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WITH TAR

WILL NOT cure consumption, but it WILL cure any ordinary cough.

And at 25 cents for a full quarter-pint bottle, it is so cheap that you ought to keep it on hand all the time to protect yourself from the effects of these sudden changes of weather.

For deep-seated bronchial coughs we recommend our

Compound Syrup Of
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50 Cents

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Insures policies on both
Participating and Non-
Participating plans, for
either male or female at
very attractive rates. See
a representative before you
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For Salisbury, Md.

A. G. TOADVINE & SON,
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SALISBURY, MD.

Fire
Insurance.

Only the Best
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Represented.

HERE TO STAY!

PROF. S. C. SMITH,
The Old Reliable Piano Tuner.
Tuning a Specialty.

A SPLENDID LIGHT

Furnished As Sample By The Home Gas
Company. Favorable Comments
On The Quality.

The Home Gas Company completed the plant and main so as to be able to turn the gas on Saturday night. A large lamp has been placed on the Court House Lawn, directly in front of it on Division Street, and their office on Main St., was equipped with a number of lights. That the light given then and since was up to the standard was evident to anyone seeing it. As a matter of fact the quality of light given was such as to call for general comment and praise. The company also displayed in their office a number of ranges and heating outfits, and showed the general working and value of same. The citizens of Salisbury have been demanding a gas plant for some time, and from the present outlook they are to be congratulated on the equipment and plant that has been put up.

It is understood that the company have over 250 subscribers to take gas either for cooking or heating or both, and that the work of connecting the various houses is being rushed as fast as possible, and that it will not be long before most of the houses are connected.

Now's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Walding, Kinnam & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood, the mucous surface of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

—LOST—A roll of money, wrapped in white paper, somewhere on Dock Street or Main Street. The roll containing about \$111 mostly in \$5 bills. Also a check of \$55.96 drawn on James Bonds, on The People's National Bank, drawn by E. D. Bonman. Finder will be liberally rewarded, in return of the money to me or at the Advertiser's Office. James P. Rounds, Princess Anne, Md.

Habitual Constipation

May be permanently overcome by proper personal efforts with the assistance of the one truly beneficial laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs and Elixr Senna, which enables one to form regular habits daily so that assistance to nature may be gradually dispensed with when no longer needed as the best of remedies, when required, are to assist nature and not to supplant the natural functions, which must depend ultimately upon proper nourishment, proper efforts, and right thinking generally. To get its beneficial effects, always buy the genuine.

Syrup of Figs and Elixr Senna
CALIFORNIA
FIG SYRUP CO. ONLY
SOLD BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS
one size only, regular price 50c per bottle



and The Fruits Of Wise
Provision

in youth come home to you in old age. A rainy day is sure to come and you should be sure to provide for it.

START A BANK ACCOUNT
and watch it grow. Our methods of making your money grow fully explained if you inquire here.

PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK,
SALISBURY, MD.

A CIVIL ENGINEER

To Be Engaged By The County To Super-
vise Our Roads. More For Progress.

The Board of the County Commissioners at their session last Tuesday decided to employ a civil engineer to superintend under the direction of the board the construction, repairing and building of roads throughout the county, as well as the building and repairing of the bridges. This inaugurates anew system in the keeping up and improving our roads, and it is believed to be a step in the right direction. There is no doubt that the old system has not given the results expected of it, and although a great deal of money is spent each year on our roads, yet the fact remains that very little is being accomplished towards permanent improvement, and the best that has been done is to keep the roads passable. A very little thought on this subject will prove to the investigator that this is about all that could be expected under the present system. Our road supervisors, many of them undoubtedly conscientious men, are for the most part farmers and it is not to be expected that they are acquainted with the best methods of road construction and improvements, for this is as much a science and art as most other branches which require training and skill to produce the best results, and it is almost equivalent to expect a lawyer to know how to farm as it is for the average man to know how to treat properly our roads. The idea of the County Commissioners to place in the hands of a man who has given considerable time and study to the question of roads; the building, repairing and proper drainage, not only is a forward movement, it is understood that between \$4000 and \$4500 is paid out each year under the present system for road supervisors, and the question is whether or not the county has been getting value received for the sum of money used by men who on the whole have not given sufficient time to the study of this question, no matter how conscientiously they may have tried to perform their whole duty to the county. Or in other words, if this money, or GALLEY NO. EIGHT, whatever amount may be necessary, should be spent under the advice and management of a man who has had considerable experience in this line of work, would not the people of the county be more likely to get better results than if spent haphazard carrying out their own theories, mostly untried and partly, at least, proven failures or mere temporary makeshifts in the past?

The question of good roads is a very important one to the citizens of this county, and they will not begrudge any reasonable amount of money spent to improve them provided they feel sure the money is being put to a good use, and they are getting value received. The present action of the board in putting the control and management of our roads upon a scientific basis will strike a responsive chord in our entire community. The resolution adopted is as follows:

"Resolved by the full Board to employ until further order, a competent road engineer to superintend under the direction of the Board, the building and repairing of all roads and bridges in the county, as a salary not to exceed \$100.00 per month and that the President of the Board and Thomas Perry, Treasurer of the county, be directed to forthwith receive applications for the said position to be submitted to the Board for appointment."

Other Business Transacted By The Board.

A large number of pensions and other accounts were examined and approved. The following road supervisors were appointed: Wilson W. Wright for Quantico District; Ernest Freeny for Quantico District; Greenbury Gilfill and W. E. Culver for Quantico District; W. J. Knowles, L. E. Bailey and L. I. Taylor for Sharpton District. Bonds of the following road supervisors were approved: Louis Jenkins and W. W. Wright.

Mr. Denson was before the board and asked for a ferry house at Watpquin. Matter was referred to Commissioner Messick.

J. Massey Roberts was before the board and made a request for shells for casemate at Shiles Creek. Referred to Commissioner Messick.

T. W. Darby and others were before the board and made a request for shells to be put on public road leading out of Riverton. Referred to Commissioner Wright.

A committee of citizens from Patuxent was before the board and asked for a commission to straighten and improve the road from Parsons' house to Salisbury. Motion was deferred.

Cornis Vickers was appointed constable for Sharpton District; G. B. Feltman, constable for Pittsburg District.

NEW DRY GOODS FIRM.

The Kennerly-Shockley Company Succeeds
The Birkhead-Shockley Company.
To Open For Business Soon.

A change of considerable importance in the commercial world of Salisbury took place this week, when the old firm of Birkhead-Shockley Co., disposed of their mercantile and a new firm organized under the name of Kennerly-Shockley Co.

Messrs. Birkhead and Carey have been familiar figures in business circles of Salisbury for a good many years, and have been many times in the city's affairs. Salisbury today and Salisbury of the day these gentlemen first associated themselves in business is a very different place. The business run for years under the name of Birkhead and Shockley, and Carey was one of Salisbury's progressive and successful enterprises.

