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Gagetown, May 23rd, 1899.

Humorous.

Johnny's Excuse.

Mamma—Why, Johnny, how wet your hair is! I hope you haven't been in bathing when I told you you musn't.

Johnny—But I fell into the water, mamma. You can't blame me for that. Mamma—But how does it happen that your clothes are dry?

Johnny—I took them off just before I fell in. "I thought you wouldn't like me to get them all wet.

"Johnny," said Johnnie's little brother, "a fly is a fly, because it flies, isn't it?"

"Yes."

"And a flea is a flea, because it flees, isn't it?"

"Shouldn't wonder."

"Then why are bees bees?"

"Because they be," laughed Johnnie.

Mrs. Potts—I hear, Mrs. Derby, that your husband has two revolvers and a Winchester for any burglars who may call.

Mrs. Derby—He had, but they came the other night and took them.

Half Shot.—Judge—"If I got as intoxicated as you do, I'd shoot myself." Prisoner—"If you was 's tossed as I am you couldn't hitter barn door."—Drake's Magazine.

Hadn't Arrived.

The following paragraph is clipped from a State of Maine exchange:—

An old church member died, of whose goodness there was some question, but who was regarded as a pillar by the pastor, who posted on the church window a notice in these words, "Brother Johnson departed for Heaven at 4.30 A. M." and announced the funeral. Underneath this somebody tacked a telegraph blank with these words: "Heaven, 9.40 P. M. —Johnson not yet arrived. Great anxiety."

The Time Was Up.

Murphy—"I say, Brown, I'll bet you half a crown you can't spell three simple words I'll give you within twenty seconds."

"Done," said Brown, "go ahead."

"Now," proceeded Murphy, "spell 'believe.'"

"Believe."

"Receive."

"Receive."

"Wrong," said Murphy.

"What?" said Brown, angrily. "I am sure that I am—"

"Time is up," said Murphy. "Why didn't you spell the third word 'wrong'?"

"Marriage a failure! I should say not!" remarked an Oregon farmer, whose opinion was desired on one of the great questions of the day.

"Why, there's Lucindy gits up in the mornin', milks four cows, gits breakfast, starts four children to skewl, looks arter the other three, feeds the hens, likewise the hogs, likewise some motherless sheep, skins twenty pans o' milk, washes the clothes, gits dinner, et cetera, et cetera."

"Think I could hire anybody to do it for what she gits? Not much. Marriage, sir, is a success, sir; a great success!"—Youth's Companion.

When Boggs reached home last night he found his better half greatly agitated about a tramp that had come into the house in the afternoon. "He went to the cupboard," said she, "and stole every one of my last batch of buns. I was so frightened that I ran to my room and locked the door."

"Were the buns we had for breakfast of the same batch?" asked Boggs.

"Yes," replied his wife, "and he took every one that was left."

"You needn't fear, Maria," said Boggs, wisely, "if he ate those buns he'll never come within a mile of this house again!"—Grip.

On one occasion when Tom Ochiltree returned home from Congress, there was very little travel upon the railroad, and he was the only person of any consequence on the train. When it stopped at his town there was an unusual crowd around the station, and, naturally enough, he thought it had assembled to welcome him. So he stepped out on the platform and began:

"Gentlemen, I thank you for the hearty demonstration—"

"Demonstration? thunder!" said one of the crowd. "John Dillis has just committed suicide in the station."—Washington Critic.

Miss Beacon (of Boston)—"You Western girls are dreadfully slangy. Do you know I heard a Chicago girl say the other day that she would 'get there with both feet.'"

Mrs. Dearborn—"Yes; we are somewhat given to that sort of thing. Is it true that Boston girls are—ah—as deficient of beauty as they are said to be?"

Miss Beacon—"We may not be handsome; but in the matter of culture we arrive at our destination with both of our pedal extremities."—America.

A young wife remonstrated with her husband, a dissipated spendthrift, on his conduct.

"My love," he said, "I am only the prodigal son—I shall reform by and by."

"And I will be like the prodigal son, too," she replied, "for I will arise and go to my father," and off she went.

MEN OF MARK.

In 1883 three men, now well known, were friends together at the University of Strassburg—Roentgen, Paderewski and Tesla.

