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It is a matter worthy of comment that the greater part of the addresses at the Mother's Congress recently held at Washington, D. C., were delivered by unmarried women, who told the "mothers" how to train their children.

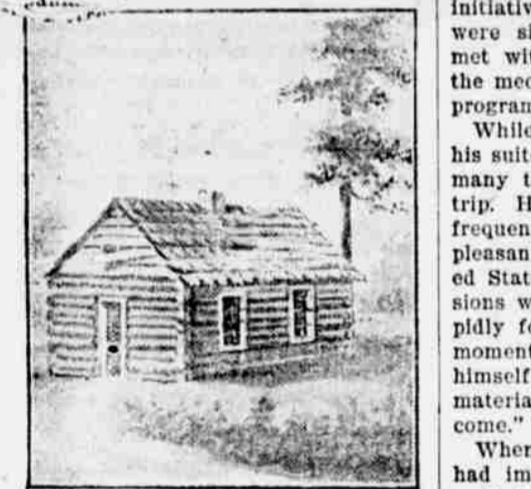
Mr. Bryan is buying a lot of blooded cattle to inhabit that new ten thousand dollar barn which stands in the rear of that new twenty thousand dollar house just erected on his thirty thousand dollar farm. In 1896 Mr. Bryan told us that if Mr. McKinley was elected the rich would become richer and the poor would become poorer.

Mr. Bryan was poor then and his present prosperity is the best answer to his specious argument.

OLD SCHOOLHOUSE.

Many Men Prominent in Indiana Life Were Taught Within Its Humble Walls.

The old Vermont schoolhouse, situated six miles east of Kokomo, Ind., on the north bluff of "Wild Cat," was the principal seat of learning in Howard township, Howard county, for a half century, and graduates more than a passing notice on account of the young men of prominence who have gone out into the world from its walls. Among these are included Prof. Elmer B. Bryan, now supervisor of the normal department of the educational work in the Philippines, with headquarters in the city of Manila; and Sam Miller, who sits in the chair of mathematics



OLD HOOSIER SCHOOLHOUSE. (Many Great Men Learned the Rudiments Within Its Walls.)

in the Indiana state university; George Miller, assistant professor of mathematics in Leland Stanford university; Ellsworth E. Robey, superintendent of the public schools of Delaware county; Prof. Rolla Trees, superintendent of the city schools at Urbana, O.; Prof. Frank L. Jones, state superintendent of public instruction; Attorney Charles De Haven, assistant clerk of the Indiana general assembly. Some of the old-time teachers who have wielded the birch and directed the young idea in this famous old schoolhouse are Department Commander Capt. Milton Gaingus, supervisor of the last census; O. A. Somers, ex-representative; J. N. Loop and William Morton, a cousin of the late famous Indiana war governor; Rev. Sylvester Newline, pastor of the Friends' church in Kokomo, as well as many others.

The old schoolhouse is constructed of beech and yellow poplar logs, and is now used as a storage house for farm products and implements. It was supplanted a few years ago for school purposes by a commodious up-to-date brick and stone structure.

Something New in Japan.
One feature of western civilization has just made its first appearance in Japan, where a native woman has brought suit for breach of promise, hitherto an unknown procedure in the land of the chrysanthemum. The lady in question is a wise young widow, who induced her well-to-do wooer to sign an agreement that in case either party wished to back out he or she should forfeit 1,000 yen to the other. The prospective bridegroom broke the engagement.

Ancient Babylonian Deed.
At a scientific meeting in New York the other day the translation of a Babylonian deed 8,000 years old was read by a professor of ancient languages.

At Home on the Ocean.
A purser on one of the Cunarders has retired, after completing his nine hundred and twentieth voyage across the

On his visit to Mount Vernon Prince Henry was accorded the privilege that was given only to Lafayette, the Prince of Wales and a few other special honored visitors, of entering Washington's tomb. He left a final wreath in his own name and one in the of that German Navy.

Senator Lodge said in a speech last week that the United States has given the Filipinos schools, habeas corpus, prompt courts, a new legal code of procedure, and a start on the road to civil government, and that "every step has been in accordance with the wise and kindly policy of the President who is dead." These are facts as opposed to the empty talk about imperialism.

