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All is Fair in Love and War.

Certainly Gresham was very much in love. There could be no doubt about that; his temper had become so uncertain, and he was so continually having his hair cut, which latter fact alone would have carried conviction to my mind—to me, Mostyn, who had known him from a boy, to me, his particular friend and ally. At first sight there seemed nothing to account for the irritability of his temper, or anything likely to prevent the course of his true love from running as smooth, and probably as dull, as ditch-water. Gresham was tall and good-looking, and what was more to the point in these days, had a good property and five thousand a year. The young lady, too, on whom he had conferred his affections, although discreet, as a young lady should be, certainly did not seem to regard him with aversion. To the outward and superficial eye Gresham's affairs seemed flourishing enough. But looking deeper there was a worm in the bud of Gresham's young affections.

Sir Thomas Merival, the parent of the young lady, was that worm, and a worm that showed unfortunately no likelihood of turning. Sir Thomas was gouty and splenetic, and a shrew, and would "see no company." There was not a house in the county where Lady Merivale and her daughters had not been staying, but not a soul would Sir Thomas allow his open-hearted hospitable Irish wife to ask into the house in return, the result being that the following winter the two pretty Miss Merivales visited but little, and the winter after that still less, to the increasing desperation of Gresham and myself, who had gone from ball to ball in the hope of meeting them. It was a crying shame, Gresham said to me, as we drove moodily home discussing the ball of the night before, where we had counted on meeting them, but had not done so. Why, he had not seen her for a month or more, he growled, although he only lived five miles off, and how was he to make himself agreeable, he should like to know, if he never saw her, and how was he ever to get proposed, as he styled it, if he never met her? It was not to be borne.

"Why don't you write?" I suggested.

"But I have not got to that stage yet," rejoined Gresham. "She does not know me well enough. That is just the point, and how I am ever to get her to be the other point. Why, if I wrote now she might refuse me, and then break her heart, poor thing, when she came to know me, and to find out what a nice chap I was. No, I must make myself more agreeable first; and—hang it! I always come back to the same point—How is that to be done?"

"I might," he went on musingly, after a pause, "I might have a sudden kind of longing for taking sketches of Merivale House and the grounds about. Haven't they got an almsgate, or a something unlike anything else? Cold work rather though on a campstool at this time of year, eh? and I never could draw anything but Julius Caesar in a top-hat. Couldn't manage it that way. I'm afraid." He thought for a moment, and then went on: "I might follow them to the sea. I know they generally go to Scarborough, and I might hang about on the Spa, and go to the Aquarium, and see something of them that way. But then I should have to cockle out in a boat (one must do it at the seaside) at the risk of upsetting either my outer or inner man, and by George! I should meet the Beresford Greens there and those great girls, and I should never be able to keep clear of them. No; that won't do either."

"Well," he added with a long drawn sigh, stopping his horses, "here is your gate, old fellow, so ta-ta! Come up to Wolverton to-morrow, some time in the morning, and bring your gun, and we'll have a look round and see what we can get."

I watched him drive off in the direction of Wolvercote, which was about two miles distant from my paternal roof. Handsome Bob Gresham! What fast friends we had been since we had fought and quarrelled together at school, since we had rowed in the same boat at Cambridge, since he had come in for his father's estate of Wolverton, since I had taken up my abode in London as a clerk in the Civil Service. We saw comparatively little of each other now, but whenever I ran down home for a few weeks, a day seldom passed without either my going over to Wolvercote, or his driving over to "look me up." His growing attachment to Miss Merivale had given me much pleasure, and I had no fears for his ultimate success. I could not help laughing, as I turned toward the house, at his impatience of

not being able to advance his suit with all the speed he desired.

Of course I went over to Wolvercote next morning, and as was my custom repaired at once to the library, where Gresham was generally to be found. To my surprise the door was locked, and my turning of the handle was followed by a low wrathful muttering, and then a loud "Who's there?"

I explained.

The door remained locked. "What do you want?"

I was astonished. "You told me to come," I said.

"Well, then, you may as well go back at once. I'm awfully busy, and I can't do with you now."

"Nonsense!" I said, hammering at the door.

I heard a chair pushed back. The door was unlocked, opened a very little, and Gresham's head appeared in the aperture.

"I say old chap," he said gravely, "without joking, I do wish you'd go back now."

I looked at him astonished, for I saw he meant it. I suppose he perceived the amazement of my face, for he added, as he half red, half pushed me to the door of the conservatory. "Come over to breakfast to-morrow. Half-past 9. Mind you don't forget," and some sudden idea seeming to strike him, he burst out laughing. "I was not sure I could come next day. I did not know. He need not expect me till he saw me. In short, I was a little cross."

"Oh! nonsense! You can come fast enough if you like."

I was half way down the steps when he called excitedly after me, "Oh! and I say, when is your leave up?"

"My leave? Oh, about the middle of January, I suppose."

"Famous?"

He stood for a moment in the doorway, watching me depart, and then, after shouting "Half past 9 to-morrow morning. Don't forget, he burst into another loud laugh, and disappeared. "What had he been doing? What could it mean?"

The following morning among my letters was a small square one directed in a delicate feminine hand. It was an invitation from Lady Merivale to stay at Merivale House for a ball. I read the notice twice over before I could believe my eyes. To stay in the house and I living so near! I felt giddy. Was it possible Julia had asked Lady Merivale? But no, Julia never could. Did Lady Merivale think—but no, Lady Merivale never could have thought!

An old good-natured Lady Merivale has asked me to bring all the three girls," said my mother, looking up from a similar note. "How thoroughly nice of her."

I hardly heard the chorus from the three girls in question. I seized my hat, and rushed out of the house in the direction of Wolvercote. What would Gresham say to this?

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Young Folks' Department.

ORPHEUS.

My small Charlie said to me
That he had lots of riches.
"How much, old man?" I said; I said he,
"Two fatthings in my breeches;
A silver fourpence in my purse,
And one French bit of money."
Then added (speaking of his nurse),
"Twas given me by Nunny."

A lucky sixpence, father, too;
He paused, as though to measure
With those grave eyes what I should do,
On hearing of such treasure.

With those grave eyes he looked at me,
Ere he resumed his parley;
It was as plain as A, B, C,
(Or plainer, perhaps, to Charlie),
That weighty matters were our cue,
We meant to sit and try 'em;
"And Father," Charlie said, "are you
As rich a man as I am?"

And I replied—the white I drew
My arm around his shoulder—
"Charlie, I'm not so rich as you,
Because I'm ages older." M.

An Old Friend.

In the Hornellsville, N. Y., Times of July 27, we find a notice of the death of Philip Wardner, a carpenter. He is a man entirely unknown to most of our readers, yet to us a very dear friend, and we know that those who do not know him will pardon us for occupying their space in a brief notice of one around whom links many of the brightest hours of our childhood. Mrs. Emily Scott, now of Lincoln, Neb., his oldest daughter, was our first school teacher. She boarded in my father's family, and many a night have I gone to sleep with my head pillowed in her lap. To my youthful eyes she was an angel. The last time I saw her she had returned from the Utica Insane Asylum—thank God, cured—a perfect woman in physique and mind. She recalled the only cross word we had ever received from her. The circumstances were this: Near my father's house was what we called "the harvest apple tree." A rule of the house was that not an apple should be picked, but who ever of the large family of children got

up first in the morning should be entitled to all the apples on the ground. I had quite a store, and loving Mrs. Scott as I did, I gave her many of them. She preserved them and when a company of her friends called she treated them with the apples—elegant golden sweets—the richest we ever tasted. She had not quite enough and asked me for a few more to make out the list. It took every apple I had, but she did not know it, and I hesitated. She said, "If you loved me you would give them to me." It was the mildest of reproof but it brought the apples, and the pain that she would doubt my love sank deep into my heart. I know now that she did love me and does yet. Her brother Willie sat in the same seat with me five years at school. He had the hip ail, and walked on crutches. I used to call him "Pellig" from an old shoemaker that I knew, because his father's letters came addressed "P. Wardner." One day Willie said, as he leaned on one crutch, "I can't help my father's name commencing with P any more than I can make this leg well, but I don't like to be called Pellig. I was never guilty of it again. Willie is now a dentist in Omaha, Neb.

The death of this old man recalls many scenes of my childhood; many a sport at his house; many a romp with his children; and I want to express to the survivors my sympathy at their bereavement and tell them that though I have not seen a member of the family for years, the friendship of youth has grown with my growth.

"Girls, Help Father."

"My hands are so stiff I can hardly hold a pen," said farmer Wilbur, as he sat down to "figure out" some accounts that were getting behind.

"Can I help you, Father," said Lucy, lying down her bright crochet work. "I shall be glad to do so if you will explain what you want."

"Well, I shouldn't wonder if you can, Lucy," he said reflectively. "Pretty good at figures, are you?"

"I would be ashamed if I did not know something of them after going twice through the arithmetic," said Lucy.

"Well, I can show you a wonderful way. I have to do, it'll be a wonderful help if you can do it for me. I never was a master hand at accounts in my best days, and it does not grow any easier since I have put on spectacles."

