ABE MARTIN SAYS:

A contented farmer wuz in town this mornin'.

Miss Jen Moots wuz at home a few minutes t'-day between visits.

TO CONFER ON CHINESE LOAN.

Bankers of Six Powers to Meet in London To-day.

London, May 14.—The conference here to-morrow between the bankers of the six powers, including the United States, whose agents are negotiating in Pekin regarding the proposed joint loan of $50,000,000 to the Chinese government, is expected to decide the probable success or failure of the project.

As is known, the chief obstacle which has hitherto blocked the loan, has been the measure of control which the bankers are to exercise over the money to be loaned the Chinese. No statement of the terms demanded by the bankers has yet been given out from Pekin or elsewhere. A review of the terms of previous loans made jointly by the bankers of two or more of the powers indicates, however, what the bankers are including in their demands during the present negotiations.

Fire Route Fifty Families.

New York, May 14.—Fifty families were routed from their homes in panic early to-day by a $50,000 fire, which wrecked the two-story buildings at Nos. 2102 to 2112 Third Avenue, Brooklyn. A woman ticket agent in a near-by L station discovered the blaze and gave the alarm. Three policemen were cut by flying glass in fighting the flames, and traffic in the vicinity was held up two hours.

Stead Talks from Spirit Land.

London, May 14.—Spiritualists in Scotland claim to have received a message from the late William T. Stead. "It was I who asked the musicians on the Titanic to play 'Nearer, My God, to Thee,'" the spirit was quoted as saying.

Woman Arrests Husband.

New York, May 14.—Mrs. Gertrude Platt, of Brooklyn, arrested her husband on Broadway and marched him to the police station. She had not seen him for ten years.

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