It was dissolved in 1902 and the business was conducted under the name of Birkhead and Shockley. This firm was dissolved in 1905 and was succeeded by Birkhead-Shockley Co., and was composed of Messrs. O. J. Birkhead, S. H. Carey, and J. Ernest Shockley who is associated with the new firm which will conduct the business on the same general line. The members of the new company are B. Frank Kennerly, J. Ernest Shockley, H. B. Freeny, W. M. Cooper, W. F. Allen, C. R. Diaharon, E. D. Mitchell, S. King White and Dr. J. McF. Dick. Mr. B. Frank Kennerly, the President of the company, is well known in business and commercial circles of Salisbury, where in connection with Mr. E. D. Mitchell he has run a successful business under the name of Kennerly and Mitchell; Mr. H. B. Freeny is the vice president and Mr. J. Ernest Shockley is secretary and treasurer. The capital stock is given as \$15000 with power to increase to \$50000.

The new company has leased the large brick store on Main Street, which was occupied by the old firm, for a term of years and expect to be open for business about the first of February. The management will be under the charge of B. Frank Kennerly as manager, with J. Ernest Shockley, a member of the old firm, as assistant. Mr. Kennerly and Mr. Shockley have left for the city where they will lay in a stock of goods.

Kennerly And Mitchell.

A change in the business of Kennerly and Mitchell, clothiers and Gent's Furnishers also took place this week. M. Kennerly a long part of his interest to Mr. Chas. W. Bennett, who was connected with the firm for a number of years. This business will be under the management of Mr. Mitchell assisted by Mr. Bennett. The firm of Kennerly and Mitchell was organized about 12 years ago and consisted of Messrs. B. Frank Kennerly and E. D. Mitchell. The firm has been very successful and popular with its patrons, and conducts one of the most successful stores of Salisbury.

Death Of Mrs. Ralph.

Mrs. Oriate Ralph, wife of L. B. Weatherly died at her home near Delmar, Del., on December 24, 1907. She was a daughter of the late C. T. and Nancy Ralph and was in her forty seventh year. Was married to Mr. Weatherly in December 1864. She was always of a serious turn of mind; was converted in her youth and joined the Protestant Methodist church at Vienna, Md. She possessed a warm, loving, sympathetic nature, which coupled with her deep piety, made her a most lovely character. None knew her but to love her. During her long and painful illness, she prayed continually that God would make her worthy to enter into that rest that remaineth to the people of God. Her whole life was spent near Maryland Springs, the place of her birth. She leaves beside her husband, one sister, Mrs. George Bonds of Maryland Springs and four brothers, Tansy Ralph, of Philadelphia, and James Charles, George, of Vienna, to mourn their loss.

She will be greatly missed in the community, but more than all in her home, which was her earthly kingdom. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of the entire community.

Written by Loved Ones.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of our father, John W. Goslee, who died one year ago today, January 21, 1907. One year has passed, dear father.

Since we were forced to part; But time nor space can ever erase Your memory from our hearts.

One long year since thou hast left us, (We now miss thee deeply feel; But 'tis God that hath bereft us, He will all our sorrows heal.

In the years fast fleeting by; Thou wilt not be forgot; For in our hearts for thee still slopeth The sweetest thought—thou art not.

Farewell, dear father, but not for ever; For thou wilt be a glorious dawn; We shall meet to gaze no more On that beautiful morn.

Thy Children.

The last Federal census, 1900, shows that the increase in the farm United States amounting to 100,000,000, and that only four percent, and that only four percent, of the increase in the farm values and this increase has developed in the road improvements there were begun. Prior to that time farm values in that State were also depreciating.

Great work along the line of road construction is being done in North Carolina and Georgia, where convict labor is used to advantage. Governor Swanson of Virginia, in preparing his message to the General Assembly of that State, is giving particular attention to the matter of building good roads. It is understood that he will recommend that the General Assembly amend the present road law so that the State will have to make an appropriation to each county for road improvements, the work to be done by the State and counties jointly, as in Maryland. Governor Swanson will doubtless propose the use of convict labor for this purpose.

Everywhere in Europe great attention is given to the perfecting of a complete system of smooth public highways of every grade. Even the poorest country or province considers the building of the best possible roads to be, in the long run, the most economical policy. The work is done under engineering supervision and in accordance with the most carefully drawn specifications. "The systems and methods of road construction in every country I visited abroad," said Dr. William Bullock Clark, head of the State Survey, who went to Europe to study the methods of road building there, "would be a revelation to anyone who is not familiar with the history of State road construction."

Generally speaking, the highways of Maryland are in bad shape. This condition should be attributed in part to the defective ways of construction and a lack of knowledge as to the proper means of administering the appropriations for that work and for repairs. In many cases also the evils have arisen from the relatively small amount of money which has been devoted, or could properly have been given, by the counties for use on the highways.

The large majority of the people, including the county offices in charge of the roads, do not travel far from home and do not know what a first class road really is and the advantages which it offers. Occasionally, however, when some one does, he is enthusiastic in praise of such roads and deplores the lack of road progress at home. He has had an object lesson not enjoyed by his neighbors. When the people at large are familiar with good roads there is no doubt, judging by the results in other States that they will be equally impressed with their advantages and will make the necessary effort to improve all the highways.

Resolved that we extend to the family of our deceased brother, our heart felt and sincere sympathies in this their sad bereavement and pledge them our sympathies and help in any time of need in the future.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread on our minutes, a copy sent to each of our town papers for publication, one to the Pathfinder and one to the family of the deceased.

E. J. C. Parsons,
Isaac L. Price,
B. Frank Kennerly.

—WANTED.—Tenant for farm on Spring Hill road. Apply to G. H. Section, Salisbury, Md.

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Resolutions Of Respect.

20th Sun Cold Moon G. S. D. 417. Whereas it has pleased the Great Spirit to remove from our midst, the 15th Sun Cold Moon 417 Bro. J. W. Evans to the happy hunting grounds above and feeling that a place has been made vacant in Lodge, church, family and community that is hard to fill.

Be, it hereby resolved that we in council assemble hereby extend to the widow and children of the deceased our sincere sympathies in their loss, but commending them to the Great Spirit who doeth all things well and furthermore pledging them our sympathies and help in time of sore distress and need in the future.

Resolved further that a copy of these resolutions be spread on our minutes and a copy sent to each of the town papers for publication, one to the Pathfinder and one to the family of the deceased.

E. J. C. Parsons,
Isaac L. Price,
B. Frank Kennerly.

—LOST—Friday afternoon on the road between Clara and White Haven, small closed face gold watch with souvenir fob of Exposition. Pearl Catlin engraved on the back. Reward will be given if returned to this office.

