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John R. Wilnot went to Kansas City Friday on business.

Mrs. John Eggleston and daughter, Miss Annie Wood, went to Kansas City Friday morning to spend the day.

Cleanliness.

Many diseases cause infection of the sputum or spit. When this infected sputum is deposited where it may evaporate, dry, and turn to dust, the little particles of dust contain the germs of the disease in question. This dust is carried about from place to place in the house by currents of air and may serve to infect those who breathe it. The mumps, scarlet fever, diphtheria, diseases spread thru the sputum-cerebro-meningitis, infantile paralysis, influenza, tonsillitis and others.

When speaking of cleanliness, it should be understood that this germ-laden dust is the dirt that is to be dreaded. Cleanliness, then, means care in the guarding of bacteria and in preventing the spread of bacteria by excreta. The ordinary dirt such as the soil, ashes, etc., which is brought into the house on the feet or is blown in, is practically harmless.

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For Sale.

Both R. C. and S. C. R. I. R. Cockerels. Phone 447.

MRS. JOHN B. LOGAN,
 Lexington, Mo.

Mrs. S. L. Fields of Higginsville spent Thursday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haekker left Friday for their home in Chicago, after a visit here with relatives.

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FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Henry Deuchler, deceased, that the undersigned Administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

WILLIAM AULL,
 Administrator.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Caroline Deuchler, deceased, that the undersigned Administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

WILLIAM AULL,
 Administrator.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Neer, deceased, that the undersigned Administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

CLAUDE NEER,
 Administrator.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Ernest H. Schmidt, deceased, that the undersigned Administrator will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

JOHN H. SCHMIDT,
 Administrator.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of William W. Meng, deceased, that the undersigned Administratrix will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

DORA MENG,
 Administratrix with will annexed.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Charles Hader, deceased, that the undersigned Administratrix will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

LOUISE HADER,
 Administratrix with will annexed.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of David P. Groves, deceased, that the undersigned Executrix will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

ADA C. GROVES,
 Executrix.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Edgar Youngs, deceased, that the undersigned Executor will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

MARCUS YOUNGS,
 Executor.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested in the estate of Katherine G. Reid, deceased, that the undersigned Executor will apply to make a final settlement of said estate, at the February Term 1913, of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, to be begun and held at the Probate Court room, in the city of Lexington, on the second Monday in February, 1913.

WILLIAM V. A. CATRON,
 Executor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that letters of Administration on the estate of Eliza Hopkins deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 30th day of December, 1912, by the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the undersigned within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of the last insertion of this publication they will be forever barred.

This 30th day of December, 1912.
 E. N. HOPKINS,
 Administrator.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Benjamin Todd, and Kate Todd, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated June 6, 1910, and duly acknowledged, by them June 6, 1910, said deed of trust being filed June 6, 1910, and recorded in office of Recorder of Deeds for Lafayette County, Missouri, in Book No. 195, page 181, did convey to one Harry Taubman as trustee, in order to secure the debt evidenced by the promissory note described in said deed of trust of even date therewith and due twelve months after the date thereof, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Lafayette, State of Missouri, to-wit:

Part of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-two (32), township fifty-one (51), range twenty-seven (27), described as follows: Beginning at the sixteenth section corner on township line south of the southeast quarter of said section 32, running thence west with township line about 8.35 chains to east line of a 40 foot road on the southeast side of lot one (1) in Reid and Taylor's Survey of the southeast quarter of said section 32, thence north 41 degrees and ten minutes east with east line of said road 3.49 chains, thence north 47 degrees and 42 minutes east 7.38 chains to line between east half and west half of the southeast quarter of said section 32, thence south to beginning, containing 3 acres more or less; also

All that part of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section five (5), township fifty (50), range twenty-seven (27), described as follows: Beginning at the sixteenth section corner on township line north of the northeast quarter of said section 5, and running thence south with line between the east half and west half of said quarter section 15.65 chains to stake in branch, thence in a north westerly direction down said branch with the meanders thereof to line between said township 50 and township 51, thence east with said township line to beginning, containing 7 acres more or less. Coal under all of said lands and mining rights heretofore granted are excepted herefrom.

Which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed of trust fully described, and whereas the said Benjamin Todd has been deceased more than nine months; and whereas default has been made in the payment of said promissory note, and said note is now unpaid, now therefore I, the undersigned trustee in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust and at the request of the legal holder of said note will on

Saturday, March 1, 1913,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day at the court house door in the city of Lexington, in the County of Lafayette, and State of Missouri, offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash in hand the said real estate for the purpose of satisfying said note and the expense of executing this trust.

HARRY TAUBMAN,
 Trustee.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI,
 COUNTY OF LAFAYETTE—ss.

In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, February Term, 1913, at Lexington. Order of publication, in vacation December 26th, 1912.

Thomas Hunter, Plaintiff,
 vs.
 Mattie Hunter, Defendant.

