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Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of Dec., A. D., 1884.

BEN. C. JOHNSON, Circuit Clerk.

Advertisers will do well to note this statement. Sixteen Hundred and twenty-five copies of the LEDGER printed every week; at least ten persons read each paper, making the circulation about 16,000, counting extras a grand total of 120,000 readers in a month. Everybody reads the "Great Religious Weekly!"

Smokers in the White House.

"So the White House is to have another smoker," said an old attendant of that establishment, as he carefully nursed a fragrant Havana and watched the rings of smoke ascend toward the frescoed ceiling. "I see that Mr. Cleveland is a smoker. Well, there has been pretty constant smoking here since Grant came in. There was an interregnum, so to speak, under Hayes, who did not smoke, nor did any of his boys; but with that exception the presidents since Lincoln have all been smokers. Mr. Lincoln did not smoke nor chew. Johnson did, so did Grant, so did Garfield, so does Arthur, and so will Cleveland. There were great times among the smokers when Grant came in. It seemed as though everybody here smoked then. I remember up in the president's room at the Capitol, when he used to go up there to sign bills on the closing days of the session, the smoke was so thick that you could cut it with a knife, as the saying is. No, Hayes did not smoke, but not because of any objection on the part of his own wife, for I think she enjoyed the odor of a good cigar. I remember that she turned the cottage at the Soldiers' Home upside down one day looking for a cigar for me after I had taken dinner with the family there. She had seen me smoking at my desk and set out to find some cigars there, insisting that I should not be deprived of my after-dinner smoke, but failed, for somebody had captured all of them.

Enough to get a Divorce.

"And don't you skate, little girl!" he asked as he sat down beside her. "Oh, no, sir." "But you can learn." "I guess I could, but I don't want to." "And do you come here to watch the skaters?" "Oh, no—I come to watch Mrs. R."

Who is she?

"She's papa's second wife. He don't want her to come, but she will do it." "And why do you watch her?" "Well, papa wanted her to promise that she wouldn't lean on anybody when she was skating with 'em, and that she wouldn't flirt when she was resting, but she wouldn't promise and so I came to watch her. These short marks are when she leans, and these long ones when she flirts."

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