Henry Watterson says he began his career as a newspaper publisher just after the rebellion on \$50 obtained by pawning his watch.

The newly elected senator from California, Mr. Bard, is an enthusiastic gardener and has produced two new varieties of roses.

Secretary Long has decided to appoint Commander Seaton Schroeder to be the first naval governor of the Samoan island Tutuila.

Henry A. Marting of Ironton, O., has given \$10,000 to German Wallace college of Baldwin university at Berea, O., in memory of his parents.

The Rev. J. J. Henly of St. Anne's Roman Catholic church, Gloucester, has erected a building for a free public library, started it with a considerable number of books and presented it to the city.

Charles Henry Gibbs is believed to draw a smaller salary than any other man in the government employ. He is keeper of an abandoned lighthouse on Nantucket island and gets \$1 a year for his services.

Hector Macdonald, a major general in the British army in South Africa, has a brother named Patrick, who is assistant superintendent of the central division of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railroad.

Sir Ford North, retired from the judicial bench of England on a pension of £3,500 a year, states that he will devote his remaining days to the pursuit of beetles, moths and butterflies, as entomology has always been his hobby.

M. Anagnos, the principal of the Perkins Institution for the Blind in Boston, will be one of the three United States representatives at the international congress in the interests of the blind to be held in Paris during August.

D. B. Skinner, one of the captors of Jefferson Davis, died at Detroit several days ago. For his share in taking the Confederate leader he received \$320 from the government. He died in poverty and was buried at public expense.

Professor Charles Sprague Smith of the People's Institute, New York, is organizing a social club for deaf mutes. Lectures are to be delivered before the club by noted speakers, the speeches to be translated into the sign language.

President Kruger has been married twice. His first wife died shortly after their marriage. He then married her niece. They were of French descent. Among their ancestors was no less illustrious a personage than Cardinal Richelieu.

Governor Smith of Vermont is one of the few men in the country who own a private locomotive which is fitted up at the same time as an observation car. On the same wheels are carried both the motive power and most luxurious accommodations for eight passengers.

POULTRY POINTERS.

Keep a supply of ground bone and oyster shells where the fowls can always get them.

Do not feed too much at a time nor too often of the same article, nor too long in the same place.

Flaxseed meal fed with other feed makes fowls look sleek and glossy and it helps to clean the skin.

Millet and sorghum seed make a good feed for young poultry, and it used with cornmeal and table scraps will aid in keeping the chickens growing at small cost.

A very poor hen will not lay at all; an overfat one will lay but few eggs, and they will not hatch, while an overfat cock is sterile and not fit to use. Never use a deformed or weak fowl for breeding.

Milk in almost any form is good for poultry. It can be given to young chicks and growing fowls as well as to those that are matured. It should never be made to take the place of water.—St. Louis Republic.

THE CHURCHMEN.

The Rev. John Dow Hills, rector of Christ Episcopal church, Dayton, O., has been appointed university preacher at Cornell university for June 10 next.

Professor Margoliouth of Oxford is one of the greatest scholars in England. He is a vigorous opponent of the higher criticism of the Bible, and, although he is a low churchman, he is a great admirer of Archbishop Laud.

The Rev. Dr. Munnell Van Rensselaer, who was at one time president of Hobart college and who was a direct descendant of the first Rensselaer who settled in this country, died at Lakewood recently after a brief illness. Dr. Van Rensselaer was born in Albany in 1815.

The Rev. Samuel Eliot, the secretary of the American Unitarian association, makes an appeal to Unitarians for nearly \$400,000 to meet various needs of the denomination. Of this sum \$100,000 would be for the erection of a divinity school at Berkeley, Cal., in connection with the University of California.

POLITICAL DEFINITIONS.

Statesman—One who permits his party to exalt itself by promoting him.

Politician—One who coerces his party to dignify itself by honoring him.

Leader—One who discovers which way his party is going, slips around through the back alley and gets up at the front.

Boss—One who plunders his party while making it believe it is glorifying itself by permitting him to be its chief thief.—El Dorado (Kan.) Republican.

Falling Asleep Under Fire.

Writing from Modder River, a private in the 2nd Coldstream Guards says: "I have been through three battles up to now without a scratch."

