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CORBETT WILL NOT RETIRE.

James J. Corbett has finished his professional engagement in Cleveland, O. Before leaving he expressed himself as confident of winning the fight with Fitzsimmons, and d clared that he would enter the ring on that occasion in just as good condition as he was when he knocked out John L. Sulivan.

"I have been dieting myself and training moderately ever since I signed to fight Fitz," said Corbett, "and my condition is tiptop now. I am just as fast as when I fought Sullivan, and much stronger and a harder hitter. I have not outlined my plan of battle with the lanky fellow yet. In fact, I never know just how I am going to fight a man until I face him in the ring.

"I realize that Fitzsimmons is a dangerous hitter, but I have met hard hitters before. It is not my intention to hold my jaw out, and let Robert smash it at will. I think I can hit some myself, and, if I don't miss my guess, Fitz will feel my glove a few times. I honestly believe that the fight will not last more than fifteen rounds."

"There has been some talk to the effect that you would retire from the ring after this fight. Is that your intention?"

"No, I don't expect to retire I will retain the championship if I beat Fitz, and give some of those other aspiring ducks a chance. I am still a young man, and reports circulated by certain wise people to the contrary notwithstanding, I expect to be able to hold the title for some years to come."

LITTLE THINGS.

Little things are often the hardest thing. It is comparatively easy to do a momentary deed of daring that will startle everybody; it is not so easy to do little deeds of quiet courage from day to day, unheeded by all and unheeding all. Perhaps you are not called to do the great deed. But you are called every day to do the little deeds, which more surely wear out life and strength in the long run. Be glad that you are called to this; for this is the harder task, and he who is faithful here, will not be unfaithful in the easier great things.

Not every one knows good advice when he sees it. Most often the best advice does not tell a person in direct language just what he ought to do, and how he ought to do it. Good advice ought usually make one think before he acts. This helps to developed the whole man, by treating him as a rational being instead of making a machine of him. Show a man who needs advice what the condition of his case is, what results are likely to show themselves in the event of certain courses of action, and then let him choose what he will do.

Birthday Gift to Moody.

A determined effort is being made to secure a fund of $25,000 to build a chapel for the summer school at Northfield, Mass., to be presented to Dwight L. Moody on his sixtieth birthday, Feb. 5. The idea is to have half the money given in this country and half in England, and there is every indication of success.

The chapel, when built, will practically complete the chain of Northfield School buildings which has been evolved during the past fifteen years.

No Open Mills, says Bryan.

William J. Bryan, en route to Texas on a lecturing tour, spoke at the depot in Jackson, Tenn., Monday afternoon. He said there were more silver advocates now than the day before the election, and that as yet the Repulican party had failed to show the open mills any more than the open mints.

BY THREE MAJORITY.

PRITCHARD CHOSEN TO SUCCEED HIMSELF

IN THE SENATE.

Speeches Were Made by Pritchard, Russell and Skinner.

The vote for U. S. Senator on joint ballot on Wednesday at the State Capitol resulted as folows: Pritchard, Rep., 58; Thompson, Pop., 43; Doughton, Dem., 33; Pritchard's majorit, of the vote cast, 12; majority of the entire membership of the legislature, 3.

Senator Pritchard, in a speech after his election, said to his "Populist friends who had stood by him in this trying ordeal" that they would never have cause to regret their action; that he stood where he did two years ago; that he would in future as in past, keep every pledge; that his victory means much for the Republican party in the nation; that with a protective tariff prosperity would return.

Governor Russell then spoke, saying that he was not one of those who believed the Senatorial conflict between Populist and Republican parties will be in any way disa trous to those policies which they haue desired to carry out. By this he means division of offices.

Congressman Skinner, then spoke, declaring that the Populists who voted for Pritchard had done the best deed they had ever done for Republicanism and the cause of humanity; that it would not disintegrate the Populist party; that the Republicans ought to be given absolute power to bring prosperity to the people; that Populism had now bound Pritchard to its cause; that if in four years protection didn't bring prosperity, Pritchard would walk out of the next national convention and take North Carolina with him as Teller did Colorado.