Economizes the use of flour, butter and eggs; makes the biscuit, cake and pastry more appetizing, nutritious and wholesome.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

This is the only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar.

It Has

SIGNATURES OF A
Bonaparte, Wilson and Straus.
Platiny—Others Like Cashmere.
Nearly every one is familiar with the pictures of the members of the Cabinet of President Roosevelt, but how few persons there are that ever saw the handwriting of the men. Here are reproduced the signatures of these men: Secretaries Root, Cortelyou, Taft, Meyer, Bonaparte, Metcalf, Garfield, Wilson and Straus.

William Root
Charles Bonaparte
John Taft
Charles Bonaparte
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Charles Bonaparte

Messrs. Bonaparte, Wilson and Straus write their names so that he who runs may read, while Messrs. Cortelyou, Meyer and Metcalf try the bank cashier style a life—i. e., write their names so that it is difficult to read them. Oscar S. Straus writes a very pretty signature, which some would call a vertical hand. James R. Garfield puts in his mother's maiden name, Rudolph.

Every one of them writes a better hand than does the President, and Charles Warren Fairbanks, who writes a plain round hand, will probably be considered the best of all.

THRIVES ON GUTTA PERCHA.

Little Sea Animal Which Is Much Dreaded by Engineers.

The vicissitudes of a submarine cable are many, says the Magazine of Commerce. It may be torn by an anchor, crushed by a rock or seriously damaged by a coral reef such as abound in the tropics. Some of the growths often found on a cable tend gradually to decay the iron sheathing wires. Then again a cable is sometimes severed by an earthquake. It may be fatally attacked by the snout of a sawfish or by the stroke of a swordfish.

But perhaps the little animal that makes itself most objectionable from the cable engineer's standpoint, is the insignificant looking teredo navalis. This little beast is intensely greedy where gutta percha is concerned, working its way between the iron wires and between the spring yarns. The silica in the outer cable compound tends to defeat the teredo's efforts at making meal of the core and thus defeat a further effect by the core being enveloped in a thin taping of brass.

But where the bottom is known to be badly infected with these little monsters of the deep the insular is often composed of India rubber, which has an attraction for the teredo and possesses a toughness, moreover, which is less suited to its boring tool than the comparatively cheese-like gutta percha.

From one cause or another, faults occur in most cables from time to time. These require to be electrically localized from the cable testing hut and a ship sent out to the supposed position to grapple for the line, pick it up and effect the necessary repairs. When the cable has really been hooked and picked up—an operation which may entail several weeks or even months, it only in waiting for favorable weather—the light is secured at the bows and afterward cut. Each end is then brought on board alternately and tested electrically. If found to be sound the necessary repairs are then effected.

Most Guarantee to Return.

The number of passengers emigrating from Asia Minor to the United States is so large that the Ottoman government, fearful lest the whole province be depleted of able-bodied men has refused to permit any one to leave the country, except upon giving a guarantee that he will return. There is, in spite of this restriction however, a considerable emigration going on both to the United States and to Egypt. The peasants smuggle themselves out of the country by sailing vessels to Greece, whence they are free to go wherever they wish.

Get Their Living by Lying.

"In China dear friends," said the absent-minded passenger, "human life is regarded as of but slight value. Indeed, it is a wealthy Chinese is condemned to death he can easily hire another to die for him; and I believe many poor fellows get their living by thus acting as substitutes."

Danger From Electricity.

If your dwelling is electrically lighted never place wood, clothes or other inflammable material against the wire meters or switches; never use an electric wire as a clothesline, and see to it that your dwelling is kept free from rats, as these pests often gnaw the insulation from the wires, and amount of loss from "electric fires" in the United States in one year, according to the National Fire Insurance Co.

Good Reasons He Was Burying the Seed in Masse.
S. F. Hood, of the department of agriculture, with good prospects of success is trying to beat the Japanese camphor trust by raising camphor groves in Florida.
At a dinner in Huntington that celebrated an unusually fine distillation of camphor leaves, Mr. Hood, the guest of honor, told an agricultural story, a story that should appeal to all suburbanites.
"One beautiful spring morning," he began, "a suburbanite looked suspiciously over his hedge and said to his neighbor:
"Hey, what the deuce are you burying in that hole there?"
"The neighbor laughed—a harsh, bitter laugh.
"Oh," he said, "I'm just replanting some of my nasturtium seeds, that's all."
"Nasturtium seeds?" shouted the first man angrily. "It looks more like one of my Bull Leghorn hens."
"Oh, that's all right," the other retorted. "The seeds are inside."

From Prayer to Laughter.

A revival meeting was in progress and Sister Jones was called upon for testimony, according to the Cleveland Leader. Being meek and humble, she said: "I do not feel as the I should stand here and give testimony. I have been a transgressor for a good many years and have only recently seen the light. I believe that my place is in a dark corner behind the door."
"Further Smith was next called upon for his testimony and, following the example set by Sister Jones, said: "I, too, have been a sinner for more than forty years, and I do not think it would be fitting for me to stand before this assembly as a model. I think my place is behind the door, in a dark corner with Sister Jones."
And he wondered why the meeting was convulsed with the laughter of those who came up to pray.

Henry's Answer.

Senator Foraker was talking in Senate O. about a political opponent. "I shall answer him," said the senator, smiling, "and I fear that my answer will be as satisfying, as unpleasantly satisfying as the elderly husband's was."
"You know, there was an elderly husband to whom his wife said one day:
"Henry, it's a world of trouble, and life is very uncertain. But promise me, if I be taken away, that you will never marry that horrid Mary Simmons."
"I can easily promise you that," Henry replied. "She refused me three times when I was a much handsomer man than I am today."

Reading into the Telephone.

A young Philadelphia woman of good family but reduced means, who has retained an extensive acquaintance among her aristocratic associates, has hit upon a novel and original means of earning a livelihood by the use of her voice and excellent reading ability. She has combined some of her wealthy friends of advanced years into a reading circle, who listen to her over their telephone for about an hour a day and pay her generously by the week for her entertainment.

A Healthy Man is a King in his own right.

An unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Hardcock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles.

Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently.—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

PHILIPPINE ARMY "DOCIE ITCH"

Disease Contracted in the Philippine Service—Itching Pimples Covered Body—Army Surgeons Failed to Cure—Discharged for Disability—Cured by Cuticura, Now

A FIRM BELIEVER IN CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I enlisted in the Corps of Engineers as a telegraph operator, and, while stationed in the Philippines, I became subject to the 'Docie Itch,' as the natives call it. In this disease small, white, itching pimples form under the skin, generally between the toes, on the limbs, between the fingers, and under the arms. I never knew of a case originating outside the Philippine Islands, but have known of many cases where it has returned in this country and invariably at the same time of the year as the original attack. The cause, so far as I could learn, was some tropical parasite or germ peculiar to that region.
"I got so bad that I was confined to my quarters a week at a time. The Army Surgeons applied some carbolic solution, and it would disappear for a time when it would break out again. I was discharged from the Engineers by reason of disability contracted in line of duty, and when I had the trouble again, my doctor, Mr. J. J. of Brooklyn, recommended Cuticura Remedies. The immediate relief was manifest with my first purchase, and the malady quickly yielded to the Remedies. It has never recurred or bothered me since. I have to use and recommend to all who suffer from this disease, Cuticura Remedies from personal experience. John R. Wood, 201 South 5th St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 21 and 26, 1905."

