

Classified Wants

HELP WANTED
GIRLS WANTED—At Merchants Hotel, Willmar. Good wages. 857
WANTED—A good cook in family where two girls are kept. Good wages; permanent place. Inquire at Tribune office. 659
HOUSES AND ROOMS
FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 409 Trott avenue. 863
WANTED—To rent a house. Call at Singer Agency. 867
FOR RENT—Five room house on W. Becker avenue. Call telephone 1491. 847
FOR RENT—Two rooms. Hot water heat and electric lights. 401 Fifth street. 862
FOR RENT—One furnished room in new house. All modern. 221 Litchfield Ave. E. 796
FOR RENT—One furnished room in modern house. Inquire at 721 Litchfield Ave. W. 469
FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping if desired. 421 First St. 861
FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in modern house. Two blocks from depot. Inquire at this office. 823
Furnished flat—For rent in strictly modern flat, downtown district. G. E. Storer, Handy Flats, Sixth St. Phone 292. 870
REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE—One block 14 lots, high dry land, in Second ward. Inquire of I. W. Arno, Willmar. 866
WANTED—House and lot in Willmar in trade for farm. William Olson, at Paul M. Peterson's office. 853
FOR SALE OR TRADE—A very desirable 7-room house in the Larned-Willmar block. Inquire at Tribune office. 801
FOR SALE—Seven room house, electric lights, city water, cistern, cheap, at 314 Lake Ave. Thorpe & Rykken. 737
CITY LOTS—Have just platted some of finest building lots in city on Third St. East (Mayson). Prices reasonable. G. A. Erickson. 405
FOR SALE—On the installment plan, Twenty-three lots, 7 blocks from post-office. For further particulars, inquire of Anderson Land Co. 376
NORTHERN MINNESOTA LANDS—\$12.50 to \$15.00 per acre; \$2 per acre cash, balance on easy terms at 5 per cent. For further particulars call at our office or write Anderson Land Co., Willmar, Minn. 650
HOUSES FOR SALE—On the installment plan. If interested in buying a house it will pay you to call at our office and get full particulars. Anderson Land Co., Willmar, Minnesota. 635
GENUINE BARGAINS—If you are looking for such in city property or improved farms in Kandiyohi county, do not fail to call at the office and look over the large list of properties now for sale by Thorpe & Rykken, Willmar, Minn. 414
FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE—1914 2-cylinder S. H. P. motorcycle in good condition. Inquire this office. 869
SEED CORN AND OATS—1,000 bushels seed oats and 65 bushels seed corn will be sold Feb. 11 at my salo. Gust Frodeen. 858
FOR SALE—1,500 heavy weight oak posts. Write me what size of post you desire and I will cut them for you. P. J. Thorntson, R. 5, Willmar. 855
FOR SALE—One United Installment Realty Company Bond. Has a maturity value of \$1,000.00, due in 10 years from July, 1912. Have made payments to the amount of \$184.50. Will sell for \$150. For further information address Tribune 854, Willmar, Minn. 854
STOCK FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Registered Holstein bull calves and grade heifers. Davis Swenson, Rt. 1, Spicer. 840
FOR SALE—Four young brood sows. Immune from cholera. D. H. Simons, Raymond, Rt. 5. 844
FOR SALE—White Wyandotte cockerels; reasonable price if taken soon; my stock won first prizes at 1914 show at Willmar; eggs in season. A. J. Anderson, New London, Minn. 865
MISCELLANEOUS
WANTED—To do family washing at home, 318 Third St. 868
SALESMAN WANTED—To look after our interest in Kandiyohi and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address The Victor Oil Co., Cleveland, O. 860
WANTED—Places where girls can work for room and board. School hours from 9 to 4 p. m. Keister's Ladies' Tailoring College, Old Post-office Bldg., Willmar. 830
PIANO TO TRADE—Have a new \$500 King grand upright piano taken in a trade which I will trade for cheap lots. May be seen at Tjosvold's Music Store. G. A. Erickson. 600
MONEY TO LOAN—See S. L. Benton for farm loans, on the optional payment plan, and at low interest, as he has charge of the loaning business while I am away from home. A. P. Adams. 56
LEARN DRESSMAKING and Ladies' Tailoring at Keister's Ladies' Tailoring College. We teach patternmaking, designing, cutting, fitting and sewing. Old postoffice building, Willmar. 717
WANTED—Everybody that has a stove or pipes and chimney clogged with soot to get a package of The Scientific Chemical chimney cleaner. A dollar a package. Now to introduce only fifty cents. About a year's supply. This will clean them for you. Call on or sent by parcel post prepaid. J. C. FORSBERG, Willmar, Minn. 327 4th St. Phone 53
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FOUND—Perfect light, The Angle Lamp. For sale by A. B. Walner, Sves, Minn. 851

