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### What An Engineer Does in a Collision.

"What would you do in a collision?" I asked.

The engineer pushed back the little black skullcap from his iron-gray hair and said, in the low tone which is usual with him:

"It is pretty hard to say what a man should do when he hears the whistle of danger ahead or sees that a crash is coming. Even the best of us are liable to get confused at such a moment. What would you do if you woke up in the night and found a burglar holding a pistol at your head? There are no rules for such cases. What I would not do, though, is to reverse my engine, although many engineers are liable to lose their heads at a critical moment and make that mistake. It is a curious thing that reversing your engine suddenly when going at high speed makes the train go faster instead of slower. The reason is that the drivers slip and the locomotive shoots ahead as if she were on skates. The only thing to do is to put on the air-brakes and pray hard."

REVEALED religion furnishes facts to other sciences which those sciences, left to themselves, would never reach. Thus in the science of history, the preservation of our race in Noah's ark is an historical fact which history would never arrive at without revelation.

## MIRIAM'S MISTAKE.

The bathers on the beach had clasped hands to breast an inrolling wave; the band was playing on the breezy porches of the hotel; grand equipages wiled over the glittering sands; a ship in full sail was visible in the channel; the sun was sinking into the water line of the horizon.

"Miriam," Brice Ventnor said, his voice husky, his manner agitated, "I have the right to ask your reason for this rejection."

He was looking at her with so much directness that she did not care to have her eyes meet his.

"No, you have not," she replied the color coming and going in her face. "Still, I'll tell you. I am prompted by revenge."

"By revenge?"

"Yes," was her measured reply, "I want you to suffer."

"And you enjoy it? Then you know how much I love you, it seems. I always knew you did not question that."

They had been seated on a bench outside a small pavilion, but were now standing. She was suffering more than she would have cared to have him know, and was impatient to get away.

"Pray, in what way have I wronged you?" he asked. "Not in thought, word or act. I consider myself the soul of honor."

"Oh, you do?" and she laughed mockingly. "Instead you are a man without principle."

He groaned aloud in his powerful effort to repress his angry indignation.

"I am not avenging myself, but another," she said, speaking with rapidity. "Did you ever know Blanche Carroll? Oh, it is not necessary for me to remind you of your baseness."

When Miriam Gray reached her room at the hotel reaction set in and her great grief showed how devotedly she loved the man whom she insulted. She flung herself upon the bed and cried as if her heart was broken.

"Oh, Blanche!" she exclaimed aloud, between her hysterical sobs. "You are avenged, but you will never know what it has cost me. Oh! why was I to love him so passionately before I heard about his perfidy?"

Early though it was she retired to bed, but it was almost dawn before she fell asleep, so intense was her suffering.

Three years later again found Miriam Gray at the seashore. She had not met Brice Ventnor during that interval, nor had she heard from him.

She was as handsome as ever and more royal in her manners, but her face and conversation lacked brilliancy. She was more quiet and reserved, more chary in her friendships ready to suspect and heartily tired of the hollowness of fashionable life.

Her love affair with Brice Ventnor had caused the change. In punishing him for his perfidy to her cousin Blanche she had sacrificed herself. She could never love another man as she had loved him.

As she was one day walking on the beach with her cousin Blanche they suddenly came up n Brice Ventnor. He was alone and stood still for a minute, the meeting was so unexpected to him. The board walk was so high and narrow just there, and the ladies could not get away.

He lifted his hat, looked mournfully and reproachfully at Miriam, as if half inclined to speak, then sprang from the walk and strode towards the nearest pavilion.

Miriam recognized him and was touched at the look he had bestowed upon her.

"Who was that superb looking gentleman?" asked her cousin Blanche. "Did he bow to you or me?"

Receiving no reply, she looked up into her companion's face.

"Why, Miriam, how pale you are," she exclaimed, "and how agitated."

"Blanche, do you mean to say that you do not know this man?" asked Miriam, her voice a mere whisper.

"I never saw him until to-day," was her cousin's reply.

"Oh!" cried Miriam, catching her breath, one hand unconsciously clinched. "Is he not the man who trifled with you?"

"Brice Ventnor?" exclaimed Blanche. "Why, no, child."

The blood receded from Miriam's lips, and a low moan escaped from them. She grew so weak for a little while that she was forced to lean heavily upon Blanche, who conducted her to one of the rustic benches. She fanned her, rubbed her hands, and spoke to her in soothing tones. When her cousin had sufficiently recovered she said:

"Miriam, what is this mystery?"

"Oh, I am so afraid that I have wronged that man and myself. I was cruel to him, for I supposed that he was avenging you. His name is Brice Ventnor."

"Eh!" exclaimed Blanche who was beginning to comprehend. "He is not the Brice Ventnor that I know," and her voice shook with emotion. "Can it be that there are two gentlemen of

the same name? I remember hearing him say that he had some cousins. Oh, I am so sorry, and so—glad," Miriam Gray looked at her friend in a sort of stupor.

"Sorry dear, because of what you have suffered and glad because everything will yet come out all right."

Miriam mournfully shook her head.

"He will never forgive me," she said. "He is proud and sensitive. My words cut deep, all the more so because undeserved. I gave him no explanation—no chance to defend himself."

"You can explain now," suggested Blanche.

"No," replied Miriam in a strained tone, a proud look coming to her face.

She rung her hands and moaned, and nothing that Blanche could say carried consolation with it. Her love had been but dormant—it reasserted itself. Brice Ventnor had been blameless. She had deeply wronged him. She was paying the penalty for her haste.

