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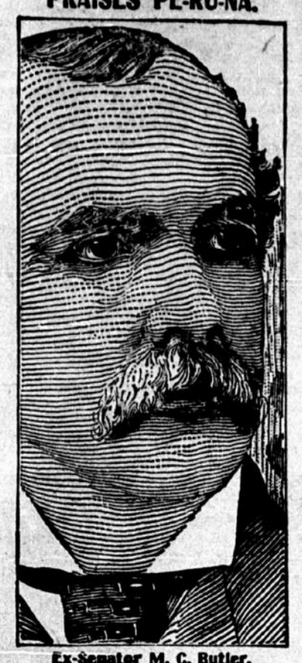

Ex-Senator M. C. Butler.

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LOWER PRICE NO HELP

Manager of Competing Company Testifies in the Hearing of the Federal Suit for Dissolution.

New York.—Testimony that railroads purchased their lubricating oils from the Standard Oil company at prices that were higher than those of its competitors was heard Monday in the federal suit for the dissolution of the so-called oil trust.

Philip Harrison, manager of the New York Lubricating Oil company, wihch has engaged in a long strife with the Standard in the lubricating oil industry, was on the witness stand all day and testified that though the products of his company proved satisfactory to the railroads, and were sold at prices under the Standard's figures, the railroads declined to renew their contracts with the New York Lubricating Oil company. Mr. Harrison said he was never openly told by the railroad officials why the contracts were not entered into again, but he had a well defined idea of the cause.

Standard Grabbed the Business.

The New York Lubricating Oil company entered into a contract in 1903 to supply the Louisville & Nashville railway for a period of two years, said Mr. Harrison, and six months before the contract expired President Milton Smith, of the railroad, informed the oil company that it need not endeavor to obtain a renewal of the contract. Mr. Harrison testified that he had informed President Smith that if he was permitted to bid for the business he was prepared to reduce the price of engine oil from the current contract price.

Notwithstanding the fact that President Smith had praised the quality of the oil and that it was offered at a lower price than that asked by the Standard, Mr. Harrison said, the Louisville & Nashville railway entered into a contract with the Galena Signal Oil company, a subsidiary of the oil combine.

Mr. Kellogg, counsel for the government, showed the witness the contract entered into by the Louisville & Nashville and the Galena company after the railroad's contract with the New York Lubricating company had expired, and Mr. Harrison said that the figures showed that the railroad paid $30,000 a year more for its oil to the Standard than it would have paid under a contract with the New York company.

Mr. Harrison testified that the Central Railway of Georgia had purchased its oil from his company and that it had been satisfactory. The Standard obtained the business, the witness said, notwithstanding the fact that the oil combine charged a higher price than the New York Lubricating Oil company charged.

COTTON CONGRESS OPENED.

Delegates from Many Lands at Atlanta Conference.

Atlanta, Ga.—With delegates present representing every phase of the cotton industry from the time it leaves the planters' hands to the time when the product, woven into fabrics, is sent to the markets of the world, and including representatives of many foreign countries, the international conference of cotton spinners and growers met at the state capitol building in this city Monday.

More than 500 delegates were present, nearly a hundred of these representing the great mills of Germany, Great Britain, France, Italy, Spain and Portugal, with an aggregate wealth in farm lands, cotton crop and mills of nearly $4,000,000,000. Gov. Hoke Smith of Georgia, in his address of welcome, caused much applause by advocating the ginning, compressing and baling of the cotton on the plantation.

ASK CONGRESS FOR WATERWAY.

Resolutions Adopted at Memphis—Next Convention in Chicago.

Memphis, Tenn.—After passing resolutions indorsing the ship channel project and calling upon congress for an appropriation sufficient to secure a 14-foot canal from the lakes to the Gulf of Mexico through the route already selected by army engineers, the deep waterway convention adjourned Saturday afternoon.

The next meeting of the association will be held in Chicago. Representatives of New Orleans, who have been conducting a vigorous campaign, withdrew the name of that city in favor of Chicago, and the latter city was selected by acclamation. It is generally understood that an agreement was reached whereby New Orleans will have the convention in 1909.

Two Fatally Hurt in Fight.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Levi Jones, 63 years old, and William Carpenter, aged 34, are dying from injuries received in a duel Sunday with a knife and an ice pick as weapons. The fight was prompted by jealousy.

George E. Robinson, Detroit, Dies.

Detroit, Mich.—George E. Robinson, prosecuting attorney of Wayne county and one of the most widely-known attorneys in the state, died suddenly from heart disease at his home here Sunday afternoon.

Whole County in Meat Strike.

