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THE STOCK LAW.

Some Sensible Views of a Crittenden County Farmer.

With rough lumber worth one dollar per hundred at the mill, with wire and other fencing material high, and with outside range becoming worthless, the problem of stock and fence will continue to demand the attention of the farmers of this county.

Probably a stock law like that of Illinois would not suit our condition. In that State no stock is allowed to run at large; but in some of the rougher counties of Ohio and Indiana they have a modified form of the same law, in which certain kinds of stock only is allowed on the common.

In the opinion of the writer something of this sort would suit the conditions of this section. In fact it was suggested to him by a prominent farmer and stock raiser of this neighborhood that we have a hog law.

Of all farm animals the hog is the most expensive to fence against and the least benefitted by outside range. More than half the fencing is for his benefit, as figures which we shall give further on will prove.

As we said, the hog is least benefitted. In fact it is a positive injury for him to run outside. What little meat there is only brings on disease, while running out spreads cholera and swine plague, from which thousands of dollars worth die in this county annually. Yet there is another disadvantage that possibly you have never thought about. There will be little improvement in stock so long as it is allowed to shift for itself. Nothing but the proverbial "razor back sow" and the sandy shote can live on the range. Thorobred stock, used for generations to being kept up and fed find life so different when turned out with native stock to root hog or die, usually choose the latter, and the owners conclude that "blooded stock don't pay."

But to the cost, and "figures won't lie."

Have you ever estimated the cost of the fencing on your farm? Have you ever calculated the cost of the lumber in it? What kind of a fence are you going to build? You can't use rails for there is not enough timber in the county to fence it if you were foolish enough to use timber worth one dollar per hundred that way. That was all right when we were clearing land, and no market for lumber.

Probably the least expensive and best all purpose fence is the 3 1/2 foot picket fence with a barbed wire at the top. Now the proposition that we wish to submit for your consideration is this:

If hogs were not allowed to run at large the five wires used in the picket fence would make a good fence for other stock. We will save the pickets, half the posts, the work of weaving the pickets, and a more durable fence. The saving is more than you would think, without making the calculation.

Counting two 3 inch pickets to the foot there would be in one mile 9249 feet of lumber. There need be only half as many posts in wire fence, as every farmer understands. If posts are 14 feet apart,

will save 189 to the mile. If there are twelve feet to the post it will be 2268 feet, which added to the amount in pickets makes a total of 11,508 feet to the mile. If splitting costs as much as sawing and lumber is worth one dollar per hundred feet, then \$115.08 per mile is the sum that the hog fence costs above that for other stock, which does not include the cost of weaving. But to be conservative we will call it \$100. Find how many miles of fence you have and you can tell how much it will cost to let your hogs run at large.

There are 169,859 acres of land in cultivation in Crittenden county, by the assessor's books. If it is divided into twenty acre fields and half the fences cross fences, then there is in the county 4998 miles of fence; so that the saving between hog fence and that for other stock will be about \$498,700. If the fence will last fifteen years it will cost each year one fifteenth of the amount above stated, or \$33,246, while interest at 6 per cent. on first cost will be \$29,922, making a total of \$63,168 per year that it will cost the farmers of this county to fence against hogs in the future, with lumber at present prices.

Where is the man that thinks that the weeds, wormy acorns and cholera germs that the hogs of this county gather are worth that amount of money?

The writer of this article knows that all change is not improvement but there is no improvement without a change. As a community becomes settled up changes in laws and regulations of society are absolutely necessary. He is of the opinion that the time has come when there should be a law to regulate the running at large of stock in this county. Having been asked by farmers of his community to write his views on the subject has done so hurriedly amid the press of other business. But if it shall cause the people of this county to consider the matter, then all that he expected to do will have been accomplished.

R. F. WHEELER.

A SERIOUS SCRAP.

Jim Level Makes a Meal off of Geo. Stone's Under Lip.

Jim Level and George Stone, two negro toughs, fell out over some trivial matter and proceeded to beat each other Monday afternoon. Level used his teeth to good effect. He buried his tusks in Stone's chin, tearing the flesh severely. Unfortunately the fight ended before either of the negroes were killed. Stone gave himself up, but Level led the officers a merry chase and escaped. We hope for the good of the community that he may never return.

Princeton Presbytery.

Princeton Presbytery, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, will convene at Hopkinsville, Ky., April 9-11, 1901. This promises to be an interesting and important Presbytery. We hope that every church will be represented. Let every minister be present. Hopkinsville throws her doors wide open and welcomes all that will come. Pray that the Holy Spirit may rest upon us in rich abundance.

James F. Price,
Stated Clerk.

CLOVERPORT'S FIRE.

Town Almost Completely Wiped Off The Map.

Fire broke out at Cloverport last Thursday night, and fanned by a stiff breeze, the flames held high carnival. When morning dawned about fifty families were homeless and without food, and every business house and industrial plant in the town except one had been licked up with their contents.

In all about seventy-five buildings were destroyed and that thriving little city of something over 2,000 inhabitants was almost completely wiped out, causing losses that aggregated between \$300,000 and \$400,000, about \$125,000 of which was insured.

The town has no water works and the people were at the mercy of the flames. Louisville, Owensboro, Evansville and Henderson were telegraphed for aid, but before it could reach there the town was in ashes. Nothing could be saved. Stores and residences had their contents hustled into the streets, but flying sparks set fire to them and consumed them. A number of unfortunates will be able to rebuild and resume business, but many had not a dollar of insurance and lost everything they possessed.

A FIGHT

At a Dance Near the Memphis Mine Friday Night.

Friday night at a dance near the Memphis spar mines in this county, Tobe Akers and Scott Robinson became involved in a difficulty and Robinson used his knife on Akers inflicting painful wounds on the arm. Akers came to town Saturday morning and had his wounds dressed but declined to swear out a warrant against Robinson. He claims that he was trying to keep down a row between his brother and Robinson's boy when Robinson attacked him with the knife.

Notice.

To the People of Crittenden County:

Whereas, Typhoid fever, diphtheria, dysentery, tuberculosis, measles, scarlet fever, smallpox, mumps, etc., are or have been prevailing in the county for several months, and malaria, which is now known to be an infective disease, carried by mosquitoes, has prevailed to an alarming degree during the last year,

It is ordered by the local Board of Health that all cesspools, water closets, pig pens, stables, chicken coops, manure heaps, piles of rubbish, decaying vegetables, dead animals, filthy back yards and lots be removed; cleaned, drained or burned, as the case may be, and premises cleaned and disinfected by April 1st, 1901. This order applies with special force to the towns, and thickly populated communities.

This Board expresses the hope that this notice will be all that is necessary, but will prosecute to the limit of the law all who fail to obey this order.

By order of the Board.
W. J. J. Paris, Sec'y.

The old Southern songs Polk Miller sings, the rich old stories he tells in his "Old Times Down South," are worth going miles to hear. Some are pathetic, some are humorous, all are entertaining and enchanting.

Osteopathy a Boon to Women.

From Our Special Correspondent.

FRANKLIN, KY.,
March 18th 1901.

ED. PRESS: So many people ask regarding the value of Osteopathy in those troubles peculiar to women that we quote the following from the Rev. Mason W. Pressley, of Philadelphia:

"The first remark that awakened a deep interest concerning Osteopathy was made by Mrs. J. B. Foraker, wife of the United States Senator from Ohio. She said: 'There is really no need of woman suffering, as she does, with Osteopathy.' We did not then understand the import of her remark, for we were then ignorant of female complaints and of Osteopathy. Now we understand. We are still surprised at the marvelous results reached by osteopathic treatment in cases of difficult, suppressed or painful menstruation. It is simply unnecessary that any woman should suffer from these causes. Such cases are due to a fall, or a displacement, or poor circulation, or weak nerve action. The pains in the small of the back, the neuralgic suffering, the aches on either side of the lower abdomen, and the depression from which so many women suffer, are unnecessary. And yet very many poor sufferers think that these experiences are the common lot of women. This is not true. We have many cases in which from three to five days of suffering every month has given way to an almost painless experience that did not interrupt the ordinary engagements. With a release from the monthly drain and strain upon the woman's nervous vitality, there is an invariable increase of strength and a general improvement of the health. Osteopathy asks the simple question, 'Why should the women suffer as they do?'

We certainly agree with these words of Rev. Mr. Pressley and believe with Mrs. Foraker that there is really no need for women to suffer with osteopathy in reach. Hundreds after trying all the different drugs and finding no relief, give osteopathy a trial and thousands of healthy women today testify to the wonderful success of osteopathy.

We have proficient lady physicians and are prepared to give every care and attention to patients. The very worse cases are being cured, and there is no need giving up hope until you have tried osteopathy. Do not delay, but give osteopathy a chance at your case while a cure is possible. We will be glad to answer any inquiries regarding the treatment or regarding the cure of any of your readers. All communications confidential.

The Southern School of Osteopathy, Franklin, Ky.

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A WEEK'S RECORD

All the News of the Past Seven Days Condensed.

HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

DOMESTIC.

The Indiana legislature has adjourned sine die.

Six girls and two men were killed and 51 persons injured in the explosion of a boiler in the Doremus laundry in Chicago.

The three children of Guy Williams, left alone in a farmhouse near Washington, Ind., were burned to death.

The exports of domestic products of the United States during the last eight months amounted to \$598,740,375, an increase of \$80,000,000 over the previous eight months.

Mrs. Carrie Nation was released from the jail in Topeka upon giving bond to keep the peace and to appear for trial at the April term.

A federal judge at Cleveland, O., decided the city ordinance fixing street car fare at three cents to be unconstitutional.

Later advice says that the tornado in Arkansas killed 16 persons and many buildings were destroyed at Greenwood, Osceola, Piggott and Paragould.

Ten persons started in a six days' go-as-you-please walking race in Philadelphia.

Six counterfeiters and moonshiners were arrested in Arizona.

The fire losses in the United States in February amounted to \$13,992,000, against \$15,427,000 in the same month last year.

A boy 16 years old shot and killed his schoolmate in Chicago.

The Utah legislature passed a bill granting immunity from prosecutions for polygamy.

The Arkansas house passed a bill barring trusts from doing business in the state.

Frederick Windbiel, aged 13, was arrested in Chicago for robbing his father of \$4,000.

In a collision between freight and cattle trains on the Northwestern road near Arlington Heights, Ill., two men were killed and nine wounded. Cattle were roasted in the blazing cars.

Builders' test of the battleship Illinois showed that she is the swiftest of her class in the American navy. Prediction is made that she will show 37.25 knots in government trial.

Porto Rico is said to be facing disaster on account of tariff laws and the withholding by the United States of money needed to stimulate business.

Michigan Central railroad officials made successful experiments of lighting up Niagara falls at night with great searchlights.

The president of the failed Niles (Mich.) bank refuses to deny or confirm a reported shortage of \$100,000. Cashier Johnson was not yet found.

The will of Frank O. Matthiessen, former treasurer of the sugar trust, leaves his \$15,000,000 estate to his widow.

Utah's new polygamy law is in the hands of the governor.

Andrew Carnegie will give Waukegan, Ill., \$25,000 for a public library.

The bill disfranchising negroes was passed by the Maryland house and advanced to second reading in the senate.

A resolution asking for statehood was killed in the Hawaiian senate.

Joha Henderson, a negro who murdered Mrs. Younger, a white woman, was burned at the stake by a mob in Corsicana, Tex.

Frank Sherman, of Washington, D. C., won the pool championship of the world at Boston.

Two trainmen were killed by a passenger train running into a snow-drift at Lake Station, Mich.

C. A. Johnson, missing cashier of the Niles (Mich.) bank, is accused of forging notes for \$100,000 and of having robbed the bank for years.

Mayor Gleichmann, of Cincinnati, announced that no more permits for boxing contests would be issued to athletic clubs.

The business portion of the public square at Sparta, Tenn., was destroyed by fire.

Eleven passengers were injured by the ditching of a passenger train near Soldier, Kan.

A white convict was whipped to death in a camp near Winston, N. C.

Lieut. Gen. Miles has gone on a Cuban tour.

One foot of snow fell in northern Wisconsin.

Sherman Harris (colored) was hanged by a mob near Spellman, Ga., for the murder of Sidney King, a merchant.

Cloverport, Ky., a town of 3,000, was nearly wiped out by fire.

Andrew Carnegie, in a letter to the people of Pittsburgh, Pa., announced his retirement from active business and a gift of \$5,000,000 to his old employees.

The army transport Hancock, with the Thirtieth volunteer infantry, made up almost wholly of men from Illinois and Michigan, arrived in San Francisco from Manila.

It is reported that the British cabinet has arranged terms that may be acceptable to the Boers.

Gov. Wells, of Utah, vetoed the bill which legalized polygamy in the state.