It is said that two million bushels of potatoes have been brought into the United States from foreign countries since November 1st—a somewhat surprising condition of affairs when it is considered how much more land we have to raise them on than have those countries from which they are imported, and which evidently find this a profitable market at present prices in spite of the duty of twenty-five cents per bushel.

Help Your Town.
Have you any interest in your own town? If so, patronize your own home institutions wherever you have an opportunity. Help local concerns, it keeps the money circulation around you, and thus directly benefits yourself and friends. As there's a large amount of wealth to tax, your rates are correspondingly low; your schools are better equipped; your property is made more valuable; and labor is in greater demand. Helping home industry is the plain duty of the whole people.

PRINCE HENRY SPEAKS OF TRIP

Never Worker Harder in His Life as When in United States.
Cherbourg, France, March 18.—The Hamburg-American line steamer Deutschland, having on board Prince Henry of Prussia and his suite, arrived here at 6.35 p. m. yesterday, from Plymouth, England.

Prince Henry says that he was so tired when he finally boarded the Deutschland at New York that he slept almost continuously for 48 hours, except for the time he appeared for his meals or to take short walks on the bridge. He says he never worked so hard in his life as when he was in the United States, that he never changed his uniform so many times a day or faced a succession of situations requiring such alertness and a certain initiative on his own part. They were situations which could not be met with merely formal behavior or the mechanical execution of a routine programme.

While conversing with members of his suite, Prince Henry has alluded to many things in connection with his trip. He has mentioned nothing more frequently than that no single unpleasant incident occurred in the United States. Ideas, scenes and impressions were crowded upon him too rapidly for proper appreciation at the moment, perhaps, but as Prince Henry himself said: "We have accumulated material to think about for months to come."

When one of his party inquired what had impressed him most, the prince replied that the great, orderly and cheerful crowds had been his most continuous impression and would probably always be one of his most vivid impressions. The prince said he saw crowds out of doors and indoors—faces of men and women, with here and there a powerful, a beautiful or a spiritual face. He said his regret, if he dared to say he had any, was that he could not know some of those people better.

Lockjaw from Cobwebs.
Cobwebs put on a cut lately gave a woman a lockjaw. Millions know that the best thing to put on a cut is Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the infallible healer of Wounds, Ulcers, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Burns, Scalds and Piles. It cures or no pay. Only 25c at Middleburg Drug Co., Graybill, Garman & Co., Richfield, Pa., Dr. J. W. Sampsell, Penuccreek, Pa.

He Proved His Case.
Mrs. Crimmonbeak—Her complexion was like an Italian sunset.
Mr. Crimmonbeak—You never saw an Italian sunset.
"Well, I've seen one like her complexion—painted."—Yonkers Statesman.

What He May Have Meant.
Miss Smith—The doctor told mother that I'll never see 40. Do you think he means that I have a fatal malady?
Miss Judson—Not at all; he means that you'll never get through being 39.—Judge.

No Profit in It.
"What are you kicking about? She returned all your presents, didn't she?"
"Yes, but the expressage amounted to more than the presents were worth!"—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Putting the Seal On.
"He gave me a message to deliver to brother George," she explained, demurely.
"Was it necessary to kiss you in order to do that?" demanded her mother.
"Yes," she answered; "it was a sealed message."—Chicago Post.

THEY NEVER HAD A CHANCE.

Probably nine out of ten men past middle life, if asked how it happens that they are today only barely earning their living, would tell you they "never had a chance," that they were kept back, that circumstances were against them; that they had no opportunities such as other boys around them had, or that they did not have the proper schooling or else plead some other excuse.

The probabilities are that opportunity did visit everyone of these men more than once in their youth or early manhood, but they did not see that all good chances consist in doing everything which they undertook cheerfully, promptly and just as well as it could be done.

As boys they did not look on every errand as a chance to be polite, prompt energetic; on every lesson in school as a foundation stone in their success structure. They did not think that the demoralizing hours of indolence and shiftlessness which they were weaving into the web of their lives would mar the fabric forever, and reproach them through all time. They did not realize that the impudent reply to their employer, the carelessness and indifference which they slipped into their tasks would come out as ghosts, in the future, to mar their happiness and success.

They looked upon every duty shirked, the minutes they cut off from each end of a day as so much gain. They did not realize that these things which seemed so innocent, would grow into giant defects which would mar their future success.

