

Whose Say-so is Best?

With nearly all medicines put up for sale through druggists, one has to take the maker's say-so alone as to their curative value. Of course, such testimony is not that of a disinterested party and accordingly is not given much stock credit. It is written from disinterested motives. Dr. Pierce's medicines, however, form a single and therefore striking exception to this rule. Their claims to the confidence of invalids does not rest solely on their maker's say-so or prestige. Their ingredients are matters of public knowledge, being printed on each separate bottle wrapper. Thus invalid sufferers are taken in. Dr. Pierce's medicines have written enough to fill volumes in praise of the curative value of the several ingredients entering into these well-known medicines.

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Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures the following diseases: weak lungs, anæmia, anteversion and retroversion and corrects irregularities, cures painful periods, drives up dissipation, and with the exception of the known pelvic catarrh and a multitude of other diseases peculiar to women. But in mind, heart, skin, lungs, eyes, a secretion, but the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated physician of large experience in the cure of women's diseases, who frank and franking takes his patients into his full confidence by telling them just what his "Prescription" is. Of course, special medicines put up for women's special maladies and sold through druggists, can it be said that the maker is not to be trusted? Honorable and honorable by letting every patient using the same know exactly what is taken.

Some women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence is guarded as sacredly secret and women's confidences are protected by professional privacy. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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**CENTRAL LEAGUE
REMAINS INTACT**

**Annual Meeting of Managers
Held and Old Organization
will be Maintained.**

THE EFFECT IN RICHMOND

**NUMBER OF CITIES HAD BEEN
WANTING IN THE CENTRAL
AND NOW THEY MAY FORM A
NEW LEAGUE INCLUDING THIS
CITY.**

While as yet no definite action has been taken, there is much talk favorable to the formation of a base ball league composed of cities in Indiana, Ohio and Illinois. It was expected that there would be changes in the Central league this year that would admit new cities on its circuit and perhaps cause the formation of a rival league. But at a meeting of the managers of the league at Toledo Monday no city withdrew and the league remained intact. Fort Wayne which had been trying to get in this circuit for several years would not pay the price of admission, the purchase of the Evansville franchise at \$4,000.

Clarence Jessup, who is interested in the local base ball proposition said last evening that there was some talk of putting a league in the field consisting of this city, Ft. Wayne, Vincennes, Muncie, Anderson, Danville, Ill., and others to be decided upon later. C. C. Gosnell, of Vincennes, manager of the "K. I. T." league last season, is a principal mover in the scheme. Jessup thinks that such a league could be established on a paying basis. In this city it would be necessary to put in a ball park but it is thought that the patronage would warrant the expenditure necessary for its equipment. Richmond has had little base ball for several years and there is a large number of "fans" anxious for the national game to be played here if a good league could be formed. It has always been a question whether or not the city would support week day base ball but with a park close enough to the business part of town to permit business men to go to the game and return within two or three hours it is thought that it would prove popular.

YOUNG NOW BEING TRIED

**Man Brought from St. Louis, is Get-
ting a Hearing at Eaton on
Horse Stealing Charge.**

Eaton, O., Jan. 22. (Spl.)—The trial of Frank Young, of St. Louis, Mo., was begun in the common pleas court here today. The defendant is accused of stealing a horse from Homer Pence, of New Paris. The court room was crowded during the day and it is expected that more will try to gain admission tomorrow. Prosecutor Michael Cahill is representing the state, and Judge W. A. Neal of this place, the defense. The latter is making the claim that the horse was not stolen. According to the testimony it is doubtful if Young will be convicted. The regular petit jury is hearing the case and Judge Elam Fisher is on the bench.

MASK SKATING CARNIVAL

**Coliseum Management Hopes to Make
Event of January 31, the Premier
of Its Kind.**

A grand mask skating carnival will be held at the Coliseum on the night of January 31. Several prizes will be offered for the best makeups. The evening will be one of enjoyment and the management aims to make it the premier event of the kind ever held in Richmond.