"I would tell him all," advised Blanche.

"He may spurn me," cried Miriam through her sobs. He may be as cruel and unreasonable as I was and with him more of an excuse. It happened three years ago. He may love some one else now; may he have married to another. There is nothing for me to do but to remain silent and endure."

Her grief was so great that Blanche ceased her efforts to pacify her.

The orchestra was playing a quadrille, the dancers were gliding gracefully to and fro, lights flashed, diamonds sparkled, fans glittered, eyes beamed. Miriam Gray sat on the verandah by an open window looking at the dancers, her face and form plainly visible. A gentleman stepped from among the shades on the porch. He stepped beside Miriam.

"Miriam," he simply said though his voice trembled.

Ah! she knew who had spoken. No one else could have pronounced her name with such sweet tenderness. The blood filled her face, then left it deadly pale.

She lifted her eyes swiftly to his, a fond, glad, appealing look in them.—*Amusing Journal.*

"It was mine!" sobbed the boy, "I earnestly singin' under the great folks' windows, after work hours was over. I gave you all I earned in the day-time, I did!"

"Yours!" growled the man, savagely, "there ain't nothin' is yours! You're mine, and all you earn is mine; and if ever I catch you up to any such a trick agin, I'll split your skull open for you. Where are you goin' now? Sit down again."

"Only out as far as the West-Landhill tavern," said Nino, entreatingly, as his eyes marked the slow creeping tide of sunshine along the floor, that formed his only substitute for a clock.

"Well, you won't do no such thing!" said the man, evidently in a most contrary and quarrelsome mood. "Go back to your corner again! do you hear? You're not goin' to stir out o' this afore night, and not then, unless you behave yourself as straight as a chalk mark."

"I'll be back in ten minutes, sir; I will, indeed!"

"Hold your noise!" brutally ejaculated his irate keeper. "I tell you, you shan't stir a peg; there now. Dave," to one of the other boys "give us a light here for this pipe."

Nino, watching his opportunity, as a wild beast might watch for an escape from its cage, gave a forward dart just as the man stooped over to rub his match against the sole of his boot. But he was scarcely quick enough; his tyrant seized him rudely by the arm, and slung him across the floor as if he had been a toy. He fell, his temple striking against the leg of a rusty iron bedstead that stood in the corner, and lay there, quite insensible.

"Blest if I don't think he's done for, dad," said one of the hitherto impassive spectators of the scene, a boy of thirteen who was generally dressed up as a "wandering Bavarian," with a tambourine and bells.

"Let him alone, I say," snarled the father. "It's a lesson as'll do him good!"

And at the same moment the bell in old square tower struck three!

"I told you he wouldn't be here, Paul!" he exclaimed Mrs. Parker, projecting her keen gray eyes into every nook and corner around the dull street in front of the West-Landhill House of Entertainment for Man and Beast: "I knowed it! Now what do you think of your fine honest boy?"

Paul Parker's countenance fell visibly.

"I'm sorry for it wife—sorry for the bottom of my heart. I somehow thought he was diff'rent from the common lot o' 'em; but I s'pose I hadn't ought to expect much from a lad brought up in the streets. Well, well, let's drive on."

The slow passing years had sprinkled their silver blossoms more plentifully on Paul Parker's head, and ploughed deeper dyes on his wife's face; the little girl in their fireside had grown into a tall, handsome young woman; and once more we enter the inner sanctum of their lives.

"It's father's step, mother," said Lucy Parker, jumping up to open the door.

"Well, father, what luck?"

"Bad enough, darter," said old Paul, meekly shaking the powdery fringe of snow from his overcoat. "Melton's down agin' with fever'n ager, his wife's poorly, and Bruce has had a stroke, so he can't work no more!"

"And they didn't pay you the money?" Paul, you were a fool for ever lending it!" shrieked the wife, shrilly. "And what are we to do, with lawyer Martin writin' and writin' for the money we owe him?"

"We can do nothing, wife."

"We shall be sold out at auction, and die in a poor-house yet. Oh Paul, why didn't you pay more heed to what I always kept tellin' you!"

"Not so bad as that, I hope," said the old man, cheerily, though the muscles of lip and brow quivered.

"Father, is it St. John Martin, the Leeds street lawyer, to whom you owe this money?"

"Yes, what do you know about him?"

"Not much, father; but I met his son at several parties last fall, and I—I think if you were to go there with me and tell him just how it was, or write even—"

"No use," croaked Mrs. Parker, despairingly; "other folks ain't so ready to let go o' their money as your father is, Lucy!"

"Still, it's worth tryin'!" said old Paul, hopefully. "We'll write this very night, my girl, and next week we'll go up to Boston and see what answer he makes us!"

And Lucy Parker, blushing like a sweet pea, ran to get the paper and pen and ink-bottle, timidly trusting in the efficacy of her plan.

"For his father can't be so hard-hearted," she thought, "and they are so very rich that surely this paltry five-hundred dollars can't be much to them."

The elegantly furnished little office on Lee's street did not often have such outre equipages drawn up before it as Paul Parker's mud-bespattered box wagon and shaggy old pony; and the elegantly attired young lawyer, who sat at the desk examining some papers glanced up in surprise as the blooming girl and the bent old man entered together like May and December.

"Lucy!"