They did not think their slipshod methods, their careless attire, their aggressive manners, would lie as great bars across the track of their future success, and keep them back from the goal of their ambitions. They did not think that all these things were the real causes of their being fixtures at salaries of ten or fifteen dollars a week. They did not think these seeming trifles in youth would doom them to be perpetual janitors, clerks or farm hands, and it would be almost impossible in maturity to outgrow the defects of their youth.

POWDERLY TURNED DOWN

President Offers His Place to Frank P. Sargent.
Washington, March 17.—President Roosevelt has decided not to reappoint T. V. Powderly commissioner general of immigration, because of the fact that he did not work in harmony with the secretary of the treasury, and also because of the repeated investigations which have had to be made by the treasury department since he assumed office.

Frank P. Sargent, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, has been tendered the place, and while it is believed he will accept, the president has not yet heard from him. It is the intention of the president to make a general shake-up in the office of the commissioner of immigration at New York, and Commissioner Fitchie and Deputy Commissioner McSweeney are to be relieved. The president is determined that the repeated complaints to the department about this bureau shall cease, and he believes that Mr. Sargent, because of his executive ability, is the person to make the necessary reforms and thoroughly reorganize the service.

Mr. Sargent was also offered the commissionership at New York, and it is understood he can accept either the commissioner generalship or that of commissioner at New York, which ever he prefers.

Can't Keep It Secret

The splendid work of Dr. King's New Life Pills is coming to light. No such grand remedy for Liver and Bowel troubles was ever known before. Thousands bless them for curing Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Jaundice and Indigestion. Try them, 25c at Middleburg Drug Co., Graybill, Garman & Co., Richfield, Pa., Dr. J. W. Sampsell, Penuccreek, Pa.

And She Saw Him No More.
Mabel (anxiously)—Have you seen George this evening? He promised to call.
Father—He did call. I entertained him for an hour before you came downstairs.
Mabel—You entertained him, papa?
Father—Yes. I gave him a list of all the new dresses and gawgaws you had last year and the coat of each. I never saw a young man more interested, yet he left very hurriedly.—Tit-Bits.

Hunter's Arm Blown Off.
Elkton, Md., March 17.—While gunning for wild ducks on the Chester river on Saturday, Midford Capels, 17 years old, was perhaps fatally wounded by the accidental discharge of his gun. His right arm was blown off, and owing to the loss of blood it is feared that he cannot recover.

Horses Take Place of Beef.
Allegan, Mich., March 18.—A carload of horses is on the way to New York for shipment to South Africa for use in the British army. Horses physically sound, but too old to be serviceable, were purchased for food to take the place of beef, which is scarce in the land of the Boers.

Good Road Bill in Congress.
Washington, March 18.—Representative Otey, of Virginia, yesterday introduced a bill appropriating \$100,000,000 as a "good road fund" to improve the highways of the country.

Sick, Headache?
Food doesn't digest well? Appetite poor? Bowels constipated? Tongue coated? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills; they cure dyspepsia, biliousness. 25c. All druggists.

Want your mustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use THE BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the Whiskers. 50 CENTS. OF DRUGGISTS, OR P. H. HALL & CO., NEWARK, N. J.

Easily Identified.
Two Kentucky congressmen who had imbibed rather freely of their native beverage were making considerable noise on board a train, and the conductor finally called upon them to be quiet.
"Sir," said one of the local statesmen, "I want you to know that we are members of the state legislature."
"Oh, I don't doubt it," replied the ticket puncher. "You have all the symptoms."—Chicago Daily News.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Wednesday, March 12.
The glass works of Gill & Co., of Philadelphia, was totally destroyed by fire last night. The loss is \$80,000.
J. K. Oliver, a well-known business man of Roanoke, Va., committed suicide in a New York lodging house.
Margaret D. Stark, aged 76, was killed by a fall from a second-story window of her home in Philadelphia.
City council of Toronto, Ont., passed a resolution barring American contractors from bidding for municipal work.
It was announced at the White House yesterday that President Roosevelt would not visit the Charleston Exposition until the second week in April.

