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Take A Paper.

A gentleman once said to a reporter: "I never took a paper that did not pay more than I paid for it. One time an old friend of mine started a paper away down south and sent it to me, I subscribed just to encourage him and after awhile it published a notice that an administrator had an order to sell a lot and I told my friend to run it up to \$50. He bid me off for \$37 and I sold it in a month for \$100, so I made \$63 clear by taking that paper. My father told me that when he was a young man he saw a notice in a paper that a school teacher was wanted away off in a far country and he went there and got a situation and a little girl was sent to him. After awhile she grew up sweet and pretty and he married her. Now if he had not taken that paper what do you suppose would have become of me? I would have been some other fellow or perhaps I would not have been at all." This shows the value of a newspaper.

Saw Death Near.

"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn. "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her weak and sore lungs would collapse. Good doctors said she was so far gone with Consumption that no medicine or earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery and persistent use of this excellent medicine saved her life." It's absolutely guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Throat and Lung diseases. 50c and \$1.00 at W. S. Dickson's. Trial bottles free.

Two Greensburg men had a peculiar case in court recently. They traded horses, \$50 to boot going with one end of the trade. The trade was agreed on in the evening and was to be consummated the next morning. Over night the man who was to give the boot changed his mind. The case was taken to court, where a jury rendered a verdict deciding that a dicker's a dicker and that a horse trade is not a matter to be whimsically treated. The man must either pay the \$50 to boot or else take his case to a higher court.

A Thousand Dollar's Worth of Good.

A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, O., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stones with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicines until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. It has done me a \$1000 worth of good." All dealers.

George Adams, a farmer who resides at Shanner, five miles above McKeesport, Pa., will receive \$5,000 under peculiar circumstances. Last week Benjamin Craig, a wealthy resident of Denver, Colo., died and willed Mr. Adams \$5000. One cold night several years ago, Mr. Adams relates, an aged stranger knocked at his door and asked for a night's lodging. He was almost frozen and next morning a serious case of pneumonia had developed. He lay sick for several days and was nursed by Adams and his wife. When he recovered Adams refused any money for his service. The old man gave his name and promised that Adams and his wife would be remembered for their kindness.

C. W. Lynch, a prominent citizen of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My little boy had a severe attack of membranous croup, and only got relief after taking Foley's Honey and Tar. He got relief after one dose and I feel that it saved the life of my boy." Refuse substitutes. All dealers.

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A Pleasing Fiction Exploded.

It has become a matter of common belief earnestly cultivated by the English and some American papers and magazines, that the Government and people of this country were under great obligations to the English government for preventing a coalition of European powers against the United States and in favor of Spain at the outbreak of the Spanish war. The British government, so the story goes, was sounded unofficially by the representative of one of the European powers interested in the scheme as to what its attitude would be in the event that pressure was brought to bear upon the United States. Great Britain's reply, we are told, was a prompt and unconditional refusal to take part in the movement, coupled with an intimation that if the United States were attacked by the European coalition Great Britain would make common cause with America. This has been proclaimed as the solemn truth on both sides of the Atlantic, and as constituting a strong claim on our gratitude to the British government, France, Germany, Russia Italy and Austria would have sided with Spain, and we would have had to face the wrath of all Europe when we went to war on behalf of civilization and humanity, to free Cuba from Spanish wrong, cruelty and oppression.

It is interesting to know that American salvation and safety through England is a pleasant bit of fiction. A Paris dispatch to the New York "Tribune" sets forth the facts, on the authority of M. Hanotaux, who was the French minister of foreign affairs during the Spanish-American war. He denies that the attitude of the British government had any bearing upon the collapse of the alleged European coalition in the interest of Spain. "It seems to me impossible," writes M. Hanotaux, "that public opinion in the United States should not now be quite as well aware of the real facts in this matter as is the United States department of state." What are the real facts? M. Hanotaux states that the alleged European demonstration against the United States was rendered impossible not by Great Britain, but by Russia. "Count Murabieff, then Russian minister of foreign affairs," explains the French statesman, "communicated to the Spanish ambassador at St. Petersburg the absolute and formal refusal of Russia to mix herself in any way with a quarrel which did not concern Russian interests." This communication "couched in the most emphatic, almost brutal, language," as M. Hanotaux characterizes it, made a European coalition against the United States impossible.

The Russian minister to the United States during the Spanish-American war flatly denied that there had been any European coalition, that Russia had ever assented to such a policy, and that Great Britain did not prevent it because it did not exist.

The American belief in the great service supposed to have been rendered this country by Great Britain has had a great deal to do with the indifference which this Government has displayed to the extinction of the Boer republics. It was encouraged by the claims of the British press that England stood ready to stand by us to the fighting point, against all Europe. It will be interesting to see the response England will make to the challenge of a responsible French statesman. If there was any scheme of European interference in our war with Spain it was Russia that prevented it, just as Russia stood in the way of French and English interference in the war for the Union.—Pittsburg Post.

Boy's Life Saved From Membranous Croup.

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Borrowed Mirth.

Overwork is said to kill many people yearly. This indicates the little prospect, then, of the tramp dying out.

