

THE NOVEL OF THE YEAR

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talk of a man self-educated in culture. The books back there in the big living-room explained it. He had learned to talk...

looked the Shrimp over kind of 'evil' and says, 'I s'pose you seem lots of hosses that 'd beat him.' 'Yes, says the Shrimp. 'I have 'nd what's more I got \$20 in my pocket that says that with 200 yads 'at I 'n beat him to the Gap on my 'causes.' 'Well, strangles, there's 'n no tend-foot anywhere's to insin'f'nc' no to be. We all dug out money or borrowed it and sure enough the Shrimp he took up for 'E each. They picked on me to ride Crossbreed. That was the usual condition—bareback and stockin' feet 'nd a quirt but no spurs.



"When I looked up, I seen the Shrimp beatin' his cayuse past me."

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FARMER SMITH'S RAINBOW CLUB

A LITTLE TALK ON COURAGE Dear Children—If there is one thing in this world which is admired more than all others, it is COURAGE. It takes a great deal of courage to be a child. When you are grown up, people have a tendency to let you alone, but when you are a child it sometimes seems as if the whole world is against you, especially automobiles.

ber of hundreds of miles up country. They came singly, in donkey loads or in whole pack-trains. Sometimes they passed directly into his hands from the producer, sometimes they ran through a chain of transfers, from hand to hand. All news centered at and radiated from Lieber's. The same men that brought in goods would be glad to add orchids to their stock in the market.

GOITRE OPERATION FAD CONDEMNED BY DOCTOR

By WILLIAM A. BRADY, M. D. WE REGRET to say that goitre operations in some cities have degenerated into a veritable fad. If we had an exophthalmic goitre we would not accept as final the opinion of an operating surgeon as to the advisability of surgical treatment.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Dentist Ought to Know My dentist laughs at the emetine treatment and tells me pyorrhea is not due to amebae, but to streptococci. He advises scaling, vaccines and local use of an iodine-glycerine solution every day or two.

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WOMAN PROFESSIONAL TALKS ON AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHY

Miss Laura Reeves Says Bank Account and Friends Needed for Success



MISS LAURA REEVES

THERE are two very important requisites for the amateur photographer who would be a professional," remarked Miss Laura Reeves, one of our best-known women in this sort of work. "And those two things are a good bank account to start on and plenty of friends—preferably the kind of friends who want to have pictures taken."

Knowing how interesting this special art has proved to many a camera friend who spends hours in developing, printing and posing subjects just for pleasure, the possibility of turning these into a lucrative business naturally presented itself to the mind of the writer. It was in answer to a question on the opportunities which are open to women photographers, and in response to the many inquiries on the subject which have been sent to the EVENING LEADER, that the project was referred to so able a judge.

"You see," continued Miss Reeves, "photography is an expensive hobby. Your apparatus costs a great deal, and your improvement in this line must be looked into, and the newest 'stunts' adopted if you want to be a success. You can't confine yourself to portrait work, either. It isn't possible. There must be a supplementary knowledge of enlarging, reducing, developing, retouching and any amount of technicalities of this kind. Then, too, comes the question of interiors.

"Taking interiors is an art in itself, and every good photographer has to know it. These supplementary arts, such as I have already described, are what you might call staples. They are, as you know, money-making. If you want to devote your time to art you must resign yourself to going without money for a while—the length of time depending in a large measure on your friends. If they want artistic work, and are willing to pay for it, well and good."

Gerry spent two days in the wet closing his sluice gate and shoring it from the inside against eventualities. Then he repaired to the house and, after lavishing his enforced idleness on his son for a day or two, began to work feverishly on further knock-knocks for the house. Occasional calls on the telephone, and the slippery road to mend a leak, Margarita, frightened, taking her stand in the rain to guard over him with disconcerting cries and warnings. When occasionally there happened to be a trace to the downpour, he hurried out with Bonifacio to battle against prolific weeds that sprang to weeds in a night.

CONTINUED TOMORROW

A Wish

Mine be a cot beside the hill: A beehive's hum shall soothe my ear; A willow brook that turns a mill; With many a fall shall linger near.

Loyal Legion Meets

The Dames of the Loyal Legion will hold their stated meeting at the College Club, 1300 Spruce street, this afternoon at 2:30. There will be an address by Mrs. T. P. T. Mitchell, the society's historian, on "The Life of Lincoln." Mrs. Frederick Payne will talk on "The Navy League."

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