"Ninian! I thought your father—I did not know that—"

"My dear father is detained at his country seat, and I am acting member of the firm, Lucy. He took me into partnership last week, and this is—"

He turned inquiringly, and with something of a start, to the brown faced old man, who stood modestly in the background. Lucy introduced her father, and stated their business, not without a profusion of very becoming blushes; she had not expected to find her gallant young cavalier of the past fall, in the office of St. John Martin.

"We are very poor, Ninian," concluded Lucy, "a'd my father cannot at present hope to discharge his debt; but I am soon to have a very good situation in Mesdame's school, as music teacher, and we can all save; so, if your father would be so kind as to wait a little while, we—"

Lucy stopped short; her voice was giving way, and she was far too proud to yield to the fast-coming tears in Ninian Martin's presence. The young man had listened in silence, but now he took down a tin box from its shelf in the safe, and unlocked it, disclosing sundry packages of neatly labelled receipts and notes.

"Let me see," he said, running his eye over them; "it was a note for five hundred dollars, I believe."

"Yes sir," answered the old man; "for five-hundred dollars."

"Is this your note?"

"Yes, sir."

Ninian Martin tore it in two, and laid the fragments on the fire. Paul Parker and Lucy gazed in astonishment as the handsome young lawyer lifted his dark eyes calmly towards them.

"Then, Mr. Parker, you may consider that you have to-day received the payment for a very old debt. We have balanced accounts."

"Sir, I don't understand you," said the bewildered old man. "I don't remember—"

"But I do. It is rather more than ten years, Mr. Parker, since you put money at interest."

"Sir?"

"I will be more plain with you," said the young man, smiling. "Perhaps Miss Parker is not aware that I am only the adopted son of my more than father. My real name is Nino Briliani. I am an Italian by birth. Just ten years ago, I was begging in the streets of Landhill, starved and penniless. A kind hand—you know whose, Mr. Parker—extended itself to me in the hour of need."

The old man's face lighted up.

"I do remember now. It was a fifty-cent piece; and I told you to come back just a week from that time, and—"

"And I did not come. No; but I tried my very best to come, but was prevented by the brutality of the man whose slave and drudge I was. For weeks afterward every Thursday I was on the spot at three o'clock watching and waiting for you, but you never came."

"No; we moved away from Landhill."

"Well, I begged my way to Boston, having run away from my tyrant. St. John Martin found me one night in the streets, perishing from cold and starvation. He had just lost his only child, a boy of about my own age, and not unlike me in personal appearance, and somehow I seemed to take the sore vacant place in his heart. There you have my history from the day in which you did the first kind deed, and spoke the first kind word that had cheered my loneliness for years! I resolved then that if ever it lay in my power, I would return the gift a thousand fold. But I never dreamed that Lucy's Father was my benefactor."

He turned to her with a bright congratulatory smile as he concluded—perhaps with a pressure of the little hand he had held in his all this time; while the brown face of old Paul Parker worked strangely with the emotion he could not conceal.

I thought you wouldn't ha' cheated me, boy," he said simply. "I thought your face was a good and true one. But I ha'n't no right to your generosity. Your father—"

"My father and I are one, sir, in thought, deed and wish."

"I don't know how to thank you, young man."

"Then do not attempt it. Perhaps one of these days," he added, with an arch smile, which brightened up his olive face like a glow, "I may ask you for yet more favors."

Old Paul Parker went home to his wife sedately triumphant.

"Wife, you've said 'I told you so,' all our life; now it's my turn!"

"Waa't on earth do you mean?" grumbled his ascetic helpmate. "I do believe you're getting in your dotage."

"May be I am; in that case, though, I wish I'd got into it long ago."

And he told his adventures, while Lucy sat by smiling and rosy as a May morning.

"Didn't I invest that fifty cents to pretty good advantage?" he demanded gleefully.

And Mrs. Parker answered not a word, but stared until her very spectacle glasses were in danger.

"Well, I never!" was her ultimatum.

"He wants new favors some day from me," added Paul, merrily looking into Lucy's eyes. "What do you say, mother? Can we spare our little gal here?"

"Don't, father!" cried Lucy, hiding her face; but she didn't look very angry after all.

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IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF FREDERICK COUNTY, MD.

OCTOBER TERM 1893.

In the matter of the Sale of the Real Estate of Baltzer Sheely.

ORDERED, by the Orphans' Court of Frederick county, this 13th day of November, 1893, that the sale of the Real Estate of Baltzer Sheely late of Frederick County, deceased, this day reported to this Court by Samuel G. Olier, agent for Ephraim Sheely his executor be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 11th day of December, 1893.

JOHN R. MILLS, HARRISON MILLER, Judges of the Orphans Court.

True Copy—Test: JAMES K. WATERS, Register of Wills.

Order Nisi on Sales.

No. 5856 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

NOVEMBER TERM, 1893.

In the Matter of the Report of Sales of Real Estate filed the 25th day of November, 1893.

ANN L. WOOD vs. Catharine S. Sample et al.

ORDERED, That on the 23rd day of December, 1893, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Eugene L. Rowe, Trustee in the above cause, and filed therein as aforesaid, and to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County, for three successive weeks prior to said day.

The Report states the amount of sales to be \$500.

Dated this 25th day of November, 1893.

JOHN L. JORDAN, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick Co.

True Copy—Test: JOHN L. JORDAN, Clerk. dec. 14.

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SHORT STORIES will be abundant. D. W. Howells, Miss Elliot, W. H. Bishop, Louisa Hale, Paul Bourget, Joel Chandler Harris and many new writers will contribute.

