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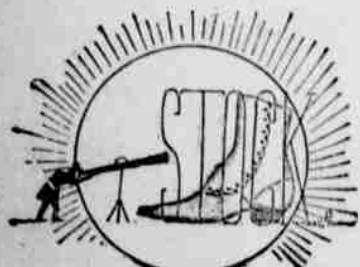
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through our stock of footwear? It merits your careful inspection. Feet were never called upon to punish themselves. Wearing bad shoes is wholly unnecessary. It's like going on a long pleasure trip

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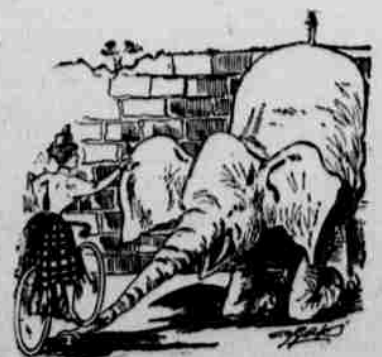
Looking at Good Furniture

is a pleasure to all who are interested in beautiful homes. That is why we cordially invite our friends to come and enjoy our offerings.

We will be pleased to have you buy, but will not press you to do so. We cannot promise, however, that the beauty, richness and quality of these pieces of furniture will not urge you to buy. They appeal strongly to all lovers of artistic furnishings.

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The ease with which the Columbus Bicycle mounts hills and surmounts obstacles of all kinds is one of its greatest recommendations.

It has also Beauty and strength and will score up the miles with less attention than any other wheel made.

There is no unnecessary friction. Each part is carefully made and adjusted to fit accurately. To sum up—it is a PERFECT WHEEL!

We give the Christy saddle and choice of three colors. Price \$40.00. Cash. ALEX. RISTON.

HEROES HONORED!

Memorial Day Observed in a Manner Unequaled.

The Decoration Ceremonies at Reynoldsville and Beechwoods Participated in by Thousands of People.

THE DAY AT REYNOLDSVILLE.

Sons of Veterans Took an Active Part at the Cemetery.

Memorial Day, with its sad memories, was observed with seemingly unusual interest in Reynoldsville. Old Glory fluttered in the breeze over Main street at several points, and most all the business houses, and many private residences, were adorned with flags and bunting. At an early hour the streets were thronged with people who came from all points, bedecked with patriotic emblems of various designs, and in whose hands were garlands of nature's blossoms with which to adorn the graves of our soldier dead. At the hour of 9.45 the procession, consisting of the Sabbath schools, the Keystone cornet band, the Patriotic Order Sons of America, the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, firing party, Sons of Veterans, Grand Army of the Republic, a concourse of citizens on foot and thirty carriages wended their way to Beulah, where the solemn and impressive ceremonies of the day were observed with more than its usual significance. It is a lamentable fact that many of those who yearly attend this "festival of the dead" are drawn there by idle curiosity and give little or no thought to the deep solemnity of the occasion. Monday there was a marked absence of mirthfulness and the entire throng which assembled in "God's acre" seemed imbued with a sense of reverence and a feeling of patriotism unknown on former Decoration Days.

The Sons of Veterans now take a prominent part in the exercises, which improves, in a marked degree, the impressiveness of the ceremonies at the cemetery. There now sleep in Beulah twenty-seven brave hearts who, when the stary emblem of liberty was assailed by traitor hands, donned the blue and marched with firm, unflinching step into the very jaws of death, where "the brother blindly shed the brother's blood, and father rashly slaughtered his own son." The mounds beneath which they now repose were garlanded with sweetest flowers, and as loving hands placed the beautiful tributes of honor on the hallowed spot where, "Secure from worldly chances and mishaps, where lurks no treason, no envy swells, no storms, no noise, but silence and eternal sleep." Tears, which brought no shame to the cheek, bedewed the floral offerings.

