A SPASM OF CHARITY

IT OPENED THE HEARTS AND PURSES OF THE JERICHOIANS.

Pap Perkins, Postmaster, Tells How the Contribution For the Needy Widow Was Started and How It Was Abruptly Closed by a Report From Lish Billings.

i, by C. B. Lewis,] The Widder Jackson, relict of Tom Jackson, had been one of us in Jericho for 15 years. She managed somehow to take care of herself until a long, lingerin sickness came, and even then she suffered for care rather than let anybody know of her situation. It leaked out, however, and Jabez Thomas was one of the first to hear of it. He dropped into the postoffice one evenin and told about it and then said to the crowd:

"Feller Citizens-If Jericho has a pertickler strong p'int, it is charity. No man, woman or child ever yit called upon her in vain. It has bin our pride and our boast that we was a community with a heart to feel for the sorrers of others. Up there on the hill, as I



"GENTLEMEN." SAID THE DEACON

hev bin told within the last two hours. lies a poor old sufferin woman, the widder of Tom Jackson. She needs food. fuel and medicine and has needed 'em for days, but now that we hev come to know it the heart of Jericho will give a mighty responsive throb and hasten to relieve her case."

There was a good deal of surprise over the statement, and everybody had said how sorry he was when Deacon Spooner rapped for order and said:

"Jericholans, when Jabez Thomas talks about the charity of this community he makes a strong p'int-a mighty strong p'int. We all knew Tom Jackson for an honest, hardworkin man, and his widder shall not appeal to us in vain. 1 for one shall esteem it a privilege to contribute to her benefit. Let us hear from Enos Williams."

Enos rose up and said that he used to go fishin with Tom Jackson and that had he known of his widder bein hard up he would hev divided his last turnip with her. She was a good woman and a woman respected by all, and too much could not be done for her. As soon as reachin home he would send his wife over to see what could be done, and of course his wallet was wide open for contributions. Hezekiah Davison wanted to say a few words also. He begun to talk about the discovery of America and the pligrim fathers, but Deacon Spooner choked him off and got him down to the outbreak of the civil war. He'd hev hung on there if he hadn't bin jogged ag'in. and it was a quarter of an hour before he

be depended upon to do as much as any other heart in Juricho. The paper went round, and men put down their names from 15 to 50 cents. Each one had an explanation to make. He was only throwin out a feeler, but could be depended upon for \$100 if there was need of it. The sum of \$1.80 had bin raised and there was a general feelin all through the crowd that Jericho was doin herself proud when Lish Billings came saunterin in. Deacon Spooner at

once explained the case to him and added: "Lish, you are known to be a big hearted man, and we all know you will be glad to contribute to sich a worthy cause. Give us your name."

"I see," said Lish as he took the paper, "that you hey raised \$1.80 for a sick and distressed widder who has lived among us for 15 years." "We hey.

"And it's all goin to be hers?" "Every cent of it."

"And you want me to make it up to \$2 and do old Jericho proud?" "That's It, Lish."

"Waal, you'll hey to excuse me. The widder don't happen to need the contributions of our throbbin and sympathetic hearts. She died about an hour ago, and her sister is comin down from Albany to bury her!" M. QUAD.

PAID FOR THE PICTURES.

Where the Money Came From That Settled the Bill.

"For diplomatic kindness I will never forget one man," remarked a well known sportsman of Pittsburg. "He certainly knew how to do the right thing, and although it didn't cost him anything it helped a crowd of us out of an embarrassing predicament for the time. A party of young fellows, myself in the number, were camping years ago on the Beaver river, not far from Rock point. None of us had much money after getting our outfit and the farmers got about all that was left in exchange for milk and butter. One day three of us decided to go up to the picnic grounds, and, just as luck would have it, we met a crowd of girls from our own town. It was a happy meeting all around until some fool girl suggested that we all get our pictures taken. To save our lives, the three of us boys couldn't have raised a total of 16 cents, but like true soldiers of fortune we decided to go ahead and trust to luck to meet the obligation.

"The artist eyed us rather queerly and our hearts began to fall. After a whispered consultation I was delegated to take him aside and negotiate with him. I was authorized to stake everything we had, even down to our good names. I stated the case briefly but eloquently, and I must have made a good impression, for, when I had finished, he said it would be all right. The strangest part of it all to me was when he handed me a dollar bill.

"'I know how it is myself,' he said. You want to put up a bluff before these girls. Just hand me the dollar for the pictures when I'm through."

"That was what pleased me, and 1 flashed that bill before the girls with the air of a magnate. It was just a month later that I learned from a brother of one of the girls that they had noticed our worried looks and had forestalled us by paying the pho-tographer the dollar I flourished sc proudly."-Pittsburg News.

Too Hurried.

A "tenderfoot" who was trying his luck on a western ranch was at first horrified by the table etiquette which prevailed among his associates.

One day his feelings evidently came so near the surface that a cowboy whose performances with a table knife of unusual size had aroused the ten-

ORDINANCES

Enacted by Town Council of the Borough of Reynoldsville.

