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## SYMPATHY MUCH ALIVE.

In the hurly burly existence most people are pursuing in order to keep up with the times, and not drag at the rear of the procession, it is a pleasure to find that human sympathy still lies in many hearts. The case of little Carol Adams of Hagerstown, who is trying to win the pony and cart contest, furnishes an example of human sympathy that is encouraging.

The little boy is a cripple, and has a chance to become well, provided he can receive proper medical attention and undergo an operation. Thanks to the generosity of a Cincinnati woman of wealth, the little chap, accompanied by his mother, is now in a Cincinnati hospital, receiving treatment. But far more noteworthy than this Cincinnati woman's action, is the way the little community of Hagerstown has gone to work to win the contest for young Adams. The intention originally, if the little chap could win the pony and cart, was to sell it and use the money to defray his expenses at some good hospital. From the start of the contest, Hagerstown, as a community, got busy for the boy. Business men even gave up their valuable time to solicit votes for the little one, and it is no wonder that he has made such a fine showing so far.

The other day a little Richmond girl, who has been in the contest, came into our office and asked if from then on she could work for Carol Adams and have all votes she received in the future be credited to him. This is only another instance of the way in which the lad's suffering has touched the heart strings of the people of Wayne county. While there is now no need of the pony and cart to enable the boy to obtain proper medical attention, Hagerstown is still working for him in the hope that if he wins out in his fight against disease and suffering, the little pony and cart will be there to gladden his heart when he returns.

An Irishman while taking a barge up the Shannon was asked what goods he had on board and answered, "Timber and fruit."

"What kind of timber and what sort of fruit?"

"Well, as if ye must know, the timber is just birch brooms, and the fruit, well, it's pretties."

An Irishman averred that the habit of Irish landlords of living outside of Ireland was the great grievance Ireland had to complain of.

"Oh, yes," answered an Englishman, "that's the old stalking horse! I don't believe in your subtleties."

"Not believe in them? Come to Dublin with me and I'll show ye 'em by the hundred. Why, the country just swarms with 'em."

**Ravenous Rats.**  
It is estimated that the rat does \$30,000,000 worth of damage a year in England. In a slaughterhouse near Paris rats in a single night picked to the bone the carcasses of thirty-five horses. There is very little that they will not eat; eggs, young birds and animals are among the dainties which they snap up in the ordinary course of business. But when pressed by hunger they will eat anything through which they can drive their terrible teeth. Rat will eat rat. The idea that a trapped rat will bite off an imprisoned leg and so escape is now said to be wrong; it is the other rats which do the biting. They eat the captive.

**Books Bound in Lead.**  
A bookbinder was putting a binding of lead on a book.

"Why lead?" a visitor asked.

"This," the binder answered, "is a naval code book for use on a battleship. All such volumes are bound in lead."

"But why?"

"So that in the event of the ship's destruction the books will sink with it, for they contain secrets of immense value, and every precaution must be taken to keep those secrets dark."

**A Substitute.**  
"You're rather a young man to be left in charge of a drug store," said the fussy old gentleman. "Have you any diploma?" "Why—no, sir," replied the drug clerk. "But we have a preparation of our own that's just as good."—Philadelphia Press.

**Consolation.**  
"Steward, how long will it be before we get into the harbor?"

"About an hour and a half, ma'am."

"Oh, dear, I shall die before then."

"Very likely, ma'am. But you'll be all right again when you've been on shore for a while."—Marine Journal.

## MASONIC CALENDAR.

Webb Yodge, work first degree, Sept. 11.

King Solomon Chapter, stated meeting, Sept. 13.

## SHE HAS SUCCUMBED TO CUPID'S WILES.



This is a picture of Miss Frederica Morgan, another of last season's debutants, and the prettiest Washington bud of the entire bouquet, who has

succumbed to the wiles of cupid. Her engagement to Count von Hatzfeldt, of the German Embassy, one of the most eligible of the diplomatic court, has been announced.

TURNED OVER TWICE;  
CAME UP ALL RIGHT

Serious Automobile Accident  
Near Eaton, Sunday.

## PARTY FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Eaton, O., Sept. 9.—Quite a serious automobile accident occurred at the junction of the Central and National roads, about six miles north of Eaton, Sunday afternoon, but only a meager report of it could be obtained, owing to the hasty departure of the occupants after they were brought to Eaton, just in time to catch the 4:15 car for Indianapolis, their home. The automobile must have struck something in the road, and turned over twice, landing right side up on the wheels, but throwing the four occupants out, injuring three of them, severely but not dangerously. After some medical attention they were brought to Eaton by Leas brothers of West Manchester in two automobiles and left immediately for their homes. The names of only two of the occupants could be secured. They were George W. Chandler and J. P. Egan, both of Indianapolis.

