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to sufferers from

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 This certificate is given with every purchase of Six Bottles of

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 In consideration of Five Dollars (\$5.00) paid for six bottles of Foerg's Remedy, this day of _____ 19__ and in consideration of you using these six bottles exactly according to directions, for Specific Blood Poison or Scrofula, the undersigned agrees to pay to _____ Five Dollars, provided no benefit is derived from the six bottles, and this certificate is returned to the undersigned within four months.

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We guarantee the payment of Five Dollars (\$5.00) in accordance with contract printed above.

FOERG REMEDY CO.
 Evansville, Ind.

The officers and managers of Foerg Remedy Co. are bound to our specialty in the treatment of blood poisoning, and it is our firm belief that all certificates can be secured in their thousands.

Arthur H. Hedges
 President

(This is a fac-simile of our guarantee)

This certificate is a most liberal guarantee and one which we could not evade even if we so desired. We are perfectly safe in making it, for six bottles will produce such marked benefit that the user will be satisfied of an ultimate cure, and his gratitude will prompt him to be fair.

With this guarantee you take absolutely no chances for this certificate is worth \$5.00 in cash to you and will be redeemed by the druggist from whom you purchased the remedy for \$5.00 cash. We guarantee this, and to further satisfy you a national bank guarantees us as you can see from the certificate. You can see that if we did not positively know that Foerg's Remedy would cure any case we could not afford to make such a liberal genuine proposition, as the loss it would entail would be enormous.

With the above information before you if you go on suffering from the curse of poisoned blood, either primary, constitutional or as a result of mercurial treatment do not trifle but simply blame yourself, for here is a cure—absolute and sure. Tainted blood manifests itself in the form of Scrofula, Eczema, Rheumatic Pains, Stiff or swollen joints, Eruptions or Copper-colored Spots on the Face or Body, Little Ulcers in the Mouth or on the Tongue, Sore Throat, Swollen Tonsils, Falling out of the Hair or Eyebrows, and finally a Leprous-Like Decay of the Flesh and Bones. If you have any one of these symptoms don't delay till too late but go to your druggist and get a bottle of

FOERG'S REMEDY THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER
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 Gentlemen: I want to say that I feel that your medicine is a wonderful blood purifier. At least it has done a great deal for me. Will you send my father four bottles? Send them to me, O.
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DIVORCE SUIT A SURPRISE

OR RATHER THE NEWS TO THAT EFFECT COMES AS SUCH TO MR. VIGER HERE.

Wife Has Been With the King Dodo Theatreal Company the Past Year. Talks With Her Christmas Night Over Telephone.

Attorney Frederick G. Viger says, in reference to the press dispatch sent out from Chicago to the effect that his wife had instituted a suit in the superior court there for divorce on the charge of desertion and cruelty, that he had not heard anything about such proceedings being taken, and that it was all news to him. In addition, he stated that his wife had been away from home the past twelve months or more, and was with the theatrical company, known as King Dodo. Mr. Viger further states that he has been in correspondence with her and that he talked over the telephone with her last Christmas night, she being at Springfield at the time. The news that she has sued for divorce comes to him as a surprise.

FISHING FOR TOOLS

Reerve Gas Company Runs Onto a Fishing Jock in Thompson Well.—Other Oil Field Notes.

On the east side of the Folsom district in this county, the South Penn Oil company has drilled its No. 8 on the Accra Talkington farm into the Gordon six feet and has developed no oil. No. 3 on the M. P. Dye farm has a small show of oil in the Gordon. The same company has drilled its second test on the Catherine Barker farm into the Gordon pay and the well produced 130 barrels the first twenty-four hours. No. 6 on the G. W. Talkington farm is holding up at 160 barrels a day.

On Limestone run, this county, the Reserve Gas company has drilled its test on the H. Thompson farm a depth of 2,300 feet and is fishing for two strings of tools. On Patterson creek, Tenmile district, the Star Oil and Gas company is due in the sand at its test well on the J. W. Carpenter farm. The same company has made the location for a test on the Jesse Randolph farm.

PARALYSIS

Sizes James A. Smith, of Bridgeport, as He Attempts to Get Out of Bed. Condition is Rather Serious.

James A. Smith, residing at Bridgeport, was paralyzed Tuesday morning. The affliction came upon him as he was arising from his bed. The stroke is but partial, but he is in rather bad shape and cannot use his arms or legs. His son, William E. Smith, of this city, was immediately notified, and went on the first train to his bedside. Mr. Smith is 65 years of age and fears are entertained on account of his advanced years and general physical condition that he may not long survive.

Get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets at Stone & Mercer's drug store. They are easier to take and most pleasant in effect than pills. Then their use is not followed by constipation, as is often the case with pills. Regular size, 25c per box.

