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To Protect Life. It may well be that the ordinance defining the powers of the health officer could be improved.

The ordinance says he may do those things where there is small-pox, varioloid, Asiatic cholera, or other formidable contagious disease.

Since any action of the health officer in such a matter would be in the public interest and within the scope of the ordinance as council seems to have intended,

It is not likely that anybody will dispute authority exercised for so good a purpose, and if that were to happen it would bring the matter to a test.

After all the health officer should not be made to carry the whole burden of protecting the lives of the people.

Do the President and the sugar trust speak now as they pass by? This is worth knowing so that we may understand better some passing things.

Interesting Reports on Hawaii. As a result of Admiral Walker's visit to Hawaii two reports are in possession of the administration.

It is furthermore believed that the admiral regards annexation as desirable from the point of view of the United States.

is going to pieces, but this will be a delusion. In a day or so everybody will get over his disappointment, and the Republican party will be in good condition.

If the Republican legislature will do all it can for the people of West Virginia in the forty-five days it has to live, the party will stand well with the people

CONGRESS may as well pool the railroads to pool, for they pool without regard to Congress and there is no valid objection to a fair pooling arrangement.

Selecting a College for the Boy. A mother, who is also a widow, writes to a western newspaper to know whether there is a college that has no football team.

There is no reason why young men who become sufficiently expert in football to represent their college in a fight with the team of another college shall be the best students, and there is every reason why they should not be.

Now THAT Mr. Cleveland has a sentry box on the white house grounds he will not have to go away from home for a little duck shooting.

Voting Made Easy. Voting is made easy in the western counties of North Carolina, if a remarkable statement from that region may be believed.

REPRESENTATIVE HEARD, of Missouri, chairman of the District of Columbia committee, has appointed his brother secretary of the committee.

It is Captain Kolb does not quickly become quiet and tame Colonel Oates, who probably was not elected governor of Alabama, will make him feel the terrors of the law.

A Business Meeting of the West Virginia Editorial Association. An adjourned meeting of the West Virginia Editorial Association for business purposes only was held in Parkersburg on Wednesday.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report. Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

BREAKFAST BUDGET.

The bodies of Greeks, when not burned, were placed in earthenware coffins and buried in tombs along the highways.

Wiley Sitton, of Teloga, Ga., killed a hawk a week ago that measured four feet seven inches from tip to tip of wings.

Peter Heesch, of Hall county, Neb., raised thirty-six tons of sugar beets on an acre and a half.

The steam whistle, or rather its parent, the steam trumpet, was first devised in Leicestershire, and first made by a local musical instrument maker.

Shaving the beard and hair as a sign of mourning was common among almost all nations, and is even now practiced in several parts of the world.

The overproduction of cotton and the consequent decline in price will reduce the revenues of Texas planters this year from \$80,000,000 to \$40,000,000.

The Protestant Ministers' Association of Milwaukee will appear before the coming Wisconsin legislature with a bill to tax all church property.

The painting of the catcombs of Thebes is so well done that after a lapse of 4,000 years the colors are as bright as when first laid on.

Robbing graves is the only crime under Chinese law for which the thief may be justly killed on the spot by anyone finding him out.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Rev. Dr. David H. Greer, of New York, has been appointed the Lyman Beecher lecturer at Yale Theological Seminary, in place of Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, who was originally chosen, but who finds himself unable to serve on account of illness.

Probably the most famous jewel known to New York society is the stomacher presented as a bridal gift to Mrs. John Jacob Astor by her husband.

Henry Irving is decidedly popular in Ireland. For his recent Dublin engagement a rush was made to buy seats at the box office, which resulted in a scrimmage of approved American football pattern.

Moses Coit Tyler has written a work on Bishop Berkeley, Timothy Dwight and Joel Barlow, which the Messrs. Putnam will issue with the title, "Three Men of Letters."

It is stated that Thomas A. Edison has already expended nearly \$1,000,000 in his experiments to find a commercial method of reducing low grade ores by electricity.

Holbien's last descendant was recently arrested at Aussig, in Bohemia, and imprisoned as a vagabond. He claimed he was an artist, a photographer.

Hot-water pipes have been put into the pope's apartments in the vatican, as his doctors insist on his being kept in an even temperature.

There are only three Englishmen lecturing in America this season—Conan Doyle, Dean Hole and David Christie Murray.

Blank Bowman, who died in Brooklyn last week, was famous as a coin collector. He left a collection valued at \$10,000.

JOKELETS.

Husband—Why do you scold the butcher? It isn't his fault that the meat comes to the table all dried up. Scold the cook. Wife—I don't dare to; but I'm in hopes that if I keep on scolding the butcher, he'll get mad and come around and scold the cook.—New York Weekly.

Country Minister—There was a stranger in church this morning. Wife—What did he look like? Minister—I did not see him. Wife—Then how did you know there was a stranger in the congregation? Minister I found a dollar bill in the collection.—Truth.

"I don't see why people come here for their health," growled Barker. "It strikes me as being very unhealthy." "It is now," said the landlord. "So many people have come here for health and got it that our supply has been exhausted."—Harper's Bazar.

Employment Agent—What was the matter with your last place? Domestic—The missus was too particular. "In what way?" "She wouldn't let me lock the 'baby in the foldin' bed w'en I had company."—New York Weekly.

Treston—Now, jes' look at that sign, "Don't blow out the gas." Hayrick—What does it mean? Treston—They probably want us to call a boy to do it, so they can charge fifty cents more on our bill.—Kate Field's Washington.

Mr. Highli—Where is that "Book of Etiquette and Complete Letter Writer?" Mrs. H.—What do you want of it? Mr. H.—I want to write to the grocer to tell him I can't pay him.—New York Weekly.

"Smith is looking very low spirited. Has there been any trouble in the family?" Dubbs—Yes; a rich uncle has just recovered from a serious illness.—Littell's Living Age.

Visitor—Have you any watch dogs here? Johnny Suburb—No'm, but we've got some alarm clock roosters.—Exchange.

Still in the Business. Ohio Valley News, Martin's Ferry, O. It would be useless for us to say a word in praise of the INTELLIGENCER; its name and fame are known all over this part of the Ohio valley.

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