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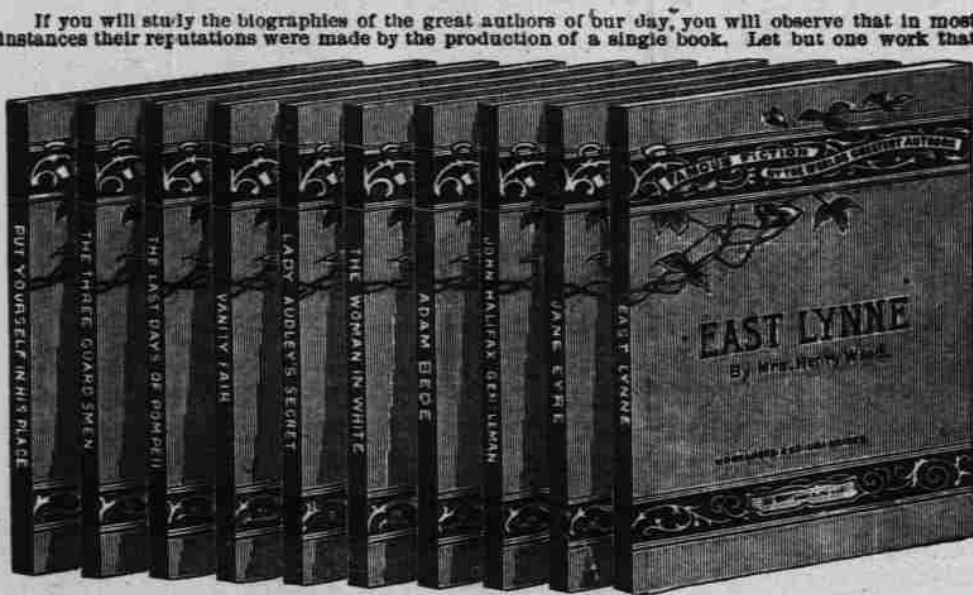


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BILL ARP'S LETTER.

HE SENDS HIS GIRL AWAY TO SCHOOL.

And He Is Sad Because She Is Gone—He Talks About the Agnes Scott Institute, Etc.

These are solemn times now—there is nobody dead or dying, but there is a lost child, and that is nearly as sad. We know where she is, for we sent her there; but it is hard on the old folks to send their youngest child away, especially when she is a girl and the last of the litter.

The Agnes Scott is a new institution and has just gotten a fair start. The loved and lamented Tom Cobb named his college at Athens for his daughter Lucy, but Mr. Scott has named this one for his mother. He has already spent \$80,000 on it, and keeps on spending.

I was in hope we could finish her schooling right here, but we can't. We have no college and the high school is limited by poverty. We are taxed enough in all good conscience to have anything we want. I am paying now about one hundred dollars a year for other people's children, and have to send off my own. There are many parents here doing the same thing and to my mind it is all wrong in principle.

Our county pays \$17,000 to the school fund of the State and we get back only \$6,000 of it. The other \$10,000 is scattered all over the State to educate white and black. Our town pays out \$1,000 a year to educate the negroes in the corporation, and we get no thanks for that.

With a corps of the best educators that could be found in the South, this institution has already taken a high stand among the female colleges of the land. The time has come when it was wanted, and it is there. Long may Mr. Scott live to enlarge it and equip it for its great work in educating and refining our daughters until they shall become as the polished corners of a temple.

Bill ARP. Are the main-stay of our republic. In them are being cultivated the minds which are to be our future law-makers and leaders in every walk in life.

It's most astonishing how close the youngest child gets to a parent's heart—the boy to his mother's heart, and the girl to her father's.

THE STATE GUARD.

ITS STATUS UNDER THE LAW AND ITS CORRELATIVES.

In the Wilmington Messenger, of Sept. 5th. Col. Kennan Writes About Independent and Other Military Companies.

When the Democratic Party obtained full control of the government of North Carolina in 1876, in the election of State officers and a Legislature, it was confronted with a condition of affairs very different from that which had existed prior to the War.

The first order, describing and prescribing a State regulation dress, was issued on March 1st, 1876. It seemed to have been generally complied with. There were a few exceptions however, whose excuse for delay was generally understood to be their inability to pay for new clothing.

Section 2 of the Act creating the State Guard, states that the "North Carolina State Guard shall first be called on by the Commander-in-Chief on all occasions for military service."

Section 10. "Every Commissioned Officer, before he enters upon the duties of his office, or exercising any command, shall take and subscribe, before a Justice of the Peace, the oath prescribed by the Constitution of North Carolina."

Section 13. "The Commander-in-Chief shall have full power and authority, at any time hereafter to revoke any commission, or to disband any company or companies now organized, whenever, in his judgment, it shall be necessary or expedient for the public good, or good of the service; and all companies now in existence in North Carolina shall immediately after the passage of this act, be required to conform with its provisions."

Section 16. "All Commissioned Officers, non-Commissioned Officers and Privates in the State Guard, shall provide themselves with uniforms complete, of their own choice and fashion, subject to such restrictions, limitations and alterations as the Commander-in-Chief may order."

THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

SOME POLITICS TALKED BY SOME PEOPLE WHO KNOW SOMETHING.

The Husted Keystone Philadelphia Bank Ought to Get Somebody in Trouble—Mills is not the Hedging Kind—The Ohio Democrats Have a Hard Row to Hoe.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14th, 1891.—Mr. Harrison will return to Washington tomorrow, and if he can get his attention away from the horde of would-be public pap-suckers now awaiting to pounce upon him, for a minute, he may be able to help clear away the suspicion under which the United States Treasury department now rests, of having attempted to hamper the investigation which it has pretended to be so anxious to have made, of the affairs of the wrecked Keystone National Bank, of Philadelphia. It is regarded naturally as a suspicious circumstance that just as the expert accountants at work on the books of the bank were getting into the part of their work which promised important results, that it should be discovered at the Treasury that the fund from which they were paid was exhausted and that they must be dismissed and the investigation stopped.

Treasury officials pretend to be racking their brain to discover a way to pay these men, meanwhile the men have stopped work. Perhaps when they resume, if they ever do, some of the books may be missing. The Philadelphia people have taken the matter up, and if their committee's stinging letter to the Secretary does not cause Mr. Harrison to take some action he is either thicker-skinned than he has been supposed to be, or he is afraid of his friend, Mr. Wanamaker.

Think of an officer in the regular Army of the United States writing to his Superior that one of his orders "was exceedingly repugnant to his tastes and feelings, &c." The Commander-in-Chief replied that the order must be obeyed, but if the company entered the Guard U. S. Army. Otherwise, we might have found companies throughout the South, which, for mere sentiment, would be insisting on the use of the Stars and Bars as Insignia of Rank; Hardee's Tactics instead of Upton's; and the old Infantry Muzzle-loading Rifle, in place of the modern breech-loading Springfield, which is furnished by the Government.

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