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20 100 sheets Toilet Paper 43
1.00 Peruvian Tonic 50
25 Dead Stuck, for bugs 14
50 Liebig's Beef, Wine, and Iron 311
50 bar Imported Green Castle Soap 22
1.00 Hooper's Hair Restorer, the best hair preparation on the market—special for this week 49
5 Large Cake of Palm Soap 13
1.00 McBire's Wine of Calumet 13
25 Theodor's 63
25 Draught 14
25 Witch Hazel Sore 113
25 bag of Sea Salt 14
1.00 Wampole's Cod-Liver Oil 43
1.00 Nalcum Tonic 63
Pure Imported Norwegian Cod-Liver Oil—special for this week—only 1 quart to a customer (bring your bottle), per quart 27
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ONE'S LIFE HISTORY.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS WILL DEMAND THE SALIENT POINTS.

SOME BLUNT, POINTED QUESTIONS.

What Will My Lady Say When Her Color is Asked—Head of the House

Another Interesting Query—The Question Box.

The task of taking the census is now just a little more than a month off, for the army of enumerators will enter the field on June 1st. This invasion of the home of every citizen will be on a peace basis. No weapons, other than innumerable questions, will be worn. But to timid folks—especially nervous women—the interrogator will seem an audacious villain when he propounds some of the queries in his repertoire.

There is one question, in particular, which it seems likely will be productive of undignified feminine protests—the query as to color. The question is asked by the list. There is no provision that the enumerator can take the answer for granted. And suppose the lady should happen to be a pronounced brunette, would fidelity to her color permit the enumerator to spare an embarrassed female? No; he must ask the question, and the individual must answer it. One can picture certain high dames—Colonial Dames, for instance—replying to the question of color, "White, oh, white." There are sure to be some ducks fit in this district.

ANOTHER EMBARRASSMENT. In another walk of life an interesting question which the enumerator will demand to be answered is, Who is the head of the house. The answer must be forthcoming, even if the identity of the "head of the manor" is a matter of some dispute. And, furthermore, the members of such an household are to be listed as standing in the several relationships to the said "lord" whether his standing is a matter of unanimous or divided opinion. And right here is where the enumerator is liable to be put out of the enumeration.

Notwithstanding the fact that the enumerators, residents of Richmond and Virginia, who are supposed to take pride in having the State make a good and a complete showing can save themselves and the enumerators a lot of trouble by carefully preparing in advance the information which they will be asked to furnish.

QUESTIONS HE WILL ASK. Each city enumerator will be required to write on his blank the street and number of the house, the number of the dwelling in the block, the name of the family, the sex and age of each member, the date of birth, whether single or married, the number of children born to the mother, and the number of children living.

Next, the enumerator will ask for the color or race of each individual, and then for the sex of each. The mother's name, if the child is wanted, and the age at the last birthday. Single or married, widow or divorced, is the next information which will be wanted concerning each member of the household.

First he will ask the name of every member of the family living on June 1st, even if some member dies between that time and the call of the enumerator the name is taken. He must get the Christian name in full, and the middle initial of each member. He will also be asked to write down the name of the head of the house, and follow it with names of the others.

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strictly forbidden to divulge whatever information he collects and is subject to a heavy penalty for violation of this rule. Besides the information sought above, the Census Department has made plans to gather a vast amount of statistics regarding the manufacturing industries of the nation. Slips will be sent to each manufacturer explaining fully what is desired, and requesting that the blank be filled out and forwarded to the department at Washington. Acknowledgment will be made of their receipt. Manufacturers are informed that such information, whether sent the department or furnished an enumerator, will be treated as strictly confidential, and no publication made of the names of individuals, firms, or corporations, it being desired simply to ascertain certain facts for use in tabular form.

In farming communities the labors of the enumerators will be somewhat more onerous, as a vast amount of information is wanted regarding all manner of things. Amounts and value of crops, of livestock of all sorts, value and size of farms, whether mortgaged or not, are some of the things the government would like to know.

FIGHTING IN THE PHILIPPINES. Private Irving Carrington relates several interesting incidents. Irving Carrington, formerly of Company M, Second Virginia Regiment, but now of Company G, Twenty-third Infantry, has written a letter from Jolo to Captain George P. Sharrington, commanding the company, relating many interesting incidents of the war in the Philippines. Mr. Carrington has been in very bad health for months, and has been in the hospital, or in barracks the greater portion of the time. Mr. Carrington relates the following interesting incidents:

"One of the Dato's (or chiefs) sent word to our commanding officer that he did not want any soldiers near his village, on the strength of which one battalion (with 100 rounds) and two Gatling guns went up the next day and paid him a visit in order to show that colored ignorance that American soldiers went anywhere they pleased. Five men from Company H, stationed at the Bonga, were out on a hunt for 'wild boar.' Four of them were sitting on the ground playing cards, the fifth in swimming, when a party of natives who had just arrived, and who were standing watching the game, suddenly drew their bows (big knives) and killed one and badly wounded the other three before they could reach their guns. The bather, who was in the water, saw his gun and ran to his comrades' aid, shooting at the natives and drove off the natives. He placed dead and wounded in their boat, rowed away in order to show that colored ignorance the cowardly murder to Captain Cloman, company commander. The natives, who had a good squad, went to the village near the scene of the murder, and told the Dato that he wanted the murderers. The Dato said he knew nothing about it, to which Captain Cloman replied: 'Unless they are produced in an hour, I will kill every man, woman and child in your village.' In one hour there were eleven negro prisoners going back to camp with the Cayes. The next day the prisoners were sent out in the woods, under guard, to cut wood, and in attempting to escape they were killed. Huwah, for Captain Cloman, such is life in the Philippines. We sent a prisoner to Manila, under guard, who was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. When he was on the coast of the Island of Panyu he jumped overboard and was thought lost, but a few days after their boat reached Manila another boat brought the deserter, who had been caught at the beach by Company 'A,' Eighteenth Infantry. We are all people and must be respected."

"There is some talk of transferring 1,500 or 1,800 men from the line to a mounted body of men, to be mounted on camels and kill or capture the small gangs of guerrilla outlaws who are burning, destroying and murdering when our forces are away. If the plan materializes, I think I will transfer. I am weary of this play soldier in garrison, and want to get a shot at another of the big 'googoes.' I have not fired my trusty 'Krag' for months."

"I have got a nice collection of coins, shells, knives, lances, &c., and will have a rich yield when I come home. I have a pistol I took from a dead negro on the field. At most a M. & M. shot me three times by a wounded negro, a bolt taken from an insurance company I captured in the power of the man and the man and ignorant whites, against the Democratic party, saying the convention will try to take their schools, and votes, and all their rights from them. They have made the negroes very bitter and excited in this section, and are making very bitter speeches to them, if all accounts be true."

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