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THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 1899.

Query: If Roberts, of Utah, is smart enough to manage three wives, why isn't he smart enough to make a good Congressman?

Matthew S. Quay must stand trial. It seems to us that this is as it should be. It ought not to make any difference what a man's political standing is.

Harry Congdon may be dead, or he may not be—we sincerely hope the latter may be the case. The Leader got its news last Sunday through the medium of the boy's brother, at Parkersburg.

A Threat of Uncivil War. There is immediate need for the North Atlantic Squadron. Let Admiral Sampson be cabled at once: "Move on Washington. Occupy the Potomac. Invest the capital." Wire Miles: "Mobilize the army on Pennsylvania avenue without delay."

There must be no hesitation, no holding back. The exigencies of the case demand prompt action. The American army has been defied. The hero of Santiago held up to contempt. In consequence Congress is in a state of siege and Speaker Reed a point of vicious attack.

It is all on account of General Shafter and his able aid, General Wheeler. Although the latter is holding his place in the House purely through the magnanimity of Hon. Jo Bailey, of Texas, he had the temerity to ask Sir Thomas Reed's permission to bring the commander of the Santiago campaign into the sacred precincts.

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In the letter Mr. Bullitt said that he had left his knife lying on a ledge at the turn of the pipe in said air chamber. One of the men thrust an eager hand into the hole, felt the ledge, but no knife was there. As it was growing dusk the work was suspended until the next morning.

Warden Coffin peered into the hole and asked, "What do you find?" The investigator replied, "Nothing but cob-webs."

The subterranean search proceeded some little time, while the suction of the ingoing air increased. A mixed collection of curious shaped bolts were brought forth, rusty with age. Four cells east of the one in question another similar hole was found and examined, but nothing of note was found there.

"This decision," said one of these intimates, "is final. I am sure of that because Mr. Day himself so informed me."

Judge Day has returned to his home in Canton and will at once resume the practice of the law that he laid down when called into the cabinet by President McKinley, and will spend his days in the profession, unless, in the meanwhile he might be prevailed upon to accept the appointment of a United States district judge.

Quick Divorces. Very properly Dakota is ashamed of her quick divorce laws. An amendment is talked of, but it will not avail unless divorce cases are kept out of the courts, except in instances where the parties are residents of the States and have been for several years. Then, when other states refuse to recognize those divorces arranged between attorneys, there will prevail a better condition of affairs here, as well as in Dakota.

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MORGAN'S ESCAPE.

Ex-Warden Merion is Finally Exonerated From All Blame.

The cloud of unjust suspicion which hovered over the name of ex-Warden Merion the past thirty-five years has soared into chaos. Many men have ventilated their bombastic suspicions regarding the sensational escape from this prison of the rebel general, John Morgan, on the night of November 28, 1863.

The escape of Morgan and his band of "raiders" was heralded throughout the central states with many fabricated conclusions. The fact that the men escaped and crossed the Ohio river into Kentucky—an authentic account of how they escaped—is now conclusively made public.

Truth, no matter how deeply hidden, will ultimately rise. The men dug their way out of their cells and then dug their way to liberty through the foundation of the wall, by the aid of a clever young man who worked in the dining room and who passed several knives to the noted prisoners.

Mr. T. W. Bullitt, of Louisville, Ky., is the only person now living who escaped with John Morgan, and to him is due much credit for the clearing of this unedifying mystery.

More than a week ago a letter arrived from Mr. F. D. Swoop, of that city, to Manager T. H. McConica, at Findlay, O. He in turn had it published in the Findlay Republican, and a copy of that paper was sent to Supt. J. C. Laney, who, after reading the article, instituted an investigation.

The main charge of Supt. Laney proceeded to cell number 4 on the south side of the east hall block, where important discoveries were made. According to direction the men started to dig into the ceiling of the rear left corner of the cell. They had dug but a few moments when they struck an opening about four inches in diameter.

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School Savings Banks.

The school savings bank was first introduced in the Long Island schools by Prof. J. H. Thiry, five years ago. It has been greatly changed and re-modeled as it grew, and while the details as adopted in the different states and cities vary, the general plan remains the same.

The deposits be made each Monday morning. With the first roll call of the week each scholar goes to the teacher's desk, makes a deposit and receives in return a slip. This slip as soon as the amount on deposit entitles the scholar to a bank book sent with the book to the bank, and an account is opened with the scholar in the same manner as any other depositor.

