

From Standard. The public school at Moratock under the management of Miss Jessie Smithman of Troy, is being well attended and doing much good.

One of Mr. T. A. Graham's little children was painfully burned at his home at Candor on last Monday. In passing near the fire the child's clothing caught and the flames could not be extinguished before it was painfully but not seriously burned.

Five names were added to the membership of Troy Methodist church Sunday evening. All were received by certificate from other churches.

At the commissioners sale of the water power and land near Swift Island here Monday M. J. Armstrong was the purchaser at the price of \$5000.00.

Mr. T. J. Lucas who has been in Ala. for some time was in town this week. Mr. Lucas expects to move his family soon and make his home in Rockwell Ala.

Proceedings have been started against M. L. Jones by J. A. and J. C. Currie for the recovery of certain money which they claim is due them from the sale of the Iola Mine.

Messrs J. W. Lemon and Wm. T. Lee have bought the interests of Mr. Armstrong and Mr. Pendergast in the Troy Supply Co. and they now own the entire stock.

For several days Troy has been without lights on account of a break in the dam at the electric light plant. Steam, we learn will be put in operation soon and until then there will be no electric lights for Troy. Work will not be begun on the dam until spring.

An Appeal From The State W. C. T. U.

Whereas "Purity in Literature and Art" is one of our strong departments in reform work, with a view to educating, especially the young mind, to higher, nobler, ideals of character and life, by cultivating the senses to seek only that which leads to pure and noble thought and action.

Therefore: We deplore the depraved inclination of men who use, or encourage, the use of pictures of women in male form, or in immodest attire and pose to advertise their business on bottles, boxes or vessels of any kind; also in advertisements in packages, in magazines, newspapers, playcards or bill-boards, and that we protest most earnestly against this growing evil.

And we deplore the sensational reports of vice and crime that so frequently appear in some of the newspapers and periodicals, that go into almost every home and are eagerly read by the young as well as the old.

Furthermore: We appeal to the christian womanhood of our state to awake from their indifference and tolerance of customs that are debauching in their influence and do not scruple at making merchandise of woman's character.

Miss Elizabeth Murch, Pres. Mrs. Mary B. Cleveland, Vice Pres. Mrs. J. P. Feairington, Rec. Sec'y. Mrs. Notre Johnson, Cor. Sec'y. Mrs. Frances E. Ross, Treas.

Climate and Consumption.

Journal of the A. M. A. We are gradually abandoning the idea that the cure of tuberculosis is dependent on certain climatic conditions. Experience is proving that abundant food, fresh air and rest are the essentials of such a cure, and that they can be applied in practically all climates. The Carolinas, California, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico, as any Physician in these States will testify, are filled with pitiful wrecks of humanity, who should never have been allowed, much less encouraged, by their physicians to leave home in their last stages of tuberculosis, with no prospect of benefit able to obtain proper treatment after their arrival at their destination.

Speedy Relief.

A salve that heals without a scar is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. No remedy effects such speedy relief. It draws out inflammation, soothes, cools and heals all cuts, burns and bruises. A sure cure for piles and skin diseases. DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of counterfeits, they are dangerous. Sold by the Standard Drug Co. and Asheville Drug Co.

The Good Old Way.

A severe cold or attack of influenza is like a fire, the sooner you combat it the better your chances are to overpower it. But few mothers in this age are willing to do the necessary work required to give a child the best of health. An old-fashioned reliable treatment such as would be administered by their grandmothers backed by Boschee's German Syrup, which was always liberally used in connection with the home treatment of colds and is still in greater household favor than any known remedy. But even without the application of the old-fashioned aid German Syrup will cure a severe cold in quick time. It will cure colds in children or grown people. It relieves the congested organs, allays the irritation, and effectively stops the cough. Any child will take it. It is invaluable in a household of children. Trial size bottle, 25c; regular size, 75c. For sale by the Standard Drug Co.

Coughs and Colds.

All coughs, colds and pulmonary complaints that are curable are quickly cured by One Minute Cough Cure. Clean the phlegm, draw out inflammation and heal and soothe the affected parts, strengthen the lungs, ward off pneumonia. Hamlin and Pleasant to take. Sold by the Standard Drug Co. and Asheville Drug Co.



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But here comes a curious state of affairs in this connection. The brewers and distillers talk about taking up with railroads the sweeping orders issued by many of them against drinking by employees. They say that they are good customers of the railroads in the way of freight.

Well, what does little freight amount to from those fellows by the side of a sack or sack with thousands of dollars in property and many lives destroyed, caused by "trading on a little too much"? The railroads know that a car full of beer from alcohol, are essential to good service. The railroads to right. They are to be commended and when it comes to deciding between the orders of the railroads and the presumptuous and audacious talk of the men who make beer, the public will be found on the side of the railroads.—News & Observer.

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