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Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Oct. 1, 1893, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg, daily, except Sundays, at 7:50 and 10:00 a. m. and 2:55 and 4:50 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8:20 and 10:30 a. m. and 3:25 and 5:20 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge, daily, except Sundays, at 8:20 and 10:37 a. m. and 3:20 and 6:20 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 8:50 and 11:07 a. m. and 4:00 and 6:59 p. m.

WM. H. BIGGS, Pres't.

Established 1837.

Wells' all rye whiskey. It has no rival for superiority, is absolutely pure, and has a reputation of the highest standard for excellence and purity, that will always be maintained.

F. A. DIFFENDAL.

A HOTEL keeper in Atlantic City has gone crazy over foot ball.

MANY persons in this place and vicinity are suffering with the grippe.

SEND in your Christmas locals and let the people know what you have for sale.

ADAM ROBER, of Liberty, has been appointed principal of the Frederick male high school.

DON'T suffer with indigestion, use Baxter's Mandrake Bitters. For sale by Jas. A. Elder.

Go to J. Traub & Bro., at Union Bridge for fine clothing and ladies cloaks, &c. nov. 17-18

WM. P. STUM, a jewelry engraver, of Baltimore, committed suicide in his workshop on Tuesday.

A VALUABLE bay mare belonging to Mr. John A. Horner, of this place, died on Wednesday morning.

HOUSES for Rent, with or without furniture. Would board with good tenant. Apply at CHRONICLE office. nov17-18

READ the advertisement of Schaeffers' 5 and 10 cent cigars, which appears in another column of this issue.

We acknowledge the receipt of a copy of the annual report of the public schools of Frederick county.

ON last Friday Mr. Daniel P. Zimmerman, Sheriff elect, and his deputies took charge of the Frederick county jail.

The Confederate Veterans' Association, of Frederick, will give a banquet and reunion on January 19th, the anniversary of Lee's birth.

8300 fell here on Tuesday to the depth of 14 inches, and it was very cold in the evening. The thermometer registered 16°

The meeting of the Frederick County Teachers' Association, which was held at the Female High School, at Frederick, on last Friday, was largely attended.

The reason why America & Oil Liniment is so popular with the ladies is because it not only is very healing and soothing but its odor is not at all offensive. For sale by Jas. A. Elder.

DENTAL NOTICE.—Dr. Geo. D. Fouke will visit Emmitsburg professionally Dec. 13th, 14th and 15th. Can be seen at the residence of Mr. Philip Lawrence.

FOUND.—A Gold Ring, near the Opera House, bearing the initials "E. E. G." The person to whom it belongs can get the same by call at this office and paying charge.

OWING to the illness of the pastor, Rev. Charles Reinwald, no services were held in the Lutheran church on last Sunday. Mr. Reinwald is much improved.

E. L. ROWE, Esq., trustee, will sell the real estate of the late Samuel Welty, deceased, at the Western Maryland Hotel, in this place, on Saturday, December 23.

MISS ALICE R. WOLF, aged twenty years, daughter of Mr. Jefferson Wolf, of Wolfsville, died a few days ago from lock-jaw, brought on by severe protracted case of toothache.

The Modern Pandora's Box.

Has opened the box of the theills of her kind;

Hence weakness and sickness and acute melancholy,

Much suffering of body and worry of mind.

This host of complaints, this legion of pain,

Has harassed the lives of all her sex. For relief shall they seek forever in vain?

And must they still suffer disorder complex?

Ah! No! For Pandora has left in the box

A sure cure for ills of all such description.

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'Tis Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription!

Dr. R. V. PIERCE: Dear Sir—I have taken the "Favorite Prescription" and I can recommend it to any body that suffers with any female disease. I have tried several doctor's prescriptions but none did me the good that yours did. Yours respectfully, MATTIE TERRY, Postmistress, Sherrer Hill, Dallas Co, Ala

The statue of Sir William Wallace, which was presented to the city of Baltimore, by William W. Spence, was unveiled in Druid Hill Park, on last Thursday.

Large Hogs.

Mr. Harry H. Mentzer, of this place, killed four large hogs on Tuesday, which weighed respectively 301, 273, 283 and 294 pounds.

Nine Times out of Ten

Dr. Fahrney's Peerless Liniment will prevent Pneumonia and Croup, if used in time. So say hundreds who have used it. Sold by all druggists for twenty-five cents.

The fourth annual convention of the Maryland State Union Christian Endeavorers met in the Brantley Baptist Church, Baltimore, on Tuesday. Fifteen hundred persons were in attendance.

The December term of the Circuit Court for Frederick county will convene on Monday next. The docket contains sixty-five originals, eighty-eight trials, forty-five appeals and eighty criminal cases.

MR. GEORGE W. SNOUFFER, a well-known farmer of this county, died on Tuesday night at his home in Licksville, of paralysis, aged seventy-nine years. His death occurred on the anniversary of his birth.

Large Table Sale

of new Harness, Fur and Plush Robes, Horse blankets and saddlery goods of every description, in Gettysburg, Pa., on Saturday, December 10th. Rain or shine. Goods will positively be sold, regardless of what they bring.

W. D. MCSHERRY.

The Maryland Building Sold.

The Maryland Building at the World's Fair has been sold to a Cincinnati party for \$450. This is considerable more than the commissioners expected to realize, in fact, it was at one time thought that a few hundred dollars would have to be paid for its removal.