Original Observations.

A stich in time saves many yards of thread.

No words of slander ever fell from a wagon tongue.

Nature puts up many parcels, but few contain prizes.

The cabbage head never suffers with the brain fever.

They never stop slaying even on bear ground in Wall street.

A bill defered until to morrow often drives a man to borrow.

A wood stove is not made of wood, neither is a sponge cake made of sponges.

A religion that could adapt itself to all kinds of business would find many votaries.

The cod-liver oil industry is said to be languishing. Another case of overproduction and lack of consumption.

The men who advertise in the FISHERMAN & FARMER are the men who have faith in what they have to sell. Having a good thing to offer they want to sell it because the more used the better satisfaction it gives.

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A TEN DAYS' SLEEP.

AND THE YOUNG WOMAN DOES NOT SHOW SIGNS OF AWAKENING.

Charlotte Pittilla, the young hat trimmer at Danbury, Conn., whose long period of unconsciousness is attracting medical attention, has entered her tenth day of continuous sleep without giving any indication of returning consciousness.

The most surprising feature of the case is the remarkable vitality which the girl has. She has been practically without nourishment since she became unconscious in the hat factory where she was at work, yet she is in such good physical condition today that medical opinion is that she will eventually awake and recover entirely from her ailment, whatever it is.

At times when efforts are made to arouse her, she appears to be sensible to pain, but at other times she remains in perfect stupor Her family believes that she is conscious of what is transpiring around her but has no power to express herself or to move.

The doctors are not able to determine whether this is so or not, neither have they been able to decide the cause of the girl's condition. Her relatives believe the reprimand of a factory foreman caused the trance. He is said to have scolded her just before she became afflicted with the peculiar malady.

NOT A WIDOW AFTER ALL.

AFTER TEN YEARS MOURNING MRS. THOMPSON DISCOVERS HER HUSBAND.

For about ten years Mrs. Hannah Thompson, of Vineland, N. J., has believed herself a widow. She had not seen her husband, John Thompson, for twenty years. Now she has just learned that he is alive and prosperous, and the matter of the discovery is one of the most curious features of the odd story.

One day, twenty years ago, John Thompson said: "Wife, times are hard; I cannot get work here and I have decided to go to Australia and seek my fortune."

John settled up his business, arranged a home for his wife and children, and one bright Summer morning, after promising to send for them as soon as fortune smiled upon him, he said goodbye and started off with his grip.

The couple corresponded constantly until ten years ago, when Mrs Thompson received her last letter from her husband, in which he said that he was about to embark for home by way of England, where he wished to visit relatives. Day after day the wife waited in vain for the glad moment of her husband's return. As the years rolled by and brought no tidings from him she began to fear that he had been shipwrecked on his voyage to England.

Recently Mrs. Thomason applied for a widow's penson, her husband having been wounded in the late war. A few days ago she received word from the Pension Bureau that her application had been rejected on the grounds of no title, the soldier being alive and having himself lately filed an application for a pension. Thompson is now living at Kingston, New South Wales, Australia, and is said to be a prosperous farmer. Mrs. Thompson and her two daughters are elated over the news that the husband and father is alive, and will write him.

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THOMAS D. BYRUM FOR COLLECTOR.

President Cleveland on Monday sent to the Senate the nomination of Thomas D. Byrum, of North Carolina, to be collector of Customs for the District of Albemarle, N. C.

A DISASTROUS FIRE.