FOR ECZEMA, RASHES

And all Humors of the Skin—Cuticura is Priceless.

Eczema, itching, irritations, chapping, chafing, scalding, for red, rough, scaly, corns, pimples, and blackheads, dandruff, falling hair, sore burning, and itching hands and feet, and all other skin troubles, including itching humors of skin, scalp, and face. Cuticura Remedies, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Soap (Largest or Full) or Cuticura Tablets, complete treatment, and the most complete and reliable remedy for all skin troubles.

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THE SEPARATE BLOUSE.

this season would see it outside the pale of new modes. The lingerie blouse, however, seems to be giving way to quite as dainty models in silk, which, if not warmer, at least look more substantial than the sheer effects in linen, batiste and lawn.

There is a ready made blouse that answers all purposes of dressy wear. It is made of figured China silk, of heavy quality, with trimmings of lace and narrow soutache braid stitched over coarse net. The lace is stitched upon the front of the waist in decorative design, then outlined with quarter-inch folds of soutache. The trimmings extend along the line of the shoulder seams which are lost in a one-piece yoke and collar of sheer batiste stitched with silk braid. The Japanese effect appears in the sleeves which are outlined with lace and braid, with stitched or net between. These fall over under sleeves of the waist material, while the girder reproduces the effect of the Japanese sleeve.

Wider than China silk for dressy blouses is chiffon cloth, which comes in a variety of figured designs as well as in plain colors. It is a rich looking and requires but little trimming. It is used to economize, but with accessories of braid, embroidery or lace, chiffon cloth is fashioned into a number of delicious blouses for theatre and dinner wear.

Removing a Tight Ring.

"Most girls in childhood have worn rings that have had trouble in removing from their fingers," said a jeweler, "and yet the removal of a tight ring is the simplest thing in the world. If you know how to do it, you can do it. If you try to remove it merely by pulling it up, the blood is forced from the lower part of the finger to the tip, thus causing it to swell. By winding thread around the finger the swelling is released and the operation is easy."
"You take a needle, flat in the eye, and thread it with strong, but not too coarse thread. Then, very carefully, you pass the head of the needle under the ring in the direction of the wrist. By passing the needle beneath the ring, the blood is forced down the finger, leaving the empty needle—so."
"I said," said he, continuing, "wrap the end of the thread round the finger toward the nail thus, then take the short end and unwind it—so. You see that the thread pressing as it does against the ring, cannot fail to gradually work it off, no matter how tight it may be."

How to Mend a Stay.

The nicest way to mend a broken corset or dress stay is to bind the top of the stay or where it is broken with a small piece of chambray skin. The end of the stay it will be found, not pierce through the chambray, but frequently does through cloth.

Clean Agate Ware.

Agate ware that has been used for a long time, and which has become discolored, may be cleaned by taking a small piece of fine sandpaper and rubbing the ware with it. The sandpaper will remove the discoloration and leave the ware as bright as new.

Skeptical About It.

"I didn't see you in church Sunday morning," said Mrs. Olden. "No," replied her hostess, "I was away on a business trip." "No," replied her hostess, "I was away on a business trip." "No," replied her hostess, "I was away on a business trip."

Lincoln Knew He'd Grow Old.

Venerable Mrs. Harworth of Kansas City recently exhibited to friends who came to see him on his 80th birthday a black walnut cane, which he used and presented to him by Abraham Lincoln in 1850. "The cane," said Lincoln, "is to use when you get old. I know you will live to be old, because the good die young."

In Windsor Castle King Edward keeps \$12,500,000 worth of gold plate.

Coal From the River.

It is said that as much as \$5,000,000 worth of coal, are taken yearly from the bed of the Susquehanna River. There are several large companies engaged in this business, and those which can afford it recover the coal by means of a suction dredge, an extremely novel manner of taking coal from the ground. The fuel is washed down from the colleries and culms piles along the upper river.

Danger From Electricity.

If your dwelling is electrically lighted never place wood, clothes or other inflammable material against the wire meters or switches; never use an electric wire as a clothesline, and see to it that your dwelling is kept free from rats, as these pests often gnaw the insulation from the wires, and amount of loss from "electric fires" in the United States in one year, according to the National Fire Insurance Co.

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The Source of Hope.

The retina of the eye predates light, the auditory canal of the ear, sound. So my desire after God predates an object of worship and of love. The primary witness of God is in myself, my sense of personality, my free will, my conviction of the sacredness of right and duty, the yearning after holiness, the thrill of sacred emotion which is stirred within my soul by a voice stronger than nature. Yes this is God.

—Rev. F. Willis, Reformed

In Harmony With God.

Can you reconcile your business with God? Was yesterday's "deal" in harmony with His mind? Will your books stand a heavenly audit? In your office dare you put up the prayer—that is to say, should you dare if you had any realizing belief in the efficacy of prayer—"Abide with me; come not to sojourn but abide with me." Will you reconcile your business methods with God? A ministry which does not force these questions home is saddest and chaff.

—Rev. Chas. Aked, Baptist.

Passive Faith.

Then there is a great deal of faith out in the world that never gets into the church. It is a negative, passive faith. It has nothing against Christ, but it leads to nothing for Him. There are lots of people who will tell you, if you asked them, that they believe in Christ, and yet they are doing nothing for His cause or kingdom. They never have confessed Him publicly. They never have enlisted in His service. —Rev. H. P. Dewey, Presbyterian

In One Brotherhood.

One with Him, we are one with all of God there is above us, and one with all men here below. And it is because I believe that the arms once outstretched on Calvary's Cross of pain and shame are now being used to embrace in one brotherhood men of every race and name and color; that I shall preach Christ to you; Christ crucified, Christ risen, Christ glorified, living, loving, reigning, and in the pursuit of a Ministry of Reconciliation, as though God were entreating by us, shall beseech you, on behalf of Christ, be ye reconciled with God. —Rev. Chas. Aked, Baptist.

Significance of This Life.

The trouble with us is that we give an exaggerated value to these earthly years. But think of all the eternity that is past, and all the eternity that is to come; does it not seem a small matter whether one's stay here is a few years more or a few years less? From the eternal point of view the longest earthly life is but as a moment. The day of our birth was nature's gift to us; it was also God's. The day of our death will be at nature's signal too, but it will be at God's as well.

