

GREAT SHADES OF YOUR UNCLE SAGE HARKEN TO THIS

Widow of the Great Financier
Is Cutting into the Big Fortune at the Rate of \$25,000 Per Day.

OVER TWENTY-FIVE MILLIONS EXPENDED

Mrs. Sage Is Donating Liberally to Public Purposes and Threatens to Give Away Entire Fortune.

New York, June 9.—In less than three years, Mrs. Russell Sage has spent more than \$25,000,000 for public purposes and the benefit of mankind. The recent investigation abroad of the question of workingmen's insurance, and the establishment of a gigantic employment bureau, calls attention anew to her prolific bounty. It took Russell Sage 50 years to get \$65,000,000. This great sum represented the pinching and scraping together of what amounted to \$3,500 a day for the lifetime of the astute financier.

Gives \$25,000 a Day.

Mrs. Sage is now giving away the fortune at the rate of \$25,000 a day. If the widow continues her charities at the pace she has set, all will be gone in five years.

Comparison of the financier's power to make money with Mrs. Sage's faculty of giving it away, shows that the widow is giving \$2 in the same time that it took Mr. Sage to accumulate the proverbial "thirty cents."

"Large as Mrs. Russell Sage's fortune is, it hardly could cover the cost of insuring all of the workingmen in America," said John M. Glenn, secretary and director of the \$10,000,000 Russell Sage foundation, when asked concerning a rumor that the widow of the great financier contemplated endowing a great insurance for American workingmen.

At Home and Abroad.

"But, with funds from the Sage foundation, we have conducted a careful study of workingmen's insurance at home and abroad," he added. "This work has been going on for more than a year under the direction of Dr. Lee K. Frankel, formerly general manager of the United Hebrew Charities, assisted by Miles M. Dawson, the actuary. These gentlemen shortly will make their report."

Dr. Frankel and Mr. Dawson have visited Germany, France, Belgium, England. They made inquiry into all forms of workingmen's insurance. The result of their investigation will be far-reaching, and it is regarded as not at all improbable that Mrs. Sage, in cooperation with some of the large employers of this country, will subscribe to the installation of a real workingmen's insurance, possibly compulsory on the tollers and under government supervision.

When Mrs. Sage, after the death of her husband, set about distributing her wealth, the causes of education and religion and the amelioration of human misery, appealed most strongly to her. To educational institutions she recently has given nearly \$5,000,000; to religious work, something like \$2,500,000; to the Sage foundation, \$10,000,000, while the remainder has gone to works of a semi-religious and educational character. Mrs. Sage has tried to place her money where it would do the greatest good to the greatest number.

Some of Her Big Gifts.

Here are some of the principal gifts of Mrs. Sage:

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, endowment and building of the Russell Sage Laboratory \$1,250,000

Emma Willard School at Troy N. Y., endowment and building of Russell Sage Hall 1,125,000

Teachers' College of Syracuse University 100,000

New York University 350,000

Princeton University for a dormitory 250,000

The Syrian Protestant College, Beirut, Asia Minor 100,000

Gift of Constitution Island in Hudson River, off West Point to the United States

government	100,000
Music hall and chapel for the Northfield (Mass.) Seminary for young ladies	150,000
Naval Young Men's Christian Association of Brooklyn	200,000
Long Island Railroad Young Men's Christian Association	100,000
The Young Men's Christian Association, international committee	350,000
Young Woman's Christian Association of St. Paul, Minn.	20,000
Institute for seamen, in West street	150,000
American Bible Society, permanent endowment fund	500,000
Association for the Relief of Respectable Aged and Indigent Females	300,000
Institute of Pathology on Blackwell's Island	200,000
Playground for children at Sag Harbor, L. I.	75,000
Margaret Sage Industrial Home	150,000
Village of Sag Harbor	125,000
Pierpont High School	100,000
The Russell and Olivia Sage Memorial Church at Far Rockaway, L. I.	400,000

