

DEATH IN GIANT LIZARD'S BITE.

Performer in Los Angeles Circus in Frightful Agony From Poison.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 14.—Bitten by a Gila monster, a pallid, sweating man was half-carried on the arms of two companions into the Los Angeles central police station late the other afternoon. The reptile had sunk its fangs into the man's forehead a half-hour before.

Men who say that the Gila monster is not poisonous might have learned much had they seen the victim, R. F. Andrews, in convulsions on the receiving hospital operating table. Surgeons labored over him for hours. He may live, though the agony is pitiful. Only the fact that the monster was sluggish because of cold weather will prevent death—if death does not follow.

For the venom of the big lizard is in his saliva. On hot desert lands of Arizona and New Mexico there is much of this fluid. In the clammy snake charmer's pit at Clutesi Park, where Andrews met the accident, conditions are not favorable for this poison.

The monster bit while Andrews was exhibiting it. The victim, though he knew the bite was deadly, made no sign, but wrote a note for aid. The proprietor of the show tried by main force to compel Andrews to stay among the reptiles. Police interference finally prevented this. Andrews told his story between spasms of agony. Intoxicated came when he stiffened on the receiving hospital table. He clenched his teeth in these moments and it required four men to hold him down. Gradually these convulsions passed and the man sank back pale and sweating. Then he would talk rationally—until another spasm came.

In his savage garb Andrews was handling the slimy creatures late in

the afternoon. He knows nothing of snakes, but he did know that the hideous lizard was still deadly. He had always grasped it by the back of the neck when they did their turn together. This time he reached out and took hold in the accustomed place.

The monster stretched out his head, reached about and fastened itself on Andrews' forehead. The man hardly flinched. He made no outcry. He did not want to "spoil the show." He dropped the big lizard and picked up a rattlesnake. The half-dozen spectators sauntered out, bored.

Andrews scrawled a note on a bit of paper and handed it to an attendant as other people came into the place. In it he asked to be relieved and said he had been bitten. When help did not come the man climbed from the pit. He went, he says, to Coleman, an individual, according to Andrews, tried to force him back into the pit. He wanted to fight his snake charmer because the latter wanted his life saved. A special policeman who had heard of the occurrence ordered Coleman to close the show.

The poison was beginning to take hold. Andrews, by the time he had hanged to his street clothes, was dazed and in pain. He did not understand it all, anyway. He knew he had been poisoned. He went to an adjacent restaurant where friends—another showman—ate. He felt sleepy. He ordered a cup of coffee. While he was drinking it nausea came over him. He left the place. He began to realize the horror of the thing. Two friends found him on the sidewalk, weeping. These men bound up Andrews' arm and took him to the receiving hospital.



A MOST FETCHING APRON FOR AFTERNOONS.

No matter whether it is the mistress or the maid who wears an apron, it should be pretty and becoming for afternoons. A pretty one is dotted swiss having ruffles of embroidered edging about the skirt portion and shoulder straps, is sketched. The bib portion is just large enough to protect the front of the bodice yet sufficiently small to be chic and becoming. The shoulder straps are fastened at the top of the bib and at the belt in back. Materials which develop this design prettily are plain muslin, cross-barred muslin, sheer nainsook and material mentioned above. The pattern calls for 1 1/2 yards of 36-inch material in the medium size 6821—sizes, one size. The price of this pattern is 10c.

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Please send the above mentioned pattern, as per directions given below, to

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The great and growing popularity of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is due both to its scientific compounding and to the actual medicinal value of its ingredients. The publication of the names of the ingredients on the wrapper of every bottle sold assures the consumer of its non-alcoholic character and removes all objection to the use of an unknown or secret remedy. It is not a patent medicine nor a secret one either. This fact puts it in a class all by itself, bearing as it does upon the bottle wrapper the Badge of Honesty, in the full list of its ingredients. Many years of active practice convinced Dr. Pierce of the value of many native roots as medicinal agents and he went to great expense, both in time and in money, to perfect his own peculiar processes for rendering them both efficient and safe for tonic, alterative and rebuilding agents.

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Observing a passenger with the unlighted butt of a cigar in his fingers the street car conductor requested him to put it out.