Our circumstances also are of God, for he has a life plan for every one of us. —Rev. D. Burrill, Reformed.

Guarding the Way of Life.

Beside that way of life, guarded by the hedge of law, Christ plants the tree of life, for food and shelter; then dips springs of water for the traveler's thirsty lips, and makes the way of obedience to be the way of good fortune. But youth and folly look longingly over the hedge, they strain their eyes toward the abyss, they rebel against the guards and the laws that make for safety. Strange that the traveler turns away from the cool fountain and the highway of happiness to break through the hedge and plunge into the slough, to drink the poisoned waters, stomach-ache and holding seals of death. —Rev. Wallace Smith, Episcopal.

Christ's Love of Man.

The position of Jesus was such as would surely bring upon Him the indignation of the world. He could not escape His doom; so to that doom He went in a beating storm of calumny and dishonorable imputation, of reckless scandal and unheeded treachery and falsehood. Rather than give the Heavenly Father any credit for the good Christ did, scoffers blasphemed and carried His words of blessing to the devil. The implacable enemies who gathered behind Him on Pilate's pavement and clamored for His blood, had no shadow of a dream that His blood would cleanse the guilty world. They slew him for the truth's sake, and the Son of God reached His consecration's height as the prophet of all men, when, knowing that one single act of necessity would have poisoned the saving stream of the ages, He bore a faithful witness and became the Alpha and Omega and the great Amen. —Rev. J. C. Ayer, Methodist.

Animals at Church Services.

Animals attend a church service in Peru, Peru. Pigs, goats, cattle and poultry are brought by their owners to be blessed on All Souls' Day, and the church is turned into a domestic menagerie.

The seats are removed, and the animals can trot about the floor where they will. After the service the live stock is formally handed over to the monks, who receive little other payment for their services. —The Life.

THE BEARS USED TO DRINK BY

the Wissahickon Pike.

Maple Springs Hotel was the last of the famous roadhouses and picnic resorts to be established along the Wissahickon pike, as that thoroughfare was known before the commissioners of Fairmount Park preempted the valley as an extension of the public's pleasure grounds. It was during the civil war that the large frame hostelry came into existence. That it was a long needed want for that class of population between the aristocratic patrons of Harry Lippen's Wissahickon Hall and the plebeian customers of Tommy Llewellyn's Old Long Cabin was just beginning to be demonstrated when the hotel came under the edict of the State Legislature that no intoxicating liquors shall be sold within Fairmount Park.

Like the other places along the creek, its end was foreshadowed in the withdrawing of the drink selling privilege. Maple Spring was situated on the "Flat," or "Wide," as the site was variously termed, about half way between Wissahickon Hall, at Grapy lane, and the Log Cabin. The latter resort was known all over the city for its black bears, monkeys and other animals. People would journey out there to see the bears drink mineral water and sarsaparilla out of bottles.

The corks in the bottles were fastened or tied with twine. The bears would grab the bottles between their fore paws, sit up on their haunches and gnaw at the twine until the cork would pop out and strike brass on the nose. The manager of the hotel of these days, John R. Johnson, of the Falls of Schuylkill, had orders to charge the bottles intended for the bears with more carbonic acid gas than was contained in the bottles sold over the bar.

Joseph Smith, proprietor of Maple Springs, was a genuine humorist. He would stroll through the adjacent woods gathering the gnarled roots of laurel and other bushes and with a little chipping with a knife would transform the roots into images of birds, animals, snakes and grotesque figures. These he would color and varnish and with them construct picture frames and various kinds of ornaments. He became known as "Whittier" Smith and his show of carved work formed a strong rival to the Log Cabin menagerie. The barroom, reception room and other parts of the hotel, even the porches, were decorated with specimens of Whittier Smith's handiwork, while hundreds of his carved figures were given away to visitors.

Following Smith's proprietorship Maple Springs passed into the charge of Harry Long, who had begun to do a thriving business when the privilege of selling liquor was withdrawn. As a soft drink hotel the Maple Springs managed to exist. One day the police of the Manayunk, or Thirteenth district, made a descent upon the place and raided it as a "speakeasy." This incident about closed out the business and it was but a short time later that Long succumbed to a long illness.

The hotel was subsequently torn down and the old flat upon which it stood was made to resume much of its original appearance. —Philadelphia Ledger.

Barren Year In Salt.

The United States Geological Survey report that more salt was produced in the United States in 1906 than in any previous year, and that the value of the product was greater than in any year since 1890. The quantity produced was 3,944,133 short tons or 23,178,380 barrels valued at \$5,658,350 a gain of 308,376 tons, or 2,308,583 barrels, over the production in 1905.

In 1906 as in 1905 a large part of the output of crude salt was used in chemical works, as brine. The quantity of dry salt reported in 1906 was 3,403,818 short tons or 18,598,700 barrels, valued at \$6,179,866, an average value of \$2.37 a ton or 23.22 cents a barrel. In 1905 the value was \$2.25 a ton or 21.51 cents a barrel on a production of about 590,000 barrels less.

New York leads in value of output closely followed by Michigan. The output of Michigan, however, is considerably greater than that of New York. New York got 33.4 cents a barrel; Michigan, 20.3 cents. Ohio ranks next, followed by Kansas. In 1905 Kansas exceeded Ohio in value of output, each showing an increase for 1906.

California, Texas and Utah show an increase and Louisiana and West Virginia a decrease in value of output. Michigan and New York combined contributed more than two-thirds (\$7.14 per cent.) of the total salt production of the United States.

The leading States, 1906, were: New York 8,978,630; Ohio, 3,236,758; Kansas, 2,198,837; and Louisiana, 1,179,523. These five States contributed 90.82 per cent. of the total quantity produced in the country during the year.

The Ports of India.

The six great ports of India which received merchandise and distributed it for consumption and re-export in 1906 were Calcutta, \$14,170,130; Bombay, \$12,648,055; Karachi, \$1,449,985; Rangoon, \$1,100,295; Madras, \$28,896,990; and Chittagong, \$1,027,030.

Fraulein Richter has been appointed lecturer of philology at Vienna University, the first instance of a woman receiving such an appointment.

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"I don't like tidy rooms," said Elsie, with a pucker on her forehead, as she turned the pieces of dissected map this way and that.

"I think it must be ever so nice to keep plenty of servants," said Ruth. "I was reading the other day about the young King of Spain—when he was a baby, you know, mamma, and yet a king! And he had ever and ever so many servants, all just for himself!"

"I once knew some little girls who kept a great many servants."

"Tell us about them, please, mamma. How old were they?"

"Well, as about as old as Beanie and Ruth and Elsie."

"How many had they?"

"You can count as I go on. There were two bright looking ones, always dressed alike, in blue, brown and gray. Their duty was to keep on the watch for what ought to be done."

"Didn't they ever do anything themselves?"

