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Balls, pimples, blotches on the skin, eruptions, etc., evidence the fact that the blood is not in good condition. These symptoms result from the effort of nature to throw off the impurities, in which she should assist.

## Swift's Specific

This will remedy the disturbance, and bring speedy and permanent relief by forcing out the poison, and will build up the system from the first dose. *Book on Blood and Skin Diseases free.* Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

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You miss trains, meals and all sorts of important engagements. You go to a shyster jeweler who keeps the watch two weeks, charges you a BIG price and---it runs worse than before. You see in this space that C. L. ROST claims to be a first-class repairer and resolve to try him. He fixes your watch promptly, at a reasonable price and it will run as regular as the sun.

### The Moral Is Plain.

**C. L. ROST.**  
207 East Main Street

Don't think because it is CLOUDY you can't have your picture taken. Cloudy weather is the best for Photography.

**LAWSON THE**  
**Photographer**

Over Con Cunningham's.

## The Opening

Was a grand success. It is not too late now to see the NEW SPRING STYLES.

Mrs. WILSON, The Milliner,  
127 South Washington Street.

**Gonzales & Armstrong,**  
**Dentists,**  
Crawfordsville, Ind.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Chauncey M. Coutant will be a candidate for Councilman from the third ward, subject to the decision of the Republican primary or convention.

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

The oppressed subjects of European governments, turn to this country for free homes, free laws and for the free use of Salvation Oil for their pains.

## DAILY JOURNAL.

TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1891.

### WEATHER REPORT:

FOR INDIANA—rainy, cooler.

### A PICNIC FOR LOAFERS.

The Voris Trial Furnishes Much Sport and Little Evidence Against the Old Man.

Poor old Wash Voris and wife spent last night in jail and made the jail authorities as much trouble as possible. After eating a hearty supper Mrs. Voris became very sick and Dr. Keegan was brought in hot haste. After a digital examination of his patient, however, he declared her to be as sound as a turnip in every particular.

At 9 o'clock this morning Chumaser's court was crowded, nearly every loafer in the town being present. The aged couple was ushered in by that dignitary of the law, Constable Byas, and the crowd burst into a loud horse laugh as the little bob-tailed dog made a pass at the Squire's leg and was downed with a law book. It was decided to try them separately, so the old man was tried first for drawing the ax on Constable Hanna.

The getting together of a jury was productive of glorious sport and the house echoed with the loud roars of laughter as loafer after loafer was brought up by Constable Byas and rejected. Finally Bud Derickson and George Brown, two of our enterprising colored citizens, were passed, and then nine other jurors, good and true, were rushed through in no time. There was difficulty in procuring the twelfth man and Byas was ordered to go down on the street and "procure a competent jurymen." He soon returned leading our esteemed fellow townsman, Mr. Peter Flynn. On account of his great ability he was accepted by both sides and the music began. Constable Hanna testified to going out to eject the Voris', and of them refusing to open the door until he began tapping up a notice on the door, when the old man came surging out with an ax on his shoulder. While he was talking with him the old lady threw water in his face and he threw a large stone at her, but she was behind the screen door and gave him the ha-ha. Old Wash and his wife swore that the old man was merely going out to chop wood, and further that Hanna threw the stone before the old lady threw the hot water. While the testimony was going on the gang in the room crowded up in front of the juror's chair, hiding them from view. Peter Flynn took advantage of this fact to escape and was not missed for some time. Byas was sent after him, and at length returned with the culprit who was severely reprimanded by the court while the audience howled with laughter. Pete excused himself by saying that "Compulsion compelled him to go out." " Didn't you know you were sworn to try this case?" thundered the court. " Pon my word I didn't," answered Pete as he assumed his position as competent juror again. The arguments were made by Reed Hanna and Vanleave for the defense and Moffett for the State, and the jury retired.

