

### Strangely Contrasted.

Five years ago two sisters bearing a name famous in the world of finance, separated, each bent on living her life in her own way.

The same blood flowed in their veins, their early training had been the same. One loved dress, society, amusements, herself, and was utterly selfish. She had no admiration beyond the gratification of her own desires.

The other loved humanity. And, strangely, the sister in whose heart there is every noble impulse, who lives to make the lot of mankind happier, who aids the needy, nurses the sick, and by her loving tenderness for children, has gained the gratitude of thousands, in appearance, determination and will-power is most like her father, whose life-work was the amassing of a great fortune.

It seems incredible that Anna Gould and Helen Gould can be sisters, members in one family. Helen Gould still holds her place in the affection of the people. Anna Gould bought a title. She married a popinjay, Count Boni De Castellane, whose only fortune was a past and an old name. They had an income of 3,000,000 francs yearly. That is nearly \$2,000 a day, or \$600,000 a year. Few men earn \$600,000 in a lifetime, and it fell into the hands of a man who never earned a penny. He became money-mad. He revelled in American dollars. No scheme was too extravagant, no folly too great for him. There were scandals and scandals, and Paris stood amazed.

Withal, the Castellanes were beggars. Count Boni, he of many words and bloodless duels, came to this country and demanded more.

Yet in four years he has burned up 23,000,000 francs of his wife's fortune. Now the wife, the troubled woman who bartered her fortune for a name, has invoked the law, and the stream of gold that has flowed across France is to be checked.

It is always easy to be sorry for a woman, but Anna Gould, Countess De Castellane, has reaped as she sowed.—Cincinnati Post.

### A Bloody History.

There is a small spot of ground about a quarter of a mile south of Bloomfield, on the bank of Simpson creek, that has somewhat of a bloody history attached to it, because of its being the place where two young Confederate soldiers named Hamilton and Berry were brought from the military prison at Louisville and shot to death during the war by order of Gen. John M. Palmer, (the late unlamented goldbug candidate for President,) who had superseded Burbridge, the bloody butcher, in retaliation for the death of John R. Jones, a Union man who was killed by guerillas at his home where Mrs. Dr. Hughes now resides. Major, (afterwards Colonel) Ben S. Bristow, and the Secretary of the Treasury under President Grant, commanded the squad of soldiers who did the shooting. It is said by those who witnessed the tragedy that the youngest soldier, a mere boy, begged them piteously not to shoot him in the face. After the smoke had cleared away the eldest was found riddled with bullets and the young soldier was writhing in agony. Then the bloody Major Bristow walked up to his unfortunate victim and coolly fired five pistol-shots into his face. They were left where they had been murdered, for the citizens to bury. Their remains were removed to a residence in Bloomfield. Col. Isaac Stone, an ardent Southern man, bought two handsome collars and had the two Southern heroes laid away in the little city of the dead at Bloomfield. It is said that the bloodstains can be seen on the floor of that house to-day. It is said that the shooting of these two soldiers at Bloomfield defeated Major B. H. Bristow before the Cincinnati convention in 1876, for the Presidency, and that the streets of Cincinnati were flooded with circulars giving a graphic account of the death of these soldiers.—Bloomfield Sentinel.

### A Village Blacksmith Saved His Little Son's Life.

Mr. H. H. Black, the well-known village blacksmith at Grahamsville, Sullivan Co., N. Y., says: "Our little son, five years old, has always been subject to croup, and so had have the attacks been that we have feared many times that he would die. We have had the doctor and used many medicines, but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is now our sole reliance. It seems to dissolve the tough mucus and by giving frequent doses when the croupy symptoms appear we have found that the dreaded croup is cured before it gets settled." There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains no opium or other injurious drug and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by M. Cravens.

### Royalty and Nobility.

There is no room to doubt that royalty and nobility are looking up. We are to have a royalist deputy in Congress from Hawaii. He can hardly form a party by himself, or even a group, but he will be able to do service as a nest egg. His heart will go out to the Sultan of Sulu, with his harem and his slaves, and he may stretch his arms toward Sulu, either east or west, in affectionate yearning. We have got at least the germ of a royalist party.

