

MERCY
Shakespeare has given mercy a high place among the human virtues. Dr. Palmore who "prayed away" a \$10,000,000 estate, that the poor residing thereon would not be deprived of their homes, evidenced a quality of mercy almost unknown today. "Sentimentalist" some will say. Maybe. It is hard to classify the man. He seems to be very nearly a class of his own. It will be difficult for men who are dollar mad and dollar-worshippers to classify him. The Power that helped him decide the matter can be depended on to extend to him what he gave to the poor of West Virginia.

Arrested Fisherman
Arthur Skinner, a fisherman on the Grand River was arrested last week by Game Warden Kneisley who was out on the Grand with a motorboat when he found Skinner and his nephew making a haul with their seine. He arrested both of them and told Skinner to "stick around" until he came for him. Skinner failed to stick and while the warden was out looking for some evidence of Skinner's other activities, the latter "beat it" and the warden has sought in vain. The boy, about 13 years of age remained at Brunswick and is under arrest.

Record Apple Crop
Benton county, Arkansas, expects to have a record breaking apple crop this year expecting to ship at least 2500 carloads. The farmers of apples keep their spraying machines going the year through fighting the pests and cultivate the ground, planting late in the season, peas, which are left for the hogs to eat, the hogs also ridding the orchards of the apples that fall from the trees.

Express Rates Cut
The various express companies in the state must cut their rates 21 per cent. by August 1. The State Public Service Commission requires the reduction of the rate and so it will be. Where rate on a pound was 25 cents, it will now be 21 cents—5 pounds 40 cents, now 23—10 pounds 45 now 27. These figures are approximately right, tho between different points they may vary a cent or two in the reduction.

The Chillicothe Constitution complains because Judge Rucker acts on the advice of his friends in Livingston. Well, the Judge does that everywhere, and why not? Does the Constitution mean to say that Farmer Jones does not when he follows the direction of Whitecotton? Or that in case Farmer Jones ever goes to congress, he will ignore those who fought his battles for him?

Hollister Bros. of DeWitt Co. and Rhea & Rhea of Carroll sold a bunch of \$9 steers at Kansas City last week.

Industrial Insurance
This practically new discovery appears to be working to the best interest of the laboring man in every way, but more particularly in case where he is disabled. It is held that the greatest good to the families of working men has resulted from the insurance against disability, as well as to the community in protecting it from the ravages of epidemics which have spread from the sick who were not properly guarded. Holding that the sickness and disability of the individual is not a burden which should be borne by the individual alone, but rather a liability for which society is responsible, industrial insurance resulted and laboring men made contributors to a fund for the protection of any unfortunates as well as the whole number against disease which might be spread by the sick one if allowed to take his own course. Examinations are regularly made in all large institutions and incipient disease detected and preventions resorted to at once. The unhygienic home as well as the unhygienic workshop are considered and regulated.

Big manufacturers have found the benefits arising from the inauguration of the methods which obtain in the industrial insurance scheme to extend beyond the mere health of their employees, for there is an increased wage earning power in the individual so looked after and great reduction in loss of working time and general increase of efficiency, all tending to the lowering of expense to the manufacturer as well as the individual. The necessary capital of the laborer is protected, for his health is his capital, and it is gratifying to know that the state is becoming more interested in the question and working towards the perfection of plans for better protection of the health of the laborer which also protects the capitalist whose investments involve the physical services of men.

The Higbee News says it "has heard it said that Judge Rucker and his son are the only members of his family who are democrats, and both are holding office." Much of what the News is saying must be hearsay and from as good authority as the above. Better get reliable information, Bro. Welch and Son.

The interest in Judge Rucker's statement published in many of the papers in this congressional district concerning his stay in Washington while his opponent and the man apparently most active in the undertaking to defeat the Judge are campaigning, is indeed gratifying and the endorsement of the statement almost conclusive of the determination of the voters in the district to re-elect him by an increased majority.

MAKES BACKACHE QUICKLY DISAPPEAR

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Study of Nude Urged
For some reasons we might advocate woman suffrage, but so many "unheard of conditions" would likely be recommended and our bachelor modesty put to too severe a test if the suggestions of some of the fair would be voters obtained that we will have to combat the proposition from every standpoint. Here is a sample of some of the things which would be proposed and adopted, of course, in some instances: "Children of both sexes and adults as well should bathe and dress together—freely, frankly, openly and without prudish apology."

