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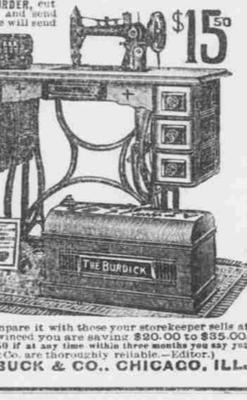
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The thoroughly honest man won't even take a chance.

A Kansas City restaurant advertised "iced soup" last week.

Perhaps if the weather would let up the mercury would let down.

It is generally the chap who upholds drink that puts it down.

Miss Linnie Grin lives in Mexico, but that is no laughing matter.

The Chillicothe fair will last four days this year, beginning July 27th.

Half the towns in Missouri are claiming to have caught kissing bugs.

Meadville has a new paper that is burdened with the name of *Missing Link*.

When fond parents make an idol of a boy they are pretty certain to make an idle boy.

The discovery that sweeping fills the air with microbes calls for sterilized brooms.

The Alton bridge at Glasgow is to be rebuilt, and will employ 150 men for a year.

One reason why bald-headed men don't like ghost tales is that they have lost faith in hair-raising stories.

"Say," said the city girl boarding in the country, "you advertised strictly pure country milk, and this morning I saw a man watering the cows."

There are two kinds of towns in Missouri. In one you get beer warm and have to drink it out of a bottle; in the other you get it cold and use a glass.

It is said a Moberly man is so mean about giving his clerks a vacation that he won't even keep a calendar in his office for fear some one might take a day off.

The Bunceon *Eagle* is authority for the statement that Boonville has a man who raises canary birds, a magnetic healer, an osteopath doctor and a lady who was bitten by a kissing bug, and yet is not satisfied.

A Moberly woman who had evidently had her shirt waist surveyed as a precautionary measure, advertises it as follows: "Lost—Blue and white shirt waist, stripes running around between the public school building and McCormick's barn."

Summer Tourist Rates to Colorado Points from June 1st to Sept. 15th, inclusive. Good returning until Oct. 31st. Rate from Keytesville, \$30. For further information call on or address, D. C. SEEVERS, Agt. Wabash.

One hundred and fifty men are working night and day on Colonel Bleses new Military academy at Macon. It will be ready for the opening September 5.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cents at W. C. Gaston's drug store.

A St. Louis man began laughing last week after hearing that W. J. Stone might be a candidate for the presidency, and the doctors say they can't stop him. Have the doctors tried sending in their bill?

Young Mothers.

Croup is the terror of thousands of young mothers because it's outbreak is so agonizing and frequently fatal. Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure acts like magic in cases of croup. It has never been known to fail. The worst cases relieved immediately. Price 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by W. C. Gaston, Keytesville, Mo.

Prof. Green tells a *Mercury* reporter he has examined a grass chigger under a microscope. He says it is a very formidable and dangerous affair, having six legs, each leg being provided with two claws, also a pair of horns, some teeth and covering of spines. Most people have an idea that it must have been something very fiending looking to say the least. —*Paris Mercury*.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, than ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't hardly sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave me great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvelous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at W. C. Gaston's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

Fooled the Catamount.

"People who imagine that animals haven't got feelings don't know what they are talking about, said the Yellowstone park guide as he sat cleaning his rifle. "I was cutting a trail around one of the sprouting springs one day, and getting warmed up, I threw my coat over the end of a log. By and by I went off to hunt for a drink of water, and it was perhaps half an hour before I returned to my work."

"When I came up it was to see a strapping big mountain lion creeping along to spring on the coat. It was over the log in a way to make it look like a man stooping down, and the lion was nicely deceived. He skulked up to within 18 feet of the log, crouched flat for a moment and laid back his ears, and then he made two jumps at it. Greased lightning wasn't in it with that critter. It was like a big ball of fur shot from a cannon, and as he flew he uttered a screech which brought my hair on end. If that coat had been a man he would not have had time to say 'gum.' The lion lit down on it with claws and teeth ready for business, and in five seconds the garment was cut into carpet rags."