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Disposition of Mindegeve Fund.
Announcement has just arrived from Christiania of the disposition of the Mindegeve fund presented to Norway last summer by the Norwegian people of America. The revenue from the fund will in the main be used for charitable and philanthropic purposes.
The plan drawn up by the committee in charge of the fund, which will be submitted to the Storting for approval, contemplates the establishment of the Mindegeve as a permanent fund. The income of the fund shall be added to the present principal of 245,000 kroner, until it has reached a total of 300,000 kroner. Thereafter 30 per cent of the annual income will be added to the principal until the sum of 500,000 kroner has been reached, after which 10 per cent of the income will be added annually to the fund. Gifts and legacies will also be received and added to the permanent fund.
The annual revenue from the fund which is not added to the principal will be used for the alleviation of want and suffering caused by disasters, where the state, the commune, and public institutions, and the general public are not in position to render aid. Aid will also be given special philanthropic enterprises.
The fund will be administered by a board of five members, chosen from among the members of the Storting. The board will employ a secretary, who will also act as treasurer and bookkeeper.—Norwegian-American.

NORWAY LAKE.
Norw y Lake, Jan. 26—The Lake Andrew & Doyre Telephone Co. held their annual meeting last week. The following officers were elected: President S. A. Syverson; vice president, J. S. Christensen; secretary, Peter Skoglund; treasurer, Lars Nelson; sub collectors, Oscar Mankel, Nels Alvig and J. E. Carlson.
A series of religious meetings have been conducted in this neighborhood every evening for a week by P. Peterson and C. Halvorson of Lac qui Parle county.
Services were conducted in the East Norway Lake church last Sunday by M. A. Stotland.
Peterson and Halvorson occupied the pulpit in the Hauge church last Sunday.
The County or State highway law is, in our opinion a nuisance and is unpopular with the farmers of the State and should be demanded repealed by the Legislature this year. Give us back the old system of road work instead of a state drainage outfit and tax grafting scheme.
The Misses Lydia and Helen Swenson are visiting with relatives in Willmar for a week.
Olaf Hande has returned from a trip to the southern part of the state.

MAMRE.
Mamre, Jan. 25—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Larson and son, Luverne left for Strandberg, S. Dak., last week for a visit at the latter's parental home and other relatives at that place.
Mr. Samuel Rodman very nicely entertained eighteen friends to a party last Friday evening. The evening was spent in playing various games, and delicious refreshments were served, after which the guests departed for their homes, all voting Samuel a capital entertainer.
Rev. L. Kringle of Posston, Minn., visited at N. Abrahamson's from Tuesday until Wednesday of last week.
Mr. Swan Swanson was a welcome caller at P. Rodman's last Monday.
C. G. Carlberg's entertained the Lund Mission Helpers last Saturday afternoon.
Miss Olga Elkjer visited her friend, Esther Lundgren at Willmar last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Evenson of Willmar were guests of P. Rodman's last week for a few days.
Sven Carlberg's delightfully entertained a few families to dinner Sunday.
Mr. Lawrence Hanson of Willmar visited Ole Emberland's last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Gust Danielson entertained a number of friends Monday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Krantz and family visited Sunday at John Stanghelle's.