Robbers blew open the safe of the Farmers' bank at New Madison, O., but failed to get any booty.

Gus Davis, a negro, was hanged at Belleville, Tex., for the murder of Herman Schlusens, a white farmer, last December.

A bill disfranchising 40,000 illiterate voters in Maryland was passed by the legislature.

Col. W. C. Sanger, of New York, has been appointed assistant secretary of war.

Investigation discloses that of \$350,000 deposits only \$35,000 remains in the vaults of the suspended Bank of Niles Mich.

President McKinley issued a proclamation directing 30 days' official mourning for the death of Benjamin Harrison.

Marconi, the wireless telegraphy inventor, arrived in New York.

C. W. Ryan, cashier of the National bank at Halifax, Pa., was shot and killed by two robbers, who were captured by citizens after a struggle.

Ralph G. Bateman killed his sweetheart, Ella F. White, at Norwood, Mass., and then committed suicide. Jealousy was the cause.

The Maine legislature refused to submit to the people the prohibitory amendment to the constitution.

Jimmy Coogan, a light weight pugilist, was shot and killed in Denver by Frank Salter.

Harry Thurston was arrested for robbing his benefactress, Mrs. George E. Frasin, of Morgan Park, Ill., while she was dying.

The impeachment trial of the justices of the supreme court of North Carolina was begun at Raleigh.

Mrs. Richardson, widow of the Savannah (Mo.) merchant who was murdered last December, has been indicted for the crime.

Thousands of bushels of oranges are rotting in California because railroads cannot furnish enough cars to transport the fruit to eastern markets.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Lieut. Commander Leonard Cheney, United States navy, retired, died in New York city, aged 56 years.

Franklin Hatheway, who had lived in Chicago since 1847, died, aged 83.

Alfred Stead, youngest son of W. T. Stead, of London, and Miss Mary Elaine Hussey were married at Indianapolis.

C. T. Gorham, former minister to The Hague, died at Marshall, Mich., aged 89 years.

Ex-President Benjamin Harrison died at his home in Indianapolis, aged 68 years. The cause of death was pneumonia, following an attack of grippe. He leaves a wife and three children.

The democratic city convention of Denver, Col., nominated Mrs. Eliza M. Anderson for city clerk.

A fierce blizzard in Michigan tied up all railroad traffic north of Grand Rapids.

Three train men were killed by the explosion of an engine on the Lehigh Valley railroad near Mud Run, N. J.

The Pennsylvania company is said to have secured control of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

Henry Raab, ex-state superintendent of education, died at his home in Belleville, Ill.

Frank E. Corbett, speaker of the Montana house of representatives, died in Butte, aged 37 years.

FOREIGN.

England has rejected the amended Hay-Pauncefote treaty for the construction by the United States of an isthmian canal.

Minister E. H. Conger left Peking for the United States on leave of absence.

Lord Lansdowne has notified Mr. Hay that England indorses America's purpose to check Russian aggression in China. Earl Li is reported to have asked four powers to save China from Russia.

Gen. Dios, Aguinaldo's chief lieutenant, and his men surrendered to the Americans at Nais, a Philippine province heretofore obstinately defended.

Gen. Maximo Gomez said he would not accept the presidency of the Cuban republic.

British naval estimates for 1901-2 call for an outlay of £30,875,000, providing for 33 new fighting vessels, including five submarine boats of the Holland type.

Britons and Russians quarreled over a piece of land at Tientsin. They showed bitterness and made threats of using force.

Cuban statistics are given to show that the island needs free trade in agricultural products with the United States to give it full enjoyment of prosperity.

Gen. Botha is reported to have called Boer chiefs together to act on the surrender issue.

Senor Sanguilly, Cuban leader, says American demands should be accepted to avoid trouble.

NATION'S HONORED DEAD.

Remains of Benjamin Harrison Laid to Rest in Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis.

MULTITUDES HONORED HIS MEMORY.

Impressive Services at the Home, at the First Presbyterian Church and at the Grave—President McKinley Among the Most Sincere Mourners—All Was Well Ordered.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 18.—In the center of a hollow square composed of fully 15,000 of his fellow citizens the remains of Benjamin Harrison were yesterday afternoon interred in the family lot in Crown Hill cemetery.

Close by the grave were the members of his family, President McKinley and other visitors of distinction and the more intimate friends of Gen. Harrison. Back a distance of 30 yards behind the ropes, guarded zealously by a large force of police, stood, with uncovered heads the great multitude who knew him not so well as did they who stood beside the freshly upturned earth, but who honored him and admired him fully as much. It is doubtful if any public man, at least in this generation, was borne to his last resting place among so many manifestations of respect. Of passionate grief there was little beyond the members of his family, but the tribute of respect was universal. It came from all alike, from those of his own political faith and from those who differed with him concerning what is best for the nation's good; from men who have been his life-long friends, and from those who knew him merely by sight and to whom he never spoke. It came from women and children, from white and black, from all conditions and kinds of people. There was no exception anywhere to the expression that the nation had lost one of its ablest men and the greatest man of his generation in his own state.

By the grave stood the chief magistrate of the nation, and behind the representative were all the street arabs of Gen. Harrison's city—every grade of humanity in America, between the two, was represented in the crowd—and in them all there was but the one feeling, that a man had died who was honest at all times with himself and with others and whose ability and character were such as the nation could ill afford to lose.

The weather, like that of Saturday, was unsurpassable, bright sunlight and the warm breath of spring in every breeze, and yet in the air a touch of winter that brought the blood to the cheek and a sparkle to the eye. The services at the church and grave were simple in the extreme and in most excellent taste and like the proceedings Saturday, there was an utter absence of friction in everything that was done. All was well ordered and well performed. At the home, before the remains were taken to the First Presbyterian church, where the full service was held, there were brief exercises for the members of the family and more immediate friends of Gen. Harrison. Possibly 150 people were present. Mrs. Harrison did not appear, but remained in her room until it was time to leave for the church.

President McKinley, accompanied by Gov. Durbin, called at the house about one o'clock. At about the same time came the members of President Harrison's cabinet and others continually arrived until the short services were over.

The people sat in the parlors, filled the halls and a number of them sat upon the stairs, while Dr. Haines read a short passage from the Scriptures and made a few remarks touching the life and character of Gen. Harrison as did Dr. Nichols, of St. Louis; and after a brief prayer by Dr. Haines the services were over.

The florist's wagon backed up to the front of the house and a number of the larger pieces were loaded into the vehicle preparatory to being taken to the church.

Word was then sent to Mrs. Harrison that the time had come for the body to be removed to the church, and she at once came down from her room into the parlor. There was a few minutes of bustle, whispered directions by the undertaker and his assistants, and a marshaling of the honorary pallbearers into column of twos.

The procession was to have left the house at 1:30 o'clock, but it was fully 30 minutes later when everything was in readiness. The doors were thrown wide open and the honorary pallbearers came down the walk leading to the street. After them came the active pallbearers, bearing the casket.

While the casket was being placed in the hearse the honorary pallbearers stood to one side with bowed heads. As soon as the hearse had moved from the front of the house the carriages came up rapidly and the family and visitors entered them. The undertaker and his assistants held a list of the occupants of each carriage as it should go in the procession and as quickly as a carriage stopped the people to whom it belonged were ushered in and it moved down the street to take its place in the procession.

One o'clock was the hour set for opening the church, although it was opened somewhat earlier than that. By 1:10 every seat was occupied, chairs filled the aisles, a long row of people stood along the two side walls and men were perched upon the pulpit stairs. The doors were closed at 1:15

to prevent any more people from gaining admission. They were opened at 1:18 that a small crowd which had gathered during the brief closing might be able to sit in the doorway and listen to such portions of the service as was evident to the ears.

It was 2:30 o'clock when the procession arrived at the church. When all had taken their seats, Mr. Haines advanced to the front of the pulpit platform, and resting his left hand upon the large church Bible, opened the service by saying: "I am the resurrection and the life. He that believeth on Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live, and he that liveth and believeth on Me shall never die."

Dr. Nichols then read from I Corinthians xv. 3-8, inclusive, after which prayer.

After the prayer the choir rendered the hymn, "Rock of Ages," in a beautiful and impressive manner. This was Gen. Harrison's favorite hymn and it is said it is the only one he ever attempted to sing.

Following the hymn Dr. Nichols read portions of Scripture from the fourteenth chapter of St. John and the twenty-first chapter of Revelations, after which Dr. Haines delivered the address.

After the address Dr. Nichols offered prayer. The services were closed with a benediction, "Hark, Hark, My Soul," rendered by Edward Nell, in which the entire choir joined in the chorus.

The party left the church in the same order in which it entered. For the most part those who attended the church services left immediately for Crown Hill cemetery.

PHILIPPINES DIVISION FLAG.

Secretary Root Prescribes the Design for a Flag for the Division of the Philippines.

Washington, March 17.—Secretary Root has issued an order defining the standard flag for the headquarters of the division of the Philippines.

"The headquarters of the division of the Philippines will be designated by a standard of khaki colored silk or bunting, measuring three feet on the staff and four feet six inches fly, cut swallow-tailed 12 inches to the fork, bearing in the center two circles overlapping each other, one-third radius, resembling the figure 8, one foot six inches high and of corresponding width. The symbol to be in red, bordered in white 1/4 inch, and edged in blue 3/4 inch, surmounted by a red scroll bearing the device 'division of the Philippines' embroidered in blue letters.

"Total length of lance to be nine feet, including spearhead and ferrule."

SURRENDER OF GEN. TRIAS.

Gen. MacArthur Says It Indicates the Final Stage of Armed Insurrection in Luzon.

Washington, March 17.—The war department has received the following cablegram from Gen. MacArthur at Manila, announcing the surrender of Lieut. Gen. Trias:

"Adjutant-General, Washington—Mariano Trias, the only lieutenant-general in the insurgent army, surrendered March 15, at San Francisco de Malabon, with nine officers and 199 well-armed men. Trias immediately took the oath of allegiance, in the presence of several natives. It was a most auspicious event, and indicates the final stage of armed insurrection. The prestige of Trias in southern Luzon was equal to that of Aguinaldo. Gen. Bates and Col. Frank D. Baldwin are entitled to great credit for persistent work bringing this about.

"MacARTHUR."

NATIONAL SAENGERFEST.

Arrangements Being Made for a One-Pare Rate for the Big Gathering at Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 17.—The officials of the national saengerfest which is to be held in this city this year announce that the Central Passenger association, controlling a portion of the territory east of the Mississippi river, had agreed to make the fare during the week of the festival, June 23 to July 2, inclusive, one-half of the regular fare. The officials confidently expect the other passenger associations to adopt the same rate, and anticipate that it will bring 35,000 more visitors than the rate of a fare and a third previously announced.

FEELING AGAINST JESUITS.

Their Suppression in Portugal and the Substitution of Native Priests Probable.

Madrid, March 18.—Advice received here yesterday from Lisbon dealing with the anti-Jesuit demonstrations in the Portuguese capital and in other parts of the country, say:

"The Jesuits here urged a very wealthy young lady named Braga to leave her home and persuaded her to take the veil. Much excitement has been caused by a revelation of the facts of the case.

"King Charles consented to receive a delegation from Oporto, strongly urging the suppression of religious congregations in Portugal and presenting a manifesto in favor of the establishment of a national church under papal authority, but with Portuguese priests.

"The Lisbon police have seized a manifesto in favor of the Jesuits and protesting against the demonstrations against them as 'persecution.' The radical papers continue to publish violent anti-Jesuit articles, accusing the government of deliberately omitting anti-Jesuit articles."

MARINDUQUE PROVINCE.

The Question of Attaching Marinduque to Tayabas Province Decided in the Negative.

CONFERENCE HELD ON ROMBLON ISLAND.

The Sentiment of the People was Wholly in Favor of Forming a Separate Province, and the Commission Defered to It—Romblon Will be the Capital.

Romblon, Island of Romblon, March 17.—(By main from Rome, Island of Marinduque, P. I., March 18.—The question of attaching this island and Marinduque to the province of Tayabas, discussed by the American Philippine commission since their arrival here, has been decided in the negative. The sentiment of the people was wholly in favor of forming a separate province. A population of 50,000 was represented during the discussions, and the commission has met intelligent delegations from all the towns on the island.

Insurgents in the Mountains. There are 300 insurgents still in the mountains of Marinduque, but otherwise the inhabitants are anxious for the pacification of the island and to accept American sovereignty.

Judge Taft has announced. Capt. Pandolito to be chairman of the various committees of natives formed to organize municipal law in the towns of Marinduque. Judge Taft has promised that the commission will return and organize the province of Marinduque.

Maj. Smith, commanding the American garrisons on this island, has issued an order requiring all natives to live in the five principal towns where American troops are stationed. Those natives who continue to live in the country will be considered insurgents.

