



The full intensity of living is reached only by the perfectly healthy. Sickness discounts the capacity for enjoyment. If his body is all out of order and run down, he will not be able to enjoy anything, no matter how full of enjoyment it may be for other people. If he is just a little bit out of order, if he "is not sick, but doesn't feel just right" he will only be able to enjoy things in a half-hearted sort of way. The nearer he is to being perfectly well, the nearer will his capacity for enjoyment be perfect. If this condition doesn't exist, something ought to be done. That means nine cases in ten the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It works directly on the digestive organs, and on the blood and through these on every tissue of the body. It makes the appetite good, digestion and nutrition perfect and supplies rich, red blood to all the tissues, building up solid, healthful flesh.

Bill boards for the circus are being put up.

The papers say the outlook for the Kansas wheat crop is the best in the history of the state.

Dike McCann, deputy sheriff, brought down three U. S. prisoners Tuesday to lay out jail sentences.

After the 15th the grocery stores will close at 7 o'clock, for the summer months, as do the dry goods stores.

Boils and pimples are due to impure blood. Remove them by making the blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Rube Lucas, a Nevada man who has been very sick with a hidden ailment, tested the X ray light in St. Louis, and the result was finding of a stone about the size of a lead pencil in the kidney.

Simon and James Kennedy, brothers, on trial at Macon, Mo., for murdering Dick Collins, of Sedalia, December, 1893, at New Cambria, Mo., were set free. Simon acknowledged the shooting but plead self defense. James was indicted as an accessory.

Marshall, Mo., May 1.—S. T. Lyne, cashier of the defunct Slater Savings bank, has been on trial here this week before Special Judge Lay of Warsaw, for receiving deposits after he knew the bank to be insolvent. He was acquitted to day.

Taswell Woody, of Yellow Stone Park, Wyoming, is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary E. Robinson. Mr. Woody owns a farm of 380 acres in Morgan county, where he has been, and is now on his way home.

A tramp nuisance at the depot should not be permitted to exist. Parties living near the depot tell us the old scale house at the grain elevator, which has a stove in it, is used as a home and hardly a night passes that it is not filled with these gentlemen of leisure.

Bill Doolin, chief of the Oklahoma and Indian Territory outlaws, was indicted Saturday by the grand jury at Stillwater, Ok., for the murder of three men. The execution of Bill will about wind up the career of the leaders of the desperate band which has long terrorized that section of country.

P. M. Lane, of Spruce, one of the TIMES' oldest and most substantial friends and subscribers called Saturday and renewed. Mr. Lane was accompanied by his grand daughter Irene J. Keller, who for her age is perhaps the heaviest child in the county. Irene is nine years of age and weighs 112 pounds.

Milan, Mo., April 30.—H. T. McClanahan of Milan died at 8 o'clock this morning of asthma. Mr. McClanahan was a very prominent democrat, having served as circuit clerk for eighteen years in Sullivan county, and recorder until the governor divided the offices in this state. He was the democratic candidate for state senator from the sixth district in 1894 and went down with the political landslide. He was about 60 years of age.

A printing office is usually considered as a tough place and the newspaper worker a very bad man. Statistics, however, do not bear out that idea. Of 3,890 convicts in the state penitentiary of Texas there is not a printer or newspaper man, while there are ministers, doctors, bankers, barbers, photographers, barkeepers, cooks and members of all professions and callings. The printer gets a bad name because the nature of his business teaches him to detest shams and to scorn the hypocrite.—(Mt. Palaski (Ill.) News.

Hicks' forecast for May says the month will open cool with frosts probably in northeasterly directions about the second or third when a change to much warmer will ensue. From the 4th to the 7th many very active storms may be counted on. Reactionary storms from 9th to 12th then excessive warmth followed by hail and cool weather is prophesied. Violent storms from 15th to 18th. There will be some very fine fair days, but also much heat and storm and cloudiness. Altogether May will be variable.

The police of this city are to be uniformed. That's right.

D. L. Frazee, one of our best subscribers, renews for '98

Mississippi sends a solid free silver delegation to the Chicago convention.

J. A. Robinson, a good friend to the booming TIMES, renews, for which he has our thanks

Sheriff Colyer was down at Rich Hill Monday serving attachments on the stock of goods of the Hub Clothing Co.

Mrs. P. C. Smith, of Lee's Summit, and Mrs. Lucy Lochman, of Ura, Ills., visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hickman have returned home.

Subject for 11 o'clock Sabbath, 10th, "God's Ideal of a Justified Man." At 8 p. m. "The Genius of Methodism." Wm. Jones, Pastor.

