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Candidates' Announcements.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself to the voters of Fulton County as a candidate on the Non-Partisan ticket for the office of Associate Judge, subject to the decision of the voters at the Primary Election to be held Tuesday, September 18, 1917.

I pledge myself that if nominated and elected, I will discharge the duties of the office, fearlessly, honestly, and to the very best of my ability. I respectfully solicit the vote and influence of all who deem me worthy of support.

DAVID A. BLACK,  
Taylor township.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate on the Non-Partisan ticket for the office of Associate Judge. I pledge myself to abide by the decision of the voters at the Primary Election to be held September 18, 1917, and if nominated and elected, to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability, fearlessly and honestly.

FRANK MASON,  
Todd township.

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J. CLAYTON HIXSON,  
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S. EDWARD MCKEE  
Union township.

Renewed Testimony

No one in McConnellsburg who suffers backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this McConnellsburg man's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no McConnellsburg resident can doubt.

John P. Conrad, deputy postmaster, McConnellsburg, says: "I had terrible pains across my back and I didn't sleep well. I was very nervous and when I got up in the morning, I was more tired than when I went to bed. Doan's Kidney Pills soon freed my back from pain."

Over four years later, Mr. Conrad said: "I haven't needed any medicine for backache or other kidney trouble since I used Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Advertisement.

POSSIBLE ENDING OF WORLD

French Scientist Shows How It May Come Through Admission of Ocean to Interior.

A new kind of end of the world has been imagined by M. Louis Raoulin, a French scientist. Some times it has been suggested that the world will gradually become cold, so that life will be frozen out. M. Raoulin, however, thinks it possible that the earth might end in an incandescent blaze.

The earth's crust, he says, is very thin at the bottom of the sea, and should it give way in consequence of volcanic action, the earth might be consumed in flames.

"Suppose," he states, "that, following an extraordinary twisting movement, due to retreat of the central mass, a large mass of the seabottom should give way, and, falling suddenly, should let in the mass of the ocean's waters upon the incandescent interior matter. The water would be decomposed by the heat, the hydrogen would burn, and it would burn more as it had access to more oxygen."

"The conflagration would then gain in force, accompanied by electric phenomena, and the greater part of the earth's crust would probably be displaced. The earth, passing through a critical epoch and returning for the time being to its formative period, would again be nothing but a globe of fire."

A CLOSE MAN



"I don't believe in doing things by halves."

"Well, I've never known you to spend more than a quarter."

FELINE STOWAWAYS.

Cats as stowaways was the unpleasant experience of a captain of a steamer which recently reached Aberdeen from the United States. Shortly after leaving port he was made aware of the presence of his unwelcome passengers, and upon investigation discovered eleven cats of all shades and conditions. Black, white, gray and piebald cats of all ages, frisky young mothers and bewhiskered old tommies, made up the crowd, and life on board the steamer was made miserable with their fighting and vocalizing. Since arriving in port, Captain Johnson has turned the crowd ashore several times, but has been unable to get rid of them. When ready for sea he intends to have a watchman at every line to prevent their getting aboard again. The officers of the steamer claim the animals did not use the regular gangway to come aboard, but came over the catheads.

NATURAL SOURCE.

"Where do these reports which they say influence the markets come from?"

"It is only natural to suppose they come from reporters."

NATURAL INTERPRETATION.

"Pop, do ships ever faint."

"What a question, child. Of course not."

"But there's a story where it says the ship came to."

SAFER PLACE.

"Smith is dreadfully afraid of being hit by automobiles on the road."

"What does he do to avoid them?"

"He walks on the railroad ties."

THE OBJECTION.

Tenant—I wish you would keep the furnace hot.

Janitor—Then I'll have to keep it cooled.

AUTO SARCASM.

Motorist (signing his chauffeur's salary check)—Oh, I say, James, you wouldn't want to buy the car at a bargain, would you?

Cuttlefish Used as Food.

The sun-dried cuttlefish or devil fish of the Greek coast with suckers intact looks like a football. The shredded part is more tempting than the tentacles.

What a Load!