Very patiently did the helpful daughter plod through the long line of figures, leaving the gay worsted to lie idle all the evening, though she was in such haste to finish her scarf. It was reward enough to see her tired father, who had been toiling all day for herself and the other dear ones, sitting so cozily in his chair, enjoying his weekly paper.

The clock struck nine before her task was over, but the hearty "thank you, daughter, a thousand times!" took away all sense of weariness that Lucy might have felt.

"It's rather looking up when a man can have a clerk," said the father. "It's not every farmer that can afford it."

"Not every farmer's daughter is capable of making one," said the mother, with a little pardonable maternal pride.

"Not every one that would be willing, if able," said Mr. Wilbur; which last was a sad truth. How many daughters might be of use to their fathers in this way and many other ways who never think of lightening a care or labor! It asked to perform some little service it is done at best with a reluctant step, and an unwilling air that robs it of all sunshine or claim to gratitude.

"Girls, help your father. Give him a cheerful home to rest in when evening comes and do not worry him life away by fretting because he cannot afford you all the luxuries you covet. Children exert as great an influence on their parents as parents do on their children."—Es.

Remember This.

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From Reno County.

CORRESPONDENCE TO THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS.

EDITOR SPIRIT:—What is Judge Thacher's position on the Transportation question? I am opposed to Gov. St. John because I believe he is owned or controlled by the railway monopolies. I judge so from his actions. Nothing unfair is desired when we demand the regulation by law of railway charges. Everything we buy and everything we sell is directly affected by railway charges. A Governor cannot make a law, but he can recommend one and use his influence in that direction, or he can defeat the will of the majority by veto. Kansas is preeminently an agricultural State—so is the entire West. The South and West will contain four-fifths of the next 50,000,000 inhabitants of this country. The enormous products of those sections depend mostly upon railway transportation to the seaboard, and an unjust tariff will rob the producers of untold millions. This arbitrary power possessed by railway managers, can only be restrained by law, and we look to statesmen to devise some plan that will be just to the public and to private persons who have money invested in the roads. To-day we have a stringent prohibitory liquor law, yet the railroads are allowed to ship the damnable stuff into the State in any quantity, and our Governor don't have a word to say about that, although he is a buster on issuing proclamations in regard to certain officers violating the law! Why did he not aim a blow at railway officials, who are constantly shipping liquors in thereby enabling violators to evade the law?

The stock interests of this country are rapidly increasing; large bodies of land are being bought and fenced for cattle. In 1881 there were in this county 7,527 sheep; in 1882, 25,258.

Crops are good; wheat the largest we ever raised. Much of the corn will be light because it was not cultivated. Oats heavy. There was an unusual amount of millet sown, and that sown early is heavy. Potatoes, a good crop. All kinds of garden "saws" in abundance. General health very good.

The political pot is nearly ready to boil. Old soldiers are getting ready for the Reunion at Topeka.

W. F. HENDRY.
NICKERSON, Reno Co., July 28, 1882.

Judge Thacher can best answer the question of our correspondent himself. At Kansas City a few days since he said:

Corporations are creatures of the State. As such they have rights and they have duties. It is natural for men to remember their rights and forget their duties. The corporations of this country are doing just this. When three men can sit down in New York, and by raising railroad rates (tax the producer five cents a bushel on every car load of wheat that comes out of the West—when three men can do this, it is time for legislation. Of course, the question is a complicated one. It affects inter-state commerce, and so Congress has a right to legislate. The matter must be entrusted to wise and honest hands and heads; and we must not forget that up to a certain point the interests of railroads and people are one.

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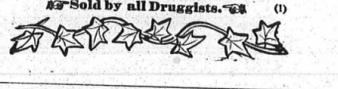
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The Household.

Written for THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS. THE BIBLE.

BY A. YARNER.

The Bible! The Bible! It stands at the head The best of all books And the most to be read. The Bible! The Bible! Its pages unfold Treasures far greater Than silver or gold.

In the Bible we learn The history of earth, Of man and his fall, Of Christ and his birth; But God in his mercy Though strange it may seem, Has given us His Son To die and redeem.

Go preach then the Gospel— Go preach it to-day— Believe and reform, Confess and obey. Go preach ye the Gospel— Go preach ye the Word To the ends of the earth Let the Gospel be heard.

“Arise from the dead And awake out of sleep;” The law of the Lord Is the law we must keep. No “organ” of discord We have in the will, Where the Bible is silent There let us keep still.

Remember the Savior, Remember his day, Remember to watch, And remember to pray; Remember the aged, Remember the youth, And add to your faith Love, kindness and truth.

The prayer of the Bible Is the prayer of the Son Who earnestly prayed That we all might be one. In union is strength, And we know it's the best— No north and no south, No east and no west.

ONE OF THESE DAYS. Curled in the window seat, Watching the leaves Whirling, whilst raindrops beat Down on the eaves. Dark seemed this world that day, We two alone, Changing to gold the gray, Lived in our own. Dreaming as childhood dreams, Life must be good, Whispering of nobler themes Scarce understood. Dreaming all love was true, Eager with praise, Smiling at all we'd do “One of these days.”

Here to the window-seat Came you and I, Whist with noiseless feet Time hurried by, Here as in childhood days Used we to dream. Careless of wiser ways, Love was our theme. Sometimes I wondered, dear, How it should last, But the next moment, dear, Doubts were all past, Past as you answer me, “Love never strays, Happier still we'll be One of these days.”

Now by the window-seat Stand I alone, Whilst the wind drives the sheet Making its moan. Clouds might obscure the sun, Sometimes of old, But while Hope's sands do run, Hearts find the gold. Love, when the angel band Called you away, When in my clasp your hand Passively lay, Faintly your whisper then Answered my gaze, “Love, we shall meet again One of these days.”

A NOBLE CHARITY. The New York Tribune has for three years organized and maintained what is known as a “Fresh Air Fund.” Its object is to give to the poor little children of the tenement houses of New York a two weeks vacation in the fresh air of the country. Farmers take the children and keep them, so that the only expense is in taking them from and returning them to the city. Only little children under twelve years of age are taken, and the letters of correspondents and the children themselves attest how much real good is being done. One correspondent who accompanied a company of these children from New York to Albany, says: “Suddenly one little girl said, ‘Oh, there is a real green tree!’ and there was a rush of the little ones to see the sight of a real green tree. At Albany the generosity of a philanthropist had provided a breakfast at one of the restaurants, from which point the children were taken by cars to the farmers of the country. After breakfast I asked the restaurant-keeper how much milk they had drank (the company numbered eighty-two), and he replied twenty gallons, or a little over a quart each.”

Another correspondent describes another company and their visit to a country church on Sunday. He says:

“One gray-haired farmer had two little girls who came here with pinched and forlorn faces. They looked as brown as berries and as happy as queens. Said the farmer, I shall send them home to-morrow, but a letter will go with them asking that they may return and live with me always. One little boy who had never seen the country before had his satchel stuffed full of kittens, which he proposed to carry back with him.”

The farmers say the children are generally well behaved and make less trouble than they had anticipated. The children are mostly taken from the mission schools and charity hospitals. So far this year a little over ten thousand dollars has been subscribed to this noble charity.

Senator Cameron, in the absence of his family, has taken Senators Vest and Butler to live with him in his great house at Washington. “While Vest and Butler sleep in the morning,” writes a correspondent of the Springfield Republican, “the boss is called by his faithful John; he rises and sips a cup of coffee and munches a cracker while dressing. Then he mounts a superb gray saddle horse and goes cantering off toward Georgetown heights, to come back in an hour with a ravenous appetite. In his home his guests breakfast when they choose; sometimes he meets one of the Senators, sometimes both, at breakfast, but there is no formality. At dinner there are from three to six friends. Don has a good cook, and his wines are superior, but since his Philadelphia toothache he has not tasted even claret, and has thrown away his cigars. The other day he surprised Dan Voorhees in committee-room by declining a glass of celebrated Philadelphia punch, saying that he had had his share of alcohol.”

The most damaging positive fact in the preaching of the times is its sensational character. Partaking of the spirit of the times, ambitious preachers, aiming chiefly at present eclat or success, in the shape of full houses and public notoriety—not to mention increased pecuniary and social considerations—have consented to pander to the lowest forms of the public taste, and to contest with the “variety” theatres for a share of their following. Waving all considerations of the humiliation to which the pulpit and the gospel itself are thus subjected, it must be obvious that by this kind of preaching the legitimate purposes of the pulpit must be defeated. The hearers so called together come to the house of worship for entertainment instead of warning and “instruction in righteousness,” and the preacher stands before them committed to give them what he promised. The state of mind in which they come, and their governing expectations, disqualify them for worship and render them hopelessly unsusceptible to sober religious instruction and reproof. The introduction of the sensational as a recognized element of the sermon, and of amusement as among the purposes of the occasion, is sure to nullify anything really good, in what might in other conditions be valuable in the exercises.—Methodist.

Concerning Women. The University of Mississippi has opened all its departments to the admission of women.

