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MURRAY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 1908.

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NIGHT RIDING CASES CALLED

Jury Secured Friday Morning; Evidence is Being Heard.

The night riding cases were called in the circuit court Thursday and the securing of a jury occupied the whole day. The first case called was against Kelsie Kirk and was passed upon motion of the commonwealth. The next case was against Jake Ellis, who is charged with being a member of the party that called upon Moses Thornton last winter and instructed him to burn a plant bed and grow a crop of tobacco.

The jury is composed of J. K. Miller, V. J. Williams, Pat Beale, Montie McCuiston, S. O. Miller, W. S. Shoemaker, Ben Dixon, Mathew McDaniel, R. S. Griffin, T. J. Brinn, O. T. Curd, and C. E. Hatcher.

Only three witnesses have testified at this hour. It is predicted that the case will not reach the jury before Monday.

The Christian Revival.

The revival services at the Christian church conducted by Evangelist Fife and son, of Kansas City, are going by leaps and bounds. The audiences have been large from the beginning and they are increasing daily. There have already been several conversions and additions to the church. Services are held at 10 o'clock a. m. and 8 p. m. daily. Friday morning Evangelist Roger H. Fife will preach a special sermon to women and girls on "The Woman that Moved to Town." Every woman and girl in town is expected to be present. Men are also invited. The music under the direction of Evangelist Clyde Lee Fife is considered the best ever heard in Murray. He has a sunshine chorus of about seventy-five children and young people that

is making some fine music. The young Mr. Fife is also a fine preacher, and relieves his father in pulpit work. He will preach the sermon Sunday morning. People are beginning to attend from the country and near-by towns and a very large audience is expected at all the services on Sunday. Next Sunday will be parents' day in the Bible school, and all the parents are invited to attend with their children, and witness the "Nail Service" to be conducted by the evangelists. The revival will continue through next week.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since."—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Spring, Tex. "Sunny Jim" smiles do not come off—Ledger produces 'em.



E. P. PHILLIPS is a candidate for County Judge of Calloway county, subject to the action of the November primary. Mr. Phillips is possibly one of the most widely known men in the county, having served two terms as circuit court clerk. He is well qualified for the office to which he aspires and asks a careful consideration of his claims.

ASSOCIATION

To Form Mammoth Tobacco Company For Manufacture of Snuff.

One of the largest tobacco manufacturing concerns in the world will probably be established by members of the Planters' Protective Association and active competition with the tobacco business will be begun. Mr. F. G. Ewing, general manager of the organization, has announced that arrangements are being made and there is every prospect that within a very short time the manufacture of snuff will be undertaken in the dark tobacco district by a company made up of members of the Association. A plant which will equal any other in existence will be erected at a point yet to be determined, and snuff will be manufactured on a scale never hitherto undertaken. The backers of the company will be members of the Association exclusively, acting as individuals and it is expected that the amount of the capital stock will be oversubscribed many times as soon as it is announced that the stock is on the market.

Plans for a move of this kind have been under way for some time, and for the past several weeks Mr. Ewing has been devoting his close attention to the matter. As a result of these plans it has been definitely decided that the fight against the trust instead of being entirely on the defense will take on an offensive character, and that the competition which the American Tobacco Company will find itself up against will be of the keenest.

The location for the plant has not yet been decided upon, and it is probable that the point in the dark tobacco district making the most liberal offer for the concern will be chosen. It is certain that among the towns and cities which will endeavor to secure the plant will be Guthrie, Clarksville, Springfield, Hopkinsville, Princeton and Paducah. All of these are conveniently located and it will probably resolve itself down as to which can show itself to be the best situation for the plant.

The establishment of this concern will give a market for a large portion of the tobacco grown in the district. It will do away with a great deal of the delay in selling Association tobacco and will to a great extent make the organization much stronger than at present.

More Troops Arrive.

A large detachment of state troops arrived here last week, enlarging the number now stationed here to about fifty men. How long they will remain is not known. Circuit court convened Monday and this fact is said to be the reason for sending the additional men here.

Served as coffee, the new coffee substitute known to grocers everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, will trick even a coffee expert. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Pure healthful toasted grains, malt, nuts, etc. have been so cleverly blended as to give a wonderfully satisfying coffee taste and flavor. And it is "made in a minute," too. No tedious 20 or 30 minutes boiling. W. W. McClath.

F. F. Acree.

The above popular and well known young lawyer is a candidate for County Attorney and today makes his official announce-

ment. Mr. Acree was reared near Hazel in this county and moved to Murray a few years ago and commenced the practice of law. He was elected city attorney the first of this year which position he has filled creditably. He is a true democrat and his claims are subject to the action of the votes at the November primary. He asks your vote and influence.

When the Stomach, Heart or Kidney nerves get weak, then these organs always fail. Don't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is simply a make-shift. Get a prescription known to Druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strengthen these nerves, build them up with Dr. Shoop's Restorative—tablets or liquid—and see how quickly help will come. Sold by H. D. Thornton.

Sage Hill.

Health is good, except a few cases of measles. No deaths or marriages to report.

Crops are looking fine. Farmers are busy toping and suckering tobacco.

Wm. Duncan is putting up a nice dwelling and it will add to the looks of his farm a great deal.

Our school is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Roberts.

Miss Attie Marshall visited relatives near Alto the past week.

Mr. Wilkerson, from Trig county, is visiting home folks this week.

Edgar Lee visited relatives in Marshall county last Saturday and Sunday.

R. M. Bazzell.

The above gentleman, who lives in North Brinkley precinct, is a candidate for Assessor and today makes official announcement for the office. Mr. Bazzell is a farmer and a member of the association and is a deserving citizen. He is crippled as is his only son and is hardly able to do farm work. He is a true democrat and deserves your support and vote. Consider his claims for the office of assessor.

Disagreeable at Home.

Lots of men and women who are agreeable with others, get "cranky" at home. Its not disposition, its the liver. If you find in yourself that you feel cross around the house, little things worry you, just buy a bottle of Ballard's Flaxseed and put your liver in shape. You and everybody around you will feel better for it. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton.

Joe Lancaster.

We present the name of the above gentleman as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the democratic primary. Big, jolly Joe is one of Swann precinct's best young men, well known and qualified for the place he seeks. When you meet Joe once you will always know him afterwards. He asks a consideration of his claims.

Active At 87.

This would be unusual news if men and women would keep themselves free from rheumatism and all aches and pains as well as keeping their muscles and joints limber with Ballard's Snow Liniment. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton.

PRIMARY ELECTION IS CALLED.

Date Is Fixed for November 3, by the County Committee.

At a meeting of the Calloway county democratic committee held in Murray last Saturday, and which was attended in person by all the committeemen now residing in the county, a call was issued fixing November 3, as the date of the democratic primary for the selection of nominees for county office to be elected November 3, 1909.

The gathering was harmonious and the call for a fall primary received a large majority of the votes of the members present.

Books Are Closed.

Last Saturday was the time set by the executive committee of the Planters' Protective association when the membership books of that organization should be closed. This order applies to the entire dark tobacco district. The farmer who has not signed up the pledges must remain on the outside until the books are again opened. The pledges which have been taken expire with the 1908 crop and when the books are again opened it will be for the crop raised next year.

This also completes the three-year term, for which pledges were taken, and it has not yet been decided for how long the pledges will be asked when they are again solicited.

In many counties throughout the district a whirlwind campaign has been carried on for the past few weeks for the purpose of getting in as near all the outsiders as possible. These campaigns were remarkably successful and it is said that an almost solid front will be presented to the trust this fall.

Will and Robert Whitnell, of Martin, Tenn., are visiting relatives here.

Circuit Court Convened.

The regular August term of circuit court was convened Monday morning by Judge T. P. Cook.

The grand jury composed of B. F. Lax, Walter Hudspeth, B. H. Grogan, W. T. Hopkins, Walter Hamlin, W. E. Gilbert, W. A. Hughes, W. P. Jones, J. T. Jones, R. W. Lee, T. L. Brown, and Sam Holcomb, was empaneled with Mr. Holcomb as foreman.

The judge's instructions were very strong and were heard by a crowded court house.

The fore part of the week was given over to the trial of minor cases. The cases against the night riders was called Thursday morning.

A Boon to Elderly People.

Most elderly people have some kidney or bladder disorder that is both painful and dangerous. Foley's Kidney Remedy has proven a boon to many elderly people as it stimulates the urinary organs, corrects irregularities and tones up the whole system. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and be vigorous. Sold by all druggists.




