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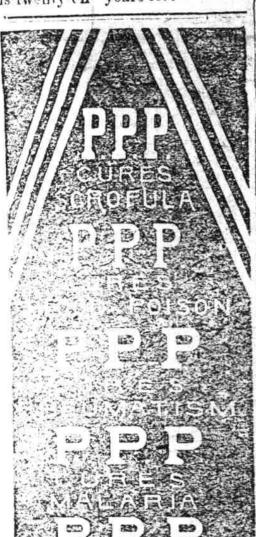
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John Smith, white, is about 21 years old, fair complexion, dark hair, about 5 feet 10 inches high and weighs about 140 pounds. H. C. KEARNEY, Sheriff Franklin county.

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All persons are forbidden to hunt, day or night, with an or dog or other wise trespass on my lands, s tuated in Dunes' township. Franklin county adjoining the land of We ley Pippia Mad Shit, estate of Becky Butto Jack Aif id and oth rs, under penalt

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tained in a certain deed of mortgage exccuted by J. W. Wellons on the 12th day of November 1889, and uly recordel in the office of the Register of lees for Franklin county in Book 82, and the Court Rouse door it sen the 7 h day of December the the first Monday in 150 the buse and lo described in e le doi mortgage, situated in the I ratkii fou and bound d by ids of F. P. Hay good, Wellow's and the Louislarg road, con-I about two scres.

J. A. V. MAY, Mortgagee. Oct. 31 1391.

NOTICE.

flaving this day qualified as adminis trator on the estate of Mrs. Mary C. Har ris, this is to give notice to all person owing said estate to settle rt once, and ai persons holding claims against said estate to present them before the 19th day or September 1892, or I will plead this notice in bar of their recevery. This the 19th. W. M. Person, Atr'y.

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F. N. EGERTON, H. D. EGERTON, Exr's. G. W. BLOUNT,

Circumstantial Evidence

By MARY E STICKNEY. [Copyright, 1891, by American Press Associa-

"Imposing! An old chum like him! Nonsense, Mrs. Burtels! We could enjoy nothing more than having him with us; and as to any trouble on his account, nobody knows anything about troubleat the park. We all rough it and have a good time. Indeed, we shall insist on his staying with us."

Mrs. Bartels' pale lips parted as if for further protest, but suddenly she turned away without a word. "Goodby," she called back over her shoulder, with an afterthought of courtesy, "and a pleasant trip to you."

Back again in herown darkened home, she felt her way slowly to the nearest chair, sinking down heavily, her elbows on her kness, her chin resting on her upturned palms, and the little clock on the mantel had struck the hour, the half hour, and ticked its way round to the point of ringing out the time again, while she sat there motionless in the shadows, hat and gloves still on, moodily lost in thought.

So this was the outcome of her devotion and self sacrifice-to give Mrs. Rogers opportunity to complete a half won conquest. And had Donald stooped to such contemptible planning as this? Mrs. Rogers was to visit on a ranch, he had said, had he deliberately lied? Had he, bent on going with these people whom he liked, thought it the easiest and smoothest course to deceive the jealous wife into complacent consent?

She rose at last, wearily moving from room to room, lighting the lamps and drawing the curtains. How pretty it all was under the warm, rose shaded lights! What boyish delight Donald had shown in gratifying all her modest whims in the matter of furnishing! Not another home in all the place was half so artistic and charming And how happy they had been together all those blessed months in the new nest! How tenderly kind Donald had been to her always! Ah, it was impossible; he could not poison their happy love tife with such puerile deception as this, and suddenly she broke into a happy laugh. Why. surely; Mrs. Rogers had said that her going had not been arranged until the last moment. Naturally, Donald Mad known nothing about it when he rode away from the honsy-that morning. He had been innocent of any thought of concealment. If that odious woman had not worried her into such a temper she must have understood and exonerated

lunch with Mrs. Rogers on the morrow: that he would journey on to Lake park in her company, and that for the next week or two he would be thrown mere or less continually in the society of that too fascinating little coquette. Anita could not have dreamed that her impulsive generosity was to cost her so dear

