

AFTER FORTY.

After forty locks grow thinner,
We grow stouter—"there's the rub!"
Linger longer o'er our dinner,
Slurk the matrimonial tub.
After forty we grow gray,
To the lads the girls resign—
They may flirt with Dot and Daisy
While we loiter o'er our wine.
After forty sassy misses
Treat us like their own papas;
No fear now of stolen kisses,
Billet-doux, irate mammas,
But, their white arms calmly resting
On our shoulders, if you please,
They will ask (I am not jesting)
After our rheumatic knees!
After forty gray beards claim us
Quite "as one of them"—ah me!
Men of sixty thus debase us;
We are only forty-three!
Old "Jim Crow," too, scrawls with pleasure
After forty on our quiz.
Time who picks our locks at leisure,
Winks at wag—the horrid quiz!
What's the moral of the matter?
This, and lay it well to heart:
After forty cease light chatter,
Act no more the stripling's part!
Let us take with resignation
In old folks' ranks a place—
'Tis an art worth cultivation—
That of "growing old" with grace.
—Pearson's Weekly.

Ex-Gov. Flower Dies Suddenly.

Heart Failure Quickly Killed the Prominent Banker and Democratic Politician, Ex-Gov. Roswell P. Flower.

Former Gov. Roswell P. Flower, of New York, died of heart failure at 10:30 o'clock Friday night at the Long Island Country Club, Eastport, L. I. He became ill suddenly after luncheon, and was unconscious except during a few short intervals until his death. His wife, two of his nephews, Frederick S. Flower and Nathan N. Fuller, his family physician, Dr. Allen, and a trained nurse, all of whom went from New York to Eastport on a special train soon after the serious nature of his illness was announced to them by telegraph, were at his bedside during the last hours. It was supposed at first that the great financier had been attacked simply by indigestion, but a few moments after he complained that he felt ill the affection became acute and unconsciousness soon followed.

The immediate cause of death, according to Frederick S. Flower, was heart failure. The attack which led to it was no doubt superinduced by the tremendous strain to which Mr. Flower's immense activity in financial circles had subjected him of late. Mr. Flower enjoyed several friends had gone to Eastport to enjoy some salt water fishing, and although the former Governor appeared to be in good health and spirits when he reached the club house, it is known that the visit to Eastport was planned in order to afford him a much-needed brief rest.

Mr. Flower's campaign for Congress against Wm. Waldorf Astor is memorable. He was put in nomination about 10 days before election. Astor conducted a brilliant campaign, making a house-to-house canvass. Mr. Flower said that he would not spend a cent except for legitimate expenses. He was elected, and the district became Democratic. He achieved widespread fame in that campaign. He was one of the most prominent of the Gold Democrats in the campaign of 1893.

When Mr. Flower first came to New York it was to take charge of the estate of Henry Keep, whose widow was Mrs. Flower's sister. Mr. Keep owned a great many railroad and other stocks, and during the months before his death he spent much time instructing Mr. Flower about them. Having thus gained an insight into Wall Street and its methods, Mr. Flower formed in 1870 the firm of Benedict, Flower & Co., in which he joined E. C. Benedict and H. H. Truman. This firm was dissolved in 1872, when Mr. Flower was ill for several months. Not long afterward he organized the banking firm of Flower & Co., which has since been a power in Wall Street. In the early '70's Mr. Flower helped Samuel J. Tilden to develop the famous organization which exposed Tweed and enjoyed many other triumphs.

Mr. Flower has been for years a ward of St. Thomas's Episcopal church in Fifth avenue. Roswell Pettibone Flower, ex-Governor of New York, was born at Theresa, Jefferson county, New York, August 17th, 1835. When a boy he became a clerk in a country store, afterward worked in a brickyard and on a farm. He was educated at the country district schools, and at the Theresa High school, graduating from the latter when 18 years of age. After graduating he taught school for a while, and was clerk in the Watertown postoffice. He then opened a jewelry store and brokerage office in the same town, which was his first step toward making his fortune. In 1869 he took up his residence in New York city, retaining his home in his native town. In 1881 he was elected to the unexpired term in the House of Representatives, vice Levi P. Morton, who resigned to accept the portfolio of minister to France. He was re-elected to the Forty-seventh Congress from the Eleventh Congressional district of New York, defeating Waldorf Astor. While in Congress he gained the reputation of a wise, conservative and fearless representative of the people for the Empire State. In 1882 he was favored by many as a candidate for Governor of the State of New York, and was a candidate for that high office at the convention held in Syracuse; the honors of the nomination were, however, carried by Grover Cleveland. Later on his name was also mentioned for the presidential nomination by the Democratic party. In 1888 the nomination for Lieut. Governor was tendered him by his party, which honor he was compelled to decline for business reasons. In November, 1889, he was again returned to Congress, receiving over 13,000 majority. While a member of this Congress (the Fifty-first) he was the acknowledged champion of the World's Fair being held in New York, and made for himself an enviable record in endeavoring to defeat the McKinley tariff and force bills. His position on granting pensions to veterans of the Civil war won for him from the Democrats of the country the gratitude of thousands of the old soldiers for his unselfish devotion to their interests. Mr. Flower was a self-made man, and a thoroughly representative American—an example worthy of emulation to the coming generations. He was a Democrat of broad and conservative views, with an abundance of strong common sense, which was the best qualification