At 2.00 P. M. memorial services were held in Centennial hall. Capt. L. M. Truxal, of DuBois, was introduced and spoke feelingly and eloquently of the events which brought into prominence this Memorial Day. The Captain is a fluent speaker and the audience dwelt with rapt attention on each word as he so vividly portrayed the tragic scenes enacted from Sumpter to Appomattox. He paid a glowing tribute to the patriotic, devoted women who, during the dark ages of civil strife, so nobly and unselfishly gave husbands, sons and brothers to the cause of freedom and right, and who in a thousand ways rendered aid to the noblest cause ever espoused by war.

A prior engagement for the evening made it necessary that Capt. Truxal and his wife should be in DuBois, by which act the entertainment of the W. R. C. was deprived of his part in their excellent programme.

Decoration Day at Emerickville.

Decoration Day was fittingly observed by the patriotic people of Emerickville and vicinity. The line of march was formed at 9.30 A. M., as follows: West Reynoldsville martial band, Jr. O. U. A. M. Council of Deemer's Cross Roads, P. O. S. of A. and M. E. Sunday school of Emerickville. The procession marched to M. E. cemetery where appropriate decoration ceremonies were performed, which was followed with a short address by Rev. J. C. McEntire, of West Reynoldsville. Then the Emerickville, Mile Hill and Millireen cemeteries were visited and graves decorated. At two o'clock in the afternoon the people assembled in the P. O. S. of A. hall. Wm. Moore delivered the address of welcome. Rev. J. C. McEntire delivered the Memorial Day address. A large crowd turned out to do honor to the day. A box supper was held in the M. E. church in the evening.

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BIG DAY IN BEECHWOODS.

Large Crowd—Plenty of Music—Good Time.

Decoration Day in Beechwoods has come to be looked upon as a big day, and the people turn out en masse to do honor to the occasion. Some thirty odd years ago when the country called for soldiers to fight for home and country, brave and sturdy men of the Beechwoods dropped the plough and woodsman's axe and responded to the country's call. As a consequence the Beechwoods cemetery has noble sons sleeping beneath its sod, while others who wore the blue still live to help strew flowers over the graves of the thirteen comrades now resting in that "silent city." Two years ago the Washington Memorial Association was organized and since that time this day has been receiving even more attention than it had before. Monday was an ideal day for such a gathering and an unusually large crowd of people attended the Memorial services. It is estimated that nigh unto 2,000 people were present.

Before nine o'clock Monday morning conveyances began to drive into the grove at the Waite school house from all directions, and at ten o'clock the large crowd formed in line and marched to the cemetery as follows: Tannery band from Falls Creek, Coal Glenn Sunday school, Beechwoods Presbyterian Sunday school, M. E. and Baptist Sunday schools of Allens Mills, citizens, P. O. S. of A. of Allens Mills, old veterans, flower committee, Alpine cornet band of Allens Mills. At the cemetery Rev. Buzza, of Hazen, offered prayer and J. G. Allen delivered a short address, then the graves were covered with beautiful wreaths and bouquets of flowers. By that time the "inner man" needed attention and the crowd returned to the grove at the Waite school house where the choice and tempting edibles that had been carefully prepared by the good housewives and their faithful daughters, were more than sampled by the sterner sex.

After dinner the balance of the program was taken up at the platform in the grove. The Falls Creek band played a selection then the Beechwoods choir, led by W. C. Smith, who has been leader of the Presbyterian choir in Beechwoods about thirty years, made the welkin ring with a patriotic song. Judge Harry White, of Indiana, was then introduced as the prominent speaker of the day. Judge White might be an excellent speaker in a building, but he is not able to hold the attention of such a vast audience in the open air. He talked by "fits and jerks." Some times his voice was raised to a high pitch and then it was curbed so low that those away back could not hear him at all. Judge White kept the platform about one hour and a half. Then followed instrumental music and singing by a male quartett. Austin Blakeslee, of Coal Glen, delivered a short patriotic and enthusiastic address. Mr. Schaffner, of Falls Creek, sang a solo. The president of the Association told a war story about some good shooting he did, and then called for reminiscences from other old soldiers, but the comrades were not in a humor for story telling and the assembly was dismissed with the benediction by Rev. George H. Hill.

