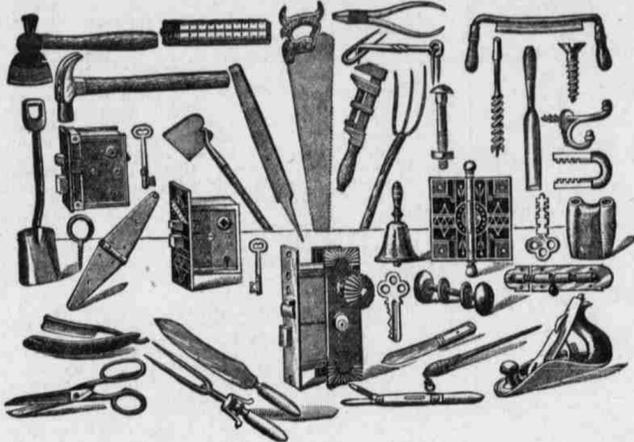


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St. Louis World's Fair Bill Finally Passes.

Sent to the President, Who Affixes His Signature.

Special to the Herald.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The St. Louis World's Fair bill, carrying an appropriation of \$5,000,000, has finally passed Congress. It was sent to the President, who promptly affixed his signature.

FOR HORSEWHIPPING.

Baptist Preacher and Deacon Arrested at Chattanooga.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., March 1.—The Rev. J. Davis, pastor of the Baptist church of Hill City, a suburb of Chattanooga; W. T. Ingle and Mack Turner were bound over to Circuit Court to-day for horsewhipping Meyer Frank, a butcher in Hill City. The trouble occurred yesterday afternoon, when the three men named went to Frank's place of business and accused him of circulating a false report to the effect that Ingle's daughter had had improper relations with Parson Davis. Frank denied the charge, whereupon Mr. Ingle began belaboring him with a blacksnake horse whip. At the trial to-day it was proved that Parson Davis during the melee caught hold of Frank and held him while Mr. Ingle rained blow after blow upon him. The occurrence has caused great excitement in Hill City on account of the prominence of all persons.

Car Inspector Killed.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 1.—Fred Hamberger, car inspector, was crushed to death between two cars in the East Nashville yards of the L. and N. to-day. A wife and one child survive him.

A Physical Freak.

WASHINGTON, Ind., March 1.—Cappie Overton, aged twenty-one years, died at Odon to-day of pneumonia. He had been an invalid for eleven years. His heart was on the right side of his body and he had but one lung.

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THE PENALTY.

(J. A. Edgerton in The Ram's Horn.) We are mad—grown mad in the race for gold. We are drunk with the wine of gain; The truths our fathers proclaimed of old We spurn with a high disdain. But while the conqueror's race we run, Our rulers should not forget That the God who reigned over Babylon Is the God who is reigning yet.

Would we tread in the paths of tyranny, Nor reckon the tyrant's cost? Who taketh another's liberty, His freedom hath also lost. Would we win as the strong have ever won, Make ready to pay the debt. For the God who reigned over Babylon Is the God who is reigning yet.

The ruins of dynasties passed away In eloquent silence lie; And the despot's fate is the same to-day That it was in the days gone by. Against all wrong and injustice done A rigid account is set. For the God who reigned over Babylon Is the God who is reigning yet.

The laws of right are eternal laws, The judgments of truth are true; My greed-blind masters, I bid you pause And look on the work you do. You blind with shackles your fellow man, Your hands with his blood are wet, And the God who reigned over Babylon Is the God who is reigning yet.

Rice Pierce For Governor.

Special to the American from Washington says: "The name of Representative Rice Pierce is being mentioned frequently here in connection with the next gubernatorial race in Tennessee. He has friends who are anxious that he make the race. They argue that it has been twenty years or more since West Tennessee has had the Governorship, and that she is entitled to it this time. Furthermore, they point to the long public career of Mr. Pierce as fitting him to discharge the duties of a Governor with ability and credit."

Shape of the Earth.

A scientist has now discovered that the earth is pear shaped. This will never go in Pennsylvania, where they know the earth is a plum.—Courier-Journal.

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Last November's Tornado.

"A tornado started near Moon Lake, in Coahoma County, Miss., about 2:30 p. m. on Nov. 20, 1900, of which various freakish actions are recorded. Unpicked cotton was stripped from the stalk and scattered broadcast over the country and in some cases in distant forests, whose trees were so covered with the deposit as to make them look as if they were covered with snow. A tin sign bearing the inscription, "Johnson Bros., Lula Miss., was picked up at Lagrange, eight miles distant. A small piece of rotten wood was driven half through a heavy oak plank at Lagrange, and the Methodist church there was wrecked in singular fashion. Each of its four walls fell inward, forming a succession of layers, and the layers were surmounted by the steeple. The eight tornadoes of this day destroyed property to the value of over \$500,000, killing eighty-eight persons and injuring many more."—Exchange.