Miss Anna F. Parker edits the woman suffrage and temperance department of the Indiana Herald, of Huntington, Ind.

Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford has written a story, “Rock Creek Church,” which is said to be a life-like picture of society at Washington.

Miss Louisa Howard of Burlington has given President Buckham of Vermont \$5000 to establish five scholarships, which must be assigned to Green Mountain boys of good minds, manners and morals.

Miss Frances Power Cobbe some time since presented to Girton College, the leading college for women in England, all the mathematical books used by Mary Somerville.

Miss Frances C. Fiske is a Southern authoress who writes under the nom de plume of Christian Reid. Her father fell at the head of his regiment at Bull Run, and is reported to have been the first confederate killed in the war.

Miss Helen Magill is to read a paper before the annual meeting of the Local Science Association, which convenes at Saratoga September 4. Her subject will be “The School and College Curricula of America and England.”

Among the delegates at a meeting of the federation of trades and labor unions held in Boston July 18, was a young woman from Lawrence, Mass., on behalf of the mule spinners of that city. Why should not she be allowed to vote?

The South Dublin Union has emphatically declared its approval of women as guardians of the poor, and has petitioned parliament in favor of the removal of the restriction which at present prevents women, duly qualified as rate-payers, from being elected in Ireland.

The National Archery Tournament began on Tuesday of last week, at Lincoln Park, Chicago, forty-eight ladies being among the contestants. Miss Morrison, of Cottage Hill, Cin-

cinatti, carried off the highest honors, at the sixty yard-range. What right had a woman to be the best shot?

In his recent oration at Wabash College, Gen. Coburn took occasion to eulogize the influence and work of Mrs. Harriet B. Stowe in the abolition of slavery, closing with this pertinent query: “How long, under the theory of evolution, will it take Harriet Beecher Stowe to become as capable a voter as an emancipated slave?”

In Arkansas, women petition against saloons on the same conditions as men, and the result is that whenever the question comes up, the saloon has to go. This law stirred up the ire of the saloonists, and they brought the matter before the courts to test the constitutionality of the law. The law was pronounced constitutional.

Miss Eliza O. Putnam read a paper on the laws of Massachusetts as they affect women, before the Danvers Woman's Club, at a late meeting. Miss Putnam considered the laws as they have been and as they are. The paper was listened to with great interest. It was itself an argument for the political rights of women, and gave much needed information on the question of woman suffrage.

Mrs. Jane Studley, treasurer of school district No. 28, Hebron, Neb., submits figures showing the payment of district bonds, interest, etc., saving for the school district \$61.10 by payment of the bonds before maturity. Thus we see that woman has an idea of economy in public affairs. Some shrewd men might have let the bonds run to maturity, while he speculated with the people's money.

In the N. Y. Times of the 10th inst., a Des Moines correspondent gives a brief account of the recent prohibition election in Iowa. It is refreshing to find that “to the women belongs much of the credit of the success of the prohibition movement, and that in Des Moines and all over the state they were at the polls in large numbers, distributing tickets, and in a womanly way soliciting votes.”

Mrs. Mary T. Huskin, of Evanston, Ill., who was president of the trustees of Erastus College for ladies, of which Miss Willard was president, has the distinction of being the first (and so far as we know the only) presiding officer of a college board of trustees composed of women. This is an interesting item in the history of “first things” that the world has as a part of the evidence in the great chancery case of “Woman versus popular prejudice.”

Mrs. Sarah M. Perkins, of Keene, N. H., gave a lecture entitled, “Margaret Fuller the Thinker and Mary Lyon the Worker,” at Unity Church in Stowe, Vermont, on the evening of the 18th inst. The lecture was delivered without notes, and being in her usual eloquent and forcible style, with apt illustration and anecdote, compelled earnest attention, and inspired in her large and appreciative audience the same love and admiration for the subjects of her lecture which she so largely manifested.

At the annual conference of the Democratic federation, held on May 31, in London, England, Mr. W. Morgan proposed that “manhood” should be substituted for “adult” suffrage in the requirements of the federation. He did so on the ground that the women's suffrage movement directly supported property qualifications for electoral power, which was just what Democrats had been fighting against all their lives. Mr. John Clark seconded the motion, but after a short discussion, in which Miss Helen Taylor, Mr. H. Burrows, Miss Craigmiles, and others, took part, it was withdrawn.

Miss Lillie Devereaux Blake censures Governor Cornell for declining to sign the bill providing for matrons to take charge of the female departments in the city police stations, and giving pensions to female school teachers, after the best of their lives have been passed in the public service. Mrs. Blake reminds the Governor that there are 20,000 female teachers in the state, and tells him that if they were voters he would not dare to withhold his approval of either of these measures, adding that “in Brooklyn, through the efforts of the temperance ladies, a few women are acting as police matrons. Their appointments have demonstrated that they can be usefully and successfully employed in caring for the young, so that their salaries are paid by the ladies. They have no recognized official existence; they are, as it were, merely tolerated, so that out of the enormous amount of money contributed to the State by the women of the State in taxes, not a penny is expended for the protection of the unfortunate of their sex; not a dollar is paid for salaries to a non-voting class.”

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The Management of the Cow.

She should have abundance of feed, that she may consume it as soon as possible; in short, she must not have to work too hard for her living. The pastures should be often changed and when not in pasture, sufficient food should be provided. Roots early in the season require an addition of solid food, such as clover chaff or meal. The best roots are carrots, yellow turnips and mangul wurtzel. Corn fodder, potatoes and sugar beets are excellent. No other animal than a horse should ever be allowed in the pasture with a cow, and the cows should not be allowed to sleep out after August. The milking cow should be kept free from rapid and considerable changes of temperature, and should not be turned out too early, as cold and chills will occasion her early falling off in her milk. Many breeders think it best to bring the cows in every night in the year. Perfect cleanliness and good ventilation are of the utmost importance in the cow house, and much care should be given to bedding the cattle. Milch cows should be milked at regular hours twice a day, and should be fed with hay or meal while being milked, as the food engrosses her attention and helps sustain the stomach. The hands should be perfectly dry and clean, and the utmost gentleness should be used. Remember that all nature is alike subject to the same natural laws none of which can be safely avoided.

Training Horses.

Philadelphia Record:—A new and very simple method of training vicious horses was exhibited at West Philadelphia recently, and the manner in which some of the wildest horses were subdued was astonishing. The first trial was that of a kicking or "bucking" mare which her owner said had allowed no rider on her back for a period of at least five years. She became tame in about as many minutes, and allowed herself to be ridden about without a sign of her former wildness. The means by which the result was accomplished was by a piece of light rope which was passed around the front of the jaw of the mare just above the upper teeth, crossed in her mouth, and thence secured back of her neck. It was claimed that no horse will kick or jump when thus secured, and that a horse, after receiving this treatment a few times, will abandon his vicious ways forever. A very simple method was also shown by which a kicking horse could be shod. It consisted in connecting the animal's head and tail by means of a rope fastened to the tail and then to the bit, and then drawn tightly enough to incline the animal's head to one side. This, it is claimed, makes it absolutely impossible for the horse to kick on the side of the rope. At the same exhibition a horse which for many years had to be bound on the ground to be shod, suffered the blacksmith to operate on him without attempting to kick, while secured in the manner described.—Prairie Farmer.

Pruning Pear Trees.

I saw, in a recent agricultural paper, an elaborate article on pears, in which summer pruning for fruit was strongly advocated. I don't believe in summer pruning, except to pinch off the ends of growing branches, to keep up symmetrical growth. Standard pears require very little pruning, and the less the better, provided the tree was properly cut back at planting time. If this is done, watch the growing shoots, and if one branch seems to be getting ahead of others, pinch off the end. The only rule in this case is—to secure symmetrical growth. Another cause for pruning may arise from crowding branches. In this case, cut out the smallest or those that can be most easily spared. If a tree grows slowly and seems weakly it is sometimes necessary to prune it back quite severely, and the best time to do this is in the winter. But my object in writing this is to protest against indiscriminate summer pruning, for I believe it to be very injurious. I aim to preserve all the foliage my trees put forth in the spring. The pinching back advised above does not interfere with the foliage, and secures the end that summer pruning has in view. I never saw fruitfulness increased by summer pruning. Has any one seen it? —Ohio Farmer.

Do Bees Injure Sound, Healthy Peaches?

The Massachusetts Ploughman remarks as follows: This question having been put to us some years ago, we have very naturally watched the operations of the bees on the peach trees ever since. The results of this examination have been to draw conclusions different from those entertained by many others. In consequence of this we have been slow to express an opinion, thinking possibly further observation might lead to a different conclusion, but as year after year only gives additional evidence of its correctness, we give to our readers the result of our observation, hoping by so doing to encourage closer observation and to draw out opinions. The first year or two of observation disclosed the fact that the wasp evidently commenced the work of puncturing the fruit and that the honey bee followed. This at first led to the belief that the wasp was the first cause of the destruction; but, on further examination, it was observed that some of the trees in the orchard were entirely exempt from injury, and in fact, that some whole orchards were perfectly free from injury, not a peach being punctured; this led to a still more careful examination, when it was found that most, if not all, of the fruit punctured, had on one side a decayed spot before punctured. On some

branches the peaches was very small and on others quite large, but whatever the size, the wasp would puncture the fruit very nearly in the center of the decayed spot, which has led many to believe that the decay is caused by the puncture, when observation seems to prove that the decay invites the wasp to make the puncture. Being satisfied of this, the next investigation was in a direction to ascertain the cause of the decay, when it was in every instance found to be the yellow. We have yet to see the peach orchard, the fruit of which has been injured by the yellow, and that has not been struck by the yellow, and so far as we have observed, the fruit of every tree that has the yellow will be attacked by the bees.