A Passenger coach on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, on Monday, broke loose on the grade near Mt. Airy, and ran back for a distance of several hundred yards, crashing into a helper train that was going west. One of the trainmen was struck and seriously injured, and several cars were demolished. The accident delayed traffic for several hours.

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Is undoubtedly a disease of the blood, and as such only a reliable blood purifier can effect a perfect and permanent cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier, and it has cured many very severe cases of catarrh. Catarrh oftentimes leads to consumption. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla before it is too late.

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FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

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Mr. Robert Bythe, of this place, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. James Cunningham, at Oakvale.

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The heirs of Joseph Musselman, deceased, had sale of their personal property on last Saturday. Corn was sold for 60c, 67c, and 70 cents per bushel.

Mr. George Welty, of this place, was relieved of a lot of chickens one night last week by some night prowler. Farmers should be on the look out for thieves.

Mr. A. H. Bronstein, of Baltimore, the spectacle man, is here on business. He is selling a great many glasses. He can test your eyes and give you glasses to suit.

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BLUE RIDGE SUMMIT ITEMS.

Witnessed But one Will.—Improvement.—Turkey Shot for Wild Ones.—Other Interesting Items.

CHARMERS, Pa., Dec. 4.—Mr. Harry Cline is conducting the store here lately purchased from Benjamin Valentine, by D. B. Martin, Esq. Besides the Valentine property purchased by Mr. Martin he has also bought an adjoining lot and early in the spring will erect thereon some tenement houses. At the same time the store will be greatly enlarged, and other improvements will be made.

So many of the farmers have lost their turkeys by having them shot for "wild" ones, several, who have had their shinned away, have decided that in the future they will raise the red breed only.

As several rumors reached me lately to the effect that I was one of the witnesses of the will of the late Mrs. Zielinger, I trust that the Chronicle may grant me this place to state that I knew nothing whatsoever of the above mentioned document until after it had been duly signed and witnessed and turned over to Squire Dukehart. Furthermore I desire to state that during my long residence in Franklin county, I have witnessed but one will. Late one evening, nine years ago, Col. William F. Benchoff, fancying himself quite ill, sent to the Clermont House for Mr. David Miller and myself to come over at once and witness his last will and testament. This we promptly did, and since then I have not figured in a similar capacity.

Mr. C. T. Willis, of Fountaindale, is availing himself of every fair day to push to completion the Lockwood cottage. It is built of logs with the bark on, and will command an exceptionally fine view.

Mr. A. S. Graham has purchased a house and lot of D. B. Martin, Esq., situated about midway between this point and Fountaindale.

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REUNION OF COMPANY C.

The following letter from Mr. A. M. Walker, of Des Moines, Iowa, was read at the sixth annual reunion of Company C of Cole's Cavalry, held in Gettysburg, on Nov. 23. The letter was not received in time to be published with our account of the reunion which appeared in last week's issue:

DES MOINES, IA., Nov. 19, 1893.

LIENT O. D. McMILLAN, Dear Comrade:—It will be impossible for me to be present at the annual reunion of Co. C, on 23d inst. Distance alone prevents my going. When that evening comes I shall think of the boys of Co. C with that feeling of comradeship that soldiers only can feel towards those who were comrades in fact during the war, and in imagination call the roll:

Maj. O. A. Horner—the affable gentleman and good soldier—true to his comrades and still of that social quality—that makes up the good men of our Nation.

Lieut. W. A. McElhenny—combining all the good qualities of comradeship, who will turn up his goblet at a banquet and be "dog-goned if he will!"

Lieut. O. D. McMillan—the genial good comrade, chaplain of the company.

El. Wibbe—the bulky good boy in every way, always asking for a speech from visiting comrades of the Post, when he knows they "kant."

Theo. McAllister—ironclad in his opinion on the pension question—and Hokey—and the jolly good boy that he is would delight in telling the story of the girl whose "lover was in the army and would kill the Yankee who would insult her"—or the story of "the preacher."

Harry Lott—another of the crowd who enjoys a good story and a "snout full" at the banquet and a smoke.

Johnny Huber—what shall I say of our jolly bugler who could blow or take a horn with any of the boys?—always jolly.

Silas Horner—a chip of the old block whom we all honored.

Craig Shields—the friendly, jolly comrade, who is always glad to meet a comrade, as one comrade should greet another.

John Munsower—or as we called him "Bunch," who was so expert in picking beans and did not appreciate the placing of cartridges under his pots when cooking.

D. Starner—"Shortie" as the boys called him, always ready and willing to "tote" fair with all his comrades.

James A. Scott—poet—comrade. We all loved Jim and love him yet. Unassuming, true to his friends—an honorable associate.

Geo. Quinn—a jolly good boy who would carry his gun in saddle pocket and when chance gave opportunity would run a high bluff. How we all would rejoice to again shake his hand and enjoy his laugh.

Hen. Turle—whose peculiar laugh was so well known that Virginia horses would take to the brush when they heard it.

Lieut. W. A. Horner—the well-revered good soldier, companion and comrade. May he prosper and be honored in his far western home.

Sergt. Maxwell—Ladies' friend and tidy soldier, who would run risk of bullets or capture to call on a Virginia Belle.

Tom Sherfey—jolly boy, hearty laughter and who could knock a fly off his ear with his tongue, or lick a tear from his eye when Schuster changed his \$20 greenback for the purchase of a nickel's worth of peanuts, said bill having been used by Lott, Burnside, Guinn, Hartzell and others to get small purchases on tick. Lott can explain how it was done.