**PLANS FOR BUNDY
DORMITORY DONE**

**Earlham College Soon to Have
a Model Home for Her
Male Students.**

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR 100

**BUILDING IS DESIGNED IN THE
FORM OF A LETTER H WITH
THREE FLOORS—PLANS BY AR-
CHITECT KAUFMAN.**

The plans for the new dormitory for boys to be built at Earlham college have been completed by Architect W. S. Kaufman of this city. The dormitory is to be a model building of its kind. The building is made possible by a gift of \$25,000 from Zenia and Rachel Bundy of Greenfield, Ind., whose son died while attending Earlham. To the Bundy gift \$25,000 is being added making \$50,000 which will cover the cost of the structure.

The dorm is to be built in the form of the letter H, thus making each room an outside room. There are to be three floors and a basement. The basement will be used for storing trucks, housing bicycles and for a tailor shop. On the first floor there will be two parlors and large hall in addition to the students' departments. On the second floor the "governor" of the dormitory will have his apartments. He will have one large study room, a bed room and a bath. On the third floor provisions will be made for a hospital and rooms for the nurse, also with a bath.

Each student is to have a separate bedroom, but two students will study together. This will give each pair of students a suite of three rooms. There will be seven single rooms for students who do not care to have a study mate. Accommodations will be provided for one hundred students. On each floor there will be a bath containing two tubs and a shower bath. The building will be heated by steam furnished from the central heating plant.

There will be no dining room in the building, both the boys and the girls using the present dining hall in the old dormitory.

The building is to be of brick with trimmings of stone. The foundation is to be of concrete, the roof of slate. The dimensions of the building are 134-106 feet. There will be three entrances.

KILLED A RATTLE SNAKE

**Morton Carroll, Well Known Farm-
er Surprised to Find one of the
Species Here.**

While driving along near the Sycamore school house Monday, Morton Carroll, a farmer residing in that locality, noticed a snake at the side of the road. Under ordinary circumstances a common snake would not arouse hardly the slightest notice, but upon close examination Mr. Carroll found the species strange to this locality. Still closer scrutiny disclosed the fact that it was a rattle and Carroll immediately used a club to good advantage, killing the serpent. It measured two and one-half feet in length, while three rattles occupied a neat position on the tail of his tail. Owing to the cold weather the snake was in a lethargic state and made no move when Mr. Carroll stepped from his buggy. It is thought that there are more in the neighborhood.

CONTRACT NOT AWARDED

**Bids Submitted for the Earlham Libra-
ry Yesterday Proved to be Much
Too High.**

Notwithstanding that several contractors and furnishers submitted bids on the new Earlham library, to the library committee at the college yesterday, the contract for the work was not awarded, as all bids exceeded \$35,000, the amount which the college authorities have to invest in the building and its equipment.

President Kelly said last night that several changes would have to be made in the plans, which were drawn by Patton and Miller of Chicago, before the contract would be let. The changes in the plans, however, will not in any way change the shape of the building, but the quality of materials used. It is thought that by using cheaper materials the present proposed dimensions will not have to be altered in the least.

BAILIFF IS QUARANTINED

**Mr. Markley Is Held as a Prisoner at
His Own Home for Period of
Ten Days.**

The smiling countenance of Bailiff Markley will not be seen in the circuit court room for at least ten days. Mr. Markley is quarantined at his home, 107 South Sixteenth street, all because a young woman employed in his domicile in the capacity of domestic, is fit the clutch of scarlet fever. Mr. Markley called at the office of the board of health to report the case, and his imprisonment in his own home is the result. Lynn Swain will act as bailiff during Markley's enforced absence.