"Not much but that. It seemed to keep them busy if they attended to their duties. But sometimes they were careless, and then the work of all the other servants became poor and was done only half way."

"I'm sure it was little enough to do," said Beanie.

"Then there were two more, whose business it was to listen to what their little mistresses' mother teachers told them, and let them know what it was."



"I don't like tidy rooms."

"It seems to me," said Ruth, laughing, "they must have been a lazy set—so many to do so little. Any more, mamma?"

"Two more, always dressed in red, who told what the others heard."

"It took a long time to get to it, I think," said Beanie.

"When these had settled upon anything to be done," said mamma, "there were a pair of lovely little fellows, always wearing dark, stout clothing, who carried the girls to where their work was to be done."

"Oh," laughed Elsie, "what a queer set you are telling us of, mamma. Were the little girls lame?"

"I hope they did their work well when they got to it, after all that fuss," said Ruth.

"They surely ought to have done so," agreed mamma, "for they had no less than ten servants to do it for them."

"Now, mamma, do tell us what you mean," cried Elsie.

"I mean," answered mamma, "that little Blue Eyes and Brown Eyes and Gray Eyes ought always to be on the lookout for anything to be done for those whom we love."

"Oh, I see! And ears to listen!" cried Beanie, greatly delighted.

"And dear little lips," said mamma, kissing the pair which chance made to be nearest, "which can not only talk about duties to be done, but can brighten every duty for themselves and for others by their smiles and merry chatter."

"And feet to walk and run with," said Beanie.

"And fingers. Dear me, just think of all the servants!" said Elsie. "I should think they would quarrel once in a while."

"Yes," observed Beanie. "Supposing the eyes saw something to do and the ears heard somebody tell about it, and the feet shouldn't want to go to do it, and the hands should want to do it?"

"Oh," said mamma, "if the heart which moves all these little servants is a good, loving heart, always striving to do what is right, the little servants will be kept in good order."

Colors in a Soap Bubble.

Have you ever noticed that some of the soap-bubbles you blow are iridescent? And do you know why it is because the film is constantly changing in thickness, and this acts like a prism, separating the rays of light into primary colors.

A Jingle.

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speed, churning the blue sea at the

surface and narrowing the circles at

each revolution. A terrible situa

tion for a helpless man.

Once—twice—thrice it flashed its

vast jaws, only to dart back as Pell

splashed with the fury of desperat

ion. But the boat was alongside. A

dozen eager hands seized the swim

mer, while others attacked the mon

ster with bathhooks and bayonets.

But it was not to be denied. Even

as Pell was in the very act of being

hauled over the side the creature

made one last plunge through the

water, dyed with its own blood, and

snapped off the man's left leg above

the knee. Not all the efforts of the

surgeons of the Eurydice could save

him. Pell died next day.

These horrible creatures attain

an enormous size—up to 40 feet, or

as large as some whales. I have

seen a specimen taken off the Great

Barrier Reef 36 feet long. It had

eaten a horse thrown overboard from

the Port Moresby steamship; and

its scurried rows of fangs were the

most dreadful sight I have ever be

held. Some of them were nearly 3

inches long and 2 1/2 wide.

THE GREAT SALONS.

THE GREAT SALON REVOLUTION.

Is There Come Again?—The Author of "The Salon" is back. Others are of a different mind. What the Salon is, and how it was made.

It is hard for an American, to whom the drawing room—that is, the "salon"—means for the most part, a place of refinement, or at least a place of refinement, to realize that in France and in the nineteenth century there was a mighty influence in history. When he is told that they prepared the French revolution, that they laid the foundation for the modern spirit of altruistic consciousness, and that they virtually made the human race over again, he remains incredulous. But it is all true. Modern ideas were talked into existence in the salons of Mme. de Lambert, Mme. de Tencin, Mme. Geoffrin, Mme. d'Épinay, Mme. Necker, Julie de Lespinasse, and a few others. In particular, the salon may claim to have created the modern woman.

These facts are made clear enough, even to the wary reader, by a story of French Society and Personalities in the eighteenth century. The author has emphasized the influence of the eighteenth century salons, but not, we think, unduly. She reaches the conclusion that the salon, in its old sense, cannot come again—but we are not so sure of that. She says:

The historical salon, which was the instigator of original thought, and the arbiter of taste and manners, was sacrificed by its own creation; it evoked a destroying spirit, by whose agency, nevertheless, the position of woman as a whole, was incalculably raised. The salon came to an end with that society in which alone it could reach pre-eminence, and it can no more be rehabilitated than can the structure with which it fell.

The salon, taken in itself, might conceivably be restored, since men and women and drawing rooms still exist; but its relation to the life of an epoch is the thing which it would be so difficult to renew.

What was the salon in the eighteenth century? In the account of Julie de Lespinasse, the author of this book makes it clear what it was in its best estate. Mme. de Lespinasse took an ordinary pleasure and intercourse in order to maintain her salon. She received every evening from 6 to 10, and so rarely was this rule broken that an occasional visit in the country was an event talked of throughout Paris. At her assemblies she adorned herself, apparently—that is to say, she took no prominent part in the conversation, but acted as its guiding force.

Marmontel gives an account as an eye-witness of her influence over the diversified company, which she and d'Alembert gathered about them. He likens the dissimilar personalities grouped in her salon to the chords of an instrument from which, though diverse in themselves, she with her art, drew forth the most exquisite harmonies. "Nowhere," he says, "was the conversation more lively, more brilliant, more solid or better regulated."

It must be remembered that Julie de Lespinasse was a poor girl, of illegitimate birth; that she offered no luxury or grace of surroundings to the great men who came to her little parlor; and above all that she never gave them anything to eat. They came, quite manifestly, for what they were to talk about, and they talked to great purpose.

Julie de Lespinasse was born for her salon, but she nevertheless had a training for the art in the house of her aunt, Mme. du Deffand, who had a great salon before her. The story, indeed, of Julie's maintaining a kind of subsidiary, surreptitious and clandestine salon in Mme. du Deffand's house is well known. Mrs. Humphrey Ward has made use of the whole episode in her "Lady Rose's Daughter." But the traitorous Julie certainly improved upon the example of her kinswoman.

NEEDLEWORK NOTES.

Corn Husks as Pillows.

Save the husks of green corn; dry; salt them and use as stuffing for one or two summer pillows. They make a crisp, springy filling and a few dried rose geranium or lemon verbena leaves added will give suggestion of pleasant fragrance. Pink and white clover blossoms are also a change from the old lavender, pine and balm needles, which not always are easy to procure.

Real flower fans are the present fancy, and are carried by many bridesmaids at fashionable weddings. There must be a different fan for every gown and occasion nowadays. A tiny one to match the hat is correct for morning.

A dainty and fashionable slipper for evening wear was made of pouppour taffeta ribbon in a rose pattern and trimmed with a green jeweled button in the center of a tiny rosette of shell pink.