RESISTED AN OFFICER.

John White was arrested by Policeman Fox at the Baltimore & Ohio passenger depot Monday evening for loitering. White resisted arrest, but the copper got the best of him and brought him to the city lock-up. White was the only prisoner before Mayor Crile in police court Tuesday morning. The mayor deferred the hearing of the case until the evening session of court.

A Night Alarm.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup, which sounds like the children's death knell, and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the most forms of croup. Mrs. P. L. Corlier, of Mannington, Ky., writes: "My three-year-old girl had a severe case of croup; the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose gave quick relief, and it saved her life." For sale by Stone & Mercer, C. D. Sturm & Co. and R. J. Criss.

ARRANGING FOR INSTITUTE.

County Superintendent L. W. Ogden went to Shilston Monday morning to visit the schools there and to arrange for the holding of a teachers' institute in that town for Clay district. This institute will likely be held January 15. He will prepare a program for the teachers. An institute will be held at Adamston the last of the present week.

Miss Columbia Duncan left Wednesday night for Philadelphia to spend a month with her aunt, Mrs. Burton M. Despard in Dulancy Place.

PRINTERS ELECT OFFICERS

For the Ensuing Year at Their Meeting in Oak Hall Building and Install Them Immediately Thereafter.

Clarksburg Typographical union, No. 372, held a regular meeting in its rooms in the Oak Hall building Monday night at 8 o'clock and transacted considerable business pertaining to the union. The most important feature of the meeting, and about the only one that especially concerns the public was the election of officers for the year ensuing, which resulted as follows:

Will McGowan, president.
 Frank Peck, vice president.
 C. M. Ward, secretary-treasurer.
 J. A. Day, recording secretary.
 Pierre Lorenz, sergeant.
 Will McGowan, W. H. Garrett and Frank Peck, delegates to the Trades and Labor council.

Immediately after the election, installation ceremonies occurred, and the newly elected officers assumed the duties of their respective offices.

FIRST WEDDING OF THE YEAR

Performed by Rev. Arbutnot at Goff Parsonage Monday Evening, Contracting Parties Being Miss Mary Shinn and Mr. Benjamin F. Matheny.

The first marriage of the new year was performed by Rev. S. K. Arbutnot at the Goff Methodist Episcopal parsonage Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the presence of a number of friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The groom was Benjamin F. Matheny, and the bride Miss Mary Shinn. The bride and groom left after the ceremony for Louisville, Ky., where they will take up their residence temporarily. Mr. Matheny is taking a course in the Louisville medical college, and they will reside in that city until he finishes the course. He is from Earnshaw, W. Va. and a popular young man. His bride is a charming young lady of Shinnston, this county, and she has many friends, who wish both unlimited prosperity, joy and happiness in their married life.

DISTINCTION

Enjoyed by John DeWitt Miller of Having Lectured to Larger Number of Chautauquans Than Any Other One Person.

John DeWitt Miller, the celebrated lecturer, who is to give the fifth number in the Y. M. C. A. course at the opera house Friday night, enjoys the distinction of having lectured at a larger number of Chautauquans than any other person.

FATHER REYNOLDS ELECTED CHAPLAIN OF HIBERNIANS
 At the regular meeting of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, held in Centennial hall Sunday afternoon, Rev. Father Reynolds was elected chaplain of the order, to succeed the late Father Daniel O'Connor.

Positive Proof

Should Convince the Greatest Skeptic in Clarksburg.

Because it's the evidence of a Clarksburg citizen.

Testimony easily investigated. The strongest endorsement of merit. The best of proof. Read it:

Mrs. A. S. Braey, of 409 Water street, says: "It is impossible to describe what I suffered during four years when attacks of backache existed. The pain was often unbearable and I really think each succeeding attack was more prolonged and more pronounced than its predecessors. In the spring of 1901, the trouble became much more serious, swelling of the limbs and trouble with the kidney secretions and other signs of acute kidney complaint existing which prevented me from even lying down long in one position and compelled me to sit up most of the time, made me anxious about my condition and kept me constantly on the outlook for something to check the trouble. I doctored, tried medicines and even went to New York city and was treated for three months by a specialist, who did not benefit me in the least. When Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me I must confess I had very little faith in their treatment, but, like a drowning person clinging to a straw, and willing to try anything, a box was procured for me at Wells & Haymaker's drug store. Taking it strictly according to directions, I first noticed a difference in the color of the secretions from the kidneys and that the pain in my back was gradually being alleviated. As I continued the great efficacy of Doan's Kidney Pills was proven and I can sum up my opinion of the preparation by tersely stating that I wish I had known about the remedy long ago, for I would have been saved a great deal of suffering and a considerable financial outlay."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McMillan Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

HAVEMYER

IS TO BE THE HEAD OF THE PROSPECTIVE CONSOLIDATION OF WHOLESALE HOUSES IN THIS STATE.