"It is out, you chump," responded the passenger.

"Pardon me," resumed the conductor, "if I have failed to make myself clear. The condition to which I had reference was not of bustion, but of elimination, the eradication, I might say, of the physical presence of your nicotine-laden remnant, this process followed necessarily by cessation of the odor now permeating an atmosphere already somewhat deficient. I fear, in the essential element of ozone. I'm a humble conductor and my aim is to please, you, but, you big porcine stiff, you throw that cigar through the door or I'll throw you and it both. See!"

"Excuse me, professor," replied the passenger meekly, and the incident was closed.

WHEN YOU EAT TOO FAST.

you have indigestion, perhaps cramps or in any case the system is overloaded with matter that should be eliminated. Breath gets bad, eyes look dull, headaches are frequent.

Why not cleanse and purify the whole system, why not strengthen the stomach, enrich the blood and assist your overtaxed digestive organs? Easily done with Dr. Hamilton's Pills; their action is most gratifying. In every case they give the exact assistance the ailing organs require. You'll feel fit and fine, eat with a regular, sleep like a top, have a clear color, and restful sleep if you regulate your system with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Price 25c. per box at all dealers.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope "Tender for Construction," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon of the 14th day of February, 1907, for the work required for the construction, in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications of the Commissioners, for the following sections of the Transcontinental Railway, viz:—

(1) District "A."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners at or near the City of Montreal, westerly to the Province of New Brunswick, westerly for a distance of about 50 miles.

(2) District "B."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners at or near the town of Grand Falls, in the Province of New Brunswick, westerly to the boundary between the Provinces of New Brunswick and Quebec, a distance of about 62 miles.

(3) District "C."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners at or near the Quebec Bridge, easterly for a distance of about 150 miles.

(4) District "D."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners about 150 miles west of the Quebec Bridge westerly to a point known as Weymouth, a distance of about 45 miles.

(5) Districts "E" and "F."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners about eight miles west of the Abitibi River crossing easterly for a distance of about 150 miles.

Plans, profiles and specifications may be seen in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commissioners at Ottawa; also in the offices of the District Engineers concerned, viz.:—Guy C. Dunn, St. John, N. B.; A. E. Doucet, Quebec, P. Q.; and S. R. Poulin, North Bay, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made in duplicate, and on the printed forms supplied by the Commissioners. A separate tender must be submitted for each section.

Tenders shall not be in any way entitled to rely upon the classification or any other information given by any person on behalf of the Commissioners, and before submitting any tender, bidders should make a careful examination of the plans, profiles, drawings and specifications, and read the forms to be executed, and fully inform themselves as to the quantity and quality of materials, and character of workmanship required; and are understood to accept and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions contained in the form of contract, specifications &c., annexed to the form of tender.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of the Dominion of Canada payable to the order of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, as follows:—

For Section No. 1, District "A," \$75,000.
For Section No. 2, District "A," \$200,000.
For Section No. 3, District "B," \$225,000.
For Section No. 4, District "B," \$75,000.
For Section No. 5, Districts "C" and "D," \$225,000.

Any person whose tender is accepted shall, within ten days after the acceptance thereof, furnish such additional approved security as may be required by the Commissioners; sign the contract, specifications and other documents required to be signed by the said Commissioners; and, in any case of refusal or failure on the part of the party whose tender is accepted to complete and execute a contract with the said Commissioners, and to furnish the additional approved security within ten days after the acceptance of the tender, the said cheque shall be forfeited to the Commissioners as liquidated damages for such refusal or failure, and all contract rights acquired by the acceptance of the tender shall be forfeited. The cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are accepted will be deposited to the credit of the Receiver General of Canada as part of the security for the due and faithful performance of the contract according to its terms. Cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are rejected will be returned within ten days after the signing of the contract.

Attention is called to the following clauses in the form of contract:—
"All mechanics, labourers or other persons who perform labour for the purposes of the construction of the works hereby contracted for shall be paid such wages as are generally accepted as current for competent workmen in the district in which the work is being performed, and if there is no current rate in such district, then a fair and reasonable rate; and, in event of a dispute arising as to what is the current or a fair and reasonable rate, it shall be determined by the Commissioners, whose decision shall be final."