The most powerful Persian camel, the one humped kind from the province of Khorassan, can carry a 600-pound load at a rate of 20 miles a day.

SOOT QUICKLY WASHED AWAY

Rainfall Cleanses London of a Precipitation That Can Only Be Classed as Enormous.

The peck of dirt which proverbially each man has to eat before he dies—but not all at one meal—shows signs of shortage in London, for, according to the scientists, some 50,000 tons of soot and dust are annually precipitated throughout the metropolis. This amount, however, is not a terribly alarming one, for it must be borne in mind that London is a big place, and a fall of 50,000 tons per annum over an area of 100 square miles only means the descent of less than a ton per acre, and so the whole of a twelve months' supply could easily be washed away by a single vigorous shower, seeing that a fall on a wet day of an inch of rain means a cleansing flood of 100 tons of water per acre; and thus, putting things roughly, 30 inches of rainfall in London in a year places at the disposal of this department of the public health a ton of water to wash away every pound of soot deposited. And the soot does not always need washing away from the surfaces of roofs and streets, for it is commonly brought down in liquid form by the rainfalls and swept directly into the sewers.

HAD PROOF OF DOG'S DEATH

Animal Had Been "Kilt" Before, but This Time He Seemed Unlikely to Come Back.

A farmer who lives just outside a small village on the main road out of London formerly owned a very vicious dog. This animal became so notorious for its attacks on cyclists that few passed that way, to the detriment of the local hotel and shops.

One day a mild-looking gentleman with a nice new machine drew up at the village inn and asked the landlord to give him a meal, saying that as he was approaching the village a dog bounced out of a house and got under his bicycle. He rode it down and killed it, and had given its owner all the money he possessed as compensation.

The landlord's eyes grew wide. "Are you certain that you kilt that dog?" he asked.

"Indeed, yes. To make sure it was really dead, I compelled him to bury it while I was there."

"Then come inside and have a dinner at my expense, sir!" cried the landlord, enthusiastically. "That dog's been kilt often before, goodness knows, but you're the first man 'at's had the sense to stop and see it buried."—London Tit-Bits.

LARGE CONSULAR DISTRICT.

The consular district of Tahiti embraces all of the islands in the south Pacific ocean that are included in the Society, the Tuamotu and the Tubuai archipelagos, the Marquesas, Gambier and Maretiri groups, and the island of Rapa, a total of more than two hundred islands and islets belonging to France and known as the French establishments in Oceania, or more commonly known as the Society islands. The total population is estimated at 33,000, made up of about 26,000 natives, some 3,000 Chinese, and about 4,000 of all other nationalities, including Europeans and Americans. The inhabitants are unevenly distributed throughout the various groups, leaving many of the islands uninhabited.

HE KNOWS.

"I want to see the sights in New York. I suppose I had better get a native New Yorker to show me about."

"Don't do it. If you want to see everything there is to see, good, bad and indifferent, strike up an acquaintance with some fellow from Oakkosh, Kankakee or Keokuk who goes to New York once a year."

GOOD WAY TO FIND OUT.

Student—How much board do I owe you?

Landlady—How long have you been in college?—Brunonian.

MUST BE DONE FREQUENTLY.

Miss Passex—Do you think it is bad luck to postpone a wedding?

Mr. Batch—Not if you postpone it often enough.

OUT.

First Stude—How many were out at the game.

Second Stude—All that bet on the isitors.—Froth.

More Acceptable Than Money.

It is not written blessed is he that feedeth the poor, but he that considereth the poor. A little thought and a little kindness are often worth more than a great deal of money.—Ruskin.

She Preferred the Son.

Mr. Goldrox—"So my son has proposed to you, and you've accepted him? I think you might have seen me first." Miss Steno—"I did, but I preferred your son."

GEORGIAN SILVER

By LOUISE OLIVER.

Alex looked down at the little girl beside him with a calm, quiet scrutiny which might have conveyed a diversity of impressions upon any who noticed. But for the enlightenment of the few who knew not Alex, I shall explain that he was quietest when most delighted, and he was indeed thankful to his hostess for putting him beside this sweet little violet of humanity.

