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The Old Homestead remedies are sold exclusively by J. H. Morse.

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With hypophosphites of lime and soda, highly recommended by prominent physicians in pulmonary consumption, coughs, colds, phthisis, bronchitis, and all wasting diseases, make flesh rapidly.

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With Iodides of skin and blood remedy. This old time sarsaparilla is prepared from sarsaparilla, yellow dock, stillingia, prickly ash, iodides of potassium. Guaranteed to cure blood disorders.

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Nutritive Tonic and Stimulant, tones up the general system, relieves indigestion and restores the appetite mild and safe.

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Perfect blood and nerve remedy. Recommended for all nervous diseases and other disorders arising from impure blood, cures constipation and acts a general tonic.

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A purely vegetable preparation. Contains no opium or other poisonous ingredient. Can be administered to children with perfect safety. It cleans the bowels, stimulates the liver and kidneys and leaves the system in a thoroughly healthy condition.

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with iron; a positive, permanent and effectual cure for chills and fever. A general tonic.

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Cures sore throat, hoarseness, influenza, pain in the chest, neuralgia, croup, bronchitis, asthma, whooping cough, soreness in lungs, and all ailments of the bronchial tubes.

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Female Regulator

is an excellent remedy for relieving all forms incident to the diseases of women.

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Call and see us at the New Drug Store.

J. H. MORSE.

VOTES AGAIN.

The Two Houses Jointly and Separately Ratify Their Former Action.

THOSE INJUNCTION SUITS.

Frankfort, Feb. 20.—The afternoon sessions of the Senate and House were called to order at 3 o'clock and the joint session fifteen minutes later. Twenty Senators and fifty-six Representatives answered the roll calls. Not a single Republican was present, they having agreed at their 2 o'clock caucus not to take part in the joint session.

Speaker Trimble rapped the joint session to order and stated that the meeting was called for the purpose of taking such action as the legislators deemed advisable with regard to ratifying their action in the gubernatorial contests.

After roll calls Senator Farris set up a ratifying resolution similar to that adopted in the Senate yesterday and in the House to-day. The resolution was read by Clerk Cromwell and put upon its passage immediately. It received nineteen votes in the Senate, Senator Triplett being the only one to vote against it. In the House roll call fifty-six votes were recorded in favor of it and one against it.

When Speaker Trimble announced that the ratification resolution had been adopted by a vote of 74 to 2 there was loud applause.

There was a conference of attorneys to night, but no agreement was reached in regard to the injunction suits over the office of Governor.

The proposition made at Georgetown came from the Republicans, so to night they were asked to submit their proposition in writing. If an agreement to consolidate the cases is not reached, the suit of Gov. Beckham against Taylor will be heard by Judge Cantrill Friday. Gov. Beckham is not inclined to dally any longer with the opposition, and does not look favorably upon any agreement, but inclines towards an independent fight.

Two Presiding Officers.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 19.—The Legislature reconvened here today. In the House Speaker Trimble was recognized by both parties. In the Senate Mr. Marshall and Senator Carter both occupied the rostrum, both called the Senate to order. The Democrats recognized Carter and the Republicans Marshall. The latter entertained a motion to adjourn and the fourteen Republicans voted for it and adjourned. Senator Carter paid no attention to this proceeding, and called for "petitions, motions and joint resolutions." A resolution ratifying the action of the Senate adopting the report of the Gubernatorial Contest Committee was offered and adopted—twenty one Democrats voting.

Just before the hour for convening Mr. Marshall and Senator Carter met, shook hands and joked over the position they occupied.

ORATORICAL CONTEST

Of Marion Graded School at the Opera House To-Night

The third annual oratorical contest between five pupils of the Marion Graded School will take place at the opera house tonight.

Two handsome medals will be given the winners—one a gold and the other a silver medal, appropriately engraved with the names of the successful contestants.

The programme for the evening is as follows:

Invocation.

Song, Lead Kindly Light Choir

Oration, Anglo-Saxon or Who? Walter Walker.

Oration, The Dreams of Our First Fathers Realized, R. J. Fohn.

Song, All Hail to the Flag Choir

Oration, The Need of the Hour, Charles Moore.

Oration, On the Threshold of the Twentieth Century, Melville Glenn

Song, Great God of Nations, Choir

Oration, Womanhood in Times of Political Peril.—Rosa Schwab.

Presentation of Medals.

Song, The Reformation Choir

Benediction.

PRINCETON PRESBYTERY

Of the C. P. Church Will Convene Here Tuesday, April 3

Princeton Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church meets in Marion Tuesday, April 3rd, and will be in session during that week. The churches in Livingston, Crittenden, Lyon, Trigg, Christian, Hopkins, Webster and Union counties are embraced in the Presbytery; there are forty-five congregations and twenty ordained ministers.

The first day will be taken up with the elders and deacons association. The second day will be devoted largely to the Sunday School work. A missionary and educational rally will probably be arranged for the last day. A large attendance is anticipated.

Lost An Arm.

Last week Mr. Sherman Towery, of the Shady Grove section, met with an accident that cost him his right arm. He was cutting timber and a tree, in falling, struck another knocking it down, and it fell on Mr. Towery, striking his arm below the elbow literally mashing it off. The bone was not only broken, but the muscles and tendons were severed and the arm was detached almost a small tendon or two. Mr. Towery was thrown several feet and his back was hurt. Drs. J. J. Clark and J. D. McConnell removed the arm and dressed the wound and at last accounts the patient was getting along fairly well.

LOW TAXES.

The City Council Reduces the Rate to Twenty-Five Cents

At the adjourned meeting of the City Council Tuesday night the city tax rate was fixed at twenty-five cents on the \$100 worth of property and \$1.50 poll. The rate for some years has been fifty cents.

There was but one bid to furnish the city rock. This proposal was one dollar per ton and the council declined to accept it.

LITERARY CLUB

Honors St. Valentine, and the Occasion A Joyous One.

Marion has a literary club made up of several of the most progressive of Marion's matrons. For over a year they have pursued their literary club work with zeal, but with many masculine misgivings. The husbands of these dames, it is said, heard something of what was discussed at the club, but more of what was eaten there. And as it is a weird proceeding in the minds of men for eating to go on without masculine talent taking a part, the proceedings of this club had grown, indeed, mysterious to many.

But on the 14th of January these suspicious characters were told to prepare themselves for an introduction to the sacred rites of this club, at the residence of the Mayor, J. W. Bies. Thence each member by 8 p. m. had led her spouse, and there were assembled Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blue, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Nunn, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Vandell, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Crider, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evans, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Orme, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilborn, Mr. Henry Woods, Miss Della Barnes, Mr. Norval Pierce and Mr. Ollie M. James.

"A Right Merry Company" indeed. St. Valentine, with a sly wink had hinted that this was his occasion, but in truth, to look upon this throng of splendid women, gowned in garbs of glory as for a bridal morn, this home of our host and hostess bedecked with festive garishings, all this made St. Valentine eloquent.

Mrs. Wilborn, the accomplished president of the club, greetings having been exchanged, rendered a recitation with splendid power, as did Miss Della Barnes. And then, Oh sorrow, and O human kind—a bow with feather twinged arrow was brought forth and each gentleman was notified he must play at cupid. An array of beautifully colored hearts were shown him upon the wall, and he must bring one down in this role of cupid, and lo, upon the "other side" was found the name of her who was to honor him at the festal board.

