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### PROGRESS OF DEATH.

#### Sensations of One Overtaken by the "Sleep of Snow."

Pastor Bertrand was climbing a mountain with a party of students. Feeling tired, he lay down to rest while the others proceeded and was overtaken by the "sleep of snow." He felt himself as if struck by apoplexy. His head was perfectly clear, but his body was powerless. He tells his story thus:

"A kind of prayer was sent up, and then I resolved to study quietly the progress of death. The sensation was not painful, but at last my head became unbearably cold, and it seemed to me that concave pinchers squeezed my heart so as to extract my life. I never felt such pain, but it lasted only for a minute, and my life went out. 'Well, thought I, I am what they call a dead man, and here I am, a captive balloon attached to the earth by a kind of elastic spring and going up and all ways up! When my companions return they will say, "The professor's dead." They do not know I never was so alive as I am! The proof is I see them now—the guide is stealing a leg of my chicken. "Go on, old fellow! Eat the whole if you choose, for I hope my corpse will never eat again." Hello! There is my wife going to Lucerne. "Well, wife, goodbye!" I confess I did not call dear the one that has always been very dear to me. I felt neither regret nor joy at leaving her. My only regret was that I could not cut the string. Suddenly a shock stopped my ascension. I felt that somebody was pulling the balloon down. My grief was measureless. When I reached my body I had a last hope. The balloon seemed much too big for the month. Suddenly I uttered the awful roar of a wild beast. The corpse swallowed the balloon—and Bertrand was Bertrand again!"

In other words, the exertions of his friends were successful in resuscitating him.—Leon Landsberg in Boston Post.

### TO EAT MACARONI.

First Swallow a Reel and Then Take Chances With the Strings.

Didst ever eat macaroni Italian style? Say, it is great! They serve it on a platter that would be two feet square if it wasn't round. It greatly resembles Medusa's head on a platter. It looks like snakes, but it isn't. You eat it with fork, spoon, knife, fingers, face, chopsticks or scissors, as you prefer.

In the real Italian style it comes in strings. Macaroni originally was invented to be fed through a keyhole. The strings are of indeterminate length. Any good Italian could start masticating a piece the other end of which was on top of the Masonic temple and finish within seventy-three seconds. A boa constrictor could eat a string of macaroni—if he were long enough.

It's an art. That's all there is to it. But that isn't all there is to it. Some people say it is an acquired art. Others insist that you must be to the manner born. Some say the Italians have reels inside, and there may be something in this, for they eat as though feeding a machine by machinery.

No one has ever dared to measure the length of a single strip of macaroni. Like the population and circumference of the world, it has to be estimated. Estimates differ, but all admit that it is long enough, except the dyed in the wool Italians.

A dish of macaroni, Italian style, consists of one of these strings festooned in imitation of the Gordian knot. Some cut the Gordian knot; others absorb it. The absorption process may not be the most elegant, but it surely is the most general.

Gentle reader, if you are ever led up to a platter of macaroni, Italian style, and find all the exits closed, grit your teeth and go at the thing with firm determination and a timber fork. Gently decoy the left end of the string on your fork and begin to wind. Rotate the fork vigorously for some four minutes in the right hand and then transfer to the left. Then when the wad has assumed the size of a ten cent spool of darning cotton open your mouth with your fingers and punch it in.

A convenient way for the amateur to consume the dish is to get some kind friend to find the end of the string. Once having discovered this, distinguish it with a bit of red silk ribbon. Then look for the other end. If not found within fifteen minutes ask the waiter's assistance.

When the end is reached your pace of engulfing the string will have increased, so that probably the end will slip into you unnoticed. But do not let this worry you. You have found the end even if you have lost it. Look at your plate! It is empty! Aha! At last you have accomplished the gentle art of absorbing macaroni.—Chicago Record-Herald.

### A Courtroom Anecdote.

Here is a courtroom story which a southern correspondent sends us about a southern judge:

The Judge—Is yo' name Immanuel Baxter?

Immanuel—Yassab.

The Judge—Well, you are charged by Officer Tucker with stealing a side of bacon at Walters' store last night.

Immanuel—Ah wants ter file a billi.

The Judge—What for?

Immanuel—Ah don't know, sah; Mistah Reg'nald James—he's a cold lawyer—he done tol' me ter say dat.

The Judge—Oh, I see. But why didn't you steal a ham? They're better than sides.

Immanuel—They wasn't no hams down dah.

The Judge—Thirty days.—Cleveland Leader.

### Obesity Saved England's Liberty.

The mode in which that bulwark of England's constitution, the Habeas Corpus act, became a law is very remarkable. So grave a historian as Bishop Burnet relates that it was carried by an "odd artifice." Lords Gray and Norris were named to be tellers. Lord Norris, being a man subject to vapors, was not at all times attentive to what he was doing; so, a very fat lord counting in, Lord Grey counted him for ten, as a jest at first, but seeing that Lord Norris had not observed it he went in with his misreckoning of ten, so it was reported to the house and declared that they who were for the bill were in the majority.—London Chronicle.

