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An Evening Echo.

Religion is life, philosophy is thought; religion looks up, friendship looks in. We need both thought and life, and we need that the two shall be in harmony.—**JAMES FREDERICK CLARKE.**

Senator George W. Washburn was for the Coffman primary bill and as the exponent declares that it is "eminently satisfied with the manner in which Mr. Bland has represented his people." It may now be inferred that the Exponent has changed its mind about the Coffman bill's being a monstrosity. It does the Telegram good to see its neighbor wake up.

Breaking the Ice.

What a misfortune it is, remarks Orison Swett Marden in an article in "Success Magazine," to go through life apparently encased in ice, yet all the while full of kindly, cordial feeling for one's fellow men! Shy people are always distrustful of their powers and look upon their lack of confidence as a weakness or lack of ability, when it may indicate quite the reverse.

Morbid sensitiveness requires heroic treatment. A sufferer who wishes to overcome it must take himself in hand as determinedly as he would if he wanted to get control of a quick temper, or to rid himself of a habit of lying, or stealing, or drinking, or any other defect which prevented his being a whole man.

"What shall I do to get rid of it?" asks a victim. Think less of yourself and more of others. Mingle freely with people. Become interested in things outside of yourself. Do not brood over what is said to you, or analyze every simple remark until you magnify it into something of the greatest importance. Do not have such a low and unjust estimate of people as to think they are bent on nothing but hurting the feelings of others, and deprecating and making light of them on every possible occasion. A man who appreciates himself at his true value, and who gives his neighbors credit for being at least as good as he is, cannot be a victim of oversensitiveness.

Ages of Boy Scouts.

Appeals have been made to the executive board of the Boy Scouts of America to permit boys under twelve years to qualify as Scouts. The executive board gave the request careful consideration and finally decided that in view of the aims of the Boy Scout Movement, it is much wiser to keep the age limit, twelve years, uniform throughout the United States.

Mr. George L. Sehon, of Louisville, Ky., urged that boys in the South be permitted to join the Boy Scout organization when ten years old, arguing that Southern boys develop earlier than do the Northern boys. The members of the executive board, however, felt that it was wiser to stick to the limits of twelve and eighteen years.

The reason for this decision is well defined in the minds of the members of the national council. Experiments among boys under twelve years and over twelve years show conclusively that, when the boys are left to themselves, they invariably separate into two groups. The boys older than twelve years invariably, want to play games in which the younger boys can not compete. The older boys take up the greater part of the play ground. Because of the manner in which the boys invariably separate, the members of the national council recently decided that they can not adopt the recommendation of Professor Clark

W. Hetherington, for the incorporation of the Boy Scouts of America and the Playground Association as one organization.

Applauding Himself.

The Hon. Adam Littlepage, member of the House from West Virginia, is "in for it." His monumental opinion of himself, as expressed in the autobiography published in the Congressional Directory, says the Jackson, Miss., Daily News, has caused much laughter, and now the New York Sun is watching it with its eagle eye and mercilessly making fun of his crass conceit. The Sun has made a careful examination of a recent speech of the Hon. Mr. Littlepage, edited by himself, and makes the following statistical statement about the interpositions put in his speech by the West Virginian:

"(Applause)" appears 6 times; "(Loud applause)," 2; "(Applause on the Democratic side)," 9; "(Great applause and continued laughter)," 1; "(Great applause on the Democratic side)," 2; "(Loud and spontaneous applause)," 1; "(Loud and prolonged applause)," 2; "(Laughter)," 1; "(Laughter on the Democratic side)," 1; "(Laughter and applause on the Democratic side)," 3; "(Continued applause)," 3; "(Prolonged applause)," 1; "(Long applause)," 1; "(Loud laughter and applause on all sides)," 3; "(Loud and long applause)," 3; "(Loud and tumultuous applause)," 1; "(Loud applause on the Democratic side and among the insurgents)," 1.

The speech occupied but three pages in the Record, wherefore the Sun concludes that "in such an almost continuous burst of thunder sound nobody could have heard the speech if anybody has listened to it." It is further pointed out that Mr. Littlepage's middle name is Balaam.

All things considered, Mr. Adam Balaam Littlepage is almost as fond of applauding himself as J. K. Vardaman, and fully as fond of enthusiastic manifestations as the latter gentleman once demonstrated when he remarked to followers, "Now don't interrupt me any more, boys, except with applause."

Cannot Be Dodged.

It is no wonder the indignation of people is aroused when a certain string of Democratic newspapers in West Virginia continue absurd attempts to shift from Democratic shoulders the blame for a failure of primary legislation at the recent session of the legislature. These sheets declare that the real advocates of that measure were the Democrats and that the Republicans at heart did not desire it, although the fact remains that the Democrats, with a large majority of the House, half the Senate and a willingness on the part of Republicans to enact a law that would be reasonable and stand the tests of constitutionality, openly spurned the opportunity. They acted just like dummies tied to a string, and there is much suspicion that somebody pulled the string.

