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As Seen by Him.



Great Lies.

M. Callio was greatly disturbed because the city authorities changed the numbers of the houses in his street...

"Goodness, I was all wrong! What a fortunate thing that our number was changed!"

"How is that?" asked Miss Callio. "Why, here is an account of the total destruction by fire of 2101 If the number hadn't been changed, we should have been homeless wanderers this minute!"

"A Fourth Education." "Why, why, Johnnie," said the elderly tourist to a cow puncher he had known in other days...

"Do you mind a Jefferson and Momie will get along nicely when they are married?" said one cheerfully to another.

"I no sure of it," was the reply. "I took care to find out shortly after they were engaged."

"How?" "I arranged several what parties and had them play as partners. They never quarreled once." - Washington Star.

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A PROPOSITION!

We propose to give you prices on our entire stock of Hardware, Tinware and Stoves, in proportion to the sample prices below.

Table listing various goods and their prices, such as Cook Stoves, Range Burners, and Washboards.

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GREAT DISORDER.

Bedlam Raised in the House of Representatives.

Over the Joy-O'Neill Election Contest.

REED AND CRISP AT IT.

Sergeant-at-Arms Ordered to Bring in Absentees.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—In the house yesterday the regular order, the Joy-O'Neill contest, election case, was taken up and the filibuster against the seating of O'Neill was resumed.

The vote on the motion was taken and resulted 184 to 144, fourteen short of a quorum. Of the eleven who voted against the motion, in effect against giving Mr. O'Neill the seat, there were ten Democrats as follows: Messrs. DeArmond, Everett, Griffin, Hall, Missouri, Morgan, O'Quinn, Ryan, Sibley, Harter and Wagner.

Then came more filibustering and Mr. Patterson offered a resolution to revoke the leaves of absence and instruct the sergeant-at-arms to take the absentees into custody.

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Mr. Reed took the floor and in a brief speech scored the Democratic side. The speaker said it was not his purpose to enter into a discussion of the question.

Mr. Patterson called for the eyes and nose and Mr. Payne demanded tellers on the motion. The speaker appointed Mr. Patterson and Mr. Payne. The latter was still clamoring to be recognized on his point of order.

PERFECTLY PROPER.

Col. Breckinridge Emphasizes the Statement.

That Madeline's Talk Was Strictly Without Reproach.

BUT SHE WAS EASY.

Put His Arm Around Her Without Any Trouble.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—Congressman W. C. P. Breckinridge of Kentucky went upon the witness stand yesterday in his own behalf in the \$50,000 breach of promise of marriage suit brought by Madeline Pollard and will surely engross the attention of the district court for the next three days and possibly longer.

Mr. Breckinridge's examination was conducted by Mr. Butterworth. After giving a narrative of his life, Mr. Breckinridge said he first met Miss Pollard in the spring of 1888.

"I do not remember exactly. I received a letter from her. I have lost that letter, but the substance of it has been in my mind ever since."

"The plaintiff," Breckinridge began, referring to Miss Pollard by the legal term, said: "I suppose you were surprised to receive such a letter from a school girl?"

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BLAND ON THE VETO.

The Silver Champion Will Now Introduce a Free Coinage Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—Representative Bland, author of the Bland silver coinage bill, authorized the following statement concerning the veto and its effect upon the future of silver:

"The main point of the veto is that the president does not wish to infuse into the currency any more silver until he has more bonds and a greater gold reserve."

"The Sherman act is not repealed, and hence under that act the silver bullion that it is not clear into what kind of coin the bullion shall be struck is not lawyer-like, as a lawyer would know the bill is a mere supplement to the Sherman act and leaves the bullion to be coined under that act."

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Having purchased F. W. Whittier's interest in the firm, we are prepared to give the people of Topeka the best the market affords. WATNEY & SON, 730 KANSAS AVE.

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After the Grip. Hood's Sarsaparilla Restored to Perfect Health. Mrs. L. G. Rogers, Edson, Kansas. "C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.: Gentlemen, I consider that Hood's Sarsaparilla is all that it is recommended to be."

IT IS SENATOR CRISP.

Gov. Neathem Appoints the Speaker to Succeed Late Senator Colquhoun.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 30.—Governor Neathem has appointed Speaker Charles F. Crisp to succeed the late Senator Alfred H. Colquhoun. Not a word has passed between the governor and the speaker, and the latter's name had not been even presented formally to the governor.

Miss People Burned to Death. CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 30.—A special from Hinton gives an account of a terrible accident that occurred at McKeedree, in Summers county, yesterday.

Killed His Wife and Then Himself. LEXINGTON, Mont., March 30.—E. McMannus of Livingston shot and killed his wife here yesterday, and then cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor.

Metarraban Bill Passes. WASHINGTON, March 30.—The McGarraban bill passed the senate yesterday without dissent. It refers to the claim of William McGarraban to the Rancho Pasoscho Grande to the court of private land claims, which shall report its findings to the secretary of the interior, who shall issue a patent to McGarraban if this decision shall be in his favor.

Equally Murdered. HENNESSY, Ok., March 30.—Edward H. Townsend, a wealthy man who runs a country store ten miles west of Hennessy, was foully murdered by three desperados at a o'clock last night.

Continuing: "That was going out. Going back there was hardly a word spoken until we got close to the city. Under the gas lamps I took out of my pocket a stamped envelope. She was on my left hand side. I put my hand in my pocket and put something into the envelope. She refused to accept it. I said, 'There are a great many little things you need.'"

"What was in that envelope?" Mr. Butterworth inquired, but the congressman ignored the interruption, continuing: "As we got out I put it into her hand, closed her hand on it and bid her good night."

"What was it?" repeated Attorney Butterworth. "It was a bill. I think a ten dollar bill."

"Adjourn the court," shouted Judge Bradley, who had sat through the narrative with his head averted and eyes closed, and the court adjourned.