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The Keim-Brumbaugh Breach of Promise Case—Some Comments on The Trial and Impressions of the Same.

On Monday of last we were summoned to Huntingdon as a witness in the above named case, and in this issue of THE STAR we will give a more complete account of the trial and our impression of it than we had time for last week.

The case was an intensely interesting one to us, inasmuch, as the plaintiff, Miss Cora Keim, is one of Salisbury's most popular and prominent young women. On the other hand, the defendant, Prof. I. Harvey Brumbaugh, is very prominent in Huntingdon, owing to the fact that he is the acting president of Juniata College, an institution of learning located in that town. But it did not take us long to learn that the red-headed professor is far less popular than prominent in the town of Huntingdon. We interviewed many people while there, and in every instance we found much sympathy for Miss Keim and none whatever for the man who appears to have been trifling with her affections. We could feel in our bones that Miss Keim would win the suit, hence when the jury returned a verdict in her favor for \$9,250, it was no surprise to us.

The attorneys on both sides put up a stubborn and hotly contested fight, but it was plain to all spectators that Waite and Henderson, the attorneys for the plaintiff, had the best of it all through the game. They are men of ability and elicited the admiration of all, while the attorneys on the other side seemed to be a rather weak aggregation of the disciples of Blackstone. There were five of them on the Brumbaugh side, we believe, but only two of them were much in evidence.

The attorney who had the most to say for the defense was an ancient looking nondescript by the name of W. H. Woods, who is a wearisome old spouter and browbeater of witnesses. It struck us that any man looking for an attorney whose harrangue would sicken and disgust any jury, and at the same time sour milk in all the cellars within three miles of the court house, ought to employ old "Bill" Woods. He is an old relic of the "profess" that seems to have a chronic diarrhoea of words and a constipation of ideas. He has a habit of asking questions, and before the answer can be given, he will utter a sort of grunt that sounds like "hum" or "huh." His plea to the jury reminded us of an old-fashioned camp meeting sermon, and it was real "amoosin'" to hear him allude to "that there noble young man," and "that there fickle young woman," or words to that effect. Yes, it was "amoosin'," but it was also very tiresome.

Then there was the brilliant (?) Harvey M. Berkley, our own Harvey, a brilliant (?) legal light from "amongst the hills o' Somerset." We must compliment him, at least, for having sense enough to keep his face shut in the court room, but he made good use of it at the Liester House tables, where he could be seen at the dinner hour with both elbows braced on the table and his hands holding onto both ends of a mammoth roasting ear which he would rapidly convey to the place it would do the most good. Harvey is a shady sort of a lawyer and does all his fine work on the quiet, but it does not speak well for him and his faithful old sleuth, Virgil Saylor, who made frequent trips to Salisbury to secure skunk evidence that failed to materialize.

But aside from having a little fun with some of the attorneys, who always have theirs in the court room with other people, we will add that we could see very little ground for Mr. Brumbaugh's lawyers to do effective work on, no matter what the efforts put forth. The evidence in the defendant's favor sounded like evidence manufactured for the occasion, and it is evident that the jury so regarded it. The outcome of the case puts Prof. Brumbaugh and his father in a very unenviable position, and the college with which they are identified is bound to suffer in consequence.

It does us much good to know that the "Frosty Sons of Thunder" will protect their fair daughters, and accursed, thrice accursed be he who would do them a wrong.

"B. L. Byer, a well known cooper of this town, says he believes Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy saved his life last summer. He had been sick for months with what the doctors call bilious dysentery, and could get nothing to do him any good until he tried this remedy. It gave him immediate relief," says B. T. Little, merchant, Hancock, Md. For sale by E. H. Miller.

OUR NEXT CONGRESSMAN.

Cooper Nominated Through an Agreement with J. A. Berkey Who Withdrew in Nominee's Favor.