Ordinance No. 7L AN ORDINANCE relating to Hawking and

Peddling. Section I. Be it ordained by the Burges and Town Council of the borough of Reynoldsville, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same. That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to appear within the limits of the borough of Reynoldsville as a peddler or a hawker for the purpose of selling, vending, ped-dling, hawking or exposing for sale anything whatsoever, without first having procured a license from the Chief Burgess and paying therefore a som not less than one nor more han fifty dollars per day for such licens Section 2. Any person or persons neglect ing to procure and pay for said license, as provided in Section 1 of this ordinance, shall be liable to a fine of not less than five no more than fifty dollars, for the use of the borough, to be recovered by due process of law as is provided in such cases. Section 3. That all ordinances or parts of

rdinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed. Ordained and enacted into a law in council

this 4th day of March, A. D. 1901. H. C. DEIRLE,

President of Council. L. J. MCENTINE, Clerk of Council. Approved this 5th day of March, A. D. 1901 C. MITCHRLL, Chief Burgess

No. 72.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the opening of the extension of Willow alley from the eastern line of Eighth street, through lands of Mrs. Geo. Rhodes and A. M. Applegate, to the western line of Ninth street, and the assessment of damages caused thereby and by the grade thereof, according to the accompany ing plan.

WHEREAS. The Town Council of the bor ough of Reynoldsville deem it necessary to open the extension of Willow alley, from the astern line of Eighth street to the western line of Ninth street, on lines with said alley s now opened; therefore, Section I. Be it ordained by the Burges

and Town Council of the borough of Reyn oldsville and it is hereby ordained by authority of the same: That the street committee be and is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be surveyed and opened for public use and benefit, the extension of Willow alley from the eastern line of eighth street to the western line of Ninth street, on lines with said ailey as already opened up and laid out, across the lands of Mrs. Geo. Rhodes and A. M. Applegate, and others if need be, at a width of fourteen feet, in accordance with the accom panying plan. Section 2. The damages caused thereby

and the grade thereof and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in ac cordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same. Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordi-

nances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in council this 4th day of March, A. D. 1901. H. C. DEIBLE.

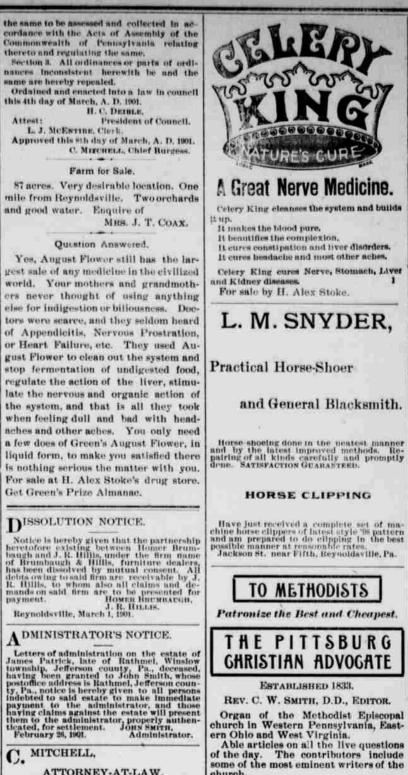
President of Council. Attest: L. J. MCENTINE, Clerk.

Approved this 8th day of March, A. D. 1901. C. MITCHELL, Chief Burgess.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the opening of Reynoldsville, over the lands of Thomas **Reynolds** and Margaret Gorsline, and Isaa

WHEREAS. The Town Council of the bor-

and Town Council of the borough of Reyn-oldsville, and it is hereby ordained by authority of the same: That the street commit-tee be and is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be surveyed and opened for public use and benefit, an alley from a point on Main street at or near the castern line of lands owned by Isaac London, on the south side of said Main street, thence running in a south erly direction along the line and over lands of Isaac London and Thomas Reynolds and Margaret Gorsline to Jackson street, at a width of sixteen feet according to the accom panying plan. Section 2. The damages caused thereby and the grade thereof and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in ac cordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same. Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed. Ordained and enacted into a law in council this 4th day of March, A. D. 1991.



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G. M. MCDONALD,

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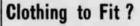
of what shall be known as London alley from Main street to Jackson street, in the borough

ough of Reynoldsville deem it necessary to open and lay out for public use an alley from a point on Main street beginning at or near the eastern line of lands of Isaac London thence in a southerly direction over the lands of Isaac London and Thomas Reynolds and Margaret Gorsline to the northern line of Jackson street. Said alley to be opened six-

teen feet in width; therefore, Section 1. Be it ordained by the Burges

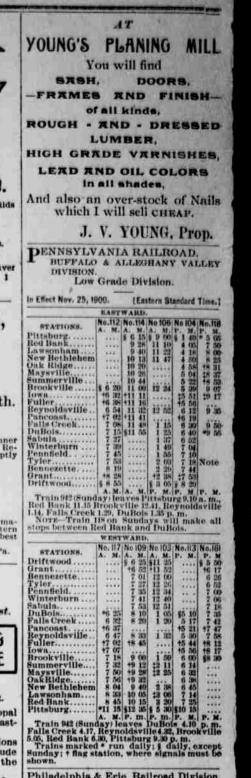
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> J. A. MOORE, Christian Advocate,



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4:38 a. m.-Train 9. daily for Buffalo, via Emporium, and weekdays, for Eric, Ridgway, DuBois, Clermont and principal Intermediate stations.
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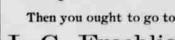
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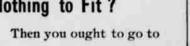
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got around to say that he was awful sorry for the Widder Jackson and wanted to be one of the first to prove his big heartedness. Four or five others had their say, and then Henry Schemerhorn held up a paper and said:

"As I take it, we are all of us ready and willin to make up a little purse for the sufferin widder?" "We are!" called everybody at once.

