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A Fortunate Dismissal.

Thirty years ago a young man named Samuel M. Bryan, a clerk in the postoffice department at Washington, received notice that his services were no longer needed. Incompetency was the reason given for his dismissal. When he looked over his stock in trade he found that it consisted of something less than a hundred dollars in cash and—a great idea. A week later he was on his way to San Francisco, one good-natured postal clerk after another allowing him to ride in his car. On reaching San Francisco he secured a place as pursuer on a steamship bound for Japan, and, in due time, found himself in Tokio. Once in Japan's chief city, he proceeded without delay to put his great idea into execution. What he proposed was to perfect and put in operation, in Japan, a postal system modeled after that of the United States. Bryan found willing listeners among the high Japanese officials, and, in due time was requested to prepare a prospectus of his system to be submitted to the Mikado. Its value was at once recognized, and its adoption ordered. Bryan was placed at the head of eleven thousand dollars a year, and entrusted with the negotiation of a postal treaty between Japan and the United States. A few months later he was back in Washington as the envoy of the Japanese government, treating on equal terms with the man who had dismissed him for incompetence. The treaty which he negotiated with skill and diplomacy, proved satisfactory to all concerned. Bryan remained some fifteen years in the service of the Japanese government. He then returned to the United States a rich man. It is interesting to conjecture what his career might have been had he not lost his place in the postoffice department.

Tot Causes Night Alarm.

"One night my brother's baby was taken with Croup," writes Mrs. J. C. Snider, of Crittenden, Ky. "it seemed it would strangle before we could get a doctor, so we gave it Dr. King's New Discovery, which gave quick relief and permanently cured it. We always keep it in the house to protect our children from Croup and Whooping Cough. It cured me of a chronic bronchial trouble that no other remedy would relieve." Infalible for Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung Troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at W. S. Dickson's.

The editor of the Colton Chronicle philosophizes in the following vein: "You're not so many if you'll pause a moment to remember that from the sunrise of youth to the sunset of old age, life's journey is ever dotted by vanities and follies. In youth they are impulsive and thoughtless, in middle age they are tinged with haughty cynicism, in old age they take expression from embarrassed memories and senile doubts. All in all, men has not much of which to boast. In youth he is a fool and does not know it. In middle age he knows he was a fool but imagines that he is then possessed of a wisdom the world does not give him credit for possessing, and in old age he wavers doubtfully between the first and second opinions."

Mothers everywhere praise One Minute Cough Cure for the sufferings it has relieved and the lives of their little ones it has saved. Strikes at the root of the trouble and draws out the inflammation. The children's favorite Cough Cure. Trout's drug store.

We Drink Oceans of Coffee.

One-half the world's production of coffee berries is brought to the United States. Americans are the greatest coffee-drinkers on the face of the globe now, and every year the consumption of coffee is increasing here. Last year it was more than 800,000,000 pounds for the whole country, or more than 10 1/2 pounds a head of the population. Germany and France together only consumed half as much coffee, Germany less than 6 1/2 pounds a head, and France only 4 1/2 pounds per capita.

The United Kingdom used little more than half a pound of the berries per head of the population, but over there they made up for it by drinking more tea than any other nation. More than a million dollars is spent out of the United States every week in payment for coffee. South and Central American countries, which supply us with more than 600,000,000 pounds of coffee a year, get most of the money. Porto Rico, Java and the Philippines get almost all the rest, but a little goes to Hawaii, where they produce a very superior brand of coffee berry.

Last year the total value of the coffee imported into the United States was about \$60,000,000, and that was less than for several years, because the import price of coffee has fallen about one-half.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at W. S. Dickson's Drug Store.

Your Reputation.

This depends alone upon your conduct. Perhaps some do not understand the meaning. And some may think character and reputation are of the same meaning. Reputation is what others think of you. Character is what you really are.

One must be careful of his actions for it depends upon your actions what your reputation is. Most people have good reputations—why? Because their character is of quality. Do not all boys and girls, who respect their elders have the best reputation. You must have a good heart in order to earn other people's respect. In order to have a good heart one must be kind and unselfish, truthful, humble, generous, modest, gentle and sincere.

Any person yearning for fame must first earn a good reputation. Any one with a bad reputation is sure to have a bad character, unless a mistake is made and a person is misjudged, which sometimes happens. Your character is shown in your actions, whether good or bad. We must now sow good seed if we wish to gather good fruit. "For whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap."

A person with a bad character can never associate with good and respectable people. A person with a good character has a good reputation, and will always find loving friends wherever he goes. Any one with a bad disposition, who is boisterous and unruly will never earn a good reputation. Let us build up our character of good material and earn a good reputation.—Riverside.