'Twas a queer sight to see gentlemen of two hundred or more avoirdupois take up this feathered bow; but well they drew, for one and all with bland smile and triumphant mien, passed out of the room to supper with a charming lady upon his arm.

St. Valentine had bestowed his blessings upon this dining hall, indeed, for hearts hung in beautifully variegated festoons over head, hearts, filmy, gauzy hearts, fluttered about the table, beautiful heart favors were at each plate, and generous hearts had spread a rich repast. Mr. James was made Toastmaster, and with the hour, working upon all, some wonderful, astonishing, eloquence was displayed. Mr. Cochran's toast to the Club Woman, brought tears to some eyes. Wonderful, wonderful was ejaculated as Mr. R. F. Haynes closed a startling peroration in the toast to St. Valentine's Day. The other gentlemen followed and in their respective toasts were happy throughout, and at times were startling Mrs. Wilborn in a most happy vein, responded to the toast, our guests, and such was the feeling of the gentleman in the close they moved with fear, lest in their exalted state they bump up against a star in heaven and knock it out.

After supper, repairing to the parlor, "picture reading" and "quotations completing" contests, were held. Mr. Clem Nunn leading the former, and Mr. Charles Evans, the latter. A handsome bottle of perfume was given Mr. Nunn, while a book was given Mr. Evans.

In jollity and mirth the evening closed, and every masculine heart went away with three cheers on his lips for the Literary Club and the refrain in his heart—

Sweethearts and wives, sweethearts and wives. They are the joy of all our lives.

Who can resist the darlings?

New Goods at old prices.

Pierce-Yandell
Gugenheim Co

DYCSBURG.

W L Harp is on the sick list. Dr. Graves went to Kelsey Tuesday.

J L Clifton, of Marion, was here a few days last week.

Miss Lillie Marlow has been quite sick, but is improving.

Owen Boaz and T C Campbell went to Clarksville last week with their tobacco.

Miss Lizzie Johnson of Hillsville, was the guest of Mrs Eugene Brown last week.

Mr. E J Haywood, of Marion, was here Sunday visiting his mother, who has been sick several days.

Mr W S Dycus, of Kuttawa, and Messrs Kendrick and Tandy of Clarkville, Tenn., were in town one day last week.

The town is still improving. We are going to have a new business house, and Eugene Brown will occupy it with a new stock of dry goods.

CHAPEL HILL.

Mrs H S Hill is on the sick list. J T Bigham is on the sick list this week.

Several plant beds were sown last month in this precinct.

James Alex Hill sold some timber to Mr Worley the timberman.

Mr Horace Williamson was the guest of Mrs W H Bigham last week.

Mr J F Adams & Co., made fifty-eight hundred pounds of tobacco this season.

Sunday was our regular meeting day here, but a small congregation assembled.

W. H. Bigham wants to hire good hand to work this year, a good tobacco raiser preferred.

Mr. White, of Kansas City, Mo., was delivering pictures in this community last week.

Our spring school commenced Monday, with a good attendance; several of our large boys are attending.

CARRSVILLE

Mrs. C. M. King visited her sister, Mrs. Cox, one day this week.

Mr. Bridges, the stock man of this place shipped a fine drove of hogs this week.

Our school climbs from week to week adding new pupils every week. Miss Nannie Ruter enrolled here Monday.

Several of our townsmen took a big fox-chase this week. Among them were Wm. Bridges, J. M. Pavy and Charles Threlkeld.

J. F. Cox, the supervisor of the mines near this place, which is owned by the Canton Oil and Gas Co., Canton, O., has them under headway and prospects are favorable for a good business.

Call Meeting.

The Democrats of Shady Grove and surrounding country are called to meet at Shady Grove, in Masonic Hall, Saturday Feb. 24, to attend to business of importance to the organization affected on the 3rd of Feb.

F. E. Casner, Chmn.

R. F. Lemov, Secy.

GOOD NEWS comes from those who take Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, dyspepsia and rheumatism. Report agree that HOOD'S CURES

Don't spend a 5c until you price our goods.

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RODNEY.

Mrs. Nancy Scott is on the sick list. W. S. Hicklin, our merchant, is doing a good business.

R. M. Allen's school at Walnut Grove closed Friday.

H. B. Tudor, of this neighborhood, moved to Sturgis last week.

Geo. Robinson will move his saw mill on Smith Newcom's farm.

R. G. Phillips is going into the drug business in our town soon.

J. Lint Sullivan has quit farming and gone into the timber business.

Wm. Asher, Jr., of Baker, who has been very ill, is slowly recovering.

W. J. Nunn, of Blackford, visited friends in this community a few days since.

L. C. Nunn and Wm. Plumblee made a business trip to Marion last week.

L. B. Phillips will move to the R. L. Phillips' house on E. L. Nunn's farm.

J. T. Hicklin, the well known miller, made a business trip to Sturgis last week.

There is talk of the telephone coming to Rodney. We are very anxious to have a telephone in our town.

Harve Fox and wife, of this neighborhood left last Sunday for Dyersburg, Tenn. We are very sorry to have them leave.

Russell Outens has embarked in the picture business.

Mrs. Laura Butler, has been quite sick for the past week or two.

We are glad to report that W. L. Travis' health is rapidly improving.

Will Brown has two little urchins at his house; one is a boy—the other ain't.

Phil Travis has threatened Bedford Hicks with a damage suit, better known to themselves.

We were profoundly sorry to hear of Master Roy Wright's misfortune—we cannot express grief—he was very dear to us.

The spirit of improvement has struck W. H. Brown, and he has built a fence on Claylick creek, which throws several farms outside.

Mr. Ed. Waddell, one of Crittenden's progressive teachers, and Miss Mary Watson, of near Lohs, were united in matrimony, Wednesday of last week, Rev. J. O. Kinsolving, of this neighborhood, officiating.

LEVIAS

Jimmie Threlkeld and wife, are visiting in Livingston county this week.

Willie Beard returned from Bowling Green Thursday, where he has been attending school.

G. B. Taylor, Chas. Binkley and John Stalton are confined to their rooms with the measles.

Having noticed an inquiry in the Press as to where the autobiography of the Methodist preacher, Peter Cartwright could be found, I inform the gentleman that Mrs Sarah Yates has the book, and will gladly loan the book for information to any one. He address is Levias, Ky.

Deeds Recorded.

H. Bell to Sam Jennings 36 acres \$500.

Emily Brown to F. C. Watson, house and lot for \$250.

J. W. Blue to E. F. Perkins lot for \$150.

E. F. Perkins to C. E. Jamerson house and lot for \$1200.

HE NEEDED MEDICINE.

But Not the Sort the Drummer Proposed to Give Him.

A well known drug drummer who was paying his regular holiday visit to New Orleans took the train for a little side trip to Baton Rouge and in the hurry of his departure left a handsome bone handled umbrella hanging on a hook in the lobby of the hotel.

It was a tempting prize, but probably every kleptomaniac who saw it supposed the owner was seated near at hand. At any rate, it remained undisturbed and was still there when the drummer returned.

"By the way," he remarked after he had exchanged greetings with the clerk, "I've managed somehow to lose my new bone handled umbrella. Have any of you seen such a thing lying around the office?"

A quick witted bellboy heard the question and, glancing around, saw the missing article hanging within a foot of his head. Supposing it had been there for only a few moments, he promptly grasped the ferrule.