WILL HARRIS announces his candidacy this week for the office of sheriff of Calloway county subject to the democratic primary. Mr. Harris is a native of this county and is well known and popular throughout the county. He asks a careful consideration of his claims. He has never held office nor asked for office before, has been a life-time democrat and is qualified to make an efficient officer.

The effect of *Scott's Emulsion* on thin, pale children is magical.

It makes them plump, rosy, active, happy.

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THREE GREAT HORSES

BRADEN GENTRY, 0984. Pacer and trotter—Sired by John R. Gentry, 2:00 1/2, the greatest living pacer. Has defeated every horse that ever raced against him. He held ten world records at one time and now holds the world record on the 1/2 mile track. He won the blue ribbon at Madison Square Garden in the show ring. Braden Gentry is out of Kate Braden, the greatest pacing brood mare in Tenn., and the dam of 4 with an average race record of 2:10 1/4. Braden is the image of his great sire, a deep bay, 16 hands. No horse living has a better breeding than this one. His sire and dam brought the highest price a pacing horse and mare ever brought under the hammer. Fee \$25.00.

FAVORITE COOK 38073 A. T. R. Trial (3 years) 2:24. Son of the Famous Capt. Cook 8083 and Lola Egotist (3) 2:27. He is a beautiful chestnut, nearly 16 hands high, and the best breeder in West Kentucky. He is a high acting trotter and all his colts go just like him. He won the Championship at The Paducah Horse Show class. "Best registered stallion of any kind shown with two of his get in West Kentucky, Tennessee and Southern Illinois." Also won in ring with two of his colts, in class. "Best harness stallion in West Kentucky, Tennessee and Southern Illinois." Fee \$15.

MASON'S HAMLET 2588. The only Saddle Horse Registered in the American Saddle Horse Breeders Association in the county. Sired by the great Artist Jr., 312, and out of Black Nellie 3196, by Star Denmark 252. He is 16 hands high and goes all the gaits. He is a show horse and won a ribbon in the Paducah Horse Show in class. "Best registered 5-gated Saddle Stallion in West Kentucky, Tennessee and Southern Illinois." He hasn't a superior in the state. Fee \$15.

Write for pedigree and description of these horses.

WILL MASON, MURRAY, KY.

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Are you a subscriber to the Black Patch Journal, the Association Journal?

If not you should subscribe at once. It not only deals with all important matters pertaining to the welfare of the association but it contains many good articles on tobacco culture, etc.

If you are a loyal member of the Association send us fifty cents for a year's subscription. If you are not a loyal member keep your money, as it looks like counterfeit to us. Our Journal is the only one in the Black Patch that devotes its entire space to the interests of the association and its members.

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NATURAL ORDER OF THINGS

Claim Agent Thought, of Course, That Smashed Fiddle Would Be Very Valuable.

For the fifth or sixth time within a period of a year and a half Farmer Highenogge strode into the presence of the railway claim agent.

"Well, what is it this time, Mr. Highenogge?" asked the agent.

"One of our trains has run over another heifer of yours, I presume—and the heifer, of course, was a Jersey."

"No," growled the farmer, "it ain't a heifer this time. One of your injines hit a spring wagon of mine 't'other day. Didn't hurt the wagon much, but it knocked a fiddle off the seat an' broke it all to smith."

"I am very sorry, Mr. Highenogge, but we can't afford to pay \$7,500 for smashing that fiddle."

"Who's askin' you to pay \$7,500?"

"Why, it was a genuine Stradivarius, wasn't it?"

LEFT HANDED CHILDREN.

Babies often inherit left-handedness from their parents, and when a mother is aware that this runs in either side of the family she should keep a careful watch of the child, so that the habit may not have a chance to form.

The mother in carrying the baby should change from one arm to the other so as to give the child the use of first one arm and then another, and not keep the same arm pinned down against her side.

If a child shows a disposition to take things which are handed to him in his left hand, the mother should take his left hand in hers and hold it so that he has to take it in his right hand. There is absolutely no reason why a child should not be taught the equal use of both hands in the early months of his life.

THE EGOTISM OF ENGLISH.

The English use of the capital I is one of the odd features of the English language; that is, to a foreigner.

If a Frenchman writes with reference to himself he makes je (the French equivalent of I) with a small j. So with the German, who may use capitals to begin every noun; he always uses the small i in writing ich. The Spaniard avoids, as far as possible, the use of the personal pronoun when writing in the first person; but he always writes it yo, taking pains, however, to begin the Spanish equivalent of our "you," with a capital.

In English, it is surely big "I," and little "you."

WOMAN CHURCH PASTOR.

Just one year ago Miss Emeda Sage was called from Hartford, Conn., by the Maine missionary society to become acting pastor of the Congregational church at West Milnot. It was the first time for many years that the church has had a pastor of its own, and it is said to have gained so much in membership and added so much to its financial standing under the ministrations of Miss Sage that the Maine missionary society expects that it will soon be self-supporting.

NO CAUSE FOR COMPLAINT.

"Say," complained the man, "nearly all the buttons are off this shirt of mine."

"Yes?" replied his indolent wife, with a yawn. "It's supposed to be a negligee shirt, isn't it?"

"Of course."

"Well, if all the buttons were on it wouldn't it be nearly so negligee."

THE BRUTE.

Suffragette Lecturer—Yes, my sisters, man has tyrannized over us, oppressed us, abused us, maltreated us, scorned us, ridiculed us, and—

Ancient Mariner (in audience)—Yes, and what is worse, he never married us.—Toledo Blade.

A LUXURY.

"But," protested the plain citizen, "don't you consider honesty a good thing?"

"Sure," replied the politician, "but it's like every other good thing; you've got to make money before you can afford it."

NOT SPEAKING.

"That girl doesn't speak to me if she can avoid it," said the man with a grudge.

"You should have more pride than to resent it."

"I can't help resenting it. She's the telephone operator."

ADVICE WORTH MUCH MONEY

Millionaire Senator Acknowledges Value of Parting Words of Kindly Old Quaker.

I went to make my home with a friend (a quaker) when I was nine years of age and stayed with him until I was 16," said Ray Scott, United States senator from West Virginia, to an interviewer. "When I was leaving to go west to look for and to make a fortune in 1850, on the seventeenth day of March—St. Patrick's day—he said to me as he handed the little money he owed me:

"'Farewell, Nathan, there has been a good boy. Remember that it is not what thee eats that will make thee fat, but what thee digests will. Remember, it is not what thee reads, but the kind of reading that thee does and retains that will make thee a smart man. It is not what thee earns that will make thee rich, but it is what thee saves. Farewell,' and he handed me as a parting gift a 25-cent penknife.

"'But the advice he gave me,'" continued Senator Scott, "on leaving was worth thousands of dollars to me in my future life."

THE CLEVER WOMAN.

With all the discussion that is now going on about what constitutes the clever woman it is interesting to get the opinion of a great English author and editor.

A clever woman, as a wife, is a woman who is skilled in the conduct of life, in the control of the household, and, above all, in the management of her husband, says William T. Stead in the Deliberator. A woman who could neither read nor write would be a bad wife for any ordinary man in a civilized community, but such an illiterate woman, if she were clever in all the arts of domestic economy, in the rearing of children and in being at once the inspiration and comfort of her husband, would be clever enough for the cleverest man in existence, and infinitely preferable to the cleverest woman in book learning that has ever been turned out by university.

PLAGUE OF BLACK MICE.

A horde of black mice, carrying destruction from field to field, has caused damage estimated by the officials of the department of agriculture of \$250,000 in the Carson river valley. The press of that part of the state reports that whole fields of alfalfa have been devastated, potato crops ruined and shade trees even stripped of their leaves. The government station on the Carson river has placed men in the field to exterminate the plague. Strychnine is being used in many cases, as was done by the Danberg rangers south of here. The black mice plague raged in Humboldt county last fall and during the winter was reported near Genoa.—Sacramento Bee.

CROW DESTROYED THE EGGS.

A party of boys while hunting for flowers discovered a pheasant's nest on a farm owned by Albert Hackett, north of the village of Manchester a few days ago. They visited the locality of the nest daily to see when the mother bird would begin to sit, as at that time the eggs in the nest numbered 13. To-day, when some of the party made the visit, a crow was found in possession of the nest, and when it was driven away it was discovered that each pheasant's egg had been punctured by the crow's bill and the contents sucked out, so that nothing but shells was in the nest.—Rochester Herald.