Now this day comes the plaintiff herein by his attorney and files his petition verified by affidavit, alleging, among other things, that defendant, Mattie Hunter, is a non-resident of the State of Missouri; Whereupon, it is ordered by the Clerk of said court in vacation as follows: To the said defendant, Mattie Hunter, you are hereby notified that the plaintiff has commenced a suit against you in this court, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony heretofore contracted between plaintiff and defendant upon the grounds of adultery and also that the defendant has absented herself from plaintiff without a reasonable cause for the space of one year, and that unless said defendant, Mattie Hunter, be and appear at this court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the City of Lexington, in said County, on the 13th day of February, 1913, next, and on or before the said first day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law in the Lexington Intelligencer, a newspaper published in said county of Lafayette for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least 30 days before the first day of said next February term of this court.

J. W. SYDNOR,
 Circuit Clerk.

A True Copy From The Record.
 Witness my hand, and seal of the Circuit Court of Lafayette County this 26th day of December, 1912.
 (SEAL) J. W. SYDNOR,
 Circuit Clerk.

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K. TODHUNTER,
 Lexington, Mo.

COURSE OF SICK MENTALITY

One Woman's Idea of the Phases Through Which Those Afflicted Passed to the End.

A lady well known in England writes to a London newspaper as follows:

What are the phases that the sufferer goes through before she reaches the state of mind which enables her to break windows, set theaters on fire and throw hatchets at cabinet ministers?

Temperamentally she is the "splendid enthusiast." A great "ideal" appeals to her! In "single-minded" devotion to her ideal, she decides to give her life to it. She dwells on the one idea to the exclusion of all other aspects of life, until the continual focusing of the mind on her one object produces a falsified vision. The correcting ideas, never being allowed to come into play, are atrophied and the mental balance is destroyed. Now comes a longer or shorter stay at the half-way house of fanaticism, until the tired and despondent "social reformer" reaches the final stage of monomania. This is the road along which, in the company of a good many noble women and men, the sufferer now drags her weary feet, producing disruption, hatred, violence and retaliation instead of furthering the cause she started with such splendid devotion to carry to victory.

Long-deferred justice has driven her into mental aberration—the pity of the waste of such valuable material! It is the finest and most sensitive instruments which get out of tune the quickest!

HAD A RIGHT TO THE SPOT

Shirt Waist Peddler Easily Proved That It Was Most Valuable Place for Him.

Missouri was not the New York policeman's native home, nevertheless "showing" did him some good. He had undertaken to settle who considered a certain spot on the pavement worth purchasing at the price of a bloody nose. His livelihood, according to the banana man, depended upon his standing at that particular spot, and the shirt waist peddler was equally positive that if he moved on starvation would be his lot. The policeman's prayer for light was cut short by the arrival of a woman who wanted to buy a waist. "I wear No. 38," she said. "Here is a waist that I like, but it looks like a mighty small 38." "Try it on," urged the peddler. "I can't, right here in the street," said she.

"Just step into this hall," said the peddler, "and knock on the door at the left. The woman will let you try it on there."

His look of triumph cowed the banana man and convinced the policeman. "See?" he said. "That is why I have to stand here. I meet a lot of customers like that woman, and it isn't every place where I can make arrangements for them to come in and try on."

The banana man moved on.

HIS TIME TO COME.

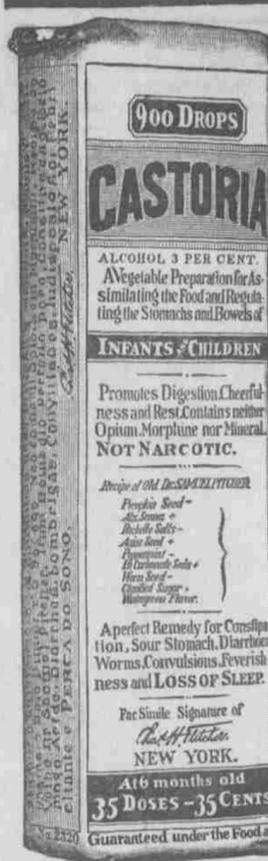
Smith and Jones were discussing the question of who should be the head of the house—the man or the woman. "I am the head of my establishment," said Jones. "I am the breadwinner. Why shouldn't I be?" Well," replied Smith, "before my wife and I were married we made an agreement that I should make the rulings in all major things, my wife in all the minor." "How has it worked?" queried Jones. Smith smiled. "So far," he replied, "no major matters have come up."

GUARD THE WHITE HOUSE.

Although the White House is a government institution, the honor of protecting the chief executive and his household during the sleeping hours devolves upon a specially selected corps of Washington police. No. 1800 Pennsylvania avenue is the only residence in America which is protected by city police year in and year out. The departments require the service of fourscore men as night watchmen.

PAPA'S WORST.

Willie—Did your mother or your father punish you when you were young?
 Tommie—Both.
 "How did your father punish you?"
 "He used to sing to me."



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