"Is this the one?" he inquired.

"Yes," exclaimed the traveler, delighted, "and I must say I'm surprised nobody has tipped it."

"Aw, they couldn't do that," replied the bellboy. "I've been holding on to it for ye ever since ye hung it up."

The drug drummer stopped with his hand half way down his pocket, and a whimsical smile overspread his countenance.

"Well," he said slowly, "I was intending to give you half a dollar, but if you've been holding that umbrella for three consecutive days you're more in need of a tonic. Here is a capsule of quinine and iron."

The gloom which settled down upon the bell boy might have been bewn with an ax.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Tale of Chivalry.

Sir Lancelot on his mailed steed rode up to the great gate of the castle and hit it a resounding thwack with the hilt of his sword.

"What, ho, within there!" he shouted.

"What, ho, without there!" came the answering cry.

"I want to come in!" thundered the knight.

"Well, you can't do it now," called the same voice. "We've just opened a jack pot."—Detroit Free Press.

Before and After.

Singleton—Do you believe it is possible for two people to live as cheaply as one?

Wederly—Before I married I read all the statistics I could find on the subject, and I was convinced that they could, but—

Singleton—Well?

Wederly—After marrying I made a few statistics of my own, then changed my mind.—Chicago News.

A Clew.

"The burglar," said the citizen, "lighted parlor matches all about the house, but he couldn't find the money. He took them all right along with him. He was awake."

"And the detective," evidently a married man!—Indianapolis Press.

So Sudden, but Satisfactory.

"You take me quite by surprise," she exclaimed after he had finally put the question.

"Well, I'm glad to get you in any way," he replied, pursuing his advantage.

And she let it go at that.—Philadelphia North American.

No Chance For Cruelty.

"Pinkerton says he believes in publicly whipping big game men."

"Doesn't that seem cruel?"

"It wouldn't seem cruel in Cleveland."

"Why not?"

"We never catch any."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Experience Teaches.

"Well, I've learned one thing," he said as he broke away from the crowd of spectators.

"What is that?" he was asked.

"Never bet on war news that comes from Stock Exchange sources."—Chicago Post.

The Other Boy Wants His Turn.

"Pa," said the small boy, his eyes looking longingly at the new mechanical top, "you've showed me how to work it now for an hour. Let me try."—Philadelphia North American.

May Be Feminine.

"She has married an ineffectual nobleman."

"Oh, well, the saying, 'A fool and his money are soon parted,' has no relation to sex anyway."—Chicago Post.

Sound and Substance.

"Kirby Skaggs is a great talker."

"Does he ever say anything?"—Chicago Record.

Had Him There.

"What! Call this a blooming fare? You're far from a gentleman, mister."

"Jusso, but I'm pretty close to a blackguard."—Ally Sloper.

PAWON THE CENTURY

HE TRIES TO EXPLAIN WHEN THE NEW ONE BEGINS.

And Uses a Practical Illustration That Unfortunately Not Only Upsets His Theories, but Takes a Fall Out of Him Too.

"Of all the Silly people I ever seen," paw sed after rinkin his forid. A long time, "the worst is the Ones what Git to Starten Arguments about When the twentyeth sentcherry Begins. People what ain't got no More Sense than to Waste Time Over sutch a Thing or to Have babies er sumthing in the house So they could keep bixzy without Goin away from Home to hunt for trouble. But the good Lord made it So sum



SO HE GOT TWO OF THE KITCHEN CHAIRS. folks hasn't got nothin to Do But always Look around for sum new Way to Show there foolishness. That's what makes me Glad I haft to work for a Livein. If I wouldn't Have nothin else to Do meby Sumtimes I mite Git to goin on like a South American Republic too. Ennybody what Has haft as much Sense as they are in a little Red mousetrap of to no the twentyeth sentcherry Can't Begin only Wunst and that is nineteen Hundred and Wun."

"How Can it Begin, then?" maw ast. "Grate heavens," paw ansered, "Can it Be possible you are One of the Soup preem Idlyuts That thinks it Begins with Nineteen Hundred? No wonder Our Children sumtimes Don't hardly Seem to be Worth raisin. Now, I'll jist Sho you How this thing is. If I am workin for a Hundred Dollars a Week and—

"Oh, paw," maw Says, "Don't go to supposin Ennything of that kind. It ain't Ever goin to Happen."

"Say," paw told Her, "Don't you want to Find out about this Bizness er not? If you Do, try to Brake the record now by not saying nothing fer about a Half a minit and I'll sho you. You see, if I was goin to lide a hundred miles I wouldn't go Back and Ride a Mile before I got started, would I?"

"I Don't see how you can," maw says. "I Have seen paw you Do things what was just as Hard to Explain. They are never no Tellin what you mite Do."

"Oh, well," paw Says, "that ain't enny use Tryin to Talk to people what Don't no enuff to Lern things what they have a Chanct. Sposen you was agoin to Pay the Grocery man a Dollar and Begin Counten Out pennies. Do you Think he Would tell you to stop when you Give him ninety Nine?"

"Mebby He mite Be makin a marked Down Sale that day," maw says.

"What's the use Gitten Bothered about it enny Way? I thot you sed people was Silly if they would waste Their time over sutch a thing?"

"They are," paw told Her, "only they Don't no Enuff to see it the rite way. Now I'm jist agoin to sho you How this thing is so you Can't Help but See it."

So He got Two of the Kitchen Chares and stood with one foot on one chare and the other foot on the other Chare.

"Now," paw told us, "sposen the chare what my left foot is on is the nineteenth Sentchery and the other one is the next one, with the first of January Half way Between. Do you See it all rite as Far as I got?"

"Yes," maw Says, "But I Don't never Believe in Straddlin on these Things. They Can't be Two Sides to it."

"You watch," paw sed. "I got it Down fine. Now, sposen my left foot is



HE BUMPED AGAINST THE NINETEENTH SENTCHERRY.

ate Teen ninety nine and the Chare where it's Restin on is the nineteenth sentcherry. If I—

By the Time he got it all Settled up to That point little albert and the Pupp Come in Chasen after the Hender-sones Cat what I Had shut up in the seller the nite Before becuz maw Herd some rats Down there last week.

The Cat Scooted Between the Chares where paw was standen, and the pupp thot He would Do the Salm, but made a mistake and Bumped against the Nine-teenth Sentcherry and nocked it frum under paw, and the Bottom Dropt out of the argment. His Cote was all Toss up the Back too.—George is a Great Time Herald.

The Fighting Swordfish.

The swordfish is utterly without fear and will, like a buffalo or rhinoceros, charge anything that offends it, often doing an amount of execution hardly to be believed did not the evidence exist. Combats between swordfish are most interesting and may be compared to a duel between two expert swordsmen. Such a contest was observed off the long pier that extends out into the ocean at Santa Monica, near Los Angeles, last year. Some fishermen noticed two big fish leaping out of the water and dashing along the surface. Soon it was seen that they were swordfish.

The season was when the fish are unusually ferocious. They had made several rushes and when observed were at close quarters, striking each other with powerful side blows like cavalrymen. This was unsatisfactory, and finally they separated and darted at each other like arrows, the water hissing as their sharp dorsal fins cut through it. They evidently struck head on, one missing, while the sword of the other struck just below the eye and plowed a deep furrow in the fish, partly disabling it, so that it turned and attempted to escape. But its adversary also turned and with a rush drove its sword completely through the body of its foe and held it fast, only wrenching its weapon loose when its enemy stopped swimming.—San Francisco Call.