Thursday, March 13.
Southern lime manufacturers will petition congress to remove the tariff on lime to Cuba.
Joshua Wilbour, United States consul at Dublin, Ireland, died at Rutherford, N. J., yesterday.
The senate of the New Jersey legislature yesterday passed a bill permitting the use of voting machines in the state.
Frost leaving the ground caused a four-story brick building in Chicago to collapse. The structure was valued at \$50,000.
Fire caused by an exploding lamp destroyed the home of Marie Rankson, Ishpeming, Mich., burned to death her daughter and badly burned her three sons.

Friday, March 14.
William J. Bryan visited the national house of representatives yesterday.
Mrs. Collis P. Huntington has given Harvard College \$250,000 to complete the endowment of the medical school.
According to the United States census report the cotton crop of this country in 1899 was valued at \$369,758,171.
Railroad lines east and west of Chicago are likely to become involved in a rate war over the summer tourist business.

Saturday, March 15.
J. P. Morgan & Co. deny that they are negotiating a loan of \$12,500,000 for the Chilean government.
Dispatches state that 40 lives were lost in the recent tornado and storms that swept over Louisiana.
Champion Bicyclist John Lawson, the "Terrible Swede," died in Milwaukee, last night of pneumonia.
Fire destroyed the barn of the St. Louis Transit company, together with 70 cars, causing a loss of \$125,000.
By her clothing catching fire from a stove, 15-year-old Stella Jarvis, of Camden, N. J., was frightfully burned.

Monday, March 17.
Dr. William Warren, professor of music at Columbia University, New York, died yesterday.
Senor Concha, the new minister from Colombia to the United States, presented his credentials to the president today.
Dr. Von Holleben, German ambassador, gave a theatre party Saturday night, having for his guests President and Mrs. Roosevelt.
Beginning April 1, rural free delivery will be instituted in Ewing township, N. J. The route is 24 miles long and will serve 200 farmers.
After living three weeks with a broken back, William Ramsey, of Williamsport, died Saturday. He was injured by falling through a railroad bridge.

Tuesday, March 18.
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Cattle market active and generally 10 to 25c higher; choice to best steers, \$6.35 to \$6.50; good butchers, \$5.50 to \$6.75; fine fat heifers, \$5.75 to \$6; fine fat cows, \$4.75 to \$5.10; fat bulls, \$4.60 to \$5; veals, \$5.50 to \$7.75. Hogs active and 5c higher; best heavy, \$6.55 to \$6.80; mixed, \$5.55 to \$5.85; good pigs, \$6.10 to \$6.15; roughs, \$5.75 to \$6; stags, \$4.45 to \$5.50. Sheep strong; mixed tops, \$5.40 to \$5.60; culls to good, \$4.65 to \$5; wethers, \$5.65 to \$5.90; yearlings, \$5.35 to \$6.25. Lambs generally 10c lower; tops, \$6 to \$6.55; culls to good, \$4.75 to \$5.50.
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GENERAL MARKETS.
Philadelphia, Pa., March 17.—Flour firm; winter superfine, \$2.65 to \$2.90; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3.25 to \$3.50; city mills, extra, \$2.90 to \$3.15. Rye flour steady, at \$3.25 to \$3.35 per bbl. Wheat steady; No. 2 Pennsylvania, red, 85c; Corn steady; No. 2 yellow, local, 67 to 68c. Oats quiet; No. 2 white, clipped, 51c; lower grades, 49c. Hay steady; No. 1 timothy sold at \$15.50 to \$16 for large bales. Beef steady; beef hams, 19.50 to 20.50. Pork firm; family, \$19 to 19.50. Live poultry, at 13 to 13 1/2c for hens, 8 1/2c for old roosters. Dressed poultry sold at 12c for choice fowls, and at 8c for old roosters. Butter steady; creamery, 30c. Eggs steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 16c per dozen. Potatoes were dull; eastern, 85 to 88c per bushel.