Peach Curl Fungus.

At a recent meeting of the Connecticut State Board of Agriculture, a paper on the above subject was submitted by Dr. Byron Halstead, from which we make the following extract: Soon after the peach leaves unfold from the bud, and before they have reached one-half their natural size, they frequently seem to be distorted into very strange shapes and of unnatural color, often variegated with red, and otherwise highly colored. This is the "peach-curl," and is an old and prevalent injurious deformity, the cause of which has been variously ascribed to aphides, or plant-lice, lack of some food element in the soil, and even to electricity. The trouble is due to a fungus (*Taphrina deformans*), which grows within the tissue of the young peach leaf, and brings about the peculiar external appearance so often met with in the peach orchard in early spring. The fungus does not confine itself to the leaves, but works in the young stems, causing them to take on strange shapes and unnatural colors, and to finally wither, turn brown, and at last die.

This pest, though somewhat different in its manner of growth, is a close relative of the black knot, which has proved so destructive to the plum and cherry trees. The black knot is a much more conspicuous parasite than the peach curl, as it works almost entirely upon the stems and even large branches, and becomes very noticeable from the distortions and black color which the branches assume. The only remedy for the "curl" is the knife. All the branches, with their leaves, which are affected, should be cut off and burned. The disease is propagated by means of small spores that are found in the leaves later in the season, and by burning they are destroyed. The peach "curl" is easily seen when once the eye is trained for it, and an orchard, unless it is badly affected, can be gone over quite rapidly, and the diseased part removed. There is no doubt that it is injurious, and it is also evident that unless means are taken to keep it in check the trouble may increase, and in time become a serious matter in the peach orchards. Those who have had their plum orchards ruined by the black knot know something of the way in which a fungus can destroy valuable fruit trees. The peach "curl" belongs to the same destructive class.

Mr. George Wells, architect, Kansas City, Mo., writes that he has for some time past used Leis' Dandelion Tonic for torpid liver, deranged stomach and loss of appetite, with the happiest results. He considers it a very valuable medicine.

Out West.

Colorado Springs Gazette. There are six hundred miles of streets in Denver and its suburbs.

Mormon cattle-growers have sold over \$300,000 worth of horned stock this year.

A new-fangled potato bug is doing considerable damage to the Murphrees in the Animas valley.

It is estimated that the population of Salt Lake City has increased 4,000 since the census of 1880.

The American Institute of mining engineers will meet in Denver on Saturday, Aug. 19.

It is now reported that works are to be erected at Pueblo for the manufacture of fine entery, tools, etc.

The Utah extension of the Denver & Rio Grande is now finished to a point thirty miles west of Gunnison City.

Repeated attempts have lately been made to set fire to several of the principal buildings in Leadville.

Two Boston tourists were last week fined \$25 each for rolling rocks down the mountain side into the streets of Georgetown.

Del Norte claims to be the handsomest city in Colorado west of the Sangre de Cristo range.

Joseph, the largest strawberry raiser of Boulder county, has made one thousand gallons of strawberry wine this year.

Two million dollars will be realized from Colorado's wool product this year.

A drove of 2,300 head of cattle are now grazing through Colorado on their way from Texas to Greeley.

An animal resembling a gorilla is causing much terror to the people living on the St. Charles river near Pueblo.

Colorado will produce three-quarters of a million bushels of oats this year, two-thirds as much as will be consumed.

The largest engine ever brought to Colorado will run the machinery at the exposition in Denver. It is a 250-horse power Corliss.

The crop outlook in Boulder county is exceedingly encouraging, and the yield of wheat per acre will exceed that of last year.

A heavy storm visited the northern part of Colorado last week. The damage to crops in the Pleasant Valley will alone amount to \$4,000.

It is stated that a monster mushroom has forced its way through the solid nine-inch flooring of concrete and asphalt in a Buffalo grain elevator. The bulge in the floor was first noticed a fortnight ago, but the break did not occur until Wednesday morning.

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The Republican State Convention meets at Topeka on Wednesday next.

A correspondent at Montrose says: Hydrophobia prevails here quite alarmingly, among dogs and cattle. Benjamin Johnson died of it on Sunday last in terrible contortions.

At Leavenworth a few days ago two boys were arrested for throwing stones at a boy of 11, who was carrying a babe nine months old in his arms.

Commissioner of Agriculture Loring has accepted invitations to be present and address the farmers of the respective sections at the following State fairs: Des Moines, Ia., September 7; Omaha, Neb., September 12 and 13; Topeka, Kas., September 15 and 16; Chicago, Ill., September 21; East Saginaw, Mich., September 28; South Bend, Ind., October 4, and Janesville, Wis., October 5.

Miss Greyson, who had for many years been bedridden with spinal disease, at Erie, Pa., believed that she could be cured by prayer. She talked with the attending physician about it, and he said that he would arrange for a meeting of devout persons at the house of a neighbor, when her recovery should be earnestly implored.

Virtually Settled.

The question of who is to be the Republican candidate for Governor has been virtually settled by the primaries. St. John has more than enough delegates to nominate him on the first ballot.

In this district Haskell's majority over Green two years ago was about 3,800, and four years ago, with three candidates in the field he was elected by a small plurality. If all the disaffected ones should vote against Haskell as well as St. John his defeat is certain.

Mrs. C. Whipple, 371 Croghan street, presents these facts: For six years I had suffered beyond all expression with Sciatic Rheumatism and tried every known remedy, but all to no purpose.

That Stranger. EDITOR SPIRIT:—In the issue of your paper of July 26th is an article headed "A stranger in a strange land," to which you may have added, "And a fictitious story."

To try to refute all that is contained in the article referred to, will, I fear, take too much of your valuable space. I will only confine myself to the death of Mr. Richards, to the property left by him and to his burial. The deceased was stricken with an attack of apoplexy on the evening of July 13, at Mr. Ford's, where he was boarding, who called on me to attend him.

On looking among his papers in the pocket of his coat, I found a postal card written on the 8th of June by a gentleman of Winfield, Kas. I wrote the same evening to the gentleman telling him how seriously sick Mr. Richards was and asking him to tell me if he was a relative to the old gentleman.

Everything possible was done for the old gentleman when living. I ordered Mr. Ford to procure a nurse to attend him all the time, and done for my part all that I was able to. It is true I never called a consulting physician with me as it was suggested by some charitable neighbors, as the disease was a too ordinary one.

Among the papers left by Mr. Richards are some titles to property in Indiana, and the old gentleman having been married three times there will be claimants enough for it.

In Kansas the property left by the deceased consists of that claim against the Government for \$900, and it is that property, "in expectation," that I am going to administer.

Concerning the burial of the deceased I have to say this: Unable to attend to it myself I directed Mr. Ford to have him buried decently, without making too many expenses; telling him to have the undertaker make the bill for it, and great has been my astonishment to read in your paper that Mr. Richards had been buried as a pauper.

I have written to Indiana to find the relatives of Mr. Richards, the day following the reception of the letter from Mr. Story, of Winfield, Kansas. I have not yet got any answer. That is all I can say about the case. I hope that it will set at rest all the rumors that seem to have been floating around.

I will yet add this: I have not received or found among the effects of Mr. Richards, a single cent. I have given money from my own pocket, and in regard to the insinuations contained in your article, I will refer you to Judge Norton who can bear testimony to the falsity of your insinuations, as he has had charge of this transaction for me.

Yours respectfully, A. G. ABDELAL. LAWRENCE, Aug. 1, 1882. With Dr. Abdelal we paid another visit to Mr. Ford's boarding house, and the doctor took charge of such effects of Mr. Richards as were left there. Altogether it consisted of trash; a half-worn trunk, old papers, an old-fashioned show case, a family bible, etc., perhaps worth in the aggregate five dollars.

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More gentle showers. ELEVEN prisoners at the county jail. New hay is offered plentifully in market. Water melons have appeared in market.

The walls of the new opera house are nearly completed. IMMENSE quantities of oats are being shipped from this city.

FOREPAUGH will exhibit in Lawrence about September 15th. THE telephone exchange of this city now runs night and day.

Water works is the question that is uppermost just now. BATES & FIELD are putting in a new plate glass front to their store.

BACHELOR & DORRIS show visits Lawrence about September 25th. SEVERAL of the best rooms at the hotels in this city are already engaged for fair week.

Mr. D. S. Alford is added to the list of those who may be candidates for county attorney. MR. A. B. WARREN sold in Kansas City on Tuesday, two car loads of paper from the paper mills in this city.

