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The "Immortal J. N." has been, so it is reported, placed in the county poor-house near Bucyrus, Ohio. "J. N." will be remembered by many people throughout the country as a peripatetic crank who in a harmless way went about from place to place "lifting the veil" and "removing the pressure." He called himself a philosopher and made short and incoherent harangues, which conveyed no definite idea of purpose, and caused only amusement mixed with sympathy. "J. N." seemed to have free course. He was well supplied with railroad passes and appeared to live without money and without price. Occasionally he created some excitement by an exhibition of fierceness and resentment, but usually he was content to insist with vague intensity upon lifting the veil that was never lifted and removing the pressure that was never removed, whatever it might have been. His self imposed itinerancy was extended, and there are probably few places in the country on railroad lines that he has not visited. And when he visited a city or town there were few points in it at which his almost ubiquitous presence was not noticed.

His name was Jacob Newman Free. He was born at Tiffin, Ohio, the son of a Presbyterian minister. It is said that in early life he acquired a remarkable knowledge of languages, and that he accumulated a fortune of \$50,000, of which he was robbed by his partner. Afterward he engaged in the practice of law at Cincinnati. It is said that he lost his mental balance in the excitement of a criminal lawsuit. In his queer form of dementia he has gone on his continual round until age and infirmity have brought him hopelessly to the poor house, in which he will end his restless and useless life.—Nashville Banner.

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W. W. LOVELAKE, Agent.

Miss Mattie Hancock has returned and wishes to announce that she is now located in the southern part of the city near the postoffice and is prepared to do all kinds of dress-making.

Mardi Gras, Feb. 22-27.

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Society.....

MISS KATHLEEN REYNOLDS, Editor.
(Phone 201)

Review Club.

The Review Club held a most interesting meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, at the Palace. The club has decided to meet here every week for some little time, until the weather settles. The study in art and the magazine lessons still prove most interesting.

J. U. G.

The J. U. G. was most delightfully entertained last Thursday afternoon by Miss Lucile George. The most interesting feature of the afternoon was a "conundrum contest," which was entered into with much zeal. The prize, a beautiful Japanese vase, was captured by Miss Pauline Hardy. Lovely refreshments, consisting of a dainty salad course, were served. Miss Kathleen Gibbs was a guest. The club did not meet this week on account of Thursday's matinee.

The Sans Souci.

The above club did not meet last week, having decided to meet only once every two weeks. Miss Hattie French is the hostess this afternoon.

Columbian Club.

The Columbians, for various reasons, have not met for some time, but will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Henry Stanfield.

J. F. F.

Miss Laura Cathey was at home to the club Wednesday afternoon and on account of the season the parlors were decorated with national flags and pretty flowers, commemorative of Washington's birthday. The game was flinch and the ladies contested every part of the ground for first place. Mrs. M. Blanton finally won, receiving a beautifully designed comb for the hair. There was a tie for the consolation and flags were used to draw with. One of these bore a bust of Washington on the back. This was drawn by Miss Mary Swiggart, the winner. A booby was also given in the shape of a hatbox with handle draped in the national colors. Mrs. J. A. Whipple won the latter. The score cards were made also with the hatchet design. Refreshments consisted of a salad course, and the occasion classed as a very popular event.

W. E. E. C.

The West End Euchre Club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Fope Herring at the Herring place near town and enjoyed a very interesting game and a most delightful occasion. There were present Mrs. Callie Whipple, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Whipple, Mrs. Ella Whipple, Mrs. D. Williams, Mrs. Foster French, Mrs. Will Garrison, Mrs. T. R. Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thompson, Mrs. W. H. Gardner, Mrs. Wm. Martin, Mrs. Robt. Joyner and Mr. Watts. Mrs. Robt. Whipple captured the first prize and Mrs. Robt. Joyner the consolation. As it was on the eve of Washington's birthday the score cards were made in artistic conceits showing the famous hatchet, the national emblem of truth. The refreshments were enjoyed and the event noted for its pleasure and hospitality.

Entertained at Hickman.

Mrs. B. F. Beckham and Miss Lizzie Tams, of this city, enjoyed a reception given at the beautiful and palatial home of Mrs. F. M. Hubbard in Hickman from 2 to 5 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Hubbard is a very popular hostess and quite a number of Hickman's leading families and society young people were present. The decorations and refreshments accompanying the event were very extensive and attractive.

Entertained at Osceola, Ark.