C. B. Lewis has the contract for billing throughout the county the big circus to be here shortly. He also has contracted to furnish the show with feed for its stock.

The council has decided to ring the curfew bell and make the boys "git" for home. Make the hour 8 o'clock and enforce the ordinance.

Dr. Choate has won his case against the Mo. Pacific railroad company appealed to the court of appeals at Kansas city. Opinion was handed down Monday affirming the decision of the lower court. Graves & Clark represented the doctor.

N. B. Langsford, now residing near Lee's Summit, spent Sunday and Monday in the city on business and shaking hands with his many friends, which means everybody that knows him. He is looking well and said he was well pleased with his new home.

Williams Bros. advertisement speaks for itself this week and the most convincing argument that can be offered is to ask you to read and compare prices and call and see their elegant up to date store. Their Gold Medal flour is the best, none better. Try a sack.

A certain doctor is going around over the country and taking the notes of farmers and others. He professes to be able to cure catarrh and other diseases and the afflicted readily give their notes. He has been trying to sell the notes at a big discount. He gives different names, be sure you are right before you employ him. Look out. Other papers please copy.—Democrat.

A heavy hail storm passed over Nevada Monday. The trees were stripped of their foliage and the stones piled up on the ground an inch deep. The belt was nearly two miles wide and extended over the southern part of the county from east to west. The fruit trees in the range of the storm were stripped and a number of cattle were killed by the lightning which accompanied the storm.

The Liberty Tribune, one of the oldest county papers in the state, celebrated its fiftieth anniversary last week. Its former owner R. H. Miller, who started the paper and for more than forty years held the editorial chair, still resides in Liberty and furnished the anniversary edition with more than a page of early recollections which was interspersed with amusing incidents of the good days of long ago. When the Tribune was started (with the exception of one at Glasgow) was the only paper published between St. Louis and Kansas City. There was no railroad and the mail was handled by steam boat and stage coach. Notwithstanding his advanced age Mr. Miller still retains his old time wit and humor, and the TIMES is glad to know the grand old man retired from the editorial management of the Tribune with a handsome competency to sustain his declining years in the enjoyment of rest and all the home comforts.

Our good friend Peter Lane showed up bright and smiling as usual this week. Peter is not a candidate for office, but he always has a good word for every body and is such a good friend to the newspaper man that we always feel like giving him a "puff." Peter Lane first saw the light of day in Cincinnati, Ohio. At the age of 14 years, an orphan, with the world against him, he drifted to Elwood, Ind. After a hard fight he acquired a good education and embarked in mercantile pursuits. His jovial disposition peculiarly fitted him for a drummer, and in that calling he has been very successful. He moved to Butler nine years ago and embarked in business, and by judicious advertising soon became the best known man in the country. He met with financial reverses, but paid all his obligations like a man. He is now traveling for one of the largest manufacturing and wholesale establishments in the west and is known as jolly Pete Lane wherever he goes.



IN OUR SHOES YOU GET FIT, STYLE, DURABILITY COMFORT.

We are showing an elegant line of spring and summer shoes all the new shapes and styles, either Tan or Black. Prices no higher than the inferior offerings of others.

MAX WEINER.

Granville Hall, 10 years of age, fell from a horse the other day and broke his collar bone in two places. The little fellow makes his home with D. W. Drummond.

In stating that he did not care to be elected an alternate delegate to the national convention, Hon. C. H. Morgan of Barton county gave out the following: "Private engagement and personal matters prevented my attendance at Chicago, I therefore declined the election of alternate. Had I chosen to go to the national convention at Chicago at all, I could have been elected a delegate. I most emphatically endorse the action of the Sedalia convention in naming Bland for president and Vest for reelection as senator. A silver money victory at Chicago means the election of both these devoted advocates of free coinage."—Dade Co. Advocate.

To the Township officers and S. S. superintendents: The time is drawing near for the largest County Convention ever held in Bates Co. We want everything to be in tip top shape for that meeting, as all Bates Co. exhibits will go directly to Boston for that international S. S. convention, June 23-26. Send in your statistical reports at once as the secretary will have a very great amount of work to do after the reports are all in. Send, also, the result of the "House to house canvass." If your S. S. is not in existence now, but has been even for thirty days since the county convention last June, send in a report of it immediately and very greatly oblige.

The Bates Co. S. S. Ass'n.