Members of the Memorial Association held a business meeting in the school house after the platform meeting was dismissed. The old officers, J. G. Allen president, Fred Harvey vice-president, M. H. Smith secretary, and John Stewart treasurer, were re-elected. Other important business of the Association was attended to, but as the scribe had a pressing invitation to take supper with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hunter, and eating time was near at hand, we did not tarry to get full particulars of the business meeting.

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Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. Alex. Stokoe.

A Valuable Publication.

On June 1 the Passenger Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will issue the 1898 edition of its Summer Excursion Route Book. This work is designed to provide the public with short descriptive notes of the principal Summer resorts of Eastern America, with the routes for reaching them, and the rates of fare. There are over four hundred resorts in the book to which rates are quoted, and over fifteen hundred different routes or combinations of routes. It is compiled with the utmost care, and altogether is the most complete and comprehensive handbook of Summer travel ever offered to the public.

It is bound in a handsome and striking cover, in colors, and contains several maps, presenting the exact routes over which tickets are sold. It is also profusely illustrated with fine half-tone cuts of scenery at the various resorts and along the lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

On and after June 1 it may be procured at any Pennsylvania Railroad ticket office at the nominal price of ten cents, or, upon application to the general office, Broad Street Station, by mail for twenty cents.

To Identify the Men.

When the men of the regular and volunteer armies go into action they will wear around their necks little tags of aluminum, by which they may be identified if found later on the field of battle. In the last war it was often impossible to properly identify the dead, and thousands were buried in graves marked "unidentified." The war department has prepared this system of identification, and it has been decided that on each tag shall be the numeral assigned each man on the muster rolls with the letter of his company, battery or troop, and his regiment.

Snaps.

Everything seems to get round in a sewing circle.

It is useless to be good unless you are good for something.

Very few people have weak eyes from looking on the bright side of things.

The cyclist who gets caught in a storm may have seen brighter days.

It ought to be some consolation to a widow to know that history repeats itself.

When a man becomes thoroughly contented he has outlived his usefulness.

The man who is dressed in a little brief authority is more conspicuous than a girl in bloomers.—Ex.

A Common Danger.

If you have ever had a cold which you permitted to "wear away" it may interest you to know that it was a dangerous proceeding. Every cold and cough which is neglected paves the way for consumption, bronchitis, asthma or catarrh. Otto's Cure, the famous German throat and lung remedy, will cure any cough or cold and save you from consumption. Call on H. Alex. Stokoe and get a sample bottle free. Large size 25c. and 50c.

Poisoned Eating Canned Fish.

Several of Mr. Larsen's family, of Adrian, ate canned fish last Sunday for dinner. It soon became apparent that some kind of poison had been in the can and all eating of the fish were affected. Mrs. Larsen suffered least; her daughter Lizzie and son Charles were quite sick but were soon out of danger, having eaten but little of the fish. But Mr. Larsen, being fond of the fish, ate heartily and was very sick, almost died, indeed, but is now out of danger. It was a close call but all serious illness is now happily averted.—Punxsutawney News.

Reading Sesqui-Centennial.

For the Reading, Pa., Sesqui-Centennial Jubilee, June 5 to 12, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from stations on its lines in the State of Pennsylvania to Reading and return at reduced rates. For specific rates and conditions apply to Ticket Agents.

This celebration promises to be one of the greatest events in the city's history. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 6, 8 and 9, will be special days. The celebration will close with a grand masked carnival on Saturday night, June 12.

G. A. R. Encampment, Oil City.

For the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Pennsylvania, to be held at Oil City, Pa., June 8 and 9, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from stations in Pennsylvania on June 4 to 8, to Oil City and return at rate of single fare for the round trip, good to return until June 11, inclusive.

Every bottle of Arnica & Oil Lintment sold is warranted by the proprietors to give satisfaction or money will be refunded. For sale by H. A. Stokoe.

ANIMALS UNDERGROUND.