"This agreement is subject to the regulations now in force, or which may at any time hereafter be in force during the construction of the works hereby contracted for, made under the authority of the Department of Labour, and which are or shall be applicable to such works." (The schedule of Minimum wages determined upon by said department will form part of the contract.)

"The contractor shall, in connection with the whole of the said work, as far as practicable, use only material, machinery, plant, supplies and rolling stock manufactured or produced in Canada, provided the same can be obtained as cheaply and upon as good terms in Canada as elsewhere, having regard to quality and price."

"The contractor shall conform to the fire regulations adopted by the Commissioners; and also to the laws and

regulations respecting fires in the different Provinces wherein the work is being performed.
The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

By order,
P. E. RYAN,
Secretary.
The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway,
Ottawa, Jan. 5th, 1907.
Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the King's Printer will not be paid for it.
Jan. 11,—d61.

KNIGHTHOOD CAME TO CANADIAN.

Mr. J. A. Ecklin Will Succeed to a Scotch Baronetcy Very Shortly.

It has just come to light that the successor to the title, and what there is left of the estate of Echlin falls to a Canadian. A short time ago Sir Thomas Echlin, seventh Baronet of Clonagh, died and, being unmarried, he was succeeded to the title by his brother Henry, formerly of the 2nd Life Guards. Henry is married but has no male heirs, so if the Baronetcy can fall laterally it will likely descend to the representative of the eldest branch of the family. This is Mr. John A. Echlin of Toronto, who resided in Montreal for some years and is well known in the newspaper world throughout the Dominion.

The Echlin family is of ancient Scottish origin, and were at one time owners of large estates in Scotland. The most notable of those holding the title was Thomas Echlin, of Pittadro, Fife, while another of the ancestors became a Bishop and moved to Ireland. The earlier baronets owned large Irish estates in Kilmaree, Carlow, Dublin, Galway and Mayo, but unfortunately for the present heirs, these have now all been pretty well impoverished and there is little left except the empty title.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY,
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, 1898.
(Seal)

A. W. G. ASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

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Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A member of the Philadelphia bar tells of a queer old character in Altona who for a long time was judge of the police court in that town.

On one occasion, during a session of his court, there was such an amount of conversation and laughter in the court-room that His Honor became very angry and confused. Suddenly in great wrath he shouted:—
"Silence here! We have decided above a dozen cases this morning and I haven't heard a word of one of them."

ROSY CHEEKS FOR PALE GIRLS.

Don't be debarred from strength and spirit, don't give in to illness and despair. Ferrozone supplies tone and vigor through which all functions of womanly life are maintained and fortified. From New Richmond Que., comes the following statement from Mrs. Edouard Boissonault:—"I take deep pleasure in testifying to the powerful influence of Ferrozone. For years my daughter has been pale and sickly—showed signs of advanced anaemia. Her lips got so white and her cheeks so devoid of color I feared consumption. I can certify Ferrozone made an excellent cure, and to-day my daughter's health is the best." 50c. per box at all dealers.

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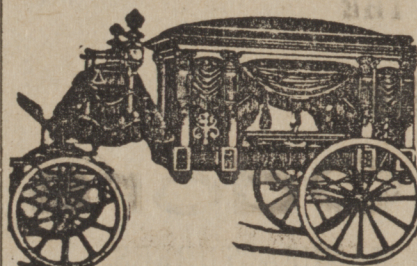
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OTTAWA, Ont.

Architectural Competition for Departmental and Justice Buildings.

Competitive drawings are invited for Departmental and Justice Buildings to be erected for the Dominion Government at Ottawa, Ont.

The author of the best design will be awarded a premium of \$8,000 the second best \$4,000, the third best \$1,000 and the fourth best \$1,000.

Drawings will be received not later than April 15th, 1907, and are to be addressed to the Secretary of the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

This competition is open to Canadian architects who have been resident in Canada for one year or more.

Conditions of competition stating requirements of buildings and maps showing site, etc., may be had on application to the undersigned.

By order,
FRED GELINAS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, December 12, 1906.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from this Department.

Dec. 18—d31.

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Montreal Man Who Gave His Friends Ride on Toboggan That Refused to Stop.

