

RACE TRACK TIPSTERS AND THEIR WILD SCHEMES

There ain't nothin' doin' in the toun'tin' line any more...

He had won by working the scheme and he was busy with the wine while he was explaining the dodge to me.

Grandon would have a nice starter. In the next race a horse named Our Nellie won at 7 to 1.

Of course, the only thing left for me to do is to go and bet my own money on the races...

The Tipster's Scheme. "It's a dead easy one," answered the tipster...

"We had agreed to meet in a hotel on State street at 7 o'clock that evening. I was there first at the drop of the second, but the tipster was nowhere in sight.

There are half dozen other tipsters who figure out the probable winners of races in accordance with the form of horses.

"Now what does this wild bartender do? He gets onto the fact that the telephone can be worked quicker than the telephone out of the track, and so he first gets a confederate...

"All this is leading up to show Dan got his bum finish. It seems that he got some money guy to stake him, and then he tries my scheme.

"Money Back If You Lose." Most of the "sure-thing" tipsters have agents stationed outside Washington park.

"Well, it really was a shame to rob those handbook people that way. And, besides, the bartender told me they were going to lose my money.

"When Dan landed out in the middle of the street he picked himself up and proceeded to drown his troubles with liquor.

"Come and back the water-carrier." He carries water to the horses and knows just what ones are slated to win.

"All right, what happens? I go out to the track and the horse that I was nervous about a minute broke my neck getting to the telephone office.

"That was enough for me. I dug out a gambling joint where the bartender had told me Dan was playing, and when I got there Dan was sitting at a table with two solitary blue chips in his hand.

"One day while the races were running at Hawthorne this tipster came running into my store all out of breath and said he had hit upon a scheme that would bring us a barrel of money.

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"We can't possibly lose out, he said, for we'll bet on the races after they've been run and we can't lose.

"I have a second-spot for Gaheris, while Grandon is second at 25 to 1, and Grandon was third at some price I can't remember.

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GRANITE FLOWS LIKE WATER; STEEL RAILS WELDED IN A TWINKING

WELTING iron and stone instantly in the power claimants for a new heating force just discovered.

The first demonstration of this new agent in America was made early in May, when certain processes were worked out in the laboratory of the University Chemical Society.

The mystery solved at last. "After a series of careful experiments, the problem was solved. When the aluminum filings were thoroughly washed with water...

According to high authority it is the most startling discovery in chemistry. Thermite is its name.

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"The interior of Mont Pelee, whose fiery blast destroyed St. Pierre in a moment and crumbled its buildings into dust, would be cool compared with this temperature of 5,400 degrees.

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"Yet this heat can not only be produced at a few moments' notice," said the scientist yesterday, "but it can be controlled—regulated for use in commercial work, in factories, foundries and machine shops, for melting, shaping and welding masses of iron and steel.

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BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF THE MINNESOTA STATE EXPERIMENTAL FARM.

One of the most striking and instructive points of interest in St. Paul is one that is rarely visited, notwithstanding its accessibility.

line. There are no less than twenty buildings, all spacious and impressive, as they should be to represent a great institution. The grounds are ornamented by well selected shrubbery, that by foliage, habit of growth or flower adds beauty to a naturally attractive place.

of 250 acres, not as much land as is common in most of Minnesota, but intelligent effort has made it wonderfully productive. The institution is one of the best in the Union in the men and women who preside over its affairs as well as its physical and material equipment.

of producing iron in small quantities could not, commercially speaking, compete with the blast furnace...

"The Pelee in miniature goes off. The operator returns, opens the plus, and the contents of the crucible flow quickly into the mould and on to the tightly clamped rails.

"It is remarkable that, though the contents of the crucible flow out at a temperature little below 1,504, Fahrenheit, the outside of the crucible may be held in the bare hand almost for the heat of the sun.

"In conclusion it may be remarked," says the scientist, "that the thermite mixture is safe to handle and safe to store in the open air.

"The post-mortem examination revealed the piercing outer envelope of the heart, a steel hat pin, four and one-fourth inches long, without a head, and in the stomach another headless hat pin, one, one and one-half inches long.

"The theory of the Russians is that the earth absorbs the electricity from the body.

By Dr. J. Solis Cohen. Earth treatment has entered into a very large number of diseases from time immemorial.

By Dr. S. D. Riskey. The only case of moon blindness, or "moon blink" that has ever come under my immediate attention was during one of my visits to the University of Pennsylvania.

By Dr. Howard Childs Carpenter. Hysterical persons as a rule do not injure themselves purposely.

Republican Club Meeting. CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—The programme of the meeting of the National League of Republican Clubs in this city, Oct. 1-5, was completed today.

Bravery to be Recognized. WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 20.—Lieut. Kenneth P. Williams, of the First Infantry, has been recommended by Gen. Chaffee for a congressional medal of honor for his skill and bravery in leading the relief expedition to the rescue of the marine detachment which completed the now famous march across the island of Samar.

Made Iron Run Like Water. "In his remarkable experiments the slag of the corundum spouted out liquid and flaming. It was a blinding spectacle.

Next came experiments with oxide of iron and then the discovery of 'thermite.' Dr. Goldschmidt found that if oxide of iron (a pure haematite ore, such as is mined in Michigan) was substituted for oxide of chromium and touched off by the flashlight primer, its action would be far more violent, though it could still be controlled.

VERY EASY TERMS. SMALL CASH PAYMENTS. CATH & FARWELL CO. St. Paul's Leading Housefurnishers. Sixth and Minnesota Sts. NO LIMIT—WE HAVE NOT LIMITED OURSELVES TO ANY PARTICULAR CLASS.

'ECONOMY IS WEALTH'—THE—Stewart Heater. Will help to make you wealthy. They give more heat for fuel consumed than any other heater extant.

RUGS—ORIENTAL AND DOMESTIC. 8x10.6 Wiltons. \$27.50. 9x12 Wiltons. \$32.50. Special Prices This Week on All Oriental Rugs.

Iron Beds. We show a large line in all colors and styles of finish. The Bed, with spring mattress, only \$4.95.

Odd Ailments Puzzle Doctors

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—After an illness of two years, Miss Leonie Jodoin, 20 years old, has died at her home in Jericho, R. I.

WILKESBARRE.—Lightning struck the house of John Hudock, a Russian, several days ago. It passed down the chimney and struck a child in a cradle, running down its body from the right shoulder to the left hip and then down the leg and across the right foot, burning the flesh all the way.

NEW YORK.—Able Seaman Thomas Preston, of the Pictou, N. S., schooner Sirdar, has been "moon struck" ever since last Christmas.

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SINGLE RAIL TROLLEY ROADS

A commercial success the single rail electric passenger car is not with us yet; but Howard Hensel, Tunis, an inventor of Baltimore, Md., promises that it will be.

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A NEW MAN. George S. Scally, of 75 Nassau st., New York, says that he has been troubled with rheumatism and dyspepsia and I came to the conclusion to try your pills.

Complete Bed-room Outfit... \$25.00. Iron Bed... \$1.95. Woven Wire Spring... 1.25. Fibre Mattress... 1.75. Rocker... 1.15. Two Chairs, 50c each... 1.18. Oak Dresser... 5.45. Wash Stand... 2.00. 9x10.6 Tapestry Rug... 10.27. \$25.00.

SOLID OAK DRESSER. The mirror is 12x20. It is well made of extra good oak; complete in every respect. Cheaper than a washstand... \$5.45.

No. 318—Sewing Rocker, saddle seat, turned spindles; well worth \$1.75. \$1.15. No. 300—Dining Chair, turned spindles and turned legs. \$59c.

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