A few insurgents have recently been killed or wounded near these towns, and their supplies have been destroyed.

The inhabitants of this island favor a drastic policy toward the insurgents.

The American Philippine commission will soon prepare a recommendation to President McKinley on the character and form of the general civil government to be established in the archipelago. The matter has as yet received only informal consideration.

Capital of the Province.

This port will be the capital of the newly-formed province, composed of adjacent island. It is situated at the mouth of a deep valley and has a splendid harbor. The people are thrifty and prosperous and there are no insurgents here.

Maj. Evan M. Johnston, Jr., of the Twenty-ninth volunteer infantry, will be governor, and Capt. Albert S. Williams of the same regiment will be treasurer of the new province.

ALL THE CREW WERE RESCUED.

Schooner C. A. White Sunk by Collision With the Schooner Margaret B. Roper.

Philadelphia, March 18.—The schooner Margaret B. Roper, Capt. Cranmer, arrived here and reported having collided with and sank the schooner C. A. White, from Philadelphia for Boston Sunday off Absecon, N. J. This clears up the mystery of the collision reported by the crew of the life-saving station at Great Egg Harbor, N. J. All of the crew of the White were rescued by the Roper and brought to this city. Capt. Cranmer says the only damage his vessel sustained was the loss of her jibboom. The collision occurred at 12:15 Sunday morning.

COVERED UP BY FORGERY.

Preliminary Statement of the Condition of the First National Bank of Niles, Mich.

Washington, March 18.—The controller of the currency has received from the temporary receiver of the failed First national bank of Niles, Mich., a preliminary statement of the bank's condition. From this report it appears that the amount of the defalcation will be approximately \$150,000, which had been covered up by forged loans and discounts. As the bank will be unable to resume business, a permanent receiver will soon be appointed to close up its affairs.

A LYNCHING AVERTED.

Three Hundred Kentucky Miners Wanted to Lynch Deputy Sheriff McCoy, of Middlesboro.

Middlesboro, Ky., March 18.—Three hundred coal miners of West Pineville formed, Sunday night, to lynch Deputy Sheriff Frank McCoy of this city, who, it is alleged, killed Vance Howard, cousin of Berry Howard, the Goebel suspect, who is under indictment. The miners learned that a strong guard was around the jail and disbanded.

One Trial was Sufficient.

Chicago, March 18.—After one Sunday's trial East Chicago, Ind., gave up the blue law system. Sunday everything in the town was "wide open" in spite of the promise made a week ago by Marshal Paterson that not even milk wagons and street cars would be allowed within the limits on Sundays.

PLACED ON BOARD WARSHIPS.

Portuguese Rioters Placed Out of the Reach of Friends Who Might Attempt a Rescue.

London, March 18.—A dispatch received here from Lisbon says the prisoners, numbering about 200, captured recently in the conflicts with the authorities at Oporto and elsewhere, were removed this morning on board two war vessels, in order to prevent attempts to rescue them.

WRECKED BY AN EXPLOSION.

National Carbon Works at Cleveland, O., Partially Wrecked by Explosion of Chemicals.

Cleveland, O., March 18.—A terrible explosion of chemicals in the laboratory of the National carbon works partially wrecked the large brick building. Fire broke out immediately after the explosion, but was soon extinguished. Two men were caught under the debris. Both were rescued without serious injury. Loss, \$70,000; partially covered by insurance.

Narrowly Escaped Mob Violence.

Chicago, March 18.—As a sequel to a chicken theft Charles Rinck was shot and killed by Daniel Peters. Within ten minutes after the shooting a large crowd gathered at Peters' home and threatened to lynch him, but the timely arrival of the patrol wagon with policemen prevented any mob violence.

The Isthmian Canal.

New York, March 18.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says: If the view of the administration is supported by the next congress, the president will obtain discretionary authority to acquire either the Nicaraguan or the Panama canal route.

Absorbed by University of Chicago.

Chicago, March 18.—Announcement is made of the absorption of the South Side academy by the University of Chicago and its inclusion in the university's organization statement for the establishment of a great pedagogical department.

Broke a World's Record.

San Jose, Cal., March 18.—Burtis Downing, of the Garden City Wheel club, has broken the world's five-mile amateur straightaway road record over the Gilroy course. His time was 8:48. The record of 9:01 was formerly held by Bunt Smith.

Missouri Legislature Adjourned.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 18.—The house and senate adjourned sine die shortly after noon, just after the governor signed the Nesbit amendments. The usual hymn, the doxology, marked the close of the session.

Death of George Hunt.

Chicago, March 18.—George Hunt, attorney-general of the state of Illinois from 1884 to 1892, and a veteran of the civil war, died at his home in Riverside Sunday.

Victim of the Inaugural Ball.

New York, March 18.—Mrs. Stuart N. Chisolm is dead at her home in this city, as a result of cold she contracted at the inaugural ball two weeks ago.

The Situation Unchanged.

Tien Tsin, March 18, 1 p. m.—The Anglo-Russian dispute is unchanged. The French troops are quieter. Over forty arrests have been made.

River News.

Stations.	Gauge	Change Rainfall 24 hours in 24
Pittsburgh	8.9	-3.1
Cincinnati	31.8	-0.2
St. Louis	16.7	-0.2
Davenport	7.6	—
Memphis	22.2	4.8
Louisville	12.9	0.1
Calro	32.3	0.4
New Orleans	4.4	0.7
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THE TIEN TSIN TROUBLES.

The Trouble Will Probably be Solved by Both Sides Withdrawing From the Disputed Grounds.

HOW THE MATTER IS VIEWED IN ENGLAND

A Disposition to Think Too Much Has Been Made of It.—There is a disposition here to think too much has been made of the Anglo-Russian incident at Tien Tsin, and a more hopeful view of the affair is taken. This is attested by the statement contained in Dr. Morrison's dispatch from Peking, Sunday, to the London Times, which is taken to mean that the combined efforts of the interested powers are having the effect of causing St. Petersburg to check any tendency to undue aggressiveness on the part of the Russian representatives in China.

The comments of the afternoon newspapers here repeat the views of the majority of the morning papers, namely, that diplomacy will be able to smooth the friction.

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The officials of the British foreign office have not yet received official confirmation of Russia's alleged backdown in regard to Manchuria, Turkistan and Mongolia, and inquiries on the subject are now being made at St. Petersburg and Peking. The British foreign office is not relaxing its efforts to secure a more satisfactory statement of the intentions of Russia, but the officials deprecate press agitation on the subject. On all sides it is officially and otherwise said that Great Britain has not the slightest contemplation of resorting to hostilities against Russia, whatever may be the outcome of the present negotiations.

A Reply in the Commons.

Replying to Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett (conservative) Mr. Balfour, the government leader, said in the house of commons the government did not possess any information indicating any decline in British influence in the Yangtze provinces. As to the Russian claim for the waters of Blondo and Elliott islands, the British government had certainly not accepted this claim. The government had received no communication on the subject from Russia.

A Russian Remonstrance.

The Russian admiral had remonstrated against the presence in the waters of Elliott island of H. M. S. Plover, which was engaged in pursuing pirates. But British ships had a perfect right, under the treaty of Tien Tsin, to go there.

Questions regarding the dispute at Tien Tsin were parried by the under secretary for foreign affairs, Lord Cranborne, in refusing to answer them without notice.

Nationalist Cheers.

Wm. Redmond raised nationalist cheers by asking why Great Britain had hoisted the white flag and backed down after threatening to use force of arms.

But Little Accomplished.

Peking, March 18.—Little was accomplished at to-day's meeting of the foreign ministers on account of the delay of the various governments in agreeing to the conclusions reached in the matter of indemnity claims. No minister is allowed full liberty to act for his government.

SERIOUS DISTURBANCES.

Trouble Between Students and University Officials at Buda Pest, Hungary.

Buda Pest, March 18.—Serious disturbances have occurred here between the university officials and the students in consequence of orders, issued by the minister of instruction, for the removal of all crosses from the lecture rooms of the university. In spite of this prohibition, when the rooms were opened Monday morning the professors discovered that the students had gained entrance and nailed crosses to the walls. The officials commenced to remove the religious emblems, but were hustled and insulted by the students. Some of the latter, however, supported the officials, and violent scenes ensued and the lectures were suspended. The matter will be discussed in parliament.

Death of a Pioneer Plainsman.

Kansas City, Mo., March 18.—George W. Briant, aged 71 years, a pioneer plainsman, stockman and banker, died at his home here. He freighted on the Santa Fe trail and was in his time associated with many of the leading men of the west.

The Spanish Elections.

Madrid, March 18.—The general elections will take place May 6 and the cortes will reassemble June 10.

OTHERWISE UNNOTICED

A few prominent St. Louisans will see to it that the funds are forthcoming to clear title to public library sites so that Mr. Carnegie's gift of \$1,000,000 may become available without delay.

St. Patrick's parade, at St. Louis, Sunday was a splendid success.

Most gratifying trades reports come from every quarter.

A Chicago veteran is urging that congress grant a medal to all civil war veterans who have not applied for pensions.

The transport Kilpatrick arrived at San Francisco, Sunday, from Manila with 400 sick soldiers on board.

A New York woman was killed by her pet dog who went mad on seeing his mistress in the throes of epilepsy.

The exhibition building at Pittsburgh, Pa., was burned Sunday night. One fireman was killed and three badly hurt.

A Russian general has arrived at Tien Tsin from Peking to look after his country's interests in the controversy there.

A mysterious powder, sent in a letter to Miss Ida Fosburgh, of Rutland, Vt., caused her death, and her fiancé is under arrest.

Dr. L. O. Cox and Charles Hodges were seriously injured in a runaway at Murphysboro, Ill. Cox is the owner of the race horses Forest Bill and Bobbie H.

Commissioner Rockhill says Li Hung Chang is a physical wreck and that he would not be surprised to hear of his death at any minute.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes, is preparing to effect a material reduction of the internal revenue force of the country.

Mother and five children were burned to death, Sunday night at Little Caspade, Quebec, as the result of the explosion of a coal-oil stove in the house of John Gauthier.

Gen. De Wet's commando has been broken up at Senekal, Orange River Colony.

United States Consul Baiz, at Barcelona, Venezuela, has again been arrested by Venezuelan officers without cause, and will resign his post unless given the protection by the United States government.

Jean de Reszke, the famous opera singer, has provided in his will that a mechanical device for detection of return of life to a supposed corpse be placed on his grave.

The coal situation in Pennsylvania looks ominous. President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers says that if the operators refuse to confer in regard to differences, the strike will be called on April 1.

Practically all of the Central and South American republics have responded to the invitation to attend a conference at the City of Mexico to discuss international arbitration and other important questions.

Five or six girls are believed to have perished in the burning of a St. Joseph (Mo.) shoe factory Saturday afternoon. They were on the seventh floor of the building and were not warned of their danger till 15 minutes after the fire was discovered.

Many thousands of people saw the remains of former President Benjamin Harrison laid to rest, at Indianapolis, Sunday afternoon. The funeral services at the church, which were very impressive, were preceded by brief family services at the residence, which were attended by President McKinley.

CUBANS PLAN REBELLION.

Heavy Purchases of Arms and Ammunition Being Made by Dissatisfied Islanders.

Chicago, March 18.—A special to the Inter-Ocean from Jacksonville, Fla., says:

"News reaches here from good authority that a rebellion is being planned in Cuba against the authority of the United States, and that the Cubans are making heavy purchases of arms and ammunition. The statement creates considerable excitement among the large Cuban colony here."

THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

Secretary Hay Posting Himself on Isthmian Canal Matters by Conferences.

Washington, March 18.—Secretary Hay had a long conference with Senator Morgan respecting isthmian canal matters and the advisability of reopening negotiations for a treaty with Great Britain on the subject. The secretary is losing no opportunity of acquainting himself with the views of senators on this subject, and the conference with Senator Morgan is only one of nearly a dozen he has had on the same subject with leading senators and representatives since the adjournment of the Fifty-sixth congress.

Liverpool Grain Imports.

Liverpool, March 18.—The imports of wheat last week were 61,800 quarters from Atlantic ports, 16,000 from Pacific ports and 6,000 from other ports. The imports from Atlantic ports of corn last week were 66,000 quarters.

Patrick Donohue Dead.

Boston, March 18.—Patrick Donohue, publisher of the Boston Pilot, died at his home, Sunday. He had just reached his ninetieth year. Since Friday he had been at the point of death, and the efforts of his physicians were to keep him alive for his birthday anniversary.