"Then there's nuthin to prevent. Bein as Jebez Thomas was first to make known the case, he should hev the honor of bein the first to put his name down on this paper." Jabez hung back. He said he was

only a humble citizen and didn't want to put himself forward over others. While his heart throbbed and bled and hobbed around, he'd give way to Deacon Spooner and come in second.

"Gentlemen." said the deacon as he looked around in a lonesome way, "I hey bin a resident of Jericho less than 20 years, and 1 don't want to assume the privilege of an old pioneer. It's an honor to head that paper, but I dasn't claim it when so many better and older citizens are before me. 1 don't want to hurt nobody's feelin's by boostin one man over another, but it do seem to me, under all the circumstances, that Squar Joslyn is the man to write his name first of anybody in Jericho."

The squar was red in the face as h rose up, and he didn't look a bit pleased as he said:

"While I may be the oldest resident of Jericho, nobody has ever heard me brag of it or thrust myself forward on that account. In signin papers of this bort I hey allus bin satisfied to come in fixth or seventh, and it shall be so in this case. My heart is open, and my wallet is open, but I'd suggest that loses Perkins head the list. I understand that he and the lamented Thomas Jackson used to ship butter and eggs on shares, and it seems appropriate that he should hev this great hon-

Moses got up and began to talk of orge Washington and Bunker Hill, but Deacon Spooner rapped him down and held him to the case in hand. Then he tried to say somethin about the porious Fourth; but, bein choked off ng'in, he took the paper and put his name down fur 15 cents. He explained, however, that that was only a start er and that his sympathetic heart could

derfoot's amazement, paused with another knifeful of food half way to his

"What's the matter?" inquired the cowboy with disconcerting promptness, ir the tone of one who means to be answered.

"Ah-er-nothing," hastily responded the tenderfoot.

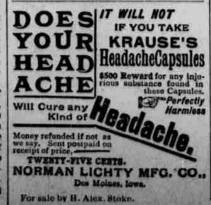
"Look here." cried the cowboy, with an accompanying thump of his unoccupied hand on the table, "I want you to understand that I've got manners, but I haven't time to use 'emthat's all!"-Youth's Companion.

Something For Nothing.

Some time ago there appeared in several Paris papers an advertisement of an obscure fruit dealer, in which he offered to give a prize of 5 francs for the largest apple sent to him. Then fish caught at the bait with marvelous rapidity, and in less than a fortnight the advertiser had received enough fruit to stock his store for the season. Naturally he was glad to pay 5 francs for the largest of the lot, and just as naturally he kept all the unsuccessful specimens for sale from his shop. Besides, the advertising resulted in a large increase in his business.

A Barsh Fate.

"Yis, poor chap," said Michael, "be had a hard tolme av it. He ought to be glad he's dead. He niver had none av the blessings av the rich. The only toime he iver rode in a carriage in his olfe was phwin he wint to his funeral."-Chicago Times-Herald.



H. C. DEIBLE President of Council. Attest: L. J. MCENTIRE, Clerk.

Approved this 8th day of March, A. D. 1901. C. MITCHILL, Chief Burges

No. 74.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the openin-ing of the extension of Gordon alley from the eastern line of Eleventh (formerly Taylor) street, over and through lands of I. H. London, Wm. Bolt, John Pomroy, John Trudgen, William Wiley, William Northy and Davis McCracken, to the western line of London alley, and the assessment of damages caused thereby and by the grade thereof, according

thereby and by the grade thereof, according to the accompanying plan. WHEREAS, The town council of the bor-ough of Reynoldsville deem it neces-sary to open the extension of Gordon alley, from the eastern line of Elev-enth (formerly Taylor) street, over and through the lands of I. H. London, Wm. Bolt, John Pomroy, John Trudgeon, William Wiley, William Northy and Davis McCracken, to the western line of London alley, to the same width Gordon alley is opened to the western width Gordon alley is opened to the western line of said Eleventh (formerly Taylor) street and on parallel lines with said Main and Jackson streets as now opened! therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the borough of Reyn-oldsville and it is hereby ordained by authority of the same: That the street committee be and is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be opened and surveyed for public use and benefit, the extension of Gordon alley from the castern line of Eleventh (formerly from the castern line of Eleventh (formerly Taylor) as now opened, thence to the Western line of London alley, over and across lands of I. A. London, Wm. Bolt, John Pomroy, John Trudgen, William Wiley, William Northy and Davis McCracken, and others if need be, at the same width said alley is now opened, in accordance with ac-companying plan. Section 3. The damages caused thereby

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