Put Through His Paces.

The wealthy Briton is confessedly the most fastidious man living as to the quality of his personal domestic service. The concentrated energy with which an Englishman will rebuke his servant for an offense so slight that the average American fails to observe it bears out the above statement, and it is this social condition that has developed the hypercritical intelligence office in London.

Those who propose changing servants are not content with references and a perfunctory interview with the man or maid under consideration, but insist upon a full dress rehearsal of both manners and appearance.

The servant in livery is put through all his paces, must display the size of his calves, the height of his pose, as well as breeding in handling a card, announcing a guest or serving at the table.

Nothing is taken for granted. The master and the mistress sit by and discuss the points of groom or butler. They would those of a high priced horse or valuable dog. Domestic are taken with great seriousness by the upper class Englishmen, and for that reason nothing is left to luck in peopling the servants' hall.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Scotch as She is Wrote.

Mrs. Hohmboddie—What are you reading that absorbs you so?

Mr. Hohmboddie (looking up from his book)—It is a new Scotch novel.

Mrs. Hohmboddie (with enthusiasm)—Oh, I am so fond of those dear dialect things! Do read me a little.

Mr. Hohmboddie (reading)—Ye see, Elspie," said Duncan doon, "I might hae mair the matter wi me than ye wad be sperin. Aiblins me sen is a bit dazelt an am hearin the poolies thuddin in ma ears, as ma tongue in clavin when it sud be gaein, an di ye no' hear the drilin o' ma heart an feel the shakin o' ma bonie this day gin I get a glimpse o' ye, mair hirpin like a suld moun? Di ye nae guess what's a' the steer, hinner, w'out me gaein it mair words?"

Mrs. Hohmboddie—Stop, for goodness' sake! What in the world is the creature trying to say?

Mr. Hohmboddie—He's making a declaration of love.

Mrs. Hohmboddie—A declaration of love! I thought he was telling a lot of symptoms to his doctor.—Callers Weekly.

A Rejected Favor.

When the German emperor was at school at Cassel, he and his brother, Prince Henry, lodged in an old castle near, but in the school the two boys were hated exactly like any other youngsters. On one occasion, it is related, a master, knowing that Prince William was backward in Greek and wishing to curry favor with him, told him secretly what the subject of the next day's examination would be.

Early next morning the prince went into the classroom and wrote the information on the blackboard in huge letters, not wishing to have any unfair advantage over his schoolfellows.

Unconstitutional. "What a wretched daub!" exclaimed the unsophisticated visitor at the art exhibition, turning to speak to a stranger.

"Ha, ha!" laughed the stranger. "It is a pity to violate all the time honored precedents, but I really am not the painter of that picture."

This is a cold, iconoclastic age, and the mortifying, yet instructive, contretemps of the olden time is not good form in literature now.—Chicago Tribune.

Greenland's Comparison.

Laurence Gronlund, the socialist writer who ended his days in New York, was a thorough pessimist. One evening, after he had denounced the modern industrial system in "savage terms, a friend remarked: "It is not so bad as Russian despotism, is it?"

"Not quite," the former is the worst possible; the latter the worst conceivable."

Kaffir Greeting.

"Saku bona" are the first words a stranger learns of the Kaffir vocabulary. The expression is the common form of salutation used by the natives, and its literal translation is, "I see you." It is considered a mark of respect not to give the greeting immediately, the delay showing the reverence in which the native holds his visitor.—Philadelphia Record.

"He That Any Good Would Win"

Should have good health. Pure, rich blood is the first requisite. Hood's Sarsaparilla, by giving good blood and good health, has helped many a man to success, besides giving strength and courage to women who, before taking it, could not even see any good in life to win.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints

Extraordinary Marriage Vows.

An English rural clergyman says that in his parish it was quite the fashion for the man, when giving the ring in the marriage ceremony, to say to the woman: "With my body I thee wash up, and with all my hurdle goods I thee and thou." He said the women were better up in this part of the service than the men. One day, however, a bride startled him by promising, in what she supposed to be the language of the Prayer book, to take her husband "to be and to hold from this day forth" for better horse, for richer power, in signersness health, to love cherries and to bay." What meaning this extraordinary vow conveyed to the woman's own mind, the incumbent said, baffled him to conjecture.

Birthdays Celebrated in Egypt.

The custom of keeping birthdays is many thousand years old. Pharaoh's birthday festivities are mentioned in the Pentateuch.

Hidden Beauty

In Egypt the custom is for Princesses to hide their beauty by covering the lower part of the face with a veil. In America the beauty of many of our women is hidden because of the weakness and sickness peculiar to the sex. If the Egyptian custom prevailed in this country, many sufferers would be glad to cover their premature wrinkles, their sunken cheeks, their unhealthy complexion, from the eyes of the world with the veil of the Orient.



Bradfield's Female Regulator

brings out a woman's true beauty. It makes her strong and well in those organs upon which her whole general health depends. It corrects all menstrual disorders. It stops the drains of Leucorrhoea. It restores the womb to its proper place. It removes the causes of headache, backache and nervousness. It takes the poor, debilitated, weak, haggard, fading woman and puts her on her feet again, making her face beautiful by making her body well.

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The Press.

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R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

The Democratic National Committee meets in Washington today to name the date and place for the next National convention.

The glass trust announces an advance of 5 per cent on prices of glass. Its product may be brittle, but the trust is not likely to break.

With a Democrat and Republican in the same chair at Frankfort, agreeing to hear the same prayers of one man in opening the Senate, there is some hope of peace.

The Louisville Post is kicking because of the big reward proposed by the legislature for the assassins of Gov. Goebel. If the amount of the reward were left with the Post, it would not exceed thirty cents.

United States Senator Clark admits that he spent \$115,000 to be elected, but holds that every cent was legitimately invested. If it costs that amount to get there honestly, what would be the figures to get there any old way.

Judge Husbands, at Paducah, refused to honor a requisition granted by W. S. Taylor upon the application of the Illinois authorities. Judge Husbands said he did not recognize Taylor as Governor. Judge Husbands was reared in Crittenden county.

Congress is now discussing laws, by-laws and ordinances for the government of our dependencies—Hawaii and Porto Rico. This is a new field in American statesmanship and we may expect some new ideas as well as the abolishment of some old doctrines and theories.

Hon. C. J. Bronson has been heard from again. With a pistol in one hand and a pen in the other, he demands harmony in Democratic ranks. In the Courier Journal he pays a glowing tribute to the life and character of Gov. Goebel, while in a passenger car he drew his pistol one of the governor's warmest friends.

Now that the legislature has gotten back to the old stand with the experiences of the past three weeks, that body ought to be better prepared than ever before to follow Mr. Bryan's admonition to pass a law to prevent corporations from contributing funds for campaign purposes.

Senator Gorman says that it is folly to talk of any other Democrat, Bryan is going to be the nominee. With this kind of a sentiment this early in Maryland, a state that gave its vote to Mr. McKinley four years ago, it is pretty safe to predict that Mr. Bryan will begin his fight after the national convention with practically a united party behind him.

