

Democratic Watchman

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Gerry's Story of Depew.

Commodore Elbridge T. Gerry is authority for this story about Chauncey M. Depew. The famous postprandial orator entered a hotel in a small town in Georgia, and walking up to the desk, said to the dapper young clerk behind it: "Where shall I autograph?"

"Where shall I autograph—sign my name?" said Mr. Depew. "Oh, yes. Right here sir," said the clerk, with a broad smile, producing the register.

Mr. Depew wrote his name in a bold hand, and then sat down in the hotel lobby. In a few moments four gentlemen from the suburbs known as Georgia "crackers" came in. As soon as the leader reached the desk the clerk shook hands with him, and, reaching for the register, said:

"Will you autograph?" "Will I autograph?" "Will you autograph?" repeated the clerk, smiling. "Well, I don't mind if I do. I'll take old yre. What's your boys'?" addressing his partners.

"We'll take the same, thanks," said they. The clerk treated with as good grace as possible, and leaning against a pillar in the office, Chauncey M. Depew said quietly to a friend: "And that is the result of talking a foreign language in a Georgia hotel."

The Pastor's First Call.

He Gets a Very Nice Reception From the Lady's Pet Parrot.

A lady living on Remsen avenue, New Brunswick, owns a parrot possessed of much ability and impudence and a peculiarly human-like voice. A new pastor has recently been established over the lady's church, and a few days ago he went to make his first pastoral visit. The front door was open, but the Yankee blind door was closed and Poll was in the cage just behind it. As the pastor reached for the electric button Poll said in a remonstrant tone:

"Go away, please." "But I wish to see the lady of the house."

"Go away, please. We haven't a cold life in the house." "You are mistaken. I am not a tramp. I wish to see the lady of the house on business."

"Go 'way!" screamed Poll, wrathfully. "Go 'way you dirty tramp. I'll call the police. Police! police!" "This was too much for the modest minister, and in very considerable wonderment he abandoned his call. It is hard to tell who was more annoyed, the minister or the parrot, when Poll's part in the affair became known.

Pat's Ready Answer.

Dr. Burns is one of those genial souls who can tell a good story and who loves a good joke, even though it be at his own expense. Recently he employed a son of Erin to cut some wood at his door and it being a very cold day, invited him into the house to warm him and to drink a portion of hot whisky. After Pat had become sufficiently warmed the doctor turned him out a glass, which he drank off with great relish.

"Pat," asked the doctor, still holding his tumbler in his hand, "what is better on a cold day like this than a glass of hot whisky?"

"Two of them, sure!" was the ready reply. "Perhaps it is hardly necessary for me to add that Pat got his two glasses.—Banor News.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?—The boy's fishing pole was fastened under the root of a tree on the river bank yesterday and he was sitting in the sun playing with a dog.

"Fishing?" inquired a man passing along the road.

"Yep," answered the boy, as briefly. "Nice dog you've got there. What's his name?"

"Fish." "Fish? That's a queer name for a dog. What did you call him that for?"

"Cause he won't bite." "Then the man proceeded on his way.—Washington Star.

THE REVOLUTION WAS TOO GREAT.—"You know, Dorothy, these biscuits of the breakfast-table helped himself to the seventh."

"Yes?" said his wife, with a weary, feeble smile.

"Ah, they're nothing like mother's." "No?" and the smile was gone.

"No. Not a bit. You see mother's were heavy and gave me dyspepsia, while yours are as light as a feather, and I can eat about—why, what's the matter, Dorothy?"

But she answered him not. She had fainted.—Kate Field's Washington.

WISHED HE HAD BEEN BORN A TIGER.—A New York reporter happened to be at the menagerie in Central Park when the animals were being fed. He saw the keeper give the tiger a large piece of meat.

"Does he get that often?" asked the reporter.

"He is fed regularly every day," replied the keeper.

"Great heavens! why was I not born a tiger?" said the reporter, clapping his hands.

"TIED ALL THE TIME."—Say many poor men and women who seem overworked, or are debilitated by change of season, climate or life. If you could read the hundreds of letters praising Hood's Sarsaparilla which come from people who it has restored to health, you would be convinced of its merits. As this is impossible, why not try Hood's Sarsaparilla, yourself and thus realize its benefit? It will tone and build up your system, give you a good appetite, overcome that tired feeling and make you feel, as one woman expressed it, "like a new creature."