Miss Esther Krantz left for Middle River, Minn., on Monday, to visit her father, for a couple of months. She was accompanied by Mr. Ole Stanghelle.
Misses Alma and Dora Lind departed for their home at Minot, N. D. on Tuesday after an extended stay at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Berglund.
Mr. Melvin Nordin made a brief call at Mamre on Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. P. Rodman delightfully entertained F. N. Anderson's, D. C. Beck's and Gust Danielson's to a "Kalas" Sunday.
Mr. Max Rosenville is the new mail carrier on Route one, Willmar.
Mrs. Jonas Johnson is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Johnson at Willmar.

WILLMAR MARKET
Corrected Jan. 27, 1915
Prices on creamery output, flour, bran, shorts and apples are dealers' selling prices, all other prices paid to producers.
Wheat, No. 1 Northern..... \$1.28
Wheat, No. 2..... \$1.24
Wheat, No. 3..... \$1.21
Wheat, No. 4..... \$1.02
Barley..... \$1.06 to \$1.09
Oats..... \$1.06 to \$1.09
Rye..... \$1.06 to \$1.09
Corn..... \$1.06 to \$1.09
Flour..... \$2.75 to \$2.80
Butter, separator..... 28 to 30c
Butter, creamery..... 32 to 33c
Lamb..... \$4.00 to \$4.25
Pork..... \$18.25 to \$18.50
Hogs..... \$6.50 to \$6.75
Sheep..... \$5.00 to \$5.25
Eggs..... 25 to 31c
Poultry..... 12c to 13c
Hogs, live..... \$1.00

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES
Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, Jan. 25.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.40; No. 1 Northern, \$1.39; No. 2 Northern, \$1.37. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.91 1/2.
St. Paul Grain.
St. Paul, Jan. 25.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.36 1/2 @ 1.40 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.32 1/2 @ 1.40; No. 2 Montana hard, \$1.37 @ 1.39 1/2; corn, 69c @ 70c; oats, 51c @ 52c; barley, 63c @ 70c; rye, \$1.19; flax, \$1.89 1/2.
South St. Paul Live Stock.
South St. Paul, Jan. 25.—Cattle—Steers, \$4.50 @ 8.25; cows and heifers, \$4.50 @ 6.75; calves, \$4.00 @ 9.25; stockers and feeders, \$4.25 @ 9.75. Hogs—\$6.50 @ 6.55. Sheep—Lamb, \$4.50 @ 8.00; wethers, \$5.00 @ 6.00; ewes, \$2.50 @ 5.50.
Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, Jan. 25.—Wheat—May, \$1.44 1/2; July, \$1.26 1/2. Corn, May, 79 1/2c; July, 80 1/2c. Oats—May, 56 1/2c; July, 54 1/2c. Pork—Jan., \$18.32 1/2; May, \$18.32 1/2. Butter—Creameries, 30 @ 30 1/2c. Eggs—25 @ 31 1/2c. Poultry—Springs, 12 1/2c; fowls, 13 1/2c.
Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Jan. 25.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.50 @ 9.25; cows and heifers, \$3.20 @ 8.00; calves, \$7.25 @ 10.50. Hogs—Light, \$6.65 @ 7.25; mixed, \$6.60 @ 6.50; heavy, \$6.40 @ 6.95; rough, \$6.40 @ 6.50; pigs, \$5.40 @ 7.10. Sheep—Native, \$5.75 @ 6.50; yearlings, \$6.75 @ 7.60.
Minneapolis Grain.
Minneapolis, Jan. 25.—Wheat—May, \$1.38 1/2; July, \$1.35 1/2; Sept., \$1.19. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.42 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.36 @ 1.42 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.33 @ 1.40 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.29 @ 1.38 1/2; No. 3 yal low corn, 69c @ 70c; No. 3 white oats, 52 @ 52 1/2c; flax, \$1.92 1/2.

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OLD PHOTO OF COLFAX COUPLE WHOSE LIVES ENDED IN TRAGEDY



L. A. Larson, Who Paid the Extreme Penalty for Murder at St. Quentin Penitentiary Last Friday, and the Wife, Who Was Murdered. Both were Residents of the North Part of the County Years Ago. Larson was Convicted Largely Thru the Testimony of His Daughter.