The Parkersburg Dispatch-News resents this silly stuff that is being published by the subsidized newspapers in question and declares that it reaches "the limit of effrontery." Says the Dispatch-News:

It is not conceivable that the people can be fooled by such sophistry. Everybody in West Virginia knows just where to place the blame for the recent legislative fiasco. Everyone knows that at heart the Democratic members would have been glad to pass a suitable law, but that the influence of Watson and Chilton, and the gang allied with them prevented them from doing so. The record speaks for itself. If the Democratic members had doubted the sincerity of the Republican members, it would have been easy play and good politics to put the Republicans in the hole by passing a primary law. But the Republican members succeeded in putting the Democratic side in the closest kind of place, by virtually agreeing to pass any sort of bill the Democratic members wanted to pass, provided it took effect at once. In the face of that there was but one thing the Democratic members, influenced as they certainly were by the senatorial combine, could do, and that was to refuse to pass or agree to any sort of primary law. That is what they did. Any effort to shift the blame to other shoulders, now that the storm of public indignation is threatening them with destruction, is folly and cowardice.

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AVERAGES

Of the Various Branches of City Duck Pin League Up to Date.

Following are the various averages of the Clarksburg City Duck Pin League for all games rolled prior to June 4.

| League Standing. | G. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|------------------|----|----|----|------|
| Druggists | 39 | 24 | 15 | .615 |
| Adamston | 36 | 22 | 14 | .611 |
| Bankers | 39 | 23 | 16 | .591 |
| Loar & White | 39 | 23 | 16 | .591 |
| Donohue & John. | 42 | 21 | 21 | .500 |
| Quality Shop | 30 | 15 | 15 | .500 |
| Lawyers | 33 | 14 | 19 | .429 |
| Welch's Plumbers | 42 | 8 | 34 | .190 |

The Donohue & Johnson and Welch's Plumbers have completed the schedule, having rolled forty-two games.

High individual score, one game, Brown, Quality Shop, 147.
High team score, one game, Loar & White, 546.
High individual score, one contest, Gain, Loar and White 349-2-4.
High team score, one contest, Loar and White, 1509.

Postponed Games.

April 17—Lawyers vs. Druggists
May 12—Lawyers vs. Quality Shop
May 24—Quality Shop vs. Adamston.
May 31—Bankers vs. Quality Shop.
June 2—Lawyers vs. Loar & White.

Team Averages.

| | G. | T.P. | Ave. |
|-------------------|----|-------|------|
| Adamston | 36 | 16916 | 470 |
| Loar & White | 39 | 18318 | 470 |
| Donohue & Johnson | 42 | 19636 | 468 |
| Druggists | 39 | 18248 | 468 |
| Bankers | 39 | 18085 | 464 |
| Quality Shop | 30 | 13801 | 460 |
| Lawyers | 33 | 15047 | 459 |
| Welch's Plumbers | 42 | 18312 | 436 |

Individual Averages.

| | G. | T.P. | Ave. |
|-----------|----|------|------|
| Gain | 30 | 3088 | 103 |
| Davis | 16 | 1635 | 102 |
| Drake | 18 | 1814 | 101 |
| Davison | 39 | 3853 | 99 |
| Dunfee | 36 | 3564 | 99 |
| Guy | 12 | 1186 | 99 |
| Jackson | 30 | 2948 | 98 |
| Richards | 24 | 2321 | 98 |
| McNeill | 39 | 3755 | 96 |
| McFarlin | 33 | 3193 | 96 |
| Rady | 39 | 3713 | 95 |
| Meyer | 41 | 3899 | 95 |
| Lee | 36 | 3330 | 95 |
| Gill | 21 | 2001 | 95 |
| Smith | 24 | 2264 | 95 |
| Sehon | 36 | 3418 | 95 |
| Price | 39 | 3687 | 95 |
| Giles | 24 | 2270 | 95 |
| Coughlin | 21 | 1977 | 94 |
| Deem L. | 33 | 3190 | 94 |
| Lowther | 39 | 3670 | 94 |
| Leachman | 35 | 3286 | 94 |
| Scory | 24 | 2249 | 94 |
| Hendricks | 39 | 3640 | 93 |
| Ours | 24 | 2230 | 93 |
| Crimm | 36 | 3322 | 92 |
| Brown | 24 | 2202 | 92 |
| Bennett | 36 | 3298 | 92 |
| Carr | 26 | 2364 | 91 |
| James | 18 | 1638 | 91 |
| Randall | 8 | 725 | 91 |
| Walsh | 6 | 539 | 90 |
| Deems, C. | 31 | 2790 | 90 |
| Wells | 33 | 2969 | 90 |
| Thompson | 12 | 1068 | 89 |
| Margeson | 24 | 2187 | 89 |
| Keim | 33 | 2937 | 89 |
| Johnson | 42 | 3717 | 89 |
| Welch | 39 | 3426 | 88 |
| McMunn | 33 | 2888 | 88 |
| Pettit | 30 | 2599 | 87 |
| Spencer | 42 | 3625 | 86 |
| Stewart | 42 | 3552 | 85 |
| Powell | 9 | 731 | 81 |

NEW STAR ROUTE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6—A new star service mail route has been established between Song and Clothier, by way of Bond. The service is to be six times a week in each direction, and Peter F. Kinder, of Song, is the contractor.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

GETS A JOB.