POSTCARD INSTRUCTION.

At a recent meeting of the German Geological society the idea was advanced for the first time to employ picture postal cards as means of instruction in the schools. The post card industry has made enormous progress in the last few years, and in the last few months cards have been brought into the market illustrative of natural history, political history, and for use in instruction in the German language, which have met with the hearty approval of professors and teachers of reputation.

A REAL MISFORTUNE.

"Young Mrs. Hardbush always dresses in such exquisite harmony."

"But she can't do it now."

"Why not?"

"Because her rich, old cranky husband has just died, and she can't very well adopt such a style in harmony with her feelings as a 'merry widow' hat."—Baltimore American.

SOME ONE HAS FOOLED THEM

English People Who Have Strange and Wonderful Ideas as to Slang Used in America.

The sea was turquoise, and in their deck chairs the schoolmarms, laying down their novels, talked of the little island country they were soon to reach.

"What amuses me," said the gray schoolmarm, "is the English idea of American slang. An English philologist at a dinner at Oxford once gravely tried to talk to me in our own easy colloquialisms. The things he said:

"'But now I'm shouting turkey,' was one. He thought it meant talking nonsense. Flowers he called 'blummies.' He didn't 'care a hate,' he said, for ballooning. A neat person was 'gin and tidy.' A friend of his had 'seen the elephant'—that is, had gone bankrupt. So he rambled on, tickled to death with his cleverness, as proud of his American slang as a George Ade. Where did he get all that nonsense of 'blummies,' and 'shouting turkey,' 'gin and tidy,' and 'caring a hate'?"

THE DOOR TO INDIA.

The British have placed at the entrance of Khyber Pass signboards with the words: "Open to traffic on Tuesdays and Fridays only." One might think the pass a back street in some city. However, it is the northwest portal of India, a natural path 33 miles long in the towering Hindu Kush mountains. It is the door connecting the bleak heights of Afghanistan with the fertile plains and tropical country beyond, and the landed interests of India did not care to have it too much open. Fierce and hungry tribes dwell on the Afghanistan side. Therefore, soldiers are on guard to see that the regulations of the signboards are observed. If the hungry natives try to break through on Wednesday, the heliograph and telegraph stations word to the British garrisons, and reinforcements are detailed to guard the pass.

SHOULDER BLADE A NUISANCE.

Peter Stroup, who lives in Germantown, has an inconvenient shoulder blade, says the Philadelphia North American. Yesterday he threw it out of joint for the hundredth time.

The elusive bone reached its century accident mark while its owner tried to tie his shoe. But Peter does not need a shoe for an excuse to play hide and seek with that shoulder blade. It's all the same whether he reaches in his hip pocket for his handkerchief or lifts his knife to his mouth at the table. Every time the shoulder blade takes a notion, it slips a trolley and then, until the doctors patch it up, its power is off.

ISLAND'S PLAGUE OF RABBITS.

Rabbits have of late increased in numbers so enormously in the northern portion of the Isle of Man as to constitute a menace to agriculture.

Recently the house of keys passed a bill having for its object the abolition of the pest. The bill treats rabbits as vermin, and empowers occupiers of land to carry a gun without license for their destruction, and to authorize other persons to carry guns without license for a like purpose.—London Standard.

NICE BOY.



Sister—Too, too! Did you see that fellow smile at me just now?

Brother—Smile? I saw him laugh. If that is what you mean?

A BAD BREAK.

Wife—Why did you give that photograph away just before we were married? Didn't you think I could use it?

Husband—My dear, I gave it away to keep peace. Don't you know that no house is big enough for two talking machines?

And at the last report he was still trying to square himself.—Detroit Free Press.

MADE A DIVISION OF LABOR

Sociologist Studied Conditions, But Left It to Another to Formulate the Theories.

"What do you want here?" asked the warden of the penitentiary.

"I should like to spend a few days in this institution," said the caller.

"What for?"

"I wish to see how the inmates live."

"What is your object in that? Are you writing a book?"

"Not at all."

"Detective story?"

"Nothing of the sort."

"Story for the Sunday papers?"

"No sir."

The warden reflected.

"I suppose," he said, "you are what they call a sociologist?"

"No, sir," said the caller. "But my brother is. All I do is to study the conditions. He formulates the theories."

HOW EMPEROR WILLIAM RESTS.

It seems that the German emperor is in the habit of having a slight meal every two hours. His incessant activity makes this necessary, and his example is followed by most of his suite, who would otherwise be unable to do all that is demanded of them.

The empress also, when the emperor is "on parade," has frequent refreshment during the day. The Kaiser also keeps two hours of the day, when possible, to rest; from two to four o'clock he is not to be disturbed when at home. Otherwise he is the entire day occupied either with business or pleasure. He retires to bed late and is up again the next morning at five o'clock.

GIVES HIM A NEW KNEE.

An amazing surgical operation has been performed at Koenigsberg, Germany, by Prof. Lexer. At an assembly of medical men, the professor introduced a patient who had been unable all his life to walk without crutches, owing to an undeveloped knee. Some weeks ago the professor amputated the leg of another man, who had met with an accident, and from the amputated limb he removed the knee joint, which was in a perfectly healthy condition. This he substituted for the undeveloped joint of his other patient. The bones joined.

WHY WILLIE DIDN'T GO.

Johnnie was to have a party and his mother insisted on his inviting a boy whom he disliked. After much urging, Johnnie promised. The party came off, but Willie did not appear.

"Now, Johnnie, did you invite him?" asked Johnnie's mother.

"Yes, I did! Yes, ma'am, I invited him," answered Johnnie. "I invited him," he added reflectively, "and I dared him to come."—Harper's Weekly.

A SYMPHONY IN LINEN.

She might well have been called a symphony in linen as she walked along Thirty-fourth street. Her smart walking costume was of that material, her ties were of the same stuff, she carried one of the inevitable handbags also made of it, evidently to order. And the small boy who trotted by her side was in a Russian blouse of linen, with linen buttonedockers. Needless to say she caught the public eye.—N. Y. Press.

IN DEADLY FEAR.

Assum—Your wife's been dead over a year now; I should think you'd look around for another and get a good one this time.

Henpeck—My! I'd like to, but I would not dare.

Assum—Why not?

Henpeck—Because Maria told me if I did she'd come back and haunt me.—Philadelphia Press.

AN IDEAL GUEST.

She was a most accommodating old lady, as this incident at an afternoon tea proved.

"Will you have sugar?" she was asked.

"If it's in, leave it in," she replied, "and if it's out, leave it out. It doesn't make a bit of difference to me."

MISTAKEN.

"Ah, I see you are married," exclaimed the merchant.

"No, sir," replied the applicant for a position. "I got this scar in a railroad accident."—The Bohemian.

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Rheumatism

Do you want to get rid of it? If so, take Dr. Miles' Nervine, modified as directed in pamphlet around bottle. In addition to the direct curative properties it has a soothing effect upon the nervous system by which the rheumatic pains are controlled, and rest and sleep assured. It has made many cures of this painful disease, some of them after years of suffering. If it will cure others why not you? If your case is complicated, write us for advice, it costs you nothing and may save you prolonged suffering.

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Often The Kidneys Are
Weakened by Over-Work.
Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.
It used to be considered that only
urinary and bladder troubles were to
be traced to the kidneys, but now
science proves that nearly all diseases
have their beginning in the disorder
of these most important
organs.

The kidneys filter
and purify the blood—
that is their work.

Therefore, when your kidneys are weak
or out of order, you can understand how
quickly your entire body is affected and
how every organ seems to fail to do its
duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin
taking the great kidney remedy, Dr.
Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon
as your kidneys are well they will help
all the other organs to health. A trial
will convince anyone.

If you are sick you can make no mis-
take by first clearing your kidneys.
The mild and extraordinary effect of
Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great
kidney remedy, is being realized. It
stands the highest for its wonderful cures
of the most distressing cases, and is sold
on its merits by all
druggists in fifteen-cent
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bother. You may
have a sample bottle of Swamp-Root
by mail free, also a pamphlet telling you
how to find out if you have kidney or
bladder trouble. Mention this paper
when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bingham-
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but remember the name, Swamp-Root,
Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the ad-
dress, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

CHANGE IN MEN'S COSTUMES

When Use of Powder and of Snuff
Boxes Died Out.