Lake Florida.
Lake Florida, Jan. 26—Service will be held next Sunday forenoon in the Florida Mission church by Rev. G. T. Moline.
Theodore Thorson called Thursday at the Wm. Peterson home.
Martha and Ida Nelson spent last week with their sister, Mrs. O. B. Ralston.
Walter Skoglund returned Monday from near LaBolt, S. D., where he has been visiting since before Christmas. Olive Harris spent Sunday at the Wm. Peterson home.

Skiers at Glenwood.
The Glenwood Ski club has arranged for an interstate ski tournament on their big scaffold Feb. 4, and preparations are already being made for the big event. The Glenwood scaffold is one of the largest in America and since the Glenwood tournament comes only two days before the national meet at Duluth it is expected that all the best skiers will be there to participate.
—Gerhard Damhof of Roseland is in the city, returning the other day from a trip to the cities.
—Reuben Hallidin of Mamre made a pleasant call at our office last Thursday.

As I have rented my farm I will sell at Public Auction in Section 1, Township of Mamre, on
MONDAY, FEB. 8TH, 1915,
at one o'clock p. m., sharp, the following described articles:
One black horse; two 6 year old cows, one fresh and the other fresh in June; one 2 1/2 year old heifer; one heifer, 16 months old; one bull, 15 months old; one bull calf, 7 months old; 70 chickens, 85 bushels oats, 11 bushels white dent seed corn, 6 bushels potatoes, one narrow tire wagon, one single buggy, one 14 inch walking plow, one 15 shoe Dowagick drill, one McCormick mower, 20 rods hog fence, two sets work harness, two grind stones, some carpenter tools, one hard coal heater, one cook stove, four beds, one chiffonier and other articles too numerous to mention.
Terms: Time will be given on bankable notes bearing 8 per cent interest on sums of \$10 or over to Nov. 1, 1915.
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J. E. Seagren, your new druggist, who is also an experienced jeweler, is now ready to do all kinds of jewelry and watch repairing. He also has a fine line of new and up-to-date jewelry. Go in and see him at 202 Fifth Street.—adv.

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ANOTHER ACCIDENT IN LOCAL YARDS

J. T. Beecroft Has Narrow Escape Late This Afternoon.

J. T. Beecroft, a freight brakeman for the Great Northern, was injured this afternoon, about 4:30, in the local yards. He was called to go east on an extra and had just descended from the rear end of the caboose, and was crossing the track when a switch engine struck him. The engine caught him a glancing blow in the small of the back, and knocked him over. He was picked up by switchmen and hurried to the Bethesda Hospital where an examination was made. The extent of his injuries are not known at this writing, but he was conscious, and suffered great agony. Whether he was internally injured is not known.

Admiral President Wilson.
John Georgeson, the Civil War veteran and citizen of Arcata, made the Willmar Tribune a pleasant call Monday. Mr. Georgeson's experiences in the war of the States enables him to comprehend better, perhaps, than others, the magnitude of the struggle now on in Europe. He can see no principle involved in this great world struggle but lust for power and territorial aggrandizement. "God will not be mocked," said Mr. Georgeson.
The dropping of bombs from above on defenseless non-combatants is most dastardly and reminded him of the terrible fate of the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah which were destroyed from fire on high as a judgment of a righteous God. The reports published from day to day of this war reminds him of the accounts printed of the battles in the Civil War by Confederate newspapers. They never admitted a defeat. Mr. Georgeson is an ardent admirer of President Wilson and his peace policy. He did not vote for him but would do so now if he had the chance. "No matter if he is a Democrat," said Mr. Georgeson, "President Wilson is the greatest president since Lincoln. He stands for peace and his judgment is good. Think what misery and loss of life to our people have been spared by his Mexican policy!"