A. A. Annan—socially a one, good soldier and companion. We all remember Gueck.

Gueck and Guinn—The Siamese twins.

(My first attempt at poetry, "Johnny get your gun.")

Hen Gettier—who would walk or ride four miles for a quart of oats, and who always kept his horse sleek and fat.

I could keep on through the entire list but too long.

A. M. Walker—who would love to be present at one reunion and who might tell a fresh story, but would not make a speech.

Then with uncovered head I will call another roll. Cobe, Schriver, Hartzell, McCullough, Grimes, Gilson, etc., etc., and shed a silent tear to their memory—the honored dead of Co. C—who either died in the line of duty or as a result of exposure.

For the living greeting,

For the dead tears.

We will call another roll—those who have got a leave of absence from the pension roll—through the manipulations of Hokey. "Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad," is a saying, the truthfulness of which none can doubt after being advised of the rebel colonel's son, Hoke's record, in the management of the Pension Bureau. Hokey was doubtless taught to believe that his father's action was right in leading a rebel regiment during the war, and if right then, the rebellion was right. Taking this view he is prostituting the Interior Department as ignobly as it was during the last months of Buchanan's administration. In 1893 "history will repeat itself."

Please express to all my comrades of Co. C my most hearty greeting and loving expressions of comradeship.

Again regretting my inability to be present I am ever, a comrade of Co. C. present I am ever, A. M. WALKER.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became a Woman, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

MT. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE NEWS.

Mountaineers Victorious. Score 18-4.

A desperate struggle for victory was that on the Mountaineer's oval on Saturday, Dec. 2nd, between the deaf mutes of Kendall Green, and the Mountaineers. The teams lined up to play thirty minute halves, Kendall Green taking the ball, and playing the "Deland Wedge" for a gain of 8 yards. Price tried the left tackle but made a bad fumble. Donovan fell on the ball, and thus capturing it for the Mountaineers. Gilboy was sent through left tackle for ten yards, Percutt followed this up for a gain of 9 yards through the right tackle. Gilboy came through the left tackle for a gain of 5 yards. McEhenny was sent around the end but could only gain his length. Gilboy made a dash around left end for 12 yards Price making a beautiful tackle. O'Brien was sent through the right tackle for 4 yards, and then Roken was given the ball, and bucked the line for a gain of 8 yards and a touch down four minutes after play began. McTighe failed at goal. Kendalls took the ball to the centre of the field, and gained 4 yards on V trick. Price tried the left end for no gain, Percutt making a beautiful tackle. Ryan bucked the tackle for 5 yards, Price tried a hole between O'Brien and Roken but lost the ball by a bad fumble. Percutt found a hole in right tackle and made a gain of 8 yards. McKenna was sent through left tackle for 4 yards. O'Connor went through the same place for 2 yards. Percutt tried right end for 3 yards. Kendall received the ball here on a bad fumble by Walsh. Price tried right end but McKenna downed him without a gain. Ryan tried the same end but trusty Pat had the man on the ground in the twink of an eye. Ryan tried right tackle but fumbled the ball and McKenna dropped on it. Gilboy made a great run of 40 yards on the crisis cross for a touchdown. McTighe failed at goal. Kendall took the ball to the centre of the field, and tried the "Deland wedge" for 9 yards. Cummings bucked the left tackle for 2 yards, Hubbard made a bad fumble at quarter and Roken fell on the ball. Percutt bucked right tackle for 5 yards, Gilboy followed this up through left tackle for 5 yards. McKinnis tried the left end but lost two yards on a beautiful tackle by Roth. Mt. St. Mary's received 5 yards here on off side play, just as Percutt was about to make a fine run for a touch down. Percutt tried right end for 14 yards, Gilboy bucked left tackle for 3 yards. Mass play netted 3 yards. McKenna tried left tackle but Ryan made a good tackle thus stopping him from gaining. Percutt tried the crisis cross but could get only 3 yards. Gilboy gained 3 yards through left tackle. McKenna made a good play here by recovering a fumbled ball and dashing around left end for 15 yards. Percutt was sent through the line for a touch down. Kendall took the ball to the centre of the field for the third time, and gained 7 yards on the Deland wedge, Ryan bucked left tackle for 3 yards, Price tried the same tackle but was stopped by Roken and McTighe. Price tried the right end but lost the ball, Gilboy dropping on it. Percutt tried the right end but lost 6 yards. O'Brien was sent through the right tackle for 15 yards. Gilboy tried the left tackle for 5 yards and O'Connor bucked the left tackle for 4 yards. Percutt tried right end for 2 yards, Gilboy tried the left end for no gain. McKinnis tried right end for no gain. Kendall took the ball on 4 downs for the first time during the game. Cummings tried the left end and made a gain of 12 yards before he was brought down by Walsh. Price gained 8 yards through left tackle and was downed by Gilboy as time was called for the first half, score 12-0.