Chief Campbell Deposed.

John Campbell, who was deposed this week as Chief of Police of St. Louis, formerly lived at Columbia, since Mr. Campbell has been connected with the force he has been twice promoted to the head of the department and has twice been a political battle in speaking of the case the St. Louis Republic says: "Before the action was made final Chief Campbell addressed a communication to the board, informing it that he had been advised that a change was thought necessary for the good of the service, and asking that he be given a captaincy. This request on the part of Chief Campbell will be granted, and he will go back to his old district."—Nashville American

"Lady of the Garter."

King Edward VII has commanded that a special statute shall be issued under the seal of the Order of the Garter for conferring upon Queen Alexandra the title of "Lady of the Garter," a dignity which will be unique.—Philadelphia Record.

FOR HIS GOOD.

BY BERTRAND SHADWELL.

"I bring you the stately matron named Christendom, returning bedraggled, be-smirched and dishonored from pirate raids in Kiao-Chow, Manchuria, South Africa and the Philippines, with her soul full of meanness, her pocket full of 'boodle' and her mouth full of pious hypocrites. Give her soap and towel, but hide the looking glass."—Mark Twain's Greeting to the Twentieth Century, written for the Red Cross Society.

If you see an island shore Which has not been grabbed before, Lying in the track of trade as islands should;

With the simple natives quite Unprepared to make a fight, Oh, you just drop in and take it for his good.

Chorus: Oh, you kindly stop and take it for his good! Not for love of money, be it understood; But you row yourself to land, With a Bible in your hand, And you pray for him and rob him for the good. If he offers, then you shoot him—for his good.

Yes, and still more far away, Down in China, let us say, Where the "Christian" robs the heathen for his good, You may burn your sack with loot, But be sure you do it only for his good.

Chorus: When you're looting Chinese Buddhas for their good, Picking opium from their eyeballs made of wood,

As you prize them out with care, Just repeat a little prayer, To the purport that you do it for their good; Make your pocket-picking clearly understood.

Chorus: Or this lesson I can shape To campaigning at the cape, Where the so-called being hunted for his good, He would welcome British rule If he weren't a blooming fool Thus you see that it is only for his good.

Chorus (pianissimo): So they're burning burghers' houses for their good, As they pour the kerosene upon the wood,

I can prove them, if I list, Every man an altruist, Making helpless women homeless for their good; Leaving little children roofless—for their good.

MORAL. There's a moral to my song, But it won't detain you long, For I couldn't make it plainer if I would. If you dare commit a wrong On the weak because you're strong You may do it—if you do it for his good. —Chicago Record.

HIS MOTHER'S LOVE.

Charles Daggart was one of three children. When he was a boy his father deserted the family and was not heard of again. All the care of the children and the home fell upon the mother. In addition to her sorrows and burdens, she found herself very poor. Every effort was made, every energy strained to rear three lovely little ones. Night and day she toiled, growing steeper and calmer with the struggle as her bitter memories receded, and as the living demanded greater watchfulness and care.

The boy grew up wayward; with curly hair, and with bright an affectionate ways, with many evil tendencies—how like his father! Fear of his future chilled the mother's heart, and love of the lad warmed it. She was like a thermometer plunged now into cold, now into hot water. It was a wonder that her frail frame held together at all.

The time came when it seemed that she could endure the struggle and uncertainty no longer. Charles began to stay out late; he evidently drank at those times—not much, but enough to portend future danger. At such crises a mother's love can do little but watch and pray over her easily tempted boy. No matter how late he came in, she greeted him with a kiss and tucked him into bed as if he were still her little child, and then she said her prayers for them both as she always used to do.

Suddenly the Spanish War came, and with it the harvesting of so many thousands of young men. This mother's son was one of the first to enlist, and with death in her heart she bade him good-by.

"You'll write me, dear," she said, at the last. She did not dare to ask him not to drink and associate with evil men. He knew how she felt about that. Week after week went by, and no letter came from her boy at Chickamauga. But one day she received a letter from the first lieutenant of his company, telling her to come quickly. Charles was very ill.

When she arrived he lay in the hospital, stricken with death. Typhoid fever, more fatal than Spanish bullets, had done its work. She bent over her boy,—the most serene, the dearest of her children,—and her eyes questioned him pitifully.

"I've tried," he whispered, "I have tried to be different." "He has kept good company," said the lieutenant who had written the letter, "and has been a good boy."

But the lad was now too weak to talk much with her. He spoke but twice after this.

"I would rather die as I am than live as I was," he said feebly. Just before he died he whispered: "Mother, you loved me into being good." Who will say that prayer and patience, tenderness and trust for the sake of one we love are not worth the courage and the effort that they cost?—Youth's Companion.