Fairmont Paper Learns That Concern in That City Has Been Approached on the Subject and Is Considering the Matter.

Fairmont Times: The Times this afternoon learns, upon excellent authority, that the rumored combination of the wholesale grocery stores of this section, which was sent out from Clarksburg on Saturday, is true in part.

The head of the new combination is Havemyer, of New York, the Sugar King, not the Arbuckles or other capitalists and the new trust will comprise the houses in Grafton, Weston, Clarksburg and possibly Fairmont.

It is understood that the West Virginia Grocery and Candy company have been made an offer, and today they are considering it.

Very little can be learned of the details other than that the Spiedel House at Grafton, the Koblegard houses and a Weston firm will be in the combine.

BROKERAGE

Office Opened in the Irwin Building Here by Messrs. Bailey & Melton, of Wheeling, With Mr. Gallagher in Charge as Manager.

Another stock brokerage office has opened in Clarksburg. It is located in room 7 in the Irwin building at the corner of West Pike and South Third streets and belongs to Messrs. Bailey & Melton, the well-known Wheeling stock brokers. The manager is H. P. Gallagher, of Wheeling, who is experienced in the business, and a very clever gentleman. The new firm here will have its own special wire running from the Wheeling office south through Fairmont and other towns along the line to Clarksburg. This wire will be connected with wires direct from New York and Chicago. The concern expects to do business in a liberal manner, and feels assured of a large part of the trade. The office was opened for the first time Tuesday, and will be in first-class running order in a day or so.

PRAYER

Starts Off Among the Churches With Meeting in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.—Good Attendance and Interest.

The week of prayer among the Protestant churches of the city began Monday night with a meeting in the Methodist Episcopal church, South, with a large attendance and good interest.

Rev. Robert B. McDaniel preached a strong sermon on "The Warrant, the Privilege, the Power of Prayer and the Present Need of World-Wide Intercession," which was listened to with close attention. Other pastors participated in the services.

The meeting tonight will be held in the First Presbyterian church, and Rev. S. K. Arbutnot will be the speaker. He will preach on "The Enthronement of Christ on Earth; the Only Hope of Humanity's Highest Welfare."

The services Wednesday night will be held in Goff chapel and the sermon will be delivered by Dr. William M. Hudson on the subject "The Family; a Divine! Prepared Foundation for Society's Existence and Well-Being."

MAY BUY OIL WELLS.

Michael McDonald and John Gill have returned from Mannington, where they inspected oil fields and other things with a view to purchasing some property, but they have not definitely made up their minds whether they run across any bargains.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lambert desire to express their sincere thanks to neighbors, friends and all who helped and sympathized with them during the sickness and death of their infant daughter Myrtle Say.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

List of unclaimed letters in the Clarksburg, W. Va., postoffice. Advertised January 4, 1904.

Bradley, W. M.; Bennett, Miss Tyriss; Blake, Miss Laura; Bonnell, C. E. (2); Chenoweth, B. T.; Coban, Mrs. Ella; Cottrell, Mrs. Fannie; Calhoun, Miss Missourie; Dutz, J. H.; Davison, F. B.; Davis, Claude; Derr, Charles; Elliott, S. A.; Fintley, Miss Jennette; Feeny, G. T.; Fitzpatrick, Ed.; Hursey, Mrs. M. W.; Hoskinson, O. O.; Harnee, C. Lee; Johnson, Mary; Kelley, Geo.; King, Maniel; Krepps, W. A.; Kanie, Gaber; Kwoala, Miss Tull; Lehman, O. B.; Lipscomb, John A.; Late, Jas. M.; Lewis, A. B.; McGregor, James M. B.; Malisieski, Antoni; Reed, S. B.; Rexrode, Frank; Regner, E. D.; Root, Calvin; Richards, Miss Bertha; Rogers & Stemple; Starkey, M. S.; Starkey, M. S.; Sutton, Miss Jessie; Stuard, Harry; Stewart, Miss Mod; Scott, Henry; Stealey, A. B.; Woodron, Robert; Wyley, Lizzie; Wilson, L. J.; Wheeler, Mrs. Jennie; Watson, Albert.

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Lemon..... 20c	2 1-2 lbs. Cal. Peaches... 25c
7 lbs. Flake Hominy... 25c	3 cans Stan. Tomatoes... 25c
10 lbs cracked Hominy... 25c	3 cans Sugar Corn... 25c
5 lbs. soup Beans... 25c	2 cans Hart Peas... 25c
4 lbs. Lima Beans... 25c	19 lbs. Brown Sugar... \$1.
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