THE REV. McCORMICK  
TENDERS RESIGNATION

Desires to Be Released by Milton Church.

## HAS A CALL ELSEWHERE.

Milton, Ind., Sept. 9.—Rev. Firman C. McCormick has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Christian church to take effect in ninety days or sooner if the church will grant it. This is caused by Rev. McCormick feeling impelled to take another church to which he has been called. His relations with the Milton church and with the people of the community are most cordial and all hope the efforts of the board to have him withdraw his resignation will be successful and that he and his excellent family will continue to live in and work for the good of Milton and vicinity.

**A Woman.**  
To the question "What is a woman?" the Turk answers, "A prisoner," the Albanian says, "A slave," the Serbian, "A servant," the Bulgarian, "A companion," the Greek, "A queen." Says the cynical Chinaman: "The tongue of a woman is a dagger, and she never lets it grow rusty. The spirit of a woman is of quicksilver, and her heart is of wax."—London Saturday Review.

See for  
Yourself

whether coffee hurts you.  
Stop 10 days and try well-made

## POSTUM

"There's a Reason"

PHENOMENAL SHOW-  
ING IN THIS STATE

Agricultural Products in Indiana Show a Growth  
From Year to Year.

## IS AMONG THE LEADERS.

IN FOUR YEARS' TIME IT IS PREDICTED THEY WILL BE WORTH  
FOUR HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS.

Phenomenal has been the growth of Indiana's agricultural output each year. The value of the state's farm products has been more than trebled within the past twenty-six years. Indiana now ranks among the leaders in amount and value of its agricultural products. More land is being cleared away each year and cultivated for agricultural purposes; the farmers have been blessed with splendid crops and Indiana has climbed up by leaps and bounds.

In 1880 the total value of the farm products of the state was \$114,707,082. Adverse conditions brought the value back to \$94,750,262 in 1890. But in 1890 this amount was doubled, the total value of the state's farm products for that year being \$204,450,196. However, while that record was one of ten years' time the most remarkable increase has come within the last six years, when the value of the state's farm products has increased to the extent of \$140,000 and more. In four years' time if present conditions are not found wanting, the chances are that the valuation of farm products will reach \$400,000,000.

According to statistics compiled by Miss Mary Stubbs, state statistician, the total valuation of farm products in Indiana for the year 1906 was \$348,530,834. Horses led with a total valuation of \$87,735,367, while corn was second with a total value of \$66,201,756. The total valuation of the wheat products in the state during the year 1906 was \$33,656,648. That of the oats was \$16,062,720; barley, \$129,734; rye, \$640,900; buckwheat, \$44,186; potatoes, \$3,829,253; hay, \$32,656,250; tobacco, \$746,640; mules, \$10,617,424; milk cattle, \$21,536,103; beef cattle, \$24,080,090; sheep, \$6,344,731; swine, \$23,359,082; wool, \$1,850,000; poultry, 6,800,000; and eggs, \$12,800,000.

The total output of corn in the state was 183,803,767 bushels; that of the wheat was 48,080,925 bushels; the oats numbered 50,196,000 bushels; barley, 249,488 bushels; rye, 1,105,000 bushels; buckwheat, 69,040 bushels; potatoes, 6,717,987 bushels; hay, 2,612,500 tons; tobacco, 10,980,000 pounds; horses, 798,102 head; mules, 84,800 head; dairy cattle, 652,610 head; beef cattle, 1,141,778 head; sheep, 1,190,828 head; swine, 2,924,879 head; wool, 5,000,000 pounds; poultry, 1,700,000 fowls; eggs, 64,000,000 dozen.

## GOOD NEWS OF A GREAT THING.

That Has Become the Talk of Thousands.

There is a death at the end of every life, but as we travel on toward the grave we hope to be blessed with good health, and when we have a friend who has suffered for years with some painful malady, it is good news, indeed, when we are told of that friend's complete recovery, and when we hear of the remedy that made the cure, we are bound to have confidence in it. This is why Root Juice is so well spoken of all over the country.

Mr. Sam Anderson, a well known farmer living near Gas City, Ind., said: "I'll tell you Root Juice is a great medicine. I suffered for years with rheumatism and stiff joints, and when I awoke in the mornings I could hardly raise myself from the bed. My feet and hands were sore, stiff and painful, more especially during damp and rainy weather. I had a great deal of trouble with my back. Root Juice cured one of my neighbors of a bad stomach trouble so I thought I would give it a trial, although my trouble was entirely different. I purchased a bottle of Root Juice and a 25c bottle of 'Uze-it' Pain Oil. I rubbed my back and joints well with the oil and took Root Juice precisely as directed. I felt so much better after the first week that I bought six more bottles of the Juice, also some of the Liniment. In a few weeks every symptom of my trouble was gone. I now feel that the cure is permanent and am advising all my sick friends to try Root Juice."