This statement made by Miss Jessie Phelps, professor of physiology in the Michigan State Normal College, Ypsilanti, in the closing lecture of a "good health week" series there, was the cause of wide discussion in Ann Arbor. Miss Phelps urged study of the nude, both for adults and children, as a corrective for present-day immorality. Miss Phelps said that the true story of sex should be told children before they have reached their fifth year.

Stops Falling Hair

Hall's Hair Renewer certainly stops falling hair. No doubt about it whatever. You will surely be satisfied.

A Bunking Party

A bunking party on a hot night is not conducive of sleep. A number of young folks, Misses Agnes Taylor, Virginia Hurt, Helen White, Eula Hardin, Dorothy Wayland, Lorena Holman and Lizzie Bennett went to the Allega home east of town spent Saturday night. They had a fried chicken supper and then went to Salisbury to the band concert. Sunday, after breakfast they went to the home of Miss Virginia Hurt and had a fine dinner, returning home in the evening. No sleep, plenty of conversation and much good food was the program.

Keytesville ball fans went to Brunswick in force Sunday to see the local boys put it over the west enders. Franke threw a fine game. The prediction made by a local fan that "Brunswick won't do it again," seems to have all the virtue of a truthful prophecy.

Texas Calves
Calves that sold for \$25 for fall delivery early in the spring and were thought at that time to be selling high now are selling for \$30. Some of the men who bought for \$25 are now selling for \$27.50 and \$30, realizing handsome profits without turning a hand.

Will Stop No. 2
Word has been received at the Wabash station that train No. 2 due here at noon will be stopped at this station every day during the chautauqua Thursday July 16 to Wednesday July 22.

Francis White went out to the Cutoff last week and got more than his share of heat and rowing. The result is that he was confined to his bed for several days on account of his exertions.

A man named Powell of Huntsville drove his new automobile into an eleven-year-old locust tree in Moberly Saturday night and uprooted the tree which had a trunk 10 inches in diameter.

A party went out to the Cutoff and spent last Friday. The persons going were T. F. White, Francis White, Mollie A. Mackay, Helen and Elizabeth Whit, Will Goll, Ben Agee and J. A. Larison.

Miss Carrie Wheeler has been confined to her home for several weeks with a threatened attack of appendicitis. She was reported better the first of the week. She has had several attacks of the ailment.

Carter Hancock arrived here the end of last week and remained until Tuesday with his mother, Mrs. Walter Hancock. He returned to Kansas City where he came from his Texas home to transact business for the lumber firm that employs him at Plainview.

Over half the distillers of Kentucky have agreed to cut the production of whiskey half the coming year. They will commence the season later and produce half of last year. Overstocked from the past few years they will curtail production. It is expected that other distillers in other states will likewise make this order.

Presiding Elder Johnson of the M. E. church was here Sunday and Monday. He preached a sermon at the Air-dome Sunday night and presided at the meeting of the quarterly conference Monday morning at the M. E. church. The sacrament was administered Sunday morning at the M. E. church.

The Huntsville Herald says that Judge Rucker's campaign emblems are a broad brimmed hat and a cob pipe. Does he prefer a derby and cigarette that he calls attention to the judge's "emblems?" The Herald could have gone further and said that the hat and pipe were every day appurtenances of the Judge, and recognized as well in Washington as in his district.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

An old man purporting to be blind, was chanting on the streets Monday for what he could gather in the way of alms. His voice was not his chief charm although he had not many charms of any kind. His voice was hardly strenuous enough, being weak and halting—to attract much attention, and he was missed by many who usually hear these siren voices.

For Supreme Judge



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Miss Eula Hardin went to Triplett this week for a visit with friends.

Keytesville is getting to be a decidedly pleasant resort for the out-of-town gentlemen.

Miss Nellie Carson of Kansas City has been a guest at the home of Mrs. J. P. Coleman.

Ray Lobban, John Beltz and Ben Prather of Salisbury were here Sunday visiting some of the fair ones.

E. L. Hawkinson and T. E. Hunker of Roanoke and G. C. Taylor of Salisbury were visiting here Sunday.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

It is reported that while many silos were built in Saline county last year there are many more being built this year.