But Donald must not be trapped into staying with these people, and she scated herself at her desk. It was a long letter she wrote, designed with tender art to appeal to all his love for her, and finally in an inconsequential little postscript came the real gist of the matter: "Mrs. Rogers told me that she should insist upon your staying with them at the park. Apparently she is indifferent to the possibility-indeed, in that event, the certainty-of reviving the stlly old gossip that bracketed your name with hers once on a time. It is a comfort inexpressible to me to know that you, dearest, have more discretion-that you will not let yourself be drawn into any foolishness of that sort, for my sake, if for no other reason. I know that I need not beg you not to, for when have I ever had to ask you to be thoughtful and con-



Mr. Carlton came toricard to offer Mrs. Bartels a chair and a tun. Four days had passed away. Four times over again had a weary old world buttoned and unbuttoned, wakened and

In the hope of finding a letter from Donald, Anita had walked down to his office in the afternoon. There had come but a note from him, another hurried scrawl, to say that he had joined a party which was going over the range for a went, in a sort of breathless baste that that Mrs. Rogers was not likely to go hunting bears, although, indeed, she could believe her capable of even that. It was a close, hot afternoon, when the

flies stack maddeningly to perspiring humanity. Mr. Carlton, who had been enjoying his pipe and a magazine in his shirt sleeves, was scrambling into his coat, with an expression of mild martyrdom, as he came forward to offer Mrs. Bartels a chair and a fan.

"And so Don has really had an adventure?" he began, with a lazy chuckle. He was a most excellent man, full of charitable killdness toward all the world. but he dearly loved a good dish of gossip. It was his one redeeming vice, Donald Prompt attention to orders and sat used laughingly to declare. "What! easy-poking one foot between the tics ton GUARANTEED." have you not heard?" as Anita looked up and catching her boot heel experimental.

in mute surprise. "No, I suppose he has ly-an accident which might happen to not had time to write yet; or perhaps he means to keep it under cover; if so, don't tell him that I gave it away-but really it is too good to keep."

"Well, don't keep it for a moment, then," smiling perplexedly, in sympathy with his evident enjoyment. "Do tell me at once."

"Well, what do you think of Bartels -who went away for rest and recreation. mind-getting lost on Ute peak, and wandering around above timber line all

"But it is quite impossible!" cried Anita, pale at the idea, "Donald is over the range, hunting bear."

Carlton laughed with cheerful incredulity. "Hunting his grandmother!" he cried, grown quite reckless of his speech in the excitement of his news. "I had it from a fellow who was one of the party and who 'saw him when he done it'-as the small boy averred in support of his story of Jonah's swallowing the whale. This fellow stopped over for the night, on his way to Denver, and I had the luck to run across him just in time to hear the story. It appears the Rogerses got up a party to ascend the peak, and Bartels, who is staying with them, this fellow told me, was one of the crowd. It was rather late when the party started to make the descent, and Mrs. Rogers. who was rather used up, hung back, while Bartels was gullant enough to keep her company. Somewhere among the bowlder fields the rest of the outfit get out of sight, and, in trying a short cut to overtake them, Bartels and Mrs. Rogers lost the trail, and did not succeed in getting themselves found till 5 o'clock the next morning. A new version of the babes in the wood," with a callous laugh at their plight, "only there were no birds above timber line to cover them with leaves, worse luck for them."

"You are sure there is no mistake about this?" Anita's face was ghastly. "This man who told you was really one of the party?"