Meantime, in Paris a nest of so-called nobles, husbands of American heiresses, are spending the money of their wives in a royalist propaganda. One Parisian nobleman has summoned up courage enough to kill his wife because she would not give him money. It seems that he was, though a Count, in hard lines before he married, but lived in clover so long as his wife furnished him with money. When she ceased to endure his bad behavior he not only killed her, but tried to blacken her character. Thus it would appear that American heiresses are not the only victims of these noblemen.

Meantime, it is announced that a county girl in Indiana is going to marry a Russian Count who has been courting her ever since 1898. This Count is said to be rolling in wealth. He has certainly proved himself a laggard in love, but he has afforded ample time for inquiries to be made as to his financial condition. Still in view of the fact that he fell in love at first sight in 1898, and is not to be married till May, 1901, this Count will bear watching.

It is felt as a hardship by many of our rich men that while they have a great deal more money than European nobles, they have not the titles for their daughters at great expense, and the husbands go abroad to spend the money in riotous living. That is not the worst of it in most cases. There are no men in the true sense accompanying these titles. They are mostly broken down rones, or impoverished gamblers, and they treat their wives with heartless cruelty or equally heartless indifference. Some of their wives come without their money, after quitting their husbands, and become a charge upon their parents. Perhaps after a while we shall have a nobility of our own that will receive social recognition, as does that of the French Republic. With a royalist in Congress and a Sultan in a colony, why should we not make a nobility of our own, thereby giving protection to domestic wealth? —Courier-Journal.

A humorous cuss from Kansas wants to know "where is the state of matrimony?" says the Chicago World. Well, as near as the Prowler can locate it, this happy state is one of the "United" States. It is bounded by hugging and kissing on one side and cradles and babies on the other. Its chief production is population, broomsticks and staying out at night. It was discovered by Adam and Eve while trying to find a passage out of paradise. The climate is rather sultry until you pass the tropics of housekeeping, when squalling weather sets in without sufficient power to keep all hands down. For the principal road leading to this state consult the first pair of blue eyes you chance to meet.

### Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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The people of the United States are controlled largely by sentiment, and it seems impossible to defeat a war President, whether the war is right or wrong, holy or unholy.

### Gov. Altgeld on Reconstruction.

In response to the Whitney-Dickenson-Hewitt scheme to turn the democratic organization over to plutocracy and the trusts, we commend Governor Altgeld's pertinent observations:

"The second defeat of Bryan will not result in complete reorganization of the democratic party. Bryan is 2,000,000 votes stronger than any man in the party, and if we cannot elect him we cannot elect anybody. The result simply shows that money can control the American elections. The issues have nothing to do with it. If we had declared for the gold standard the defeat would have been worse, for we would have lost what we had and would not have gained anything, because the corrupt syndicates wanted a tool and not a man in the white house, and they would have corrupted the elections just the same to elect McKinley. We do not want to win if we must sell or mortgage the Democratic party to eastern speculators for money-making purposes as was done both times when we elected Cleveland. If the government must be run on corrupt Hamiltonian principles, we want the Republicans to do it. The Democratic party must stand for the toiling masses or else have no mission. To-day the party stands for justice and seven or more millions of men who supported Bryan are satisfied with it. They are not asking for reorganization. The men who are talking about reorganization are the hypocrites and the corporation creatures who supported McKinley when they found that they would not be permitted to prostitute the Democratic party. Their proper place is the Republican party. Justice must triumph in the end, and then Democracy will win if it is only true to treat principles, and it will be spat on if it again allies itself with the corruptionists who run the syndicates."

### The St. Louis Republic.

Every Monday and Thursday a newspaper as good as a magazine—and better, for it contains the latest by-telegram as well as interesting stories—is sent to the subscriber of the "Twice-a-week" Republic, which is only \$1 a year.

The man who reads the "Twice-a-week" Republic knows all about affairs political, domestic and foreign events; is posted about the markets and commercial matters generally. The woman who reads the "Twice-a-week" Republic gathers a bit of valuable information about household affairs and late fashions and finds recreation in the bright stories that come under both the headings of facts and fiction. There is gossip about new books and a dozen other topics of especial interest to the wide-awake man and woman.