The Jefferson county grand jury refused to indict Senator Harrel on John Whallen's charge of obtaining money by false pretense. Whallen, it will be remembered, put up the money to get votes against Goebel, and when Harrel proceeded to expose the lovely methods of the L. & N., Whallen had the Senator put under bond to answer to the grand jury. Now that the grand jury exonerates Harrel, let Whallen clear his skirts without the intervention of technicality, if he can.

Election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people, by constitutional amendment will be one of the planks in the platform of the Democratic party, according to Chairman Jones, of the Democratic National Committee.

"If the 'Kentucky idea' should provide the leading issue for this year's presidential campaign," says an exchange, "it would be nothing new under the sun. 'Mid the conglomeration of the hazy externals and plutonic darkness of the many unknown things, we would like to ask what the 'Kentucky idea' is this year.

According to the reports from Frankfort, an "agreed case" will be submitted to a court to be agreed upon. These agreements heretofore have been "dam barren idealities." Let all parties disrobe of knives, pistols, Winchester and other accoutrements, offensive and defensive of war, and go into courts, catch as catch can, and wind up this business. Hypotheticals and agreed collaborations are not in season in politics in Kentucky this year.

The Populist National Committee met at Lincoln, Neb., Monday and there was a split. The Middle-of-the-Roaders withdrew and formed an organization of their own. The fusion element was the ascendancy and led by Senator Marion Butler, decided to hold the National Convention at Sioux Falls, May 9. The Middle-of-the-Roaders will hold their convention at Cincinnati May 9. Senator Allen of Nebraska said: "Bryan will be the nominee of both Democrats and Populists."

A "What Would Jesus Do?" Daily.

One of the most interesting publications of the century will be the Christian daily to be edited and managed by Chas. M. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps, or, What Would Jesus Do?" and a half dozen other widely read books. Over 3,000,000 copies of that book have been sold in England and probably half that many in this country.

In his most famous story he gives a large place as to how a Christian daily newspaper was established. It is his hope and dream. At the Detroit Christian Endeavor convention last year, in a speech received with applause, he asked, "Who in this age of magnificent endowments will give \$1,000,000 for the establishment of a great Christian daily newspaper?" Through requests of leading citizens the Topeka Capital will gratify Mr. Sheldon's hope by turning over its plant to him, March 13 to 19. He has accepted the offer and will show the world his ideas as to what every Christian daily should be.

The Union Gospel News, Cleveland, O., made special arrangements by wire at a rate that allows it to offer the Topeka Capital for the six issues edited by Mr. Sheldon, and the Union Gospel News, three months, 13 issues, for 40 cents, a few more cents than the price of the Topeka Capital, which will be 25 cents, and during the three months you get The Union Gospel News, it will contain Sheldon's most tragic story, "The Crucifixion of Phillip Strong," to be handsomely illustrated for the first time by original photographs.

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SOME EMINENT OPINIONS.

L. H. Goodnight, Former U. S. Congressman, Now Judge of the Circuit Court of Kentucky.

Back to the day whence the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, we have been pouring physic into our stomachs to cure the pain in our toes. Thus accustomed, it is hard to appreciate that a science of healing can exist except by drug medicine. Illusioneth thus, I suffered long before consenting to try Osteopathy. To me, its simplicity make it appear absurd. That gall stones, asthma, rheumatism and nervous prostration could be cured with out knife or drug, was to me unbelievable, and I suffered on from all these ills. The most skillful physicians failed me. Fighting for life, I tried Osteopathy as a last resort. The first treatment strengthened the old prejudice. I was sure no good could result. But afterwards I slept—slept like a child. It was sweeter than from narcotics. Then I thought possibly there was something in it. After a few treatments, I ate with impunity anything desired. Then I began to hope. Directly strength returned, pain abated, organs became normal in their functions. Then I believed. Continuing to improve until I grew robust, my belief strengthened. Many others came under my notice. I saw cures—chronic and acute—that appeared marvellous; cures which, if performed by the orthodox methods of medicine, the journals would abound in applause. I have seen cripples, paralytics, dyspeptics, asthmatics and rheumatics take up their beds and walk. These observations, added to my own experience have graduated into beliefs, into knowledge, if knowledge can obtain as to human events. That Osteopathy is still in its infancy, we cheerfully admit, and hence can subscribe to the sentiment expressed by Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, that if all the drugs were cast into the sea it would be much better for the men, and so much worse for the fishes. There are now so many cases that Osteopathy refuses to undertake. But when the science is perfected, it is my belief that it will be potent in all diseases. Certainly Osteopathy is a science of high attainment and utility. No one capable of thinking fairly can withhold applause for a system that is daily curing the most stubborn and serious affections without knife or drug. It is probable that within a few years, that orthodox profession will accept the utility of Osteopathy as cordially as it now accepts the propriety of vaccination, though physicians once resisted the latter as bitterly as they now oppose Osteopathy.

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FORMER GOVERNOR ROBERT L. TAYLOR OF TENNESSEE.

When a century later, historians are sifting the events of this time for the epoch making discoveries of science and civilization, there will be few chapters more important, I think, than that devoted to the reformation of medicine which will have come about through the acceptance and practice of Dr. Still's system, known as Osteopathy.

GOVERNOR HAZEN F. PINGREE, OF MICHIGAN.

Osteopathy is a science entitled to all respect and confidence as a distinct advancement in medicine and I know today that it is doing a vast

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FORMER GOVERNOR JOHN P. ATGELD, OF ILLINOIS.

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THE VALUE OF THESE OPINIONS.

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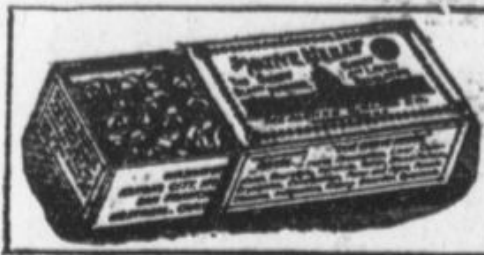
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FROM FLORIDA.