TWO TOPICS OF PRESENT IMPORTANCE

Two of the most important topics of present conversation are, who will be our next president, and Root Juice, but Root Juice seems to have the advantage, and why not? Personal health is and should be one of the greatest considerations of life, and as so many local people are praising the new remedy, Root Juice, it is not surprising that so many of the afflicted people of this county are so eager to talk about it and get all of the information they can in relation to the many remarkable cures it has made and is making. It invariably proves a great and agreeable surprise to weak, nervous, dyspeptic, constipated people, after for using it for a short while the soothing, healing and tonic properties of the wonderful remedy removes irritated and sore conditions from the linings of the stomach, bowels and bladder, heals and strengthens the liver and kidneys to healthy action, resulting in a good appetite, food well digested, bowels regular, good, rich blood, free from rheumatic poison and it soon nourishes and strengthens the whole nervous system. The people at the drug store are proud of the wonderful merits of Root Juice, and gladly tell all interested of much of the great good it is doing here. A. G. Luken & Co's drug store.

THE SMART DRUMMER.

There Was Something Coming to Him, and He Got It.

"Gentlemen," said the drummer of druggists' sundries as he looked around on the half dozen men who were asking him for the latest story, "I believe I have got about 40 different feelings in my life, and the balances one of all was the feeling that I had something coming to me and would get it if I stayed on the road long enough."

"And have you got it?" was asked.

"I have. I got it coming into Chicago. I was very comfortable in my Pullman when a young man came along and told me a pitiful story and wanted me to buy his diamond ring.

The game is older than the hills, and I was on in a minute—bogus story and bogus diamond; willing to sell me a \$200 ring for \$30. I asked him what the green spot was in my eye, and while I was pluming myself the man in the other part of the section pulled out three tens and pocketed the ring. Did I look down upon him with pity and contempt? Did I smile? Did I grin? Did I ask him where his guardian was? Oh, yes—oh, yes, and he spoke up and claimed that the stones were diamonds and the ring well worth 200 plunks. It netted me to see the so-called and to hear him say that of course I was no judge of diamonds, and I put up \$50 that he'd been done for. The conductor held the money, and when we got into town we made for a jewelry store. We took in four of 'em before I laid down. Same story in each place—ring worth \$200."

"And you lost your \$50?"

"Slick as slick."

"And there was a game in it?"

"Of course, you camel. Seller and buyer were confederates, and they probably worked the scheme six days a week. If I'd got ready to buy, some excuse would have been made to head me off. Yes, gentlemen. I had something coming to me, and I got it, and I feel relieved."—Baltimore American.

Tar—On my last voyage I saw waves a hundred feet high!

Spar—I've been a sailor forty years and never seen 'em over forty feet high.

Tar—P'raps not! But everything is higher now than it used to be, mate!

—London Mail.

OLD J. PLUVIUS RULED THE ROOST

Very Much in Evidence Here Past Week.

Although it rained every day last week, with the exception of Tuesday and Saturday, yet the total amount was only 68 hundredths of an inch. Sunday and Wednesday of last week were classified as cloudy and the remaining days of the week partly cloudy. The maximum and minimum temperatures for each day of the week was as follows:

	High.	Low.
Sunday	76	56
Monday	82	60
Tuesday	80	62
Wednesday	78	61
Thursday	79	65
Friday	77	63
Saturday	80	60
Sunday, July 6	83	55

NEAR CLOUDBURST DAMPENS RICHMOND

Weather Merchant Gets the Wrong Throttle and Then Came the Deluge.

IT INJURES FRUIT TREES

MANY WERE BLOWN DOWN BY FIERCE ONSLAUGHT—STREETS OF THE CITY RESEMBLED MINIATURE OCEANS.

Rain, accompanied by rather high winds about 5 o'clock last evening did considerable damage to shade and fruit trees in this city and vicinity. During the short interval, the streets were flooded by approximately an inch of rainfall. It is no exaggeration to say that raindrops a half an inch in diameter fell, making the storm resemble a cloudburst for a short time. Many persons were caught on the streets and before they could seek shelter from the rain by either entering a store or going on some veranda, they were wet to the skin. In many places the storm sewers were too small to carry off the water and the streets became flooded, making them impassable for a time being.

Streams Are Normal.

