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A PALPABLE FAKE.

We are sorry the South Pittsburg Republican walked into the trap and published the transparent fake manufactured in Washington to deceive the voters in country districts. The idea of Mr. Sewall being a party to assist the opposition is too silly and ridiculous, and we pity the organs which blindly follow the meanness which prompts lying. Mr. Sewall is a gentleman in all that it means, and whatever he owns, he has made honestly in a business which has had no protection, and the name of Sewall in his section stands for honorable and honest dealing.

OUR MOUNTAIN ROAD.

In the excitement of the political campaign we must not lose sight of the building of the road up the mountain, and we presume it will be done this fall. To Sequachee it means a good deal, and we are sure the people who have pledged themselves to help will be on hand when the time comes to carry out their part. So we say don't be discouraged. We believe and feel there are better times ahead, and what we shall all appreciate.

WHEN the ill-mannered bores representing Yale College interrupted Mr. Bryan last Thursday, this is the mild and suave manner in which he disposed of them, but unfortunately college heads as represented by those gentlemen are too thick to appreciate fine innuendoes. "I am not speaking now to the sons who are sent to college on the proceeds of ill-gotten gains. I will wait until these sons have exhausted what their fathers have left them, and I will appeal to their children, who will have to commence life where their grandfathers commenced."

THE highly intellectual, rich men's sons of Yale College thought they were doing a lot of good for the Republican cause when they sought to drown the voice of speaker Bryan by yells and brass band music. There is something peculiar about the majority of the American people. Any public insult to a man of the people reflects back with ten-fold vengeance. The asinine college boys did not think of this otherwise they would have kept silent.

THE Chicago Chronicle says that Altgeld means Old Gold, and no wonder he insists on gold leases. No it don't. It means as good as Old Gold.

Much in Little

Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine

Hood's Pills

chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE Senator from this district explaining why he voted against the bill looking toward a revision of the Constitution, has the assurance to say, if he is reported right, that the people in his district don't want it. For the people, read politicians and officeholders, but we know that the people here will vote solid for a convention if they get a chance.

A revision of the Constitution ought to be made and half the offices abolished.

First—That he abused the pardoning power, having issued 808 pardons to convicts in four years—more than one every day, Sundays included. I have the letter of the Secretary of State giving the above number.—So, Pittsburg Republican.

THE above from Tillman's statement is rather doubtful in meaning. One pardon every day for four years, Sundays included would be 1460 of 'em. Please explain.

Little was done in either house yesterday except the passage of the appropriation bill. The total amount specified to defray the expenses of the extra session is \$19,898, 61.—Nashville American.

Think of it! The above is a fair report of the whole 20 day-session, and \$20,000.00 of the people's hard earned money is wasted.

The political situation summed up i- just this: It Bryan and a liberal Congress is elected, we are to have a change which every one feels is badly needed, if McKinley is elected, then keep on in the same rut, only put on more taxes.

The Mexican dollar trick is being played.

Bismark on Bimetallism.

In a speech at Dallas, Texas, Governor Culbertson read the following letter in reply to one he had sent to Prince Bismark asking for his views on bimetallism:

Friedrichsruhe, August 24, 1896.—Honored Sir: Your esteemed favor has been duly received. I hold that this is the very hour that would be advisable to bring about between the nations chiefly engaged in the world's commerce a mutual agreement in favor of the establishment of bimetallism. The United States are freer by far in their movements than any nation of Europe, and hence if the people of the United States should find it compatible with their interests to take independent action in the direction of bimetallism, I cannot but believe that such action would exert a most salutary influence upon the consummation of internal agreement. BISMARCK.

L. W. Gabel has a well developed felon on his hand, which has quite occupied his attention night and day of late, and he is willing to dispose of it at any price to anyone who appreciates a felon. We do n't.

A WARNING DREAM.

THE OTHER night after being lulled to slumber by the melodious tinkle of a hundred cow bells and the sweet yet soft symphony of a hound pup that was pouring forth his soul in a serenade to the moon, I had a most vivid and unpleasant dream. I thought I strayed into the church-yard and there plainly carved upon a rough stone slab, I saw my own name. Beneath it in rude letters was the following inscription:

— Pause, stranger, pause and drop a tear,
He trusted all creation,
And now, poor man, he slumbers here,
A victim of starvation."

I awoke, bathed in cold perspiration, and murmured fervently to myself, "Thank Heaven, 'twas but a dream!"

But my dream awakened a train of thought, which has resulted in a change of business methods. I find that some of my competitors have been underselling me for the reason that they

SOLD for CASH.