At a recent Republican meeting held at Columbia, Mo., a negro preacher from Iowa made a speech in which he said that he hoped the Republicans would carry Missouri this fall so that he could eat at the table with white folks at the hotels, and not be forced to go to the kitchen to eat as he recently had to do at a Centralia, Mo., hotel. And he might have added, have his children admitted to the white schools and all the rest of the social equality rot that we hear so much about. Yet there are men who claim to be Democrats that say they will bolt the ticket unless the platform endorses their views on the financial question. Such demonstration, as this ought to make Democrats forget that there is a financial question, and close up the broken places in their line, and present a solid front to the common enemy.—Aurysse Review.

Chairman Hinrichsen, of the state central committee of Illinois, predicts an overwhelming sentiment for free silver in the state convention.

Six freight cars in the yards at Nevada were burglarized Monday morning early. The cars were loaded with merchandise and the thieves carried off a lot of goods.

Dr. C. C. Woods has resigned the position of president of Scarrett college at Neosho, and will take to the pulpit again. Prof. J. C. Shelton has been selected to take his place.

Fr. C. W. Koehnle, of Lincoln, Ills., financial agent for Mr. Sculley, was in the city Tuesday making settlement with Mr. F. H. Crowell, agent for the Sculley lands in this county.

When the township conventions are held to select delegates to the county convention wouldn't it be about the proper thing to organize Bland free silver clubs. In this way the county could be organized in one day. Let every township at it's convention organize a club

Judge DeArmond telegraphed his wife on Tuesday that he had just received a message that his brother James was dying at his home in Davenport, Iowa. The Judge took the first train for that city. Mrs. DeArmond thinks he will come home before returning to Washington.

United in marriage on May 5th, by Judge of Probate, Wm. M. Dalton, Mr. Daniel M. Harkins, of Elston, Cole Co., and Mrs. Jane Cox, of Adrian. Mrs. Cox is a daughter of the late Joseph Reeder, one of the oldest settlers of Bates Co., and a sister of our popular ex county treasurer, Oscar Reeder.

State mine inspector Evans, in an interview in the Richmond Register, says the outlook for democratic success in Missouri is brightening every day. Said he "ninety-nine out of every hundred miners are for free silver and on that issue will support the democratic ticket," and he looks for a majority of 50,000 in the state if the right men head the ticket.

Rev. Dr. Ditzler, who has been in our city for the past week preaching a series of doctrinal sermons at the M. E. church south, closed the meetings last night. Rev. Ditzler is one of the most scholarly men in the country and his sermons in this city were of a high order and highly appreciated by those who embraced the opportunity to hear him. Sunday afternoon the Dr. accepted an invitation to preach at Passaic and, we understand, delighted the people of that community with one of his logical talks.

Death of Ida Lyle.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Lisle received the sad intelligence yesterday morning of the death of their daughter, Miss Ida. The deceased was taken to Kansas City several weeks ago to undergo surgical treatment for tumor, and Friday the third operation was performed. She passed through the ordeal and it was thought by her mother, who returned from the city Tuesday, that she was getting along reasonably well, and that she would be able in a few days to return home. But a change took place in her condition and her death was sudden and unexpected. The TIMES, with the many friends of the family in this city extends deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Carlisle-Nails a False Story.

Lexington, Ky., May 5.—Secretary Carlisle sets at rest an idle rumor set afloat in that city to the effect that the Kentucky statesman had voted for republicans at the last state election. He says in his telegram: "The statement that I voted for Bradley or any other republican on the state ticket is absolutely false"

He Kissed Her.

A high school girl being told by her teacher to parse "He kissed me," consented reluctantly because opposed to speaking of private matters in public. "He," she commenced with unnecessary emphasis and a frown lingering over the word that brought the crimson to her cheeks, "is a pronoun, third person, singular number, masculine gender, a gentleman pretty well fixed; universally considered a good catch! 'Kissed' is a verb, transitive, too much so, regular every evening, indicative mood, indicating affection; first and third persons, plural number and governed by circumstances. 'Me'—oh! well everybody knows me." And she sat down.—Warren Leader.

Oxford and Sandals

WE THIS WEEK OFFER

336 PAIRS OF LADIES LOW SHOES

in all the new styles at a great reduction. We bought these goods, as the manufacturer commences to sell winter goods, and wants to dispose of summer stock at a big reduction. Every pair in this lot is worth from \$2 to \$2.50, but we will sell them at \$1.48.

G. ELLINGER.

NORTH SIDE OF []

The A. P. A. order has been reconciled to the nomination of Maj McKinley and, in case of his nomination, guarantee him the support of the organization. This ought to make McKinley solid with the St. Louis convention on first ballot.

The statement comes from Col. John T. Crisp that Stilson Hutchins is soon to start a Democratic morning paper at Kansas City. Col. Crisp says it is to be made as good as money and brains can make it. Mr. Hutchins was at one time publisher of the old St. Louis Times and later of the Post-Dispatch. He was also a member of the state legislature from St. Louis. For the past fifteen years or more he has been connected with the press at Washington, D. C., and is now in possession of large wealth. He is a free silver man.—Nevada Mail.