Carnegie Will Give Jackson \$25,000 JACKSON, TENN., Feb. 28.—Andrew Carnegie has agreed to give \$25,000 to the free public library here, provided the town will make an annual appropriation sufficient to keep up the library.

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ROSSLYN FERRELL.

Pays the Penalty For His Murder in the Electric Chair.

COLUMBUS, O., March 1.—Rosslyn Ferrell, convicted of the murder of Express Messenger Lane, took his seat in the electric chair at the State prison at 12:07 a. m. At 12:09 o'clock the current was turned on. Death was instantaneous. His last words were: "I have nothing to say."

Ferrell's Crime.

Rosslyn Ferrell shot and killed Express Messenger Charles Lane on the night of August 10, 1900. He had been in the employ of the Adams Express Company, and had lost his position. He had represented to Miss Lillian Costellow, whom he was to have married on the coming Thursday night, that he had a considerable sum of money in bank, and that he still retained his position with the company. He was without money and his wedding day was approaching.

Ferrell boarded the express car of an east-bound Pennsylvania train on the night mentioned, being permitted to ride by his old friend, Lane. The two men talked pleasantly until the train reached Plain City, about fifteen miles from Columbus, when Lane was preparing to make his express delivery for that station, a small town in Madison county. When the messenger's back was turned Ferrell shot, the ball taking effect in Lane's back.

Ferrell fired again and again in all the chambers of his revolver were empty. Lane lay on the car floor dead. Ferrell took gold, bank checks and bank notes amounting to \$2,400 from the safe, and when the train stopped at Plain City he leaped off. The stop was but for a moment, and the crime was not discovered until the car was opened when the train reached this city.

Ferrell stayed all night at a hotel in Plain City, and the next day went to see Miss Costellow. He was arrested at her house the following Sunday, and his trial and conviction followed. He admitted the crime, and it has been shown that his reason for it was his infatuation for the girl. She has repeatedly visited him since he was condemned to die.

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HELD SUNDAY SESSIONS.

Both the National House and Senate Transact Business.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The Senate and the House both held Sunday sessions. The Senate transacted business as of the legislative day of Saturday, while the House did likewise under the date of Friday. Both houses were still in session at a late hour last night.

A resolution providing for a committee to visit Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines was defeated in the House.

The House and Senate conferees are unable to agree on the question of appropriations for the St. Louis, Buffalo and Charleston Expositions. The agreed River and Harbor Bill, with two items eliminated, carries an appropriation of \$49,875,000.

LAST DAY IN THE HOUSE.

Senator-Elect Carmack Not Backward in His Opinion.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Senator elect E. W. Carmack, who will tomorrow be sworn in as a United States Senator from Tennessee, made two brief speeches in the House to-day. Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, asserted that the river and harbor bill was a great piece of extravagance. Mr. Carmack replied that he thought appropriation for the improvement of rivers were in the interest of economy. He then attacked the administration for making such large expenditures on the other side of the earth to the detriment of the internal improvement of the United States. "Your policy seems to be," he said, "a million iron cranes, but not one cent for commerce."

During the consideration of the Charleston Fair bill the statement was made that this appropriation would go far towards bringing about an era of good feeling between the North and South. Mr. Carmack warmly resented the assertion that the loyalty of the South was purchasable with money and said he was sick and tired of hearing such expressions.

Anti-Whisky Legislation.

NASHVILLE, March 4.—Though the Turner bill is dead, and only a scar remains on the white face of temperance to tell there was a contest over the Peeler bill, it seems the troubles of the whisky men of the state are not yet at an end. There have been rumors for a week or more that other legislation along this line will be brought before the general assembly. In what shape this will come has not been decided. But those who favor the curtailing of the sale of intoxicants within the state have the matter under advisement.

Two Old Nashvillians Dead.

NASHVILLE, TENN., March 3.—Judge J. M. Quarles died in this city to-day, aged seventy-eight years. Judge Quarles was a member of Congress in 1859, Attorney General of this district in 1862, and Judge of the Davidson county Criminal Court for many years after the war. He was considered one of the greatest criminal lawyers in Tennessee. Jerry Buckley, the oldest and most popular mail-carrier in Nashville, died to-day, aged seventy-eight years.

Fire in Pulaski.

PULASKI, Tenn., March 1.—The Missionary Baptist church, Ingram & Connolly's store and the M. M. Thomas dwelling house in North Pulaski, were burned last night. There was \$1,100 insurance on the church and it cost \$1,800. The Baptist congregation here has had a hard struggle and is not very large. They had with difficulty built and equipped their church and had just about completed the interior furnishings.

T. F. Antony, ex-postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took. Sold by A. B. Kains, Druggist Columbia. oct-17