ART IN ARCHITECTURE

Designed and Written Especially for This Paper

THERE is no architectural problem so complex as that of building a complete and satisfactory home. The dwelling receives more constant and critical attention than any public structure of whatever character. The slightest imperfection is a subject of everyday criticism and constant annoyance to those living in the house. The confusion and annoyance are very great to him who is for the first time becoming a home builder. In constantly advising him and guiding him through this maze of detail and confusion is displayed the value of the architect's services. A permanent home should be built with care and planned with special reference to the wants and necessities of the family; it should be neat and attractive and in harmony with the lives to be spent under its roof. A house or stopping place may be all external

increased manifold, and the property will always find a more ready sale or secure a better paying tenant, while money expended in meaningless ornamentation is literally thrown away.

I have the pleasure of illustrating herewith a conveniently planned dwelling in style of design suitable for a suburban or town residence. It is well constructed and finished throughout, and when surrounded with ample grounds is very effective. In the first story are the staircase hall, front and back parlors, sitting-room, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, closets, etc. The entrance is from the front or side porches. As you pass through the front door you enter a handsome reception and staircase hall, abundantly lighted by a glazed door and stained glass windows located at each side of the door, all finished in red oak. On the one side of the hall are two par-

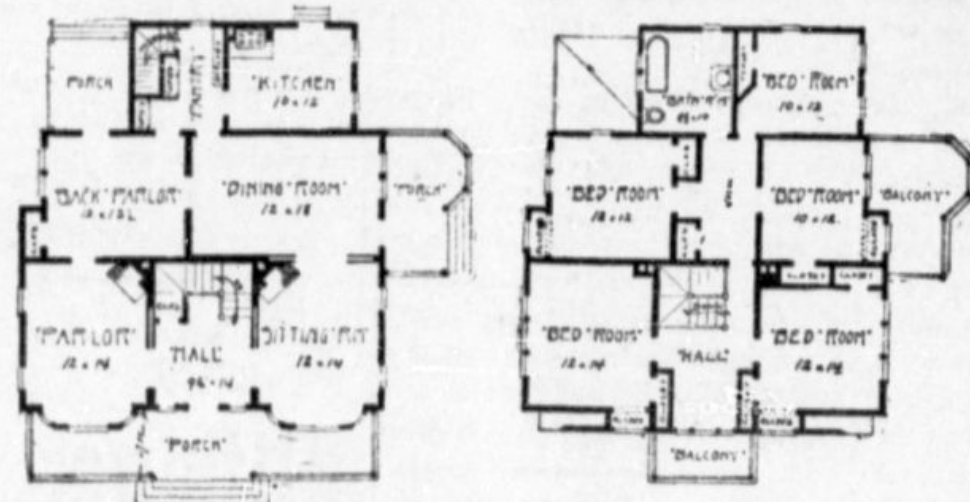


HANDSOME TWELVE-ROOM RESIDENCE.

lors while on the right side of the hall is the sitting-room, and to the rear of this room is the dining-room.

The dining-room has a nice porch to the right, and to the rear are the kitchen and pantry, with passage from kitchen to dining-room through the pantry, thus preventing the kitchen odors from entering the dining-room. The kitchen is provided with a brick set range. The pantry is well fitted with cupboards and shelves, pastry bins, etc., and from here is the entrance to the cellar. The second story of the house tells, reasonably well, its own story. On either side and well connected with the large hall are five good bedrooms. At the rear end of the hall is a large bathroom, well fitted with bathtub, bowl and water closet. Each bedroom has one or more closets and is well lighted and ventilated. If it were so desired three good rooms could be provided in the third story, well lighted and ventilated. The foundation may be either of stone or brick, with cellar under the whole house, containing furnace and fuel rooms and various other apartments. The building above foundation is of wood, with

With those about to build the first thought should be, in respect to the dwelling, that it should be promotive of and not injurious to the health, whereas the first thought seems to be that it shall be present and



PLANS OF FIRST AND SECOND FLOORS.

nice appearance. It is essential to health that the house be in every way in a good sanitary condition, since the home is where everybody spends the greater part of his or her life. The admission of an abundance of fresh pure air and sunlight is the first essential for consideration in the erection of a dwelling. Use abundance of window glass to let in the sunlight. Light is a great destroyer of disease germs and a direct promoter of health. There is great satisfaction in perfectly planned dwellings, where everything is properly arranged and contributes to the safety and convenience of the inmates. Sometimes by the judicious expenditure of a few hundreds of dollars in the cost of the construction of a building its real value will be increased manifold.

Electric Traction on Canals.

A writer on modern waterways says that in the near future electric traction will be universally employed on canals. On the canal between Brussels and Charleroi, small electric road carriages have taken the place of horses in towing barges and the speed has been increased from one and one-fourth miles an hour to seven miles. An overhead wire is used and it furnishes light and power to villagers along the route.

A New American Disease.

A doctor in New York claims to have discovered an "arsenical walk," due to the use of impure beverages. The arsenic accumulates in the system, hardens the muscles and causes a stride as if both legs were of wood. The victim falls if he tries to run.

Rocking Chairs for Germany.

In the missionary work which the United States is doing in Germany the introduction of the rocking-chair should not be forgotten. Think of a grandmother or a maiden aunt without a rocking-chair, or the piazza of a yacht club without these gently tilting aids to maritime greatness and true civilization! Germany has advanced with great strides for the last 30 years, and has now arrived at the stage when it demands rocking-chairs, which America is selling willingly to the empire. H. W. Harris, the United States consul in Mannheim, writes to the state department that in some parts of Germany rocking-chairs are still unknown, but that there is a gradually growing demand for them in most parts of the empire.

FIRE RAGING IN ST. LOUIS.

Started in the Anheuser-Busch Ice House and Extended to American Car & Foundry Shops.

St. Louis, March 18.—Fire which caused a general alarm broke out in the Anheuser-Busch icehouse, at the foot of Cherokee street, 3400 south, at 12:45 p. m., and immediately communicated to the repair plant of the Missouri Car & Foundry Co.

A strong wind blowing from the southeast is driving the flame in the direction of other buildings used by the brewery and other manufacturing companies.

The fire is in a district well built up with substantial factories, and is the center of millions of dollars' worth of inflammable property.

The general alarm had called out all the machines in the city except the six companies in widely-separated sections of the city, which are always held in reserve, and numerous streams are being poured into the flaming mass.

The icehouse is about 100 feet high and almost half a block square. The framework is of steel and the roof and sides of wood. The car company's repair plant is a long one-story building of wood and steel. There are about 100 employees in the latter company's shop, and is not yet known whether all of them escaped injury. The number of employees in the icehouse when the fire broke out is not known.

Among the buildings destroyed are the Eagle Vinegar and pickle works, the repair shops of the American Car Co., a half dozen flats and the buildings of the Central Rowing club. The loss will take seven figures to tell it.

BISMARCK IS IN FLAMES.

The Business Part of Bismarck, Missouri, Apparently Doomed to Destruction.

De Soto, Mo., March 18.—The town of Bismarck is on fire, and indications are that one-half the town will be burned, including the hotels, about ten business houses and the Iron Mountain railroad station. All telegraph and telephone wires are down, and all communication cut off.

The fire started in the southern part of town, and a very strong wind, blowing from the south, caused the flames to spread rapidly. The houses are all frame, and there is no fire department in the town.

Bismarck is 75 miles from St. Louis on the Iron Mountain railroad, and has a population of 750 inhabitants. The town is built on each side of the railroad, about equally divided, with the business houses all on the east side, which is the district on fire. Being closely built there is no possibility of checking the flames with the high wind blowing until the east half of the town is consumed.

No communication is to be had with Bismarck at 2 p. m. Special messenger sent to Irondale, five miles this side, reports by phone that all of the east side of the town is on fire, including the following business houses:

Collier's drug store, Commercial hotel, Barth's and Schaper's saloons, Quisenberry's restaurant, Davidson's restaurant, the postoffice, Riley's military store, Norwine's drug store, the Bismarck hotel. A O. U. W. hall, I. O. O. F. hall, Bell telephone office, Iron Mountain depot and forty dwellings.

Several lives are reported to have been lost, but no definite information is to be had.

LOGGED VIGOROUS PROTEST.

The State Department Taking Cognizance of Venezuela's High-Handed Actions.

Washington, March 18.—The state department, through Minister Loomis, recently lodged a most vigorous protest to the Venezuelan government against further interference with Mr. Baiz, the United States consular agent at Barcelona, Venezuela. It knows nothing of the last reported infringement of his liberty, but it is presumed that the affair is connected directly with the troubles which led to the first protest. Ignatio M. Baiz is not a citizen of the United States, a fact that may add to the difficulty which our government will experience in protecting him, as it is determined to do. He was born in St. Thomas and is a Danish citizen so far as is known here, but having an ex-quo issued by the Venezuelan government recognizing him as a United States consular agent, the state department has decided that he is entitled to the protection of the United States government. It appears that he is engaged in business and became involved in trouble with Venezuelan military by resisting an attempt to collect a forced loan from him. More than a month ago the state department forwarded its instructions to Minister Loomis to represent to the Venezuelan government that such annoying interferences with our official must cease, but so far no results have appeared.

The Tin Can Deal.

New York, March 18.—The Journal of Commerce says: Several of the vendors concerned in the \$78,000,000 tin can consolidation are now in the city and it is expected that the deal will be closed up in a very few days.

Sympathetic Strike Postponed.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 18.—Pending a final conference between the arbitration committee of the Paperhangers' union and the Contractors' association, the sympathetic strike of the allied trades has been postponed.

TO GROW COFFEE IN SPAIN.

Heretofore Forbidden Industry in Spain May Now be Exploited By the Dons.

EXPERIMENT ON A COMMERCIAL SCALE.

The Belief Prevails that the Berry Can be Advantageously Grown in the Vicinity of Malaga and Elsewhere in Andalusia—Result Will be Watched with Interest.

New York, March 18.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

So long as Cuba and Porto Rico were Spanish possessions the cultivation of coffee in the peninsula of Spain was forbidden. Under the changed condition the government shows a disposition to make no objection to an evasion of the law, which has practically become a dead letter and, according to a report received at the state department from United States Consul Ridgeley, at Malaga, an experiment on a commercial scale for the home production of the bean is about to be undertaken for the first time in the province of Malaga, at the little village of Campanilla, some five miles from the capital.

By Way of a Starter.

Don Quirico, Lopez, a rich wine merchant of Malaga, will begin by setting out from 20,000 to 50,000 coffee plants on his plantations there. Senor Lopez has already made some experiments, and is convinced that coffee can be advantageously grown in this province and elsewhere in Andalusia. Others who have examined the question say that there is not sufficient humidity in the Andalusian climate. Experiments on a large scale will be made, and the result is awaited with great interest.

Spain's Former Source of Supply.

Cuba and Porto Rico formerly supplied Spain with nearly all her coffee, paying the government a consumption tax of \$9.60 on 220.46 pounds (100 kilograms) on all coffee entering the peninsula. At present the import duty on coffee is \$22.40 per 100 kilograms from all countries except the Spanish island of Fernando Po, and Spain's supply, last year, came largely from Valparaiso and other South American ports. Coffee from Fernando Po pays a duty of \$13.90 on 100 kilograms. If coffee can be successfully cultivated in the province of Malaga, the consul says, it is believed that it will be generally grown throughout Andalusia.

CANADIAN POSTAL SERVICE.

Reduction in the Postal Rate to Two Cents Per Half Ounce Results in a Deficit.

Washington, March 18.—United States Consul-General Bittling, at Montreal, has forwarded to the department of agriculture a report on the postal service of Canada. He says that on letters to the United Kingdom, and numerous British possessions and protectorates postage has been reduced under the present administration to two cents per half ounce, the same rate as to the United States. The report of the service for the last fiscal year, says the consul-general, shows a deficit of \$461,661; 9,627 post offices were in operation; 175,299,500 letters were posted and money orders aggregating \$16,209,068 were issued. The money orders showed an increase of \$1,741,071 over 1899. The people of the province of Ontario posted more letters and postal cards than all the rest of Canada together.

BRITISH COURT FUNCTION.

The Ambassadors and Ministers Present Their Credentials to King Edward.

London, March 18.—United States Ambassador Choate and the other ambassadors and ministers to Great Britain presented their credentials to King Edward at Marlborough House at noon.

Each member of the diplomatic corps arrived in a royal carriage, drawn by two horses, and was attended by three royal servants attired in long scarlet cloaks. All the diplomats wore levee dress, with orders and decorations with the exception, of course, of Ambassador Choate who wore ordinary evening dress.

The foreign secretary, Lord Lansdowne, introduced the visitors to the king, who was attired in a field marshal's uniform.

WITH A BURSTED CYLINDER.

The British Troopship Norham Castle Towed to Ascension Island Disabled.