The French revolution had its
effect upon the fashions of 1800, as
well as upon matters of more
weighty import, the tendency being
greatly to simplify costume. Young
men in England adopted the short
coat, light waistcoat and pantaloons
inaugurated in Paris by a certain set
who affected to despise the old court
fashions.

The use of powder, made more ex-
pensive by taxation, quite died out
and short hair became universal.

Trousers and Wellington boots, at
first worn only by the military, were
adopted by civilians about 1814, and
the dandy of the early Victorian era
wore his tightly strapped down. He
also prided himself on his starched
collar, which had gone out of favor
under George IV., who preferred a
black silk kerchief or stock.

The snuff box vanished and the
characteristic ornament of the age
was the bunch of seals hanging from
the watch chain. Various modifica-
tions took place from time to time
during Queen Victoria's long reign,
but the form of men's dress prac-
tically remained unaltered.

The knickerbockers and tweed
suit of the country gentleman are of
comparatively modern date, as well
as the wide-waisted and cloth cap.

A TEN-FOOT LOCUST.

An antiquary laid down with a
laugh the book he had been reading.
"It's 'L'Esperance,'" he said, "a
French translation of Fenimore
Cooper's 'Spy.' I bought it from a
Frenchman's valet. What makes it
valuable is an error it contains.

"Cooper says in the book that a
horseman tied his horse to a locust.
He means a locust tree. But the
French translator thought he meant
an insect, and wrote that the horse-
man hitched to a 'saute-locuste.' He
stuck an asterisk at the end of the
sentence, and in a footnote said:

"In America the locusts grow to
an enormous size—ten feet or more.
It is customary to place dead and
stuffed ones, as hitching posts, be-
fore the doors of American man-
sions, for the convenience of visitors
on horseback."

THE INSPIRATION.

The negro brass band connected
with the traveling "Uncle Tom's
cabin" troupe was blating a tune in
its characteristic slap-bang style in
front of the theater when a dusky
cornet player who had been sulking
all day suddenly got blowing and
did not resume.

"Say, Mose," demanded the lead-
er, in the ensuing pause, "ain't yo'
workin' any mo'?"

"Ah is w'en Ah gits de inspira-
tion," retorted the sulky musician,
throwing the whites of his eyes
across at the leader.

"W'en am dat?"

"W'en Ah gits mah las' week's
pay."

STRANGE.

Friends of the late Bishop Satter-
lee in Washington are talking with
awe and wonderment of the fact
that close to the grave of the bishop,
who died recently, lilies have bloomed;
and that an offshoot of the cele-
brated Glastonbury thorn of
English legend and tradition also
is about to blossom in the same
vicinity. Years ago Bishop Satter-
lee received the lilies from Palest-
ine and planted them in the grounds
of the cathedral of Sts. Peter and
Paul, but they never bloomed
until this spring, since the
bishop's death. So with the thorn
tree—a shoot of which was sent him
some years ago from England.

HELD A GRUDGE.

White—What's the trouble be-
tween you and Green?

Brown—Oh, there's no trouble,
only he refuses to speak to me.
Claims I did him a mean trick about
a year ago.

White—How's that?

Brown—We were both courting
the same girl and I withdrew from
the race and let him marry her.

PA'S DENTIST BILL.

"I guess paw must have passed
a lot of time at the dentist's when
he was in New York," said Johnny
Green.

"Why do you think so?" queried
his ma.

"Cause I heard him tell a man
to-day that it cost him nearly \$300
to get his eyeteeth cut," replied
John.

DISEASE OF MIND OR BODY

Common Causes of Insomnia—Indiges-
tion and Hunger.

Dr. William Stevens says that in-
somnia is not a disease itself, but
the effect of an unhealthy condition
of body or mind. When the cause
is removed the insomnia may be
expected to disappear.

Every physician has had stubborn
cases of it which would not yield to
any treatment and for which a
change of air or of scene became
necessary. But such cases as these
should not occur, and do occur only
when the sufferer has neglected pre-
cautions that should have been taken
when the trouble first made itself
manifest.

Insomnia results from causes
which can be removed if attended to
in season. The most common cause
is found in the digestive organs.
Either unsuitable food, causing in-
somnia as a feature of indigestion,
or insufficient food, causing the pa-
tient to be kept awake by hunger.

There are few things which can
be universally recommended as diet
for sleeplessness, since what will
agree with one man will disagree
with another. But two things that
may almost always be recommended
are lettuce and celery.

ONE BY OUR BOSS FARMER.

Secretary Wilson of the depart-
ment of agriculture, referred at a
recent dinner in Washington to the
amateur florists who spring up in
the suburbs at this season by thou-
sands.

"More florists, perhaps, than flow-
ers spring up," he said.

"In a deep shop the other day
I heard one of these amateurs com-
plain about the last batch of seeds
he had bought. After he had ended
his complaint he began to ask floral
questions.

"Oh, by the way," he said, "what
is a hardy rose?"

"It is one," growled the dealer,
"that doesn't mind your wife pulling
it up by the roots every day to see if
it has begun to grow yet."—Wash-
ington Post.

DREAMS AND NIGHTMARES.

Many of our commonest dreams
are occasioned by bodily conditions
or surroundings. Loosened sheets at
the foot of the bed on a cold night
soon deposit a sleeper's feet in rivers
or snow banks, just as a second help-
ing at dinner or a tendency to lie
on one's back in bed readily con-
jures up whole legions of spooks.

Certain evidence on this point
was collected in Dr. G. Stanley
Hall's psychological laboratory at
Clark university from personal tes-
timony. From this it would appear
that children prefer animals for
their nightmares, whereas adults in-
cline toward burglars, jailers and
the like.—Lady's Realm.

EMERALDS.

"Fine old Spanish emeralds" is a
phrase which means something
quite different from what it seems to
imply. There never was an emerald
mined in Spain, but after the
conquest of Peru the conquerors
brought home great quantities of
loot, of which emeralds formed an
important part. In this way the
finest emeralds came into possession
of the old Spanish families, and as
very few had been seen in Europe
previous to that time all the best
stones soon became classed as fine-
old Spanish emeralds. To-day the
expression still applies to the best
emeralds of any source.

THE REAL THING.

"Harm has developed into a
real actor; it's wonderful how he
sinks his own individuality!"

"You surprise me. I never thought
he had it in him."

"It all came about through his
having to play 'Monte Cristo' at a
salary of \$10 per week."—Philadel-
phia Press.

FINANCIALLY.

"Do you think you would be em-
barrassed in the presence of royal-
ty?"

"Yep; I met three queens and a
pair of kings one night last week
and I've been embarrassed ever
since."—Houston Post.

NOT ALTOGETHER.

"So your wife made a sharp retort
when you took her to task, did she?"

"I don't know that you could call
it a sharp retort exactly."

"What was it?"

"A flat iron."

TROPHIES IN HOUSE OF GOD

Relics of Battle and Pillage Preserved
in the Riddarholms Kyrka, Swe-
den's Famous Church.

The Riddarholms Kyrka, or Island
Church of the Knights, in which the
body of King Oscar rested for a
time, is unique in this respect, that
it probably contains more military
trophy standards, kettle-drums,
etc.—than decorate any other church
in Christendom. Many of these
trophies bear testimony to the
prowess of Charles XII., the hero of
Voltaire, but most of them are evi-
dence of the victories of the great
Gustavus, the idol of Rittmeister Du-
gald Dalgetty and of the 29,000
Scotsmen who fought and conquered
under the banners of the Lion of the
North. Many of the trophies in the
Riddarholms Kyrka were captured
by Hephurn's Green brigade. Oppo-
site the Riddarholms Kyrka is the
house of nobility—a sort of
Swedish College of Arms—where the
tourist may turn over a volume like
the Bible chained to the lecterns of
our middle age churches, recording
the names and titles of all the peer-
age of the realm. And among those
names will be found such patronym-
ics as Hamilton, Douglas, Leslie,
Colquhoun and others belonging to
descendants of the Scottish soldiers
of fortune who served Gustavus in
the 30 years' war. It is curious that
Norway—the cradle of the founders
of the feudal system in France and
England—never produced a native
nobility like that of Sweden.

ALL THE YEAR AROUND.

Seedy Sawyer—What is dis-
turbin' yer old de spyrin' fever?"

Boxer Binkins—Why, dat's dat tired
feelin', Seedy.

Seedy Sawyer—Why, I'm sufferin'
from dat, but I has it right tru' de
winter.

A LATE ALARM.