White is still the choice for dressy gowns.

Lame Shoulder Cured.

Lame shoulder is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and quickly yields to a few applications of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Mrs. F. H. McKee, of Boltons, New Brunswick, writes: "Having been troubled for some time with a pain in my left shoulder, I decided to give Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial, with the result that I got prompt relief." For sale at Toulson's Drug Store.

HELPING COLLEGE STUDENTS.

More Than \$100,000 Earned at Outside Work in 1908.

The Committee on Employment for Students at Columbia begins with the opening of the university this month the twelfth year of its existence. The committee was established by suggestion of Seth Low when he was president of Columbia. In a recent report of the secretary of the committee are published figures of earnings of the first year and of the latest.

In 1896 the students who were helped earned \$2,411. In 1906 the total reported amounted to \$104,240.38. Reuben A. Meyers, Columbia, '02, who until recently devoted all his time to the secretaryship of the committee, commenting on the work says:

"Experience indicates that a person can find employment in New York sooner or later at any task for which he possesses marked ability. The unskilled, the mediocre, the crude, the inadapted, will have a more difficult time of it, and they must content themselves with the less skilled and consequently the less remunerative forms of employment."

The plan of having the students report the sums earned through their own initiative, in addition to the income the committee secured for them, has materially increased the efficiency of the committee, for in this way suggestions are received which can be developed with profit for other students. The innovation at first met with some opposition on the part of certain students, who had not yet outgrown the schoolboy feeling of antagonism toward the authorities.

"As soon as the objects realized that we were all trying to help one another and that the university wished the information in order that it might better aid young men in a position similar to their own they immediately expressed their willingness to co-operate with the committee. There are still students, however, who do not report their earnings, and there probably always will be considerable sums earned concerning which the committee has had no information."

The query suggests itself, is the work of the committee worth while; is a young man justified in making the sacrifice necessary in the majority of cases to work his way through? The only real test as to whether the university's efforts in behalf of the students are wasted is the conduct of the students whom it has assisted and the service which they have rendered for the betterment of society.

The reorganization of the committee dates back only three years, and consequently the time is too short to furnish a basis for accurate judgment. Ten or fifteen years after graduation, when the men are fairly well-started on their life work, will be the proper time to express an opinion on the general utility of the work."

Blackfish Oil.

Few of those who read of the stranding of a school of blackfish on the Falmouth shore in Buzzards Bay and of their subsequent purchase by William F. Nye of this city had any idea of what sort of creature blackfish were or what there is about them that makes them valuable.

Blackfish oil is the finest in the world for delicate mechanisms, such as watches, clocks and chronometers, and the monopoly in petroleum enjoyed by the Standard Oil isn't in it for a moment with that enjoyed by William F. Nye in the manufacture of watch oils. The watch of the conductor who has charge of the train across the continent, the watch of the bearded official who controls the destinies of the trains across the Siberian deserts are oiled with oil made in New Bedford; while the same oil is used in lubricating the mechanism of the clock in the Strasbourg Cathedral, the necessary supply being furnished gratis by Mr. Nye in commemoration of a visit to that city some years ago.

Mr. Nye makes blackfish oil, but the credit for the discovery of its superlative merits belongs to a Fairhaven man, Ezra Kelley. A Provincetown sailor saved some blackfish oil free from the oils of other species of fish. Ezra Kelley, a repairer of watches and ships' chronometers, tried it and found it the best he had ever used. He began using it in chronometers brought to him for adjustment. The whole ships carried these chronometers to foreign ports and there took them ashore for adjustment. The repairer noticed the excellent quality of the oil and made inquiries. Mr. Kelley sent samples abroad and soon built up a considerable business. It remained, however, for Mr. Nye to push the trade into practically all the countries of the world.

There is hardly a railroad in the world but what has an account with Mr. Nye. Every one has noticed the bells at unprotected grade crossings which signal the approach of a train. These bells are operated by a delicate mechanism, which of necessity is exposed to extremes of heat and cold. The best oil of is required to keep them in good condition, and that oil is manufactured in New Bedford. At the time of the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia Mr. Nye offered a prize of \$1,000 to any one who would produce an oil other than fish oil that would be the equal of fish oil. The offer is still standing.

—New Bedford Cor. Boston Herald.

Bad Stomach Trouble Cured.

Having been sick for the past two years with a bad stomach trouble, a friend gave me a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They did me so much good that I bought a bottle of them and have used twelve bottles in all. Today I am well of a bad stomach trouble. Mrs. John Lowe, Cooper, Maine. These tablets are for sale at Toulson's drug store.

A BARGAIN IN

(Original.)

"That furnace simply eats up the coal," Belden said to his wife at breakfast. "I'll have to order more to-morrow."

"Mr. Jameson buys his coal through his firm and he gets it 60 cents a ton cheaper that way," Mrs. Belden replied, looking up from her fancy work. "Mrs. Jameson told me yesterday that any time you want them to do so they will order coal for us at the same price. I thought it lovely of her. It will be quite a saving to us, Jack."

"And place us under obligation to the Jamesons? I'd rather not be indebted to my neighbors. Fifty cents difference on a ton of coal will neither make nor break us."

"If people want to be neighborly I think we ought to encourage them. Of course," Belden agreed. "Still, I prefer not to trouble the Jamesons."

"It's just like you to be contrary, Jack, when I've taken such pains to surprise you," said his wife. "I may as well tell you that I asked Mrs. Jameson to-day to order two tons of coal for us in view of our dwindling supply. The coal will be here in the morning."

"It was thoughtful of you, of course," Belden said. "But—" He stopped and then added, hastily: "I suppose we ought to do something also for the Jamesons when we can."

"I knew you'd feel that way about it, dear, so I've invited Mrs. Jameson to go with me to the matinee to-morrow," Mrs. Belden said. "I telephoned for the tickets."

"That's right," Belden agreed. When Belden came down to dinner the next evening he learned that the coal had not arrived. "Mrs. Jameson says it will surely come in the morning," Mrs. Belden explained. "She's perfectly sweet and doesn't mind taking any amount of trouble for us. She called up by telephone three times to-day about the coal and wouldn't let me pay back the tickets I could have bought little marjorie a pound box of chocolates to get even."

"How have you managed to keep warm?" asked Belden. "There was little coal left this morning." "I bought two bushels of the man around the corner. I'd hate to buy any more in small quantities; it's awfully expensive. And I had to give the man an extra dime, he spent so much time trying to open the basement window. Anyway, we have enough coal to last overnight."

The next evening, when Belden reached home, he found the house as cold as a barn, save for the kitchen, where the gas stove was burning at full.

