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The colliers which are to accompany the expedition are at Norfolk for the purpose of putting light batter es on them. The officer in charge of the work estimated it would take two weeks more to get these batteries together and have them mounted.

This means delay, and an order has been given that the work be completed this week or else that the colliers go without their light batteries.

The same view is taken as to the condition of the ships.
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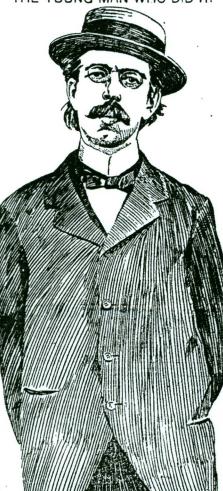
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Capt. Puxley was unable to run the ship with the number of men who remained faithful. He therefore had no alternative but to return to New York, as the majority domanded.

The bark arrived here from Algoa Bay on July 2, consigned to John R. Livermore, agent, of 27 Beaver street. 10 P. W. EXTRA

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Have you ever lived like this? Have you seen the time when the pawnshop. formerly regarded as the bane of the poor and the indirect cause of wastefulness and sloth, came to be your best friend? Have you ever experienced this, I say? If you have not you have much to be thankful for, but at the same time you have falled to sound the depths of life.

And it was not lack of ability, or carelegeness, or laziness that brought me to this from the position of independence and comparative luxury which I had six months ago. It was simply a desire to better myself financially, a feeling that I was in the wrong rut and that unless I gave up the work at which I was employed there was no future for me beyond the salary I was though I had worked for them for some

CHARLES H. GARRETT.

(Photographed for the Evening World July 16, 1898.)

for a chance and have suffered for But I am not beaten yet. The future cannot contain much more hardship than the past, and I will not give in. I have made a foothold, and I will go on, even if my room rent is overdue and less than a pound of Indian meal is all the food I have.

Last Christmas I was bookkeeper for the firm of John Bromley in Philadel phia. My position was a periampa; one, my pay was good for the class of work done, and my services were satisfactory to my employers. At least,

There's not a line of imagination or exaggeration in the story of his

five-cents-a-day life which Mr. Charles H. Carrett has written for the

Evening World, and the opening chapter of which is here given. It is a

betterly true story of the young man's experiences in this city during the

past six months, and while seeking employment. Hes struggic to keep

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I have a knack of writing verse and an appreciation of the poetic in everyday life, and I hoped that I might become a writer of short stories and, eventually, the author of books which would bring me fame and financial independence. I hope so still, and it is for that I um striving. That is the ambition which has prom And me to endure past privations and to face those which know are before me.

I felt that there was no chance for this ambition so long as I remained an accountant. To write I must have something to write about, and as a bookceper I had no opportunity of getting experience. So I sought for an occupahe which would give me this.

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Then I determined to the and get place on the road. My employers would not send me out. They wanted me to keep books and they had-skilled-men for the workswhich I wanted to try.

At last I saw that if I was to get the opportunity for which I was striving I must make it for myself. I did.

I resigned my place. Then I hunted for work as traveling salesman, but could find none. Determined not to be beaten I decided to go on the road with samples, pay my own expenses and trust to the commissions on possible sales for my pay. On these terms I easily found firms which would let me represent them.

I decided to carry samples for three of them. These were Willam E. Rogers & Co., of No. 1720 North Second street. Philadelphia; the Quaker City Manufacturing Company, of No. 11 North Fourth street, and Bradbury Bros., of Nicetown, a portion of Philadelphia corresponding to Harlem in this city.

From Rogers & Co. I secured a line of chenille; from the Quaker City Manufacturing Compan" samples of shirts. waists and blouses, and from Bradbury Bros. some "Memphis" table cov-The Quaker City Company Lave me a trunk in which to pack their sam-ples. The other goods I made up into a bale. Then I started for New York, confident that I should soon make my fortune.

I reached this city Saturday night, Jan. 8

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EXTRAVAGANT AT FIRST.

I knew nothing of New York, but I had a list of a number of hotels such as would do for me to stop at. From these 2 I chose the Park Avenue, and took room 542, paying for it at the rate of \$7 a week. I knew that this was really more than I could afford from my small capital, but it had been impressed upon me by salesmen whom I knew that one of the first requisites of the business was to make a good appearance and to stop at a good hotel. So I determined to have a room at the Park Avenue Hotel and to economize, if necessary, in my meals, which I planned to take at restaurants.

I had not the slightest doubt that I would meet with quick success. On Monday I started out full of ambition and hope. The first house I went to with my samples was that of Tefft & Weller,

Hall. There I could get a good break in my soon and ab ner at night for half a dollar. I spent almost nothing else save for laurer. and for such car fare as was absolutely necessary and I thought I was not extravagant.

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So I began haunting the newspaper offices in search of employment. In a week I was reduced to a little more than \$2,50, but as I had nearly \$50 in a savings bank in Philadelphia I did not worry. Instead, I spent my last money for a ticket home and drew out my

With this I returned to New York and renewed my search for work of a literary kind. I thought that a book of sketches of New York life would be quickly taken by a publisher, and so I began work on one.

HE WALKED THE STREETS.

Each day 1 walked the streets and went along the river front looking for material. In the evenings I wrote in my room. My funds, were dwindling, but I still lived at restaurants like Carnegie Hall or else at dairy lunch rooms such as Childs's of Dennett's.