"Yes; although he did not really belong to the Rogers outfit. He had engaged a guide to go up the Peak by himself, when Dr. Rogers, wanting the same man for the san day, compromised by inviting this fe'low to go with them But you need not look so frightened, Mrs. Bartels. Don is all right. He did not even take cold. I asked after him particularly. And all's well that ends

"Yes, all's well that ends well," repeated Anita duily. It seemed to her that All the training of her life had been inthe end of all things had come, that chaos was staring her in the face. She pression: a dull blur seemed dancing be | orthodoxy of her aunts had to make life fore her eyes; and the fingers nervously tracing the pattern of the wrought gold did what it might to inspire a wholesome But the fact remained that he would trembling. Her face felt as if it had petrified. She had a vague conviction that if she once relaxed her hold on the stiff lips, she could never recover it walls to which she was helplessly again-that she would go on unsmiling chained. Must she live on and on in for evermore. "I thought perhaps there might be a letter for me here," she list lessly added, moving to go.

spare time for letters," with another jolly laugh. "Really, it is too good Perhaps I ought not to have given him away; but, upon my word, it seemed studying them with whimsical sadness-

She enjoy the jokel Was the mar cracked? "Yes, it would have been a white lipped smile.

Carlton stared meditatively at the open door after his visitor, had passed out. "Unless the signs fail, there is s bad quarter of an bour ahead for Bartels," be muttered, lazily amused, "and serves him right-the ass! A man must be saved from drowning, even if one is obliged to pull his hair in doing it; and a good, clean drown is nothing, compared with a dip in the dirty puddles of surely one's rest must always be sweet-Orodelphian gossip. One would hardly have reckoued Bartels_non compos either," he thoughtfully added, knocking the ashes from his pipe; "but that little Rodgers wretch," expressively pausing, while he impatiently twitched a match across his tropsers and lighted

his pipe again-"she! oh, Lord!" With a quick, nervous tread Anits blindly hurried down the street, a dul sensation of unreality possessing her, as if, she thought, she had died, and this was her ghost. So this was the end of it! of all that happiness which it had seemed they would take with them into eternity! Donald had tired of her. Whe could say when the subtle change had taken place, or for how long he had beer deceiving her with sweet, plausible words? But "It is vain to attempt to keep a secret from one that has a right to know it," said Emerson. "It will tell itself." It was her right to know this, and his secret had been revealed to her. She seemed to awake with a sort of stupid surprise, to find herself mechanically exchanging snsiling greetings with some passing friends; and presently, where a little child was crying, she stopped and spoiled a glove fishing a lost toy out of the irrigating ditch, noting curiously how her hand still trembled. On she roud, across a piece of dry ground bristling with cactus and soapweed, and nimlessly wandered on to the railroad track, almost hidden between its borders of rank suuflowers.

"I must get away by myself and think," she muttered. Nobody would open trestle work Anita stopped, gazing thoughtfully do a n at the murky torrent below, a dirty white from the gulch For all ailments of small children mining that was forturing the stream there is no better remedy than Dr. from its bed up the canyon. What if one should trip and fall? It would be

anybody. The water was not deep, but the current was strong; and surely such a fall would kill at once. One would be carried on down the stream as lightly and indifferently as that bit of chip dancing along there-dead to all pain of

How shocked people would be should such an accident befall her! And how they would hurry to snatch Donald from his jolly time with Mrs. Rogers to look his hast upon the poor dead face which so as to increase the price of that once had been the loveliest of all on earth staple. The resolutions state to him, for he had loved her! Nothing could rob her of the sweetness of believing that. - And in the last sad moment. when he came to press his farewell upon the stiff lips that never again would tremble with the joy of his touch, if only in pity for her the old feeling must spring remorsefully to life again for the time. But stay! She would be bruised by the fall, perhaps blotched and stained beyond recognition, and Donald liked the Alliance is right in recognizwomen to look sweet and fair. It would not do to have his last look at her like that. But there was a strange fascina- and demand that regulates the tion in this thought of death. What other escape did earth offer from its bur dens of pain?