On Tuesday afternoon the plaining mill of the Dixie mill company, located about five miles above the city of Mobile, Ala., on Mobile river, caught fire, and was totally consumed, there being no appliances sufficient to cope with the flames. They spread to the dry kilns and it was also consumed, with a large quantity of lumber both in the kilns, and in the yard. The saw mill was saved. The plant was valued at about $50,000, and was insured for about $25,000. During the progress of the fire sparks were carried by strong wind to the city powder magazine, near by, and the citizens of Mobile were alarmed at 5 o'clock by the report of a tremendous explosion, which shook many buildings, and broke window panes in the northern part of the city.

There were 50,000 pounds of powder and 300 pounds of dynamite stored in the magazine. The air in the vicinity was filled with flying bricks, and a number of cottages were blown to pieces by the terrific explosion which was distinctly heard at Spring Hill, seven miles west of the city, and at least ten or twelve miles from the explosion. No lives were lost.

TALMAGE ON TREATY.

AN ELOQUENT PRAYER FOR PEACE.

Dr. T. De Witt Talmage, in his Sunday morning sermon, referred to the arbitration treaty in the following language:

The mightiest, grandest movement for driving brutal war out of the earth dates from Jan. 11, 1897. The men who, on either side of the sea, did most to effect that plan of arbitration have made themselves immortal. The evening of the present Administration of the United States Government has been honored with the gladdest event of eighteen centuries. All civilized nations will copy the sublime example.

I implore the illustrious Senate of the United States to allow nothing to interfere with a vote of ratification, that the bells of all Christendom may ring out "Peace on earth, good will to men."

Senators, many of you my personal friends, let me say that this is the opportunity of your lives. By emphatic and enthusiastic vote rise to the splendor of the occasion and win the favor of all the good of earth and the Almighty of Heaven. Let the "Aye" of our American Senate resound through all the capitals of Europe and make all the arsenals and armories of the world hear that there shall be no more murder among nations.

The worst thing you can do for a man is to kill him. The best thing you can do for a man is to save him.

Captured Maceo's Body.

A letter has been received at Jacksonville, Fla., by one of the representatives in that city of the Cuban junta confiring dispatches of last Friday giving an account of the death of General Maceo. The letter is from Lieutenant Colonel Hernandez, who was encamped with a company of cavalry and other forces near where Maceo was ambushed. Hearing the gring he hurried to the scene, and was told that Maceo was killed and his body was in possession of the Spaniards. The insurgents charged the troops repeatedly, and finally succeeded in capturing the body, which was afterward buried secretly in a safe place. The insurgents are reported to be encamped witnin nine miles of Havana.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Sixteen Orphans Cremated at Their Asylum Near Dalas, Texas.

Horrible Beyond Description.

NINE OTHERS WHO ESCAPED CREMATION INJURED AND THREE WILL DIE.

Last Saturday, the 16th, the Buckner Orphans' Home, located near Dalas, Texas, was completely destroyed by fire. Sixteen children were cremated, and nine injured, three of them fatally. The fire was discovered about midnight. Mrs. Britton, the boys' matron, had been in bed some time when she was suddenly awakened by a smell of smoke. She jumped to the floor but found it so hot she could not stand on it, and she immediately raised the cry of fire. The attaches were hastily aroused and sent in all directions to arouse the children.

Such was Mrs. Britton's anxiety for the safety of the inmates that she forgot her own children, and despite her frantic efforts at rescue they were burned to death.

The fire is believed to have originated in the room under that occupied by Mrs. Britton. Before Mrs. Britton retired for the night she had the boys clean out and prepare a stove situated in the room just under her for the morning fire. She then sent one of the largest boys to see if the work had been properly done. He reported that everything was all right, but it is believed some live coals were scattered on the carpet near the stove, which ignited and soon spread to the woodwork. The building was of wood and the fire communicated to its various wings with increditable rapidity. The children were hastily aroused and hurried out of the building, wrapped in their night clothes and bed quilts.

All were badly frightened, and when the shrieks of those who were being cremated in the roaring mass of flames reached their ears they became almost unmanageable, and were with difficulty prevented from rushing into the fire in an effort at rescue.