"I had long suffered from indigestion," writes G. A. LeDels, Cedar City, Mo. "Like others I tried many preparations but never found anything that did me good until I took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. One bottle cured me. A friend who had suffered similarly I put on the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. He is gaining fast and will soon be able to work. Before he used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure indigestion had made him a total wreck. Trout's drug store.

Officials of the postoffice department are planning to keep anarchist publications, including newspapers, circulars and literature of all kinds out of the mail.

Your Column.

To show our appreciation of the way in which the Fulton County News is being adopted into the homes of the people of this county, we have set apart this column for the FREE use of our subscribers, for advertising purposes, subject to the following conditions: 1. It is free only to those who are paid-up subscribers. 2. Only personal property can be advertised. 3. Notices must not exceed 30 words. 4. All "legal" notices excluded. 5. Not free to merchants, or any one to advertise goods sold under a mercantile license. The primary object of this column is to afford farmers, and folks who are not in public business, an opportunity to bring to public attention products or stocks they may have to sell, or may want to buy. Now, this space is yours. If you want to buy a horse, if you want hired help, if you want to borrow money, if you want to sell a pig, a bushel of hay, a rooster, or if you want to advertise for a wife—this column is yours. The News is read weekly by eight thousand people, and is the best advertising medium in the county. Here's some space; who wants to use it!

A Snare Experiment.

Professor Dixon of Yale, who has been camping on Indian Creek, in Colorado, has demonstrated the possibility of welding two snakes together so that their bodies will unite and continue to grow as one. While it was admitted that human parts could be made to grow together, it has been contended that the sluggish circulation of reptiles would militate against such a process in their case. The rattler was extended with an iron hook encircling his head. An adder was obtained and cut in two. The rattler was treated in the same way. The tail of the adder was then sewed to the rattler with a strong thread, and after twenty-four hours the iron collar was removed and the composite reptile was put into a cage, where he squirmed around with every evidence of vitality.

Although the customary warning rattle was absent on its new tail, the supply of virus was not diminished by his curtailment, for when he struck a rabbit, the latter began to swell, and in an hour was dead. The metamorphosed rattler will be kept under scientific scrutiny for the next few months.—New York Times.

C. M. Phelps, Forestdale, Vt., says his child was completely cured of a bad case of eczema by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of all counterfeits. It instantly relieves piles. Trout's drug store.

A Word as to Learning the Metric System. The advantage of this system of weights and measures is so great as to make its adoption in all countries exceeding desirable. In learning it is much better to get the system without any comparison with the known measures. The quick road to an understanding of the value of these measures avoids any coming in sight of the legends.

1 meter—39.37 inches. 1 liter—908 dry qt. or 1.056 liq. qt. 1 gram—15.432 gr. troy or .035 oz. av. The principles are very few, being as follows: 1. The distance from the pole to the equator is ten thousand kilometers, or ten million meters. 2. Milli—one thousandth; centi—one-hundredth; deci—one-tenth; deka—ten times; hekto—a hundred times; kilo—a thousand times, and myria—ten thousand times. 3. The liter is a cubic decimeter. The kiloliter is a cubic meter. The hektoliter is a tenth of a kiloliter or one hundred liters. The liter is used for liquids, the hektoliter for grain, and the kiloliter for wood, stone, etc. 4. The gram is the weight of a cubic centimeter of water. The kilogram is a liter of water in weight.

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PHILIP F. BLACK, Manufacturer of Sash, Doors, Newel Posts, Hand Rails, Stairs, Banisters, Turned Porch Columns, Posts, &c. McConnellsburg, Pa.

Doors 2 : 8 x 6 : 8; 2 : 6 x 6 : 6; 1 and three-eighth inches in thickness. Sash 11 x 20; 12 x 24; 12 x 28; 12 x 30; 12 x 32; 12 x 34; 12 x 36—inch and a quarter thick—always on hand. Sash—four lights to window—from 45 cents to 70. These sash are all primed and ready for the glass. Both the doors and the sash are made from best white and yellow pines.

The Southern Way of Catching Hawks.

A traveler in the Southern States tells of a novel way of catching hawks, common in that section of the country. He says it consists of an ordinary steel trap, not too large, mounted on the top of a common fence rail or a long pole set firmly in the ground. It is best located on some moderately high point in the middle of a wide field, where there are no trees or other objects upon which a bird may alight. No bait is needed. The trap is simply opened on top of the pole, where the bird sets it off and is caught in the act of alighting. Of course the trap must be firmly secured to the pole. The device is based on the principle that birds of habitually light on prominent objects in large open spaces, where they will have a good outlook for game. A trap well placed will, during one season, catch all the hawks within a radius of several miles. Owls and other large birds are also frequently found in the trap. The longer and more substantial the pole the better it is.

The Building of Character.

To the geologist the east coast of Florida is one of the most interesting portions of the earth's surface. In the eyes of science it was but yesterday when the surf beat on what is now the western shore of the St. John's river.