Montreal Star:—"A sporting event that recurs most to a person's mind after a lapse of a number of years, as one in which he has taken part," said Mr. J. M. Fortier. "I remember 'twas in the year of the very great Carnival and Ice Palace in Montreal, and everybody that owned either a pair of skates, snowshoes or a toboggan was having a high old time, and I myself enjoyed the sports like a youngster."

It fell to my lot to take the Governor-General down the Jacques Cartier slide on my toboggan, and in honor of the occasion I had the bottom of my craft burnished until it shone like a mirror, and the Governor-General was immensely pleased at the exhilarating ride I gave him. The following day, wishing to show off the speed of my toboggan to my friends, I proudly invited some visitors from New York to accompany me on a trip down the Montreal slide. Mr. and Mrs. Acobin, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Schiefer accepted the invitation, and we repaired to the top of the slide. As I have already said, the bottom of the toboggan was exceptionally slippery, warranted to run even over an asphalt incline. Well, we ensconced ourselves on the cushioned boards, and I took the position behind, and pushing off, we commenced our descent. From the first I noticed that the air was humming past in a frightful manner, and I began to shake. Would anything occur? I looked anxiously ahead to see if our passage was obstructed in any way, but no, the slide was perfectly smooth, and the sun shone on the surface, almost blinding us. As we gathered way the ladies in the front began to gasp with the pressure of air on their faces, and we shot down at a terrific speed. The end of the slide approaching, my fears abated somewhat. The place at which the toboggans of average speed usually stopped, however, flashed past, and still we continued on our mad career, houses being scarce in that vicinity at that time. Past fences we hurried, sometimes grazing them, and my heart leaped up near the region of my tongue, as I thought of the consequences were we to strike one of these snags. Luck was with us, however, and the right kind of luck, for finally with a prayer of thankfulness for our narrow escape, we slowed down somewhere near St. Catherine street, and we were able to stop our selves. The ladies, despite the terrible ordeal, were a long way from fainting, and now that there was no danger, they even ventured a little laugh, but I must say, I would not undertake that ride again for a thousand dollars."

ROULETTE COSTS LEITER \$133,000.

Returned Gambler From Cuba Tells Why He Left Havana Without Delay.

New York, Jan. 14.—By the return of a well known gambler to Broadway, loudly declaiming Frank Burbridge and his Cuban club at Havana, there is revealed a story of a loss of \$133,000 at roulette by Joseph Leiter in the establishment of Burbridge. The story is told by Owen C. Parr, a gentleman well known among the gambling fraternity. "I rode the ball the night that Mr. Leiter lost \$133,000. He knew me and had confidence in me. When he finished he gave three notes for the whole amount to Burbridge, but Burbridge demurred to this. He said he knew the notes were good and the interest was enough to want him to keep the claim as long as he could."

WHY MR. PARR RETURNED.
Incidentally, Mr. Parr tells why he returned to New York after making only a short stay in Cuba. "The law in Havana is very peculiar regarding gambling and kindred offences," says Mr. Parr. "For second offences they can give you practically anything they want to. I did not know it at the time, but when I went there I was held out as one of the

owners of the club as well as a member, instead of being merely a paid employee. I represented Burbridge in everything. The success of the club was great from the beginning. The profits were enormous and they were sure. All went well until one night we were unfortunate enough to win \$28,000 from the relative of an owner of a newspaper in Havana. The newspaper opened up on us soon after.

"All you need down there to gain a conviction is to be able to swear you saw the game in operation."

"One night I was rolling the ball to roulette for Hattie Forsythe, an American corus girl, and a party of cubans, when I saw a liddier up in the window and saw me at work. I was told they were after me, and I started to make arrangements to escape. I had to cross the island and get to Jamaica from some other port, as Havana was immediately guarded. I went to Burbridge for the money necessary to blind certain officials and other expenses, and to my surprise, he only gave me \$75. I had to take this and get back to New York somehow."

An early morning customer in an optician's shop was a young woman with a determined air. She addressed the first salesman she saw:

"I want to look at a pair of eye-

glasses, sir, of extra magnifying power."

"Yes, ma'am," replied the salesman, "something very strong?"