steep gravely bank of the railroad to look across at the small bare cemetery on the southern mesa. The poorest land had been given to God's acre, its scanty ufactures for our cottor. crop of buffalo grass sere and brown from insufficient-irrigation, a white picket fence dividing it from the road in reduce the rcreage; next vote for barbed wire. A few cows had stolen into the inclosure and were complacently nipping at the scantily clothed sod. And what was that small shape, scarce distinguishable from the hue of the ground, lithely slipping under the fence, and scurrying up the steep killside? Anita watched the shifting blot with horror stricken eyes. She had heard of the coyotes that sometimes set on politics to pay very much came ravenously burrowing down into attention to anything else .new made graves. Yet what did it Kinston Free Press. mesa yonder would not be troubled how ever the ground were scratched above their heads. This was Nirvana:

Nameless quiet, nameless joy, Blossed Nirvana—sinless, stirless rest— The change that never changes. Suddenly she started back with a gesture of despair, her hand instinctively moving in the sign of the cross that had been her childhood's charm against evil exorable as to the duty of living. Her mother's creed had made it mortal sin had a strange sense of faintness and op to wish for death; and however little the pected that the Democrats would the more joyous in the living, it at least of her sun umbrella top were weakly patience under life's ills, with the awful Mr. Peffer and all the Alliance alternative of its hell. God forgive and help her! wildly stretching out imploring hands toward the grim old mounlittle conventional smile fixed on her tains, as it seemed to her, like prison Republicans who were dissatisthis environment which seemed press ley's legislation, and that their ing her down, on and on, while the long defection would secure Campssly added, moving to go.

"No; you could hardly expect him to years, till her fair hands had grown as bell's election. On the contrary brown and shriveled with age as the the news is that in the Democratdried leaf she idly picked up? the poor little hands-stretching them out and too bad that you should not enjoy the that must be empty of happiness always. People's party, taking many votes when once it seemed they had more than they could hold. A great wave of homesickness swept over her-a passionate pity for me to have missed it," with s longing for escape-to go back again to has usually been good for 1,400 the old home that in the softened haze Democratic majority, gave a maof memory seemed always as another jority of only 700. The Republiworld of heavenly peace and joy. In that flower scented air the weary soul should be wrapped in lulling repose, and trouble fall away like a wormout garment. Ah, the sweetness of going home like a tired child, if but to lie down on the bosom of old mother earth and rest! She felt so worn-so deadly tired; and



The cashier slowly worked the combina tion of the vault door. It was growing dark when Anita came laggingly back into the town, and the church bells were clamoring their invitations to the weekly prayer meeting Anita laughed bitterly as she heard them. Let the fools go and pray if they would-and wake one day to find all their cries and petitions of no more avail to move God's mercy than a puff cures for a stipulated sum. He was of wind. How many times had she convicted and took an appeal to the prayed, tears of passionate carnest in her | Supreme Court, which sustained the few days to hunt bear. For Anita there quickly took her away from the town: prayed, tears of passionate carnest in her decision of the lower court and held was a grain of comfort in the reflection and at length she turned aside from the power to hold forever Donald's love, the only good of life she had feared to lose proprietary medicine diagnoses a from Louishers, is offered for sale. and now, at last, she had God's answer!

To BE CONTINUED.

"Those who are not quite satisfied meet her here. A little way and the are the benefactors of the world," track crossed the creek, here rushing in and to these we wish to give good a myriad of foaming waterfalls far be advice. Use Old Saul's Catarrh Cure low its high banks. Midway across the when troubled with influenza or ca-

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children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS.

The Scotland Neck Alliance, ance than is embodied in this paraof Halifax county, passed a res- graph from the Petersburg Indexolution recommending that a con- Appeal: "One thing has been made vention of planters of cotton very clear by the election in Virginia growing states be called to dis- last Tuesday, and that is that the cuss and formulate some plan by which the acreage can be reduced, that the enormous crop of 1890 reduced the price from 11 to 7 their condition they desire to bring cents per pound, and expresses about they will not attempt any of the opinion that the "only relief it outside of the ranks of their paris the reduction of the acreage to ty." be planted in 1892."