"Then he realized the cheat, and you never saw a human being look so foolish. His tail went down to the earth, the fire died out of his eyes and he'd have given \$10 for some one to kick him up hill. His chagrin was so plain that I laughed right out, and that broke his heart. He looked at me and whimpered like a puppy, and when I asked if his mother knew he was out he fetched a sort of sob in his throat and sneaked off like a dog caught killing sheep. If I could have run fast enough to have caught him by the tail he wouldn't have even looked back. He knew he had made a fool of himself, and he wanted to go off and hide and have a long think." *Chicago Inter-Ocean*.

Glazed Paper and Eyesight.

Some German physicians have concluded that much harm may be done to the eyes by the highly glazed paper used in some modern books. Especially for school children it is believed to be injurious. Reference is made to the books of the last generation, whose unglazed, non-reflecting surface did not fatigue the eyes.

Free of Charge.

Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature, who will call at the Sneed drug store or the City Drug store, Keytesville, or R. Wessner, Dalton, will be presented with a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup, free of charge. Only one bottle given to one person and none to children without order from parents. No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boschee's German Syrup in all parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away, and your druggist will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only throat and lung remedy generally endorsed by physicians. One 75-cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

Vests of Paper.

There is a new rival to the chamolais skin vests so long worn by women for extra warmth. Those who have worn them pronounce them less bulky, just as warm and less expensive than the chamolais. They are so cheap, indeed, that they can be thrown away and a new one purchased without troubling the conscience of the woman with only a moderate purse.

Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimentary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

Give Comfort

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

In West Philadelphia a laundry is located next door to a church, which is a somewhat striking example of cleanliness being next to goodness.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; also old, running and fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns, cuts, warts, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, chilblains. Best pile cure on earth. Drives out pains and aches. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by W. C. Gaston, druggist.

When a man gets it into his head that the world can't get along without him he generally makes it pretty hard for the world to get along with him.

GRAIN-O BRINGS RELIEF

to the coffee-drinker. Coffee-drinking is a habit that is universally indulged in and almost as universally injurious. Have you tried Grain-O? It is almost like coffee, but the effects are just the opposite. Coffee upsets the stomach, ruins the digestion, affects the heart and disturbs the whole nervous system. Grain-O tones up the stomach, aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. There is nothing but nourishment in Grain-O. It can't be otherwise. 15c and 25c per package.

Chicago rejoices in a citizen whose name is Saberoovinkitash. "What's in a name?" Well, in this instance there seems to be pretty nearly the whole alphabet.

Tell Your Sister

A beautiful complexion is an impossibility without good, pure blood, the sort that only exists in connection with good digestion, a healthy liver and bowels. Karl's Clover Root Tea acts directly on the bowels, liver and kidneys, keeping them in perfect health. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by W. C. Gaston, Keytesville, Mo.

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Wabash Summer Tourist Rates.

Home-seekers excursions of the first and third Tuesday of each month. Selling for June, July, August and October, 1899. Tickets can be furnished you by notifying this office 24 hours in advance. For further information call on or address, D. C. SEEVERS, Agent.

EPWORTH LEAGUE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 20th to 23rd, 1899. Tickets on sale July 18th, 19th and 20th. Good returning up until July 24th. \$13.20 for the round trip. Limit can be extended until August 20th for an additional fee of 50 cents. For other information call on or address, D. C. SEEVERS, Agent.

Selling Indecent Books.

A London bookseller has just been sentenced to nine months' imprisonment for selling indecent French books in spite of his counsel's plea that a book in a foreign language could not corrupt the morals of her majesty's subjects. Though this was the first successful prosecution on record where the book was not in English, the court would not allow the appeal.

Empress Dowager of China.

