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## MEDICINAL.

### "WILFUL WASTE"



That old copybook maxim finds its most forcible application in the waste of vitality, which is called "burning the candle at both ends." A woman is often tempted beyond her strength by domestic or social demands. Some day she awakens from this waste of strength to the woeful want of it. She has become weak, nervous and miserable.

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### Catarrh

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## AFTERMATH OF THE STRIKE.

In accordance with a call issued Thursday by order of the executive boards of the anthracite districts of the miners' union, all "locals" throughout the Pennsylvania coal field began electing delegates yesterday to the convention which will be held at Wilkesbarre next Monday to consider the acceptance or rejection of the arbitration plan submitted by President Roosevelt. Most locals held their meetings last night. It is practically certain that a majority of the delegates will go to the convention instructed to vote in favor of accepting the arbitration scheme. The prominent officials of the union say there is no fear that the opposition will be strong enough to defeat the efforts of those who favor ending the strike by arbitration of their differences with the operators. President Mitchell does not care to anticipate the action of the convention, but from his manner it is taken that he has not the slightest doubt as to the result. He will go to the convention and make a strong speech for the acceptance of the arbitration scheme. Mr. Mitchell realizes that when he faces the convention of the mine workers on Monday he will be asked peremptorily why it is that all the strikers will not get their former places, and why union men will be required to work beside non-union workers. These are the two questions which are, it is now known, to cause the most discussion at the convention, and several of the delegates who were elected last night are prepared to make a firm protest against accepting the arbitration proposition until it is definitely known that all the men will get work.

The operators allow no doubt to exist as to their intentions. They say firmly that the seventeen thousand non-union men whom they have now working will be retained, that there will be no discrimination between the union and non-union men, that they will take back all the union men they need and put them in the places they are best suited for. They cannot say how many will not be taken back.

The non-union men now at work have the best places, the richest chambers. They will retain them. The first strikers to get back will have the next best, and those who are not able to return until the last will get the small potatoes or no work. The situation of the strikers' point of view does not glow with victory, and the cheers of the first night have been hushed.

The coal companies will do all in their power to meet the public demand for coal. Preparations for resuming as soon as the miners call the strike off are going on apace. It is estimated that 25 per cent of the collieries will be in operation on the first day after the suspension is over. The railroads are also making every effort to have enough cars on hand to carry the freshly mined coal to market, and are sending thousands of cars into the regions and placing them on sidings at the collieries.

**HANGED TWO HOURS AFTER SENTENCE.**—Jim Buchanan, colored, the murderer of the Hicks family, was tried at Nacogdoches, Texas, yesterday, a plea of guilty was accepted by the judge, and the negro was legally hanged within two hours after sentence had been passed. Ten days ago the dead bodies of Farmer Hicks, his wife, and daughter were found in the Hicks home, and Sheriff Spradley immediately began to search for the perpetrator of the crime. A week later Jim Buchanan was arrested, and finally confessed to the triple murder. The news of the negro's confession spread rapidly, and a mob of several hundred people marched upon the sheriff and his deputies, with the avowed purpose of securing possession of the negro and burning him at the stake. Sheriff Spradley and his deputies refused to give over his prisoner, and later he was joined by Sheriff Bowers, of San Augustin county. The two officers, through a ruse, finally succeeded in spiriting the negro away to the parish jail at Shreveport. Buchanan was afterward taken to the jail at Henderson and a company of militia was ordered out to protect the negro from violence. A mob formed, and it was feared an encounter with the troops would result in serious bloodshed. Two more companies of militia were dispatched to Henderson and yesterday Buchanan was brought to Nacogdoches under the protection of five companies of militia. Upon his arrival at Nacogdoches the negro was immediately turned over to Sheriff Spradley, who told the people he would give up a speedy trial. The town began to fill up rapidly and the excitement was intense. The telegraph wires were cut, the railroad tracks were torn up for a short distance, and it was announced that an attempt would be made to get possession of Buchanan. District Court was at once convened, a jury impeached without delay, and the negro's plea of guilty was accepted by the court. The judge ordered that the death sentence be executed November 17, but people announced that they would not allow delay.

