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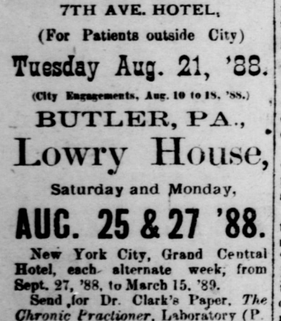

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THE CITIZEN.

MISCELLANEOUS.

W. C. T. U. COLUMN.

Concerning Mary Jane and several Other Matters.

REV. URIAH XERXES BUTTLES, D. D.

(Continued from last week.)

The last time Mrs. Buttles was ill she sent for Dr. Alice.

"I object to it," I said, when that female had departed. "Had she come to nurse you, to prepare delicacies for your palate, or to press upon your brow the tender palm of sympathy, she would be in her sphere; but,"—"I will not have Dr. Blinker." said Mary Jane with great obstinacy. "He would give me blue pill, and four horrors of pills he makes himself. If I cannot have Dr. Hartbottle I will have nobody."

"But," I reasoned, if Miss Harbottle is going to doctor, she may have to cut off a man's leg.

"What of it! said Mrs. B.

"What of it! My ears shuddered. When I had my last bilious attack Mrs. Buttles surreptitiously consulted Dr. H. The result was I was kept on a light diet, and was given a dose of rhubarb. Dr. Blinker, who understands my habit perfectly, always gives me what he calls a "course of medicine," on such occasions, and after the conflict is over, I feel that something has been accomplished. Rhubarb, indeed! I need bracing food. This world will be a fine place to dwell in when the sex that can support its activities upon weak tea and bread and butter, has control.

Miss Bennett, who was installed pastor of the Congregational Church at Scott's Corner, is another case in point.

"I suppose y ou never read the message St. Paul sent to the 'dearly beloved' Persis in his letter to the Romans," said Mrs. Buttles when I expressed to her my opinion of such doings.

"There is no proof that the Persis of Scripture thrust herself into the pastorate of a church, Mary Jane," I said severely.

"Persis Bennett was earnestly entreated to come to Scott's Corners," replied Mrs. Buttles, with some heat. 'And there is no proof that when St. Paul wrote to Timothy, 'I suffer not the women to teach,' he wished to do more than tell his friend how he managed, and to suggest what was the best way under the circumstances for him to get along at Ephesus."

I fancy Miss Bennett interprets the Scriptures in a like loose manner at Scott's Corners, for when I went there two weeks ago to hold an orthodox Presbyterian meeting, six women prayed! Mr. Jackson says that they will have a regular man pastor as soon as they can afford it. But a single man would work cheap, and the mischief of women taking part in public meetings would be avoided.

I cannot think of the ballot in the possession of females without horror. Voting does not take a long time," says Mrs Buttles, "and I could get up earlier in the morning, as I do when I go to the mission meetings Women ought to be on the school board. They would attend to the drainage of the Cherry Street Schoolhouse. Then, too, Jack Gobble would not go to Congress. I wonder how the nine war widows on this street endure it. He had not the manhood to go South and fight for the principles he professed, but staid at home to fight their neigbors behind their backs."

When I ask Mary Jane if she thinks Jack could be kept out of Congress by nine war widows, she retorts, "He would be kept at home by the decent women." I think myself he would.

But Mrs. Buttles, with most of the females who sympathize with her, talks most about the way men interfere with the happiness of women, and when I claim that so far as I can see, the sex have had a right to pursue happiness at as high a rate of speed as petticoats will permit, I am met with a flat denial. They say the saloon is a standing menace to every woman's happiness. That laws made by men for women are most unjust and cruel. On this point I am always out-talked, and have to take refuge in my study. In vain I tell Mary Jane that Eve committed the first transgression, and that her daughters should talk small. In vain I tell her that this agitation will produce a class of women who will elect to remain single. (A very different state of things, let me say, from being an old maid from lack of being proposed to.) She tells me Eve is not in the question, and the class of single women I reprobate exist now. "You must not ask women to give up too much to become wives" she says. "A new sort of husbands is needed. The tippler, the man soaked in tobacco smoke, and the bumptious antediluvian, will not find a wife among well-educated women." I do not want to shut my eyes to any good thing just because it is new. I am not prepared to say that I think Miss Doty's finishing school for young ladies gives all the training I should wish a daughter to have. And if I had to make a choice between the saloon and females voting, I should not dare to choose for the Liquor man's interest. These are hard days for an old fashioned man. If at times I am inclined to favor Mrs. Buttle's views, at other times I feel convinced that one of the vials mentioned in Revelations must have been opened, and this agitation about female rights must be the resulting plague. If our sex are to be compelled to give up our university places, salaries, honors and prerogatives to females, what is there left to us to support our superiority? Nothing save our fists. My mind is in a most perturbed state, or as John Bunyan has felicitously put it, "grievously tumbled up and down," when I attempt to give this matter consideration. But of one thing, brethren, I am convinced, the women want the earth.

A Simple Cure for Insomnia.

A correspondent says: Having suffered for many years of the disease, of which so many people seem to suffer now, insomnia, and having tried a number of remedies without any relief, and having no confidence in such drugs as opium, chloral, &c., I tried a new remedy, and I am glad to say, with entire success, viz: Honey. About a year and a half ago I read in a German periodical that it was a sure cure, and my experience has fully confirmed this. I spread about two or three teaspoonfuls on a soda biscuit or a piece of bread and eat this just before going to bed. This continued for a few weeks every night has effected a complete cure, and I enjoy now as sound a sleep as in my younger days.