This is a sensible move, and ing that it is the law of supply price. No legislation can be enacted that will increase the price Beyond the bridge, she climbed the of cotton, except to repeal the robbery tariff, which prevents foreigners exchanging their man-

The best thing to do first is to front, its remaining sides defined with the party that will reduce the

But the Free Press ventures the prediction that the Alliance leaders will take very little stock in a movement to reduce the acreage ni cotton. They are too much

THE PEOPLE'S PARTY HELPED MC KINLEY.

Instead of helping the Democratic ticket, the People's party in Ohio lost it quite a number of votes. Eastern Ohio is strongly Republican and western Ohio is strongly Democratic. It was exlose some in their strongholds, but Mr. Polk, Mr. Simpson and people said that their big gains would come from the old-time fied with Sherman's and McKinic northwestern part of the state the Alliancemen voted with the from the Democratic ticket. Allen county, for instance, which c in Alliancemed voted the whole hog, and thus the Democratic Alliancemen were left in the

IMPORTANT DECISION.

The Supreme Court of the State has recently rendered a decision of interest to physicians and also to Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Thomas & venders of proprietary medicines. Aycocks, Louisburg, and T. C. Jognes, At the Spring term, 1891. of the Franklinton, N. C. Superior Court of Washington county, action was brought against L. W. VanDoran for the statutory oflense created by chapter 181 of the Baltimore, and it still stands. Taws of 1889. The indictment charged him with unlawfully practis-ing and attempting to practice medicine and surgery, without having procured as required by law, a license irom the Board of Examiners of the State of North Carolina, or showing a d p'oma issuedby a regular Medical Conege prior to the 7th day of March, 1885, and not having obtained for the State of North Carolina, or showing a d p'oma issuedby a regular Medical Conege prior to the 7th day of March, 1885, and not having obtained for the State of North Carolina, or showing the State of North Carolina, or showing a distribution of the State of North Carolina, or showing a distributio the clerk a certificate of registration. On trial he pleaded that he had a diploma from a College in Chicago times t which he had lost, and that he did water. which he had lose, and not come legally under the classin-cation of physician in this State, as he prescribed only proprietary remedies prepared and sold by himself. It was shown that on several occapiain's without attracharges. Price 50 etc. Sold by Thomas & Aycocke, Louisburg, and T. C. Joyner, Franklinton, N. C. the opinion that when a vender of the late Gen. P. B. Hawkins, one mile the eyes of the law constitutes him a physician, and brings him within pale of the statute.—Oxford Ledger. or with the tract of land, containing

country humbugging the people; but as long as the people allow themselves to be humbugged, and as long ket. There is one of the best mendors as legitimate physicians sit still and in this section (outsining about 30 do nothing to break up these hum- aeres) on the tract. For further inf budgers just so long will t'ey "practice" their humbuggery.

No HIGHER tribute has or can be paid members of the Farmers All's members of the Farmers' Alliance consider it an organization for business only.' The majority of these members are Democrats and by their votes they have given notice that whatever reforms and betterment of

I I I I I I something which most people seek and which but few are indifferent to no matter in what form it presents itself. The word "pecuniary," which is often used in speaking of a man's riches, comes from the Latin word "pecus," which means "cattle," and shows that formerly a man's wealth was reckoned by the cattle he possessed. Abraham is said to have been "very rich in cattle, in silver, and in gold." But no matter in what a man's riches may consist, it is all vanity and vexastion of spirit, unless in connection therewith he has health. Emerson fully understood this when he said "the first wealth is health," and we have no doubt if he had knows the virtues of S. S. S. that he would have recommended its use to all persons suffering from the diseases for which it is recommended.

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