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BUTLER Business College. The following graduates of the Butler Business College have just accepted positions as follows: H. Alexander, bookkeeper, Watson R. E. Co., Pittsburg; Fay Thompson, stenographer, U. S. Development Co., 4th Ave., Pittsburg; Emma Barr, stenographer, Pittsburg Reduction Co., New Kensington, Pa.; Pearl Snyder, stenographer, The Bradford Pittsburg, Pittsburg; E. P. Frederick, stenographer, Watson R. E. Co., Pittsburg; Rosanna McLaughlin, stenographer, Baird Machinery Co., Pittsburg; Anna Houday, stenographer, Savage Security Co., Pittsburg; 4th Ave.; Winifred Stuffer, letter position, stenographer, Germania Bank Bldg., Pittsburg. Young men and women, RESIST TALK. Attend a school that DOES secure positions—and GOOD ones—for its graduates. SOME SCHOOLS PROMISE—we PERFORM. Four times as many calls as we can fill. Come in and see the letters—we shall be pleased to show them to you. Now is the time to enter. SPRING TERM, APRIL 2, 1906. May enter ANY TIME. Catalogue and circulars mailed on application. Correspondence invited. VICTIMS ALWAYS welcome. When in Butler, pay us a visit. A. F. REGAL, Principal, Butler, Pa.

The Great \$5 Clothing Sale. is on again this month. But that will end it—no more after this month. Garments for which we would ask full price under normal conditions. No matter how little the price, it's a high standard that rules here—annoyingly so to those of our competitors who even attempt to match the values presented. This \$5.00 Clothing Sale Is a Mighty Strong Proposition. \$5.00 buys choice of several hundred rattling good suits and overcoats that cannot be matched in any other Butler store in season or out of season for less than \$10 to \$12.50.

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SPRING SUITS. You see we are as usual, the early bird. Our line of Spring Suits for Men, Boys and Children is here and open for your inspection. The handsomest styles and patterns you ever laid eyes on. You never saw their equal. The envy of all local merchant tailors. Heavy padded shoulders, hand-quoted breasts, hand-made button holes, in fact so snappy and well built as to We defy any Merchant Tailor to Equal Them! We are always first. You do the same by buying early. Prices considered, Hamburger make considered, style, quality, make, wear and patterns considered, in fact everything considered, you'll find this the only place to buy. The Famous Skolney Suits for Children are here and ready to be worn by the best dressed Children of Butler. SEE WINDOW DISPLAY. Douthett & Graham. INCORPORATED.

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R-R-TIME-TABLES Pennsylvania RAILROAD WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION. Schedule in effect Jan. 1, 1906. Train leave BUTLER as follows: For Altoona and way stations, 6:15 and 10:15 a. m., and 4:20 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days. For Erie and way stations, 8:40 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 8:40 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 8:40 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 8:40 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days. For Harrisburg, Philadelphia and the West, 6:15 and 10:15 a. m., and 4:20 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days. For Altoona and way stations, 6:15 and 10:15 a. m., and 4:20 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days. For Erie and way stations, 8:40 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 8:40 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 8:40 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 8:40 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days. For Harrisburg, Philadelphia and the West, 6:15 and 10:15 a. m., and 4:20 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days; 7:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. week days.