The empress dowager of China is described by a European lady as a remarkable person. She is an ardent painter and her pictures fine specimens of Chinese art. She is well read, is fond of European music, and has some skill as a pianist. Strange as it may seem, her majesty is fond of wrestling, and frequently indulges in this rough exercise. Finally, she is absolutely without fear, although her life has been attempted a dozen times. No wonder such a woman can rule in place of the real emperor.

High Altitudes and Health.

Scientific journals are bestowing great praise upon a book by Prof. A. L. Herrera of Mexico, which recently won the Hodgkins prize of the Smithsonian Institution. Prof. Herrera treats of the effects of high altitudes on life, particularly as illustrated by the valley of Mexico, whose elevation is 7,350 feet above sea level. He upsets some old notions, and shows that residence at a high altitude and "baths of rarefied air" conduce to health and longevity, especially in the case of tuberculosis.

Curious Sight.

Rather a curious sight was seen on Water street, Pittsfield, Me., early last Sunday morning. A large buck deer strolled down the main thoroughfare in rather a leisurely manner, as though especially desirous of becoming acquainted with the place, and after reaching nearly the center of the village swam the river, passed across Elm street, up Grove, and then made for the woods.

### PROBATE COURT SETTLEMENT DOCKET.

August Term, 1899.

FIRST DAY—AUGUST 14TH.

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SECOND DAY—AUGUST 15TH.

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THIRD DAY—AUGUST 16TH.

**Wards.** Guardians. Agee, Sophia, hrs. Wm. Wright. Allen, George B. F. Moore. Allen, A. L. J. A. Venable. Allen, C. K. C. H. Riddell. Buddenberg, O. L. C. R. Mason. Bruce, Daniel, hrs. F. M. Dewis. Colson, Horace C. Noll. Conrad, Walker T. E. Mackay. Cantlon, Alice M. G. W. Smith. Carmen, Clista, hrs. J. P. McLilly. Chapman, DeWitt. Geo. W. Chapman.

Cooper, Jennetta R. W. Cooper. Gooch, LeRoy Jos. H. Gooch. Gunn, M. O., hrs. E. M. Williams. Hopf, Anna R. Gutzschebauch. Johnson, T. R., hrs. J. C. Wallace. Jensen, Chas. A. John Legende. Johnson, Thos. R. T. H. Carskadon. Karcher, A. M. Thos. Karcher. Kessler, Jno. A., hrs. Geo. Hechler. McCue, Cassie W. W. Daily.

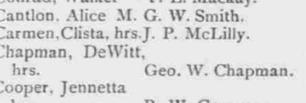
FOURTH DAY—AUGUST 17TH.

Meyer, A., hrs. Geo. Carsten. Miller, Magdaline, J. T. Hartman. McEuen, Jacob Oliver McEuen. Meyer, M. A. F. M. Meyer. Morgan, Wm. Peter Morgan. Noldge, Fred, hrs. I. C. Couch. Oldham, Luvenia W. A. Gandy. Pierce, Flora, hrs. Carter DeWeese. Proctor, J. W., hrs. J. M. Proctor. Peterson, Cleat Carr Peterson. Penecke, F. A., hrs. W. A. Penecke. Price, Sterling, hrs. Emma Price. Richardson, J. M., E. B. Kellogg. Riley, L. N., hrs. Martha Riley. Stacy, Sarah, hrs. P. M. Stacy. Shupe, D. M., hrs. Lemira Shupe. Spencer, Lena C. M. Spencer. Schulte, F., hrs. Henry Hays. Stockton, Lena T. E. Mackay. Tschann, Oscar John Huslage. Triplett, W. F. J. A. Triplett. West, A. J. M. L. Hurt. Wescott, Isaac R. M. Munks. Wanger, F., hrs. Maggie Wanger. Walton, M. L., hrs. T. H. Walton. Williams, W. R., hrs. T. E. Mackay. Wegner, Jos. F. Wm. Pilatz.

Parties must appear in person on the day set for their settlements.

H. C. MINTER, Judge.

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