Allen Foster Cooper, of Uniontown, Pa., was on Tuesday nominated for Congress by the Republican conferees of the Twenty-third Congressional district of Pennsylvania, composed of Fayette Somerset and Greene counties, thereby breaking the deadlock which has so long existed in this district. The nomination was the result of an agreement reached this week at the Monongahela house between the conferees of Fayette and Somerset counties, as a result of which J. A. Berkey, Somerset's candidate for the nomination, withdrew from the race in favor of Mr. Cooper.

The result was reached on the first ballot taken yesterday. It was also the first ballot taken since the appointment of an additional conferee from each county by State Chairman M. S. Quay and the twenty-eighth ballot taken since the attempt to break the deadlock. S. A. Kendall was chairman of the meeting and Maj. Thomas S. Crago, of Waynesburg, and J. Q. Van Swearingen, of Uniontown, clerks. The Fayette conferees were called first and voted for their candidate, Mr. Cooper, and when Somerset was called the conferees of this county also voted for him. The Greene county conferees were taken by surprise, but Maj. Crago, however, immediately proposed to make the nomination unanimous, which was done, and the meeting was declared adjourned.

The feature of the nomination was the withdrawal of Mr. Berkey from the race, as he has all along been regarded as the strongest candidate, says the Pittsburg Times. The conferees of Fayette and Somerset both refused last night to discuss the withdrawal, simply stating that the agreement to nominate Mr. Cooper was made in the interest of the Republican party.

Allen Foster Cooper was born in Franklin township, Fayette county, about 40 years ago, being the son of Joel Cooper, a well known farmer. Mr. Cooper attended the public township schools and also taught in the same schools. Later he became principal of the Bellevernon (Pa.) public schools. He attended the law school of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, Mich., and graduated from that institution in 1888. Returning to Uniontown shortly after graduating he formed a partnership with J. Q. Van Swearingen, who was a class-mate of his at the law school, and this partnership still exists. Mr. Cooper has always been an active worker in the Republican party, but has never held any office, neither has he been a candidate. He deserves and will receive the loyal support of all true Republicans, and to Mr. Berkey belongs the credit of breaking the deadlock. In the interest of party harmony Mr. Berkey has magnanimously sacrificed his own worthy ambition, and this ought to, and we believe will, bring about his nomination and election two years hence.

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Crop Report for September.

Following is the crop report sent out by the United States Department of Agriculture for the month of September, compared with that for same period of last year:

| | 1902 | 1901 |
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| Corn, condition on September 1... | 84.3 | 51.7 |
| Wheat, condition when harvested... | 80.0 | 82.8 |
| Barley, condition when harvested... | 87.2 | 72.1 |
| Rye, condition when harvested... | 88.7 | 83.8 |
| Buckwheat, condition on Sept. 1... | 90.2 | 84.9 |
| Potatoes, condition on Sept. 1... | 86.4 | 90.9 |
| Potatoes, condition on Sept. 1... | 89.1 | 52.2 |

Fortune Favors a Texan.

"Having distressing pains in head, back and stomach, and being without appetite, I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes W. P. Whitehead, of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like a new man." Infallible in stomach and liver troubles. Only 25c. at Miller's drug store.

Both of the Meyersdale Editors Show Symptoms of Peruna Drinking.

In our issue of Sept. 4th we published an item concerning a proposed change of the Pittsburg division of the B. & O. railroad, and stated what effect the change would likely have upon Meyersdale if the course of the main line of the road should be shifted north and leave the ex-metropolis on a stub road. In making mention of the proposed change which has for some time been considered in railroad circles, we neither gloated over Meyersdale's threatened misfortune nor extended any sympathy, but merely mentioned the rumor, which, by the way, seems to be well founded, and which at least one very prominent Meyersdale business man told THE STAR is creating much uneasiness in that town. He informed us, in fact, that he believed the change would surely be made, and owing to the interview, we wrote the article which has thrown the Republican and the Commercial both into convulsions and caused them to make jackassical utterances.

News items concerning the same proposed railroad change have been appearing from time to time in the Pittsburg, Connelville and other newspapers, and in substance they are the same as the one we published on Sept. 4th. But the small caliber journalists of Meyersdale never get alarmed at anything they see in public print unless they see it in THE STAR. Then, if it doesn't suit them, they set up a great howl, because they have learned that what they see in THE STAR is generally true.