Buchanan then waived the thirty days allowed him by law, and preparations were begun to erect a crude scaffold in the jail yard. When the task was completed Buchanan was hanged by Sheriff Spradley in the presence of a large crowd.

**BOY CHOKED TO DEATH.**—After physicians had worked over him for nearly two hours, James A. Reed, of 603 Sixth street northwest, Washington, died about 6 o'clock last night at the Emergency Hospital from strangulation, caused by a chestnut lodging in his windpipe. The little boy swallowed the nut about 3 o'clock in the afternoon while playing with his brother, Thomas Reed, and several other boys in the yard of the Abbott school, at Fish street and New York avenue. He coughed for some minutes, but neither he nor any of his playmates thought he was in serious danger until about 3:30, when his face began to turn black. He then began coughing violently, and one of the boys ran into the school building and called a teacher to him. The teacher advised the boy's friends to take him home immediately. She thought he was suffering from croup, and so did a physician who was called to the house soon after he arrived. The boy walked home with some assistance, and there he told his mother that a chestnut had been swallowed. She was probably causing him to choke. The physician treated him for croup, however, for the symptoms were those of a child suffering from that ailment. Another physician in the neighborhood was called, and the latter advised that the boy be taken to the Emergency Hospital. This was done, and at the hospital the throat was cut open by Dr. Moriart and vigorous efforts made to remove the obstruction. The boy was unconscious by this time and never rallied. The nut had lodged far down in the windpipe and the irritation of the delicate membrane caused by the pressure resulted in swelling, which made the removal of the nut impossible. The physicians continued their work over the boy even after he had stopped breathing. Through a tube oxygen was pumped into his lungs and other means were used to restore respiration, but the boy was dead and all efforts failed.

**Old People Have Their Troubles.** Mr. Francis Little of Benton Harbor, Mich., is over eighty years of age. Since 1865 he has been troubled more or less with indigestion and constipation, and has tried almost everything in use for those ailments. Last August he began using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and was soon feeling much better. In a recent letter he says, "I have used three boxes of the Tablets and now think I am well." These Tablets improve the appetite and invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

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**Red Cross Medicine Spoon.** Is not a novelty that will become useless but is a household necessity, made especially for taking medicine. It measures exact teaspoon. Protects the teeth. Curved edge prevents spilling. Can be kept absolutely clean. Made of Sterling Silver.

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**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.** All parties indebted to the estate of JOHN P. CLARKE are requested to settle their accounts at once, and all persons having claims against the estate will present the same for settlement. J. STANLEY NEALE, Administrator. oct14 10t

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**—Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of THORNTON SHEPHERD, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to said estate to pay their indebtedness to me, and all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same to me properly certified for payment. SIDNEY PARKER, Administrator. oct17 10t

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For Men, Boys and Children. Strictly One Price and Money's Worth or Money Back.

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**MEETINGS.** NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—To the stockholders of the EQUITABLE PURCHASING COMPANY: Take notice that a general meeting of the stockholders of the Equitable Purchasing Company will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on FRIDAY, November 7, 1902, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering proposed changes to the by-laws and any other business that may come up at said meeting. By order of the Directors. H. W. DOWLING, Secretary. oct6 10t

**NOTICE.**—The Board of Directors of the CHIEF BREWERY COMPANY, at its monthly meeting of October 14th, 1902, declared a dividend of 6 per cent on the capital stock of the company, payable on and after NOVEMBER 1, 1902, at the branch office, cor. 20th and Water streets, Northwest, in the city of Washington, D. C. The books of the company for the transfer of stock will be closed from October 15th to November 3d, 1902, both inclusive. CHARLES MEYER, Secretary. oct16 10t

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We have made large additions to our stock and are buying leading Proprietary Articles, Chemicals, &c., direct from the manufacturers. We are therefore enabled to supply the trade with goods usually carried by a well appointed WHOLESALE DRUG HOUSE at prices as low as those given by the best houses in larger cities. All goods forwarded by first freight or express after receipt of order. Promptness in our specialties. We guarantee the purity of all drugs furnished. Correspondence invited.