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A concert and lawn party was given last Sunday at the residence of Mr. John Bittinger at Deer Creek. Buch's orchestra from this city were present and a very pleasant time was the result.

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Very many of the children from the city schools are taking advantage of the Business College to improve themselves on such studies as they were low in at the last examination. We can heartily recommend the Business College under the present management.

DEMOCRATS. The Democratic County Committee of Douglas County is requested to meet at the office of W. J. Nell, Jr., over House's Clothing store, on Saturday next at 1 o'clock, p. m.

W. S. REED, of this city, draw the plans for the Alfred Grey monument which was accepted by the committee. It is more than probable that Mr. Reed will also do the work, as his mudge monument has been commented on all over the State, as the finest piece of artist work ever executed in the West.

Two car loads of straw lumber were shipped a day or two since to John V. Fairwell, of Chicago. Mr. Fairwell is building a block six stories high 400x270 feet, and will use straw lumber for the finishing and the ceilings of the whole block. These two cars were the first shipment.

The Boston people have spasms of humility and, although they come at long intervals, they enable us to hope that in the course of a century or two they may possibly become chronic. Some truth loving transcendentalist has just allowed himself to admit that during the last hundred years the Athens of America has not produced more than three men who equal Shakespeare in genius. Perhaps extreme modesty forbids his telling who one of these men is, but he ought to be willing to give the names of the other two. That, however, is just like Boston; it does keep things to itself so shrewdly that no one outside of the city limits can find them out. We are devoured by a restless curiosity, but trust the statement so far that we have offered our copy of Shakespeare for sale and sent to the Boston publishers for every dramatic production of the last three generations. The humility of our sister city is still further seen in its

orthography. It ought in justice to spell itself Boston, even if some cynical and unappreciative people do continue to spell it Boston.

A Fight for Justice. A few days since Sheriff Asher received a dispatch from Texas telling him that a noted thief and desperado had escaped from jail and that \$200 reward was offered for his capture. The man had relatives in this county, and Asher conjectured that sooner or later the criminal would turn up there. His conjecture proved true, and soon after he learned that the man was at the home of his father. With Deputy Estes he proceeded to the residence and found and captured his man and telegraphed to Texas that he had the prisoner.

Then commenced the most stubborn fight of attorneys to free a prisoner that has ever taken place here. In all five writs of habeas corpus were issued, but Sheriff Asher was not to be beaten. He knew he had the prisoner and did not mean that he should escape through any mere quibble. The Texas Sheriff arrived here Wednesday and after identifying the prisoner, went immediately to Topeka for a requisition from the Governor. Governor St. John was not at home, but the papers being all right, his clerk signed them. The attorneys of the prisoner then got another writ of habeas corpus before Judge Stephens, on the ground that the requisition was void inasmuch as the Governor had never seen them. Judge Stephens held that such papers were liable to be called for at any time and it was the Governor's duty to provide some one who could act in his absence, and he therefore ruled the requisition valid and ordered the prisoner to be delivered to the Texas Sheriff. Another writ of habeas corpus was issued by Judge Foote, but before it could be served the prisoner was beyond his jurisdiction, and is now probably in Texas.

The prisoner was a very desperate character, by his own admission, being guilty of larceny and a determined man than Sheriff Asher would have lost him. He deserves the thanks of the people for his brave stand for the right. One attorney went so far as to accuse the Sheriff of perjuring himself to hold the prisoner, but he soon after concluded that was a charge he did not want to substantiate. To our mind this is one of the best acts of Sheriff Asher's whole administration.

Humbugged Again. I saw so much said about the merits of Hop Bitters, and my wife who was always doctoring and never well, teased me so urgently to get her some, I concluded to be humbugged again; and I am glad I did, for in less than two months use of the Bitters, my wife was cured, and she has remained so for eighteen months since. I like such humbugging.—H. T. St. Paul.—Pioneer Press

KALAMAZOO, MICH., Feb. 2, 1880. I know Hop Bitters will bear recommendation honestly. All who use them confer upon them the highest encomiums, and give them credit for making cures—all the proprietors claim for them. I have kept them since they were first offered to the public. They took high rank from the first, and maintained it, and are more called for than all others combined. So long as they keep up their high reputation for purity and usefulness, I shall continue to recommend them—something I have never before done with any patent medicine.

J. J. BABCOCK, M. D. GREGG, formerly local editor of the Tribune who was reported to have been drowned at Kansas City, is believed to be still alive. He had a big insurance on his life and it is thought to be another Hillman case.

LATER.—Gregg proves to be alive. He was short several registered packages as a postpaid clerk. He writes a crank sort of letter to the Kansas City Times, in which he tries to prove himself all right.

Who Needs a Business Education. "If a father wishes to give his son a legacy that will endure while life exists, let him send him to an institution where he can obtain a general practical business education, and he will have the satisfaction of knowing that he has given him what is better than houses, lands and farms, or even gold and silver; these things may take wings and suddenly fly away, but this knowledge will endure while life and reason exist."—Horace Mann.

Mrs. POLLY SAVAGE, widow of the late Deacon William Savage, and mother of Joseph and Forrest Savage, of this county, died at the residence of her son Forrest on Wednesday, aged 84 years. Her husband was aged 83 at the time of his death, some eight years since. Mr. and Mrs. Savage celebrated their golden wedding in this city.

The cells at the jail lately occupied by King, Robertson and Vinegar, are the dread of all the prisoners. No worse punishment can be inflicted by the sheriff than to lock a prisoner in one of those cells.

[Wayne County (O.) Democrat] Mr. William E. Snyder of West Lebanon, Ohio, says: For some time past I had been severely afflicted with Rheumatism. Seeing an advertisement of St. Jacobs Oil, I procured a bottle, and I could feel the effect of the Oil upon the first application. I am now entirely well after using one bottle.

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A Reputation to Sustain. Young Hostetter McGinnis, one of the fashionable young bloods of Austin, took a young lady to church last Sunday evening. As he had been up quite late the night before, he was very sleepy, consequently he did not flirt with the fashionable young lady, as he had heretofore been in the habit of doing in church. "What is the matter with you?" she asked in a whisper.

"I am not feeling well," he answered back. "You wake up and giggle a little, anyhow. If we don't misbehave ourselves in church people will think we are married, and I want you to understand that I have a reputation to sustain."

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Mrs. Editors:—The above is a good likeness of Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., who above all other human beings may be truthfully called the "Dear Friend of Woman," as some of her correspondents love to call her. She is zealously devoted to her work, which is the outcome of a life-study, and is obliged to keep six lady assistants, to help her answer the large correspondence which daily pours in upon her, each bearing its special burden of suffering, or joy at release from it. Her Vegetable Compound is a medicine for good and not evil purposes. I have personally investigated it and am satisfied of the truth of this. On account of its proven merits, it is recommended and prescribed by the best physicians in the country. One says: "It works like a charm and saves much pain. It will cure entirely the worst form of falling of the uterus, Leucorrhoea, irregular and painful Menstruation, all Ovarian Troubles, Inflammation and Ulceration, Floodings, all Displacements and the consequent spinal weakness, and is especially adapted to the change of life." It permeates every portion of the system, and gives new life and vigor. It removes fatigues, faintness, destroys all craving for stimulants, and relieves weakness of the stomach. It cures Bloating, Headaches, Nervous Prostration, General Debility, Sleeplessness, Depression and Indigestion. That feeling of bearing down, causing pain, weight and backache, is always permanently cured by its use. It will act at all times, and under all circumstances, act in harmony with the law that governs the female system. It costs only \$1. per bottle or six for \$5., and is sold by druggists. Any advice required as to special cases, and the names of many who have been restored to perfect health by the use of the Vegetable Compound, can be obtained by addressing Mrs. P., with stamp for reply, at her home in Lynn, Mass. For Kidney Complaint of either sex this compound is unsurpassed as abundant testimonials show. "Mrs. Pinkham's Liver Pills," says one writer, "are the best in the world for the cure of Constipation, Biliousness and Torpidity of the Liver. Her Blood Purifier works wonders in its special line and bids fair to equal the Compound in its popularity. All must respect her as an Angel of Mercy whose sole ambition is to do good to others." Philadelphia, Pa. (C) Mrs. A. M. D.

Legal Notice. A NON-RESIDENT OF THE STATE OF Kansas, whose residence is unknown, you are hereby notified that you have been sued in the District Court, Fourth Judicial District of Kansas, in and for Douglas County, Kansas, by William R. Cruzan, and you must answer the petition filed against you on or before the 22d day of July, A. D. 1882, or such petition will be taken as true; For a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and upon the ground of abandonment by you for more than one year last past. JOSEPH E. BIGGS, Attorney for Plaintiff. Dated June 7, 1882. 6-7-3t

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Neighboring Correspondence.

Letter from Topeka. Correspondence to THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS. Creatures of airy nothingness, daring ventures upon a flimsy craft, graceful flyers on the green turf...

The exposure of "Dr. Slade." The exposure of Dr. Slade, the spiritualist medium, of Belleville, was most complete. He had come here at the invitation of some believer to make converts to spiritualism...