Island of Ascension, March 18.—The British steamer Norham Castle, which sailed from Southampton March 2, via Madeira, March 6, for Port Natal (Durban), with 337 troops and mails on board, has arrived here in tow of the British steamer Tongarito, from London February 27, via Tenerife, March 6, for Table Bay. The Norham Castle burst her cylinder when 500 miles north of Ascension.

World's Fair and Politics.

St. Louis, March 18.—A Washington dispatch says: "Success of the St. Louis World's fair legislation came through the ignoring of party considerations. Any attempt in St. Louis to make political capital out of the result must distort and misrepresent what took place here."

The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.
WALTER WALKER, Manager.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce
M. F. POGUE
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative of Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next general assembly, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce
A. J. BENNETT,
a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
J. A. GRAVES
a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative of Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce
P. C. STEPHENS
a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative of Crittenden and Livingston counties, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce
R. W. WOOD
a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative of Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce
JNO. T. FRANKS,
a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff of Crittenden County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce
E. L. DOLES
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
GEORGE D. KEMP
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
SAMUEL STONE
a candidate for Jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce
D. G. BETTIS
a candidate for assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Mr. Carnegie improves with age.

St. Louis suffered heavily from a big fire Monday.

The weather and the legislative race are warming up.

More troops will go to the Philippines March 25th.

Memphis, Ind., was entirely destroyed by fire Monday.

Grover Cleveland celebrated his sixty-fourth birthday Monday.

Electric lights in Marion is no longer a matter of moonshine.

England will spend \$45,000,000 for the improvement of her navy.

Gen. Botha, the Boer commander-in-chief, has rejected the British peace terms.

Crittenden county will have the next Congressman from this district, or know the reason why.

Richard Knott, editor of the Louisville Post, has been indicted by the grand jury for libel.

Senator N. W. Utley, of Eddyville, has announced that he will be a candidate to succeed Congressman Wheeler.

Gen. Harrison's will was made known yesterday. The estate is worth about \$250,000. The widow's share is \$150,000.

A Bourbon county community is worried over seeing a city in the skies. The negroes are doing the perpetual religious revival act.

If we do not get the railroad through the Salem country pretty soon, we had better build the turnpike. One of the two must be built.

In the Kansas State coal mine at Lansing 246 prisoners who went down into the mine Monday morning have mutinied and are now holding fifteen guards as hostages.

The last words of ex-President Harrison were expressions of sympathy for the Boers; and these expressions will meet a hearty response in the heart of every true American.

We announce Samuel Stone a candidate for jailer. Mr. Stone is a clever gentleman and would make a mighty good jailer. He is a deserving young man and will greatly appreciate your support.

The United States will send one thousand teachers to the Philippines to instruct young Filipinos, and will also send several thousand additional troops to assist the American forces there in making these youngsters orphans.

While passing through the streets of Paris recently Earl Carrington, the Special Ambassador appointed by King Edward to announce the Queen's death to the French Government, was greeted by hisses and cries of sympathy for the Boers.

A commercial club to centralize and utilize the spirit of improvement in Marion would be worth more than can be estimated in dollars and cents. There are a great many things we could get if the proper effort was made; some of them may come our way anyhow, but the chances are otherwise. This is going to be a year of unprecedented development in this section and if Marion holds her own her citizens must wake up and persistently, intelligently and industriously set forth the town's advantages, and then spend no little energy in organizing industries and pushing them along.

In an official statement Russia serves notice in plain terms on the world that she is a "great power" and will not permit any interference with her plans regarding Manchuria. This is a direct defiance of Great Britain, which has been foremost in trying to secure united action on the part of the other powers to prevent Russian suzerainty over Manchuria. It has been argued that Russian control of Manchuria would precipitate the partition of the Chinese empire, and Great Britain, the United States and Germany have taken ground in favor of preserving the territorial integrity of the Flowry Kingdom, Russia's action therefore raises a direct issue between the Czar's Government and the other Powers, and brings the Eastern question to a crisis.

A Convention.

EDITOR PRESS: I appreciate the fact that all the men seeking the nomination for Representative are worthy and I shall cheerfully support the nominee. But as we always want to do the best thing for both people and candidates, I presume a suggestion to the committee which, I see, is called to meet Monday, would not be out of place. It occurs to me that a delegated convention should be held for the purpose of making the nomination. Let the Democrats of each precinct meet and instruct delegates to attend the convention and let first, second and third or more instructions be given. By this means each voter can express his first choice, his second choice and so on, and thus we get an expression fully, and following these instructions the strongest man will get the nomination. If we have a primary, the vote will be so divided up that nobody will get a majority, and the man who might be the last choice of a very large majority of the voters could win the nomination. I offer this as a suggestion.
A Democrat.

Weldon--Hill.

Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock Mr. T. Amplas Weldon, of Uniontown, and Miss Fannie Hill, of this city, were united in marriage at the home of Mr. E. P. Hill, the bride's father, on depot street. Rev. J. W. Bigham pronounced the ceremony. Quite a number of friends and relatives were present. After receiving the hearty congratulations of their many friends, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon left on the afternoon train for Uniontown, their future home.

The bride is a young lady of enviable personal charms. Mr. Weldon has for several months been employed in the drug business at Uniontown. He is a most worthy young gentleman and is very popular in this, his native city.

Our Roll of Honor.

The following have paid up or renewed their subscriptions to the Press since our last issue:

W. P. Loyd, Marion.
James King, Mexico.
W. S. Chapman, Joy.
R. C. Robinson, Dexter.
T. J. Wright, Tolu.
J. A. Ledbetter, Elizabethtown, Ill.
T. A. Weldon, Uniontown.
J. F. Hughes, Fredonia.
T. B. Simpson, Newbern.

The Protracted Meeting.

The services at the Cumberland Presbyterian church are being well attended. Mrs. Woolsey, the lady evangelist, has not yet arrived. All the pastors called in the services at the different churches Sunday evening and a large congregation gathered at the C. P. church, where Rev. Price delivered a most eloquent and impressive sermon on "The Manifestations of Love." Services are held in the afternoon and evening.

Married in a Buggy.

Tuesday morning Mr. John H. Clark, a young farmer of this county, and Miss Maggie Stallion, a daughter of Mr. Jack Stallion, were united in marriage by Rev. E. B. Blackburn, while seated in a buggy in front of Rev. Blackburn's residence. The ceremony was performed at seven o'clock and at the conclusion of the ceremony the bride and groom drove at once to their home in the country.

Electric Lights.

Mr. E. T. Franks has not given the city council a definite answer yet concerning the electric light proposition. The chances are that he will accept. Other parties are discussing the matter with a view of accepting the proposal should Mr. Franks decline. The chances are that Marion will have electric lights within the next four months.

Fire at Madisonville.

Two blocks of buildings in Madisonville proved prey to the fire fiend Tuesday night. The whole town was threatened at one time, and but for the timely arrival of the Evansville fire department the loss would have been much greater than it was. The loss reaches \$50,000.

Deeds Recorded.

Geo. H. Foster to Wm E. Fritts, the Y. E. Jennings farm for \$250.
W. L. James to Bud McDonald, 29 acres on Piney creek.

P. K. Cooksey to Mrs. Florence Manus, land in Dycusburg for \$350.

Marriage Licenses.

W. E. Tyner to Miss Effie George, March 13.
Logan Graham to Addie Rowen March 13.
John H. Clark to Miss Mrggie Stallion, March 19.

Weakened systems need a mature, wholesome mellow liquor. That's precisely what the J. W. Harper Whisky is. Perfect as a beverage or medicine. Absolutely pure. Sold by J. H. Orme,

Piney Bridge.

Mr. Pat Sliney, the famous bridge builder from Livingston county, has undertaken the work of reconstructing and replacing the Piney iron bridge. The county judge thinks he will get the bridge replaced at an expense of only \$200 or \$300.

Card of Thanks.

We desire through the columns of the Press to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to some of the people of Marion for their kindness during the illness and death of our mother.

J. W. and J. C. Skelton.

Mr. Graves' Card of Thanks

I desire to return my most sincere thanks to the many friends who were so kind, so generous to me during the long, weary weeks I was confined to bed and room. I am especially grateful to Henry Paris and to Mrs. Belt for the car I received at their hands, and to Tom Guess and others for special favors. I shall always gratefully remember every kindly act and expression from so many who were solicitous about my condition.

Most sincerely,

W. H. Graves.

A Hearty Indorsement.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.,
March 16, 1901.

Mrs. H. A. Ingram, Marion, Ky.:
My Dear Madam: In the hope that it may prove of value to you in your profession as teacher of music, I send you this testimonial as to your skill and ability as a musician.

Traveling constantly as I do and meeting daily the leading pianists in the towns and cities I visit, who are sent to me to accompany me in my violin solos and ballads, I feel that I am a most competent judge of what a first class artist should be, and I frankly say, that very seldom, if ever, have I met your superior as a thorough, practical musician; and only in the larger cities have I met your equal and they were few and far between. Your sight reading is marvelous, your shading and phrasing delightful and your touch absolutely sure and always accurate.

It was a delight to me to play and sing my numbers to your accompaniments, and I trust that at some future time it will be my good fortune to have your assistance again.

Wishing you the greatest possible success, and with my kindest regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

Ralph Bingham.

Pants \$4, suits \$14. Made to order at Fohs'.

Kittinger & Stinnett

Have opened their new store. There you will find:

Ladies and Gents
Furnishing Goods.

A Beautiful Stock
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Ladies and Gents
Tailor-made Clothing

Large line of Fine Shoes

Only the best quality of goods compose their large stock.

Blacksmith wanted at Mattoon, Ky. A good location, good shop. A snap for the right man. Call on or address,

J. R. Summerville,
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Cough Cure
Positively relieves the cough and cures the worst cold in 10 days.

EASTER MILLINERY OPENING.

MARION'S FOREMOST MILLINERY DISPLAY

Thursday and Friday
March 28th and 29th.

Miss Agnes Davis (Mrs. Nina Howerton's former trimmer) will have charge of the trimming department, assisted by Misses Ruth Thomas and Winnie Wilcox. One of the features will be a dark opening. All are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Blanche Payne.

Don't fail to see us before you make a contract for

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This Season.

We have a nice variety of

Seed Potatoes

Get our prices before you buy.

Everything in the Grocery Line at our House.

Remember we don't let any one undersell us.

No trouble to show goods and make prices, so give us a call.

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Rich, Red Blood.

Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron not only purifies the blood but makes new, rich, red blood. If you have skin eruptions, boils, abscesses, rheumatism, or scrofula, or if you have a run down, tired out feeling, try this remedy and note the prompt results. For sale at Orme's drug store.

Land for Sale.

I have some good land for sale near Dycusburg, Ky. Call on or address
G. L. Boaz,
Dycusburg, Ky.

Some cough remedies hide a cough; they drug it into silence, but the irritation stays in the lungs to cause trouble. Morley's Honey Pectoral soothes, heals, strengthens and cures thoroughly. The cough stops because the cause is removed. Price 25 cents. For sale at Orme's drug store.

Corn for Sale.

In fifty bushel lots, at fifty cents per bushel. Cash must accompany the order.

Will T. Crawford,
Tolu, Ky.

Jack for Sale.

I have a good five year old Jack for sale. He is a fine, well bred animal.
G. H. Shrove,
Viaw, Ky.

Spring of 1901.

At this opening we will show what is without a doubt the largest and most comprehensive display of popular priced Millinery ever made in this city, consisting of the latest designs from New York and Paris.

The newest shapes are the Mushroom hat and Eastern Flan.

Strayed.

A black Berkshire hog, unmarked. A big knot on hind ankle. Been gone about months. Any one looking him and informing me will be rewarded.
R. N. Grady, Weston, Ky.

TWO RACKS OF TEXAS

Effective March 10th, 1901

FRISCO LINE

Announces the Opening of a

Red River Division
Denison and Sherman, Texas.

Through Train Service will shortly be established from St. Louis and El Paso over the Frisco line.

Shortest Line to Texas

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When all other writing machines fail, the Smith Premier is still serving you well, day by day, year by year. Because

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has a longer life of usefulness than any other machine. It is built for long, hard, continuous service. Durability must be present in the Best Value Typewriter and emphatically, is what The Smith Premier is—the Full Value—Best Value Typewriter.

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Is Complete, and any Lady Can be Suited.

YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO PASS US ON DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES OR HATS.

We are too busy to tell you much about them, but come and see for yourself.

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W. H. Copher was in Sturgis Tuesday.

Polk Miller has no superior as a humorist.

Capt. Haas, of Salem, was in town Monday.

Thus far March has proved a record breaker.

Circuit court convenes in this city next Monday.

Dr. J. W. Crawford has returned to Blandville.

P. S. Maxwell was in Webster county Wednesday.

Will Clark attended Squire Conger's court Tuesday.

John Homre was granted peddler license this week.