"Isn't it cozy out here, Jack?" Mrs. Belden cried, beaming upon her husband. "I'm almost glad the coal hasn't come, so we have to be out here to keep warm. The coal will surely come in the morning. It takes a little longer to get coal this way, but, of course, we can't complain because we are getting it so cheap."

"Is the furnace fire clean out?" "Yes; but I ordered 50 cents worth of wood, so you'll have plenty to light it when you're ready. I got Jerry to clean out the fireplace, too, and carry away the ashes. I know you hate so to have to do it. Jerry wouldn't take a cent for his pains, and so I gave him your striped trousers—the pair I never liked."

"They cost me \$7 and I've only worn—" Belden began. But he held his peace when his wife smilingly placed before him his favorite trousers. Belden was detained half an hour later than usual at his office the next evening. It was quite dark when he reached home. Mrs. Belden met him in the hall.

"The coal has come, dear!" she announced, triumphantly. "It's in the alley and—"

"In the alley?" Belden fairly shouted. "Don't be so loud, dear. Yes, of course. It was nearly 6 o'clock when it came and the driver said he'd either have to dump it in the alley or take it back. Mrs. Jameson forgot to tell me that the firm doesn't send a man to put in the coal, but, of course, we're getting it so much cheaper—Where are you going, Jack?"

"To get that confounded coal to. If it stays in the alley all night there'll be none to get in to-morrow," he said, shortly.

"Of all the ungrateful men, Jack Belden, commend me to you!" Mrs. Belden said, indignantly. "The next time you need coal, please order it yourself and don't ask me."

Somewhat they quite set my teeth on edge. I suppose it was the last little combination of yellow and pink. And there were so many of them! They were from a man I particularly detest, too, and Patricia wrote him a note of thanks then and there, and actually made me telephone for a messenger-boy. She seemed to think it of vital importance that that note should be delivered immediately. For my part, I think it could very well have waited for the regular post. Decidedly, as Patricia seems to be fond of flowers, I shall myself supply her with them in the future.

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tonight as I was leaving my office the telephone bell rang. There was nothing surprising in that, for it had

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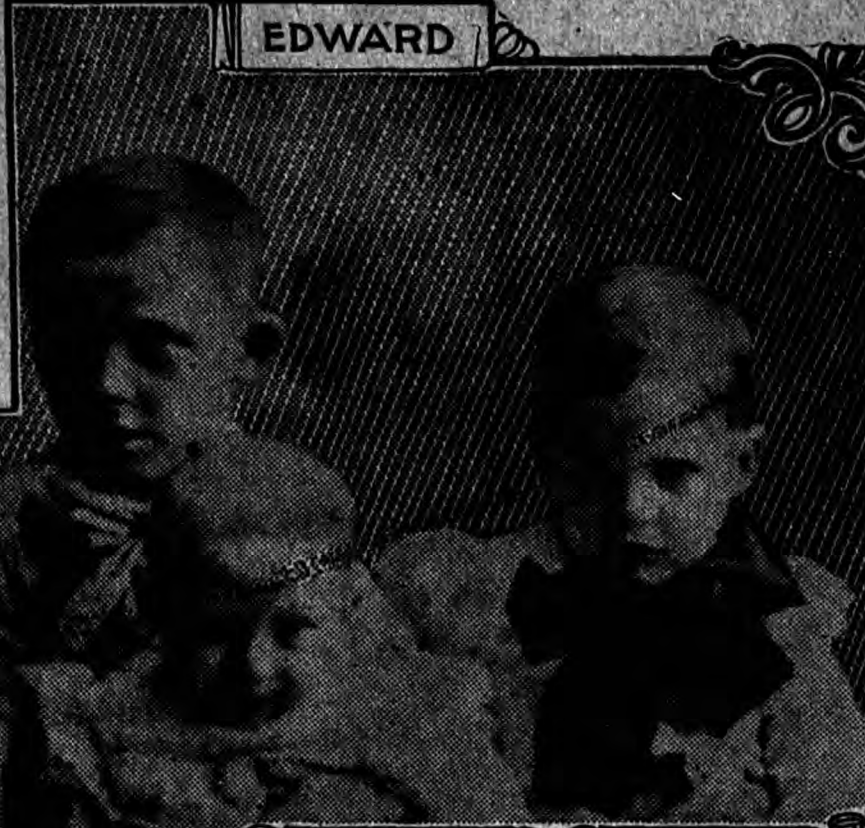
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KELLY.

The young folks of this neighborhood gave Miss May Morris a surprise party last Saturday night. Those present were Misses May Adkins, Lola Wimbrow, George Tilghman, May Shockley, Virgie Freeny, Hattie Matthews, Ida Jones, Ella Shockley, Ethel Powell, Alice Johnson, Mattie Johnson, Maggie Fooks, Susie Johnson, Lella Johnson, Louise Kelly, Gertha Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Morris, Messrs. Herman Powell, John Adkins, Jacob Adkins, Virgie Wimbrow, Lawrence Wimbrow, Harry Wimbrow, Fred Collins, Walter Collins, John Jones, Elmer Mathews, Harold Powell, Charlie Covington, Eliza Johnson, Berly Jones, Elmer Johnson. Refreshments were served at ten o'clock consisting of candy, ice cream and lemonade. All reported a very pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arline Shockley and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orris Gordy.

We miss our regular mail carrier because he always met us with a smile and we think he is a happy-go-lucky fellow. He seems to be enjoying his work.

SPRING HILL.

There will be preaching at Mills M. E. Chapel next Sunday Jan 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Hearne of Delmar spent a few days with Mrs. Hearne's parents Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bailey.

Miss Ora Cordrey spent Sunday with Misses Laura and Eliza Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mills spent Sunday with Mrs. Mills parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bailey.

Mr. John Ollouer, of Rockwalking spent Sunday with Mr. Dale Bailey.

Mr. John T. Holloway has returned home after spending a few weeks with relatives and friends in Salisbury.

Mr. Herman Cordrey was in Salisbury Tuesday.

Well I had almost forgotten to say anything about the weather. People are thinking something about farming. A certain man plowing the other day.

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WILLARDS

Revival services began at Edan M. E. Church Sunday night. We hope there will be much good done.

You may expect company on a beautiful Sunday. There was much visiting last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Truitt, of Pittsboro, spent Sunday with J. Truitt.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Richardson and little Thelma and Maxwell spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Richardson.

Master Wallace Dennis has much improved of the typhoid fever. We hope we will soon see him going to school.

There is much work being done at Willards.

Mr. W. E. Webb is hauling and loading mine props for White and Smith.

Two factories runnint at Willards are full speed making crates and boxes. They make a very good article. See a sample before buying.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Truitt are ill with grip at this writing.

School Board and County Commissioners are proud of our new school at Willards and also our teachers Prof. Oestli V. Goslee and Miss M. B. Bonds, as they keep good order and good orders help to make good schools.

Bessie Bayne has much improved of a severe attack of stomach.

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