

The Charlotte Observer.

MRS. BLAINE TALKS.

The Wife of the Ex-Secretary Says a Few Words of Public Interest.

Kansas City Times. Mrs. James G. Blaine passed through the city last night on her return home from Fort Hays, whither she accompanied her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Coppinger, who spent the summer with her parents at Augusta.

"Really you must excuse me," she said, when accosted by a Times reporter. "I don't like to see my name in print. You can say what you please about Mr. Blaine, he has been so long in public life, but you must leave me out."

"Mr. Blaine is still at work on his book, is he not?" "Yes, he is at Augusta, where he will remain all winter. His last volume will be out about the holidays."

"What does he think of the outlook in New York?" "He is sanguine of Mr. Davenport's election, though I have heard him give no logical reason for his opinion."

"To what does he attribute his defeat last November?" "I really have not heard him refer to the Presidency since his defeat. No, sir, I do not know whether he will be a candidate in 1888 or not. Now don't put my name in the paper. I like the Kansas City Times very much, but I do not like you to ask me questions."

Mrs. Blaine is a dignified lady of perhaps fifty, slightly inclined to embonpoint. The most striking feature of her face is the nose, which strongly resembles that of her distinguished husband. Her hair, which is gray, is worn in the latest style for ladies of her age and condition. She was attired in a dress of dark material, over which she wore a black silk cloak. Her manner is extremely pleasant, though she evidently has a very uncomplimentary opinion of newspaper men in general and reporters in particular.

HOW THEY GET THERE.

The Way in Which Young People Come to Each Other's Christian Names.

San Francisco Chronicle. Did you ever listen to a young couple working up to that point of affectionate intimacy at which they call one another by their Christian names?

"It has been a lovely party, hasn't it, Miss Jackson?" "Lovely, Mr. Wilkins."

"I have known you a long time, Miss Jackson." "And I have known you quite a while."

"I've often heard my sister speak of you." "And my brother is always talking about you."

"Is he? I hear so much about you that I feel quite at home with you." "It's a lovely night, isn't it, Mr. Wilkins?"

"Beautiful. I think Edith's such a pretty name." "Do you? I don't like it." "Edith."

"What did you say?" "Oh, nothing. I was merely repeating the name."

"I don't like all men's names. I like some. I like Philip and Ferdinand and—"

"What do you think of George?" "That's your name, George!" "I beg your pardon."

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"Pon my word I didn't do it, Miss Edith."

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"So am I. I'm so much obliged for your escort; I've had such a lovely time."

"And so have I."

"Good night, Mr. Wilkins."

"Good night, Miss Jackson."

"Good night."

"Good night—Edith."

"Good night—George."

My Wife!

My wife has been a great sufferer from Catarrh. Several physicians and various patent medicines were resorted to, yet the disease continued unabated, nothing appeared to make any impression upon it.

I secured a bottle of B. B. B. and placed her upon its use, and to our surprise the improvement began at once, and her recovery was rapid and complete. No other preparation ever produced such a wonderful change, and for all forms of Blood Disease I cheerfully recommend B. B. B. as a superior Blood Purifier.

R. P. DODGE, Yardmaster Georgia Railroad, Atlanta, Ga.

Great Grief.

From the Athens (Ga.) Banner-Watchman. Uncle Dick Sautler says: Fifty years ago I had a running ulcer on my leg which refused to heal under any treatment.

In 1853 I went to California, and remained eighteen months, and in 1873 I visited Hot Springs, Ark., remained three months, but was not cured. Amputation was discussed, but I concluded to make one more effort. I commenced taking the B. B. B. about six weeks ago. The fifty year-old sore on my leg is healing rapidly, and yesterday I walked about fifteen miles fishing and hunting without any pain, and before using the B. B. B. I could not walk exceeding half a mile. I sleep soundly for the first time in many years.

To think that six bottles done me more good than Hot Springs, eighteen months in California, besides an immense amount of medicines and eight or ten first-class physicians, will convince any man on earth that it is a wonderful blood medicine. It has also cured me of Catarrh

Mouth!

There is a lady living there, Mrs. —, who has had catarrh for many years. I have known she had it for fifteen or twenty years, and my father once doctored her, as she was then a tenant on our place.