Col. D. C. Roberts has returned to the city from Chicago.

Mrs. Frances Givens returned Monday from Cincinnati.

Polk Miller plays the banjo like an old time Southern uncle.

Clean up and buy a barrel of lime from Cochran & Baker.

The Democratic county committees meet in this city next Monday.

Senator Deboe and family returned Monday from Washington.

W. L. Adams spent last week in Livingston county writing insurance.

The Standard Oil Company will put in a large oil tank at this place.

John Wilson purchased some fine polled Angus cattle last week.

Mr. E. L. Doles has been confined to his room by illness for several days.

Special prices are made to the school pupils for the Miller entertainment.

Messrs H. V. Stone and Thos. McConnell returned from Cincinnati Friday.

Will Cannon came over from Sturgis and spent Sunday with his family.

Albert McNeely has about recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Miss Ruby James is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar James, of Evansville.

All parties indebted to Mrs. Frances Givens for millinery will please call and settle at once.

Thirty-four new suits have been filed for the approaching term of circuit court.

Mrs. Dyer, of Princeton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Clement of this city.

Mr. George Catlett, the genial foreman of the Princeton Banner, spent Sunday in Marion.

Mr. Newton Stalions moved to Blackford last week. He will clerk for Yandell & Perry.

The seats for the Polk Miller entertainment are selling fast. Get yours now if you want good ones.

A. M. Wigginton, one of Caldwell county's most progressive farmers, was in this city Monday.

Church services will be over before the entertainment at School Hall Friday evening, as Mr. Miller will appear at 8.15.

The person who has borrowed volume fifteen of my set of Appleton's Encyclopedia will please return it at once.

R. W. Wilson.

Messrs. Sam Gugenheim and Will Yandell returned Friday from St. Louis, where they purchased an enormous stock of spring and summer goods.

Mr. Alex King, Secretary of the Cumberland Land and Iron Co., was in town this week looking after some landed property his company owns here.

Mr. John D. Boaz is selling books.

Just received, a car load of lime at Cochran & Baker's.

Rev. W. F. Hogard, of Eddyville, was in this city Monday.

The county superintendent has received blanks to be used in taking the school census of the county in April.

Mr. David Champion and family, of Livingston county, were guests of friends in this county last week.

Roy Threlkeld, who has been attending a business college at Lexington, was here Monday en route to Salem.

Miss Rebecca Phillips returned last week from an extended visit with friends and relatives at Cotton Plant, Ark.

This is the first winter on record so the older ones say, that the mercury in the thermometer did not get down to zero.

Mr. S. B. Markey, of Hampton, was in town yesterday. His wife has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Taylor, several days.

My spring onions are ready for market. Phone 116.

Mrs. J. S. Braswell.

Smith—Why do all the collars and cuffs of Johnson's look so nice? Jones—Because he patronizes the Magnet laundry, whose work is superior to that of any other laundry.

County clerk Woods will have the tax books ready for the sheriff this week, but the latter can not begin collecting taxes until the State Board of equalization completes its work, which will not be before May or June.

Mrs. Elmira Skelton, an old and highly respected lady, died at her home in this city Monday evening. She suffered with Bright's disease. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon, and the remains were laid to rest in the new cemetery.

Ed Frazier, a Marion boy, writes home from Janesville, Mich., that he has become a benedict. His bride is a Miss Wilson, a beautiful young lady of Janesville. Ed has been attending a business college in Michigan for some months.

Rev. Barbee, of Princeton, was in the city Monday.

Robert Wilborn, of Blackford, was in town Monday.

Mr. W. B. Crowell of Blackford was in town yesterday.

Mr. W. E. Dixon, of Carrsville, was in town yesterday.

Carload of lime just received at Cochran & Baker's.

Miss Jennie Bell was the guest of friends in Henshaw Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Melton, of Providence, is the guest of friends in this city.

Mr. M. H. Weldon is employed as salesman in the Henry grocery this week.

Mr. T. H. Cochran was confined to his room by illness the first of the week.

If your fences need whitewashing phone Cochran & Baker for a barrel of lime.

The I. C. railroad has been improving the depot and it now has a very attractive appearance.

Messrs. Louis and Tom Clifton returned from St. Louis this week, where they have been purchasing their spring stock of dry goods.

Mr. Geo. L. Sehon, of Louisville, State Superintendent of the Children's Home Society, spoke in the interest of the society at the Methodist church last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Grissom, of Dixon, were in the city this week. Mr. Grissom has severed his connection with the Dixon Journal and is at present foreman of the Sturgis Herald.

Mr. Ollie James was in St. Louis last week, returning home Monday. Ollie is in fine health and good spirits. His multitude of home friends are confidently referring to him as the next Congressman from the Old Gibralt.

Mr. Will Lowry, the prominent mineral man of Livingston county, was in this city Tuesday. He brought to this office a mineral specimen that seems to contain quartz of the richest quality. The specimen came from near New Salem.

DEAR EDITOR: Please say through the Press that I am conducting a meeting at Shady Grove but services will be held at Rosebud Sunday morning. Rev. W. J. Hill will preach. We are having a splendid meeting. Large attendance and much interest.

Very truly,

J. W. Crowe.

We are in receipt of an invitation to the commencement exercises of the senior class of the Medical University of Louisville. In the list of graduates appears the names of Frank Crawford, of this city, and Edward Davenport, of Livingston county. Mr. Crawford is valedictorian of the class. The commencement exercises will be held on March 28th. The young gentlemen are to be congratulated on the completion of the college course of four years.

March 28th

March 29th

March 30th

Are the dates for Kittinger & Stinnett's beautiful and elaborate

Millinery Opening!

Don't fail to attend! A hearty welcome will be given everybody.

Coughs tell you that there is something wrong in the throat or lungs. It is the cause, not the cough, that you must look after. Morley's Honey Pectoral searches out the cause of trouble, it heals the inflamed surfaces, stops the irritation, loosens the cough, and cures you thoroughly. Sold by J. H. Orme.

Most in Quantity, Best in Quality:

Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron is a tonic, a blood purifier and a blood maker. It does not stop with merely curing certain diseases, like scrofula, sores, abscesses, etc., but cleanses and builds up the whole system. All who have tried it say there is more cure in one bottle of Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron than in six of any other kind. Sold at Orme's drug store.

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Don't take a peck of any old kind of pills to cure a pint of disease when a dose of Morley's Little Liver Pills for Bilious people will cure you while you sleep. Sugar coated. For sale by J. H. Orme.

THE SHAMAN'S TALE.

Remarkable Legend of the Ship Rock of the Navahos.

Anthropologists and Historians Claim That the Quaint Tradition Has a Substantial Scientific Basis.

[Special Arizona Letter.]

WHAT a treasure house of strange traditions the brain of an old Indian is. If one can only get possession of the key and claim entrance at any time, there is never a day but that he will be able to put hands upon some quaint, queer or fascinating legend. And these Indian stories are more than mere stories. They are revelations of Indian methods of thought. They show how history becomes legend, and while we may not be able definitely to separate in these stories all that is legend from all that is history, we can, at least, do our own thinking upon the matter and arrive at our own conclusions.

On my last visit to the great reservation of the Navahos I became very friendly with one of the leading men of the tribe. He was a medicine man—a shaman—of great power, and known to the 20,000 of his compatriots as Hah-tath-li, or the Singing and Laughing Doctor.

He was full of stories, legends, mythology, history, and when we had fully established our friendly relationship he talked to me by the hour of these hidden and romantic treasures of his mind.

Among other stories he told me this of the great "Ship Rock of the Navahos."

This rock is situated in the Navaho reservation, about 100 miles northwest of Tohatchi—where we then were—and some 15 or 20 miles from Carizo mountain. It is most difficult of access, and my informant assured



THE SHIP ROCK OF THE NAVAHOS.

me that even though an army of white men should reach its base they could never scale its steep sides and reach its top. All the Navaho tribe reverence it sincerely and all watch and guard it jealously. He would indeed be a brave white man who would dare the anger of these warlike and brave natives if they forbade his approach and would attempt to scale this sacred ship rock. Yet I have been near enough to photograph it, and it was when I showed the photograph to Hah-tath-li and he recognized it that he gave me the following legend:

"Many, many years ago, when this country was young and the sun cast only small shadows, my people came across the narrow sea far away to the setting sun in the north and landed on the shores of this country. The people where they landed were



HATHATHLI (The Singing Medicine Man of the Navahos.)

exceedingly angry at them, and when they could they fell upon them and slew them. My people did not want to go to war, but this inhospitable reception made them angry, so they put themselves in war array and fell upon their foes. But there were few only of my people, and their enemies were so many that it was not long before they were in sad straits. Indeed, they would soon have been entirely destroyed had not help come. In their distress they called on Those Above, and soon a messenger from the sky came to my people and said: 'See you yonder stone mountain? Flee to it. It will be your salvation. Climb up its steep, strong, rugged sides and it will carry you toward the land of the South sea, nearer to the rising sun, and there your home shall be.'

"My people were only too glad to obey the message. They hastened towards the mountain. Some who were weak were enabled to fly towards it like birds, and they clung to its steep sides and clambered to its top.

"Then when they were all safe on its huge bulk, the monster ship was taken by Those Above, and it arose and sailed across the rivers and plains and mountains and lakes and canyons. Several days and nights it sailed, and my peo-

ple gazed with wonder upon the strange and wonderful countries through which they traveled. Sometimes they thought they would like to stay in this place or in that, but the wisdom of Those Above said No! and the ship sailed on. Oh! it was a glorious sail. Never before or since has any people been so blessed and favored by the People of the Shadows Above.

"Finally the ship crossed the great deep canyon of the Colorado river, and my people were afraid of its vast depths. Then the ship gently settled down to the earth, where it is now found, and our home was reached. It did not seem to be a very beautiful land, but it was given to us by Those Above, and my people soon became content. We were shown the springs and the watercourses, and we found the mountains covered with trees, and the rivers and creeks. So that when any one speaks of our leaving our country we are afraid and we cry: 'No, why should we leave this land given to us, and which we love? Yonder is the ship in which we came, and never until that ship sails away with us shall we leave the land that we love so well!'

"As soon as we were settled here, Those Above gave us some great shamans, and one of them told us that we must always do right, for the sun, when it rises, would watch our every action all throughout the day, and when he went away at night it was to tell Those Above all our evil actions, for which we should be punished."

Thus was the story of the great ship finished. It seems strange that the Navahos should love their country so much, for it is not a fertile and beautiful land, yet it must be confessed that no people on earth are so devoted to their native soil as is this wild and nomad tribe. A large portion of the land that they once roamed over has been set apart as a reservation by treaty and executive order. On June 1, 1863, a treaty was made, and on October 29, 1878, and June 6, 1880, and again May 17, 1892, executive orders were issued. The complete reservation now comprises 7,698,560 acres, or 12,025



THE SHIP ROCK OF THE NAVAHOS.

square miles, approximately, and is situated mainly in Arizona, though there are small portions in New Mexico and Utah. In 1884, 46,080 acres in New Mexico were restored to the public domain, but this order was rescinded, and the lands reserved for the Navahos by executive order of April 24, 1886. The whole population is estimated at 20,000. It may here be said that this Navaho legend has some true historical foundation. According to the highest authority the Athapascan stock or race of people have migrated from Alaska—where some of them still remain as the Tinnahs—some into the southern parts of Colorado, Utah and northern parts of New Mexico and Arizona. These are the Navahos. Others are found in southern Arizona, and are the Apaches; still others in northern California, and are the Hupas, while the Havasupais and Wallapais of north-west Arizona, are of the same stock. G. WHARTON JAMES.

Defendant's Case Proved.
In an application for divorce Thomas R. Jones, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., says his wife's feet are cold. In her reply Mrs. Jones says that Thomas is a crank. In view of the circumstances it does not seem as if it would be necessary to give the case to a jury. Her contention seems to be proved, while there are serious difficulties in the way of producing satisfactory proof of his assertion. It would hardly do to introduce the feet as "Exhibit A," and unless Mrs. Jones has been married before, there would seem to be insurmountable difficulties in the way of securing corroborative evidence. Really, it would have been far better if Mr. Jones had given his wife a pair of felt boots for nocturnal wear, and thus made the best of existing conditions.

Twins or Merely Brothers?
Here is an interesting subject for discussion by the village debating society. The Medical Record says that in a small town in Warren county, Ohio, twin brothers were born, one a few minutes before midnight on December 31, 1900, the other a few minutes past 12 o'clock on the morning of January 1, 1901. The neighbors are quarreling as to what day shall be celebrated by the two boys as their common birthday, or whether the children, being born on different days in different months, years, and even centuries, may be regarded as twins or merely as brothers.

