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MIKE'S GREAT SCHEME.

How He Planned to Secure Easy Pleasure When Freed from Army Discipline.

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—American Issue.

POOR PARIS.

She Has More Saloonkeepers Than Bakers and Butchers Put Together.

From the Paris Revue Bleue, translated for Public Opinion, we learn that Paris has only 17,000 bakers and 14,500 butchers, but it has 33,000 saloons. In the whole of France 160,000 persons are employed in making bread, but 500,000 are employed in saloons. An additional fact is that one-twentieth of the voters of the country are employed in this business. All these saloons are gambling resorts. The saloons pay the city taxes. The average amount of liquor consumed in France per head is nine quarts. France, according to this authority, consumes 60,000,000 gallons of bitters and absinthe in addition to her tremendous direct liquor bill.

Rewards for Temperance Workmen.

A large firm in Westphalia has for some years made a practice of giving money prizes to those of its workmen who are abstainers for a longer or shorter time. The tariff is as follows: One month's abstinence gains a prize of one mark (a shilling English money), five months' abstinence gains six marks, ten months' gains 12 marks, 12 months' gains 25 marks. An appeal is made to the good faith of the workmen by awarding these prizes on their simple written declaration of abstinence for the prescribed period. Since 1896 nearly 400 of these rewards have been given, and no case is known of any workman having perjured himself—National Advocate.

Negro Sold with Saloon.

When the saloon of Frank N. Castleman, at Berryville, Va., was sold to W. A. Harford & Co. a few days ago, an old colored man, Dan Robinson, was included in the inventory of the whiskies and wines and regularly sold with the saloon and its contents. The bill of sale stipulated that the negro was to be sold along with the saloon and its contents. Robinson has been attached to Castleman's saloon for a quarter of a century. Such a transaction has not been made in Virginia since the days of slavery.

A Vital Relationship.

Temperance and economics are vitally related. The \$1,000,000,000 invested in the liquor traffic of all kinds is just as much capital withdrawn from investment in useful industry and invested in that which makes for poverty, misery and crime. The 364,000 persons employed in all branches of the liquor business are just so many persons withdrawn from occupations that make for the true wealth and upbuilding of society and engaged in that which demoralizes and degrades.

In the South.

Judge—Now, Rastus, you tell the jury the whole truth about those chickens. Rastus (the prisoner)—Yo' honor, I'd rather hab de jury render its verdict first.—Cassell's Journal.

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Samaritans Annual Convention.

State Grand Lodge No. 6 will convene in its 34th annual session in Danville, Va., on Tuesday morning, June 12th, 1906. Rates have been granted over railroads in the State at one full fare and one third plus 25 cents for round trip. These rates are for Delegates and friends, when purchasing your tickets be sure to ask the agent for a certificate to the Samaritan's convention, this will be signed by the Grand Secretary at the session. Going you will pay one full fare, returning one third fare plus 25 cents. This will be the largest attended session in the history of the order in this State.

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JACKSON'S BIG CAPTURE.

How Stonewall's Cavalry Took Manassas and the Soldiers Divided the Rich Plunder.

Allen C. Redwood, the artist, was "With Jackson's Foot Cavalry at the Second Manassas," and from his account in the Century we quote as follows: "All this time we had the vaguest notions as to our objective; at first we had expected to strike the enemy's right flank, but as the march prolonged itself a theory obtained itself that we were going to the valley. But we threaded Thoroughfare Gap, heading eastward, and in the morning of the third day (August 27) struck a railroad running north and south—Pope's line of communication and army. Manassas was ours!

"What a prize it was! Here were long warehouses full of stores; cars loaded with boxes of new clothing en route to Gen. Pope, but destined to adorn the 'backs of his enemies,' camps, sutlers' shops—'no eating up' of good things. In view of the abundance what we should eat and drink and wherewithal we should be clothed; one was limited in his choice to only so much as he could transport, and the one thing needful in each individual case was not always readily found. However, as the day wore on, an equitable distribution of our wealth was effected by barter, upon a crude and irregular tariff in which the rule of supply and demand was somewhat complicated by fluctuating estimates

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of the imminence of marching orders. A mounted man would offer large odds in shirts or blankets for a pair of spurs or a bridle; and while in anxious quest of a pair of shoes I fell heir to a case of cavalry half-boots, which I would gladly have exchanged for the object of my search. For a change of underclothing and a pot of French mustard I owe grateful thanks to the major of the Twelfth Pennsylvania cavalry, with regrets that I could not use his library. Whiskey was, of course, at a high premium, but a keg of 'lager'—a drink less popular than than now—went begging in our company.

"But our brief holiday was drawing to a close, for by this time Gen. Pope had some inkling of the disaster which lurked in his rear. When, some time after dark, having set fire to the remnant of the stores, we took the road to Centerville, our mystification as to Jackson's plans was complete. Could he actually be moving on Washington with his small force, or was he only seeking to escape to the mountains? The glare of our big bonfire lighted up the country for miles, and was just dying out when we reached Centerville."

COMMODATING SENTINEL

One of the Amusing Incidents of the War Which Brightens Up More Somber Phases.

The colonel of an Alabama regiment which served through the rebellion, says some one in the Grand Army Sentinel, was famous for having everything done in military style. Once, while field officer of the day, going on his tour of inspection he came upon a sentinel sitting on the ground with his gun entirely taken to pieces. The following dialogue then took place: Colonel—Don't you know that a sentinel while on duty should always keep on his feet? Sentinel (without looking up)—That's the way we used to do when the war began, but that's outlawed long ago. Colonel (beginning to doubt if the man was really on duty)—Are you

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