Root Juice has proved its wonderful merit to hundreds of Richmond people. For sale by A. G. Luken & Co. \$1 a bottle, 3 for \$2.50.

**Nicknames.**

"It's funny how a nickname, given to one during one's boyhood, will stick to one throughout a lifetime," said a man recently. "The variety of nicknames is also amusing. If I were asked to explain the conditions, I should say that it was because the 'rest of the kids' didn't like the real names and just substituted others to suit themselves. For instance, a boy comes to school with a lengthy name that a fond mother has given him with no doubt in the world that he will bear it all his life. Usually her fond hopes are shattered and the little 'dear' will come home from school the proud possessor of such a 'hang-on' as Tip, Rip, Bull or Buck. And it sticks too."—Columbus Dispatch.

## A Powerful Salve.

A man in Nebraska invented a new powerful double acting salve which shows powers never before exhibited by salves of any kind. The inventor accidentally cut off the tail of a tame wolf, and immediately applying some of the salve to the stump, a new tail grew out. Then, picking up the old tail, he applied some of the salve to the raw end of that, and a wolf grew out, but he was a wild wolf and had to be shot.—Chicago Tribune.

## LEGAL TENDER.

You Might Think Gold Certificates Are, but They Are Not.

"Gold certificates, silver certificates and national bank notes are not legal tender, but both classes of certificates are receivable for all public dues, while national bank notes are receivable for all public dues except on imports and may be paid out by the government for all salaries and other debts and demands owing by the United States to individuals, corporations and associations within the United States," says the treasury department.

"Gold coin is legal tender at its nominal face value for all debts. Standard or silver dollars are legal tender at their nominal or face value for all debts, public and private, except where otherwise expressly stipulated in the contract."

"Subsidiary silver is legal tender for amounts not exceeding \$10 in any one payment."

"Treasury notes of the act of July 14, 1890, are legal tender for all debts, public and private, except where otherwise expressly stipulated in the contract."

"United States notes (also called greenbacks) are legal tender for all debts, public and private, except duties on imports and interest on the public debt."

"The minor coins of nickel and copper are legal tender to the extent of 25 cents."—Bulls and Bears.

## THE TROUT IN HIS LAIR.

He is an Alert and Elusive Unpicturesque Beauty.

Whoever has had the privilege of lying at full length on some mossy overhanging bank while watching a large trout in his lair perceives that a true figure has yet to be drawn of him. Even photography can give no hint of the wavy circles from the spotted dorsal fin undulating loosely athwart the broad back, of the perpetual fanning of the pectoral fins, of the capacious gills opening and closing, the half open round mouth, the luminous brown eye, the ceaseless slow vibration of the powerful tail, nor can pen adequately describe the startling suddenness of the dart at some idle fly touching the surface, the quick return to the old position and the resumption of the poise with head elevated at a slight angle, pectorals all tremulous and floating water circles emanating from every slight motion of the body. It is also worth while to watch a trout at work, pause, tremble violently all over and in a moment throw himself clear of the stream and fall into the basin above at an elevation of about three feet more.—Arthur P. Silver in Outing Magazine.

## Bird or Bee?

Two quaint observations about humming birds are published in "Early Long Island," by Martha Flint, both quoted from letters of the seventeenth century, written from the new country of America. Says one:

"The Humbird is one of the wonders of the country, being no bigger than a Hornet, yet having all the Dimensions of a Bird as bill, wings with quills, spider-like legs, small claws. For colour she is as glorious as the Raine bow."

Adrian Van der Donck, one of the Hollanders of Nieuw Nederlandt in 1642 writes of a—

"Curious small bird concerning which there are disputations whether it is a bird or a bee. It seeks its nourishment from flowers like the bee and is everywhere seen regaling itself on the flowers. In flying they make a humming noise like the bee. It is only seen in Nieuw Nederlandt in the season of flowers. They are very tender and cannot be kept alive, but we press them between paper and send them as presents to our friends."

## Value of a Constitution.

It happened in the spring of 1890, when Garibaldi was pursuing his expedition in Sicily and when the words "Constitution and Liberty" were on every Neapolitan's lips. "Why are you so anxious for a constitution?" asked a foreign tourist of his guide and donkey driver while they were traveling through the mountains of Sorrento. "Well, you see, your excellency," was the answer, "because I think we shall be all the better for it. It is now close upon twenty years that I am letting out my asses to visitors from all countries—English, French, Americans. All of these have a constitution, and they are all rich."

