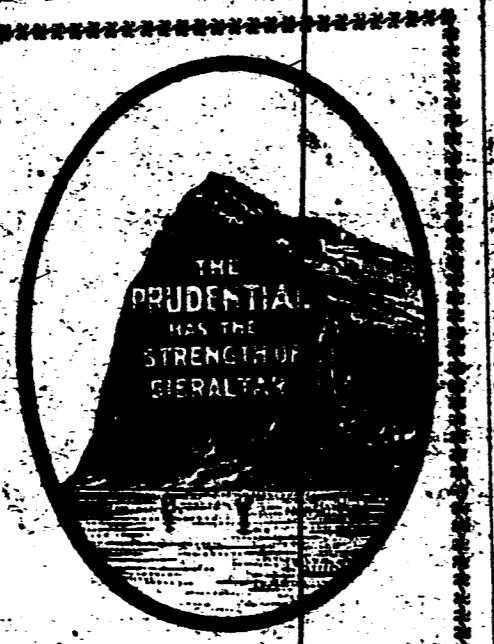


# Friday's Evening Record.

MAY'S LANDING, ATLANTIC COUNTY, N. J., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1904



**The Prudential**  
INSURANCE CO. OF AMERICA, Home Office, Newark, N. J.

**GOOD Stories**  
ILLUMINATING THE STAGE  
Ancient and Modern Lighting Appliances Used in Theaters.  
The theater-going public is familiar with the man who runs the lights. They see him in the balcony making some adjustments. But it doesn't stop to think about people who have laid awake nights perfecting stage lighting. Newspaper accounts of the Iroquois Theater horror, as is true of all big stories, trace the way to a solution. Technical terms comparative to meanings is not the only person to whom these terms are Greek. The "spot light" is a small handy candle fitted with powerful lenses and throws a clear strong light on a scene, following her wherever she fits, to any remote corner of the stage. For years they were kept in the balcony, but of late have been taken behind the scenes.



... how to use them. The spot light is used in a variety of ways. It is used to focus attention on a particular actor or scene. It is used to create a dramatic effect. It is used to highlight important details. It is used to create a sense of atmosphere. It is used to create a sense of depth. It is used to create a sense of movement. It is used to create a sense of time. It is used to create a sense of place. It is used to create a sense of mood. It is used to create a sense of tension. It is used to create a sense of release. It is used to create a sense of surprise. It is used to create a sense of mystery. It is used to create a sense of wonder. It is used to create a sense of awe. It is used to create a sense of excitement. It is used to create a sense of joy. It is used to create a sense of sorrow. It is used to create a sense of anger. It is used to create a sense of fear. It is used to create a sense of hope. It is used to create a sense of despair. 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**EYES**  
"His hair two eyes, soft and brown,  
For tender, thought and gleaming blue,  
Commanded me to the eyes of blue,  
For heaven's sake of sweet surprise,  
Blue eyes! Blue eyes!  
For rosy lips and sharp attack  
Commanded me to the eyes of blue,  
For heaven's sake of sweet surprise,  
Blue eyes! Blue eyes!  
For grit to stand by what they say,  
Command me to the eyes of blue,  
For heaven's sake of sweet surprise,  
Blue eyes! Blue eyes!

## A NOVEL COURTSHIP

It was three days before Christmas that she was walking up the avenue...  
"For me, I mean," he added. He lowered his voice. Although this was hardly necessary, as three wimps on their right—the left—were discussing the opera. "I shall never be able to see you alone," he said.

While he was engaged in his reflections...  
"Ah, old man, whether away? But I think I can guess," said that snappy individual, looking him over critically. "Well, Denahy, if you have any money, you might as well drop in here. I've just come from the bank. And, by the way, you're wanted."

**Science and Invention**  
London produces ten fanatics per day; New York nearly as many, with greater proportionate increase.  
The well-lighting Bunson burner of a German chemist depends upon the igniting effect of a pellet of palladium sponge, which is passed over the electrode at the tap is opened.

## SEVENTY YEARS OF CAB

Hansom First Appeared in London Three Score and Ten Years Since.  
On Christmas day seventy years ago Hansom cabs were first used in London. The fact that the art is probably as old as many of the learned professions new, known. The making of false teeth and the filling of dental cavities is so ancient a trade that it reaches far back beyond the bounds of history, although it has generally been considered as a science of modern origin.