For the last two and a half years she has been bedridden, the catarrh or cancer (the numerous physicians have never decided which) during her two and a half years in bed, had eaten all the roof of her mouth out. She was so offensive that no one could stay in the room; she could not eat anything, but could swallow soup if it was strained. She gave up to die, and came so near perishing that all thought she would die. Her son used the B. B. B. and she used several bottles which effected an entire cure. She is now well and hearty. I have not exaggerated one particle.

LUCY STRONG.

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HORSE RACE. No. 5 Running at 3:30 p. m. Mile heats, Purse \$150. First Premium, \$100; Second Premium, \$50.

HORSE RACE. No. 2 Running at 3:30 p. m. Purse \$115. First Premium, \$75; Second Premium, \$40.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 28. HORSE RACE. No. 3 Running at 2:30 p. m. Mile heats, purse \$100. First Premium, \$75; Second Premium \$25.

HORSE RACE. No. 4—Stakes for 3-year-olds; \$25 each. \$50 added by society.

THURSDAY, Oct. 29. HORSE RACE. No. 6 Running at 2 p. m. Half-mile heats. Running stakes \$10 entrance p. m. Mile dash. Winner of run on first day to carry five pounds extra. \$75 added by the society.

HORSE RACE. No. 7 Running at 2:30 p. m. Mile heats, Purse \$150. First Premium, \$100; Second Premium, \$50.

FRIDAY, October 30. HORSE RACE. No. 9, at 11 a. m., mile heats. Carolina Cup Sweepstakes for all ages, \$50; h. f. Second to have \$75 out of the stakes, third to save stakes. \$150 added.

HORSE RACE. No. 10 Running at 1 p. m. One and one-half mile heats, Purse \$100. First Premium, \$75; Second Premium \$25.

All Stake Races close on Monday at 5 o'clock, P. M., October 26th, and the entrance money must invariably accompany the nomination. All Purse Races close at 5 o'clock, P. M., at the Judges' stand or Secretary's office on the day previous to which the Races are run. Races will come off at the hour announced, and owners of horses must have them on the ground promptly at the time, otherwise they will be ruled off.

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A WILLING "GOD BLESS YOU" An Extraordinary Case of Cure by the Mrs. Joe Pearson Remedy.

The following letter, dated January 14, 1885, has just been received, and will be shown to any person who is interested in the subject. Names and dates are withheld for obvious reasons:

"MRS. JOE PEARSON: 'Madam—On the 29th of last May a boy child well developed in every respect was born in this city, but the 'King of Terrors' began to child about its little heart, and notwithstanding its plump and vigorous constitution the poison in the blood soon began to manifest itself in the medical men term 'Eczema,' 'Pupura,' or 'Hereditary Taint.' Some old 'mothers' concluded the child had the 'yellow thrush.' Yet whatever the disease it was certainly a stubborn master for the doctors.

The mother took the little sufferer to the country, hoping that the pure fresh air might be beneficial, and Dr. —, of Lumberton, was called to treat the case. He pronounced it Eczema, and did all he could for it, but to no purpose, any more than to check the fever to which the disease subjected the boy.

"At the first frost the victim was again removed to the city, and immediately Dr. — was called and he pronounced the disease 'Pupura,' and prescribed accordingly, feeding up the disease on iron and other minerals until the babe's mouth became so sore that for two weeks it did not nurse. A friend suggested as a last hope and resort

"MRS. JOE PEARSON'S REMEDY. 'All means of procuring any more help or medicine had failed, and in this hour of deepest despair the poor mother went and asked her druggist to let her have one bottle and one package of the Remedy, and was refused, because she did not have the money to pay for it. She pawned her wedding ring and raised \$1.50 to pay for the medicine.

"When she gave the child the first dose, three weeks ago to-day, the little fellow was a mass of scaly sores from the hips to the knees, and at seven months old had never borne his weight on his feet. To-day, by the help of God and a faithful administration of the Remedy the child is well and strong in the legs, and last Sabbath morning while the mother was weeping at the necessity of drying up her breast, he took hold and nursed as strong and vigorous as ever. The administration of the Remedy is still kept up to effect a complete cure.

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