### Three Great Rivers.

The three rivers which may be regarded from a commercial point of view as the most important in the affairs of the world are those on which the three greatest cities are situated. The Thames, on which London, with its 6,000,000 of people, is located, has a length of 215 miles. The Hudson, at the mouth of which is New York, with 4,600,000 of people, is about 350 miles long, while the Seine, on which Paris stands, with her 2,000,000 inhabitants, is 497 miles long.—New York Tribune.

### GOODRICH NEWS.

Mrs. John Anderson and Mrs. Stowell and children visited Monday with Mrs. Lillie Newton.

Wm. Cose and wife have been spending the week at Dunbar's.

Phillips and McHenry are in Dakota looking at land, we understand.

Geo. Newcom and wife came down from Boyer to attend the party at A. D. Winey's Wednesday evening.

Albert Winey and wife had a party Wednesday evening in honor of his nieces, Misses Iva Galland and Abbie Winey. Ice cream and cake were served the company.

Mrs. Buman is visiting friends at Early this week.

Rev. Bruce and wife spent Thursday at Walt Wilkinson's.

Harry and Will Anderson took in the carnival at Vail Thursday.

Some of the friends of Ben Beaman and wife took them by storm Saturday evening by walking in with their baskets and given them a hearty farewell party. A lovely time was had and the fine supper enjoyed by all. The evening was spent in visiting. After supper there was some fine singing in which all took part. Mrs. Lilly Newton on behalf of the company presented Mr. Beaman and wife with a dozen lovely teaspoons.

Miss Edith Montgomery is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Carl Winey.

Fred Petersen and wife celebrated their birthdays Thursday.

D. Newton and wife visited at Mrs. Anderson's Thursday.

Louie Grill drove over to Deloit Thursday.

Mr. Boyesen has been improving his already commodious house.

S. D. Newton and wife spent Thursday at Mrs. Anderson's.

### DELOIT ITEMS.

J. L. Miller and wife went to Independence, Missouri, last Wednesday to visit Wm. McKim and family.

Glen McKim and wife are staying at their home during their absence.

Sabin Campbell visited at Fred Landon's at Ells, part of last week.

Eugene Schuler and family, from Nebraska, were visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Alice Turner, one afternoon last week.

J. P. Nestlebusch, salesman for a salt company, was out on the road again last week, after a two weeks' vacation at home.

Among those who attended the carnival at Vail last week were, M. Myers, Jas. McKim and wife, Harry Dobson and wife, Mrs. C. J. Cose and daughter Myrtle, Ray Winans and wife and Mearl Myers and wife, Glen McKim and wife.

N. H. Brogden and wife, who have been in Nebraska visiting, returned home last Thursday. Mrs. Brogden's health was better when she returned home.

Iva Mason was brought home from Denison Thursday. We are glad to state that at present she seems to be improving.

Mrs. T. C. Dobson had her grain stacked last Wednesday.

Grover Tucker came up from Denison Wednesday to visit his sister, Mrs. John Anderson and family.

Kay Dawson and family, of Oklahoma, are visiting relatives and friends in and near Deloit.

Lottie Williams accompanied by her brother James and his son, came up from Omaha Saturday evening. Lottie returned very much improved in health, after her treatment for rheumatism in South Omaha.

Ben Beaman began loading his car Friday for his homestead near Lemmon, S. Dakota. He took his departure Monday.

Edith Montgomery, of Denison, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Winey, and attended services in Deloit Sunday.

Rev. Bruce and wife enjoyed a visit from the former's mother and sister and cousin, of Cherokee, Iowa, over Sunday.

Mr. Clay Armour and Eloise Childress accompanied by Mrs. Ann Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Bid Cose, Mrs. Baner and Miss Edna Childress came to the M. E. parsonage Sunday forenoon and were united in marriage by Rev. G. W. Bruce. The bride was dressed in navy blue silk with hat to match. The groom wore the usual black. This young couple expect to make their home in Illinois.

Kodol For Indigestion. Relieves sour stomach, palpitation of the heart. Digests what you eat.

### BUCK GROVE ITEMS.

Lute Tillett and family from near Manilla, were visitors at Buck Grove Saturday and were guests over night of John Kepford and family.

Mrs. Bertie Tillett and family, of Dow City, came over Friday and remained over Sunday the guests of John Kepford and family.

The members of the Catholic church desire to express their thanks to Mrs. Fred Paulson for the free use of the hotel building on the 15th of August.

Miss Bertie Rood, who formerly lived in this vicinity is visiting friends and renewing old associations. She was the guest of Miss Kepford a couple of days last week.

Miss McNertney, of Manilla, visited John Finnegan and family a few days last week.