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When Lung Sing Whistled. By CLAUDE PAMARES. Copyright, 1905, by E. C. Parcells. The foreman at the Star ranch had come up to the house in the middle of the afternoon on some errand, and as he passed the cook house where Lung Sing was scouring his pots and pans he heard a sound that caused him to stop in his tracks and exclaim: "Well, I'll be lauged!" Lung Sing was whistling. He had been cook at Star ranch for over a year and had never been heard whistling before. Indeed, he never hummed, never smiled, never talked unless directly spoken to. It was put down as a stony and cross-grained habit, but as he was a good cook and as none of the men cared a copper whether he talked or not he still held his place. "What's the matter?" asked Colonel Spear's wife, who was mistress of the ranch, as the foreman finally reached the door. "That heathen back there is whistling!" "Well, can't a heathen whistle?" "There is no law against it, but Lung Sing has been here over a year, and this is his first cook under what has happened to him up to the neck." "I can't say. I had him in here an hour ago and told him that he'd have to take the backdoor tomorrow morning and drive over to Pine Hill to meet Fannie Williams. She's coming on to stay with a month or two, you know. They think something is the matter with her lungs, and the doctor has recommended this climate. The colonel has set to go over to Wolf Creek, and of course, the rest of you are busy." "But—but I don't like the idea," said the foreman as he scratched his head. "Why don't you?" "Because Lung Sing is whistling. When a heathen whistles look out for him." The woman laughed and turned away, and a minute later the foreman was walking off. He passed the cook house again, and the Chinaman was still whistling softly to himself. "He's at it again, and I'll bet he's up to some deviltry. I'll tell the boys to keep an eye on him." As soon as he had cooked the men's breakfast last morning Lung Sing set out on his little drive to the ranch. He was given many words of caution by the colonel's wife, and he promised over again to drive slowly and bring the girl and her trunk safely to the ranch. His face was as impassive as a washboard until he had left the house half a mile behind him; then he picked his mouth and began to whistle. Under various heathen names and surnames he whistled and whistled. An hour and a half later he drove up to the little station on the plains, and when the train came in his passenger stepped from one of the parlor cars. Lung Sing welcomed her with a grunt. He greeted again as he put her baggage aboard the vehicle, and he put on a blank look as the station agent said to the girl: "I suppose he's the cook over at the Star and they sent him because all the others were busy." "Oh, I'm excuse him," he replied, and he bowed his head. And that moment Lung Sing was driving away. It was in June, and the weather was cool and pleasant, and the girl almost forgot the man's name as she stepped into the car. She had been informed by letter that the drive from the station to the ranch house would not occupy over two hours at the farthest. That meant her arrival in the morning, and she was glad when that hour had come round, but she could see no sign of civilization. In fact, she saw that the vehicle had left the road, such as it was, and was proceeding over the uneven hills as she advanced. She had been informed by letter that the drive from the station to the ranch house would not occupy over two hours at the farthest. That meant her arrival in the morning, and she was glad when that hour had come round, but she could see no sign of civilization. In fact, she saw that the vehicle had left the road, such as it was, and was proceeding over the uneven hills as she advanced. She had been informed by letter that the drive from the station to the ranch house would not occupy over two hours at the farthest. That meant her arrival in the morning, and she was glad when that hour had come round, but she could see no sign of civilization. In fact, she saw that the vehicle had left the road, such as it was, and was proceeding over the uneven hills as she advanced.

As the story was finished, and it had been listened to without a word in reply, Lung Sing began to whistle. He had thought his plot safely thus far and felt that he had a right to whistle. As he whistled a new shadow appeared among the shadows. It fell upon the flat stone at the Chinaman's heels and was so clean cut that the girl drew in her breath at sight of it. She knew it for the foreman's hat. It had been moved to and fro, and the cars worked backward and forward, and all the time the man lying there was whistling to himself. He may have wondered why the captive did not shed tears and appeal to his mercy, or he may have mentally praised her for the bold front she put on. She was ready enough to weep, and she would have wept long but for that shadow. It fascinated her and for the time being made her oblivious of her situation. Sometimes it disappeared for a moment, but always to reappear and to seem to grow larger and become more menacing. By and by Lung Sing ceased to whistle and said: "I'll tie you up again and go away." He had lifted himself off his elbow when there was a scream so fierce that the hills rang, and a tawny bird alighted on the recumbent Chinaman, struggled with him for a moment, and then was gone from sight among the cedars. The girl rose up and started, but Lung Sing was gone as well. The big mountain lion had carried him off as easily as a cat carries a mouse. "Didn't I tell you?" said the foreman of the Star ranch at midnight that night when the girl had been found wandering on the plains and brought in by a searching party. "It isn't the nature of a Chinaman to whistle. He just sulks and grunts. When you find him whistling, look out for him, for there'll be mischief to pay in some shape." "Stealyards Still Popular." "It beats me," said a clerk in a hardware store, "how the old fashioned stealyards hold their own. I can remember how popular they were with certain farmers' wives when I was a boy in the country and what a delight it was to me to be allowed to try my hand at weighing a roll of butter or a bag of wool. But even then the women and children were only persons who seemed to take much stock in stealyards. The tradesmen who bought our produce very flatly said that the figures represented by stealyards not only could not be trusted, but they proceeded to weigh all our stuff over again on scales that were supposed to have the quality of truthfulness. "Up to the present day stealyards have had the reputation of being unreliable, but in spite of their ill repute people still buy them. Just why so many householders and tradesmen resort to the use of an antiquated style of weighing machine when there are so many new and approved patterns on the market is a puzzle, but even though mystified we keep a supply on hand for the benefit of those who stick to the old way of doing things."—New York Press.