All For Honest Dick.

From the Nevada (Mo.) Mail. T. J. Bradley of Richards, who recently returned from a four months' stay in Wright county Mo., says Wright county is a Republican county, "but I never talked with a man down there who was not a silver man, and out and out for Dick Bland for President, irrespective of party affiliation."

How Iowa Democrats Stand.

Des Moines, Io., May 3.—Twenty democratic county conventions held in Iowa thus far have elected 107 delegates to the state convention pledged to Boies and free silver, and sixty two delegates pledged to sound money. The same counties, with a different representation in the state convention last year, gave 107 votes for free silver to 101 against. The free silver forces have thus made substantial gains so far, but an examination of the counties show that many of the conventions were called early for the sake of effect. Of the sixty two sound money democrats already elected forty five came from the two counties of Clinton and Des Moines. This summary does not include either Black Hawk or Woodbury counties, where the convention split and contesting delegations were chosen.

Rev. G. B. Smith has been in the city in the interest of the Children's Home Society of Missouri, the object of which is to help homeless children find a well-to-do Christian home, and continue their protection until of legal age. There is a national organization to which the different states are auxiliary, yet each state does its own work. Of the 1,000 children cared for, Missouri has found homes for more than 400. The Advisory Board of this place is composed of the following named persons: Mrs. G. A. Henry, president; Dr. L. O'Leary, vice-pres; W. E. Walton, sec and treas; W. Lindsey, assistant sec and treas; Mrs. O. F. Renick, Mrs. H. L. Tucker, Rev. J. M. Tammison, 304 Olive street, St. Louis, is State Superintendent.

Co. Court Proceedings.

Jas Bagby renewal loan \$600 00
Jas S Hays et al petition for brdg in E Boone township.
Bertha Schneider, insane, sent to Asylum No. 3.
J B H McDaniel school loan ordered foreclosed.
J M Pitchford granted S L patent land in 3-38-31.
Brdg com'r ordered to examine brdgs on Grand river west of M V Owens, and one in sec 2-39-33.

WARRANTS ISSUED.

Pierce Hackett, Adams fam \$20 00
G G Jones tem support 10 00
E A Hill " " 10 00
L Stott " " 10 00
O Gibson " " 15 00
Sarah Woodruff " " 5 00
Mrs M L Orr " " 15 00
Mary C Hall, supt poor frm 221 50
I L Turner temporary sup 20 00
Mrs Nancy West " " 10 00
C W Porter " " 10 00
Margaret Buoy " " 10 00
G W Pollock wrk on jail 2 00
Mary Ellege sup son 22 50

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for very few dollars. I am thankful to all who have patronized me and hope you will continue to do so, and if you have never tried me, come and be convinced that this is the right place. 27-st.

TO Tax Payers.

Notice is hereby given that suit will be brought on the taxes of 1891, '92, '93 and '94 at the next term of the circuit court, unless the same is paid at once. S. H. FRENZ, Ex-Officio Collector.

When Traveling.

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fever, headache, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only.

Needs assistance it may be best to

render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company.

Advertised Letter List.

Butler P. O., May 5th, 1896.

MALE.
G Brown, E F Brown
A H Camp, M P Harner
J L James, Wm E Malloy
D C Page, C H Robinson
Thomas Smith, E S Smith
J J Wright.
FEMALE.
F Christopher, S DeClair
L A Eyer, M Fox
M Harris, L Harris
D Johnson, F Melvin.
J. D. ALLEN, P. M.
BY V. L. JOHNSON, Ass't. P. M.

From LaGrippe.

How Dr. Miles' Nervine Restores One of Kentucky's Business Men to Health.



No DISEASE has ever presented so many peculiarities as LaGrippe. No disease leaves its victims so debilitated, useless, sleepless, nervous, as LaGrippe. Mr. D. W. Hilton, state agent of the Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Kentucky, says: "In 1895 and '96 I had two severe attacks of LaGrippe, the last one attacking my nervous system, with such severity that my life was despaired of. I had not slept for more than two months except by the use of narcotics that stupefied me, but gave me no weakness, signaling bodily pain and the fact that I was hourly growing weaker. "When in this condition, I commenced using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. In two days I began to improve and in one month's time I was cured, much to the surprise of all who knew of my condition. I have been in excellent health since and have recommended your remedies to many of my friends." Louisville, Jan. 22, 1896. D. W. HILTON.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Restores Health.