"One of the most extraordinary
sounds I hear in New York," said
the early riser, "is the alarm clock
that strike at eight or nine in the
morning. I was born and brought
up on a farm and my time for rising
is five a. m. In the summer I not
infrequently get up at four and am
hard at work by five. Some time
along in what seems the middle of
the day to me I hear an alarm clock
suddenly begin to strike and keep
whirring away as if to wake the dead.
I never get used to it. I invariably
think it had struck by mistake, and
then I remember that it is just
arousing some of my neighbors.
What puzzles me is how anybody can
sleep so late, with the fearful racket
of New York dinning all around
him."

THE BOOK YOU LOVE.

There is no dearer friend or bet-
ter company than the book that you
have read and re-read, loved and re-
loved, that is known till you can al-
most see the passages that most ap-
peal to you.

That is the book that molds your
life whose message comes to you at
every crisis.

If you have no book that means
just this to you then you are to be
pitted as having lost one of life's
greatest joys.

CAUSE.

Young Son—Say, paw, when it
rains hard does the rain go into the
cistern?

Paw—Yes, my son; of course.

Young Son—Well, then, how does
it come to be so wet water?

Paw—You go on t' bed.

PLENTY OF 'EM.

"Were there any great men among
your ancestors?"

"Oh, yes, indeed, and not so far
back either. I had a great-grandfa-
ther that I myself have seen."

ALL HURRY TO CATCH TRAIN

Peculiarity of American Crowds No-
ticed by Philosopher on Elevated
Railroad Platform.

"Singular," said a man waiting
for a train on an elevated railroad
platform and looking down a street
to where a hundred men and boys
had gathered around two wagons
that had come together in a collision,
"there's a hundred men standing
around those two wagons, just stand-
ing there, gawping, apparently with
nothing else to do, and not in a bit
of a hurry, but let any one of those
men come up the stairs to this plat-
form when there is a train coming
in and he'd rush and hurry and tear
himself apart to catch that train,
and get glum if he missed it, though
he knew very well that there'd be
another train here in a minute.

"Let him miss a train by a second
and he thinks the world is coming
to an end; let him see somebody
hoisting a safe up the outside of a
building and he will stop and waste
half an hour.

"How do you account for that?"

OLD-TIME BLACK JACKS.

How many who admire the hand-
some flags of to-day have heard
of the once famous black jacks? Yet
the black jack is the prototype of
most of our modern tankards. This
black jack was a stout jug of pewter
with a cover, the hinge of which was
made of strong hand-sewed leather.

In these jugs was brewed the home-
made ale, and they were common in
England at either country hostelry
or city tavern. Shields of armor
were often found on the black jacks,
some being silver, brass, or copper
mounted. These tankards were
passed on from father to son for gen-
erations, but to-day very few remain,
and it is seldom they are seen except
in museums or curiosity shops, and
even this is rare. The handsome and
elaborate tankards of modern times
have quite pushed to the wall the
ugly black jacks.

ATTRACTIVENESS OF PLAIN WOMEN.

The French, as a nation, may be
lovers of the ideal and the graceful,
but they are also adepts at the art of
presenting what is ugly in a guise
that allures, although in a sense it
may yet be repellent. Those of us
who know their Paris can testify
that there are several Frenchwomen
in the smartest set who are small
and sallow, with faulty figures and
plain, irregular features; but so art-
fully do they arrange their hair,
make up their faces, and put on their
costumes, that what is by nature al-
most repulsive assumes instead a
weird attractiveness.—Strand Maga-
zine.

SMOOTHING IT OVER.

Irate Individual—I'm going to
square matters with you right now!
You've been telling it around that I
lie!

The Other Man—Nothing of the
sort. All I have said about you is
that you are habitually unvarnished.

Irate Individual (calming down)
—Oh, I don't mind that, if that's
all. I acknowledge I do get that way
once in a while. But how can a fel-
low help it when everybody insists
on treating him?

A WOMAN'S ERA.

"If I were a man!" is surely a
very unnecessary cry these days. The
epoch of the man is past; the twen-
tieth century is the era of the
woman.

There is, with a few very slight
exceptions, nothing that a woman, as
a woman, cannot do, and do every-
bit as well as if she were a man.—
Baroness Orczy in P. T. O.

DIFFUSING THE ANNOYANCE.

"You don't suppose we take board-
ers because we need the money?" ex-
claimed Farmer Cornfossil, loftily.

"I had some such idea," answered
the man who had ventured to criti-
cize.

HISTORY.

"You don't seem to care what his-
tory may say of you?"

"Yes, I do," answered Senator
Sorghum. "But the judgment of
history is not always convincing.
History usually compromises by say-
ing a man wasn't as bad as he was re-
sented by his enemies nor as good as
advertised by his friends."

HER LUCK.

"I see the German emperor has
bestowed on Miss Geraldine Farrar
the title of kammerangerin."

"Mercy sakes! All that! And
she didn't have to marry a foreign-
er to get it? What luck some girls
have."

TESTIMONY OF DOG ENOUGH

Intelligent Action That Saved Life of
Master Belonging to Eminent
Sculptor.

At a recent reception in New
York, Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor,
was presented to a well-known so-
ciety woman. The latter looked at
him hesitatingly for a minute, then
said:

"Yes, I am certain. I am very
glad to see you again, Mr. Borg-
lum."

"I haven't the great pleasure of
remembering," replied the sculptor.
"Yes, it was in Los Angeles," said
the woman, "and you were the de-
fendant in a police court case."

Borglum was flabbergasted, but
managed to stammer out that he
was never in a police court in his
life.

Then the woman explained. It
seems that Mr. Borglum, when in
southern California, owned a mag-
nificent English mastiff. The dog
was amiable, but the children of a
neighbor were frightened by its great
size, and so, one morning the dog's
owner was arrested on the charge of
allowing a vicious animal to run at
large. The judge ordered the animal
to be brought in, and the great beast
gravely marched down the aisle to
the bench, and, putting a huge paw
on the judge's knee, looked solemnly
into his face. The case was at
once nonsuited.

CHILDREN AND THE DRAMA.

Dr. Samuel P. Capen, a special
investigator from Clark university,
has completed some interesting in-
vestigations relative to the likes and
dislikes of public school children for
the drama. Girls, he says, like
tragedies at first, which taste changes
as they grow older to a preference
first for comedies, society plays, and
finally problem plays. "One-fifth of
all the girls between eight and 16
years, and almost a third of all the
boys attending the public schools of
Worcester attend the theaters regu-
larly at least once a week," Dr.
Capen says. "The girls go less I
find, as they grow older. The boys
go more. The ferocity of the tastes
of the younger school children is ap-
palling. Five boys liked plays in
which there was shooting and mur-
ders, and three little girls liked murder
plays."

GERMAN DISCOVERY.

An interesting phenomenon that
may be of use in the ignition of ex-
plosives is creating interest in Ger-
many. It has been discovered that
an alloy of iron and cerium, lantha-
num, or any other of the rare earths
(as used in manufacturing incan-
descent gas mantles) will create
luminous sparks on being struck
with some metal tool, such as a knife
edge, a file, or the like. The shower
of sparks given off at the point of
impact is sufficient to ignite not only
gas, but even a cotton wick saturated
with alcohol, and it is possible to
utilize these iron alloys for igniting
all sorts of explosives. The behavior
of these alloys has been found to
vary according to their percentage of
iron, the sparking reaching a maxi-
mum with a content of 30 per cent.

THOUGHTFUL OF HIM.

Nagger—I've put one poor fellow
on his feet, anyway.

Mrs. Nagger—Whom have you been
fooling your money away on now?

Nagger—Your next husband, madam.
I've had my life insured.

NO TIME FOR THAT.

Philanthropic Woman (giving
him a coin)—You work, I suppose,
when you can find employment?

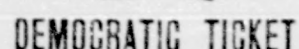
Saymold Story—Work? When I
ain't co'in' and sleepin', ma'am, my
entire time is occupied in collectin'
work!

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LOCAL & PERSONAL.

Obs. Meloan and family, of Chickasha, Ok., are the guests of relatives here this week.

Ewing Graham, of Mayfield, visited his brother, Asher Graham, the past week.

Master Hartley Barber, of San Antonio, Tex., is visiting his grand father of this place.

Miss Treva Cochran, who has been visiting in Crossland, returned home last week.

FOR RENT—Rooms for couple for housekeeping. See T. D. SMITH.

Mrs. Nava Smith, of Mayfield, arrived here last week to visit her father, James Hurt.