Not Afraid of the Cold.
A fire alarm sounded in the house of hook and ladder truck No. 4, in Newark, N. J., just as the driver, Herman Hanke, was taking a bath. He bounded out of the bath tub, threw on a single garment—a long India rubber coat—slid down the brass pole leading to the truckroom, mounted the truck and drove to the fire. The moisture on his limbs froze in the chilly air, but Herman didn't mind a little thing like that. An hour later he returned and finished his bath.

SOUTHERN GLEANINGS.

Attempt at Jail Delivery.

Jailer Ramsey of Natchez, Miss., discovered that two negro murderers and a negro horse thief had almost perfected arrangements to escape from jail, but his timely discovery frustrated their plans. They had secured two 14-inch files and a monkey wrench and had filed the traces on a door of their cellroom. Two nuts holding iron panels to a hole in the east wall had been loosened and the negroes intended to finish the work at night and escape. Johnson, one of the murderers, is under sentence of death, and is to be executed next month.

Illegal Liquor Traffic.

Gus Sullens, John Brady, William Joiner and S. W. Williams of Jonesboro and William W. Blackwood of Osceola were all sentenced by Judge Rogers at Helena to terms in the penitentiary and to pay fines for retailing whisky without license. They all pleaded guilty, the evidence against them being conclusive. Jonesboro and Osceola are both prohibition towns, and these men are what are known as bootleggers. Young Blackwood is a mere boy and a son of a former clerk of Mississippi county, now dead. A determined effort is being made to break up the illicit sale of whisky.

Jail Broken Into by Mob.

The jail of Moore county at Carthage, N. C., was broken into by a mob of fifty men, who secured Silas Martindale—confined on a charge of assault—and hanged him to a tree. He was choked to death, and from indications about the scene it is supposed the lynchers raised and lowered him many times in order to extort a confession from him. Martindale was said to have attacked Miss Brewer, a school teacher, living near Carthage. This is the first time in fifty years that a white man has met death at the hands of a mob in North Carolina.

Whipped by Whitecaps.

A recent church organization has been effected in the lower part of Cherokee county, N. C., called the "Sanctified" church. Their mode of worship had become repugnant to the citizens. A crowd of twenty-two citizens, disguised as whitecaps, and all well armed, went to the home of P. Berrong, where a preacher was boarding. The preacher was rudely dragged out of the house and given thirty-nine lashes with a blacksnake whip after which he was ordered to leave the community forthwith. He did so.

Bear Found in Bear's Lair.

A young child of Ellis Mitchell, of Port Basinger, Fla., was lost the other day while the parents were temporarily away from home. Bear tracks were seen around the house. Mitchell gathered a party and they began a search. The tracks were followed for five miles into cane brake, when a bear was seen to come out of a cavern under some rocks. Investigation revealed the child there in a bed of leaves, unhurt, but crying from hunger. In the back of the cave were two young bear cubs.

Another Strike at Tampa.

Six hundred cigar makers of the Ybor-Manera factory at Tampa, Fla., went on strike, their grievance being the discharge of a woman in the stripping department. It is claimed by the strikers that she was discharged because she was a delegate of the Resistance union. The entire number of strikers assembled in the street in front of the factory and listened to incendiary speeches by the leaders. The police were called upon to disperse the strikers.

Broach Not Guilty of Murder.

After being out twelve hours, the jury at Carthage, Miss., returned a verdict of not guilty, and Russell Broach walked out of the court-house free from the charge of murdering the wife and three children of James Gamble. His relatives and others swore to an alibi. The jury discredited the confession of Andrew Boyd, the dying negro, who implicated Broach and six negroes. The latter were released.

Boy Had Two Heads.

Twins were born to the wife of Steve Shake at Fisherville, Ky., one of which was a strange freak of nature. It was perfectly developed in every other way, but was possessed of two heads, one being formed just back of the natural head and similar in every respect except that there was no eyes or nose. The child lived three days. The other twin is a girl and is perfectly developed and still lives.

Negro Lynched in Georgia.

The body of Sherman Harris, a negro, was found swinging from a tree six miles from Spillman, Ga. Harris had killed Sidney King, a white merchant, in a quarrel.

Shooting Follows a Quarrel.

In a difficulty at Bonair, Tenn., between John Brown and Morgan Porter the former was shot and instantly killed by the latter.

Death Sentence Commuted.

Gov. McMillin of Tennessee commuted the death sentence in the case of C. H. Givens to life imprisonment.

Saloon Man Killed Himself.

J. T. Powell, a Bristol, Tenn., saloon proprietor, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. He was despondent over business ventures.

Shock Caused Her Death.

J. F. Anderson hanged himself at Bristol, Tenn. His daughter died later from the effects of the shock caused by her father's suicide.

FOREIGN FACTS AND FANCIES.

The export of fresh flowers from France to Berlin has doubled within a year.

Only two heirs to the throne since the conquest, under the duke of York, have married English women. The gain in population made by Vienna in ten years is 293,710, making the present population of the Austrian capital about 1,635,647.

It appears that in the United Kingdom there are 60,000 postmen, and in the course of a year close upon 3,600,000,000 letters, post cards, parcels, circulars, boxes and newspapers are delivered.

A couple at Alton Common, who have just celebrated their golden wedding, have a family of seven sons and three daughters. The tallest stands six feet three and one-half inches, and only one comes under six feet.

One French journalist proposes to exclude all accounts of duels and the names of duellists participating therein from the newspapers on the grounds that if no notice were taken of them most duellists would be willing to let their honor protect itself.

Tigers and leopards are found in all the mountainous parts of China, the royal tiger of India is found in the range of mountains which parallel the coast from Canton north to the Yangtze, while in the mountains of the north is found the great Siberian or Mongolian tiger, which is the most magnificent specimen of the tiger family. In addition to these, wild boars, wild sheep and goats, antelope, and what is considered by the Chinese one of their greatest delicacies, the wild onager, are common.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL NEWS.

The theater at Ephesus has been laid bare by the Austrian excavations. The great harbor appears to be of Greek, not Roman, origin.

L. Lindet considers that the windmill was imported into France and England from the east in the eleventh century, though it may have been in use earlier.

Remains of a house of republican times have been found under a crypt of S. Cecilia in Trastevere, Rome. It was restored in the first part of the second century A. D.

Remains of the ancient theater of Augusta Taurinorum (Turin) have been found in the area of the Palazzo Vecchio on the northern side of the ancient town.

Drs. Grenfell and Hunt have a great mass of Ptolemaic papyrus, some used for inside padding of crocodile coffins, others made up into human coffins, like the Petrie papyrus. These latter have not been explored; the former contain at all events the official papers of a komogrammateus, or village mayor, of the second century B. C.

Talmage in Memphis.

The eminent divine will be heard at the Auditorium, one night only, Friday, March 22. When Doctor Talmage last lectured at the Auditorium, seven years ago, the capacity of that great building was taxed to its utmost, and many were unable to procure even standing room. In order that parties outside of Memphis may not be shut out the management advises them to send in their requests for seats now, assuring them of prompt attention. 100 seats at \$1.00; 1,100 seats at 75c; 2,000 seats at 50c are reserved and will not be sold until the doors open the night of the lecture. Ben. M. Stainback, manager.

It is safer to place your mouth to the muzzle of a gun than on the lips of a deceitful woman.—N. Y. Herald.

The thinner the wine of wisdom the faster it will run out.—Ran's Horn.

A Strong Man's Secret.

One of the strongest men recently stated that the secret of his wonderful power was perfect digestion. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters makes digestion perfect, and cures all complaints arising from a weak stomach, such as indigestion, biliousness and all liver and kidney ailments. As a blood purifier and nerve tonic it is marvelous. It is recommended by physicians, and sold by every druggist in the country. Try it also for malaria, fever and ague.

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Don't whistle; it takes the attention of the people from their own affairs in wondering what time you are trying to hit.—Atchison Globe.

Pink's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Brien, 322 Third Ave., N. Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

"Why is it called 'pin money'?" his wife asked of him. "I don't know, unless it is because the husbands are always stuck for it."—Philadelphia Times.

There are always a lot of people willing to pay a little something to have their prejudice tickled.—Atchison Globe.

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One Case. Bill—Did you ever know an amateur fisherman to tell the truth? Jill—Oh, yes; I heard one tell another that he was a liar.—What To Eat.

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The plaintiff and defendant in a lawsuit are like two boys ducking their heads in a tub of water—each during the other to remain under the longest.—Chicago Daily News.

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It's a pity a balky horse does not realize that it is easier to pull than to take the whipping that goes with a balk.—Atchison Globe.

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THE DUTY OF MOTHERS.

What suffering frequently results from a mother's ignorance; or more frequently from a mother's neglect to properly instruct her daughter!

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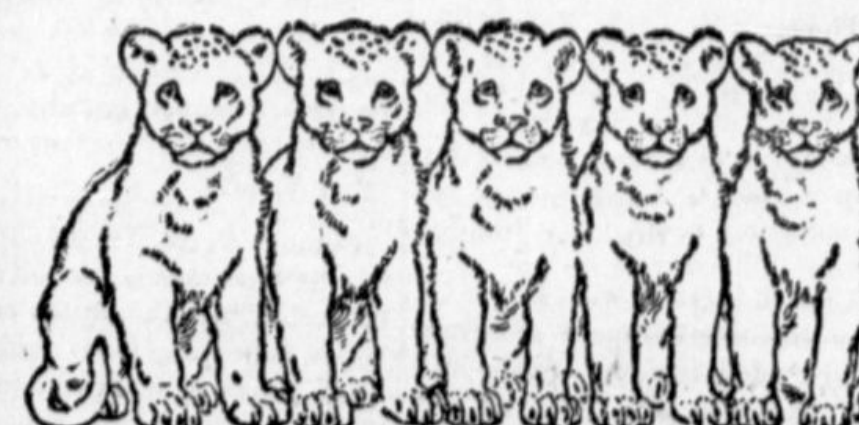
Mrs. August Palsgraf, of South Byron, Wis., mother of the young lady whose portrait we here publish, wrote Mrs. Pinkham in January, 1899, saying her daughter had suffered for two years with irregular menstruation—had headache all the time, and pain in her side, feet swell, and was generally miserable. Mrs. Pinkham promptly replied with advice, and under date of March, 1899, the mother writes again that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured her daughter of all pains and irregularity.

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The Point of View.—Weller—"Did you ever notice how quickly a woman forsakes her piano practice after she is married?" Tuttle—"Oh, yes; there are such things as happy marriages."—Boston Transcript.

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INDUSTRIAL ITEMS.

Twelve thousand tons of dried turf is the average yield of an acre of peat.

The world's manufactures use 90 tons of gold and 515 tons of silver a year.

There are several large factories in the United States devoted to the manufacture of rose water.

Tunis sells 100,000 tons a year of esparto grass for paper making. England takes one-third of this.

Seventy-eight tons out of every 100 of rough iron were converted into steel last year, as against four tons in every 100 30 years ago.

Before 1850, Russia, Belgium and Holland produced no beet sugar; now these countries are important factors in the sugar markets of the world.

A landslide occurred recently in Switzerland. An inn and its garden and outbuildings slid down a hillside a distance of 35 feet without being in the least injured. Two stately elm trees in the garden were also moved without injury.

Pleased with His Lawyer.
"While I was in the state's attorney's office," said ex-Deputy State Attorney William C. Smith, "I had to try a case against an otherwise honest German for selling liquor on Sunday. The defendant had retained a certain member of the bar who is noted for his high C voice. During this attorney's rather loud address his German client looked on in rapt admiration, and he was heard to remark:

"Ach, dot's the kind of lawyer to haf, yet."

"Why?" he was asked.

"Because," was the reply, "he hollers so loud he scares der jury."—Baltimore Sun.

THE MEMPHIS REUNION

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 18.—As the time approaches for the holding of the Confederate Reunion in this city in May the activity of the many committees in charge of the arrangements increases. Capt. T. D. Lawler, superintendent of hotels, acting under the reunion committee on hotels and accommodations, has finished a thorough canvass of the city, and reports that he is well satisfied with the result of his work. The doors of nearly all the citizens will be thrown open during the reunion, and all visitors will be properly cared for. The finance committee is continuing its work, and \$50,000 has been raised for the entertainment of the veterans. A massive structure will be built on the river front to be used for veterans only. A grand pavilion will be erected at Fourth and Court streets, and will be used for a grand ball given in honor of the visiting sponsors. Drums and bugles have arrived for the drum corps of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, which will be a feature of the reunion parade.

Another feature of the reunion will be the presence of a United States warship. The gunboat Hancock has been ordered to proceed to Memphis and remain here during the stay of old soldiers. The Hancock, which is at present at Key West, will arrive before Memphis not later than May 26. The technical description of Uncle Sam's fighting machine is as follows:

Displacement, 839 tons.
Steel hull, indicated horse power, 1,213.