Live Stock Markets.
East Buffalo, N. Y., March 17.—Cattle market active and generally 10 to 25c higher; choice to best steers, \$6.35 to \$6.50; good butchers, \$5.50 to \$6.75; fine fat heifers, \$5.75 to \$6; fine fat cows, \$4.75 to \$5.10; fat bulls, \$4.60 to \$5; veals, \$5.50 to \$7.75. Hogs active and 5c higher; best heavy, \$6.55 to \$6.80; mixed, \$5.55 to \$5.85; good pigs, \$6.10 to \$6.15; roughs, \$5.75 to \$6; stags, \$4.45 to \$5.50. Sheep strong; mixed tops, \$5.40 to \$5.60; culls to good, \$4.65 to \$5; wethers, \$5.65 to \$5.90; yearlings, \$5.35 to \$6.25. Lambs generally 10c lower; tops, \$6 to \$6.55; culls to good, \$4.75 to \$5.50.
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SALES REGISTER

Notice of sales will be inserted free of charge in this register when the bills are presented in advance. When the bills are not presented in advance the cost will be charged. Persons wishing to have bills inserted should send a check and it inserted in this column.
THURSDAY, MARCH 13, in Adams County, Western Pennsylvania, administrator of the estate of John H. Hochberg, will sell 110 acres of land and household goods.
THURSDAY, MARCH 13, at Daniel's chance West Ferry town, Joe Robinson bought with a horse, 7 head cattle and farming implements.
SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1/2 mile west of Levi Hamer will sell 3 horses, 2 cows and farming implements.
TUESDAY, MARCH 19, near Kents, H. N. H. Swartz, executor, will sell 100 acres of land and farming implements.
TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1/2 mile west of Levi Hamer will sell 1 horse, 2 cows and farming implements and household goods.
SATURDAY, MARCH 19, one-half mile west of Alton, John T. Shetterly will sell 2 cows and farming implements.

MIDDLEBURGH MARKET

Butter.....	22	Wheat.....	12
Eggs.....	12	Kye.....	75
Onions.....	75	Corn.....	12
Lard.....	12	Oats.....	45
Tallow.....	3 1/2	Potatoes.....	10
Chickens.....	7	Bran per 100.....	10
Side.....	8	Middlings.....	10
Shoulder.....	10	Chop.....	10
Ham.....	14	Flour per bbl.....	10

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the late of George Campbell, late of Union county, Pa., dec'd, have been granted, in due form of law to the undersigned, who is indebted to said estate should make immediate payment and those having claims against it should present them duly authenticated to the undersigned.
D. W. CAMPBELL, Executor.
Walsonton, Pa., March 14, 1902.

LIFE SUBSCRIPTION TO THE POST

For the purpose of discovering who has been a subscriber of the Post the longest continuous period of the publisher offers as a premium a subscription to all present subscribers. To compete for this life subscription subscriber must show how long he has taken and paid for the Post and subscriber who can show the longest period for which the Post was taken and paid for by him will be given a paper entitling him to receive the free as long as he lives.

Among the subscribers of a live, aggressive and aggressive newspaper the Post are the best citizens of county and those who have shown unyielding loyalty to a newspaper for the best portion of their days entitled to some valuable consideration. And with a view to completing this portion of our friends we now offer the above premium.

A subscriber who wants to obtain for this prize must send in his claim the quicker the better. The names claims will be published from the time so that every one can see who is going on in the contest. As soon as seems established that we have covered the winner of the prize contest will close.

Send in your name at once and the time you have received and for the Post.
John W. Renninger has presented receipt signed by Jere Crouse, Apr. 8, 1878 for Post from Sept. 7, to Sept. 7, 1877. This gives Mr. Renninger a date from Sept. 7, 1877, says he received the Post for a long time, but up to this time has been unable to discover proofs of an older date. He will be entitled to an older date, above, upon presentation of proof of the same.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, Ohio, and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.
FRANK J. CHENEY
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886,
A. W. GLEASON
Notary Public

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the inflamed and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Proprietors, Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Stops the Cough and Works on the Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets a cold in a day. No cure, no pay. 25 cents.

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Reliable man for Manager Branch Office we wish to employ in this vicinity. Here is a good opportunity for the right man. Kindly good reference when writing.
The A. T. Morris Wholesale Cincinnati, Ohio.
Illustrated catalogue 4 cts. 3-18

Assignee's Notice.
In re assigned estate of Elizabeth A. Barner, doing business as John A. Barner, agent.
Notice is hereby given that Elizabeth A. Barner, doing business as John A. Barner, has made an assignment of her property and effects, for the benefit of her creditors to the undersigned.
That all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to immediately pay, and those having claims against it should present them duly authenticated to the undersigned.
E. A. GARMAN, Assignee.
JAY O. WEISER, Atty.