Nobody has any idea of a battlefield, only those who go through it. It is something awful to see the dead and wounded. You might not credit it, but it's as true as I'm living that at Modder River I saw men falling asleep in the firing line, fairly worn out. We were lying in the hot sand for twelve hours without drink or food, and the heat was unbearable. My company got lost at night, and we had to sleep in larger rocks and "stones, and amongst the dead till morning. I often thought of home and the children."

"Katy, sweep the parlor floor very carefully—I expect a proposal this morning."—Time.

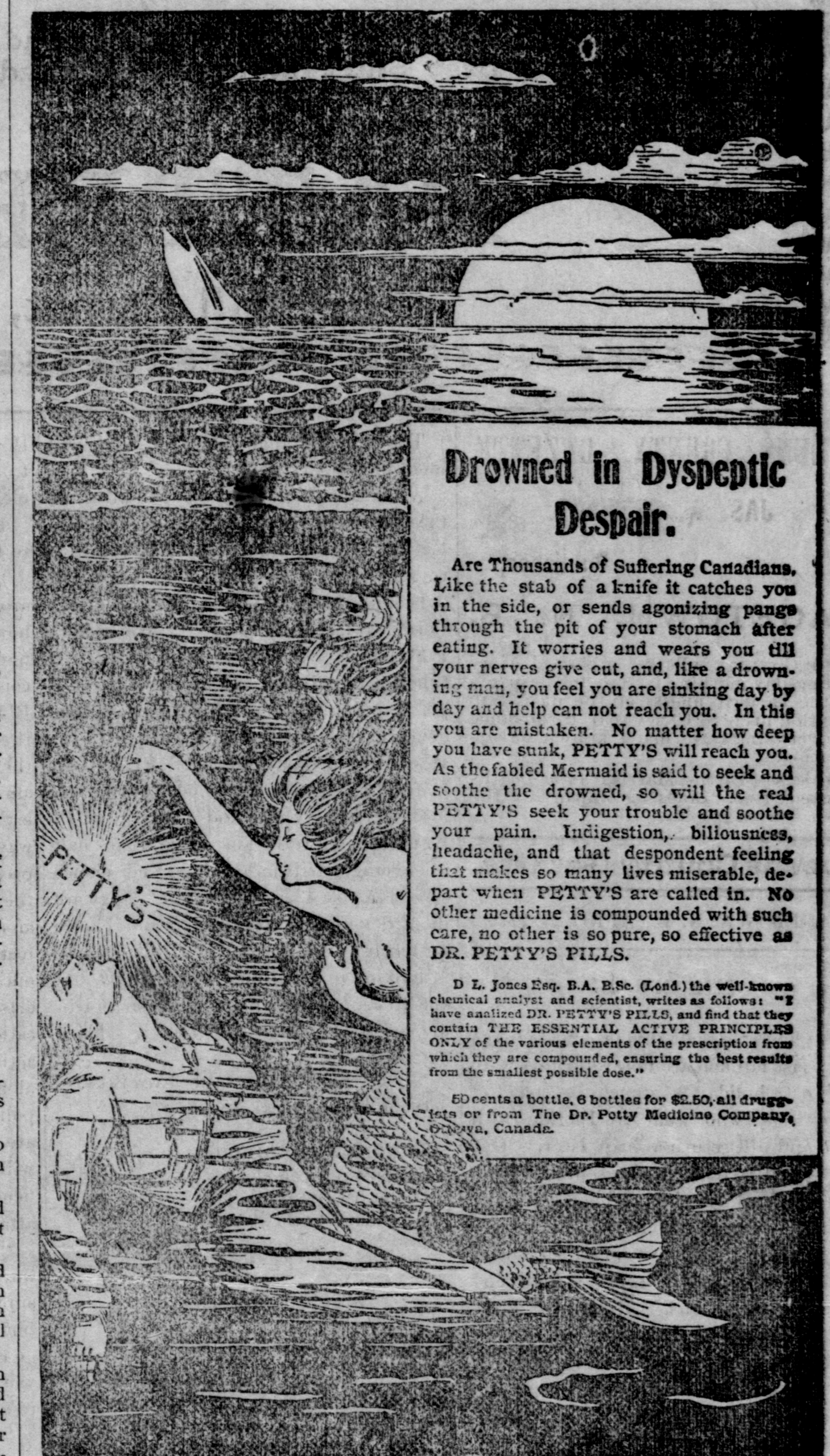
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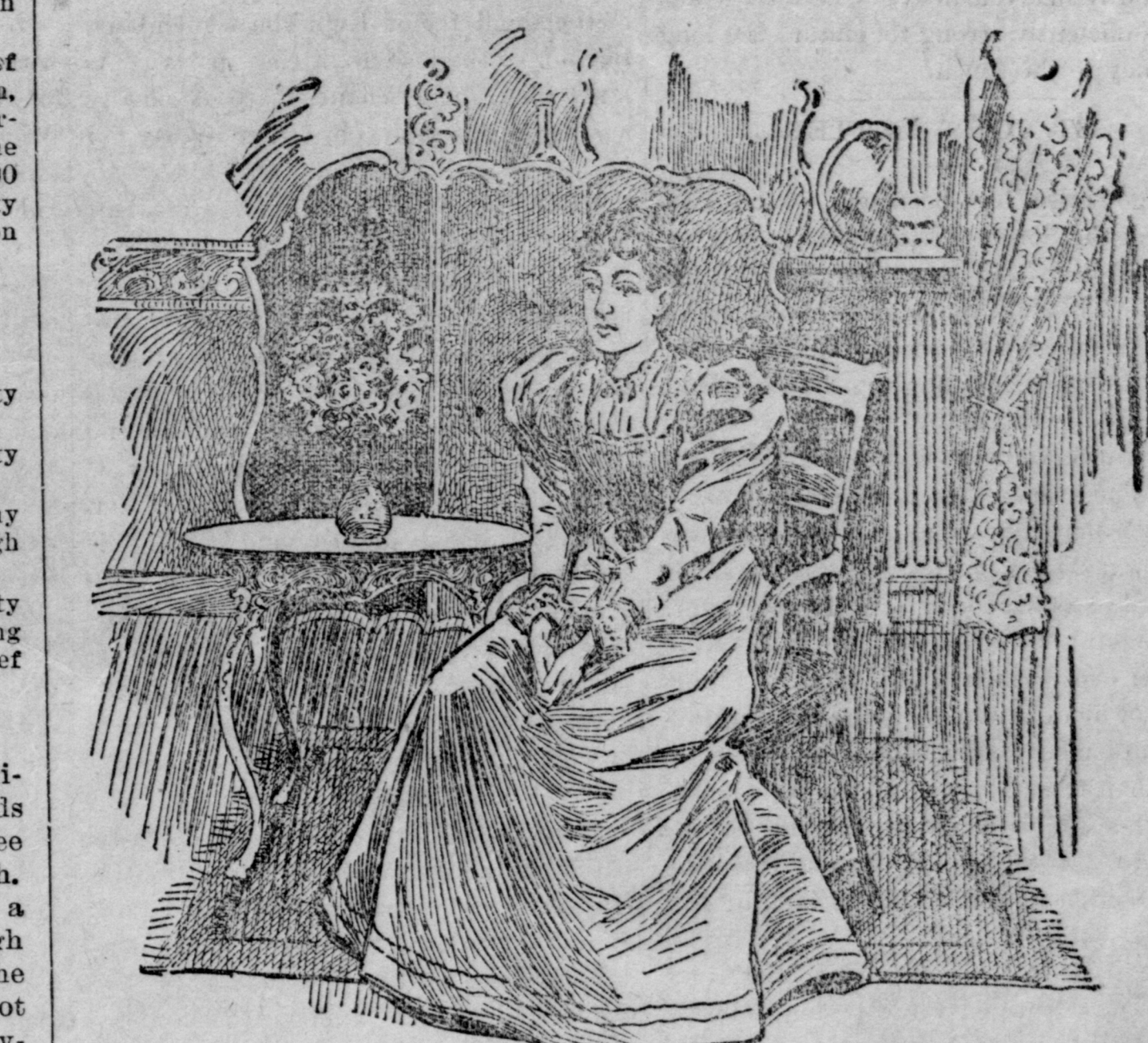
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