It will be a striking evidence of the productiveness of this country, in the face of the natural increase of our population and the extraordinary immigration, there is not a large decrease in our exports of breadstuffs and meat. We observe that the English journals are assuring English and Irish farmers that the cry of American competition is a thing of the past...

An American Officer. America sent as its military attaché to the Russian army for the campaign of 1877-8 a young engineer lieutenant. That officer had to struggle against the disadvantages incident to the inferiority of his rank. But he did honor to his country and its army by writing the standard history of the Russo-Turkish war...

occasions for the proof. But these, in its austerity, the nation through its congress has denied him the privilege of wearing. England also had a military attaché with the Russians—an officer whose rank was that of captain and lieutenant-colonel in the guards. He wrote no history of the war, but his services were rewarded with a full colonelcy in the army, overstepping 120 seniors...

The best known remedy for that state of nervous exhaustion brought about by severe mental or physical labor or other excesses, is Leis' Dandelion Tonic. The exposure of "Dr. Slade." The exposure of Dr. Slade, the spiritualist medium, of Belleville, was most complete. He had come here at the invitation of some believer to make converts to spiritualism...

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The Force of Example. One communion Sunday an old Kentucky soldier, who had fought under General Jackson at New Orleans, and knew well what manner of man he had been in his fighting days, attended the Hermitage church and saw the aged warrior kneel reverentially before the altar. He was transfixed with astonishment. After the service was over he was observed to be unusually silent and thoughtful, and upon being questioned, related what he had seen. He concluded his narrative thus: "When I saw the man who had fought armies, parties, cabinets, and had never flinched without conquering, get down on his knees in that church, I said to myself, 'Well, when General Jackson kneels, I tell you, boys, I think it about time for me to knock under.'" Four weeks after he joined the church, and lived and died a pious and exemplary member.—St. Louis Republic.

KANSAS STATE FAIR, AND THE VETERAN SOLDIERS' SECOND ANNUAL REUNION!

AT TOPEKA, SEPT. 11 TO 16, 1882. The State Fair has united with it in one combined exposition the State Wool Growers and Sheep Breeders' Association, State Horticultural Society and the State Poultry and Pet Stock Association, and offers a grand aggregate of \$40,000 IN PRIZES. No legitimate feature neglected, but many attractive novelties added. COUNTY DISPLAYS A SPECIALTY. THE SOLDIERS' REUNION Will last through fair week. Tents free and rations at cost. It is confidently expected there will be THIRTY THOUSAND VETERANS in line on the Fair Grounds Veterans' Day, when they will be addressed by JAS. G. BLAINE, Maine; NEAL DOW, Maine; SPEAKER KEIFER, Ohio; GEN. JOHN COBURN, Indiana; COL. STREIGHT, Indiana; COL. HARRY WHITE, Penn; COL. CARR, Illinois. GEN. VANERVOORT, Commander in Chief, G. A. R., Washington, D. C., and others. All of whom have POSITIVELY AGREED To attend. Other attractions of State Fair week at Topeka are: Reunion of Patrons of Husbandry who will be addressed by Hon. Geo. R. Loring, United States Commissioner of Agriculture. Annual Tournament of the Kansas Band Union for prizes aggregating \$600. Grand encampment of the Kansas State Militia, uniformed and under arms, by order of Maj. Gen. T. J. Anderson, commanding. Railroad fares will be reduced to ONE CENT PER MILE On the Santa Fe and the Union Pacific railroads, while other roads will make proportionate reductions. GEO. Y. JOHNSON, Secretary of State Fair Association.

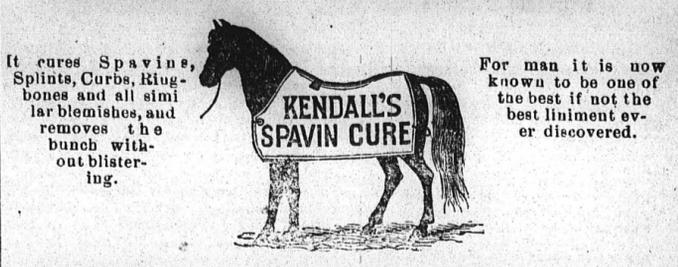
Given Away. We can not but help noticing the liberal offer made to all invalids and sufferers by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. We must consider this the fairest offer yet. You are not requested to buy, but are invited to call at Barber Bros. drug store and get a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery free of cost. If you are suffering with consumption, severe coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, quinsy, phthisis, hay fever, pain in side or chest, difficulty of breathing, night sweats, loss of voice, weakness, or any affection of the throat, chest or lungs, you will be surprised to see how almost instantly this wonderful remedy will afford relief. A single trial bottle will convince you of its merits, and show what a regular dollar size bottle will do.

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Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO CREDITORS and others interested that the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Sarah D. Standing, deceased, will, on the 20th day of July, A. D. 1882, apply to the Probate Court of Douglas county, Kansas, to fix all allowances to him for services as administrator of said estate; also, for attorney's fees and other expenses necessarily incurred by him in the administration of such estate. A. J. STANDING, Administrator.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE!



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We feel positive that every man can have perfect success in every case if he will only use good common sense in applying KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE, and persevere in bad cases of long standing. Read below the experience of others. FROM COL. L. T. FOSTER. YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May, 10th, 1880. Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Arabian colt which I prized very highly. He had a large bone spavin on one joint and a smaller one on the other which made him very lame. I had him under the charge of two Veterinary surgeons who failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE in the Chicago Express, and determined at once to try it, and got our druggists here to send for it. They ordered three bottles. I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial. I used it according to directions, and by the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame, and the lumps had entirely disappeared. He used but one bottle and the colts limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles, who are now using it. Very Respectfully, L. T. FOSTER.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE!

Acme, Michigan, December 28th, 1879. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I sent you one dollar for your "Kendall's Spavin Cure" last summer which cured a bone spavin with half a bottle. The best liniment I ever used. Yours Respectfully, HOMER HOXIE. FROM REV. P. N. GRANGER. St. Albans, Vt., Jan. 20th, 1880. Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—In reply to your letter I will say that my experience with "Kendall's Spavin Cure" has been very satisfactory indeed. Three or four years ago I procured a bottle of your agent and with it, cured a horse of lameness caused by a spavin. Last season my horse became very lame and I turned him out for a few weeks when he became better, but when I put him on the road he grew worse. When I discovered that a ringbone was forming, I procured a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and with less than a bottle cured him so that he is not lame, neither can the bunch be found. Respectfully yours, P. N. GRANGER.

Wilton, Minn., Jan. 11th, 1881. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Having got a horse book of you by mail a year ago, the contents of which persuaded me to try Kendall's Spavin Cure on the hind leg of one of my horses which was badly swollen and could not be reduced by any other remedy. I got two bottles of Kendall's Spavin Cure of Preston & Luddith, Druggists of Waseca, which completely cured my horse. About five years ago I had a three-year-old colt sweated very badly. I used your remedy as given in your book without roweling, and I made say to your credit that the colt is entirely cured which was a surprise not only to myself but also to my neighbors. You sent me the book for the trifling sum of 25 cents, and I could not get another like it I would not take twenty-five dollars for it. Yours truly, GEO. MATHEWS.

Kendall's Spavin Cure. Hamilton, Mo., June 14th, 1881. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents: This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure and have cured the spavin which other treatments had failed to do. It did not cure me one bottle of your liniment. After the spavin was removed I drove the horse and his mate over 500 miles, from Linn county, Iowa, to Harlan county, Nebraska, with a load of about 2,000 pounds, and used no other horse, and both horses were to-day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me \$100. Respectfully yours, JAMES YELLENIC. FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN. Washington, Ohio, June 17th, 1880. Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents: Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement, and the spavin from another horse, and both horses were to-day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me \$100. Respectfully yours, H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE!

ON HUMAN FLESH it has been ascertained by repeated trials to be the very best liniment ever used for any deep seated pain of long standing, or of short duration. Also for Corns, Bunions, Frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or laceration. Some are afraid to use it on human flesh simply because it is a horse medicine, but you should remember that what is good for Beasts is good for Man, and we know from experience that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" can be used on a child 1 year old with perfect safety. Its effects are wonderful on human flesh, and it does not blister or make a sore. Try it and be convinced.

WHAT IS GOOD FOR BEAST IS GOOD FOR MAN.

Read of its effects on Human Flesh. Patten's Mills, Washington Co., N. Y., Feb. 21, 1878. B. J. Kendall, M. D.—Dear Sir: The particular case on which I used your "Kendall's Spavin Cure" was a malignant ankle sprain of sixteen months standing. I had tried many things, but in vain. Your "Kendall's Spavin Cure" put the foot to the ground again, and, for the first time since hurt in a natural position. For a family liniment it exceeds anything we ever used. Yours truly, REV. M. P. BELL. Pastor M. E. Church, Patten's Mills, N. Y.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure is sure in its effects, mild in its action as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach any deep-seated pain, or to remove any bony growth or any other enlargement if used for several days, such as spavins, splints, curbs, callous, sprains, swellings, any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or rheumatism in man, and for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects. It is used full strength with perfect safety at all seasons of the year. Send address for Illustrated Circular, which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success, to our knowledge, for beast as well as man, it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors. DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vermont. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

DOCTOR PILL AND DOCTOR S&P.

