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TRANSIENT FAVORITES AMONG THE BALKANS.

There has been a constant shifting to and fro of public opinion on the knotty problems which have from time to time been presented by the Balkan states. Now one state and now another has been the popular hero of Christendom.

Nearly a century ago Byron's championship of the Greeks against the Turks showed the sentiment of the Englishmen of the day. Sixty years ago the hero was gallant little Turkey, fighting against the tyranny of Russia. Thirty years ago half of England sided with the Turk, while the other half was stirred by Gladstone's eloquent description of the Bulgarian atrocities—atrocities committed by Turks in Bulgaria.

In the recent war in the Balkans the public opinion of Christendom at first was with the so-called Christian races, which had at last swooped down on the unspeakable Turk

and put an end to his savage and barbaric rule.

Then the nations that had beaten the Turk to the ground began to fight each other. There were more Bulgarian atrocities, this time committed by Bulgarians. Presently we shall hear that the Turk is not such a bad fellow after all.

The only way to think clearly on these questions is to keep your mind free from all racial, national and religious prejudices, and think of men, women and children as you would think of them if they were all Canadians.

The Balkan region seems to be full of savagery, which cannot be laid at the door of any race or any religion. It represents one of the failures of European civilization. The powers which have made some progress in civilization would have no difficulty in policing this region if they were not so mortally afraid and jealous of each other.

WHALING SEASON HAS BEEN SPOILT BY ROUGH WEATHER

FEW WHALES HAVE BEEN TAKEN IN NORTHERN WATERS THIS YEAR AS AGAINST LAST YEAR'S CATCH—TOO MANY SOUTHEASTERS.

Bad weather in northern waters continues to interfere with the operations of whaling steamers working in conjunction with the Naden Harbor and Rose Harbor stations. Very few whales have been taken at these stations in comparison with last year's catches.

At Rose Harbor the whalers are running down as far as Triangle Island in pursuit of the whales. Naden Harbor has piled up a small catch and the prospects

that this will be the poorest season since its inception.

If the weather would keep clear, as at present, and give the whalers a chance to follow the big game the totals might be increased considerably. As long as southeasters continue to howl the catches will grow very slow. Whales in Pacific coast waters are not nearly so plentiful at the present time as they were a few years ago. Big hauls made by the whalers in the past have thinned them out considerably.

DISGUISED AS A MAN, GIRL WINS LOVE OF HER RIVAL

WHEN SHE WAS JILTED BY HER FIANCEE THIS WILY DAMSEL UNDERTOOK THE DESPERATE ADVENTURE OF CAPTURING HER RIVAL'S HEART.

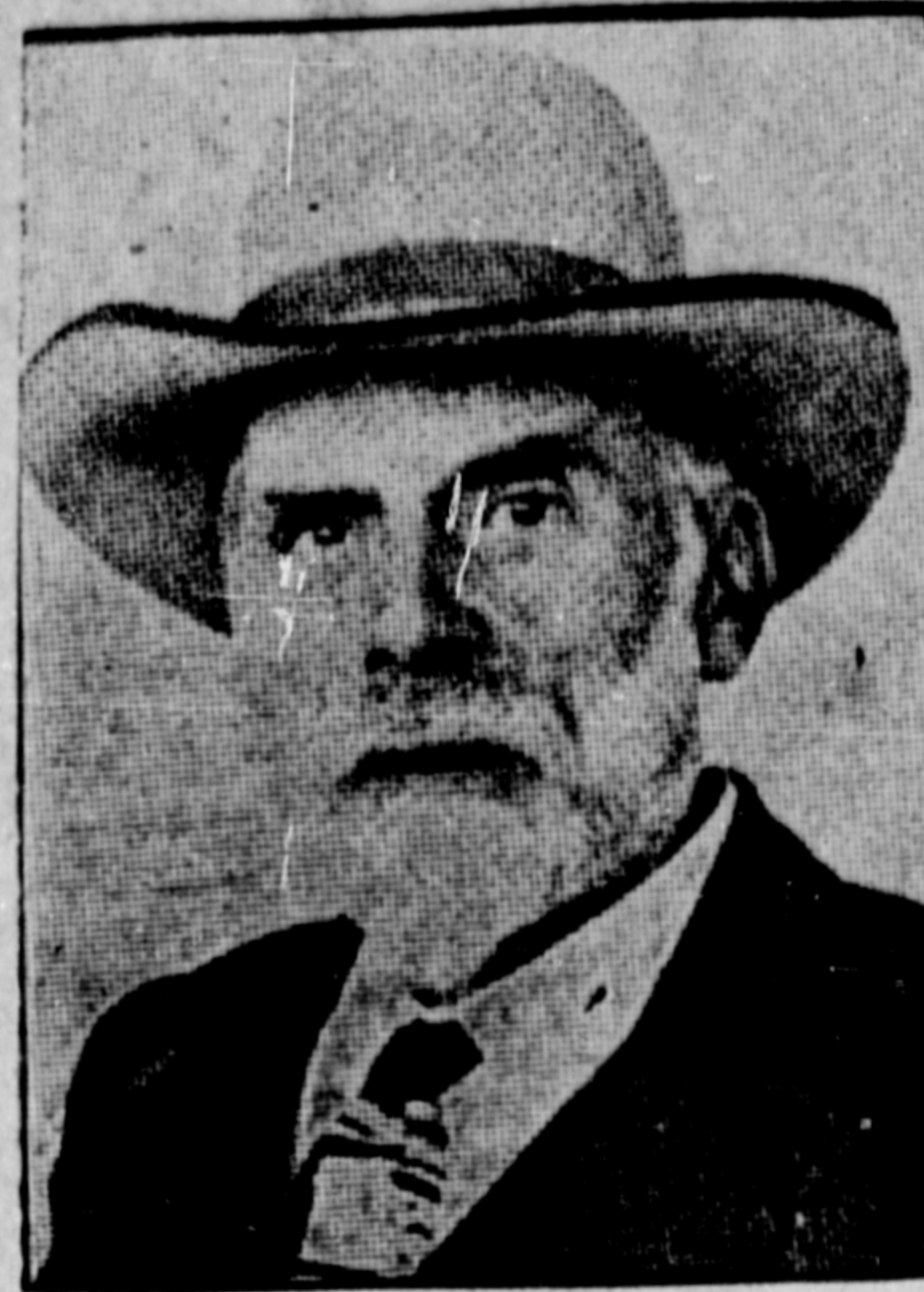
Wheeling, W. Va., July 26.—Harry Pendleton refuses to say whether Henrietta Aiken, a belle of Bridgeport, Ohio, has permitted him to resume his courting. For more than two years Harry was engaged to Dessie McIntyre, of this city. Recently he changed his affections to Miss Aiken. Angered by the tricks of Cupid, Miss McIntyre thought she would go the little love god one better. She went to Bridgeport, cut her hair short and donned the attire of a modern Beau Brummel. Dessie lost no time in making the acquaintance of Miss Aiken, and immediately began a rapid fire courtship that swept Pendleton completely out of the running. Henrietta dismissed Harry and allowed the masquerading Dessie to monopolize her.