—This country may yet rule the C's—if it buys Cuba and Canada.

Washington on the Dismal Swamp.

Washington, in 1763, in his own words, entered the Dismal Swamp, and "encompassed the whole." He camped on the east side of the lake, and unquestionably considered the problem of its formation, for he was astonished, and he astonished others by declaring that all the rivers in the swamp flowed out of it instead of into it.

"The Dismal Swamp," wrote Washington, "is neither a hollow nor a plain, but a hillside." He had discovered, what measurement has since shown, that the lake was 25 feet higher than the sea.

Scientists have accounted for the water in the Dismal swamp from cursory observations, by the rainfall, even denying the existence of springs in the lake. I venture with much hesitation to disagree with this conclusion, believing it impossible that the rainfall can account for the enormous supply of water, not only contained within the swamp, but which is, and always has been, flowing out of it.

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The Export of Oil.

The tonnage rates on oil for export have not been so high as now within the last five years. There is a scarcity of ships for carrying it. The unprofitableness of that business for a long period led ship owners to abandon it, and the export fell off so that there is a prospect for an oil famine in Europe this fall.

Forty gallons is the bulk measurement the export tonnage rate for oil is based on. This two months ago was from 2 shillings to 3 shillings from Philadelphia to the continent of Europe, and ship-owners considered tha rate began to rise and now shipments to the Continent are made from 4s up to 4s 9d, and to Liverpool, 3s 9d; to Antwerp, 3s 6d.

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—Spelin is the rival universal language to Volapuk. The Spelin' is quite as frightful.

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—The appalling statement is made that 400,000,000 cigarettes are used every year in this country.

—The scientist's opinion that Findlay, O., may be blown up is merely a specimen of scientific natural gas.

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Barns, D. C. Fairview twp, E. farmer.
Campbell, Aaron, Franklin twp, E. farmer.
Denny, Daniel, Winfield twp, farmer.
Gantz, Lewis, Evans City, gents.
Glenn, J. W., Mercer twp, farmer.
Greenfield, Thomas, Fairview twp, W. farmer.
Hogue, James M., Cherry twp, farmer.
Kramer, Peter, Butler Boro, 2nd Ward, liveryman.
Leise, Henry, Jackson twp, W. mechanic.
Lutes, John, Cranberry twp, farmer.
Brown, Fred, Mercer twp, farmer.
Mullen, Charles, Baldridge, engineer.
McCandless, Russell, Cherry twp, W. farmer.
Negley, W. Slippery Rock twp, manufacturer.
Mechernotte, R. R., Fairview twp, E. farmer.
Maitland, George, Clinton twp, farmer.
Palmer, John, Evans City, farmer.
Shira, A. M., Parker twp, farmer.
Uhl, Fred, Lancaster twp, farmer.
Wigton, John H. Brady twp, farmer.
Weigand, R. E. Butler Boro, 2nd Ward, carpenter.
Weir, Elmer, Muddycreek twp, farmer.

List of Petit Jurors drawn to serve in the Court of Quarter Sessions, September term, 1888, commencing the second Monday, being the 10th day.

Armstrong, Gabriel, Cherry twp, farmer.
Allison, A. W., Fairview twp.
Boreland, Alex., Prospect, shoemaker.
Boggs, D. P., Jackson twp W. mechanic.
Bannon, John, Adams twp, farmer.
Bowen, Wm, Connoquenessing twp, farmer.
Barnes, R. L. Allegheny twp, producer.
Carnahy, J. R. Evans City, farmer.
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Chrosnier, T. F. Cherry twp, farmer.
Campbell, W. J. Fairview twp, farmer.
Cranmer, Jerrod, Clay twp, farmer.
Dean, J. M. Fairview twp, S. carpenter.
Dunlop, Michael, Butler twp, farmer.
Donkersgoet, Henry S., Jefferson twp, farmer.
Eisenbeis, Edward, Center twp, farmer.
Gibson, J. W., Clay twp, farmer.
Graham, Wilson, Penn twp, farmer.
Green, Press, Butler Boro, 1st Ward, carpenter.
Grim, George, Jefferson twp, farmer.
Gephart, Wm, Jefferson twp.
Harvey, Parker, Butler Boro, 2nd Ward, brick mason.
Hockenberry, George, Liberty twp, farmer.
Hutchison, Seth, Concord twp, farmer.
Hill, John D. Adams twp, farmer.
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Kennedy, Wm, Butler Boro, 2nd Ward, liveryman.
Lang, Gary, Saxonburg, blacksmith.
Moore, S. A. Worth twp, farmer.
Mauleger, Geo. Adams twp, farmer.
Mackey, Charles, Franklin twp, farmer.
Maxwell, Chas. Penn twp, farmer.
McCafferty, John, Parker twp, farmer.
McLaughlin, W. P., Saltzburg.
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Rogers, Franklin, Summit twp, farmer.
Sheidels, Wm, Worth twp, farmer.
Schluecker, C. F. D. Zelienople, moulder.
Trocahn, A. L. Lancaster Boro, shoemaker.
Turner, W. P. Millerstown, druggist.
Thompson, Joseph, Cherry twp, S. farmer.
White, J. M. Connoquenessing twp, carpenter.
Wilson, J. A. Fairview Boro, farmer.
Wigton, John, Cherry twp, farmer.
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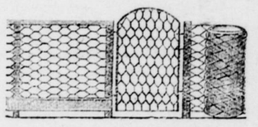

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