Clyde Magruder went to Brunswick Monday afternoon for a short visit with relatives before returning to St. Louis.

Is there an instance of a man elected to congress who went there and tried to do too much his first term, that ever went back for more than another term?

Is the Huntsville Herald against Champ Clark because he has been in Congress for 20 years? Is it against Stone for re-election to the senate for the reason?

Miss Grace Cunningham returned to her home at Kansas City this week and was accompanied by Miss Mary Coleman who will visit for a while with Miss Cunningham.

A Fayette delegation arrived here Saturday and went from here to Salisbury to play baseball. The quartet was Reiner Kirby, Wallace Nutt, H. B. Crowe and W. L. Settle.

Miss Catherine Kingsbury of Fayette returned to her home in Fayette Sunday afternoon after visiting for a week or more at the home of Mrs. J. P. Coleman south of the city.

Ralston Ray is suffering with a badly poisoned arm. The poison evidently from some sort of vine or weed resulted in large blisters forming on an inflamed area of large dimensions.

Clyde Magruder of St. Louis arrived here to spend the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Anderson where Mrs. Magruder has been visiting for a few days. Mrs. Dye who has been visiting at the Anderson home returned to Orrick the latter part of last week.

The Glasgow Missourian puts a larger estimate on the value of the Chris Noll estate than did the gentlemen who was here to have recorded the will. The Missourian says that the estate will foot up to about \$150,000. It includes property in Marcelline and Glasgow as well as the thousand acres in Chariton.

Mike's Latest
Miss Margarette Wright closed her school Saturday. It being a most successful term. Most of her pupils were so well pleased with her they hope for her to teach again in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Magee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ely Hedrick.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Asbury spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Marcelline.

Virgil Hicks and Miss Belle Callahan called on Miss Ileen Gandy of near Rothville Sunday afternoon.

Misses Lina Graves, Georgia Young and Arthur Galphart called on Miss Inez Burgener Sunday afternoon.

J. S. Walker, wife and daughter Jewel motored down to our berg from Marcelline Sunday afternoon.

W. D. Veal and wife and Mrs. C. A. Burgener motored over to Prarie Hill Sunday to see a relative Jim Bills who has been sick for some time.

Miss Idress Hains is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. John Wren of near Keytesville.

Miss Ethel Taylor of Roanoke drove here with her father in a car Sunday to visit relatives.

C. C. Parks has purchased 43 head of feeders of Charlie Maggard, tops \$6.50 and culls \$5.50.

The blackberry crop this year is short but what there is of it is pretty fine. The berries that weathered the drouth are large and juicy.

H. P. Dunnavent of Clifton Hill bought a carload of good stockers at the Kansas City market last week.

Mrs. T. J. Johns and daughters, Misses Mary Lillius and Alice arrived Tuesday for a visit to Mrs. Johns parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hancock.

Grasshoppers have invaded the east. New York farmers are clamoring for instruction as to how to rid themselves of the pests.

The showboat "Wonderland" is making a tour up the river again. It was at Glasgow last week and was slated for Brunswick and other river towns as usual.

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The float on which the band rode and made music the fourth, was gotten up by J. C. Jenkins for his own purpose but was the only one large enough for the big band.

C. O. Warhurst of Marcelline, wife and daughter were visitors last week among relatives in the Forks. They were the guests of Mrs. Julia Anderson, aunt of Mrs. Warhurst, Saturday.

Elbert Anderson piloted the Dewey car to the band concert at Salisbury Saturday night. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. George Dewey, Mrs. Willie Mackay and Miss Mary Coleman.

Dick Dameron while motoring the first of the week ran into a Jersey cow near Ahol. The automobile lights were jarred and broken by the contact. The fate of the cow was not reported.

Miss Pleukharp who has been a guest of Miss Pocahontas Perkins went to Quincy, Tuesday to visit her father before returning to her home at St. Louis. Miss Pleukharp accompanied Miss Perkins to Mendon Friday and remained there until Sunday, returning to this city.

The Fayette baseball team came to Chariton Sunday and played a game at Salisbury. For some reason they couldn't get it over and lost by a score of 7 to 6. Several of the Howard county boys were here Saturday and Sunday morning making the trip to Salisbury in the afternoon.

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