In the second half the Mountaineers took the ball, and gained 10 yards on their phalanx. Gilboy bucked the left tackle for 3 yards. McKenna tried the same tackle for 4 yards. Percutt tried the right end, but slipped on the wet ground and sprained his ankle, and was compelled to retire from the game. Behen being substituted for him. Roken tried right tackle but could gain nothing. Kendall received the ball on four downs. The deaf mutes were fighting a game battle, and were determined to score. They sent Ryan through the left tackle for 3 yards. Cummings tried the right end for 4 yards. Ryan bucked the left tackle for 6 yards. Hubbard lost the ball to Roken. Gilboy gained 6 yards through left tackle. Behen tried the right tackle for 2 yards. Mass play followed this for no gain. McKenna gained 4 yards through left tackle. O'Connor gained 5 yards through the same tackle, and a fine mass play gained 5 yards. O'Brien bucked the right tackle for 4 yards and James tried the tackle again, but lost the ball on a fumble. Ryan tried the left end for 5 yards. McKenna making a beautiful tackle. Price gained 20 yards around right end aided by beautiful interference. Cummings tried right end, but lost the ball on a fumble. Driscoll dropping on it. Behen tried the right end for 2 yards and Gilboy the right end for 13 yards. Behen was sent through the right tackle, and broke through the line and made a fine run of 24 yards for a touch down. McKinnis kicked goal. Kendall took the ball to the centre of the field, and gained 30 yards on the Deland Wedge. Price tried the left end, but "Big Tom" was there and downed the man like a "Trojan." Ryan tried the right end but Gilboy made a fine tackle. Cummings tried the right tackle losing the ball on a fumble, McKenna dropping on it. O'Connor bucked the left tackle for 5 yards. Behen lost 2 yards around right end, and as the Mountaineers' goal was in danger, McKinnis punted for 40 yards. Driscoll tackling Ryan. Price made a fine run of 40 yards around right end for touch down, McKenna tackling him one foot across the touch down line. Ryan missed the goal. Mt.

St. Mary's took the ball to the centre of the field and gained 10 yards on the phalanx. Gilboy could get but 1 yard through left tackle. Behen tried the right tackle but could gain nothing, and as the crowd of players scrambled from the pile, Behen laid struggling on the field. He received a slight injury on his collar bone, and was compelled to retire from the game. Manley was substituted at centre, and Donovan went to half back. Donovan gained 6 yards through right tackle. Donovan took the ball again, but fumbled it. Cummings dropping on the ball. Ryan gained 5 yards around right end. Price made 2 yards through right tackle. Ryan tried the left end but lost the ball to O'Connor who called after a hard fought game. The Kendalls are the first team that has scored against the Mountaineers in two years, and the game with the Deaf Mutes of Saturday was the hardest fought game the Mountaineers has ever had. The teams lined up as follows:

St. Mary's. Left end: McKenna, O'Brien, Donovan, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Left Tackle: Roken, Donovan, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Right Tackle: McKenna, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Right Guard: McKenna, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Right End: McKenna, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Quarter Back: McKenna, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Half Back: McKenna, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Kendall Green. Left Tackle: McKenna, O'Brien, Donovan, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Left Guard: McKenna, O'Connor, McKenna, Driscoll, Walsh, Gilboy, Percutt, McKinnis.

Right Tackle

LENGTHENING EVENINGS.

The earlier and shorter twilights come at this season, and one begins to think of the long evenings of winter.

There are many others—the majority, no doubt—who prefer the winter nights—long, but if rightly employed, never tedious.

Curious it is to think of how many things we consider indispensable, but which Copwer's generation not only did without, but dreamed not of.

And what dull magazines and tiresome novels formed the light literature of the day!

Consider, too, the difficulties of transportation and the multitude of inconveniences in every relation of life.

Shakespeare's day, but the conditions are now so different that fifty is regarded as the prime.

Physicians have almost mastered the secret of disease, and suffering is greatly alleviated.

There are a few of the "praisers of times past," of whom the poet speaks, who would probably still assert that the rude and sturdy living of former days was healthier and better.

Old age never was made so comfortable as in our age. There are, first of all, in Europe's systems through which the poorest artisan, by submitting to a small tax every year during his time of usefulness, is guaranteed a comfortable support in his declining years by the state.

There are also many institutions for old men and women, where they are well cared for and freed from anxiety as to subsistence.

PERSONALS.

Lady Herbert of Lee, the Dowager Duchess of Newcastle, the Dowager Lady Denbigh and Lady Margaret Howard, sister of the Duke of Norfolk, are faithful workers among the poor of London.

The title generally borne by Prince Antoine, the husband of the Spanish Infanta Eulalia, is that of the Duc de Montpensier, but the Orleans family object to his bearing this title, as they say that, in becoming a Spaniard by adoption, he has forfeited his possible right to the French throne.

The Empress Elizabeth of Austria, while at Godollo, near Pesth, saved a train last October from being wrecked.

Munich can boast of a hotel owned and managed by a Prince and a Duke. The late King Maximilian had purchased an old Benedictine Abbey containing valuable mineral springs, and fitted it up as a hospice for the poor and invalid travelers.

writers, worn-out priests; in fact, by interesting invalids to whom rest, care and the healthy waters give renewed energy.

BOUNTY JUMPERS.

How Clever Frauds Work the Authorities By Petty Deceits.

"Bounty grabbers are ever existent and ever will be, I guess," began Gristler Abbott, who is stopping at the Laclede for a day or two.

"In my territory—Southeastern Ohio—crows became so numerous that they destroyed most of the grain.

ARMIES OF THE WORLD.

The Immense Sums Needed to Sustain Them.

China has a regular army of 300,000 men, and a war footing of 1,000,000 men, and a war footing of 1,000,000 men.

Spain has a regular army of 90,000, and a war footing of 450,000, and the annual cost of the army is \$24,802,930.

