

Trouble is, we can't boycott coal

The only six hour day most farmers know is Sunday.

One philosopher paraphrases it thus—"the laborer is worthy of his higher."

Wise or unwise, who doubts for a moment that contentment is the cause of happiness?

A credulous man is one who believes the dentist when he tells him it isn't going to hurt a bit.

Some of us practice what we preach, but most of us would be ashamed to preach what we practice.

When a man finds 20 good reasons for staying away from home you may be sure he has at least one bad one.

The modern child has as little belief in the fairy tales his mother tells him as she herself has in the ones his father tells her.

When some impulsive patriot makes an I. W. W. kiss the flag, we wonder if he has as much respect for the flag as he thinks he has.

How are the mighty fallen! Von Tirpitz says everything that made Germany great is gone and by his statement admits that he is still on deck.

There are in America nearly 400,000 women wearing overalls, seven or eight of whom probably have not yet posed for their photographs.

If, as 'tis said, music will increase a cow's milk production, we've discovered a use for German opera. Surely the cows won't know the difference.

From a parcel post insurance receipt, it is learned that the postal department divides p. p. packages into three classes, namely, "fragile," "perishable" and "eggs."

There may be something reasonable in the demands the soda fountain clerks are making in their New York strike. Anyhow, they struck in November instead of in July.

Kansas City has a school girl who has never been tardy in eleven years. Wonder if, when she acquires a husband, she'll ever keep him waiting while she "get's ready" to go out?

The farmer has never struck, although he has been struck at more than a million times and in a thousand ways. In the present crisis the farmer is our greatest stabilizing influence.

The only way for a buyer to tell whether his new soft collar will shrink in laundering is by the size. If it just fits when it is new, it will shrink. If it is a size too big, it will never shrink.

Friends of the late lamented John Barleycorn should look into the claims of the French physician who says he can make old, worn-out bodies young by grafting glands from monkeys into them.

With the shortage of dwellings in most cities this winter, the familiar question "Will there be a phonograph in your home this Christmas?" will have to be changed to read "Will there be a home for our phonograph this Christmas?"

There are those who think that the Supreme Court of the United States ought to be abolished, but nobody can deny, after considering the contrary opinions of subordinate Judges on the bone-dry law, that it is a good thing that somebody has a last guess.

Open New Store

Wm Roberts, who opened the Variety Store here some few months ago, has sold his property in Madison to Harry Boulware for \$1575. Mr Roberts, with his family, will move to Monroe City, where he will open another store in connection with the Madison store. He expects to place the Madison store in charge of Miss Christine LeGrand and will arrange to manage both stores. He will go to St. Louis this week to buy his stock for the Monroe store and expects to open his new store in the next few weeks. Mr Roberts and family are excellent citizens and have made many friends in Madison who regret to see them leave, but wish them the greatest of success in their new location. — Madison Times.

Shearman-Wright

Mrs. Frances Shearman and Mr. Chas. Wright, both of Hannibal, were married in Quincy Nov. 12, at 3 p. m., the ceremony taking place in Vermont Street Methodist church, the pastor, Rev. McCarty, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs Wright spent their honeymoon visiting at Mount Pleasant and Burlington, Iowa, returning Monday to their home in Hannibal. Mrs. Wright was formerly Miss Frances Abbott, daughter of Mrs. Jane Abbott of this city. Mr. Wright is a contractor on the Burlington with headquarters at Hannibal.

Solon Acquitted

George Solan, who shot and killed Peter Threlkel at Shelbyville fair in 1917, was acquitted at Macon last week. The acquittal was a surprise to most people as he was sentenced to the penitentiary at his first trial. Feeling ran so high at the time of the crime, that he narrowly escaped being lynched. While no good citizen can approve of mob law, yet when there are so many ways of evading the law to escape justice, it seems almost a pity sometimes not to evade the law enough to perform and act of justice.

In Connecticut the state maintains dog wardens and in the year ending last month more than fifty thousand dogs were killed by these wardens. As a natural result the sheep industry has increased a third in the last two years.

The Chicago News sends out an inquiry for the old-fashioned wartime girl who was always knitting a sock. Well, quite a number of them entered on sock darning contracts a few days after the boys got home.

Mrs. Leo Wright, of Leonard, and Mrs. Hugh Parker, of Shelbyville, were in Monroe last week, guests at the home of Chas. Pierceall.

Mrs Wm. Buckman was in Shelbyville attending the Saunders-Buckman and Jarboe-Kelley weddings.

Mrs. A. F. Griffith left yesterday for Troy, to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Riegel and family.

Mrs. John Brown returned to her home at Shelbyville after a short visit with her sister, Miss Evoda Gentry

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Mrs. Ralph Graham was in Quincy yesterday.

W. W. Longmire was in Hannibal yesterday on business.

Misses Esther and Lottie Bono spent the day in Hannibal yesterday

Miss Willie Gardener went to Palmyra yesterday for a few days visit.

Mrs. C. B. Baynum went yesterday to Shelbyville on business connected with the Court of Honor.

Mrs. Cora Schwieter returned yesterday from Lentner, after visiting relatives at that place.

L. E. Lefever and family, of Hannibal, visited Sunday with his brother, C. H. Lefever, south of town.

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Edmund Jaeger has been ill for several days at his home in this city. At this writing he is reported as slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gottman, of Palmyra, came yesterday to visit Mrs. Ida Gottman and daughter, Miss Lizzie.

Miss Margaret Lewis, of Hannibal, returned home yesterday after visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Patterson.

Mrs. Chas. Dempsey and children, of Shelbyville, came Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carrice.

Mrs. H. Turner, Emden, went through Monroe yesterday enroute to Hannibal to spend the day shopping.

Miss May Turnbull left yesterday for Springfield, Ill., for a few days visit.

Too Much for Her

Unobserved and unannounced, the president of a church society entered the composing room of a newspaper office just in time to hear these words issued from the mouth of the boss printer:

"Billy, go to the devil and tell him to finish that 'murder' he began this morning, then 'kill' William J. Bryan's youngest grandchild, and dump the 'Sweet Angel of Mercy' into the hell-box. Then make-up that 'Naughty, Parisian Actress' and lock up 'The Lady in Her Boudoir.'"

Horrified, the good woman fled and now her children wonder why they are not allowed to play with the printer's youngsters.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Utterback-Tully

Miss Effie Utterback, of Stoutsville, and Mr. Powell Tully, of Chicago, were married in Chicago Nov. 8, 1919. Mrs. Tully is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jameson Utterback, of Stoutsville, and is a very charming and accomplished young lady. Mr. Tully is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Tully, of Stoutsville, and was a Lieutenant in the army. Mrs. Tully, it will be remembered, published in the Democrat some time ago, a denial of the many annoying misstatements made by some of the newspapers concerning her trouseau.

Mrs. F. Saben returned Saturday to her home in Denver, Colo., after a several weeks visit at the home of her niece, Mrs. Lloyd Burditt.

Shelby Rutledge and mother, Mrs. Mary Rutledge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Rutledge in Clarence.

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