There is one kind of faith that revels in words; there is another that can hardly find utterance. The former is like riches that comes to us by inheritance; the latter is like the daily bread which each of us to win by the sweat of his brow. The former we can not expect of new converts; we ought not to expect it or exact it for fear it might lead to hypocrisy and superstition. We want less of creeds but more of trust, less of ceremony but more of general honesty, less of solemnity but more of love. There is a faith as small as a grain of mustard seed; let that grain alone. It can remove mountains, and more than that, it can move hearts.

### Neuralgia Banished.

There is no more severe or stubborn pain than neuralgia. A remedy that will cure it will cure any pain, Dr. G. S. Stivers, dentist, Louisville, Ky., says: "My wife suffered over two years from very severe neuralgia, which several physicians failed to relieve. I then got Morley's Wonderful Eight, which relieved her in five minutes and soon effected a permanent cure. Sold by agent in every town."

Within in the last week the price of table salt has been advanced over 100 per cent. This product is controlled largely by trusts. As the trusts contributed liberally to money to help reelect Mr. McKinley, they have to get it back.

### Ladies.

If you want a beautiful complexion, a bright eye, a good appetite, an active liver, bowels regular as clock-work, and vigorous, healthy body, use Morley's Liver and Kidney Cordial, the great System Renovator. It cures all diseases to which women are subject, such as weakness, debility, melancholy nervous prostration, etc. Sold by agent in every town.

George Weekbosh, of Grant county, who was found on the railroad track near Sherman several days ago, both legs having been cut off by a train, says he was tied to the track by four drunken young men.

### Pearl Bryan's Head.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 15.—A human skull, believed to be the head of Pearl Bryan was found this morning in a thicket a few rods from where the headless body of the unfortunate young woman was first discovered. The discovery was made by Geo. Girty, a boy.

The spot where the skull was found was a dense tangle of undergrowth and brush but a short distance from the beaten pathway along which Scott Jackson and Alonzo Walling bore the body. The skull had been secreted in such a manner that it might have easily escaped observation forever, and it was mere chance that it was finally discovered Thursday morning. An investigation is being made.

### The Eagle Fought Him.

Last week Mr. Henry Hagan, of Nelson county, discovered a disturbance among his sheep, and going to them found a large American eagle devouring a lamb, says the Record. Thinking he would "righten the eagle away, he picked up a large club and started towards the bird; but instead of flying away the eagle showed vicious fight. After quite a skirmish, and after he had been severely beaten by the wings of the eagle and considerably scratched by his talons, Mr. Hagan succeeded in striking a blow which, for the time, dazed the eagle, giving him time to tie its legs and wings. It is one of the largest of the species, measuring nine feet four inches from tip to tip.

### Brave Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the result in the loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. J. W. Gardner, of Idaville, Ind., says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he don't care whether he lives or dies. It gave me strength and good appetite. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at T. E. Paull's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

Austria is the one country in the world which never puts a woman in prison. In instead of giving the female criminal so many months in jail, she is sent, no matter how terrible is her record, to one or other of the convents devoted for the purpose, and there kept during the time for which she is sentenced. The convent is not a mere prison in disguise, for its courtyard stands open all day long, the only bar to egress being a nun who acts a portress, just as in other convents.

A good story comes from Texas, the Democratic stronghold of the country. The only Democratic candidate in that State defeated last Tuesday was a man named Itch, who was running for the office of Justice of the Peace. He was overwhelmingly defeated. In commenting upon the fact, when the voters came to his name, they had an irresistible desire to scratch says a Texas paper.

Perryville, Ky., Nov. 20.—The two-year-old child of John Patterson, who resides a few miles north of here, was out playing in the yard and returned to the house with a snake writhing and coiling in its hands. When almost to the house the snake bit the little one, who dropped the deadly plaything, which disappeared into the bushes. The child died a few hours later in agony.

### Just Saved His Life.

It was a thrilling escape that Chas. Davis, of Bowerston, O., lately had from a frightful death. For two years a severe lung trouble constantly grew worse until it seemed he must die of Consumption. Then he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and lately wrote: "It gave instant relief and effected a permanent cure." Such wonderful cures have for 25 years, proven its power to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at T. E. Paull's drug store.