## It Didn't Go.

"Lady, I'm out of work," explained the tramp, undismayed by the forbidding glare of the Illinois farmer's wife. "I'm a deep sea fisherman; but the fish is all fished out of the Atlantic ocean this year. Bein' a poor, unfortunate, but honest man, I'm now on my way walkin' to the Pacific coast where the fishin' is good. Can you help a feller along a bit?"

"Yes, indeed," replied the farmer's wife; "I'll just unlodge the dog and help you run part of the way."—Lip pincott's.

## Family Repartee.

"Well," snapped Mrs. Henpeck, "I certainly was a fool when I married you."

"True, my dear," responded Henpeck, "and I regret to state you haven't improved any."—Detroit Free Press.

For Congress  
C. W. Stivers

A Candidate.

To the Republicans of the Sixth District:

The undersigned is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Representative in Congress from the 6th district; subject to the decision of Republican voters at the nominating elections and conventions in the counties of the district to be held next Spring. I will meet the people of the district in their home counties in public address in the near future.

Very Respectfully,  
CHARLES W. STIVERS.

Women Avoid  
Operations

When a woman suffering from female trouble is told that an operation is necessary, it, of course, frightens her.

The very thought of the hospital, the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart. It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but a great many women have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after an operation has been decided upon as the only cure. The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who by taking

## Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

made from native roots and herbs, have escaped serious operations, as evidenced by Miss Rose Moore's case, of 307 W. 26th St., N.Y. She writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured me of the very worst form of female trouble and I wish to express to you my deepest gratitude. I suffered intensely for two years so that I was unable to attend to my duties and was a burden to my family. I doctored and doctored with only temporary relief and constantly objecting to an operation which I was advised to undergo. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; it cured me of the terrible trouble and I am now in better health than I have been for many years."

This and other such cases should encourage every woman to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before she submits to an operation.

## Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. From the symptoms given, the trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised.



MISS ROSE MOORE

## HAGERSTOWN, IND.

Hagerstown, Ind., Sept. 9.—Mrs. Will Pitts and daughter came Saturday evening from Ft. Wayne to visit Mrs. Isaac Pitts, returning Monday.

Mrs. Alice Callahan and two children, Lyle Paul and Crystal, of Fort City, Penn., came from Dublin where they have been visiting Mrs. Callahan's father, Mr. Mitchell, Saturday evening, and will visit John Fouts and family in the country, and Robt. Smith and family on North Perry street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen of Indianapolis and Mrs. Martha Allen and James Pentecost of Richmond, attended the funeral services of Mrs. Carrie Fulkerson Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Martha Harter and daughter, Ethel were guests over Sunday of Greensfork relatives.

Mrs. Pleasant Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fouts and Walter Fouts attended a reunion of the Rhinehart family in Henry county, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orpha Jones and daughters, Rita and Hilda, were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John Van Camp at New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jarbo entertained at their country home, east of town, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Fox and Mr. and Mrs. John Stonebraker.

Mrs. Ann Addington has returned to the home of her son, F. W. Addington, after a two weeks' visit with Henderson Oler and wife and other friends in Economy and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sherry and daughter entertained Sunday at their country home, northeast of town, Misses Nellie Edwards, Ella Collins, and Harlie Keisling and Messrs. George

Schultz, Carl Baldwin and their son, Faye Sherry of New Castle.

Miss Ruth Mathews returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit at Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. John Teetor entertained Sunday Mrs. Charles Teetor and children, Mrs. Dinah Teetor, Mrs. Della Rudy, and Joe Teetor and wife.

Chas. Teetor and son Macy spent Sunday at Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smith and the Misses Eva and Dorothy Smith were entertained at D. B. Oler's home near Economy, Sunday.

Attack of Diarrhoea Cured by One  
Dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

I was so weak from an attack of diarrhoea that I could scarcely attend to my duties, when I took a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It cured me entirely and I had been taking other medicine for nine days without relief. I heartily recommend this remedy as being the best to my knowledge for bowel complaints.—R. G. Stewart, of the firm of Stewart & Bro., Greenville, Ala. For sale by A. G. Luken & Co.

## She'd Thought of It.

"Never mind, dear," said a mother to her little girl, having vainly endeavored to persuade her to give one of her dolls to a child who had never owned one; "never mind. Perhaps some day you will be a poor little girl yourself, and then you will know what it is to have no toys." "Yes, mamma," she sobbed, "I have thought of that, and that's the reason I want to save all my things!"

Keep a package on a low  
shelf. Let the children help  
themselves.

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