## THEATRE FLOATS ON SCOW

How People Along Three Great Rivers Are Supplied with Amusements.  
A floating theater, designed to supply the towns along the Ohio, Mississippi and Missouri rivers with dramatic and musical entertainments, has recently been constructed and is about to start on its journey. Its seating capacity is for 1,000 people and there are boxes for the elite and a pit for the orchestra.

## Free From "Help"

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## How to Use Them

Don't bring worry to the table. Don't bring grief to the table. Don't bring trouble to the table. Don't bring sorrow to the table. Don't bring pain to the table. Don't bring distress to the table. Don't bring anxiety to the table. Don't bring care to the table. Don't bring worry to the table. Don't bring grief to the table. Don't bring trouble to the table. Don't bring sorrow to the table. Don't bring pain to the table. Don't bring distress to the table. Don't bring anxiety to the table. Don't bring care to the table.

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OLD TIME BASEBALL

IT WAS NOT SCIENTIFIC AND FEW RULES WERE OBSERVED.

The Better Was Known as the Paddock... Time will not turn back in its flight...

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Daniel Lambert, Who Died in 1900, Got Two Ounces to Weigh.

The fame of Daniel Lambert as a champion among fat men in England...

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Indigestion Causes Catarrh of the Stomach.

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relieves all inflammation of the mucous membrane lining the stomach...

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You will pass a good many milestones on the road to prosperity by the end of this year...

Nothing has ever equalled it. Nothing can ever surpass it.

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Men's and Childrens' Suits and Overcoats. \$8.00 Men's Suits and Overcoats, for \$4.75...

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Worsted and Cheviot, for 98c., \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.00. Worth double.

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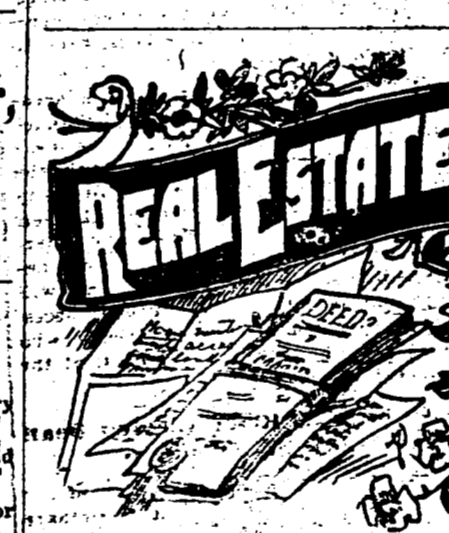
Men's Heavy Fleece Underwear. For this sale 39c. Men's Heavy Wool Hose. For this sale 1.00.

GREAT VALUE IN SHOES

Boys' Solid Leather Shoes, 9 to 12, for this sale 69c. Youths' Solid Leather Shoes, 2 to 5, for this sale 89c.

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About your money. Put it in a place where it will absolutely save and fruitful - then set doubt at rest.

Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent

THE ATLANTIC COUNTY ELECTRIC CO. Rates for Lighting Until Further Notice.

Mendel's

OF CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

We offer to our many

Sale the largest and best goods in the County at Cut Overcoat down to a Collar...

Men's Heavy Overcoats now \$4.50, worth \$7.50

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Boys Suits now \$1.00, were \$1.75

Boys Suits now \$2.00, were \$2.75. Boys Fine Suits, now \$2.50, were \$3.50.

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What a Lie This.

The madness of suicide as a relief from mental anguish was vividly illustrated years ago by an incident which occurred in an Italian town.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Anna J. Michel deceased. Pursuant to the order of Emmanuel C. Shannar, Surrogate of the County of Atlantic...

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**A LITTLE WHILE.**

A little while A week, a month, a day,  
Or bright or shadowed years  
Made glad with love, dear love, or  
fraught with tears;  
And we shall learn the secret, find the  
way  
To crown our hopes, or justify our  
fears;  
For aye—for aye.

A little while, dear love, and you and I  
Our waning day will close—  
Then will the spirit whisper where it  
goes,  
Its dwelling perished; bid the world  
good-by  
And vanish—as the perfume of the  
rose,  
Or as a sigh.

A little while, a very little while!  
The days—the days fly fast—  
Then, portion of the sunlight or the  
blast,  
How shall we know, with neither word  
nor smile  
To tell us, we have met again—and  
passed—  
Unseen the while.