[Ella Rodman Church.] One day the famous Doctor Pill Was called to see old Mrs. Hill. An ancient dame who lived alone, Except a maid to do her work— A thing that she was apt to shirk— And thus to him she made her moan: "I'm out of sorts; I cannot eat— A weight seems tied upon my feet, And hammers pounding in my head, If I go to sleep, my dreams are bad; My spirits droop, my heart is sad, And I almost wish that I was dead!" "Dearest Madam," said Doctor Pill, "You must not think of being ill. Just take this powder for two days, Skip three, and then for two days more— Keep on exactly as before; Your spirits it will surely raise."

MAN WHIPPING IN CANADA. Joseph Sayers Receives Twenty-five Lashes with a Cat-o-nine-tails.

On the 25th day of April Joseph Sayers, a shoemaker, aged 29 years, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment at hard labor in the Central Prison, and to receive at the expiration of the first three months of his time twenty-five lashes "with an instrument called the 'cat,'" for an outrage on a girl aged nine years. The latter portion of the sentence was carried out yesterday morning at half past nine in the Central Prison. For the past fortnight Sayers has been in great distress at the anticipation of the impending punishment, and has repeatedly appealed to the Warden with the purpose of having his flogging remitted. It is the Warden's experience that prisoners who are to be whipped actually endure more torture from the time they are sentenced until the dreaded time comes than during the time itself when the demands of the law are being complied with. Be that as it may, Sawyer did not exhibit any signs of faltering as he was led from the shoemaker's workshop to the end of a corridor in the prison basement. He looked sullen and unconcerned, as he was bound ankle and wrist to the triangle, after having previously stripped himself to the waist; a collar made of stiff canvass protected his neck.

All being in readiness, the Warden read out the sentence by virtue of which the castigation was to be administered, and as the Deputy Warden uttered the word "One," the "cat," wielded by one of the guards, circled itself up snakewise in the air, then shot out straight with a hissing sound, and, descending upon the right shoulder blade of the wretch, left as a mark of its passage eighty-one roseate spots, obliquely dotting the back to the waist. By the third stroke the skin had become uniformly a deep crimson, as if blistered, and after the sixth the flesh commenced to quiver and undulate under each stroke. Every lash caused the color to deepen until it turned to a sombre shade of purple; at the eleventh stroke Sayers sunk slightly, this being the only evidence that he was feeling pain; he braced himself up during the twelfth stroke, but numbers thirteen, fourteen and fifteen again caused him to sink; at the sixteenth stroke the nine times knotted nine whip lashes flew from the stock, and a fresh cat was substituted. By the time the twenty fifth and last lash was applied the prisoner bore evidence of the instrument's cruel effects, his back being dotted with glistening drops of blood. Not a groan, not a cry, not a sound of any kind escaped from Joseph Sayers while he was undergoing torture. On being untied after it was over he quietly dressed himself and walked back to his workshop, apparently quite unmoved. His face bore the same sullen expression it did when he first found himself face to face with the triangle.—Toronto Globe.

Artesian Wells on the Plains. In the current number of the North American Review Dr. C. A. White, of Washington, presents some important data which should guide Congress, before it adjourns, in providing for artesian borings in the great arid region of the West. Last fall the government made an unsuccessful attempt to sink an artesian well at Fort Lyon, Colorado. But it is proposed to renew the experiments at other more hopeful points. The province of the government in this important undertaking should be to ascertain the areas of water-bearing formations which may subsequently be pierced by private or State enterprise. Between the Arkansas and South Platte rivers, near the mountains, Dr. White thinks, there are two water-bearing strata, one of which can be reached by borings not less than two thousand feet deep, and the other about seven hundred feet deeper.

While wells of this kind cannot suffice for agricultural purposes, this writer shows that they would afford a good supply for watering large herds of cattle, beside supplying the wants of a hamlet of people. It has been demonstrated in Los Angeles and San Bernardino counties, Cal., that an artesian well two hundred feet deep will discharge water enough to irrigate one hundred acres of land. On the great Plains, rising five thousand feet above the sea, the cost of boring to the great depths of the water bearing formations is twelve or fifteen times as much as in California. But if the yield of wells sunk on the Plains were only one-fourth as large as that of the Los Angeles wells, the country around would be habitable and adapted for grazing purposes. For the government to attempt to bore artesian wells wherever settlers on the Plains ask for them would be a foolish waste of money. But as both Dr. White and other authorities on the geology of the Plains east of the Rocky mountains have shown that a high degree of probability exists that artesian wells can be obtained capable of meeting the wants of men and cattle in this desert, the experimental borings ought to be continued, especially in the eastern part of the dry plateau where water may be reached at less depth.—N. Y. Herald

Skill in the Workshop. To do good work the mechanic must have good health. If long hours of confinement in close rooms have enfeebled his hand or dimmed his sight, let him at once, and before some other organic trouble appears, take plenty of Hop Bitters. His system will be rejuvenated, his nerves strengthened, his sight become clear, and the whole constitution be built up to a higher working condition.

SPECIAL PREMIUMS. The following special premiums have been offered for exhibitions at the Western National Fair:

- 1. By ABERNATHY, NORTH & OLSON, Kansas City, wholesale and retail dealers in household furniture.—For the handsomest and most precocious girl or boy baby under one year old, elegant willow baby crib, trimmed and furnished.....\$100.00
Note.—Judges of this class will be expected to render an unbiased award, irrespective of the royal lineage of parents, having at all times the fear of the wrath of mothers in their minds, under penalty of being shot dead on the spot for any disregard for parental feeling. Competent judges will be selected, and the show will be made in the Tabernacle at 9 o'clock a. m., on Thursday.
2. LEIS' CHAMICAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY, of Lawrence, Kansas.—For best plate of biscuits made with Leis' German Baking Powder.....\$5.00
For best plate sponge cake made with Leis' German Baking Powder..... 5.00
To be exhibited on the first day of the fair and until the close of the fair.
3. By E. B. GOOD, Lawrence, Kans.—For display and greatest variety of jellies..... 5.00
4. By E. A. SMITH, Norwood Stock Farm, Lawrence.—For best colt or filly, the get of Almont Pilot, two years old and over..... 15.00
Best colt or filly, one year old and under two..... 10.00
5. By I. N. VAN HORNEN, Lawrence.—For best thoroughbred Jersey heifer, the get of Iowa Chief..... 5.00
6. By CHARLES ROBINSON.—For bicycle race half-mile heats, best two in three.....\$15 to 1st, \$10 to 2d, \$5 to 3d
Five required to enter; three to start. Go as you please. Distance barred.
This race will come off the first day of the fair (Monday) at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp. Entries to be made with the Secretary on or before the day of the race. Entrance free.
7. HIRAM SIBLEY & Co., Seeds, Rochester, N. Y., and Chicago, Ill., offer for competition,
1st. A gold State fair held during 1882 a solid silver cup, richly engraved..... 15.00
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8. By J. E. PERHALL, for best 10 pounds butter packed in jar or tub.....\$10.00
9. By W. H. H. WHITNEY, for best single turnout, horse, harness, and buggy, driven by lady..... 10.00
10. By FRANK COX, Lawrence, for best mule colt, the get of Kansas Chief..... 10.00
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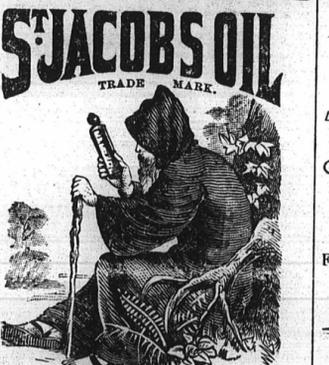
It is especially true of a family medicine, and it is positive proof that the remedy imitated is of the highest value. As soon as it had been tested and proved by the whole world that Hop Bitters was the purest, best, and most valuable family medicine on earth, many imitations sprung up and began to steal the notices in which the press and people of the country had expressed the merits of H. B., and in every way trying to induce suffering invalids to use their stuff instead, expecting to make money on the credit and good name of H. B. Many others started nostrums put up in similar style to H. B., with variously devised names in which the word "Hop" or "Hops" were used in a way to induce people to believe they were the same as Hop Bitters. All such pretended remedies or cures, no matter what their style or name is, and especially those with the word "Hop" or "Hops" in their name or in any way connected with them or their name, are imitations or

counterfeits. Beware of them. Touch none of them. Use nothing but genuine Hop Bitters, with a bunch or cluster of green hops on the white label. Trust nothing else. Druggists and dealers are warned against dealing in imitations or counterfeits.

A good old lady speaking in prayer meeting and giving expression to the joy and confidence she felt, said: "I feel as if I was ready this minute to fall into the arms of Benjamin." "Abraham! You mean Abraham?" hastily corrected a brother sitting near. "Well, Abraham, then" was the response. "It don't make any difference. They're both good men."