He drew a long breath and waited for her to speak. He didn't know the girl and he hoped she didn't know him. Otherwise she might be like the others; overtalkative, unnatural, and apt to overdo. He was too modest to appreciate the fact that, as the best catch in the matrimonial sea, he was apt to be offered bait in generous quantities and of infinite variety.

Dorothy looked around the dining room with wide eyes, then up at him with a smile. "I can't believe I'm awake," she said.

"No!" It was an invitation to go on.

"No. They say that sometimes a wish is father to a thought. Maybe I've just wished for something like this so often that now I think it's true. Maybe I'm not here at all—only thinking I am."

"What does it matter? Maybe I'm thinking all this too."

"I was just thinking," she remarked in the interval before the soup, "that it's a shame Bob couldn't be here. He'd love it so. But Aunt Jane said he couldn't come, that's all there was to it. Aunt Jane said it was kind of Mrs. Dexter to ask one of the poor Virginia relations without ringing in the three of us. You see, there's Robert, Stonewall and myself. The boys are dears; you ought to know them. Bob's my twin."

"He must be a dear," ventured Alex. She laughed, but colored nevertheless.

He changed the subject. "Are you fond of old silver?" he asked. "I've been admiring those Georgian candlesticks. The pattern is very rare."

"I've been collecting bits here and there," he went on. "No doubt you can tell me some wonderful things about old silver. Most Southerners can. But one thing I have discovered for myself, that Southerners may part with their homes, their clothes, and even their souls, but their silver—never. I know where there are some splendid collections in the South, but you can't get them."

Dorothy's appetite for food suddenly disappeared. She laid down her fork and looked so distressed that Alex wondered what dreadful thing he had said.

"I want to—tell you," said the girl finally; "where I happen to know you may find a beautiful collection of Georgian silver. It is at Berni's, on Fifth avenue. It all came from one family, and it seems to me the things ought to stay together." Then suddenly and brightly, as if to put a distasteful thought behind her, "I wish you could know Wally and Bob. Poor Bob!"

"Why poor?" "Oh, he loves nice things so. We all do! But I really meant it literally, you know. We are poor, very. You see that's why I'm—" She stopped. Virginia pride was uppermost. "Nothing," she answered his eager inquiry. "I thought I could tell you, but I can't."

A painful flush had spread over her face, and Alex had an uncomfortable feeling that tears were near. Something was giving this little girl a great deal of unhappiness, he had discovered, and suddenly he had a desire to chase the clouds away from the serious dark eyes, and to see the dimple come and go in her lovely, smooth cheek.

The next day he stopped in Berni's. And there was Dorothy herself, hatless, content and in the plain black garb of a clerk. She colored furiously when she saw him.

Alex was puzzled. Was the story of Virginia, then, merely a happy fiction, manufactured to entertain a dinner partner? If so, it was good. "Good afternoon," he said; "I understand there was a fine collection of old Georgian silver here. May I see it?"

"Certainly!" Dorothy led the way to a table on which was an array that made Alex fairly jump with astonishment.

"It's splendid!" he cried. "Whose was it? Where did it come from? I never saw anything like it."

"The silver is mine—all I have. But the boys must go to school, and it must go. I won't let anyone else sell it. That was one stipulation I made to Berni, that I must approve the purchaser. When anyone else comes along, I double—treble the price."

"But I must have it! Do you approve of me?"

She nodded.

"But the collection isn't complete. There is something else that will have to go with it before I take it."

"What is that?"

"You. I always know what I want instantly, and I could have told you that last night. You're the loveliest girl I've ever known." He reached for her hand.

Dorothy did not draw it away, but instead a deep, steady light dawned in her eyes and the dimple Alex so longed to see appeared in her cheek.

"I wonder if this is really true, or if I'm just thinking it is," she said. "I hope it's true for us both," he whispered. (Copyright, 1917, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Unassailable Conclusion.

"I am coming to the conclusion," observed the restaurant philosopher at luncheon today, "that the fewer sons-in-law and brothers-in-law a man in high political life has, the better off he is."—Marion Star.

Valuable Tip.

Sometimes a fellow can be a real help to others by taking care of himself.—Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer-Sun.

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