Miss White, of McKenzie, Tenn., is visiting Miss Nina Rudd.

Miss Roberta Wood leaves Saturday for Charleston, St. Louis and other points in Missouri.

Mrs. Bert Robertson and daughter, Miss Iris, of Nashville, have been visiting friends in this place.

Misses Rauda Moore and Hontas Dunn have returned from Bowling Green where they attended the Normal.

Prof. C. T. Cannon returned Saturday from Bowling Green, Ky., where he attended the state Normal.

Perry Meloan and family, of Paducah, are here visiting home folks. Perry has been sick the past week.

The many friends of Mrs. L. D. Hamilton, of Jackson, Tenn., will regret to learn that she is severely ill of typhoid fever.

FOR SALE—A lot of No. 1 good corn at \$1 per barrel. Also shucks at \$1 per load. See N. L. Gilbert, or call phone 23.

Miss Janie Barnes left this week for Paris, Tenn., where she will visit friends a few days before returning to her home in Louisville.

FOR SALE—Thorough bred Duroc Jersey pigs eligible to registry at \$5.00 each.—JOHN J. TURNBOW, Farmington, Ky., R. F. D. No. 1.

Prof. C. T. Cannon has tendered his resignation as principal of the Benton public school and expects to return to Bowling Green in September and complete the teachers training at the State Normal and procure a life certificate.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. Onie Hutchens died Thursday morning about 1 o'clock at her home near Hazel after a short illness. She was about 22 years of age and a popular and well known lady. Burial took place Thursday afternoon in Liberty church cemetery near Hazel.

Palmer & Brown have given D. F. West the contract for building a large prize house on the lot where their old building burned. It will be a large commodious building. We understand that these gentlemen will prize for the association this season.—Hazel News.

One of the largest gatherings in the history of the place gathered Thursday of last week at Liberty to hear F. F. Acee and R. L. Hart deliver speeches. The crowd has been variously estimated from 800 to 1,000 persons. The speakers were given the closest attention throughout the addresses.

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And decide for yourself.

Here is one case of it:

Mrs. H. B. Miller, living in Murray, Ky., says: "I had such severe pains in my back that I could not stoop at times, and whenever I lifted anything, sharp twinges would dart through my loins. My kidneys were affected from an attack of La Grippe, and I suffered from it for over twelve months. My back ached at night, and in the morning when I arose, I would be very lame. During the day I became easily tired, and occasionally suffered from nervous spells. Headaches also disturbed me, and I was bothered with attacks of dizzy spells. There was a sediment in the secretions, and the kidneys were so frequent in action that I was forced to arise three or four times during the night. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box at Dale & Stubblefield's drug store, and they gave me relief in a short time. I continued using them and was cured. At the present time I am glad to say the cure has been permanent. I, however, always keep Doan's Kidney Pills in the house, and think very highly of them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

She Likes Good Things.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Franklin, Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." These painless purifiers sold at Dale & Stubblefield's drug store. 25c.

Telephone Subscribers.

The following is a list of subscribers that were installed last month and were to late for the directory.

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Others will be added to this list as fast as they come in.

MURRAY TELEPHONE CO.
H. C. BRASFIELD, Mgr.

Attention, Asthma Sufferers!

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

St. Louis Twice-a Week Republic three years and the Ledger one year only \$2; or Republic one year and Ledger one year only \$1.40.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it.



RAINEY T. WELLS is today announcing his candidacy for the office of County Attorney of Calloway county, subject to the democratic primary. Mr. Wells is a well known attorney and some few years ago represented this county in the state legislature and is a young man of splendid ability, and is well qualified to make a good official. He is a prominent Woodman and has been active in the advancement of his county.



WERT ALDERSON, our big jailer, is a candidate for re-election and today announces himself subject to the democratic primary. Wert is well known, has made a good official and asks his many friends to remember him when voting time comes. He is a true democrat, has made a good officer and believes he is entitled to an endorsement.

TO MY FRIENDS AND FORMER PATRONS:—I wish it distinctly understood that I am out of the practice of medicine. I do not want any practice, keep no medicine, do not study about medicine or the practice. I am very grateful for your former patronage and thank you very much for your many favors, but must decline further practice.—J. T. WALL.

Baby Morphine Fiends are made by all soothing syrups and baby medicines that contain opium and narcotics. McGee's Baby Elixir contains no injurious or narcotic drugs of any kind. A sure and safe cure for disordered stomachs, bowels and fretfulness—splendid for teething infants. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton.

Hazel Speaking.

F. F. Acee, candidate for county attorney, and R. L. Hart will speak at Hazel Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Everybody invited.

Feel languid, weak, run down? Headache? Stomach "off"? Just a plain case of lazy liver. Burdock Blood Bitters tones liver and stomach, promotes digestion, purifies the blood.

Low Rates to Texas and the Southwest

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month exceptionally low-rate round-trip tickets will be sold via the Cotton Belt Route to points in Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico. Return limit 25 days and stop-overs allowed both going and returning.

The Cotton Belt is the direct line from Memphis to the Southwest. The Cotton Belt is the only line operating two daily trains, carrying through cars without change—the only line with a through sleeper Memphis to Dallas. Equipment includes sleepers, chair cars and parlor cars. Trains from all parts of the Southeast make direct connection at Memphis with Cotton Belt trains for the Southwest.

Ask the ticket agent to sell you a ticket via Memphis and the Cotton Belt.

Write for Texas or Arkansas book—whichever section you are interested in. These books are just off the press, and are full of facts and examples of what is actually being done by farmers, truck gardeners and fruit raisers in the highly favored sections. A color map is inserted in each book—Free upon request.

L. C. Barry, Traveling Passenger Agent, 531 Todd Building, Louisville, Ky.

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MARBLE YARDS.

(SUCCESSOR TO R. L. SIMPSON.)

Complete line of Fine Monuments, of Stone, Marble and Granite. Artistic designs, best material, and perfect workmanship. All varieties of stone used can be furnished.

SELLING AGENTS—J. A. Howlett, W. R. Broach and J. W. Doran.

T. L. SMITH.

THE GREAT LABOR SAVER,

PARIS GREEN.

We have just received a large shipment of Pfeiffer's

STRICTLY PURE PARIS GREEN.

Our information, from a reliable source, is that Pfeiffer's is the best.

Will sell it as close as the Strictly Pure can be sold. Will appreciate your orders.

H. P. WEAR.

Card of Thanks.

Our sad and lonely hearts desire to extend our many thanks to our many dear friends for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our darling mother, Mrs. Samuel Hendricks. May God bless you all, may he guide and comfort you all in time of trouble is our prayer forever. HER CHILDREN.

Ledger and Republic \$1.40.

Lonnie Hale.

The above young man, of North Liberty precinct, is a candidate for County Court Clerk and today makes official announcement of same. Lonnie Hale is a young man of worth and ability and is well liked by all who know him. His candidacy is subject to the action of the November primary and he solicits an examination of his claims.

Get the news; get the Ledger.



NAPOLEON B. BARNETT, the present county attorney, announces in this issue of the Ledger as a candidate for re-election. Mr. Barnett's claims are subject to the action of the democratic primary Nov. 3, 1908. He asks a respectful consideration of his claims and a careful inquiry into his record as an official.

TINY BRITISH CANNON BALL

New Hampshire Man Has Missile That Was Used During the Revolutionary War.

Frank M. Everett of Penacook, N. H., has a cannon ball which was fired from one of the British war vessels in the Mystic river at the American redoubt on Bunker (or more probably Breed's) Hill at the outbreak of the revolutionary war. It is in good condition, and is highly prized by the Everett family, who regard it as a sort of heirloom.

The authenticity of the cannon ball is vouched for by the carefully kept record which Mr. Everett has. According to this document, the missile was discovered by Col. James S. Savage while excavations were in progress for the foundation of the Bunker Hill monument.

Mr. Everett's great-grandfather, who achieved a notable record in the battles of colonial days, secured the cannon ball after its finding by Col. Savage, and it has been in the Everett family ever since, coming into the possession of the present owner on the death of his father, several years ago. It tips the scales at a little over four pounds.—Boston Globe.

BIG JOB OF COUNTING.

An English astronomer, J. Franklin-Adams, is said to have begun the prodigious task of counting the stars. Most people greatly overestimate the number of stars to be seen on a clear night—a matter of about 4,000—but their guesses are likely to fall as far short of the number revealed by a telescope. Even a field glass increases the visible number astonishingly, and the big telescopes reveal a number estimated at over 60,000,000, while the camera reveals, apparently, over 100,000,000. The method of counting is by moving the photographic plates, each covering a small area of the heavens, across the field of a microscope provided with a graduated grating so that the stars can be counted in narrow strips.—Springfield Republic.

