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### CONFEDERATE VETERAN

**Capt. S. H. Ford, of Owensboro, Died Friday.**

Captain Salem H. Ford, one of the best known citizens of Owensboro, died at 12:05 o'clock Friday morning at the home of his son-in-law, Urey Woodson, on South Frederica street. His death was due to infirmities incident to old age.

Captain Ford was born in Shelby county, and was 79 years of age.

For many years Captain Ford served as secretary and treasurer for the Owensboro Wagon Company, of which he was one of the founders. He also served as deputy in the office of Collector Hunter Wood. He was appointed postmaster of Owensboro on recommendation of Congressman J. D. Cady during President Cleveland's last term.

Captain Ford's wife died in 1889. His living children are: Mrs. J. D. Kennedy, of Chicago; Arthur Y. Ford, of Louisville; Mrs. Urey Woodson, of Owensboro, and Mrs. Stewart Stirling, of Henderson. All of them, except Mrs. Kennedy, were with him when he died.—Inquirer.

#### The Substitution.

It is a well known fact that both Sir Arthur Sullivan and Sir W. S. Gilbert had a horror of the titles of their operas becoming known until the very night of their performance. This fear that they might be forestalled created considerable confusion at the initial production of "Iolanthe; or, The Peer and the Peri." The opera was rehearsed for weeks under the title of "Perola." It was only at the dress rehearsal that the company was instructed to substitute the name Iolanthe for that of Perola wherever it occurred in the text or lyrics. It was no easy task to replace vocally and in the dialogue a name of three syllables for one of four. Sullivan, however, said (maybe aside to one or two of the actors who were nervous: "Go ahead and sing the music. Gilbert won't be in front" (Gilbert never attended the first night), "so use any name that you think of first if you are rattled. No one in the audience will be any wiser."

#### Death Dealing Kisses.

The most famous example of kisses that have caused death is furnished by the story of the sprightly young Duchess of Gordon, who raised so many recruits for the famous Gordon highlanders. In the early days of the regiment recruiting was very slow, but the duchess attired herself in the regimental colors and made a tour of the various markets and fairs, offering to each recruit a guinea and a kiss.

Most of the recipients paid for the kiss with their lives. No sooner was the regiment raised than it was sent to fight the French, and in the first engagement in which the duchess' recruits participated there was a loss of 300 killed and wounded. All the right flanking company was hit save one, and he, curiously enough, did not happen to be a recipient of the young duchess' kiss. He was a canny Aberdeenshire man, and for an extra guinea he sold his right to another person to a kiss from the duchess' ruby lips.—London Graphic.

The candy bill of the American girl is \$134,000,000, \$10,000,000 more than the cost of the nation's paint and varnish.

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## FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE

State Authorities Spurred to Renewed Efforts to Stamp Out The Plague.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 22.—Fresh centers of foot and mouth disease infection have spurred the authorities to renewed efforts to stamp out the plague and save the live stock industry in Kentucky, the value of which, J. W. Newman, state commissioner of agriculture, places at \$40,000,000.

Fifteen government inspectors have been ordered to Louisville territory to try to locate all sources of infection. Newman is sending a circular letter to each of the 120 county judges in Kentucky appealing to them to call mass meetings to plan ways to combat the disease.

## The Rex

Manager Shrode's big bill for tomorrow is "My Official Wife" featuring Clara Kimball Young, Harry T. Morey, Rose Tapley, Earle Williams and other popular favorites.

The story is woven around a beautiful Nihilist, Helene Marie, who, in order to get by the Secret Police on the frontier of Russia, induces Lennox, an American, to introduce her as his wife, in order that she may enter on his passport.

Arriving in St. Petersburg, Lennox is met by friends and is compelled to introduce Helene as his wife, also to register her as such at the hotel where he is stopping. Helene then discloses her identity. Lennox is shocked at first, but already deeply in love with the beautiful schemer, decides to let things take their course.

Helene meets her Nihilist friends and they conspire to assassinate the Czar, she being chosen as the one to commit the deed at a fashionable ball on a certain date. She plans to be present. Lennox has arranged to leave for Paris the afternoon of the same day. Now that the consummation of her plans is so near at hand, Helene has no more use for Lennox and entices an officer of the Royal Guards to become her lover.