John Gorman and wife, Mrs. Mike Kane, Mrs. Susie McGuire and Miss Montgomery and Mrs. Jess Sullivan were among those who attended the picnic at Kenwood Wednesday.

Pearl and Bernice Bonney are now at Philadelphia, Pa., but expect to reach home the 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. Quathamer and children drove to Defiance Sunday to spend the day and bring their little daughter Irene home.

The stork has again visited this vicinity. He called at the home of Ed Stahl last Wednesday and left a bright little baby boy.

There was quite a land transaction took place here last week when Jos. Wagmann, of Westphalia, bought 240 acres of land from Mrs. Catherine O'Mera, who in turn bought 200 acres of Mr. Lewis Schmidt. The amount of money involved amounted to forty-one thousand four hundred dollars. The business was done by Jack Welsh and James O'Mera, both of whom know the full value of Iowa land and in consequence knew how to handle such deals.

Will Staller is again able to be out after a severe siege of typhoid fever.

Mike Gerder and wife are the proud parents of a baby girl. As this is the first one in this family it is very welcome.

Mrs. Newman and daughter Ola were Arion visitors Sunday.

Hilly Newman and wife and baby, of Arion, visited friends in this vicinity Thursday.

Mrs. Martan spent Sunday with friends in Sioux City, returning home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewing, who have made their home here for the past year, are preparing to move to Neola, where they have recently built a home.

Lizzie Sewing, of Sioux City, came down Friday night and with her sister Hattie will keep house for their brother-in-law, while Mrs. McMullen will assist her parents in their move to their new home.

### Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the district court of the United States for the southern district of Iowa, in the matter of Paul Steensen in bankruptcy, bankrupt.

To the creditors of Paul Steensen of Goodrich township, in the county of Crawford, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of Aug. A. D., 1908, the said Paul Steensen was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the clerk of the district court in Denison, Iowa, on the 5th day of September, A. D., 1908, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

W. S. MAYNE, Referee in Bankruptcy.

### SOLDIER NEWS.

Mrs. Peter Bruhn entertained a few of her friends on Sunday afternoon in honor of her birthday.

Freda Kuehl was the guest of Alma Binger on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. D. Passick and daughter, Mrs. Pete Harder of Monona county, were visitors at the Albert Fester home Monday.

Arnold Jacobs, wife and family, of near Mapleton, visited over Sunday with the latter's parents, Adolph Kuehl and family.

Henry Stamp, wife and family visited Sunday with relatives near the Oak.

The birthday party which was given at the D. Passick home in Monona county Sunday was largely attended.

### A Faithful Friend.

"I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since it was first introduced to the public in 1872, and have never found one instance where a cure was not speedily effected by its use. I have been a commercial traveler for eighteen years, and never start out on a trip without this, my faithful friend," says H. S. Nicholson of Oakland, Ind. Ter. When a man has used a remedy for thirty-five years he knows its value and is competent to speak of it. For sale by Ph. A. Schlumberger.

### Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the district court of the United States of the southern district of Iowa, in the matter of Charles C. Kemming, Denison Clothing Co., in bankruptcy, bankrupt. To the creditors of Charles C. Kemming, of Denison, in the county of Crawford and district aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given on the 7th day of August A. D., 1908, the said Charles C. Kemming, doing business under style of Denison Clothing Co., was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the clerk of the district court in Denison, Iowa, on the 5th day of September, A. D., 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

W. S. MAYNE, Referee in bankruptcy.

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### NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—

Notice is hereby given that under, and by virtue of a Commission, issued out of the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Iowa, in and for Crawford County, (based on a judgment Entry and Decree rendered in said Court, in a certain case, wherein Johanna German was plaintiff, and Margaret Heath, et al. defendants, being case No. 7958 of said Court.) under date of August 6, 1908, and directed to me, the undersigned, M. E. Jones, as Referee, I will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House in Denison, Crawford County, Iowa, at two o'clock in the afternoon of Saturday, the 12th day of September, 1908, the following described real estate situated in Crawford County, Iowa, to-wit: The Northwest quarter [N. W. 1/4] of the Northeast Quarter [N. E. 1/4] of Section Thirty-three [33.] in Township Eighty-four [84] North Range Thirty-seven [37.] West of the 5th P. M., and execute a referee's deed to the purchaser thereof.

By order of the District Court of Iowa, in and for Crawford County.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1908.

CONNOR & LALLY, M. E. JONES, Referee. Referee.

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### Cronic Diarrhoea Cured.

"My father has for years been troubled with chronic diarrhoea, and tried every means possible to effect a cure, without avail," writes John H. Zirkle of Philippi, W. Va. "He saw Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy advertised in the Philippi Republican and decided to try it. The result is one bottle cured him and he has not suffered with the disease for eighteen months. Before taking this remedy he was a constant sufferer. He is now sound and well, and although sixty years old, can do as much work as a young man." Sold by Ph. A. Schlumberger.

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