'PHONES MAKE TROUBLE.

"We hear a lot of different reasons for having 'phones taken out," remarked a workman for the telephone company, "but about the commonest is that of a woman who has an intimate friend a couple of floors away from her in the same flat without any 'phone. The woman with the 'phone has to run down and tell her friend about 14 times a day that some one wants her on her 'phone upstairs. You'd be surprised at the number of 'phones that are taken out, even before the contract expires, just because some woman is anxious to save herself so many trips up and down stairs calling her friends to the 'phone."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

ON THE SPEEDWAY.



City Boarder—P-r, does your mother ever have another chicken? Farmer's Son—No; most of them are auto-mobile kilt, mister.

PIGEON PIE THAT COSTS \$300.

How much of pigeon fanciers' money has gone under a pie crust only owners know, says Pigeons, the only paper in the United Kingdom solely devoted to show and fancy pigeons. Breeders of high class birds frequently make a pie of birds which just fall short of the required standard, and such a pie has been known to cost over \$300.

PROOF.

Mrs. Eastend—You'll not find me difficult to suit, Nora. Nora (the new maid)—I'm sure not, ma'am; I saw your husband as I came in, ma'am.—Pittsburgh Observer.

KIND FRIEND.

"What can I get my wife for an anniversary present? She says she wants something becoming to wear." "H'm! Wouldn't a mask do?"—Kansas City Times.

ADDS TO MIND'S ASSIMILATION

Skill in Mathematics Declared to Be of Great Aid to the "Digestion" of Reader.

A literary worker who wished to do a large amount of reading by proxy, advertised for an assistant capable of digesting the contents of a tremendous quantity of books in a very short while. While weighing each applicant's qualifications for rapid, assimilative reading he inquired carefully into his mathematical acquirements. Finally he chose the man who was most skillful at untangling arithmetical problems.

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JASPER'S COSTLY COFFIN.

Jasper M. Smith of Atlanta, Ga., is either going to get married next year or crawl into the \$7,000 casket he has built and bid farewell to earthly joys. Jasper is to be 75 years old in 1909 and he says that ever since his youth he has sworn to be married when he attained that age. Also, coincident with his long matrimonial dreams, Mr. Smith had meditated a deal upon death and has meantime ordered his coffin. It has been completed and the \$7,000 has gone to make the most elaborate coffin. It is the old-fashioned kind with square corners and bulging sides, for Jasper says he is liable to wake up and wants room to extend his elbows or scratch his head when the great trump sounds. Atlanta is wondering what bizarre episodes will next occur in the career of her octocentmillionaire.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

THE ENGLISH AGAIN.

A lady, accompanied by her small son, was making various purchases at the Army and Navy stores in London. The boy grew tired. "Who are you buying those for?" he asked. "Why, for father," was the reply. "Father in heaven, or father in India?" the boy persisted. The lady mentioned the remark to a friend, who, thinking it amusing, repeated it to an Englishwoman at church a few days later. The Englishwoman listened sympathetically. "Poor woman," she sighed, "she was married twice."—Everybody's Magazine.

AGAINST CARPET MOTHS.

The following recipe is invaluable to cause the sure death of the carpet bug or Buffalo moth:

One ounce of alum, one ounce of chloride of zinc, three ounces of salt. Mix with two quarts of water and let stand over night in a covered vessel. In the morning pour carefully in another vessel so as to leave sediment behind. Dilute this with two quarts of water and apply by sprinkling the edges of the carpet for a distance of a foot from the wall. This is all that is necessary. They will leave anything that is sprinkled with this solution, which will not injure the texture or color.

LITTLE MONEY LEFT TO SCIENCE.

The French Official Gazette in publishing the list of legacies and gifts to public establishments and charities made in 1907 gives the total as \$11,292,400, as compared with \$7,672,000 for 1906. As regards the purely religious establishments, \$1,200 has been left to the vestries, a striking contrast to the \$1,929,000 so left in 1901 or even the \$581,800 of 1906.

It is a curious thing that among all the different objects for which money was left last year practically nothing has been devoted to assisting learned men in their researches or to the fight against consumption.

A DEMONSTRATED THEORY.

"Farmer," said little Rolfe, "is it true that riches do not bring happiness?" "Oh," said the patient, "I guess it doesn't matter much." "But it does matter, sir!" "Quite true, my son. If you doubt it, observe how much more the people in the bleachers seem to enjoy themselves than those in the grandstand."

FIGURING ON THE FUTURE.

"Suppose women should vote. What would be the result?" "Oh, I don't know," answered Mr. Sirius Barker, petulantly. "Perhaps we'd have hand-painted ballots."

BEST CURE FOR HEADACHE

Hot Fomentations and Rest Guaranteed as Remedies That Will Never Fail.

Too late going to bed, too early rising or anything that promotes want of sleep are fertile causes of headaches. Long walks before breakfast are very bad for delicate people, and often bring on headaches.

Brain repair goes on during sleep. People often don't know, or forget, this. If you are worrying or working hard all day, then go to bed late and get up early, you are very likely to be a "martyr to headache." More sleep is what you need to cure you.

For all nervous headaches hot fomentations are most comforting and curative. They are far better than cold applications.

Want of exercise, living in badly ventilated rooms, indigestion or anything that lowers the health, predisposes to headache.

When headaches are not cured by simple means, a doctor should be consulted. They mean something. When hot fomentations are used, the application of them to the nape of the neck, as well as to the forehead, will give more relief than if used to the forehead only. The heat to the spinal cord soothes the brain.

FAWN THAT WASN'T AFRAID.

One day last week R. N. Rogers, a farmer in the Saurshire district, found a doe and a beautiful fawn not more than three or four days old in his meadow.

The doe became frightened and fled, but the fawn showed no sign of fear, permitting the farmer to caress it, and finally it followed him to the barn. Mr. Rogers drove to Shelburne Falls and had the fawn lying at the feet of his two little daughters, photographed.

During the picture taking the fawn gazed steadily at the photographer and his camera but gave no indication of being afraid. On returning to his home Mr. Rogers took the little animal back to the meadow and in a short time it was joined by the doe.—Springfield Republican.

EELS AND THE SEARCHLIGHT.

Danish investigators have found a means of checking the downward migration of breeding eels to the sea, whereby it is hoped that a valuable food supply may be saved for the country, for these migrating eels when they have once reached the sea never return to their native rivers. The method is simplicity itself. A large acetylene searchlight is placed by the river bank in such a position that its rays can be made to illuminate the comparatively shallow water, and it is found that by this means the downward movement of the fish can be effectively checked.—Philadelphia Record.

NO FAIR.

"They're conspiring to keep me down!" declared the amateur Theophrastus.

"How's that? I thought you had a fine part in the new play."

"So I thought. They told me that the whole drama hinged on the murder of a rich old miser."

"Yes, and you were cast as the miser."

"I was. And at the first rehearsal I found that the murder is supposed to have occurred six months before the play begins."

MODEST MAIDEN.

Miss Goodley—Yes, Miss Prim was going to write to her fiance today, but she was just lounging around in a dressing gown and she was too lazy to get dressed up.

Miss Ascum—Why should she get dressed up just to—

Miss Goodley—Oh, my! she wouldn't think of writing to him while she was in deshabille.

NOTHING TO SPEAK OF.

"You are to take those capsules," said Dr. Pussey, "before meals, not after, remember."

"Oh," said the patient, "I guess it doesn't matter much."

"But it does matter, sir!" "You wouldn't say that, doctor, if you had ever had a meal at our boarding house."—Catholic Standard and Times.

A GOOD THING.

"He must be a good poker player," "Why do you think so?"

"The gang lever plays without insisting on his being present."

"That proves that he is a poor poker player."

IN PLACE OF ALARM CLOCKS

Inventor's Wonderful Tablets Would Transfer Familiar Ringing to the Inside.

He was a great inventor, says Harper's Weekly.

"The thing I am working on now," he began, stroking his thin beard with a thinner hand, "will be a boon to every family and will startle the whole world. In fact, it will put the alarm clock trust out of business. The idea is simply specially prepared tablets that help you get up in the morning. For instance, if you want to get up at five, you take five tablets; if you want to get up at six, take six tablets, and so on."