Lennox becomes jealous of the Russian, misses his train and returns to find Helene in the arms of his rival. Helene and Lennox attend the grand ball; he learns her purpose is to assassinate the Czar and drugs her. She is taken to the hotel, restored to wakefulness and retaliates by playing the same trick on him, telephoning her lover and the two make their escape to a yacht, but the secret police, having discovered Helene's real identity, send a torpedo boat after the eloping pair, with orders to destroy the yacht. A torpedo blows the vessel to atoms and ends forever the career of Helene Marie, the beautiful Nihilist, and her lover.

#### Fond Recollections.

"Speaking of old times," said a member of the Reminiscence club, "I can remember when a waiter would say 'Thank you' out loud for a 25-cent tip." "That's nothing," replied his companion. "I can remember when I would look at the list of dishes on a menu to see what I wanted instead of looking first at the prices to see what I could afford."

#### Draw Your Own Conclusions.

"Why," asked the weary-looking woman, "do you constantly refer to yourself as the goat of this household?" "Because," replied the irritable man, in a loud tone of voice, "a goat is supposed to be able to eat anything and act as if he enjoyed it."—Washington Star.

#### Chicago now claims a population of 2,500,000, of whom 9,620 are Johnsons and 8,526 Smiths.

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## NEW SERUM FOR CANCER

New York Hospital Reports Year's Observation Of Results.

New York, Feb. 19.—The results of the work of nearly a year by physicians, surgeons and laboratory staff of the general memorial hospital of this city, tending to show the success of a new cancer serum, are expected to be published soon in an official report of the medical board of the institution, according to announcements made today.

The report will contain the name of the discoverer of the new serum, its composition, the details of the preliminary laboratory work and the individual medical histories of the patients so far treated in the hospital. The announcements forecast this report as one of the important contributions to science emanating from the medical profession in this country.

Dr. James Ewing, professor of pathology, Cornell Medical college is chairman of the medical board of the hospital which has been administered by members of the faculty of the Cornell Medical school, with which it has been associated since last May, when Dr. James Douglas gave a large sum of money in addition to a very considerable amount of radium, to be devoted to the treatment of cancer.

The serum is used by injection. The cancerous growths break down, disintegrate and disappear, it is asserted.

#### Bible Is Back.

John Franklin Bible has returned from Michigan with a new joke. Two Jews were talking business and drifted into a discussion of religion: "Ikey," said Moses, "I haf made up my mind that dere is no such black as hell. It's all a mistake about such a place." "You don't tell me," said Ikey, "no such black as hell? Den phere has beenness gone?"

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As a rule, people when ailing apply very properly to a doctor before resorting to a ready-to-take medicine. The great majority are cured by the doctor. But a per cent. of chronic cases fail to find a cure and at last begin to use ready-to-take medicines. It is very noticeable indeed the number of people among our testifiers who say that it was only after the doctor had failed to cure them that they were induced to take Peruna. Then they find to their relief, to their surprise, to their joy, that Peruna is the remedy they should have taken at first.



### The Dry Wave.

The prohibition cause continues to make quick headway. Whereas in olden times it was the popular custom to drink liquor more or less, it is now the popular thing to abstain. That this change is no mere caprice or passing wave is evident when one considers the many quarters in which the movement makes decided gains. Hard-headed business men, for financial and business reasons, are among the leaders, state after state in the union is enacting prohibition laws and many other states are passing county option and other restrictive measures. Not only that, but foreign nations have also caught the idea. Russia has stopped the traffic throughout its vast domain, and the comptroller of the Russian treasury says that the financial result for both the masses and the government is most satisfactory. And now the parliament of Iceland has decided for prohibition and has sent out of the country all the liquor it could put its hands on.

### Pension Money.

Checks aggregating \$87,885.28 were mailed out Saturday by State Treasurer Rhea to Confederate pensioners.

### Sumner Is Pardoned.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 21.—Gov. McCreary has pardoned Flavius Sumner sent up from Trigg county in 1914 for one to five years for breaking into a store. It is claimed that he was intoxicated at the time he committed the offense. The pardon was recommended by Judge J. T. Hansbery, Commonwealth's Attorney. Denny P. Smith and Henry Lawrence are members of the Board of Prison Commissioners.

### Ham Sacks.

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