NEW LONDON, RT. 4.
New London, Rt. 4, Jan. 25—E. S. Gafkjen called at the H. S. Gafkjen home last Sunday.
Thor Faavre will rent his farm this summer and intends embarking in the garage business at Sunburg. We all wish him success in his new venture.
Peder Lien, who has been renting the S. A. Syverson farm the past two years, has rented the John Dokken and part of the O. L. Lien farm for a period of three years. He will reside on the Dokken farm.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Aasen called at the latter's parental home in Colfax last Sunday.
Miss Alma Spanan is visiting with her brother's family at present.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reigstad and family visited at the W. L. Aasen home from Sunday until Monday.
Miss Mable Dunham and Edward Sagedal visited up north last Sunday.
Miss Gurine Huse and brother, Oliver called on Mrs. Mari Rood last Sunday.

—George Brogren left last Saturday afternoon for a visit with friends and relatives at Benson and Kerkhoven.
—The annual banquet of the Willmar Commercial Club takes place Wednesday evening, Feb. 10. It promises to become an interesting and enthusiastic event.
—Mrs. August Olander of this city is now improving after a couple of weeks' serious illness.

Dr. Gustaf D. Forsell's massage treatments given with greatest success for old Stomach Complaints and Rheumatism, Ruble Bldg., Willmar, Minn.—Adv.

A Handkerchief Trick.
To take two corners of a handkerchief, one in each hand, and with a single straight motion and without letting go either corner, to tie a knot in the handkerchief seems at first thought impossible. Nevertheless it is simple. Before you take hold of the handkerchief fold your arms, then grasp the two corners of the handkerchief. Holding an opposite corner in each hand, draw the arms apart. That single straight movement will tie the knot.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.
Estate of Annie Christina Berglund, State of Minnesota, County of Kandiyohi, In Probate Court:
In the Matter of the Estate of Annie Christina Berglund, Decedent:
The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of the said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons therein entitled; THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Willmar, in the County of Kandiyohi, State of Minnesota, on the 1st day of March, 1915, at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.
Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 25th day of January, 1915.
(COURT SEAL) T. O. GILBERT,
Probate Judge.

CHARLES JOHNSON,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Willmar, Minn.

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Old Time Detective Work

By EVERETT P. CLARKE

I have been a detective for many years, though now that I am getting old I seldom take a case, and then only one that promises to interest me. My leisure time I spend in study. And what do you suppose is the subject of my studies? I will tell you. I am searching the past when there were no detectives that I may learn how criminals were traced.
I have found a succession of conditions, beginning with confession by torture—to this may be added confession by influence of the clergy—and ending with our present highly perfected detective system. I regret to say that there still exists one relic of the practice of obtaining confessions by influence of the clergy. I refer to securing them by means of the "third degree."

A curious instance of confession I have found in a record of the latter part of the eighteenth century.
During the year 1790 an altercation occurred between James Thorpe and Pardon Winston in Bradford, a small town in Massachusetts. Robert Thorpe, a brother of James, came on to the scene while the fight was in progress and struck Winston on the head with a piece of wood, knocking him senseless. However, he revived to a few minutes, and the brothers, who had been friends of Winston, frightened lest he had been killed, assisted him to his home, expressing great regret at the occurrence.
Winston did not seem any the worse for the blow he had received and remained in Bradford some time after the scuffle. But one day he was missed, and, when months passed and he did not show up, among the various causes for his disappearance that were suggested was one that the quarrel between him and the Thorpe brothers had been renewed and the missing man had come to his death through their instrumentality.
However, since there was nothing but inference in the matter, the suspicion died down. Several years after Winston's disappearance Abner Twitchell, a citizen of Bradford, dreamed one night that the ghost of Winston had appeared to him and said that the Thorpe brothers had killed him, buried his body and buried the residue under a beech tree, the only tree standing in the back yard of his home. Twitchell gave the civil authorities an account of his dream.
At this point in my narrative it is well to remember the conditions of that period. The belief in witchcraft