"But how will it affect the alarm clock trust?"

"Why, these tablets will cause a ringing in the ears at exactly the hour desired."

But the little crowd could wait to hear no more, and hurriedly disappeared.

FILIPINOS CURIOUS.

It seems that when we took the Filipino under our protection, we acquired what the scientists call an ethnological curiosity. It is said that the tribes of those islands represent a mixture of the blood of all the races and varieties of mankind, and the editor has heard that the Smithsonian institution is, or has been, making an investigation in the interest of science. What a queer specimen of humanity the little man must be! Think of his having the blood of the Negro, the Papuan, the African, the Malay, the Polynesian, the Chinese, the Japanese, the Cambodian, the Hamite, the Semite, the Aryan, the Caucasian, and even of the American Indian. That is the full indictment charged against him by the students of ethnology, and the Smithsonian will some time, perhaps, tell us all about it.

READ THE NEWSPAPER.

Daily reading of the newspaper is in itself an education. At the present day our newspapers spread before us the history of the globe. We know day by day what is happening in distant lands. We grow familiar with great discoveries and great personages and are in thought transported to the ends of the earth as if we were in the Arabian Nights and could seat ourselves at will on an enchanted carpet. Whoever reads the newspapers, taking pains to look out geographical points on a map and to step into a library and consult an encyclopedia about dates, places and references that are new to him, will make rapid strides in self-improvement.

POPE PIUS TREASURES WATCH.

Pope Pius X carries at his girdle an old watch of base metal, the face chipped, with a plain leather guard, and when a Roman noble tendered him a very costly gold one in exchange for the much worn timepiece, which he said he should regard as a precious possession, the pope gently declined. "It was a present from my dear mother," he said. "I was a small boy when she gave it to me with this very same leather guard I am wearing now. I promised to keep it until it was worn out beyond repair. It must be a good watch, for it has never disappointed me yet."

HIS IDEA.

"Who discovered America, my little man?" "Guss ma did; she's awful nosey!"

DISTRESSING.

"Johnny, what did your mother say when you told her I was here?" asked the waiting caller.

"She said 'Confound the luck!'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

NOT FAIR.

"Yes, I am going to marry that faint-hearted Mr. Jinx."

"Well, that proves the truth of the old saying, 'Faint heart never won fair lady.'"—Houston Post.

CHINAMEN AS RUG MAKERS

Their Product, Long Known in Eastern Markets, is Now Being Largely Exported.

Chinamen as rug makers are new to the western world but not to the eastern. In Peking more than 1,000 persons are employed in the production of rugs of all kinds of material, silk, sheep's wool, camel's wool, felt, jute, hemp, yak hair, and even the hair of the cow. The industry recently has been introduced in several of the industrial schools for the employment of the poor. The silk carpets are like those from India, Turkey or Persia so far as colors and quality of material are concerned, but they are vastly different in design, unlike a pattern from abroad has been submitted for copying. The foreign designs are faithfully reproduced when furnished. The wool rugs are used throughout China, Japan and the Orient. They are also exported to Europe. The popular Chinese patterns for carpets are floral, geometrical and dragon designs. The carpets are fully half an inch thick. The Chinese carpet industry originated in saddle cloths and trappings made for horses used in processions and by Chinese of high rank, developing into the rug and carpet crafts on the advent of the foreigner. The saddle blankets still are used and often are highly finished in the most elaborate designs and patterns.

THE MATHEMATICAL MIND.

A literary worker who wished to do a large amount of reading by proxy advertised for an assistant capable of digesting the contents of a tremendous quantity of books in a very short while. While weighing each applicant's qualifications for rapid, assimilative reading he inquired carefully into his mathematical acquirements. Finally he chose the man who was most skillful at untangling arithmetical problems.

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IN THE BRITISH ARMY.

Among those offering to enlist in the army last year it was found that 27,921 unskilled men came forward, against 13,023 skilled tradesmen, in addition to 15,223 men classified separately, such as fishermen, boatmen, stewards, barmen and clerks. About one-fourth of each category was rejected, the unskilled having a slight advantage in the numbers passing. In the army Englishmen predominate; there are 178,240, against 3,588 Welshmen, 18,189 Scotsmen, 22,826 Irishmen, 9,014 Colonials and 25 aliens.—Westminster (Eng.) Gazette.

CLIMBING RECORD.

The "Alpine Journal" contains a full account of the recent ascent of Ebnur, near Darjeeling, by two Norwegian climbers, Meers, Monrad-Aas and Rubenson. The height of the peak, according to the Indian survey measurements, is 24,015 feet. The oncoming of darkness turned the climbers back before they could quite reach the top; but they report that they pitched their highest camp at 22,000 feet, and succeeded in attaining an elevation of "about 23,900 feet." This, so far as is known, is a record.

LOVED FOR HIMSELF ALONE.

"I saw little Tommy Bangs at the circus."

"Who was with him?"

"That's the point. He is the only, only child, and the devotion to him is really touching. The whole family connection came with him just to enjoy the dear child's pleasure, and they were awfully distressed when it was over because they couldn't find him."

IMPERTINENCE.

"Yes, I gave a million last year to charity."

"I want to know!"

"How I got the money, eh? That's my affair."—Exchange.

HE DIDN'T TAKE THAT.

"Don't you think he is a very taking sort of a man?"

"Not if I judge by the way he received my proposing hint the other day."

Is Per-na Useful for Catarrh?

Should a list of the ingredients of Per-na be submitted to any medical expert, of whatever school or nationality, he would be obliged to admit without reserve that each one of them was of undoubted value in chronic catarrhal diseases and had stood the test of many years' experience in the treatment of such diseases. THERE CAN BE NO DISPUTE ABOUT THIS WHAT-EVER. Per-na is composed of the most efficacious and universally used herbal remedies for catarrh. Every ingredient of Per-na has a reputation of its own in the cure of some phase of catarrh.

Per-na brings to the home the COMBINED KNOWLEDGE OF SEVERAL SCHOOLS OF MEDICINE in the treatment of catarrhal diseases; brings to the home the scientific skill and knowledge of the modern pharmacist; and last but not least, brings to the home the vast and varied experience of Dr. Hartman, in the use of catarrh remedies, and in the treatment of catarrhal diseases.

The fact is, chronic catarrh is a disease which is very prevalent. Many thousand people know they have chronic catarrh. They have visited doctors over and over again, and been told that their case is one of chronic catarrh. It may be of the nose, throat, lungs, stomach or some other internal organ. There is no doubt as to the nature of the disease. The only trouble is the remedy. This doctor has tried to cure them. That doctor has tried to prescribe for them.

BUT THEY ALL FAILED TO BRING ANY RELIEF.

Dr. Hartman's idea is that a catarrh remedy can be made on a large scale, as he is making it; that it can be made honestly, of the purest drugs and of the strictest uniformity. His idea is that this remedy can be supplied directly to the people, and no more be charged for it than is necessary for the handling of it.

No other household remedy so universally advertised carries upon the label the principal active constituents, showing that Per-na invites the full inspection of the critics.

Boatwright, Ky.

Health is reasonably good for the hot weather.

Jim Wyatt has moved to his place and is going to run the shop in Mr. Hales place.

Prof. Bud Dolerson will sing at the Chapel second Saturday and Sunday night. We are glad to have him with us.

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely at this place.

Our school is progressing nicely under the management of Mr. Jones. BLUE BIRD.

A Weasting

is the only way to describe the poor child that is afflicted with worms. No matter how much or how often it eats, the worms get all the nourishment from the food, the child gets practically none. White's Cream Vermifuge gets rid of the worms quickly, easily and with no bad after effects. Price 25 cents a bottle. Sold by Dale & Stubblefield and H. D. Thornton.

Grinding Every Day.

I now have my grist mill and crusher running every day. Am located at the Dick lumber yard. Guaranteed meal at \$1.00 per bushel. Let me do your grinding and crushing.—H. B. MILLER.

Weak women should read my "Book No. 4 for Women." It tells of Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. Tells how these soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories, bring quick and certain help. The Book is free. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. H. D. Thornton.

Must Pay Cash.

On and after this date all work must be paid for in cash when done. Do not ask for credit it will be refused.—GAUS ADAMS & Co., Barbers.

For Collection.

Our notes and accounts are with the Farmers & Merchants Bank for collection. Those owing us will please call there and settle same.—R. N. HARRIS, & SONS. The Mrs. Ada Keys store house for rent.

THE LELGER \$1.00 a year.