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Harper's Book News.

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Says the Philadelphia Inquirer: "There have been loves in this world which have had terrible consequences, and though Mrs. Ward attempts no Cleopatra theme, she has sounded the heights and depths of passion and its opposition to social convention in a way that has seldom been achieved." "It reveals new depths and beauty with each reading. One appreciates how superbly the author has triumphed. Its place is with the books that do not die. Its author stands among the few living authors to whom the immortals have passed the torch."—New York Times.

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VOWS RAILROAD MONOPOLY WORST

Prouty Declares "System" Makes Schedules, Foregoing Rebates Which Others Get.

New York Sun Special Service.
Chicago, April 13.—Speaking in behalf of the interstate commerce commission at the banquet of the Union League club, C. A. Prouty directly denied the principal statements made by George R. Peck, general counsel of the Chicago & North Western railway, who presented the question of the establishment of railroad rates from the viewpoint of the companies.
Mr. Peck declared that the rebate was a thing of the past and that the railroad companies established their rate schedules with the best interest of the shippers always in view.
Mr. Prouty said that while he believed the rebates were no longer present as they were, they still existed, and he charged that what was a still greater indictment against the railroads was that John D. Rockefeller and the Standard Oil company had progressed so far in their rule over the railroads that they had made the schedules, the lesser privilege of receiving rebates having been foregone. He declared that the railroad monopoly to be the greatest monopoly existing, one that was entrenched and secure and could not be disturbed or interfered with unless the recommendations of President Roosevelt be carried out and the powers of the interstate commerce commission enlarged so as to enable it to regulate the rates that should be charged to the shippers. He declared that the railroad systems had control of 55 per cent of the total mileage, and two-thirds of the gross receipts from traffic throughout the country. Judge Grosscup outlined the difficulties in the way of such legislation, and declared it was not a question of arithmetic but was a question of intent. He said he did not believe that the rates could be settled by commission, but was properly a matter for the courts.

NEW YORK'S HUGE HIPPODROME OPEN

Amusement House with Auditorium Big Enough to Contain Two Average Theaters.

New York Sun Special Service.
New York, April 13.—The greatest amusement place in the world, the Hippodrome, filling the entire block on Sixth avenue between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, was opened last night.

Colossal in its proportions, it will lead in many respects all other amusement places in the world. The building will have much to do in grasping the bewildering statistics of this temple of pleasure, which has been slowly building for more than a year. The auditorium is large enough to contain two ordinary theaters. Its stage is as big as some of the first-class playhouses in New York.

Its hundreds of tiers of seats in the orchestra and balconies will accommodate a third more people than the Metropolitan opera house and almost twice as many as New York's next largest theater. It is equivalent to two of London's Hippodrome, generally regarded heretofore as the most interesting modern structure of its kind. The building is an example of architectural ingenuity can make it, and in emergencies its audience can be emptied through thirty-six exits.

The structure represents an investment of \$1,750,000. Its purpose is to present in remarkable mixture, circus, extravaganza, melodrama, ballet and water show.
Two great balconies rise in the rear, and along their rails and at either side are seventy-five boxes, seating from five to twenty-two people each. Behind the orchestra extends a promenade 200 by 50 feet in dimensions.

This far it is merely a theater of ordinary architecture on a magnificent scale. The rest of the building, which is the tank for aquatic performances, with a uniform depth of fourteen feet and into which water can be pumped at the rate of 8,000 gallons a minute.

The stage area covers 50 feet in depth and 200 feet between side walls. Of this area the central portion immediately back of the arch is practically a huge elevator carried on four twelve-inch hydraulic rams and capable of a vertical movement of 8 feet. Its weight is 230 tons, and it is equipped with counterweights guided by steel columns. This movable structure can be locked and made stationary at any required elevation. Of the intricate lighting equipment and miles of connecting wires little need be said except that it is promised to be the nearest complete of any theater in the world.

On the roof is storage place for 30,000 gallons of water, from which lead six four-inch standpipes connected with fire hose on every floor, beside the automatic sprinkling apparatus on the stage.
Around and underneath the stage are grouped the one hundred dressing-rooms, and below the main auditorium are the steel cages for wild beasts, sufficient in number to house comfortably an ordinary circus.