Oh, such a little while, sweetheart, says  
we  
To gentle be and kind!  
We shall blend into the vagrant  
wind,  
Shall mingle with the never-sleeping  
sea—  
Then, ever-seeking—shall we ever find?  
I—you; you—me?  
—E. H. Southern in Metropolitan Maga-  
zine.

**Across His Path**

WELL, my lad, it's good to have  
you back once more."

"Thanks, Uncle Hervey; it's  
of you to say so."

"Naturally better?"

"Never felt better  
nothing like New

claimed Sir  
affection  
nerved

verse? With grandiloquence he tried  
to cover his embarrassment, but Adel-  
aide Wolverton was not deceived. She  
knew, and knew also that Ralston was  
aware of her knowledge, that their  
meeting had proved no ordinary one.  
For love had awakened, a love that  
would never sleep again.

"I see," she said, slowly unfurling  
her fan, "your emotion is due merely  
to gratitude. Mr. Ralston, how long  
have you been away from England?"  
The change of tone and subject was  
not lost upon Ralston. They had been  
treading on delicate ground, and,  
thankful for the deviation, he replied:  
"Two years this month, but it seems  
like four—I have seen and done so  
much in the time."

Turning to the girl beside him he  
noted the shade of bitterness that had  
crept over her face, and somehow as  
he looked he knew that she was not  
happy in her engagement. A wave of  
pity for Sir Hervey welled up in his  
heart, for the baronet idolized his  
young betrothed.

Sir Hervey Ralston, honorable and  
clear-souled himself, incapable of sub-  
terfuge or pretense, was never ready  
to imagine evil of any shape in others,  
and if during the weeks that followed  
it seemed to him that Adelaide grew  
more and more impassive, while a spir-  
it of unrest had seized upon his  
nephew, he strove to see no manner of  
connection.

And what about Hugh?  
At one and the same time had the  
gates of heaven and hell been opened  
to him, and he reveled in his bliss  
only to writhe in the agony involved.  
No words on the subject had he and  
Adelaide exchanged, thus far they had  
been loyal to Sir Hervey. But Hugh  
smiled bitterly as he acknowledged to  
himself the limitations of that loyalty.  
None knew better than he the subtlety  
of love's confessions.

On the evening of the last day in  
March he waited nervously for his  
uncle's approach to the smoking room,  
which had been the scene of many a  
confidential talk before his voyage to  
New Zealand. Sir Hervey's step  
seemed to have lost its lightness, or  
so it seemed to Hugh, as he listened to  
it drawing near. He was later, to be  
drawing him than was his wont. Had  
suspicion crossed his mind? Were  
the lights of next week's happiness  
or were they shadowed by a  
mistakable cloud?

wondered, but said  
entered the room.  
precision  
ated him-  
in the



**Mrs. Haskell, Worthy Vice Templar, Inde-  
pendent Order Good Templars, of Silver  
Lake, Mass., tells of her cure by the use of  
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: Four years ago I was nearly dead with inflam-  
mation and ulceration. I endured daily untold agony, and life was a burden  
to me. I had used medicines and washes internally and externally until I  
made up my mind that there was no relief for me. Calling at the home of a  
friend, I noticed a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.  
My friend endorsed it highly and I decided to give it a trial to see if it would  
help me. It took patience and perseverance for I was in bad condition, and I  
used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for nearly five months  
before I was cured, but what a change, from despair to happiness, from  
misery to the delightful exhilarating feeling health always brings. I would  
not change back for a thousand dollars, and your Vegetable Compound is a  
grand medicine.

"I wish every sick woman would try it and be convinced."—Mrs. INA  
HASKELL, Silver Lake, Mass. Worthy Vice Templar, Independent Order of  
Good Templars.

When a medicine has been successful in more than a million  
cases, is it justice to yourself to say, without trying it, "I do not  
believe it would help me"?