More fun was had with Pete Flynn before the end of the case for he escaped again just before the noon adjournment and had to be recaptured. Again this afternoon during Moffett's speech he went to sleep but was awoken on motion of attorney J. R. Hanna. The jury when it retired went to Hanna's law office and settled the old man's case in three ballots. Upon their return the court polled them and asked if a verdict had been agreed upon. "It hez, yer honor," cried Peter Flynn in clarion tones as the foreman handed it in. "We the jury find the defendant not guilty." There was a scream of laughter from the crowd and three yells from the little dog and old man. Voris sprang to his feet and exclaimed with the bow of a Chesterfield, "thank you, jurymen, you're a credit to the human race. The case against the old lady for assault and battery then came up but it was finally decided to dismiss it and turn the old folks loose. They joyfully repaired to Hanna's law office where the old man made a stirring appeal on justice and equity closing with the following: "We had a number one jury, all model jurymen, and old Mr. Flynn shall have my thanks. It would have been a pity to have fined him for running off when he didn't know any better."

John M. Coulter Again Honored. A meeting of the board of trustees of the State University will be held in a few days to elect a successor to President David S. Jordan, who has resigned to accept the presidency of Senator Stanford's California University. Among educators the opinion is quite general that Mr. John M. Coulter, now professor of biology in Wabash College, Crawfordsville will be chosen. If this expectation is realized the State University can be congratulated on securing a man in every way worthy to fill President Jordan's place. It should be a source of pride to Indiana that their State has secured two men so eminent in educational work. *Indianapolis Journal.*

Without interviewing Prof. Coulter we venture the assertion that he would not accept if the position were offered him on a silver salver.

### To Holders of Gravel Road Bonds.

Parties who hold Montgomery county gravel road bonds past due if not presented at the Treasurer's office and stamped "NOT PAID FOR WANT OF FUNDS" will receive no more interest on said bonds after April 1, 1891.

A. F. RAMSEY,  
Treasurer Montgomery County.

### CHIPS.

—C. J. Head is seriously ill at his home on College street.

—S. D. Symmes has sold his property on Franklin street to Wm. Sinke and wife.

—Mrs. Ella Willis & Son are refitting their photograph gallery preparatory to the spring trade.

—Rev. J. L. Kelley did not lecture at the Methodist church last night on account of the rain.

—Postmaster Wm. Wallace, of Indianapolis, brother of Gen. Lew Wallace, is very ill, and the odds are against his recovery.

—A bouncing pair of girl twins arrived at the home of Will Nash last night. Mr. Nash is still in the wholesale business.

—A large ferry boat would be an elegant addition to the Monon depot. The mind is so deep that persons endeavoring to get to the platform are in danger of being swamped.

—Parties of ten or more, who desire to attend the Bernhardt performances at Indianapolis April 14 and 15, can get reduced rates on the railroad by applying to the local agent.

—Regular stated meeting to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock of the Sons of Veterans. There is some special business to be attended to besides the regular work. All comrades of the G. A. R. are invited to attend.

—Miss Maude Johnson, of this city and Richard Cordell attempted to elope yesterday but were foiled and finally married with the consent of the parents says the Indianapolis Journal. Nothing can be learned of the matter here.

### Private Opinion Made Public.

Said a farmer this morning to *The Journal*: "I am 50 years old and have been farming all my life. I have made a success of my business. I never saw the time before that I could buy so much for what I sold as I can now. I brought down ten bushels of potatoes and sold them at \$1.25. I am selling my wheat at \$1, corn at 65 cents, oats 55 cents, butter 20 and eggs 15 cents. One of my neighbors sold his cattle at \$5.25 this morning and hogs are now selling at \$4. I never before until this morning bought 20 pounds of sugar for a dollar. I want to say that I am tooth and toe-nail in favor of the McKinley tariff bill. I believe it to be a bill in the interest of the farmers. Facts are stubborn things and cannot be got out of the way with the theory of free-traders." Such is the evidence of one of Montgomery county's best and most practical farmers. His little speech contains volumes.