The building was soon destroyed, and at daylight the work of searching the ruins was taken up. All the farmers in the vicinity turned out and assisted in making coffins, digging graves, etc. There were 147 boys and more than 100 girls in the home, but all are accounted for.

The home is ten miles from Dallas, and it would have been impossible to get aid out in time had it been requested.

An Experienced Woman's Choice.

The Paris (Ky.) News tell of a queer character, who for number of years has been an inmate of the Bourbon County Infirmary She is 75 years old, is now living with her seventh husband, and has changed her religion five times. As the widow of her sixth husband she was entitled to a pension, and application for the bounty was quickly followed by a request for a permit to take unto herself husband No. 7, who is blind; Being advised that the marriage would invalidate her pension claim, she was told to choose between a pension and a husband. She meditated a moment, and replied: "I don't know the value of a pension, but I do know a husband's value. Gimme the husban."

If man feared the displeasure of God as much as he does that of his fellowman, the paths of sin would need mowing.—Orange (Va.) *Observer.*

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FOUR PLACES FILLED.

Maj. McKinley getting his Cabinet Together.

[Washington Post.]

The announcement made in the Post sone two weeks ago that Judge Joseph McKenna, of California, would be a member of President McKinley's Cabinet can now be positively confirmed. Ex-Governor and ex-Congressmen Long, of Massachusetts, having yesterday accepten the portfolio of the Navy, there are at least four places in the Cabinet absolutely fillen, as follows:

Secretary of State—John Sherman, of Ohio.

Secretary of the Navy—John D. Long, of Massachusetts

Secretary of the Interior—Joseph McKenna of California.

Secretary of Agriculture—Jas. H. Wilson, of Iowa.

It is said to be also a certainty that General Alger, of Michigan will go in as Secretary of War, but even his closest friends will not admit that Mr. McKinley has done anything more than to listen to their praises of the Michigan man. No promises seem to have been made.

LYNCHING FIENDS.

A special to the Scripps-McRae Press Association from New Orleans, La., says: A mob of 200 men broke into the Amile city jail Tuespay night and secured John Johnson, Archie Joiner and Gus Williams, the negro murderers. The force of deputies which guarded the jail made a stubborn resistance, but were overpowered.—Williams was hanged in front of the jail. The mob then proceeded from Amite with the other two, to Tickfaw, La., where at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning Johnson was burned at a stake and Joiner shot to death. Johdson was taken to the home of the cotton family, his victims, bound to a stake, a torch applied to the fagots, and slowly tortured to death. He denied some of his former statements and blamed Joiner, but admitted that he was guilty of the muders with which he was charged. Joiner was put to death, ane protested his innocence. His body was filled with bullets from the guns of the mob. Johnson is the self-confessed murderer of Mr. and Mrs. John Cotton, Mrs. Agnes Stevenson, Miss. Lizzie Miller and Mervin Miller.

News come from New Orleans, La., of the lynching of a muderous negro highwayman near White Castle, on the Texas and Pacific road, Saturday night. A plantation engineer named Beauvis went to White Castle Saturday night. Returning home he walked along the railroad track. He overtook an unknown negro, and together they walked some distance, when suddenly the negro fell behind and knocked Beauvis down with a blow. He beat the engineeer about the head and face until he appeared to be dead.

Beauvis lay unconscious for some time, but recovered his senses sufficiently to make his way to a house not far away. He had been robbed of a small sum of money and some valuables. The news of the affair spread, and very soon the guilty negro was found and fully identified. He was placed in the lockup at White Castle, but at a late hour a mob took him out and hung him. Beauvis was brought to this city for medical attention, and will recover from his severe injuries.

Little Girl Killed by a Train.

Last Monday morning a little girl about 13 years old, daughter of Mr. Etheridge Cheek, while crossing the railroad at Haw River, N. C., was struck by a fast train, which knocked her about 40 feet, killing her almost instantly.

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