To the eastward of this line the corals built a long bar; gradually this caught the earth washed from the shore, and on this plants grew and then trees. This made of the St. John's a long salt-water lagoon. As the coast widened, and the coral worked, the lagoon filled in and drainage from both sides made it fresh. So character is built up. For good or ill, our thoughts and meditations are leaving their sediment in our hearts, and as we meditate and muse in certain lines, a reef is thrown out that catches the wash of our thinking and doing, until after a while it becomes the bedrock principle on which we think and act. So make sure of a good character one must be certain to keep guard over the thoughts.—Dr. A. E. Banks.

One Too Many.

A good story is going the rounds of the office of the Metropolitan Street Railway company concerning the wonderful presence of mind displayed recently by a new conductor on one of the company's trolley cars. This particular car was bowling up Fifth avenue recently when it was hailed and boarded by a company inspector. The official hurriedly counted the passengers in the car and found that there were nine. Then he cast his eye up to the register, which in these cars is fastened to the woodwork above the door, and found that there had been only eight fares rung up. He disclosed his identity to the new conductor and called attention to the discrepancy. Slowly and painfully the new hand counted over his passengers and then scanned his register. "Begorra, an' you're right sir," he said, and promptly stopped the car. "Say," he demanded, addressing the passengers in an authoritative manner, "Won o' youse fellows'll have to git off the car-r-r!"—Kansas City Journal.

Church Directory.

PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. W. A. West D. D., Pastor. Sabbath school, 9:15. Preaching service—each alternate Sunday morning counting from Aug. 12th, at 10:30, and every Sunday evening at 7:30. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:00. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. A. D. McCloskey, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every other Sunday morning, counting from June 16th, at 10:30 and every Sunday evening at 7:30. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. UNITED PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. J. L. Grove, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every Sunday morning at 10:30, and every other Sunday evening counting from August 19, at 7:30. The alternate Sabbath evenings are used by the Young People's Christian Union at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—Rev. A. G. Wolf, Pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. Preaching morning and evening every other Sunday, dating from December 9, 1900. REFORMED—Rev. C. M. Smith, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. PAN-AMERICAN Exposition Now Open.

The Cumberland Valley Railroad Company has now on sale regular Summer Excursion tickets to Buffalo on account of Pan-American Exposition and to Niagara Falls. The rate from Mercersburg is \$18.00. In addition special excursion tickets to Buffalo, good to return within ten days from date of issue, will be sold every day until October 31st, at rate of \$14.85 from Mercersburg.

For the accommodation of visitors to the Exposition the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has put on two new trains in each direction, between Harrisburg and Buffalo, with which Cumberland Valley trains make close connection at Harrisburg. Nos. 4 and 10 reaching Buffalo at 8:00 P. M. and 7:35 A. M. respectively. Returning leave Buffalo at 8:00 P. M. and 8:30 A. M. connecting with trains 1 and 9 respectively.

The foods used for stock vary greatly in value, and the most costly kinds are not always the best. It is the amount of digestible matter in a food that fixes its true value. Indigestible matter is voided, and the manure heap is thus enriched at the expense of loss or gain in the animal. Some foods are expensive even when purchased at a very low sum.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Digests what you eat. It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion. Price 50c and \$1. Large size contains 3 1/2 times small size. Book all about dyspepsia mailed free. Prepared by E. C. DEWITT & CO., Chicago. Trout's drug store.

With the Schools Opening Shoes.

there will be lots of wants and needs for the little folks. We have a complete stock of Boy's Suits that we will be glad to show you. Prices to suit anyone from 75c up. Shoes. Lots of them. Some shoes that you would think could hardly be worn out, so solidly are they built. You certainly want to see these shoes before you buy—all sizes. We have bought heavily of Men's Suits and Overcoats which we would have all our friends see. Every piece honestly made, good fitting, well lined, and wonderfully low priced. We think we can beat any other effort we ever made. Don't forget this, but come and see that we are not boasting.

A nice lot of new Dress Goods just in for rainy day skirts, jacket suits, &c. We will close our wall papers out at prices that will please you. We want the room. Call soon and often, and we will make it pay you. Respectfully, G. W. REISNER & CO.

THE FULTON COUNTY NEWS Covers the Field. In every part of the County faithful reporters are located that gather the daily happenings. Then there is the State and National, News, War News, a Department for the Farmer and Mechanic, Latest Fashions for the Ladies. The latest New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia Markets. The Sunday School Lesson, Helps for Christian Endeavorers, and a Good Sermon for everybody.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY TIME TABLE—May 27, 1901. Table with columns for Leave, No., Time, and various stations like Winchester, Hagerstown, etc.

Southern Penna. R. R. Trains. Table with columns for Station, Time, and various locations like Harrisburg, York, etc.

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