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Director—G. G. Tyler, Haymarket. COURTLAND LUKENS, Secretary, Office, 119 S. Royal St., Alexandria, Va. oct1 10t

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For Sale by all Grocers and at Stall No. 22 Market. If You Want the Best Insist on Your Grocer Giving You Our Bread . . . . .

**We Wish to Announce**

to the people of Alexandria that since the purchase of the Alexandria Steam Bread Bakery by ourselves on June 14, 1902, we have spared no pains or expense in going over this plant and putting it in thorough condition. We now state, without fear of contradiction, that we have as UP-TO-DATE a bread bakery as exists in the United States. We are employing Alexandria bakers who are unequalled in the art of making bread; and it will be our purpose to see that nothing is used in the manufacture of bread except the very best of all materials. In this way we expect to give to the people of Alexandria better bread than they have been getting. We ask all of our citizens who wish to encourage Alexandria enterprises to insist on the grocer giving them Alexandria Steam Bread Bakery's Bread. We guarantee the quality.

**Alexandria Steam Bread Bakery, A. D. Brockett & Co.**

**PROPOSALS.** TO CONTRACTORS. Richmond, Va., Oct. 10th, 1902. Sealed proposals, addressed to the Capitol Building Commission, will be received at the office of the Governor of Virginia until 11 o'clock, A. M., on the 6th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1902, for FIRE-PROOFING, RESTORING AND REPAIRING the Virginia State Capitol, in accordance with the drawings and specifications which may be seen at the office of Noland & Baskerville, Architects, 86-89, Chamber of Commerce Building, Richmond, Va. Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check for \$5,000, payable to the order of the Chairman of the Capitol Building Commission. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. A. J. MONTAGUE, Chairman of Capitol Building Commission. oct16 3t&awtd

**FORT MYER, VA., September 18, 1902.** Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for constructing Officers' Quarters, will be received here until 10 a. m., October 15, 1902. United States reserves right to reject or accept any or all proposals, or any part thereof. Information on application. Envelopes containing bids should be addressed "Proposals for Quarters," and enclosed Capt. W. F. CLARK, Quartermaster. sep29,22,23,24,oct17 10t

**OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERS, Fort Washington, Maryland, September 20, 1902.** Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 1 p. m., October 20, 1902, for constructing frame additions to Post Hospital, Fort Hunt, Virginia. Envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for additions to Post Hospital, Fort Hunt, Virginia." Plans and specifications furnished on application. GEORGE H. McMANUS, Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army. sep20,22,23,24,oct17 10t

**FORT MYER, VA., Oct. 6, 1902.** Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for extending water main will be received until 10 A. M. October 30, 1902. Information on application. U. S. reserves the right to reject or accept any or all bids or any part thereof. Envelopes containing bids should be endorsed "Proposals for Water Main" addressed Capt. W. F. CLARK, Quartermaster. oct7,8,9,ad17,18

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**WASHINGTON STEAMBOAT COMPANY (LIMITED).** New Schedule in Effect April 1, 1902. Leave Alexandria, week days, 5 50, 6 50, 7 30, 8 10, 9 15, 9 45, 10 45, 11 30 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 15, 4 15, 4 50, 5 45 and 6 30 p. m. Leave Washington, week days, 6 10, 6 40, 7 30, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 10 30, 11 30 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 15, 4 15, 5 00, 5 30 and 6 30 p. m. Leave Alexandria and Washington Sundays 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 a. m.; 12 30, 3 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30 and 6 30 p. m. JOHN B. PADGETT, General Manager.

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