Burrowing as It is Performed by Various Species of Mammals.

Ventilation, or rather the want of it, must be a difficulty in the underground life of almost all mammals. The rabbit and the rat secure a current of air by forming a hole in connection with their system of passages, but the fox, the badger and many of the field voles and mice seem indifferent to any such precaution. There is no doubt that whatever gave the first impulse to burrow, many animals look upon this, to us most unpleasant exertion, as a form of actual amusement. It also confers a right of property.

Prairie dogs constantly set to work to dig holes merely for the love of the thing. If they cannot have a suitable place to exercise their talent in, they will gnaw into boxes or chests of drawers, and there burrow, to the detriment of the clothes therein contained. In an enclosed prairie dog "town" they have been known to mine until the superincumbent earth collapsed and buried the greater number. A young prairie dog, let loose in a small, gravel floored house, instantly dug a hole large enough to sit in, turned round in it and bit the first person who attempted to touch him. Property gave him courage, for before he had been as meek as a mouse.

It is noticeable that the two weakest and least numerous of our mice, the domestic and the harvest mouse, do not burrow, but make nests, and that these do not multiply or maintain their numbers, like the burrowing mice and voles. But the fact that there are members of very closely allied species, some of which do burrow, while others do not, seems to indicate that the habit is an acquired one.

In this connection it is worth noting that many animals which do not burrow at other times form burrows in which to conceal and protect their young, or, if they do burrow, make a different kind of a more elaborate character. Among these nursery burrows are those of the dog, the fox and sand-martin, the kingfisher and the sheldrake. Foxhound litters never do so well as when the mother is allowed to make a burrow on the sunny side of a straw stack. In time she will work this five or six feet into the stack and keep the puppies at the far end, while she lies in the entrance. Vixens either dig or appropriate a clean burrow for their cubs, which is a natural habit, or, at any rate, one acquired previously to the use of earth by adult foxes.—London Spectator.

MYSTIFYING A CONDUCTOR.

The Determined Woman Wanted Him to Find Her Nephew.

She had a look of determination in her face as she stood on the corner of Main and Court streets in A. urn and signaled for an electric car.

The car stopped and the woman advanced to the steps.

"Where do you go?" said she.

"Figure 8," said the conductor.

"Eh?"

"Figure 8."

"Ate what?" said she. "Who said anything about eating? Do you goin past my nephew James Strout's house?"

"Dunno," said the conductor. "All aboard."

"You hol' on, young man," said the woman. "Don't you get excited. Don't you know Jim Strout? He lives on Rural avenue, and he's expectin me today."

"We go College street," said the conductor.

In the meantime the motorman was stamping on the gong and passengers were getting interested.

"All aboard," was the courteous suggestion of the conductor. "If you are going with me, madam, get aboard. We don't keep a directory and we don't sell stamps, and I am not acquainted with James Strout of Rural avenue, but if you want to ride around the figure 8, all aboard."

"Well, I never!" said the woman. "Well, young man, there's one thing you kin do. You can hold your horses till I git my gripsack."

And they did, and the conductor helped her aboard with it, and on College street, near Skinner, she saw a family in a team, and she gave a yell that shut off the electricity quicker than a cat catches a rat.

It was her nephew.

Such are the tender ministrations of fate that watch over resolute women.—Lewiston Journal.

The Coin Came Back.

"I have once or twice read how small the world was," said a young fellow, "and once or twice I have seen stories of the same kind I am going to tell. I confess I never believed them, but now I know better. Last summer, when in New York on my annual visit, I was struck with a sudden whim and scratched my initials on a 25 cent piece, cutting into the silver deep enough to make a lasting impression. I paid for a cigar in the Hoffman House with the coin and gazed myself with being foolish. I had forgotten all about the quarter when I entered a Carrollton car and gave a half dollar to the conductor. Imagine my surprise when he handed me in change the 25 cent piece I spent in the Hoffman House! I think I will keep the coin now and over more as a curiosity," and the speaker pulled the coin from his pocket and showed the inscription of his story.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.