This seems to be a time of religious unrest, said the rank outsider when the hornets got mixed up with the church picnic party.

Judge—You say the defendant turned and whistled for the dog? What followed?

Intelligent witness—The dog, sir.

New Wife—I wish to get some butter, please Dealer—Roll butter, ma'am? New Wife—No. We wish to eat it on biscuits.

What are pauses? the teacher asked the first class in grammar. Things that grow on cats and dogs, answered the smallest girl.

Wife—I wish I could find something that would really amuse the baby. Husband—Why not get a new Brussels carpet and a quart of ink?

Visitor—You seem to be an important person here; everybody turns round to look at you.

Loyal Great Man—Yes; there isn't a man in the town I don't owe money.

That's good council the new preacher gave us, said the deacon.

Which is?

Love your neighbor while he sleeps, but watch him while he wakes.

Mr. Freeborn Jackson—Whad yoh gwine name 'im, Laurella? Mrs. Jackson—Anyting yoh likes. Anyting, 'cept Alias. Ise noticed boys 'o' that name nevah comes to no good. They's allus in the police co't.

Papa—I judge a man, sir, by the company he keeps.

Suitor—Yes, sir; I hope you'll bear in mind that I've been keeping company with your daughter for over two years.

Mrs. W.—I didn't know that Mr. B. had a title.

Mr. W.—Neither did I. What is it?

Mrs. W.—Well, his servant says that everything comes addressed James B., C. O. D.

Beggar (preliminarily)—I have seen better days.

Busy Man—So have I; looks as if it had set in for an all day drizzle. Confoundedly unpleasant. Got to take 'em as they come, though. Tra, la, la.

The Christmas holiday season is fast approaching. It is the season of the year when people will make purchases and bestow gifts. Now is the time for our merchants to let the public know what they have to sell. THE NEWS is the medium through which you show your wares to the public.

Dissatisfaction is expressed by some of the people living along the free mail routes in Franklin county, claiming that they did not want the village postoffices abolished and complaining because they have to buy a box in which to receive their mail. It is hard to please everybody but the postoffice department is surely trying to serve the best interests of the people living in the country districts.

In an address to Pennsylvania grangers at Johnstown, Lecturer Mortimer Whitehead praised the Government's rural free mail delivery. Representatives from all except fourteen of the 500 grangers of the State were present. One of the principal addresses delivered was that by Mr. Whitehead, who spoke in glowing terms of the ability of rural free mail delivery, touching on the report of the Postmaster General that rural free delivery, yet an experiment, and the many ways in which it benefited farmers.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation," were the startling words heard by Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney remedy. Cure Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite. Try it. Only 50 cents. Guaranteed. For sale by W. S. Dickson.

When to Marry.

Why should lovers defer their marriage a day longer than the time when, as far as we mortals can discern the future, the prospects of a comfortable home is reasonably assured? It is senseless to wait for the coming of affluent days, says Cyrus C. Adams, in Ainslee's. Their lives should be united, and each in his way should help to bring about the advent of easier times if they are to come. It is as foolish to wait for a larger income than is really required as it is for parents to slave and drudge that their children may enjoy a degree of affluence they have never known.

There is the rock upon which the French nation has split. They are a frugal and thrifty people. It is interesting to know that many of the tasteful, artistic and costly products of France are made almost exclusively for the foreign trade. Two-thirds of the best chinaware of Limoges, for example, comes to the United States. A well-to-do Frenchwoman is likely to use a preparation of rice flour as a cosmetic, leaving the delicate perfumes and other toilet articles of Paris for her American and British sisters who are willing to spend more money for such things.

But the rich father, unfortunately, conceived it to be his duty to leave his children richer than himself; if, on the other hand, he be a poor tiller of the soil, it is disgraceful not to educate his son to a trade or a profession so that the family name may have a higher place in the social scale. This deplorable ambition fixes upon the family a burden almost too great to be borne, and many of the young people, seeing the hard lives their parents lead, defer their own marriage in order to better their fortunes, till at last even the desire to marry is extinguished.

Nearly all our self-made men, leaders in the professions and in business, married young and on very moderate incomes. Many assumed, without the slightest tripitation, the responsibility of supporting a wife on \$1,000 a year or less.

The views of young persons as to the amount of income upon which they may prudently marry vary, of course, according to the circumstances in which they have lived. Many an intelligent girl who works in New York kitchens has no doubt whatever that she and the steady, industrious fellow she intends to marry will have a comfortable home on \$12 to \$14 a week. A penniless German school teacher who came to Philadelphia when a young man, and who in his old age lives in New York on the rentals of apartment houses bought with \$800,000 he earned slowly in manufacturing, asserted the other day that \$1,000 to \$1,500 a year in New York would give to young married couples of refinement a comfortable home, books, music and amusements and everything they might need for the rational enjoyment of life.

There is scarcely any doubt that any man and wife, gifted with his ability to disburse dollars to the very best advantage, would be able to realize his idea of comfortable married life on a small income.

Saved His Life.