that had reaped so many victims had died out among educated persons, but still prevailed among the lower classes. Today a belief in revelation by dreams, though not what it was then, is not entirely extinct.
The Thorpe brothers were arrested, the ground about the roots of the beech tree was dug up, and some buttons and the metal parts of a pair of suspenders were found. This evidence was considered so strong that the Thorpe brothers were urged to confess in order that justice should be meted out to each in accordance with what he deserved. James, under the incessant pleadings of his spiritual adviser, finally gave way and confessed that he had been the murderer. But later Robert confessed that he, too, had taken part in the killing and had done the principal part in getting rid of the body.
Now, if we consider the evidence in this case as it would be regarded today there is nothing in it. First, we would not accept the dream as of any value whatever; second, the articles found under the beech tree might have been thrown out in the yard or burned with other refuse under the tree and become mingled with the soil; third, we have numerous confessions in murder cases that are not true.
But in those days, when the people were emerging from a period wherein an organized court of justice would convict a woman of vomiting crooked pins and sailing on the water in a sieve, the evidence against the Thorpe brothers backed by the confession of both, was considered quite sufficient to hang them. They were tried, convicted and sentenced.
One day a man rode into Bradford and while sitting around the tavern stove was told that the next day there would be a hanging in the town and he had better remain over and see it. On mention of the name of Winston he said that he had seen a half witted man in Hadley of that name. A friend of the Thorpe boys was present, and he went to the judge with the story, asking for a stay of the execution in order that the matter might be investigated.
A constable was sent to Hadley and returned with the man for whose murder the prisoners were to have been hanged. The brothers were released and received an ovation, the townspeople really rejoicing that they had been saved by a mere chance from having committed murder themselves.
The blow that Winston had received from Robert Thorpe caused an inflammation of a big blood vessel on the brain. Even nowadays we are never sure when or what vagaries may be caused by such a pressure, though it can now be removed by surgeons. Whether the surgical process of trepanning was done in those days or not I don't know. I found no record of the subsequent condition of the injured man.

CUPID AT SEA
By OSCAR COX

Rufus Willard when eighteen decided to leave the paternal nest. Instead of remaining in the city of his birth or going elsewhere in the United States he decided to take a longer flight. He sailed for South America and, not content with remaining on the eastern coast, passed southward, through the strait and up to Chile. There he became engaged in business, and there was every prospect that he would make that country his permanent home.
A man settling in a far distant land is not likely to feel at home with the people there and naturally longs for his old associates. After a sojourn of a few years in Chile Willard thought that if he had a wife—one from his native land—he would be better contented. He remembered one Leona Andrews, a very pretty girl, that he had formerly been "sweet" on, and it occurred to him to begin a correspondence with her with a view to marriage.
Miss Andrews replied to his letter, and he wrote again, the correspondence growing sweeter and sweeter till he made a proposal by letter, which was accepted. The young lady realized that it would be difficult as well as inconvenient for him to return to America to marry her and consented to go to Chile for the wedding. This was a very satisfactory arrangement, and Willard was happy over the prospect. He bought a house, furnished it and made all essential arrangements for his bride's reception.
Miss Andrews wrote him of the steamer on which she would go to Chile, the date of her departure and the date of her probable arrival. Willard counted the days till she should come and his loneliness would be ended. He had made a number of good friends among the Chileans, and they had volunteered to do all in their power to meet the lady's residence among them a happy one.
One Monday afternoon the ship on which Miss Andrews was coming was announced to arrive the next morning. Willard made arrangements for a simple noon wedding to take place on the day of his bride's arrival, to which a few friends were invited.
When the steamer arrived Willard was on the dock, looking up to see his fiancée. He saw her standing beside a gentleman, and when she caught his eye, instead of greeting him with a happy smile, she looked embarrassed. Running aboard, among the first to do so, he joined the lady, who introduced him to the gentleman beside her: "My husband."

The Word Magnet.
Magnet is derived from the name of the city of Magnesia, in Asia Minor, where the properties of the lodestone are said to have been discovered. It has, however, been asserted that the name comes from Magnes, the name of a shepherd who discovered magnetic power by being held on Mount Ida, in Greece, by its attraction for the nails in his shoes.

Badly Expressed.
"The human mostrocity" said a young lady attending a fair with her sweetheart. "Threepence! Wouldn't you like to have a look at that, Herbert?"
"No, dear," answered Herbert, anxious to bestow a neat compliment; "I am quite content to look at you."—Loudon Mail.

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