The rivers and creeks in this neighborhood were not raised greatly by the rain.

A few shade trees were blown down while nearly every street was covered with small and a few large sized limbs which had been blown down. The rain was so hard that much fruit was knocked from the trees, this being especially true of cherries.

According to the record at the pumping station, 1.07 inches of rain fell during the day. The greatest amount fell in the afternoon, although the rainfall early yesterday morning was also heavy.

IN HIGH ALTITUDES.

The Most Common Ways in Which the Heart is Affected.

Dr. I. N. Hall, writing in the American Journal of the Medical Sciences, says that the dangers to the heart in high altitudes are the same as in other places, but are greatly exaggerated in some directions. The troubles most common and serious, he says, relate to inflammation of the heart muscle, hardening of the arteries and dilation of the heart.

The principle applied is this: The heart and lungs have an increase of functional work with each added degree of elevation and the consequent decrease in atmospheric pressure. To meet the increased demand on the circulation the heart must enlarge if the usual amount of exercise is taken. It is not unusual for acute dilation of the heart to occur after slight effort on the part of those whose arteries have begun to harden and who long have been accustomed to atmospheric pressure at the sea level. The trouble with those who suffer in high altitude, the writer declares, is that they try to do too much at first when they feel invigorated by the bracing atmosphere.

Dr. Hall adds that even an ascent in a railway train may be fatal to those who have but a narrow margin of heart strength, or the slightest exertion at such a time may produce angina pectoris. The average case of well compensated valvular disease will do as well at a high altitude as anywhere else if the patient observes proper precautions. In such a climate he is less susceptible to acute rheumatism.

A LUCKY SHOT.

Exciting Incident of a Lion Hunt in East Africa.

In the Wide World Magazine there is an exciting account of a lion hunt in British East Africa. The party consisted of Walter Cooper, Captain H. and his sister. The young lady captured four lions, while the men slew five between them. The tenth lion was killed through its desire to capture a native carrier who, realizing that things were becoming too warm for him, had bolted. The following is the account of the misfortune which befell the lion through his attempt to stay the haste of the native:

The lions, attracted by the sight of the fleeing man, swerved off suddenly and made after the fugitive. The man had not more than twenty yards start, and the great brute rapidly overtook him. Miss H. fired again, and we men both fired as well, but we were not near enough to make a good running shot. The wretched man, with a courage born of desperation, turned at the last moment and hit the lioness with his rifle. The blow fell a bit short, and the enraged brute, snapping at what came nearest, caught the weapon in her mouth at the muzzle. The pace at which she was traveling was so great that Hassan was hurled backward, and in falling his finger caught the trigger, letting off both barrels. By the most extraordinary piece of luck the rifle was pointing straight down the beast's throat at the moment, and down she went, with her head nearly shot away, right on top of him.

There is a fellowship among the virtues by which one great, generous impulse stimulates another.—Garfield.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Proposals for supplies for the use of the Eastern Indiana Hospital for the Insane for the month of July, will be received by the Board of Trustees at the Hospital before 3 p. m., Monday, June 14, 1909. Specifications may be seen at the Second National Bank, or at the Hospital.

By order of the Board.

S. E. SMITH, Med. Supt.

OLD VACATION TIME

Small Boy Restless at School Today, Dreaming of Swimmin' Holes.

AGONY ENDS TOMORROW

About 2,000 pupils of the public schools are anxiously awaiting tomorrow noon, when, with the exception of going back to school to either attend graduation exercises or to get their cards, showing the results of their work for the spring term, the summer vacation will commence. The last of the final examinations will be held tomorrow morning in the graded schools. Teachers also are pleased that vacation is so near after nine months of the strenuous life.

Superintendent T. A. Mott and the teachers are well satisfied with the results of the year's work. No disturbances of any kind have tended to distract from the school work. Under the regime of Prof. C. W. Knouff, of the high school, who succeeded Prof. D. R. Ellabarger as principal, this school has moved along very smoothly. Faculty and student body working together in a commendable way. It is believed, because of the conditions, that a larger per cent of the pupils will pass than ever before.

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