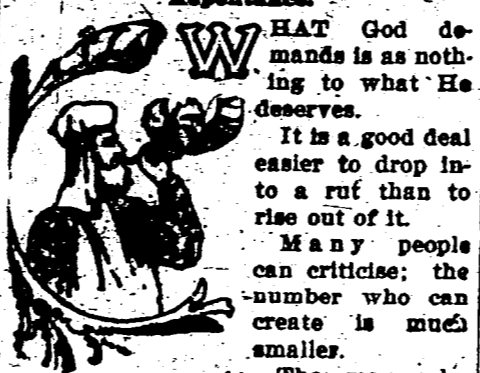
Surely you cannot wish to remain weak, and sick and dis-  
couraged, exhausted with each day's work. You have some  
derangement of the feminine organism, and Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound will help you just as surely as it has others.

**Mrs. Tillie Hart, of Larimore, N. D., says:**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: I might have been  
spared many months of suffering and pain if I  
had known of the efficacy of Lydia E. Pink-  
ham's Vegetable Compound a few months  
sooner, for I tried many remedies without find-  
ing anything which helped me before I tried the  
Vegetable Compound. I dreaded the  
of the menstrual period ever  
meant much suffering and pain  
the flow was very scanty and  
fuse, but after I had used  
two months I became regular  
I continued until I felt per-

**RAM'S HORN BLASTS.**

Warning Notes Calling the Wicked to  
Repentance.



WHAT God de-  
mands is as noth-  
ing to what He  
deserves.  
It is a good deal  
easier to drop in-  
to a rut than to  
rise out of it.  
Many people  
can criticize; the  
number who can  
create is much  
smaller.  
The man who  
thinks he is drifting at pleasure is  
really driven by passion.

When you want to move an obstacle  
a push is a good sort of a prayer.  
God is never afraid of putting a life-  
time of training into an hour's service.  
Better a bare board with the bless-  
ing of God than His curse on a full  
one.

The people in the pews are willing  
to work if they can do it on the plat-  
form.  
How can the city smell sweet so  
long as the saloon-sewer stands wide  
open?  
Men who make a business of religion  
are not likely to make a religion of  
business.  
To have the courage of our Captain  
is better than the courage of our  
convictions.  
There is no merit in making the devil  
go to church when you take him in  
your heart.  
The man who is always ready to  
taper off always wears a ruddy tapper  
on his nose.

The man in the mirror is the one  
most completely deceived by the mask  
of hypocrisy.  
The most painful things about this  
world teach us the most precious things  
about another.  
Destructive criticism withers wher-  
ever the light of the Cross shines on  
the pages of the Word.

There would be fewer farewell ser-  
mons if men preached as though each  
one might be his farewell.  
Pulpit arguments are apt to watch the  
noise they make instead of the mark  
they are supposed to aim at.  
The refusal of the saloon to give  
credit to its own creatures is a plain  
commentary on the character of its  
workmanship.

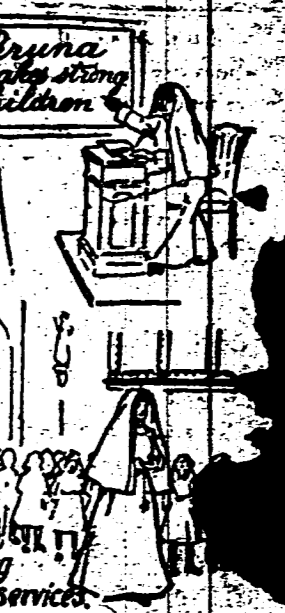
**WORK JUST AFTER A MEAL.**

Practice is necessary to both...

**SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH**  
"RELY ON PE-RU-NA TO FIGHT  
**CATARRH, COUGHS, COLDS, GRIP**



*Peruna for coughs  
and colds in children.*  
**SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH**  
Use Pe-ru-na for La Grippe and  
Winter Catarrh.



IN EVERY country of the civilized  
world the Sisters of Charity are known.  
Not only do they minister to the spiritual  
and intellectual needs of the charges com-  
mitted to their care, but they also minister  
to their bodily needs.  
Whenever coughs or colds, la grippe or  
pneumonia make their appearance among  
the children these Sisters are not discon-  
certed, but know exactly the remedies to  
apply.  
With so many children to take care of  
and to protect from climate and disease  
these wise and prudent Sisters have found  
Peruna a never-failing safeguard.

Sisters of St. Joseph, of the Deaf Mute Institute, 1849 Cass Ave., St. Louis,  
Mo., writes:  
"We appreciate Peruna very much. It certainly does good work  
with catarrh and also with colds and la grippe. We have faith in Pe-  
runa and have inspired many others with same. We do not like to be  
without it. It has certainly kept us from being very sick. It did a  
world of good last winter for our little ones. Thanking you for your  
kindness to us and our afflicted ones; we remain, yours gratefully,  
"SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH."