"I wish to say that I feel I owe my life to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure," writes H. C. Chrestenson of Hayfield, Minn. "For three years I was troubled with dyspepsia so that I could hold nothing on my stomach. Many times I would be unable to retain a morsel of food. Finally I was confined to my bed. Doctors said I could not live. I read one of your advertisements on Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and thought it fit my case and commenced its use. I began to improve from the first bottle. Now I am cured and recommend it to all." Digests your food. Cures all stomach troubles.

Mistress—Why, Bridget. Are your eyes weak? I notice that you wear colored glasses every time you go out of the house. Bridget—It's not me eyes, mum. But, when the sun shines like it does outdoors today, I'd tan as black as a nuygur if I did not moderate the light a little by wearing thin colored spectacles.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

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 turkey, some hay, a goose, 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.

WANTED.—Beef Biles. Will pay the highest cash price. GRANT BAKER, Knobsville, Pa.

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 9:30 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.

Miscellaneous.

The pawnshops are disgorging winter overcoats. Genius and riches are seldom on speaking terms. People who marry in haste sometimes repent in Dakota. Some men only look for work through a telescope. A stitch in time is worth two needles in a haystack. Unless a letter has a stamp on it, it remains stationary. The fellow with a bank account is his own cash drawer. Perhaps its because money talks that all banks have tellers. Lives of great men oft' remind us that there are book agents. It doesn't take an explorer to find the polls these days. Imitation diamond earrings are not worth a paste in the ear. The Irish bicycle rider's motto is: "blessed is the peccemaker." The pedestrian generally makes rapid strides in his profession. A man may have a weak voice and still use strong language. Many a man is afraid of ghosts but can't be scared by spirits. The landscape photographer isn't always liberal with his views. An Evangelist's Story.

"I suffered for years with a bronchial or lung trouble and tried various remedies but did not obtain permanent relief until I commenced using One Minute Cough Cure," writes Rev. James Kirkman, evangelist of Belle River, Ill. "I have no hesitation in recommending it to all sufferers from maladies of this kind." One Minute Cough Cure affords immediate relief for coughs, colds and all kinds of throat and lung troubles. For croup it is unequalled. Absolutely safe. Very pleasant to take, never fails and is really a favorite with the children. They like it.

Johnson—That man Williams never lost his head in a football game yet, did he? Thompson—No, I think not. He's lost an ear, part of his nose, and some teeth; but I do not remember ever hearing of his losing his head.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right.

J. K. JOHNSTON'S Announcement of Fall and Winter Goods

Bargains for Men

Everyday Pants, 50, 75, 85, and \$1.00. Dress Pants, \$1.00 to \$2.75. Men's Black Suits, \$2.40, \$4.85, \$6.75, \$7.50, \$9.00 and \$10. Men's Business Suits \$3.50, \$4.75, \$5.00, \$7.00, and \$10.00. Men's Underwear, 25, 45, and 98 cents. Children's Underwear, Vest or Pants—10, 12, 15, 18, 25, and 30 cents. Suspenders, 10, 15, and 25 cents. 25 Dozen Regular 25-cent Neckties going at 9 cents or 3 for a quarter. Latest style Linen Collars—4 ply—at 10c. Linen Link Cuffs—10c per pair. Men's and Boys' Dress Shirts 25, 45 and 75 cents. Men's and Boys' strong every-day Shirts, 25 and 45 cents. Men's heavy Wool Over-shirts, 45 and 98 cents. Men's Fine Kid and Dogskin dress gloves, silk lined, \$1.00. Buckskin, Calfskin, Indian tanned,—fine and waterproof—working gloves, one to \$1.25. Ladies', Men's and Children's wool mittens, 15, 25, and 50c.

J. K. Johnston, McConnellsburg, Pa.

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 14 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.

KIDNEY DISEASES

are the most fatal of all diseases. FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is a Guaranteed Remedy or money refunded. Contains remedies recognized by eminent physicians as the best for Kidney and Bladder troubles. PRICE 50c. and \$1.00.

A noted Sunday school worker, living in Kansas, was once asked to talk to the children of a Sunday school class on the subject of temperance. He is very earnest in the cause, and wore a bit of blue ribbon as a badge of his principles. Rising before the school, he spoke to them awhile, then, in conclusion, pointed to his bit of blue ribbon, and said, Now can any of you children give me a reason why I am not a drunkard? There was no reply for a moment. Then a childish little voice in the extreme rear of the room piped out clearly, 'Cause this is a prohibitory town.

Farmer Greene—Glad to see ye home, Silas. How's things in N' York? Farmer Brown—Hustlin', Joshua. Hustlin'. Why, th' way folks rush aroun' there ye'd think th' crows wuz loose in th' cabbage patch th' hull tarnation time.

Mrs. Howler—Asbury, that was a most excellent sermon you preached on Vanity this morning. Rev. Howler—Well, I think myself that there are very few men in this universe who could have done better.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat. This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspepsias have been cured after everything else failed. It is unequalled for the stomach. Children with weak stomachs thrive on it. Cures all stomach troubles. Prepared by E. C. Dwyer & Co., Chicago. The \$1. bottle contains 15 doses the 50c. size.