Standing Feud That Had No Ending.

[Copyright, 1901, by C. B. Lewis.] NOBODY could ever exactly fix the date when the dispute be-

"Moses, I'm told that you've got a

tolerable appetite for cider."
"Yes, tolerable," admitted Moses.
"You allus lay in a bar'l for winter?"

Joab."
"Waal, I wouldn't give peppermint

would say:
"Why, hello, Moses, is that you? I
thought I smelt peppermint around

you left home," Moses would reply.
"Still stickin' to it, are you, that peppermint is the right thing to keep cider from gettin' too hard?"
"I am, and I allus shall, and so would

any one else but a born tool."
There would be more to it, and a dozen men would go over the question and call each other fools and liars, and the trouble kept spreading. It beat Joab when he ran for supervisor, and it

downed Moses when he wanted to be a deacon of his church. If a lightning

red man or a tin peddler showed up within ten miles of Jericho, they were asked for their opinion on the cider question, and the man who favored peppermint couldn't do business with

tried to smooth over the quarrel, when they went to Joab he said:

"I'm willin' enough to be friends with Moses, but, durn his hide, he's got to

drop that peppermint business first."

Then they would go to Moses and talk and argue and point out his duty, but he would shake his head and reply:

"It's no use talkin' till Joab lets go of sassafras. He's stickin' to it jest because he's pigheaded and wants to

nearly forty years, and Joab and Moses had got to be grandfathers and old

men, when they met at the postoffice for the last time. Both were tottering

and feeble, and as they caught sight of each other Joab called out:
"It's that blamed peppermint workin' in your system, and I don't care how soon it takes you off."
"It's that sassafras in your blood," replied Moses "and your folks needn't

replied Moses, "and your folks needn't expect me to come to your funeral." The next day both of them were in

bed, and after looking them over the doctor said their time had come to go.

They lasted two weeks and died on the same day, but before dying Joab said

to Moses:
"I ain't got no pity for sich a critter.
If you'd used sassafras, you might
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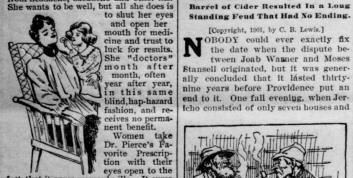
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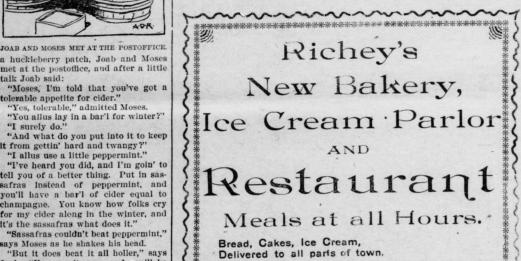
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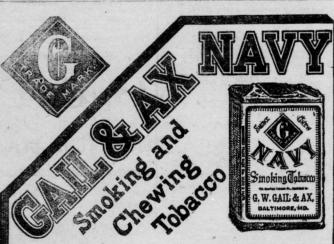
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