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We are prepared to offer better bargains in the future than we have done in the past and we want everyone to see our goods and get prices for when you do this, out of self defense you will buy. Our profits are not large, but by selling lots of goods we can afford to live in Bellefonte. We are not indulging in idle philanthropy. It is purely business. We are not making much, but trade is growing and that is what we are interested in now. Profits will take care of themselves.

When other houses discharged their workmen during the winter they were all put to work in my factory, nevertheless the big houses of this city and county would smile if we compared ourselves to them, but we do not mean to be so odious, except to venture the assertion that none of them can say, as we can say "NO ONE OWES US A CENT THAT WE CAN'T GET." This is the whole story.

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Railway Guide.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD AND BRANCHES. Dec. 14th, 1890.

VIA THRONE—WESTWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 5:35 a. m., arrive at Tyrone, 6:55 a. m., at Altoona, 7:45 a. m., at Pittsburg, 12:45 p. m. Leave Bellefonte, 10:25 a. m., arrive at Tyrone, 11:55 a. m., at Altoona, 1:45 p. m., at Pittsburg, 6:50 p. m.

VIA THRONE—EASTWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 5:20 p. m., arrive at Tyrone, 5:40, at Altoona at 7:50, at Pittsburg at 11:55. Leave Bellefonte, 5:35 a. m., arrive at Tyrone, 5:55, at Harrisburg 10:30 a. m., at Philadelphia, 5:20 p. m.

VIA LOCK HAVEN—NORTHWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 4:30 p. m., arrive at Lock Haven, 5:30 p. m., at Williamsport, 6:25 p. m., at Harrisburg, 9:45 p. m., at Philadelphia, 11:30 a. m. Leave Bellefonte, 9:32 a. m., arrive at Lock Haven, 11:00 a. m., at Williamsport, 12:20 p. m., at Harrisburg, 3:13 p. m., at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.

VIA LOCK HAVEN—EASTWARD. Leave Bellefonte, 9:30 p. m., arrive at Lock Haven, 5:30 p. m., at Williamsport, 6:25 p. m., at Harrisburg, 9:45 p. m., at Philadelphia, 11:30 a. m. Leave Bellefonte, 9:20 a. m., arrive at Lock Haven, 11:00 a. m., at Williamsport, 12:20 p. m., at Harrisburg, 3:13 p. m., at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.

VIA LEWISBURG. Leave Bellefonte, 8:10 p. m., arrive at Lewisburg, 9:20 a. m., at Harrisburg, 11:30 a. m., at Philadelphia, 5:20 p. m. Leave Bellefonte, 2:45 p. m., arrive at Lewisburg, 5:45, at Harrisburg, 9:45 p. m., Philadelphia at 4:35 a. m.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY.

WESTWARD. EASTWARD. Dec. 14, 1890.

Table with columns for Time, Station, and Direction. Includes stations like Tyrone, Altoona, and Harrisburg.

TYRONE & CLEARFIELD.

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BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE BRANCH.

Time Table in effect on and after Dec. 14, 1890.

Leave Snow Shoe, except Sunday.....6:45 a. m. Leave Bellefonte, except Sunday.....3:00 p. m. Leave Bellefonte, except Sunday.....5:25 p. m.

BELLEFONTE, NITANY & LEMONT R. R.

To take effect Dec. 14, 1890.

Table with columns for Time, Station, and Direction. Includes stations like Bellefonte, Nitany, and Lemont.

LEWISBURG & TYRONE RAILROAD.

Upper End. EASTWARD. WESTWARD. May 12, 1890.

Table with columns for Time, Station, and Direction. Includes stations like Lewisburg and Tyrone.

BELLEFONTE, BUFFALO RUN AND BALD EAGLE RAILROAD.

To take effect May 12, 1890.

Table with columns for Time, Station, and Direction. Includes stations like Bellefonte, Buffalo Run, and Bald Eagle.

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT FOR 1891.

NAME. POSTOFFICE. BUSINESS. CLASS. TAX.

Table listing names and businesses of merchants in Bellefonte, Pa. Includes names like Anderson John, Achenbach, B. C., Adams, T. C., etc.

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