The Bishop hasn't been going off half cocked to any great extent, but in this instance we fear that the old serpent Lucifer beguiled him and that he also did drink of the stuff called Peruna. One of them sees premature sympathy in our article, while the other sees the opposite quality. Peruna, like whisky, acts differently on different individuals. One man will drink it and get crazy, while the other will simply become a d. f. In this instance, with both men, it seems to have been a little of both. Poor fellows!

Doctors Could Not Help Her.

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Connor, of Shilton, Wash., and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure. E. H. Miller.

Self Righteousness.

The other day we heard several men in Meyersdale engaged in arguing on religion, and during the conversation one fellow who isn't even a good Sunday Christian said to another chap in the party who makes no profession of religion: "I am better than you are because you never attend church." At the same time, however, the professed Christian who made the aforesaid utterance, openly admitted that so far as common faults were concerned, such as swearing, drinking, etc., both were alike. In fact the church member claimed no better average in his daily walk and general deportment than the other fellow is entitled to, but he set up the claim that he was better than the sinner for the simple reason that he professed Christianity, even if he didn't practice it.

Of course everybody present laughed, for the reason that the Phariseeical gentleman referred to was seen in one of the saloons guzzling down "bug juice" the very evening before and the very next evening after partaking of the Holy Sacrament. No wonder the crowd laughed.

Now, we all know what the Bible says concerning those who go to the Lord's table and eat and drink unworthily, and some of us, at least, have read in Holy Writ of that other Pharisee who went to the temple to pray, and while there proclaimed himself better than the Publicans and sinners, at the same time thanking God that he was better than the non-professing class. But the Bible tells us that the poor Publican was better than the fellow who was filled with self-righteousness. It is dead easy to be a saloon Christian, but that class can't fool God. The true Christian has the respect of all men, but the spurious article is worse than the non-professor of religion, as can be proven by many passages of Scripture which the self-righteous have either never read or have no regard for.

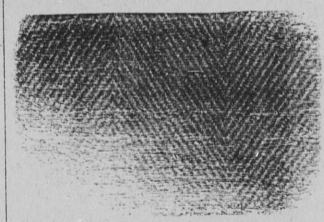
Feet Swollen to Immense Size.

"I had kidney trouble so bad that I could not work," says J. J. Cox, of Valley View, Ky., "my feet were swollen to immense size and I was confined to my bed and physicians were unable to give me any relief. My doctor finally prescribed Foley's Kidney Cure which made a well man of me." E. H. Miller

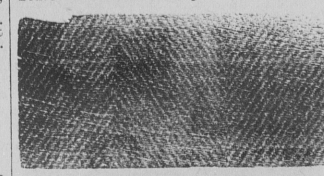
There is nothing meaner in this world than a woman who is a hater and persecutor of her own sex. In fact there is nothing else quite as mean. Let some pure and virtuous young woman be jilted by a shrewd, designing, but unprincipled young man, and you will always hear a lot of old ring snorters and street gadders upholding the man or at least denouncing the young woman, especially if she has brought her betrayer to justice. Some of these green, mean and goo-goo-eyed monsters have been much in evidence in this town since the Keim-Brumbaugh breach of promise suit resulted in a verdict for \$9,250 for Miss Keim.

A Well Edited but Poorly Printed Supplement.

On August 30th the Cumberland Evening Times issued an extensive industrial supplement which contains much valuable information concerning the states of Maryland and West Virginia. The supplement is well edited, but the print is simply horrible and shows all the earmarks of a blacksmith's printery. From its pages we reproduce the two following landscape cuts.



The above cut is a birdseye view of Frostburg, just as it appeared in the aforesaid Cumberland publication, and the cut below shows what a miniature view of Blackwater Canyon looks like in the same sheet. They are beauties, are the not? The Frostburg Mining Journal should reproduce them both and thereby give its readers a chance to admire the beauties of art and nature as portrayed by the Cumberland Times blacksmith shop.



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