Qualified to Practice. When John Hay was crossing the Atlantic in 1865 on his way to Paris to serve as secretary of legation he met the particulars of a certain gentleman who had applied for admission to the bar of Illinois he was summoned to appear before a committee of prominent Chicago lawyers to be examined as to his qualifications. He went to the place appointed and found the committee assembled, but for a long time they took no notice of the young candidate, but continued talking with one another on various subjects. At last one of the lawyers, turning to him, said: "Mr. Hay, what would you do if a client should come to you with such a case as this?" and proceeded to describe very elaborately a complicated legal case. "I should ask for a retaining fee of \$500," promptly replied Mr. Hay, "and tell him to call tomorrow." "Mr. Hay, you are admitted," said the gentleman, and with a hearty handshake from all present the proceedings closed.

THE FRILLED LIZARD. It Carries an Umbrella and Has a Fighting Tail. The frilled lizard is found in Australia, in the north Queensland and the Kimberley district of western Australia. It lives on beetles such as are found on the tree trunks. It is about three feet long and weighs about one pound. What makes it remarkable consists of two things—its hurried walk and its fighting anger. It carries a sort of natural umbrella about its neck, which elevates suddenly with an alarming effect even to ordinary lizard killing dogs, scaring them as an umbrella opened in the face of a charging bull; hence it is called a fighting lizard. Its teeth are not of much use as a defense against a vigorous animal, but when it fights it uses its long, thin tail in a way to bring long blades on one hand—in fact, could it be properly trained, it might serve as an automatic switch, which, like the magic rug-dub-dub, would at the word administer a stinging, but the disconcerting child. From the scientific point of view the creature's peculiar method of ambulation is most interesting, because it presents an absolutely grotesque appearance at such times, more especially from the rear. It walks bipodally or on two feet, like a bird, and so much does it resemble a bird in its walk that it seems to be the connecting link between the ancestors of birds and the lizards of today. Where farming can be pursued with profit bees may be successfully kept. A good cluster of bees can resist a very low temperature if thoroughly dry. Tees stored in the cellar require less food to maintain life than those stored outdoors. If the queen is missing, the colony will divide very rapidly in the spring. Frogs are not found in the live district, they are tolerated only from May to November. If you do not want to stir up the bees, do not take a bright light to the cellar. It is well to turn the lamp down low. One must be very careful to open the live only on a warm, sunny day, and the weather is cool, the brood will die to death when exposed.—Farm Journal.

AQUATIC PLANTS. How They May Be Successfully Cultivated in Tubs. The cultivation of aquatic plants in tubs makes it possible for any one to try his skill with them. Of course he need not expect to be able to grow the rarer sorts of nymphs, but he can succeed with many beautiful varieties of water lily and other plants of that class. A half barrel is not very attractive in itself, but its lack of beauty may be concealed by the plants, or it may be sunk its depth in the earth. When it contains a fine specimen of one aquatic plant we will forget all about its lack of grace. When preparing for these plants put in rich black mud from the bed of stream or creek.