### The "Praying Band" Episode.

The members of the "Praying Band" are still much nerved up over their little sensation of Sunday last, and have not yet decided what course of action to adopt in regard to the matter. Mrs. Butcher was confined to her room last evening and lamenting the affair in a heart rending way. She stated that her husband, Frank Butcher, had gone to Chicago yesterday afternoon and she did not know how long he intended to remain. Until he returns there will be no developments as Mrs. Butcher has given up all idea of death and will stay right here on earth as long as she is allowed.

### Found for the Defendant.

The case of Henry L. Kepler et al. vs. Fisher Doherty & Sons, was decided to Hon. F. B. Everett, Judge of the Superior court at Lafayette. The complaint was by the creditors of Fisher Doherty & Son, and sought to set aside the conveyance of the business rooms conveyed by Fisher to his son Madison. The court finds the conveyance was made for a valuable consideration, to wit \$4,117 which Fisher owed his son Matt, and that their was no conspiracy to defraud the creditors. This virtually ends the litigation against Madison Doherty. His attorneys were Harley & Clodfelter.

### A Great Impersonation.

Sarah Bernhardt's "Fedora" is the greatest impersonation ever seen on the stage. She will begin her Indianapolis engagement with it, Tuesday evening, April 14th, followed by "La Tosca," Wednesday evening. A number of prominent people from our city are preparing to go to Indianapolis to see these performances, and arrangements have been made for reduced railroad rates. Seats can be secured by writing or telegraphing to Dickson & Talbott, Indianapolis.

### The Monon Formally Sold.

Yesterday the transfer of the Monon railroad to the Brice-Thomas syndicate was consummated. Breyfogle and the entire board of directors resigned and the syndicate advanced \$2,000,000 to meet all the present needs of the road. Gen. Samuel Thomas was elected President to succeed Breyfogle, and Calvin S. Brice is one of the new directors.

### P. O. S. of A.

Every member of Washington Camp, No. 6, P. O. S. of A., is requested to be present at their meeting to-night. Business of importance. Work in the R. degree.

### R. S. and G. F.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Society of Good Fellows at the office of the Secretary, Wednesday evening, April 1, at 7:30 p. m. Members are requested to be present.

CHAR. M. TRAVIS, Ruler,  
THEO. McMICHAEL, Secretary.

## WAR WITH ITALY.

### THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT ON THE WAR PATH.

Italian Minister Recalled and Sixteen Americans Arrested at Rome.

### Special to THE JOURNAL:

Washington D. C. March 31. The Italian government has recalled its minister from this city and has arrested sixteen prominent Americans at Rome and holds them as hostages. Great excitement prevails and war seems unavoidable.

### PERSONALS.

—Ol Gill and wife are visiting in La-  
doga.

—M. E. Clodfelter was in Lafayette to-day.

—Will Goltra has returned to school at Portsmouth.

—R. S. Thompson was in Lafayette this afternoon.

—M. D. White went to Indianapolis this afternoon.

—Mrs. Rhoda Long has just purchased a Decker piano.

—Rev. E. T. Lane went to Greencastle this afternoon.

—A. E. Cunningham left for a visit in Kirkpatrick to-day.

—Ed VanCamp and wife went to Chicago this afternoon.

—A. B. Crowe, of Wichita, Kansas, is here to re-enter college.

—J. W. Cumberland has returned from Joplin in very poor health.

—Mrs. S. S. Thomson returned from a visit in Chicago this afternoon.

—Rev. Ed. T. Lane, of Lebanon, is visiting his many friends in the city.

—Dr. Garver and family, of Anderson, are the guests of Dr. Detchon.

—Miss Ada Pence, of Frankfort, is visiting her uncle, Capt. J. B. Pence.

—Miss Lucy Eaton has returned to Champaign after visiting Miss Maud McMechan.

—Mort Keegan is home from Chicago where he has been attending Rush Medical College.

—Raymond Hickman, the young son of Dr. W. H. Hickman who has been dangerously ill of typhoid fever, is better and thought to be out of danger.