At the mask ball given on St. Valentine evening by the young men of Osceola nearly 200 guests from neighboring States and towns accepted the handsome invitations sent out two weeks ago, and the expensive costumes worn showed a desire to make the affair a memorable occasion. Festoons of gay colored paper were suspended from the four corners of the room, to

which were attached hearts of every size and color, pierced by Cupid's darts. Beautiful bunches of mistletoe were used in the decorations, forming an attractive background for the Indians, cowboys, gypsies, sailors, cavaliers, lords and ladies, who made a bright picture of moving color, unrivalled only by the rainbow. At 11 o'clock the masks were discarded, and the exclamations of surprise and wonder fully repaid each participant for his trouble in securing a disguise. A costumer from Memphis enabled the dancers to secure handsome costumes of every description, and the various costumes presented every phase of life. The out of town guests were the Misses Hudson, Misses McBride, Misses Parli and Bland, Messrs. Hoyt and Roberts, Memphis; Misses Margaret Bransford and Nell Jackson, Union City; Misses Mary Roberts, Mary K. Joplin, Hattie Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tindell, Caruthersville, Mo.; Harry Odgen, Chicago; Miss Adams and John A. Fox, Blytheville, Ark.; Miss Mary Berry, Messrs. Perkins Berry and Hunter Johnson, Marton, Ark.; John J. Mulany, Baseett, Ark.; Miss Ethel Krenson, Jonesboro, Ark.; Miss Louise Rollwage, Forrest City, Ark.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

In Southern Texas.

Messrs. L. S. Parks and R. P. Whitesell, with Mesdames Parks and Whitesell, and children, left last Monday to spend the remainder of the winter in Texas and Western points. They will visit Corsicana and Galveston, and will probably extend their trip to other winter resorts before returning to Union City.

To Visit Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Radebaugh leave this week to spend some time in the South. They will first visit Texas points, including, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and Galveston; thence they will travel through Mexico and visit the capital, Mexico City, remaining there a few weeks. They will then continue their journey through some of the Western States.

Guy Freeman, of Fulton, was here Thursday.

Mrs. Clifford Joyner visited Mrs. G. W. Tomerlin this week.

Mrs. W. P. Casey is visiting relatives and friends at Bells and Gadsden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Moss and family left Monday to visit relatives in Middle Tennessee.

Mr. Gentry Reynolds, of Kenton, spent Wednesday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Reynolds.

Miss Lillie Etta Perkins, of Martin, was the guest of Miss Christine Robinson Wednesday and Thursday.

Jim Ownby came down from Martin and spent Monday and Tuesday in the city with his sister, Mrs. C. D. Moss.

Miss Birdie Waddell left this week to visit Mrs. A. F. Dantzer at Moss Point, Miss. Miss Waddell will not return till spring.

Miss Margaret Branford, a pretty young lady of Union City, Tenn., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Cross, left Tuesday to visit friends in Osceola.—Blytheville, Ark. Herald.

Miss Kathleen Reynolds returned home Monday morning from a delightful visit of two weeks with her cousin, Miss Vivienne White, at West Point, Miss., where she was charmingly entertained.

Mrs. Gentry Reynolds and Mrs. Chas. Montgomery and daughter, Evelyn, of Kenton, and Mrs. Knox Harper and baby Ruth, of Rives, are here this week visiting relatives in and about Union City. They were the guests of Mrs. G. A. Reynolds and Mr. Tom Reynolds north of town for a few days.

Wanted.

Miss Reynolds asks us to state that she would be very glad to have any one who knows of any entertainment or any society news or locals to telephone her about it, and their doing so would be very much appreciated. The Commercial always appreciates anything of a society or news character and we would respectfully ask you to favor Miss Reynolds in any way. Your entertainments or personals are always welcome. Her telephone is 201, or The Commercial 103.

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DEAR SIR: The charity patient in whom I am so much interested was seventy-five years old at the time that she began the use of "Zemo," and her weight was 150 lbs. Her health has been poor for some time past, suffering mainly from neural trouble, according to the diagnosis of the doctors in attendance. She has been a hard worker all her life, having made the living for her family keeping boarders. Some six or seven years ago eczema began to trouble her. It gradually grew worse and worse until her entire body was affected, the legs being a mass of sores constantly separating. The itching and burning sensation was so dreadful at times that it was impossible for her to sleep day or night. The doctors (two of our best) pronounced the case incurable, and when I asked permission to use "Zemo" promptly said, "It would delight us to find something to cure this dear old sufferer." "Zemo" was first used on the upper part of the body and soon relieved the patient of the terrible distress caused by the itching and burning. The doctors had been dressing the legs every day, but as soon as they saw the wonderful changes in the skin where "Zemo" had been used, they gave consent to have it used on the legs. Gradually they began to improve and are now almost as smooth as the face. It was probably about a month before much relief was experienced in this part of the body, then skin scaled off, itching, burning and aching gradually ceased. It seems now as if a testimonial might be given, out the patient thinks that she had better use "Zemo" a few weeks longer before saying that she is cured. However, she is very grateful to all who have been instrumental in securing your wonderful remedy and thinks that it has a great future before it.
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