At last my book was finished. It contained 24,000 words, and I had rewritten it three times. I was sure that I had only to offer it to a publisher to have it quickly bought, and early in March I took it down to Harper's.

Then for the first time I found in what a fool's paradise I had been living. Not only was my book refused, but I was told that nothing of that kind would be wanted by any publisher.

I returned home in a daze. I had less than \$10 left and I realized that I had no means of earning more. I decided that I must cut down expenses.

The only way I could do this was to reduce the amount I was spending for my meals. To do this I must cook my own food, and I decided to begin at once.

Going down on Sixth avenue I bought a gas stove for 25 cents. Some rubber tubing to connect it with the gas jet and a tea kettle and some tin dishes brought the bill up to 76 cents.

LIVED ON A TRIFLE.

Then I started out to buy my groceries. Half a pound of mixed Java and Mocha coffee cost me 16 cents. Six eggs could be bought in almost any grocery for 9 cents. I could get the best milk for 4 cents a pint, six rolls were only 5 cents, and potatoes bought by the half or quarter peck averaged about I cent each for good-sized ones. Two pounds of sugar cost 12 cents and a little butter could be made to go a long way.

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Not disappointed, I went to the firm that then was Dunham, Buckley & Co., at No. 340 Broadway. There I found them taking stock and was told that they would make no purchases before Feb. 1. Even though I did not have to display my goods in their entirety, these two visits took time, for I was kept waiting before I could see the buyers. As a result I was only able to go to Sweetser & Pembroke's before the short hours for seeing buyers were over. At this last place I found, too, that they were taking stock and that they would make no purchases for some time."

ALL BUT DISCOURAGED.

I went back to the hotel much discouraged. But the next morning I started out again. That day and all the rest of the week I tramped from one wholesale house to another, but not a sale could I make. I found that in each place they did not intend to buy any goods for at least a month, and though I was told that I could call at the end of that time this implied promise did not put any money in my pocket with which to pay current expenses.

My meals, car fare and room rent had reduced my stock of ready money \$20.

To husband what was left as much as possible I decided to eat only at dairy lunchrooms, and not to eat heavily then. On the next Monday I had a breakfast of shredded wheat and milk at Childs's place in East Twenty-third street, and then started out to see if I could not sell some shirts to some of the big furnishing goods houses.

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That day I went without lunch and only ate a small steak with potatoes and coffee for dinner. It was not as much as I wanted, but it was all that I felt that I could afford.

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SOME WHOLESALE POINTS.

I soon found, however, that the only hours in which I could see the buyers of the stores was between 9 o'clock and noon and that in most places a salesmen who dared enter a store by the front entrance was promptly fired out. He must go around to the rear and take the freight elevator. Then he would be taken to a little cubby hole on the top floor and allowed to arrange his samples on shelves and await the visit of the store's buyer.

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for 9 cents. I could get the best milk for 4 cents a pint, six rolls were only 5 cents, and potatoes bought by the haif or quarter peck averaged about 1 cent each for good-sized ones. Two pounds of sugar cost 12 cents and a little butter could be made to go a long way.

After a day or two of experimenting I found that I could live on 25 cents a day and have more to eat than I could for twice the sum at a restaurant. I figured out the cost of my daily supplies like this:

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Six eggs, two at each	
meal	9 cents
Rolled oats, not quite	
one-half pound	14 cents
Coffee, four or five	
cups	2 cents
Six rolls	
Milk, one pint	4 cents
Pointoes, at dinner	
only	2 cents
Sugar	1% cents
Butter	
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This was certainly a big economy, and I felt proud of it, for I not only lived better than I had been able to at restaurants, but I saw that my expenses would be greatly reduced in the future.

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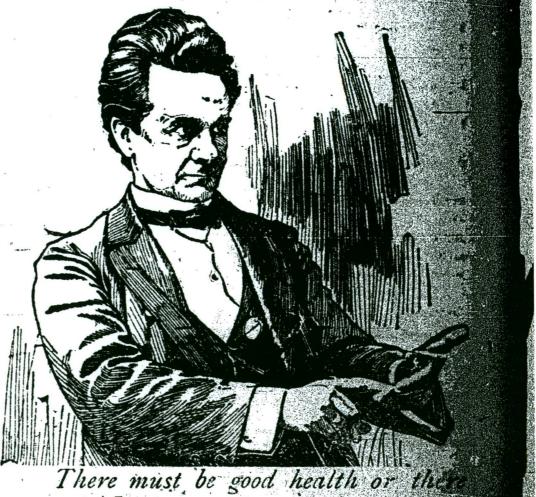
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While playing on the gram at N Palisade avenues, Jorsey City, Willia



could I make. I found that in each place they did not intend to buy any goods for at least a month, and though I was told that I could call at the end of that time this implied promise did not put any money in my pocket with which to pay current expenses.

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Night after night I tramped back to the hotel utterly discouraged, as I had neither made sales nor found a chance to work. My money away, but I was still living pretty well on from 40 to 60 cents a day when I got a position on the Mail and Express. They were getting out a special number, and I, with several other men, was hired at a salary of \$10 a week.

A load was lifted from my mind. I decided to give up my attempt to be a salesman and to stick to the paper. Nothing was said to the contrary and I thought the place would be permanent. I made arrangements accordingly. gave up my room at the holes and epre- soured the little hall bedroom which I me still have at No. 152 West Fifty-third street. For this I paid only \$1.50 a week, and I figured that with economy I Could live on my nawspaper say.

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