Mr. Charles White, of Newcastle, has a brood of chickens which have the run of a portion of the yard, the old hen being kept shut up. The chickens are fed with moistened meal in saucers, and when the dough gets a little sour it attracts large numbers of flies. An observant toad has evidently noticed this, and every day along toward evening he makes his appearance in the yard, hops to a saucer, climbs in, and rolls over and over until he is covered with meal, having done which he awaits developments. The flies enticed by the smell, soon swarm around the scheming batrachian, and whenever one passes within two inches or so of his nose his tongue darts out and the fly disappears, this plan works so well that the toad has taken it up as a regular business. The chickens do not manifest the least alarm at their clumsy and big mouthed playmate, but seem to consider it quite a lark to gather around him and peck off his stolen coal of meal even when they have plenty more of the same sort in the saucers.—Portsmouth (N. H.) Chronicle.

A Noted Woman. The item in regard to the failure of "Yours for health, Lydia E. Pinkham," of Lynn, Mass., which has been floating through the papers, we are glad to learn is false in every respect, as we found on inquiring at Hubbard's International Newspaper Agency of this city. The Lynn Bee said a few days since: "The Lydia Pinkham Compound Business is not financially embarrassed as reported, but is being conducted on a much larger scale than ever, doing a large and growing business and paying one hundred cents on a dollar." Mr. Hubbard has whole charge of the advertising of this and other similar large houses, and informs us that he has inserted her advertisements on yearly contracts in over 8,000 newspapers last year, so that she is today the best known woman in America. In addition to this fact she is a live, earnest woman of over sixty, and doing a great deal of good in the world, as many of the best families in this city can testify. Her advertisements, though worded plainly, are not equivocal in any sense, and her remedy is one of the few of great merit before the public.—New Haven Sunday Keeler.



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Absurd Legislation.

The New York Herald exposes one of the absurd laws of New York thus: A law passed by the last Legislature prohibiting the artificial coloring of oleomargarine went into force a few days ago. Another act containing a like prohibition will take effect September 1. The statute passed last year against the coloring of oleomargarine was vetoed by Governor Cornell on the ground that it was in violation of the federal patent laws, which expressly authorize the coloring of this article. But each of the laws enacted at the last session contains the proviso that "nothing in this act shall be so construed as to interfere with or abridge any right obtained, secured or guaranteed by a law of Congress or by any patent duly granted by the United States government. It will be perfectly lawful, then, under these statutes to color oleomargarine under a patent and to sell and use the product so made. Now there are at least two patents for the coloring of oleomargarine, and the effect of the law, if it has any effect, will be to protect the manufacturers who control these patents. There is not likely to be any cutting down of the amount of colored oleomargarine made, sold or consumed. But a more complete monopoly will be guaranteed to the lucky patent owners and their agents, conspicuous among whom we find the great anti-monopoly champion, Mr. F. B. Thurber. The second section of the act which has just gone into force contains the remarkable provision that "no keeper of any hotel, restaurant, boarding house or other place of public entertainment shall keep, use or serve, either as food for their guests or for cooking purposes, any such imitation butter or cheese which shall contain any of the coloring matter herein prohibited or be colored contrary to the provisions of this act." Whoever violates the law is declared guilty of a misdemeanor and made liable to punishment by a fine of from fifty to two hundred dollars or by confinement in jail from ten to thirty days, or by both fine and imprisonment. We doubt if any State can show a more ridiculous piece of legislation than this. What right has the Legislature of this or any other State to fix the color of the food that a boarding-house keeper may keep, use or serve or a boarder may eat under penalty of fine and imprisonment? Moreover, how is the offender to know in every case whether the article is butter or oleomargarine, and if the latter whether it has been lawfully colored under patent protection or not? And yet the act makes no allowance for an innocent violation of its provisions. The law is manifestly absurd.

Chat by the Way.

We all think good things, but to do them, ah! that is very different and not so easy. The minister is unlike the doctor, since he can't tell whether his parishioners are good or bad by examining their tongues. Whittier has sung some songs which the heart likes to sing over again. He encourages us all to a better life in these words: "To do is to succeed—our flight is waged in Heaven's approving sight—The smile of God is victory." Swinock said, "Set not thy watch by the town clock—the way of the world—but by the dial of Scripture, because that never falleth of going by the sun of righteousness." A blacksmith is the worst man in the community, because he is always on the strike. When fortune carresses a man she makes a fool of him, says the proverb. It may be so, but we can't speak from experience. If you would live quietly in the world you may both hear and see, but you must say nothing. A miser is a man who lives and dies like a beggar in order that he may never be poor. The transcendental idea of marriage is that when a wife gets to be forty the husband ought to be able to change her for two twenties. There are people in the world who really feel that they ought to pay their debts, and who are sometimes troubled by their inability to do so. It always seemed to us, however, that a clearer insight into human affairs should teach us that when we owe a man some money and cannot pay it the heaviest end of the sorrow naturally falls on him, not on us. We have the article bought and have enjoyed it, but he, poor fellow, is double minus, for he is minus what he sold and also has pay for it. Our grief to him is the grief of a regret in comparison with the grief of a lean pocketbook, and in these enlightened days when science proves conclusively that conscience is merely a matter of education, or possibly only a prejudice, most men become devotees of science and slow religion to look out for itself. Sheridan had a happy way of looking at a debt. When some one who was more impatient than courteous asked him how he managed to buy so many expensive things he naively replied: "Why, I order them at the shop, and the shopkeeper puts something down in a book, I believe, and once in a while speaks to me about it, and that's all I know." It is a grand thing to feel that your boy has cultivated good qualities of character, but it is much more satisfactory to feel that he inherited rather than cultivated them.

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The older I grow—and now I stand upon the brink of eternity—the more comes back to me the sentence in the catechism which I learned when a child, and the fuller and deeper its meaning becomes. "What is the chief end of man? To glorify God and enjoy him forever."—Carlyle.

Harper's Magazine for August is a brilliant number. It opens with a fine frontispiece, a full-page frontispiece by Abbey, engraved by Closson. We note especially two bright summer articles—both splendidly illustrated—"Some Western Resorts," by John A. Butler and "The Cruise of the 'Nameless,'" by Ben Phillips.

Col. T. W. Higginson contributes "The First Americans," an entertaining and instructive historical paper—the first of a series which is to give a continuous history of the United States down to the close of President Jackson's administration—promtely illustrated. There could be no more attractive summer-holiday reading than Mr. Lathrop's fourth paper on "Spanish Vistas," in which he introduces his readers to Andalusian delights and the splendors of the Alhambra. Mr. Reinhart's beautiful illustrations enhance the charms of this delightful Spanish sauntering. "Some Worthies of Old Norwich" (Sir Thomas Browne, Lord Nelson, John and Mrs. Opie, Mrs. Barbauld, Harriet Martineau, Sir William Beechey, Elizabeth Fry, and old John Crome) are treated by Miss Alice R. Hobbs in an interesting article, illustrated by views and portraits.

George M. Dawson contributes an entertaining sketch of the Queen Charlotte Islands and their native inhabitants, the Haida Indians, with illustrations. T. E. Prendergast contributes an article on the Canadian Pacific Railway, and the wonderful region—the "New Northwest"—which it is about to open to civilization. The article is illustrated with an excellent map.

A very important article relating to the perils of navigation in the North Atlantic—icebergs and fog—is contributed by J. W. Shackford, captain of the Illinois.

Thousands of magazine readers will give an eager welcome to one of the oldest contributors to Harper, Dr. A. A. Lipscomb, and will read with interest his exceedingly able article on "The Uses of Shakespeare off the Stage."

The number contains three strong short stories: "A Rebel," by Julian Hawthorne; "Laquelle?" by Mrs. Z. B. Gustafson; and "A St. Augustine Epitaph," by Miss A. R. Macfarlane. Poems are contributed by Edward Fawcett and William Winter.

The Editorial Departments maintain their old vigor. Among the contributors to the Drawer are R. K. Munkittrick, J. M. Bailey, John Codman, G. T. Lanigan, and A. E. Sweet.

No man need ever hope to have his heart divinely "fitted up in the ways of the Lord" who is engaged in self-seeking, or is proudly self-conscious. Self-abnegation is the price of spiritual exaltation. The renunciation of every known sin is a condition that of course is indispensable.—Rev. P. S. Henson.

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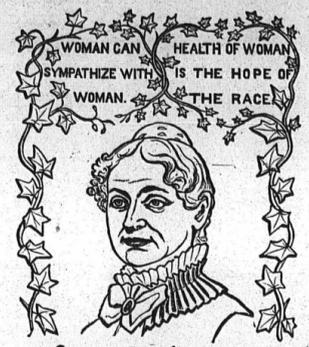
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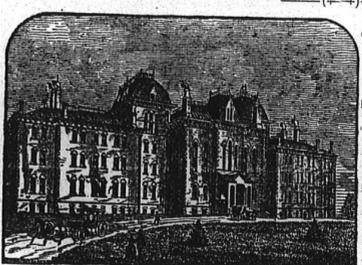
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