Fighting is in progress within thirty miles of Manila, in a section where, nearly two years ago, Warrior Otis was going to annihilate Aguinaldo with the famous "fraction in reverse" strategy. It begins to appear that the islands will never be pacified until we send the greatest warrior since Alexander—Teddy Roosevelt—over there to smite the heathen. It would be cruel to force Roosevelt to submit to the humdrum existence of a Vice-President, and he should be sent to the Philippines by all means.—Louisville Times.

### STOKES.

Corn is all gathered; yield very good.

Wheat is being greatly damaged by the fly.

J. J. Stokes was in Cincinnati with a car-load of stock last week.

Rev. H. S. Turner filled his appointment at this place Sunday, and delivered an interesting sermon.

Mr. James Coffey and Miss Josie Stokes were visiting at Rankin last week.

Mr. Baxter Smith and Miss Pearl Smith, of Lula, were visiting Mrs. J. J. Stokes last Sunday.

Wm. Netherly has sold his farm to Coe Bros. He will remove to Jamestown.

Coleman Coffey has gone to Chicago and is employed in a wagon factory.

Stokes Bros. will ship a load of stock this week.

Jim Vaughan, Russell Springs, passed through here Saturday.

Here is the latest in rhyme, and it is waffed on the bracing air from Texas. "When dad has worn his trousers out they pass to brother John, then mother trims them round about and William puts them on. When William's legs too long have grown the trousers fail to hide 'em so Walter claims 'em for his own and hides himself inside 'em. Next Sam's fat legs they close invest, and when they won't stretch tighter they're turned and shortened up for me—the writer. Ma works them into caps and rugs, when I have burst the stitches; at doomsday we shall see perhaps the last of dad's old breeches."—Ex.

In the Hardin circuit court Commonwealth's Attorney Chelf made a motion to have the session of the grand jury extended in order to give them further time to investigate the qualification of those voters who were required to make affidavit as to their right to vote at the last election.

The would-be society girls of "sweet sixteen", who generally consider themselves belles of the community, should be careful how they snub the awkward, uncouth boys of the same age. When they are twenty-eight and slightly shelf-worn, those boys will be young men, and they are pretty apt to remember the snub. The snub business is risky, any way, for the "world do move" and it is impossible next year to tell who will be at the bottom.

A woman of Danbury, Conn., died recently, leaving quite a little property to various persons. To him who was supposed to be her favorite nephew she bequeathed "my set of false teeth, which will be found in the upper right hand drawer of my bureau." The young man at once concluded that his aunt must have concealed some diamonds or other precious stones in the set of teeth. Accordingly he smashed up his bequest, but found no jewels. He will now contest the will.

"Good-bye, dear: do be careful: I don't know what I should do without you; and that reminds me, don't forget to get your traveler's accident insurance ticket."

The State Board of Valuation and Assessment decided to increase the valuation of whiskey from \$7 to \$10 per barrel for purpose of taxation.

John W. Jolly was convicted at Newport of the murder of his sister-in-law, and was sentenced to death. The defense was insanity.

The Czar's attack of typhoid fever attributed to his habit of drinking water and eating quail.

George W. Tatum, a quarryman, aged 30 years, was killed by a premature blast at Anchorage.

A special examination for State teachers' certificates will be held at Frankfort, Dec. 13th and 14th.

Mrs. Mamie Gill, of Mead county, aged 11 years, is suing her husband, Harry Gill, for a divorce.

Jas. S. Jones, aged 67 years, and Miss Myrtle McClanahan, aged 21, were married in Bracken county last week.

The Census Bureau has found that the center of population of the United States is Columbus, Ind.

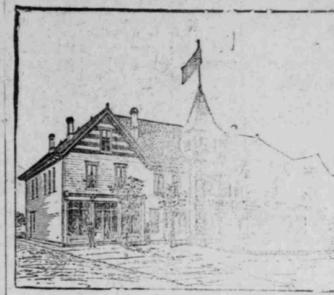
Since July last the average number of daily arrivals of immigrants at the port of New York has been 1,000.

In payment of a freak election bet, Sam Claass, of Iowa, crawled two miles in the dust on his stomach.

Norvin Harris, Louisville, sold a bird dog to New York parties for \$1,500.

Squire Hodges, a wealthy farmer of Hart county, was found dead in a corn field.

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