I cannot longer do business at a disadvantage. From this date I shall allow no goods to leave my store until I receive their equivalent

* **In CASH OR BARTER!** *

By so doing I shall be enabled to make prices that will

GIVE MY COMPETITORS A CHILL!

I mean business as you will see by referring to the following partial list of the many bargains to be found at my store.

Dry Goods.

- Lawns, 3 1/2c
- Best Indigo Calico, 5c
- Good Calico, 4 1/2c
- Bleachings from 4c to 8c per y'd
- Cotton Checks, 4c to 6c
- Yard wide Domestic, 4c to 6c
- Ginghams, 4c
- Men's fine shirts, 40c to 80c.
- Best Table Oil Cloth, 18c
- Ladies Hose, 4c
- Large Boss Ball Thread, 10c a doz.

- Best all-wool jeans, 25c per yard.
- Good jeans, 12c per yard.
- Good wool jeans pants, 75c a pair.

Will have a fine line of shoes in next week at prices to suit the times.

Dr. C. C. Roc's Lemon Tonic Liver Kidney and Blood Medicine \$1 bottle for 65c; 50c bottle for 30c.

Groceries.

- Bulk meat, 5c.
- Lard, 6c.
- Arbuckle coffee, 5 packages \$1.00
- Good green coffee at 18c per lb.
- Fair coffee, 12c per lb.
- Granulated sugar 18 lbs, \$1.00
- Extra Common Sugar, 19 lbs, \$1.00
- Best Flour, \$4.00 per barrel.

Great Drive in Tinware.

"Although I will not, cannot trust, I'll undersell them all or bust."

Yours for Low Prices,

C. H. DAVIDSON.

Sequachee, Tenn., Sept. 21, '96.

Dixie Notes.

The Lexington, Ky., Gazette says: "Gen. W. H. Gentry, of this county, has growing in his garden a pumpkin vine which has twenty-six matured pumpkins on it, an average one of which weighed 28 pounds, or an aggregate of 728 pounds of pumpkins from one seed. He also has one squash plant that produced 60 matured squash that averaged 15 pounds, or an aggregate of 900 pounds"

If anything more was wanted to demonstrate the great value of East Tennessee as an oil field, it is now made manifest in the legal fight inaugurated last week between the South Penn Company, an annex of the Standard, and the Stone Oil Company, of Brooklyn, N. Y., to obtain possession of the lease of the Gunter farm, says a Rugby dispatch to the Chattanooga Times. Then there is another big law suit on hand about the Bob's Barwell, and people certainly do not go to law, which is an expensive undertaking, about property or leases, or anything else, unless it is very valuable. This plainly shows how highly the Standard people really value the property, though they are working very quietly. It was stated last week on very good authority that the contract had been let for twenty-five new wells, but that work would not be pushed until after election.

It is estimated that the pecan

crop of Texas this year will sell for one million dollars.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last fifteen years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.


Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

- Ripans Tabules.
- Ripans Tabules cure nausea.
- Ripans Tabules: at druggists.
- Ripans Tabules cure dizziness.
- Ripans Tabules cure headache.
- Ripans Tabules cure flatulence.
- Ripans Tabules cure dyspepsia.
- Ripans Tabules assist digestion.
- Ripans Tabules cure bad breath.
- Ripans Tabules cure biliousness.
- Ripans Tabules: one gives relief.
- Ripans Tabules cure indigestion.
- Ripans Tabules cure torpid liver.
- Ripans Tabules: gentle cathartic.
- Ripans Tabules cure constipation.
- Ripans Tabules: for sour stomach.
- Ripans Tabules: pleasant laxative.
- Ripans Tabules cure liver troubles.

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The modern standard Family Medicine: **Cures** the common every-day ills of humanity.



ONE GIVES RELIEF.

The New Hook Spoon Free to All.

I read in the Christian Standard that Miss A. M. Fritz, Station A, St. Louis, Mo., would give an elegant plated hook spoon to anyone sending her ten 2-cent stamps. I sent for one and found it so useful that I showed it to my friends, and made \$13.00 in two hours, taking orders for the spoon. The hook spoon is a household necessity. It cannot slip into the dish or cooking vessel, being held in the place by a hook on the back. The spoon is something that housekeepers have needed ever since spoons were first invented. Anyone can get a sample spoon by sending ten 2-cent stamps to Miss Fritz. This is a splendid way to make money around home.

Very truly, Jeannette S. S. 3 13t

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