for the discharge of public duties. In June, 1891, he received the Democratic nomination for Governor of the State of New York and was elected in November of that year by a majority of nearly 50,000 over his Republican opponent, J. Sloat Fassett. Mr. Flower's triumph was due, to a great extent, to the confidence that men of all political faiths had in him as a man who had during his public life furnished sufficient evidence of his ability to guard and protect the interest of the State and the people. He married, December, 26th, 1859, Sarah M., daughter of W. H. Woodruff, of Watertown, by whom he had born to him one daughter, who married J. B. Taylor, of Watertown, N. Y., in January, 1880.

Moses's Red Sea March.

Criticized from a Military Point of View by the Late Gov. Oglesby.

The death of Gov. Oglesby of Illinois has started a train of reminiscences. The following is one little that he was about the hotel. After his retirement from public life Gov. Oglesby visited the Holy Land. He was interested in sacred history, and in early manhood he resolved to go to the country where he could see for himself some of the things of which he had read.

"I was always interested in the character of Moses," he said. "I knew from what I read that he was eminent as a lawyer, and I reckon he was a good man in the definition of that term of that day. But when preachers undertook to make me believe that Moses was a military man, I was disgusted. When I was in the Holy Land I went down to the Red Sea and examined it at that point where he is said to have crossed over with the children of Israel. I had undisputed authority for the exact place where the crossing occurred. I made a calculation of distances on land and water. I made a study of the topography of the shore lines and the country about the Red Sea. I proved to my own satisfaction, as well as to others competent to judge, that Moses could have made time by marching around the sea from the point where he went into it, and saved himself a great deal of annoyance. When I told a D. D. of my conclusion he said it was necessary for Moses to cross where he did in order that the miracle connected with the march might be performed. But I never could understand why a miracle, if one had to be performed, could not have taken place on dry land as well as on the bottom of the Red Sea. My opinion is that Moses was hard pressed and he plunged into the stream because he realized he was outgeneralled. With the assistance of the Almighty he succeeded. A military man would be excused for fording a creek or river, but nobody but a fool would lead an army into the sea. As a military leader Moses would not have had the rank of Corporal in this day."

To See Mrs. Botkin.

J. P. Dunning wrote an important note to the Murders of His Wife. The Prisoner Said the Only Way She Would See Him Would be in the Open Field with Weapons. "In Pawn for the Real Criminal."

A special from San Francisco on Monday to the Wilmington Morning News says: Before John P. Dunning sailed for Manila a few days ago, he made a determined effort to interview Mrs. Cordelia Botkin at the ranch country jail. Whatever motive prompted Dunning, his endeavor proved to be in vain, for she not only refused to see him, but sent a highly sensational reply to the following pleading note from Dunning: "My Dear Ida: Please forgive me for making this request. I must see you. I know as well as you that you have been wronged—deeply wronged and my suffering has been as great as yours. I sail to go to the front this evening; I ask you once more to let me see you, perhaps for the last time. Fondly, JACK."

Mrs. Botkin posted the note back to him by a messenger boy, with a verbal answer, that he could choose his weapons, for the only way she could ever meet him would be on the open field; and that she hoped she might never again gaze on his face while the breath of life was left in her body, and while she remained in pawn for the real criminal in the deadly tragedy. She further assured him of her earnestness by saying that in breaking the seal of the envelope, which contained the note, her fingers had hurtled.

In discussing Dunning's attempt to see her, Mrs. Botkin says she supposed his conscience was hurting him, but she did not want any confessions or admissions from such as he. She remarked that the language in which Dunning's note was couched reminded her very forcibly of the pitiful notes he used to send her when he wanted her to give him money enough to buy a meal or bed for himself.

Preservatives Much Used by Butchers.

Medical College Pickling Fluid is Commonly Employed, a Professor Testifies.