Deland, Fla., Feb. 14, 1900

DEAR EDITOR:—Since my last letter every day has seemed to get warmer in spite of the cold wave signal that has floated over the town, until today the thermometer registers 84, and while I am writing I am comfortably situated in a big arm chair out in the yard under the shade of a live oak tree, breathing in the fresh pure air of this southern climate, but I am not so selfish as to want to enjoy this all alone, but while I write, my thoughts are wafted away on the wings of the wind to the land of my loved ones and I think of the many weak and frail men and women who are struggling with lagrippe, colds, and other diseases caused by the changes of our climate, and if I could, I would have each of them share with me the benefits of this favored climate. I have never seen so perfect weather before, the women are all wearing white dresses, organdies and such other summer goods as they see fit. In fact the dress of the women is exactly the same as our women wore last summer, trimmings and all their organdies are made with ruffles, edged with lace, and some trimmed with black velvet ribbon; they are wearing these now without under sleeves. So if any of our women want to come to Florida, they can just pack up their last summer's piques and organdies and come on, they will be in the latest style. The climate seems to be agreeing splendidly with me and if I can only content myself to stay long enough, I feel that I shall be greatly benefitted. I have had the pleasure of visiting the Stetson University, upon what is known here as presentation day, and I shall ever feel under lasting obligations to Miss Mary and Perry Maxwell for the interest they took in showing me through every department of this magnificent building. Dr. B. L. Whitmore, President of the Columbia University delivered a lecture in the chapel in the afternoon of our visit. We spent one morning in the College Arms Hotel. This is the finest hotel in the city and is owned by Mr. Stetson; we learned that the cost of this hotel was about \$300,000. We also learned that the total cost of the Stetson University was \$450,000. We attended Sunday school at Baptist church. This church is about the size of Marion college, and is also another monument to the honor of Mr. Stetson, and let me say that this Stetson is the same John B. Stetson, whose name we find in the fine hats that we wear. He owns the ice plant, the electric light plant, a dairy, a farm, and I don't know what else. I have met Mr. Stetson, he is a strong Baptist, a gold democrat and a great philanthropist. We have met a great many of the leading people of the town. Among whom are Mr. Perkins the city mayor and his wife, and Mr. Fisk, the principal of the school. We have made at the request of the proprietor our headquarters for loafing at Mr. Duke Haynes' grocery. Duke and Sep seem to be doing the best grocery business in town. We have met Mr. Haynes' wife and mother, and they seem to have plenty of that good old Kentucky hospitality. Well I attended five services Sunday, which kept me pretty busy; they have the L. L. D. to fill the pulpit, and the natives boast of having some of the finest preachers in the South, and some of them are certainly sky scrapers, but they preach the new theology and it seems a little strange to a fellow brought up under the old fashioned kind. We went on a six miles drive with a party of our boarders in back one afternoon to visit the Spiritualist camp at Casage. We also visited lake Hellen and lake Winnemissette; these are beautiful little lakes but the vacant buildings and the wrecked boats tell their own story. The places once sought by the pleasure seeking tourist are now haunted with bats and owls; the sandy fields that are almost worthless now was only a few years ago the scene of rich orange groves; many of the people are living in hope that the freezes are over, and yet that they will live to see these fields covered again with thrifty orange trees, while many others have been forced to give up in despair. Men worth ten to seventy five thousand dollars with good incomes, were flat broke when the freezes came; but the rich and poor, alike, are still blessed with an abundance of pure

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air to breathe, but it is strange to me to see the natives so thin and slender, they don't look as strong as the Northern people who come here to fatten. I often tell them they had better go North for a change, but not wishing to take up too much space I will close for this time.

J. H. Morse.

FOUND A GOLD MINE

IT WAS IN HIS POULTRY YARD

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J. C. Crowell

J. C. Crowell was born in Macklinburgh county, North Carolina, Oct. 26, 1834, and died Jan. 16, 1900. He was married in this county in his early days and lived here until his death. He followed milling as an occupation throughout the greater part of his life, and often remarked that he enjoyed running the mill better than anything he could do.

During the civil war he was slightly wounded near the left eye by a gun cap, which years after formed a cancer that no medical treatment would cure. In late years it gave him such pain that he adapted the habit of using narcotics to keep down misery but of no avail. He suffered intensely until God brought relief. He closed his eyes in sweet slumber, to awaken at the dawn of eternal grace. A wife and eight children survive him. He lived a devoted Christian life.

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THE COLONEL WAS EASY.

But He Had Some Ideas of Logic Just the Same.

"Speaking of chronic touchers," said a man about town, "I suppose there never was an easier victim for the tribe than my old boss. The colonel, he we all called him, had an impediment in his speech, and he used to claim it was easier to go down in his pocket than to try to put up an excuse. As a matter of fact, he had a heart as big as a hoghead and simply couldn't resist an appeal.

"One of the numerous touchers who marked him down as prey was a chap by the name of—well, call him Smiley, which isn't far from the right thing.

"Smiley was a brisk, plausible cuss and always did his touching on the strength of a circumstantial story, but the trouble was he did so much of it he used to sometimes get his cues mixed.

"The first time he tapped the colonel he rushed in, all excitement, and told him his wife had just fallen down stairs and broken her leg. He needed a ten for unforeseen expenses, and of course he got it. Some time elapsed, and one day he turned up again.

"Colonel," he said in a frank, businesslike fashion, "can you lend me \$5? I owe you a little money now, but I have some sickness out at my house and really need this amount."

"What's the t-t-trouble, my b-b-boy?" stuttered the old man kindly as he handed over the five.

"My wife has just fractured her ankle," replied Smiley.

"It requires a good deal of nerve to make a third touch at the same place, and Smiley staid away for fully six months. When he came in, it was on the run.

"Colonel," he exclaimed breathlessly, "I feel like a dog when I see you, but I've got to have a couple of dollars quick and haven't time to go anywhere else. Can you accommodate me and just make a mem. of the whole amount? I'll send it to you next week."

"Why, what's the m-m-matter?" asked the colonel, startled by his manner.

"My wife has broken her leg," he replied, "and I want to send a cab for a doctor."

"B-b-broken another l-leg?" echoed the colonel, amazed. "Here's the m-m-money, Smiley. B-b-but sometimes I think," he added grinning, "that you m-m-must have m-m-married a c-c-centiped!"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Yankee Thrift.

A guest with an irascible temper at a hotel in a New England town found that the dinner was not to his liking, and he had no hesitancy in telling the waiter so. Finally he threw down his knife and fork.

"Well," he exclaimed, "there's no use in talking. I can't eat this stuff."

"I'm sorry, sir," responded the waiter, "but you might as well, for you'll have to pay for it anyhow."—Detroit Free Press.

Not a Hardship.

"Do Mr. and Mrs. Wickelson, the people who live across the hall from you, ever disturb you at night by their quarreling? I am told that they fight like cats and dogs."

"They do fight, but we are not disturbed in the least. My husband always permits me to let the transom down and listen without a protest."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Her Sarcasm.

"What branch of art does your friend prefer?" asked the young woman.

"I don't know," answered Miss Cayenne, "but I should say he is an impressionist."

"Has he produced anything remarkable in that line?"

"Yes; the impression that he is an artist."—Washington Star.

Chance to Get Even.

Young Bridegroom—Darling, I think I should like to take your little brother with us to Niagara falls.

Bride—How kind that would be of you, Harry!

Young Bridegroom—Yes. I should like to push him over them.—Chicago Tribune.

Cold Comfort.

"Looks as though our day was done," said the dejected horse.

"Oh, I don't know!" replied Optimistic Dobbin. "They'll need leather for certain parts of these automobiles, and they'll probably use our hides for that."—Philadelphia Press.

Reliable Medicine.

"Do you believe in mind cure?"

"Yes," answered Mr. Meekton's wife. "It sometimes works with matters of habit. Every time I give Mr. Meekton a piece of my mind about smoking it cures him for several days."—Washington Star.

The Unpardonable Sin.

"Girls are getting awfully snippy."

"What's the matter now?"

"That girl refused me."

"Did she give any reason?"

"She says I made a pun while I was proposing to her."—Detroit Free Press.

His Old Habits Abandoned.

"It was too bad about Neil Richman's husband dying so suddenly, wasn't it?"

"Did he die suddenly?"

"Yes. Hadn't you heard about it?"

"No. I thought he was from Philadelphia."—Chicago Times-Herald.

That Depends.

"What is the difference between a sharp man and a smooth rascal?"

"Frequently there is no difference. The term depends upon whether you profit or lose by the operations of the man in question."—Chicago Post.

Dull Witted.

Borrowell—I can't imagine what you see in Smithkins. He's so very dull.

Wigwag—He's sharp enough to suit you.—Philadelphia Record.

If Man Were a Flea.