The system has been generally adopted in large cities throughout the country, especially in the East. The purpose is to induce thrift among school children, and as the system becomes better known it meeting with much favor.

Pupils who change their place of residence and move from one school to another can have their accounts transferred, as special ledgers and books are kept for the purpose by the bank. A scholar who wants to withdraw his deposit does so with a check, made out in regular banking style, but it has to be countersigned by the teacher, as well as the parent of the pupil, before being honored.

W. J. Jones, secretary and treasurer of the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, said yesterday that when his bank agreed to take up the plan he went to New York and spent some time in learning the new system. He introduced a number of changes to suit Pittsburgh, and now found that the plan was meeting the fullest expectations.

He said that the manner in which the deposits were increasing was surpassing records in other cities, as in no place where the plan has been adopted have such results been shown in so short a time.

One feature of the system that has become noticeable is that the scholars in the lower grades show a higher general average than those of the higher classes. Some of the more advanced scholars have individual accounts in banks, but the discrepancy in the different grades is too marked to be explained on this score, and the teachers say the younger scholars take to the plan much more readily than their older brothers and sisters.

About 60 per cent of the scholars is the average number to make deposits in the schools when banks are in operation.—Pittsburg Times.

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Wouldn't That Jar You?

A year ago William Waldorf Astor was looking toward royalty. He had his eye upon the Princess Victoria, daughter of the Prince of Wales, and it stories can be believed, he and the princess had as pretty a tiff as ever graced the love history of a woman. From the same source comes the story that Mr. Astor, being frequently a guest at Sandringham, was privileged to drive the princess out in the dog-cart, with only the chaperonage of two footmen in the rear.

Of course their path was a conventional one and their drives were taken in the conventional part of the day. At one of these drives Mr. Astor became very tender and began to sound his way toward the heart of the princess. "Come, now, princess," said he, "and give me your opinion. If you knew a commoner who loved a beautiful princess, what advice would you bestow?"

"Upon the man?" asked the princess. "Yes, princess."

"I should advise him to go on loving her," said the princess dimpling with delight. "And what advice would you bestow upon the lady, princess?"

"I should tell her not to fall in love with a cad."

"Oh," said Mr. Astor, and the subject was dropped right there and was never taken up again.—Boston Journal

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Reformists After Roberts.

The reform bureau, which has headquarters at Washington, D. C., is going after Congressman-elect Roberts, of Utah, rough shod. The superintendent of the bureau, Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts, has issued what he terms a "brief" of the case of the American people against the polygamist, in which he charges Roberts directly with being a "confessed polygamist" and a "champion of polygamy."

Dr. Crafts says that Roberts' plea that he married the three wives, with whom he now lives, since Utah covenanted to forever prohibit polygamy if she entered the Union, is wholly insufficient. First, because Roberts' marriage to the second and third wives were in violation of national existing laws before the covenant; second, even though he might have obligations to support his second and third wives, he is certainly under no moral obligation to cohabit with them.

In charging Roberts with being the champion of polygamy, Dr. Crafts declares he was elected manifestly on that account, as a "defiant repudiation of Utah's covenant." He refers to an article by Roberts in a Mormon magazine in which the Congressman-elect argues in order to enter heaven, "And it was and must be accepted by all Christians in order to enter heaven."

And it was mainly because of this and similar public utterances, says Dr. Crafts, and not because of any eminence in politics, that he was elected. Roberts' case will come up in the Fifty-sixth congress. Meanwhile all American men and women who champion the entrenchment of woman as queen in the home and the protection of the fireside's purity will have ample opportunity to impress upon their representatives in congress the sentiment of the American people. Roberts must not be allowed to take his seat. If need be the constitution of the United States should be amended to prevent a future defiance by Utah of her covenant with that sisterhood of states.—Ohio State Journal.

AMERICANITIS. [Boston Herald.] Ho, Dame Christian Science! What's this in defiance, It's hydra head rising right under your nose?

If you've slain the devil, Whence comes a fresh evil To compass our land with its far-reaching woes?

This Americanitis, A brain-disease is, And spreads the rat-tat of mental drum-beat, Which summons attention, To fleshly redemption From pain as a humbug, and graves as effect!

Come, here's an occasion, To stifle contagion, And put a sharp stop to these fast-growing germs; Are you a physician, Who fears competition, And dare not prescribe save in Sand-hodrim terms?