Russia has a regular army of 974,771 men, and a war footing of 2,738,305, and the annual cost of the army is \$131,812,502.

Germany has a regular army of 502,784 men, and a war footing of 1,753,305, and the annual cost of the army is \$114,279,761.

Great Britain has a regular army of 131,686 men, and a war footing of 577,906, and the annual cost of the army is \$74,701,500.

India (British) has a regular army of 189,597 men, and a war footing of 308,000, and the annual cost of the army is \$84,481,195.

Anstro-Hungary has a regular army of 289,190 men, and a war footing of 1,125,838, and the annual cost of the army is \$53,386,915.

The United States has a regular army of 25,745 men, and a war footing of 3,165,000 men, and the annual cost of the army is \$40,476,640.

How Money Gets into Circulation. An inquirer asks in the New York Sun this question: "If the government desired to distribute \$100,000 more money through the country, how long would it be before the working man would get a portion of it?"

A NOVEMBER SONNET.

BY ROSE BRAUNDE. Dear mother Earth, ere your mantle of green By a white, fleecy garment be covered,

ODDS AND ENDS.

Oh, there ain't no use in talkin'; This here government looks slim When the man is on the ox cart

"Well, Johnny, how are you? Do you find dollars scarce, as everybody else does?"

"I am worse off than that. I even find half dollars scarce."

"Our rule is cash down, young man," said the merchant.

"Exactly, and it is my exception. To-day my cash is way down, and that is just why I asked credit," replied the young man, sadly.

Johnnie—"Mamma, this book says knowledge is power."

Mamma—"And it is my child, I know it ere it is a pie in the pantry, but I can't get it."

Clerk—I want to get off for a few days, Mr. Harderabli. My grandmother is dead."

Employer—Hecks, this is the fifth time your grandmo her has died.

Clerk—Yes; grandmother was an extraordinary woman.—Tit Bits.

The Johnson Family Visit the Great White City.—Paterfamilias (entering the gate at the head of the procession)—Great lan, Glorials! I'd a given dat spotted white ob mine for the contra' ob wite-washin' dis yer place!—Harper's Weekly.

He was, perhaps, the most phlegmatic and cautious servant in the world.

"If I should send you to the cigar store for a box of cigars," his master said to him one day, "how long will it take you to return?"

"Well," was the reply, after a long pause, "as near as I can judge, about the same time it will take me to go there."

The feetious man had built himself a nice new house with a stone veranda and steps up in the front, and took a friend to look at it.

"Very nice—very nice, indeed," said the friend, critically; "but it has such a set look, Laeks expression, you know."

"Of course," replied the owner; "but what else could you expect from a house with such a stony stair?" And he sat down on the steps and laughed.—Detroit Free Press.

She walked up to the fan counter of a large store, rustling in silk petticoat and gorgious in russet shoes and chamois gloves.

"How day! Got the three dollars in the bank now, and here goes to nail the ciphers! Mary Jane, thou art my own sweet whip-poor-will, and I'll be a penful of hogs agin an ox-yoke thou art!"

A Social Misstep. An amusing story was told years ago of a certain Madame de S., a French woman of high social ambitions.

SELECTED RECEIPTS.

LOIN OF MUTTON, pepper and salt, a small piece of butter. Cut the chops from a well-hung, tender loin of mutton, remove a portion of the fat and trim them into a nice shape; slightly beat and level them; place the gridiron over a bright, clear fire, rub the chops with a little fat and lay on the coals.

YOLKS OF THREE HARD-BOILED EGGS, one tablespoonful of vinegar; one-half teaspoonful of salt, yolk of one raw egg, one gill of olive oil, dash of cayenne. Mash the cooked yolks until perfectly smooth, then add the raw yolk, and work with an elastic-bladed knife for five minutes, then add the salt and cayenne, mix again and add the oil drop by drop, stirring rapidly and steadily all the while; then add the vinegar by degrees and it is finished.

Wash and scrape all the thin skin from the inside. Soak the fish in a large panful of cold water overnight. In the morning wash it in fresh water and wipe it. Bush it with melted butter, dredge lightly with pepper, lay it on a greased broiler and broil with the flesh side down over a clear fire; then turn and broil the skin side. Be careful or it will burn very quickly on this side.

Beat the yolks of four eggs light and add five cups mashed potato. Mix well, then add two tablespoonfuls of chopped parsley, one-fourth of a cup of cream, one teaspoonful of onion juice, salt and pepper to taste. Mix well, stir over the fire in a saucepan until the potato is heated through. Cool, form into cork-shaped croquettes, cover with egg and bread crumbs, and fry in smoking-hot pan.

To Make Her "Recip." A young man who probably belongs to the class known as "hired men" among farmers, called on a Detroit lawyer the other day and bargained for "advice" for three dollars.

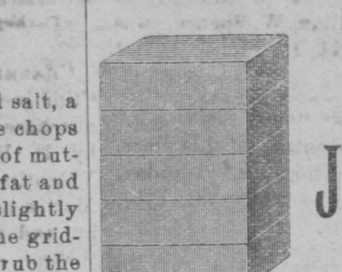
"Sposen I put \$3 in a savings bank?" "Well?" "Then I take a pen and put three 000 after the figure 3?"

"What'd it be agin the law?" "No, not unless you tried to draw \$3,000."

"But I'm not going to try it. I probably shan't even ask for the three dollars."

"What's the object?" "Girl out my way. I love her. She partly recips. She'd recip altogether if she thought I had lots of sugar."

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