**The Palladium gives a dollar each
week for the best piece of news "tip-
ped off" to it.**

**HE'S REALLY DEAD, NOW
ONCE THREATENED SUICIDE**

**Broker Who Declared he Would
Destroy Himself Dies Suddenly on an
Elevated Train—Lost \$100,000 in
Wall Street Speculation.**

Publishers' Press.
New York, Jan. 22.—Gustav Meyers, the Galveston ship broker, who disappeared on the Friday after Christmas, after informing his wife that, as the last of his \$100,000 had been sung in Wall street, he would leap from a ferry boat, really died today on the up-town station of the second avenue "L" at 23rd street.

When he disappeared his wife lay desperately ill in a grove street boarding house. An employ of a Jersey ferry took the boarding house an overcoat which Meyers had worn.

Mrs. Meyers did not believe that her husband had committed suicide, for he had threatened to end his life three or four times previously. He was later found in this city.

In the dead man's pocket was found a letter addressed to "G. A. Meyers, No. 48 Grove street," and several papers bearing the address of Galveston, Tex.

**SHARP CONFLICT
IS FINALLY ENDED**

**Definite Action at Last Taken
by Senate in Overworked
Brownsville Case.**

FORAKER RESOLUTION WON

**MINORITY MAKES TWO AT-
TEMPTS TO BREAK UNION OF
ADMINISTRATION AND ANTI-
ADMINISTRATION FORCES.**

Publishers' Press.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The sharp conflict which has been waged in the senate since the opening of congress over the Brownsville case, came to an end late this afternoon by the adoption of the administration resolution of investigation. Under the terms of the compromise it will go down in history as the Foraker resolution.

The last hours of consideration were not without deep interest. The minority members, who from the first have been standing almost to a man in defense of the President's order, dismissing the negro troops, made two strong, but unsuccessful attempts to break the union of the so-called administration and anti-administration forces.

The real test came on a substitute offered by Mr. Mallory, (Fla.) which held that in the judgment of the senate the recent action of the president was within the scope and power of the executive and that it was a proper exercise thereof. Mr. Foraker's motion to lay on the table carried by an almost strict party vote of 4 to 22. Messrs. Tillman and Teller voted in the affirmative with the republicans and Messrs. LaFollette McCumber and Warner voted in the negative with the democrats.

Mr. McCumber, (N. D.) tried to lead a revolt by proposing an amendment defining the purpose of the investigation to an ascertainment of what soldiers were guilty, wholly independent of the president's action, but it was laid on the table without roll-call, after Mr. Blackburn, the democratic leader had announced that he was in entire accord with the compromise resolution.

Mr. Culberson offered an amendment which declared that in the judgment of the senate the president was authorized by law and justified by the facts in discharging the troops. It was laid on the table by a vote of 46 to 19, Messrs. Blackburn, Daniel and Tillman voting with the republicans.

Mr. Culberson's amendment was rejected by a vote of 46 to 19, and the Foraker resolution was carried.

The war department received a cablegram this afternoon from Brigadier Wint, commanding the troops in the Philippines, to the effect that at the request of the British Consul he had sent a large number of tents to Jamaica, in charge of an United States army officer. He requested the secretary of war to ratify his action, which was done later today by cable.

Poultry Notes.

The best time to take care of poultry is all the time.

Like produces like in mating fowls as well as in planting seed.

A medium sized dressed fowl of any kind sells best in market.

Feeding heavily on whole corn has a tendency to induce hens to become broody.

Eggs that are soiled should be cleaned when gathered, as it can be done better than at any other time.

REPAIRS BEING PUSHED

**Work of Patching Roof or Jail Finish-
ed—Padded Cell Soon to Be
Constructed.**

The work of repairing the slate roof of the county jail has been completed and in the future heavy showers will have no terrors for Sheriff Meredith, and his guests.

Other recommendations made recently by the grand jury, will be acted upon as rapidly as possible, one of the most important improvements under consideration being the construction of a padded cell which will cost about \$100.

