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I MISS THREE. [The following poem was published in the Richmond Christian Advocate of last week. It will no doubt find its way in many scrap-books, with the author and the one he mourns are well known through this section, and much beloved. Rev. W. A. Crocker, was at one time Frederick Water of this district.]

THE ANNALS OF A NIGHT. (Written for the Citizen by THE SCRIBER.) Once upon a time a party of six met around a table in the dining saloon of one of the steamers that ply the Chesapeake.

LANCASTER'S NAVAL SON. Gilbert Chase is the Third to Represent Lancaster in Military and Naval Affairs.

on the table, straightened himself up and began: "Gentlemen, in Kansas there is a snake called the bull snake. There are also black snakes, rattle-snakes, viper snakes, water snakes and various other snakes.

Other stories followed, but as this is not a modern novel, they cannot be told here, for they were rather colorful and out of place.

By answering the above queries you will enlighten an INQUIRER. COAN, Va., Jan. 19th, 1900.



ENSIGN GILBERT CHASE. Ensign Gilbert Chase is third son of the late Capt. Wm. T. Chase and was born at Bunker Hill, Lancaster county, September 20th, 1873.

Having been in the wild and woolly West for a number of years, he entertained us with a promiscuous assortment of stories of occurrences in that stirring region.

Fabulous Sum for Troussenn. No less a sum than \$1,500,000 has been assigned by the Emperor of Japan for the purchase of the troussenn of the bride of his son and heir.

On your label is a date; Pay before it is too late.

HIGH TAX ON BAR-ROOMS. The House Finance Committee has appointed a special committee to draft a bill increasing the tax on bar-keepers.

GRAND JURORS AND THEIR DUTIES. Answers to Questions on the Subject. To The Free Lancer: Will you do me the favor through your valuable paper—

1. To define the oath of a grand juror. 2. How far does that inquiry go? 3. If a person in the presence of a grand juror makes a statement that he was an eye witness to the violation of any law, is it the grand juror's duty to have that person sent before the grand jury?

6. What are the United States and State laws on this subject? By answering the above queries you will enlighten an INQUIRER.

1. The oath of a grand juror is "you shall diligently enquire and true presentment make of all such matters as may be given you in charge or come to your knowledge touching the present service."

Farming By The Moon. Mr. EDISON: Will you kindly tell me through your valuable paper whether you think there is anything in waiting for the increase of the moon before repairing or building fences?

No, Mr. Saunders, we should not wait; the moon is too far away and it is too cool. It is true we have heard of "moon-shine" being successfully used in repairing political fences; we also remember a story told by one, Buck Jones, to the effect that he once built a ten-rail fence in the "down sign," and the influence of the moon was such that it all sunk down to the ground.

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THAT 20th CENTURY. Some one asked the question if Christ were alive today, how old would He be, as a proof that this is the 19th century.

LIST OF DEEDS, ETC. Admitted to record since and during January term of Northumberland county court.

Deed from R. H. Blundon and wife to G. H. Jones for 18 acres in Fairfield's District.

Deed from T. D. Edwards to J. W. Tankard, T. A. Jett and R. H. Blundon, trustees public schools, for 1 acre in Fairfield's.

Deed from Lenora Douglas, Taphonia J. Harrison, Joseph Douglas, W. A. Harrison and Sallie C. Douglas to Wm. S. Dungan for tract of land in Lottsburg.

That Cough Hangs On. You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection.

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