Snyder, the calculating barber, had not opened his lips for fully four minutes, and it was plain to be seen that he had something on his mind. Finally he swallowed twice, breathed hard for a moment and gave vent to his feelings in this manner:

"I've been thinking what I could do if I were only a flea. I read in a scientific paper the other day that if a man were built on the same lines as a flea he could jump from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh in one leap. I mean, of course, if he had all the power of a flea increased in proportion to his size. Think how quickly he could circumnavigate the globe. It might be possible to get around the world in an hour. The distance from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh is 354 miles, and the equatorial circumference of the earth is 24,902 miles.

"A simple calculation in mental arithmetic will show you that this would be a fraction over 70 leaps. It surely wouldn't take a minute for each jump judged from the liveliness of the flea. Think of coming in here, with three or four customers ahead of you, and, instead of sitting down and waiting, just taking a few jumps around the world to kill time. There you are, sir. With a hand or bay rya?"—Philadelphia Record.

One Point of Resemblance.

"The elder Sothorn was a good story teller, and he particularly liked to dwell on his experiences at the outset of his stage life, when he was a minor member of the John McCullough company," said the old time theater goer.

"McCullough was playing in Texas and in one town where he was billed to play 'Ingomar,' through some accident on the railroad, the necessary costumes were delayed.

"The manager was equal to the situation, however. He went to every butcher's shop in town and hired all the sheep and cow hides he could to dress up his supers.

"When McCullough came on the stage that night, he fell back appalled by the stench of the hastily improvised clothing worn by the barbarians.

"What do you think of them? Sothorn laughingly asked McCullough, pointing to the supers as the curtain rolled down.

"They neither act like, look like nor talk like barbarians," curtly growled the tragedian, "but, by the gods, they smell like them!"—Kansas City Independent.

He Didn't Choose.

Toward Mecca the thoughts and aspirations of all pious Moslems are turned, and at least once in his lifetime the good Mohammedan is expected to make a pilgrimage to that city. One of the duties of the pilgrim immediately after his arrival is to make a journey seven times round a holy portico outside the mosque.

"We went at a great pace," says an Englishman, who, disguised as a Mohammedan, paid a visit to Mecca at the risk of his life, "and the day was growing hot. When the procession was over, we came back to the mosque and were each given a bowl of limpid water. I was so thirsty that I drank mine at a draft and asked for more, which I noticed produced a very good impression, for, as I afterward learned, this was the sacred water of Temzen, which an infidel cannot drink without being choked.

"This was supposed to be the water which was supplied to Hagar when she was perishing in the desert."—Christian Endeavor World.

He Rode Down.

Algernon Dougherty of the United States diplomatic service has qualities of his own to account for his success as well as being the son of the famous "Silver Tongued" Dougherty of Philadelphia. One of the rules of the aristocratic Parisian concierge is that while one may ride up in the elevator one must not ride down. It was Mr. Dougherty who broke down this rule in a house in the Rue de Maturin.

He started down, and the concierge stopped the elevator. "It is forbidden."

"By whom?"

"The proprietor forbids it," said the concierge.

Mr. Dougherty drew himself up and said, "Tell your proprietor that I forbid him to forbid me anything!" and rode on down. And now even the timid maiden ladies on the sixth floor play with that elevator as though it were a tame cat.—San Francisco Argonaut.

The Gallery Answered Martha.

Of the Dublin gallery boys a famous baritone, in his reminiscences, tells some good stories—one of "Finst," in which he played Valentine.

After the duel Martha, who rushed in at the head of the crowd, raised Valentine's head and held him in her arms during the first part of the scene and cried out in evident alarm:

"Oh, what shall I do?"

There was a deathlike stillness in the house, which was interrupted by a voice from the gallery calling out:

"Unbutton his waist!"

His Company.

Mark Twain, meeting Charles Guthrie, a prominent British lawyer, in Vienna, asked him if he smoked. "Sometimes, when I am in bad company," was the reply.

After a pause came a second question: "You're a lawyer, aren't you, Mr. Guthrie?"

"I am, Mr. Clemens."

"Ah, then, Mr. Guthrie, you must be a very heavy smoker!"

When a woman calls her husband up by telephone without his knowing who she is, she is always surprised to see how politely he addresses her at first.—Somerville Journal.

One good thought generously received always attracts another.

THE NEXT FRUIT CROP.

Outlook is Not Quite as Disheartening as It Would Appear to Most on First Thought.

The coming season will not be as noted for its abundant crop of fruit as last. The excessively cold winter has killed so many trees and vines that we can hardly expect to have much more than a half or three-quarters of a crop, and in some localities even less. Consequently there was never a season when more attention was needed in the orchard, for by giving better culture to the fruit it is possible to make some amends for nature's shortcomings. There is always one redeeming feature about a small crop. Prices are apt to be higher, and this sometimes brings them up to a point where profits are more satisfactory. In years of excessive fruit yields the profits to the growers have more than once been so small that they hardly paid for the time and labor bestowed upon their culture. A smaller crop with better prices may not be so good to the consumer, but it is apt to be better for the farmers' pocketbooks. Thus the outlook for fruit growing this year may not be quite as bad as would appear at first thought.

But there is need of preparation for it. More than ever it is necessary to give the trees and vines good cultivation, and protect them from the ravages of insects and disease. There is probably no orchard where the culture is so good that it could not be improved a little. By studying the trees carefully, and giving the best attention to the fewer number of trees that have withstood the cold, we can surely increase the yield to some extent. The outlook is not a matter for sorrow or regret so much as it is one for renewed effort to better culture.

In the first place it will pay to go through the orchard and cut out all except the trees that promise a fair crop. This is no time to nurse half dead trees. Either cut them back, or dig them up and replace them with others, and then give all the attention to the remainder. Sometimes there is life in a tree, which will spring up and thrive if the tree is cut back enough, but if left just as it is it will exhaust itself trying to distribute itself over a wide area. The pruning knife is sometimes the best friend in a season like this.—C. S. Walters, in Journal of Agriculture.

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—R. F. Haynes.

Anesthesia From Torture.

An extraordinary thing happened during Mr. Seney's last illness. While a friend was with him he was smitten with a violent attack of angina pectoris. It seemed as though his sufferings were more than the body could stand and survive. The paroxysms lasted for more than an hour. After it had passed he opened his eyes as one who awakes from a sound sleep and said to his friends, "Why, I have been asleep, haven't I?" So that it seemed that the excess of pain and struggle had really produced a sort of anesthesia, and the case will be discussed at a meeting of one of the medical faculties.—New York Cor. Philadelphia Press.

A H. Thurness, Mgr. Wills Creek Coal Co., Buffalo, Ohio, writes: I have been afflicted with Kidney and Bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stones, accompanied by excruciating pains. Other medicines only gave temporary relief. After taking Foley's Kidney Cure, the result was surprising. A few doses started the brickdust, little fine stones, etc., and now I have no pain across my kidneys and feel like a new man. Foley's Kidney Cure has done me \$1000 worth of good.

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DEATHS.

Mrs. Penina Franklin, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Thomas J. Yandell, of this place, Saturday, after a brief illness of pneumonia. The interment took place at Union church Sunday.

The deceased was the widow of H. W. Franklin, who died twenty-five years ago, and she was a daughter of the late Samuel Wilborn. She was in her 61st year, and was healthy and vigorous, and came to Marion a few weeks ago to be with her daughter, Mrs. Yandell, who had the measles. She leaves four children: Mrs. Kate Yandell, Mrs. John N. Clark, Mrs. Fia Miles and Mr. Sherman Franklin. She was an excellent christian lady and many friends are deeply grieved at her death.