Speed, 14.37 knots.
Triple screw propulsion, four guns.
The presence of the gunboat will be largely due to the efforts of Senator E. W. Carmack, who has personally called upon Secretary of the Navy Long and been persistent in his efforts to have the warship at Memphis during the reunion. The following order has been issued by Secretary Long:

"NAVY DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C.
"You will direct the commanding officer of the Hancock to proceed with the vessel under his command to Memphis, Tenn., to arrive there not later than May 26th next, and to remain there until after the Confederate Reunion, which is to be held at that city beginning the 28th of May."
—Very Respectfully,

"J. D. Loxo, Secretary.
"To the Commander-in-Chief United States Naval Forces, North Atlantic Squadron."

Advices received at reunion headquarters from all parts of the South indicate that the attendance will be a record-breaker. Letters from Arkansas and Texas tell of arrangements now making to have the largest representation in Memphis ever before sent to a reunion. Mississippi will also outdo herself on this occasion. The railroads have all agreed to a very cheap rate—namely, 1 cent a mile, and the steamboat lines have named a proportionate tariff.

The committee on badges has been given authority to design an official badge, and the work is rapidly progressing. More than 12,000 badges will be used, and the design will be both appropriate and handsome. The press committee will open a headquarters for visiting newspaper men, and every facility will be afforded for the prompt transmission of news. A register will be kept at these headquarters, and it is expected that all visiting newspaper men will call there and subscribe their names.

One of the especial features which the general committee hopes to make a brilliant success is the gathering together here of not less than a thousand of Forrest's old cavalry forces, and the plan has been suggested that they be brought into the city somewhat after the fashion that the Wizard of the Saddle did himself in the sixties, when he surprised Claiborne in the old Gayoso Hotel and, with a handful of men, sent many "funny feelings" into the hearts of the Federals. His headquarters were in Memphis at that time, and the only idea entertained by Gen. Forrest was to create a little consternation among what he considered the foes of the South.

It is the purpose of a number of the survivors of the Forrest command to ride into Memphis horseback and rendezvous at a given point and then join in the mammoth parade. Information has been received from a number of the camps in this section regarding the matter, and it is believed there will be no trouble in getting up a thousand men. Of course the committees will want to know at the earliest possible moment how many will come from any given point, so that preparations in the parade can be made for their accommodation and assignment.

The committee of citizens which visited Washington and extended to President McKinley a courteous invitation to be present on the occasion of the reunion has returned. The president, while deeply grateful for the invitation, could not accept, but promised to try and visit the Bluff City at some future time.

A dozen or more selected rooms have been engaged at the Peabody Hotel for the accommodation of Gen. Gordon, Gen. Moorman and division commanders. Arrangements have also been made for the proper reception of visiting sponsors and maids of honor.

Slapped by Congressman.

G. Barker of Maine recently instituted suit in the District Criminal Court of Washington for \$10,000 damages against Congressman S. B. Cooper of Texas for an alleged assault last summer, and a verdict was rendered in favor of the defendant. On the 31st of last May, while both were journeying from the South to Washington, Barker objected to Mr. Cooper expectorating upon the floor of the car, and after considerable remonstrances, the congressman slapped Barker in the face. This action led to the suit.

AFTER-EFFECTS OF LA GRIPPE.

THE after-effects of the grip are often disastrous. It is commonly known to the medical fraternity that the numerous ailments and complications which follow the grip are apt to be more serious than the acute stage of the disease.

Some people have the grip very lightly. They may be confined to the house only a day or two and yet a long train of disagreeable, disabling symptoms follow. All sorts of tonics and stimulating remedies have been devised to meet this condition. None of them can compare in results with Peruna.

Every one who has had the grip ought to take a short course of Peruna. Read what the following people have to say about it.

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The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—
"I have taken Peruna now for two weeks, and find I am very much relieved. I feel that my cure will be permanent. I have also taken it for la grippe, and take pleasure in recommending it to all my friends. Peruna is an excellent remedy to all fellow-sufferers." M. W. Howard.
Congressman Howard.

Grip Produces Catarrh.
Henry Distin, the inventor and maker of the band instruments for the Henry Distin Mfg. Co., at Williamsport, Pa., writes:

1441 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa., May 6, 1899.
Dr. S. B. Hartman, Dear Sir:—"I write to inform you that I had a bad attack of la grippe last December which lasted more than three months and which left me with catarrh, when several of my friends advised me to try your wonderful medicine, Peruna. I began with a bottle the first week in March and it certainly did me a great deal of good. I was so well satisfied that I purchased another bottle and followed your directions which you furnish with every bottle, and I am glad to say that it has cured me. I shall certainly recommend the Peruna to all my friends."

D. D. Wallace, a charter member of the International Barbers' Union, writes from 15 Western avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.:

"Following a severe attack of la grippe, I seemed to be affected badly all over. I suffered with a severe backache, indigestion and numerous ills, so I could neither eat nor sleep, and I thought I would give up my work, which I could not afford to do. "One of my customers who was greatly helped by Peruna advised me to try it, and I procured a bottle the same day. I used it faithfully and felt a marked improvement. During the next two months I took five bottles, and then felt splendid. Now my head is clear, my nerves are steady, I enjoy food, and rest well. Peruna has been worth a dollar a dose to me."—D. L. Wallace.

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Noble Child.—"It was very noble of you, Willie, to plead that your brother be spared a whipping." "I guess I know my business. Every time he gets licked he turns around and licks me."—Philadelphia Press.

Washington, April 24, 1900.
The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—
"About two months ago I was taken very ill with la grippe and was obliged to go to bed. I took three bottles of Peruna with very beneficial results and was able to leave my bed in a week, and regained my usual strength very soon. I have nothing but the highest praise for Peruna and recommend it to those similarly afflicted wherever I can."—Frances M. Anderson.

Grip Poisoned Her Blood.
Mrs. T. W. Collins, Treasurer of the Independent Order of Good Templars of Everett, Wash., writes:
"After having a severe attack of la grippe I continued in a feeble condition even after the doctor called me cured. My blood seemed poisoned. "I also suffered with dyspepsia, and had either to starve or suffer from what I was eating. A neighbor who was using Peruna praised it so highly that she induced me to try it, and I soon found that this was what I really needed."
"I could soon eat my regular meals with relish, my system was built up, my health returned, and I have remained in excellent strength and vigor now for over two years."—Mrs. T. W. Collins.

Miss Alice Dressler, of 1313 N. Bryant avenue, Minneapolis, Minn., writes as follows concerning Peruna:

"Last spring I suffered from la grippe and was partially cured, but the bad after-effects remained. Through the summer and somehow I did not get as strong as I was before. "In the fall I caught cold after getting my feet wet and attending a lecture in a cold hall, and suffered a relapse. Catarrh of the throat and head followed, and as I was in a weak condition physically previous to this, it took but little to break me down completely. One of my college friends, who was visiting me, asked me to try Peruna and I did so and found it all more than I had expected. It not only cured me of catarrh, but restored me to perfect health."—Alice Dressler.

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Bob Franks and John Slesaker have clashed in their weather forecasts, and there is some uneasiness as to general results. Slesaker declares that a man could have worked every day in March, if he had his clothes tied on him.

Mumps and chicken-pox are in own town.

Our school is doing nicely under the rule of Prof. Wright.

Taylor Guess and wife, Kit Shepherd and Barnett Moore and wife, Rob Lear, etc., will move to Hurricane Island in a few days, where they expect to spend the summer tilling the soil for corn, pumpkins and Johnny gourd.

Bro. Cundiff preached for us Sunday and Sunday night.

We have some candidates here this week who will not be candidates after November, and they are all good men. R. M. Franks thinks his drive in the snow Friday gave him his chill, but he is up again.

We have a stone in our town which appears to have been rejected of the builders, but he has now become one of the corner stones—and he is a Daniel.

The Tolu Mill has been rented to Eugene Guess.

R. M. Franks will sell you a Quaker bath cabinet and warrant it to do as represented.

MEXICO.

The big rain of the 9th did considerable damage to our farmers.

Willie Humphries, of Hillville, was greeting his many friends here last week. Will is all smiles; he says it's a boy at his house.

Uncle Stanton Pierce is much improved.

Clyde McMaster, of Elizabethtown, was visiting his sister, of this place, Thursday.

Bryan Nunn and wife, of Chapel Hill, visited Mrs. Ida Magee Sunday.

Sunday school was organized at Sulphur Spring church on the second Sunday.

Little Sadie Pierce is very ill with the whooping cough.

James Tabor returned from Arkansas Saturday, where he has been visiting his son.

Thos Young had a barn raising Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Williamson, of Chapel Hill, was a guest of her brother Charlie Saturday.

Born to the wife of John Tabor, a girl.

Mrs. Davenport of Fredonia was visiting Mrs. A. Butler last week.

Frank Rogers was guest of his old friend Bob Rushing Sunday.

The farmers and miners in this section are in a general hustle and this pretty weather makes them very merry.

Miss Setha Turpin and sister are visiting relatives here Sunday.

BLOWS FACTORY.

Bro Blackburn filled his regular appointment at Blackburn the second Saturday and Sunday.

Sunday school will be organized at Blackburn church the fourth Sunday evening in March.

Ray Thomas visited his sister, Mrs. Burchfield, Sunday.

Mrs. McClelland visited the family of W. B. Stenbridge Friday.

The was a nice musical entertainment at Joe McDowell's Saturday night.

George Travis is engineer at the Blow factory.

SALEM.

The sick among us are Mrs. Fleming and Mrs. Jim Cox.

Mrs. Maggie Gray was buried at this place Saturday.

This town is on a boom with railroad talk.

The mining prospect is very good here so far.

They are making preparations to put up a livery stable on Main street.

Miss Lillie Jolly has just returned from Louisville.

Miss Minnie Martin says her favorite flower is Sweet Williams.

Isaac Butler has gone to Oklahoma to join his brother Ed. and make that his home. We are sorry he left. Hope he will come again soon.

IRON HILL.

Ed Dean has a new girl baby at his house.

Claude Brantley, of Tribune was here Sunday.

J. N. Roberts visited Rufus Riley Sunday.

G. D. Kemp, who has announced as a candidate for jailer, expects to be defeated. It is a girl at his house.

J. K. Beard and family visited relatives here Sunday.

Joe Brantley took his best girl to Shady Grove Sunday.

On account of heavy rains farming has been delayed very much.

Mrs. N. J. and Susie Kemp were the guests of Ida M. Roberts Sunday.

G. W. Sutton went to Providence Sunday.

Several of our people attended church at Shady Grove Sunday.

The ruins of Piney bridge have been taken out.

Miss Frank Gardner visited Mrs. Ada Kemp last week.

Mrs. Sallie Riley is still confined to her bed with heart trouble.

DYCUSBURG.

M. B. Charles went to Paducah last Sunday.

H. C. Rice of Kelsey was in town one day last week.

W. E. Charles left Sunday for Fort Sumter, Ills.

James Clark and John Loyd of Princeton and Misses Minnie Campbell and Kate Duvall of Hughey were in town Sunday.

E. J. Brown and family spent the day in the country Sunday.

J. C. Tinsley of Caldwell Springs was in town Sunday.

Sam Baught and Miss Tyline Wynn and Mable Cogan of Kuttawa were in town Sunday.

There was preaching at M. E. church Sunday, and at night by Rev. Moore.

FREDONIA.

A. S. Threlkeld's little granddaughter who has been afflicted so long is growing worse all the time.

Mrs. J. F. Hughes was in town Monday.

Mrs. Florence Sturtevant attended Sunday school and church services at the C. P. church last Sunday. Another addition to the ladies Bible class.

Miss Marcella Noel is in the city purchasing her stock of millinery, which will be the largest ever brought to this town.

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Miss Butler was visiting in Crittenden Sunday and Monday.

Farmers are on a race to finish sowing oats and clover seed.

Mrs. J. E. Crider has not been able to attend church for several months, but is improving lately.

H. C. Turley and family, of Crider, were in town Sunday.

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SHADY GROVE.

Bro. Crow has begun a protracted meeting at this place, and hope he will have good success in winning souls to Christ.

Miss Mamie Hubbard, of Marion, is the guest of friends in this place.

Miss Lillian McConnell is visiting her friends in this place.

Misses Laura and Lena Cardwell have returned from a three weeks visit near Madisonville.

The musicale at Mr. Cardwell's last week was enjoyed by the young folks of our town.

There was quite a storm in our little village Saturday.

Will Carrahan, of Blackford was in town Saturday.

T. E. Cannon made his usual trip to Blackford Sunday. He seems to be in love with Blackford.

Mannering Towery of Piney was in town Saturday.

Hal Turner, one of our town boys has returned to Dixon which he will make his future home.

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