Dr. Hartman receives many letters from  
Catholic Sisters from all over the United  
States. A recommendation recently received  
from a Catholic institution in Detroit,  
Mich., reads as follows:  
**Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio:**  
"Dear Sir:—The young girl who used  
the Peruna was suffering from laryn-  
gitis, and loss of voice. The result of  
the treatment was most satisfactory.  
She found great relief, and after  
further use of the medicine we hope  
to be able to say she is entirely cured."  
Sisters of Charity.

This young girl was under the care of  
the Sisters of Charity and used Peruna  
for catarrh of the throat.

"We began to use it and experienced  
such wonderful results that since then Pe-  
runa has become our favorite medicine for  
influenza, catarrh, cold, cough and bron-  
chitis."  
Another recommendation from a Cath-  
olic institution of one of the Central  
States written by the Sister Superior  
reads as follows:  
"A number of years ago our attention  
was called to Dr. Hartman's Peruna, and  
since then we have used it with wonderful  
results for grip, coughs, colds and ca-  
tarrhal diseases of the head and stomach.  
For grip, colds, catarrh especially  
it has been a great blessing."

me to try Peruna. After using two bottles  
I found myself very much improved. The  
remains of my old disease being now so  
slight, I consider myself cured, yet for a  
while I intend to continue the use of Pe-  
runa. I am now treating another patient  
with your medicine. She has been sick  
with malaria and troubled with leucorrhoea.  
I have no doubt that a cure will be speed-  
ily effected."

These are samples of letters received  
by Dr. Hartman from the various  
orders of Catholic Sisters throughout  
the United States.

The names and addresses to these let-  
ters have been withheld from respect to  
the Sisters, but will be furnished on re-  
quest.  
One-half of the diseases which  
mankind are due to some catarrh  
derangement of the mucous membrane  
some organ or passage of the body.  
A remedy that would act immediately  
upon the congested mucous membrane, re-  
storing it to its normal state, would con-  
sequently cure all these diseases. Catarrh  
is a disease wherever located, whether it be

medicines, and it  
gives me pleasure to  
add my praise to  
that of thousands  
who have used it.  
For years I suf-  
fered with catarrh  
of the stomach, all remedies  
proving valueless for relief.  
Last spring I went to Colo-  
rado, hoping to be benefited  
by a change of climate, and  
while there a friend advised  
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The laugh with which he ended was not a natural one, and his lip quivered under the fair mustache. The undivided affection of many years' standing, affection that between uncle and nephew was almost unique, was undivided no longer.

A drive of half an hour brought them to Sir Hervey's house.

"H'h" observed Ralston, with a glance at the newly painted front. "Festive arrangements beginning early. Which is the happy day?"

"The 6th of April," replied Sir Hervey, leading the way into the house.

"And this is the 10th of February; it will be here in no time."

"I am glad you are back before April, lad. I began to think Dunedin was to claim you as a permanency, and I want you as best man for the occasion."

Hugh Ralston's eyes shone with pride. "I feel honored, Uncle Hervey. Any pretty bridesmaids to the fore?"

"You will probably meet one or two of them this evening. We have not much time to lose. You know your room."

Lady Wolverton's receptions were always well attended. In her position as queen of the society in which she moved she had been ably seconded by her daughter, Adelaide, whose engagement to Sir Hervey Ralston she viewed with unalloyed delight. His immense wealth was an undisputed fact, their own poverty being known only to mother and daughter. How much of the achievement of Sir Hervey's desire had been due to the maternal pressure brought to bear upon the girl was not realized by the latter herself, so subtle and ingenious had Lady Wolverton's tactics been.

"Now for the fray," murmured young Ralston as they mounted the staircase; "the usual crush is evidently in store."

They had entered the reception room and there, standing under the friendly light of a hanging lamp, Ralston saw the most beautiful girl he had ever in his life beheld.

"Ah!" exclaimed Sir Hervey, the blood coursing through his veins with a rapidity almost boyish. "Come, Hugh, and let me have the pleasure of presenting you; it is one to which I have long looked forward."

Adelaide Wolverton had seen them and was ready with a gracious welcome for the nephew about whom she had heard so much.