The performance began with the spectacle "A Yankee Circus on Mars." The first scene showed a stranded American circus brought by a Martian, who takes it to his planet.

Following the circus on Mars, came a spectacular production of American civil war incidents, "Andersonville, a Story of Wilson's Raiders." In this there was a battle scene, bringing numbers of mounted men on the stage. The great hippodrome tank was utilized in the battle scene, and the fore part of the stage sinking until the stage represented a river.

With mounted troops represented in retreat, horses and riders rush forward and plunge into the water, many feet deep. Many horses were in the water at the same time.

The stage is remarkably large, and at times was crowded. Hundreds of persons and many animals, including elephants and horses, were in view at one time. The circus specialties introduced in the first part of the performance were unusually good.

The records of the day—deaths, births, marriages, hotel arrivals, railroad time tables, real estate transfers, building permits and other information of interest—will be found, together with want advertisements, on page 14 of this issue.

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25 rolls velvet carpet, special per yard..... 75c
35 rolls Tapestry Brussels carpet, special per yard..... 50c
10 Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, worth \$15, sale price \$12.00
15 velvet Rugs, size 9x12, worth \$20, sale price.... \$15.00
125 Axminster Rugs, sizes 36x72, worth \$3.95—sale price..... \$3.00
40 Axminster Rugs, size 9x12, worth \$29.50, sale price..... \$26.00

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25c Each for Pillow Tops of fine Tapestries, Velours, Plushes, etc., etc., worth 50c to \$1.00.
50c Pair for Ruffled Muslin Curtains, wide ruffle—considerably reduced.

Down Cushions of fine quality goose down, at 65c, 75c, 90c, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.
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10c yard for 18c qualities fancy silk cords for cushions.
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NEW LAW IS STRINGENT River Boats Fail to Pass at First Inspection.

WINONA, MINN.—The most stringent regulations are being enforced this spring along the upper river as to the equipment of steamboats in compliance with the new law. The inspectors Knapp and Carey were in Winona on Wednesday, and as a result the steamer Robert Harris, which has for years been in commission between Winona and Fountain City, is prohibited from running until it complies with the new law. The boat was allowed to go back to Fountain City yesterday afternoon, but was not permitted to take any passengers, and it will have to be up until the new equipment is secured. This equipment includes fire extinguishers, new boats and other safeguards. The Harris expects to be running again by the end of next week.
The steamer Frontenac, owned by the Laird-Norton company of this city, was passed by the inspectors after a metal house for handling oils had been placed on board. The inspectors stated that this was the only boat this spring of which a second and in some cases a third inspection had not been required. The trouble lies in the fact that the firemen have not been made acquainted with the provisions of the new law, which is much stricter than the old one.
E. J. Bauer, formerly a resident of this city, who recently removed to Hazelton, N. D., suffered a loss of over \$5,000 by a fire in his house which destroyed his house, barn and feeding im-

STEPHEN MERCHANTS FAIL Russell Brothers File a Petition in Bankruptcy at Fergus Falls.

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.—Edward J. William and John Russell, constituting the firm of Russell Bros., dealers in hardware, furniture and machinery at Stephen, Minn., filed a bankruptcy petition in the federal court in this city today, placing their firm assets at \$21,515 and their liabilities at \$32,306. Their individual assets are trifling, amounting in all to \$415, and their individual liabilities amount to \$15.
Among the creditors are the Emerson Implement company, the Minneapolis Bedding company, the Minneapolis Furniture company, the Twin City Separator company, the Gilmore-Robbins company and the Bellmore Packing company, all of Minneapolis, and the American Paint company, Brown, Treasey, Sperry & Co. and the Union Mattress company of St. Paul.
The city council met last evening and elected officers as follows: Acting mayor, D. M. Brown; city clerk, G. H. Gard; assessor, Oliver Olson; city auditor, R. E. Luedica; superintendent of

High-Priced Land. The Bank of England stands on a piece of ground valued at \$250 a square foot.

The village of Parkers Prairie held a special election yesterday to vote on the question of issuing bonds to the extent of \$10,000 for the erection of a new school building. The proposition carried by a vote of 103 to 28.
Kenneth Duncan was taken to Brainerd yesterday and operated upon for appendicitis, brought on by eating popcorn.

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