Mr. Henry Easley died at the residence of John Baker in the Iron Hill neighborhood, Monday night. He had been in declining health for a number of years, and some ten years ago he went to California hoping to be improved by the climate and the change did probably prolong his life. Two weeks ago he returned to this county, having abandoned hope, and declined rapidly until the end. He was a brother of Mr. John Easley, a well known citizen, and a brother-in-law of Mr. J. L. Steward, of this place.

Sixty-One Years Old.

The friends of Mrs. Sue Hughes, celebrated her 61st birth day Feb. 10, 1900. The meeting was a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Hughes. Many fine and valuable presents were presented, and all present had a pleasant time. Those present were Mesdames E. A. Hughes, M. B. Cain, A. Heath, N. J. Daniels, Emma Hughes, B. Bristol, Alice Hughes, Lillie Walker, Della Hughes, Sallie Cabagan and Mary Hughes. Misses Lulu Hughes, Sallie Wood, Ermon Cain, Kittle Hill, M. Hughes, Birdie Hughes, Hattie Hughes and Ethel Daniel. Messrs. Ira Bristol, Albert Walker, H. Wood, O. Hughes, Jim Hughes, Claud Hughes, T. L. Hughes, Tommy Hughes, Chas. and Will Daniel, Ray and Nick Hughes and Willie Cabagan.

A fine dinner was served; singing and music was all the go, after which the party dispersed wishing to spend many such days with Mr. and Mrs. Hughes. One Present.

The Oliver family, of Grand River, consisting of the mother, grown daughter and two sons, were lodged in jail last Saturday evening, having been arrested for contempt of circuit court in refusing to appear as witnesses in the case of the commonwealth against the Howell boys.—Southland Banner.

Flushed Cheeks, Throbbing Temples, Nausea, Lassitude, Lost Appetite, Sallow Complexion, Pimples, Blisters, are warnings. Take Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine.—J. H. Morse.

Wednesday night Kit Jackson, who lived three miles east of town, did not return from work. The family became uneasy and started in search of the missing man. About 10 o'clock he was found near Jim Pitts', where he had been cutting timber. He cut a tree Monday that lodged and in cutting the tree against which the other had fallen he got caught under the falling tree and was crushed to death, having lain under the tree since 8 o'clock in the morning.—Eddyville Tale.

If you have had the grip you need Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to the disease. Guaranteed 25¢ and 50¢ at R. F. Haynes'.

Negro soldiers from Fort Bliss raided the police station in El Paso, Tex., to release two comrades. One police man and one soldier were killed.

NOTICE.

All of my sale notes are due, and the parties owing them are aware of this. I am straightening up my business and these notes must be paid, and warning is hereby given that all notes not paid by March 15, will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection without respect to persons.

A. D. McFEE.
Marion, Ky., Feb. 19, 1900.

A Penalty For Being Polite.

It is more difficult to be polite in the city of Hamburg than in any other place in Europe. There the most chivalrous man has to think twice before giving up his seat in a car to a lady, as he may be turned off the car for politeness. It seems that the Hamburg trolley cars will seat, according to size, 20 or 28 persons, 10 to 14 on each side. In addition four persons are allowed on the front and five persons on the back platform. When the car is full, the conductor hangs out a sign, "Be-setzt," which means "occupied," and is absolutely forbidden to take on another passenger until some one gets off the car.

Sometimes, while the conductor is in front collecting fares, a lady will step on the car which is already "occupied." As there is no conductor on hand to prevent her, the lady steps inside, and the gentleman who may offer her a seat comes out and takes his stand on the platform. When the conductor afterwards goes his rounds returns to his post, he promptly requests the gentleman to step off the car, as he has forfeited his seat and the car is fully "occupied." Should he refuse to leave the car he is put off. The policemen on the streets are instructed to watch the cars sharply, and if they find a car carries even one more passenger than its proper complement the conductor is fined 72 cents, which is paid to a charity fund of the street railway company.—Philadelphia Press.

Salt and Horse Radish.

Some people care for nothing but lemon on raw oysters, but there are others who desire horse radish. Usually such folk regard the strongest horse radish as the best, but an experienced vender of the condiment pools this point of view.

"Why should the strong horse radish be considered good?" says he. "It brings tears to your eyes and lifts the top of your head off and makes you want to sneeze. It has no taste whatever. The mild horse radish, that which has stood awhile, is the best and pleasantest always."

"There is nothing so foolish as to think that the strong, biting kind is the fresh—that is the reason why it is preferred to the mild sort—for the very stalest, weakest horse radish can be made in 20 minutes strong enough to blow your head off. All you need to do is to add salt to it. Try this some time. Just take any old horse radish, dump in a spoonful of salt and then notice the difference. I don't know why salt should have such a powerful effect on the stuff, but no doubt a chemist could tell you that."—Philadelphia Record.

Turned It to Account.

A Derbyshire man, accompanied by his wife, happened to be travelling in a train when, near Stafford, a collision occurred. He was well known for his shrewdness in business, and he proved that in the collision his wife received a contusion between the eyes, for which a jury awarded £50 damages. Some time after the affair had blown over the following confession, or something to the like effect, was elicited from the plaintiff in a moment of unguarded conviviality:

"Well, you see, when the collision happened I was a bit of a fellow in a terrible state. One sings out: 'Ey, lad! I've gotten me head cut open. I'll ha' twenty pounds for this.' 'Twenty pounds, ye silly fule!' cries another. 'I've gotten me shoulder out, and I'll ha' forty pounds for 't.' When I heard this," continued the clever business man, "I jumped at 't' and I was straight out and drove my 'ead betwixen her eyes, and we've gotten fifty pounds for it."—London Answers.

A Natural Bridge in Arizona.

Natural bridge, on Pine creek. In the northern part of Gila county, is one of the greatest natural curiosities in the United States, equalling if not surpassing the Natural bridge of Virginia. It spans the creek at a height of about 200 feet, and the walls of the canyon rise above it on either side 700 or 800 feet and on one side form a perpendicular precipice. The bridge is of lime formation, and the inside of the great arch, which is some 250 feet across, is worn by the water as smooth as though chiseled by the skillful hand of a stonemason. The arch on top is nearly, if not quite, 400 feet in width, 1,000 feet in length across the canyon and at the thinnest part only six feet through. About the center of the arch is a hole large enough to admit the body of a man and through which one can look down into the crystal pool of water 200 feet below.—Globe (A. T.) Silver Belt.

Fright, Not Fascination.

Naturalists are not at all agreed upon the point as to whether snakes are able to fascinate their prey. Certainly they do not possess the power to the extent that popular belief would have it. Stories of the weird and mystic influence of a serpent's eye fall flat in the face of scientific accuracy. What can be said of snakes, however, is that their very appearance paralyzes the victim. It cannot move for fright, for its faculties are temporarily suspended. There is no fascination about this however. It is fright, and fright alone.

A Nice Cousin.

Jack—You know when Mabel rejected me last week I told you my troubles, and you promised to help me. Well, she accepted me last night. Am I to thank you for intermeddling for me? Cousin Belle—Not exactly, dear boy. I simply intimated to Mabel that I was after you myself.—Philadelphia Press.

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