"And this is Hugh?" she said. "You must not expect me to call you anything else, for your name has become a household word among us, has it not?" She turned to Sir Hervey, who met the shy, sweet glance with one of gratitude. That these two, whom he loved better than all the world besides, should be friends was his one desire—a desire that seemed likely to be fulfilled as the evening wore away.

"Call me," said Adelaide Wolverton some two hours later, "that you do not look upon me as an interloper. I was desperately afraid of you before I saw you."

Ralston laughed. "And what did you fear in me?" he asked.

"I feared your jealousy," was the prompt reply, "for I knew how much you and Sir Hervey had been to each other. Jealous people are so unreasonable, are they not?"

"So I should imagine."

"Ah, the conditional mood! That is delightful. Then you do not bear me any ill will?"

Ralston looked at the captured face and retained: "TH WHI? How could I bear you anything but the best?"

He bought the Alvin Theatre and a Big Block of Pittsburgh Realty.

Mr. B. F. Keith has just completed a very important deal, both in theatrical property and real estate. In addition to the purchase of the famous Alvin Theatre, in Pittsburgh, lately owned by Nixon & Zimmerman, and recognized in theatrical circles as one of the best and most prosperous houses in the country, Mr. Keith also purchased from Henry W. Oliver's estate a large plot of land on Fifth avenue, between Wood and Smithfield streets. The property has a frontage of thirty feet on Fifth avenue, in the very heart of the city, and runs back to Diamond street. It is a most ideal site for a theatre, and located about the same as Mr. Keith's Boston and Philadelphia houses are in those cities, in the very heart of the shopping and promenade district.

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**His Reason.**

"No, sir, I don't believe in war," cried the little man by the car stove. "It means invasion and confiscation and a forcible and brutal alteration of existing boundaries."

The man across the way turned to his companion and asked in a whisper who the little man was.

"He is a mapmaker," the companion whisperingly replied, "and he's got an immense stock of old maps on hand."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Mother—Bobby, you mustn't run your little engine on Sunday.  
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**An Inauspicious.**

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**PRIVATE HOOK'S ZULU FIGHT**

How He Earned Medals Against Lots and Flame.

I was coming out of the British Museum reading room when I met him first—a short, broad-shouldered, kindly-looking man in a uniform something between that of a recruiting sergeant and an undertaker's mate. He was handing me back my umbrella in return for a check, when one of the two medals shining on the breast of his dark uniform caught my eye.

"Hello!" I exclaimed, and my excitement and interest must have been very boyishly in evidence, for the old man smiled at me as I spoke. "Isn't that the Cross you're wearing?"

"Yes, sir."

"And the Zulu medal beside it—why, you must be Sergeant Hook?"

He smiled again—a pleasant, tired smile. "I'm all that's left of him, sir."

What a difference! This man who handed me my umbrella and called me "sir" was the same who, with blazing rafter overhead and all hell loose in front, stood fighting single-handed in defense of the wounded and dying on the long ago day in the little hospital of Rorke's drift. The story of the fight is well known; I will give Mr. Hook's account of it, as near as may be, in his own words:

"I was placed in one of the corner rooms of the hospital, the Zulus kept drawing closer and closer, and I went on firing, killing several of them. At last they got close up, setting fire to the hospital. There was only one patient in my room. He had a broken leg and was burned, poor fellow; for while I was shooting the flames became so fierce that I could not have him. At first I had a comrade but he left after a time and was killed on his way to the inner trenches.

"When I was out of this room I retired by a partition door into the next room, where there were several patients. For a few minutes I was the only fighting man there. A man of the Twenty-fourth came to me from another room with a bullet wound in his arm. I tied it up. Then John Williams came and made a hole in the partition, through which he helped the sick and wounded men. While he was doing this the Zulus beat in the door and tried to enter. I stood at the side and shot and bayoneted several—I could not tell how many. But there were five or six lying at my feet. They threw themselves continually, but only one got in, and that inflicted a scalp wound which I did not think worth reporting. In fact, I did not feel the wound at the time. One Zulu seized my rifle and tried to fire it. I shot him in the chest and he fell dead. I never saw him again, and I don't know how he got away."

He then a Zulu would make a dash to the door and try to get out. I shot him down and he fell dead. I never saw him again, and I don't know how he got away."

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