WASHINGTON, June 6—Robert M. Knott, of Shepherdstown, will be given employment under the United States Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries during the summer months, beginning about the first of July.

La France SHOE for WOMEN

Fine Footwear for Milady fair—for dress—for street—for everywhere.
This is Style 5945—Gun Metal Pump with smart leather bow for street wear—comes also in Black Silk for Dress and White Canvas for Outing Wear.

Donohue & Johnson
Successors to D. Davidson,
324-326 W. Main St.

DISH WASHING MADE EASY.

This is a factor in home life which is most important, as dishes frequently permit of the accumulation of dirt and grease which are health destroyers if not properly removed.
The new white suds of Hewitt's Easy Task soap, a every crevice and is a thorough cleanser, providing the sweet, wholesome and clean effect to the china and glassware which gives a charm and zest to the meal.
Hewitt's Easy Task soap accomplishes all this because it does its own work and leaves no traces behind. It is clean, pure and effective, and costs no more than the "cheap" kinds.

Sprains require careful treatment. Keep quiet and apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely. It will remove the soreness and quickly restore the parts to a healthy condition. For sale by all dealers.

A. K. THORN & CO. BONDS
EMPIRE BUILDING

We have for sale some of the Coal & Coke Railway Company's First Mortgage, 5 per cent. Bonds. This mortgage is known as the "HENRY G. DAVIS ROAD." Senator Davis says that, "The road was opened for through service in 1906 and is now in good condition. It has more cars per mile than the average of the railways of the country, and with the development of its coal, timber and other resources of traffic, its earnings will steadily increase."
Interest payable April 1st and October 1st.
We can sell these at a price to yield more than 5 per cent.
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Consolidated 'Phone 106.

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We Give 2-1/2 Green Trading Stamps

Sale of Matting Rugs
Wednesday, June 7th.
\$4 and \$4.50 Room Size Matting Rugs, \$2.49

Beautiful assortment of 9x12 fancy stenciled Matting Rugs, made of best quality fine white Japanese matting. The designs, oriental and floral, are all new, and the best we have ever shown. Regular retail prices \$4.00 and \$4.50. A special purchase of an importer enables us to offer you the greatest value in room size Matting Rugs ever offered in our city. See window display. Sale price for the one day only, Wednesday, \$2.49.

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We are showing the largest and most complete lines shown in Central West Virginia, **AT MONEY SAVING PRICES.**
Only standard, dependable lines are shown here—but in every instance you will find a large assortment of the very best and newest designs to select from, at prices that are away below regular market prices.
A visit to our carpet department will convince you of the fact that we not only show the largest and most complete lines mentioned above, but that our prices are the lowest to be had consistent with quality.
Room size Rugs in all sizes and all grades. Hall rugs and hall runners in all sizes. Colonial Rag Rugs in all sizes and colors from the small 27x54-inch up to room size 9x12 feet. These rugs are in great demand for bed rooms and bath rooms.
Largest line of Carpets by the yard shown in this section of the state. Carpets suitable for every room in the home. Also complete line of hall and stair carpets. Hall runners by the yard in 27 and 36 inch widths.
CREX RUGS AND CREX RUNNERS by the yard, complete range of sizes in Rugs also. All widths from 27 inches to 2 yards wide. Nothing more popular for porches.
PORCH SHADES—The celebrated Waldo Woodweb porch shades in all widths 4 to 10 feet wide.
AWNING STRIPS FOR PORCHES—Valances, finished with scalloped bottom, ready to hang, 27 and 36 inch widths. All colors.
WINDOW AWNINGS—Complete ready to hang. Widths from 2 ft. 6 in. to 4 feet. Prices range from \$2.00 to \$3.00. Blue and White and Brown and White stripe.

June Sale of Lace Curtains at Almost Cost to Make

We have placed on sale several hundred pairs of spic-span new Curtains at almost cost to make. Prices 39c, 69c, 89c, 98c, \$1.39, \$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.49, \$2.98, \$4.98 and \$5.98.

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Sale of Ingrain Carpets
45c, 59c, 75c Yard

A large and choice line of best Ingrain Carpets on the market, made by the celebrated **VICTORIA CARPET MILLS.** We have sold no other in the past eight years and have never had a complaint, as they give satisfactory wear and hold their color.

75c Ingrain Carpets 59c Yard

Splendid Wool Carpets, all new 1911 designs—made and laid at 59c per yard.

\$1 Extra Heavy Ingrain Carpets 75c Yd.

Extra fine all wool Carpets, handsome designs and colorings. Made, laid and lined at 75c a yard. Bring your diagrams.

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