Augusta, Me.—Nearly 1,200 of the people of Kennebec county are in open revolt against the high prices demanded for meat and have pledged themselves to abstain from all meat for ten days.

Army Lieutenant Blown to Pieces.

San Antonio, Tex.—Owen V. Anderson, recently appointed to a lieutenancy in the United States army, was blown to atoms Friday while handling a bottle of nitro-glycerine. The house was wrecked.

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Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

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Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising, the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended. It is the prescription of an eminent authority, whose entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

HIS MEMORY WAS GOOD.

Commodore Vanderbilt Had Not Forgotten Old Days.

The coming of age of Miss Gladys Vanderbilt and the payment to her of some twelve millions of dollars inheritance has brought out a new crop of anecdotes about the Vanderbilt fortune. One of the latest illustrates the democratic spirit of the old commodore.

Sitting on the porch of a fashionable hotel at a fashionable resort on one occasion, it is related, the commodore saw a lady aproaching with whom he was acquainted. His wife and daughter, who recognized her, could scarcely contain their anger when he arose and politely addressed her.

"Don't you know," said the daughter after she had gone, "that horrid woman used to sell poultry to us?"

"Yes," responded the old millionaire, "and I remember when your mother sold root beer and I peddled oysters in New Jersey."

Remarkable Photography.

Photography has caught the fastest express train in motion by means of the cinematograph, and it also shows the growth of a flower. A bud which bursts into bloom in, say, 16 days, is exposed to a camera every 15 minutes during the 16 days, and when the pictures developed from the films are assembled in order in the moving picture machine, the observer may see, to his delight, all in a minute or two, the gradual breaking of the bud—the blossoms open, close by night and reopen in the morning, the leaves grow under the eye, the stamens peep from cover, and, finally, the full-blown flower.

Conceit.

"There goes the big-feelin'est man in town!" pessimistically said a citizen of Pettyville, indicating with a contemptuous jerk of his thumb a pompous-appearing personage who was passing. "He thinks so darned much of himself that he won't loaf in a grocery store like ordinary folks—if he can't loaf in the bank he won't loaf at all. And, as far as I can see, he aint' so all-fired better than some of the rest of us, neither!"—Puck.

Billions in New Securities.

Close to a billion dollars of new bonds and shares were issued in Wall street from January to last July. The railroads, which have been the greatest borrowers, issued the great bulk of these securities. In taking its lines from Jersey City to Long Island the Pennsylvania company has been spending $100,000,000.—Boston Globe.

His Language.

Mrs. Cussem—Why did you take the parrot out of the room?

Mr. Cussem—He's just beginning to learn to talk, and I thought it was best to keep him out while I was putting on my new shirt."

Whether you be men or women, you will never do anything in the world without courage. It is the greatest quality of the mind, next to honor.—James Allan.

The whole duty of man is embraced in the two principles of abstinence and patience.—Seneca.

Wisdom is the sunlight of the soul.—German.

TRANSFORMATIONS.

Curious Results When Coffee Drinking Is Abandoned.

It is almost as hard for an old coffee toper to quit the use of coffee as it is for a whisky or tobacco fiend to break off, except that the coffee user can quit coffee and take up Postum without any feeling of a loss of the morning beverage, for when Postum is well boiled and served with cream, it is really better in point of flavor than most of the coffee served nowadays, and to the taste of the connoisseur it is like the flavor of fine, mild Java.

A great transformation takes place in the body within ten days or two weeks after coffee is left off and Postum used, for the reason that the poison to the nerves—caffeine—has been discontinued, and in its place is taken a liquid food that contains the most powerful elements of nourishment.

It is easy to make this test and prove these statements by changing from coffee to Postum. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Beecher Scored Point.

Justin McCarthy tells a story of the late Henry Ward Beecher. Mr. Beecher entered Plymouth church one Sunday and found several letters awaiting him. He opened one and found it contained the single word "Fool." Quietly and with becoming seriousness he announced to the congregation the fact in these words: "I have known many an instance of a man writing a letter and forgetting to sign his name, but this is the only instance I have ever known of a man signing his name and forgetting to write the letter."

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A sea trout was caught at Aberdeen recently, which swam 120 miles in 49 days, and doubled its weight on the way. It was marked and put into the Coquet in Northumberland, and when recaught at Aberdeen, its length was not increased, its rapid gain in weight being due to corpulence.

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Marrying for Love.

Happy marriages are surely possible even in these unpoetic, hard-hearted times. They are, if the people will only follow the instinct of their better natures and marry for love—the reverent, impassionate love of the man for the maiden, the pure, unsophisticated affection of the maiden for the man—instead of bartering happiness for rank or money.—Thorne.

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