Prof. A. S. Mitchell, chief chemist of the Wisconsin dairy and food commission in his testimony before the senatorial pure food investigating committee said nearly every butcher in Illinois used preserving liquids on scraps of meat, which they laid aside for the manufacture of hamburger steak and other alleged delicacies. A liquid known as "freezine," Prof. Mitchell said, had been used extensively by farmers to keep milk and butter. This was nothing less than almost pure formaldehyde.

The professor proceeded to tell of his experiments with a fluid sold extensively to butchers, for the purpose of making their hamburger steaks last and keep up a healthy appearance. "The liquid contains a great percentage of what is known as sulphide of soda, with a complement of coloring matter," he continued. "It is styled an antiseptic, and in certain respects is. This must be born in mind, however, that where fermentation and waste are arrested the digestive properties are consequently destroyed."

Dr. Wiley, the government expert, who examined the antiseptic, without going on the stand, said he identified it as practically the same chemical which was used during his experience at medical college to preserve cadavers, and was now occasionally put to service in disinfecting houses where smallpox patients reside. Prof. C. N. S. Hallberg and Prof. Mitchell said alum used in baking powder is injurious.

L. Clarke Davis, who is one of the able editors of the Philadelphia Ledger, said a while ago: "I used to be known as the husband of Rebecca Harding Davis. Now I am known as the father of Richard Harding Davis."

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Ex-Secretary Sherman appears none the worse for having had his obituary published recently throughout the country. He moves about with his usual activity, and appears to take as much interest in the affairs of this world as if he had not recently had glimpses of another. Perhaps he is a little thinner and a little paler than before, but his possibilities of change in these respects were too slight to admit of a difference being accurately noted. He drives in his carriage more than formerly, but is apt to walk from place to place, short distances, while the carriage follows along.

Altoona looks forward to becoming a new diocese of the Roman Catholic church, and expects that the Rev. Morgan M. Sheedy, of that city, will be appointed bishop at the seat of the new episcopal see. Another diocese is to be created at either Reading or Pottsville, and the name of the Rev. Dr. Garvey, president of the seminary at Overbrook, Philadelphia, is suggested for one of the posts.

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Business Notice.

The National educational association at Los Angeles, Cal., July 11th to 14th.

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Tourists.

Cheap Excursions, 1899. June 1st. National Baptist anniversaries at San Francisco, Cal., May 26th to 30th.

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Medical.

TO BE DEPENDED ON BECAUSE IT IS THE EXPERIENCE OF A BELLEFONTE CITIZEN AND CAN READILY BE INVESTIGATED.

A stranger lost in a large city would place far more dependence on the directions given them by a local resident than the guidance of another stranger like himself. This is a natural consequence of experience; it's like a ship in a strange port—a trusty pilot familiar with the harbor is always called upon to bring her safely to her moorings. So it is with endorsement; we doubt the sayings of people living at distant points because we can't investigate, but public expression of local citizens can be depended on, for it is a matter to prove it. Evidence like the following is beyond dispute. Mr. E. H. Shaffer, of Howard street, Tinsmith, says: "I was much troubled with backache and a lameness just over my hips and when I took cold there was always sharp twinges through me if bending forward I could hardly straighten. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills, procured them from F. Potts Green's drug store and took them. They banished the pain and lameness."

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Medical. DO YOUR JOINTS PAIN YOU?

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"In 1890 I was taken with rheumatism, which began in my hips and gradually spread throughout my body. For two years and a half I was confined to my bed; employed nine of the best physicians in Albany, and two specialists from New York city. They all declared my case hopeless, and finally told me that I had but six weeks to live. I tried them to take their medicine away; that if I were to die I should take no more of the stuff. My niece, who through her friends knew of the good results attending the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, strongly recommended them. She procured the pills and by the time I had used the first box I felt hungry. Having had no appetite for a long time, I knew that the pills were doing me good. I continued their use, and after taking several boxes was able to leave my bed and go about with the use of crutches. I weighed but 130 pounds. As my normal weight is about 240 pounds, you can see how run down I had become during my sickness. After taking thirteen boxes of the pills I was weighed again, and although less than a year had passed I weighed 207 pounds. I continued the use of the pill and finally was able to abandon the crutches altogether and am now as well as ever. My name is N. Y. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of September, 1898. NELLE F. TOWER, Notary Public, Albany Co., N. Y."

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Travellers Guide. ALTOONA & PHILIPSBURG CONNECTING RAILROAD. Condensed Time Table in effect November 27th, 1898.

Table with columns for stations (Altoona, Philipsburg, etc.) and times for various routes (Eastward, Westward, Sunday Trains).

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Travelers Guide.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD AND BRANCHES. Schedule in effect Nov. 20th, 1898.

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TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD, R. R.

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CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNA.

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