Or here is a malady, For which you've no remedy, A sickness that's killing its thousands and more? Can't you curb all this jostling, This wrangling and hustling, This wrestling with isms that number four-score?

Fie, Dame Christian Science! We place no reliance, On all your high-sounding stock-phrases and cant, For this very disease is, The appendicitis—The poison and rot of ineffable rant!

What's the logical sequence, Of miracle frequency, Except to inflate us with glamour and puff?

In the Dame that seemed august A doll stuffed with sawdust, And must we believe that the doll stuffed herself?

JOSEPHINE C. WOODBURY, December 1, 1898.

GEORGE Pullman and His Younger Bride Have Called Quits on Their Marriage.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—According to a rumor that is said to be well founded, Geo. M. Pullman, Jr., and his young bride, who was Miss Lynch Fernald, have separated. Mr. Pullman has gone South, after a short visit here, and his wife is coming to her old home in the city, ostensibly on a visit. Friends of the young couple say, however, that the breach is so serious it will probably end their marital career.

Before Mr. Pullman left for the South he called on his father-in-law, but the latter never liked the Pullman boys, and did not encourage George to hope for his assistance in patching up the family troubles.

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SEARCH FOR TREASURE SHIP.

British Sloop of War De Braak, Sunk Off Breakwater Below Philadelphia, Pa., Said to Be Filled With Gold.

An attempt is to again be made to locate the sunken British sloop of war, De Braak, which lies off the Delaware breakwater, near Philadelphia, and bring to the surface some, if not all, of the vast amount of treasure that, according to tradition, is confined within the bulk of this old craft. It is stated that the methods and appliances that will be used are entirely new.

This is by no means the first attempt that has been made to raise De Braak. The history of De Braak is an interesting one. It was a British sloop of war, captured from the Dutch, and like all vessels of its time, was built of oak and teak. The British government came into possession of it in 1787, and Capt. James Drew, who is buried in Lewes, Del., was made its commander.

Shortly before it foundered in a squall off the Delaware, it captured a Spanish ship from La Plata, bound to Spain with a cargo of gold from the mines. Soon afterwards, according to report, it overhauled the St. Francis Xavier and transferred much precious metal to its own hold. While making for Cape Henlopen for fresh water it went down in a sudden squall. Some of its crew escaped, but the majority perished. Reports then became frequent of the existence of treasure, and ever since then the locality where it went down has been pointed to as one beneath which is buried a vast amount of treasure.

Spanish doubloons are reported to have washed ashore on the beach at Lewes and these have always since been looked upon as evidences of the existence of more.

LABORERS IN INDIA.

Get Very Little Pay for Their Work But They Live on Grain and Save Money. United States Consul Patterson, at Calcutta, has supplied the bureau of foreign commerce of the state department some statistics relative to the cost and means of subsistence of laborers in India that exhibit in a striking manner the extreme economy practiced by the natives. His tables show that the highest wages paid for skilled labor is \$4.50 per month for jute mill hands, while \$1.50 is the monthly wage of able-bodied agricultural laborers. But the consul says that in northwestern India wages are much lower than the figures quoted. The laborers live all together on grain, using about 1 1/2 pounds per day, each costing on an average from 2 1/2 to 3 cents. Yet with this food they do the hardest kind of manual labor and keep their muscles well developed, their endurance in carrying heavy loads being remarkable. A majority of the laborers not only exist on these small wages, but manage to keep families and save money.

An Aztec temple, long buried beneath the surface of the earth, has been uncovered within the limits of El Paso, Tex., according to Dr. Leo Benson, a graduate of Oxford university, and an archeologist of note, who is connected with the Preparatory university at the City of Mexico.

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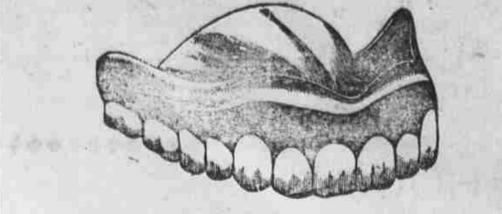
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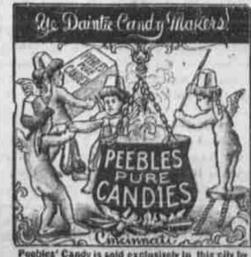
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