When Dessie was certain her trick had succeeded she disclosed her real identity to the horrified Henrietta and then returned to Wheeling.

FAIR PUBLICITY

Godenrath to Interest the Board of Trade.

At the regular meeting of the board of trade on Friday evening there will be an address by Percy Godenrath, he having been invited to lay before the board particulars in regard to the September fair and the progress being made in regard thereto. Mr. Godenrath, who was recently appointed publicity agent of the exhibition association, is a good speaker and able to make any subject interesting. He has already met with good success in his work.



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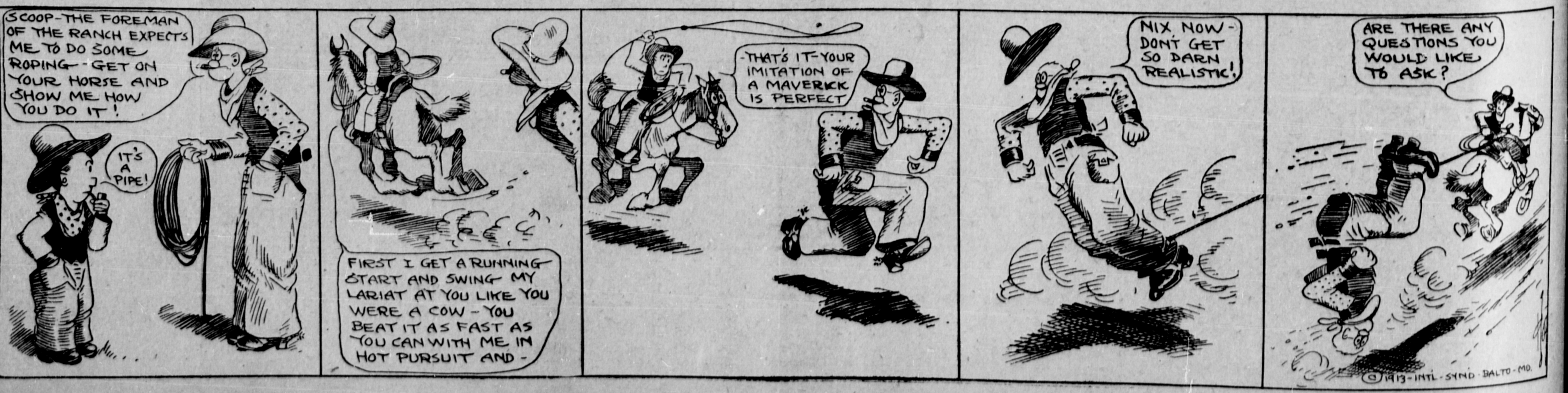


BRIDE WHOSE LIFE WAS THREATENED

Sir Joseph and Lady Tichborne on their way from church after their marriage. The day before this event, Lady Tichborne, then Miss Greville, received a letter threatening her life if she married Sir Joseph. The writer was Miss Theresa Douglas-Tichborne, daughter of the famous "claimant" for the Tichborne estates 50 years ago, when the trial of the suit was the sensation of England for several months. The father of the present Sir Joseph was then an infant, and the claimant represented himself as the uncle whom everyone thought had been lost at sea. He served a term of 14 years for perjury after the trial was over. His daughter Miss Theresa, was this week sentenced to six months' imprisonment for sending threatening letters to Miss Greville, the bride-to-be.

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