—Miss Nettie Scott, who has been the guest of Miss Lucy Newhall, and who sang so sweetly at Trinity last night, returned home to Crawfordsville this morning. *—Lafayette Courier.*

### GRAVELY RUN.

Mrs. Sarah Hall has returned from Kansas after a two months sojourn in that state.

—A. P. Enoch is improving his farm in the way of clearing off some of the timber and having an amount of ditching done.

—Mr. F. S. Quigg shipped his brother A. R. Quigg, of Elk City, Kansas, some choice maple molasses this week manufactured by George Kennedy, of Smartsburg.

We suppose H. S. Johnson's trip to Thorntown might mean he was out of door. H. S. has found out these imported cooks have to have plenty of the staff of life especially when it is necessary to go over mud roads four days out of the week to give lessons in their art.

—New and stylish suiting at Swank & Clark's.

—Collars and cuffs, Coon brand, at Swank & Clark's.

### OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—Short-hand impairs the intellect by supine-indulging, in some occult way, a sort of atrophy of the memory. Consequently shorthand has never been systematically cultivated by American newspaper reporters.

—Blacksmiths will be apt to view with alarm the introduction of paper horseshoes just approved for use in the German army. They are made of layers of compressed parchment, cemented with preparation of turpentine, Spanish white, lac and boiled linseed oil. The separate layers are stamped out, cemented and consolidated by a hydraulic press. When dry the shoe is rasped to fit each horse.

—A Polish wedding took place at Hurley, Wis., recently, at which a curious proceeding, said to be a custom, was noticed. Instead of the invited guests each bringing a present, they waited until the wedding-dinner was over, then the plates were removed, washed and brought back, when the assembled guests threw silver dollars against the plates until all of them were broken. The couple received nearly seven hundred dollars in this manner.

—At St. Paul, Minn., the other day, a police captain, who had got locked up in a room while making a search, actually sent a message by an outsider to the city attorney, who lived two miles away, asking him if he had authority to break out of the room. The attorney was wroth at being disturbed at an untimely hour in the night, and sent word to tear out of the house. Thereupon the brilliant officer broke out and arrested the man who locked him in.

—The price of seal-skins all over the world depends on the auction sales of these furs which take place in London twice each year. At the October sale of the present season, prices were nearly doubled, because while the demand had rapidly increased, the supply had diminished. The great North American Co. offered only twenty-one thousand skins for sale this year, and buyers from the large European cities and from New York bid heavily because the demands of their customers compelled them to do so.

—An old soldier of the Massachusetts Thirty-fifth regiment gave the following advice regarding cold feet: "At one time while I was stamping upon the ground, in the effort to warm my extremities, a comrade in the same regiment said to me: 'If your feet are cold try this.' He raised his foot from the ground, and struck some light blows with his hand on the upper part of his leg, just above the knee. I did the same with both legs, and instantaneously felt a flow of warm blood coursing down.

—Eastern man got a mortgage for \$800 on this outfit, which hasn't worth \$600, and I'm hangin' on to blif him into giving me \$50 more to vacate and travel. I've writ him if he won't do it we'll all die in the house and haunt the ranch forevermore, but he's slow in making up his mind. Ever see a feller shake worse than I do, stranger? It's seven miles to the next house, and the old woman is hollering for water, and that jumping gal is jumping with another spell of toothache. Excuse haste, stranger, and keep straight on, and you'll fetch up at Brown's." —N. Y. Sun

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—C. H. & D. will be in one volume of 1000 pages and the price will be \$2.00.

—Rev. H. H. Fairall, D. D., editor of the Iowa Methodist, says editorially: "We have tested the merits of Ely's Cream Balm and believe that, by a thorough course of treatment it will cure almost every case of catarrh. Ministers as a class are afflicted with head and throat trouble and catarrh seems more prevalent than ever. We cannot recommend Ely's Cream Balm too highly."

—I used Ely's Cream Balm for dry catarrh. It proved a cure. —B. F. M. Weeks, M. D.