RODE IN A CATTLE CAR

**Richmond People Forced to Accept
Second Class Passage Home
From the Flood.**

Mrs. Hadley of North E street and Mr. and Mrs. Muey of North 21st street went to Cincinnati Sunday to see the flooded state of the Ohio river. On account of the unreliable train service they were unable to return until Monday morning and then were compelled to ride in a cattle car.

**MORAL WAVE HAS
STRUCK ECONOMY**

**Citizens Organize to Fight the
"Bootleggers" Operating
in that Village.**

TO METE OUT PUNISHMENT

**THOSE DISPENSING LIQUOR
WITHOUT LICENSE TO BE
BROUGHT BEFORE GRAND JURY
—COMMITTEE OF FIVE.**

That enterprising individual, known in the slang of today as a "bootlegger," who, without going through the formality of procuring the license required by the county and government, dispenses to all who may be a thirsty a brand of liquor that is calculated to cause the imbibers thereof to go home and kill his entire family, and have no recollection of the event when he gets back to life the next day, has incurred the wrath of the good people of Economy. Gentry of his ilk are certainly up against it in that neck of the woods.

Never in its history has Economy permitted the establishment of a saloon within its confines, and yet if the statements of some of the residents are to be believed, there has of late been more "Hack Drivers' Delight" consumed in towns that stand for the licensed saloon. With this condition of affairs staring them in the face, the better element of Economy has come to the conclusion that it is time to do things.

The organization of a law and order league is the outgrowth of this feeling, and the members thereof are preparing to make life miserable for the illicit vendors of whisky. The league has selected from its ranks a committee of five, whose duty it shall be to ferret out the law breakers and bring about their indictment by the grand jury. It is claimed that as a result of the operations of the "bootleggers" and "blind tigers," or "speak easies," lads still in their teens are becoming confirmed drunkards.

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Vice Consul Orrett Sends Cablegram
to State Department Reporting Lite-
tic Loss of Life in Interior Towns.

Publishers' Press.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The following cablegram was received today by the state department from Vice Consul Orrett at Kingston:

"No loss at any of the hotels at Montego Bay, Port Antonio, interior towns, Krutts Park, Constant Springs, or any other hotels except the Myrtlebank hotel which was completely wrecked.

"Many deaths occasioned there, chiefly employees. None of the names mentioned in your cablegram in death list so far published. Many bodies found in the business portion of the city, which was devastated by the fire, were burnt beyond recognition. Sperre Bourke, Watson and wife, Mrs. Case, Joseph and Mary Dustace, Edwards and daughter, Taylor all alive. Consulate opened today. Another shock this afternoon. No damages. Trains running. Two piers saved."

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Age For Breeding Jerseys.

A well known Jersey breeder says that one mistake many farmers make is in breeding Jersey heifers too young. A better way is to let them get their growth, at least three years. Keep them in a separate lot, if necessary, after they are eighteen months old. If permitted to bring calves before they have their growth they make small cows and yield less milk. The calves also are smaller, as a rule.

Feeding Dairy Cattle.

The best dairymen are now using both winter and summer silos. At the Ontario experiment farm they feed only twice a day—a succulent ration, with meal and clover hay an hour and a half afterward, in the morning, and at 3:30 p. m. the same ration, with long hay. They estimate that a cow should receive a pound of meal for every five pounds of milk she gives.

Winter Pig Food.

Potatoes that are too small to market may be used to advantage as a food for young pigs. Many farmers consider it no loss to have from 2 to 3 per cent of their potato crop too small for commercial use, as it gives them a good winter pig food.

The Duck as an Egg Layer.

The duck, with good treatment, will average about four eggs a week from Feb. 1 to about the last of June, when there will be a gradual decline until the last of July, when the season ends.

DENATURED ALCOHOL

**EFFECT OF NEW LAW MAKING IT
FREE OF TAX.**

**A Revolution in Farm Life Is Antic-
ipated Through the Operation of the
Measure—Use of the Liquid and the
Products From Which It Is Made.**

EVERY farmer may be his own industrial alcohol maker now that the denatured alcohol law passed by