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## STUDY THE FIGURES.

Statistics show that during the last census year 16,445 married men succumbed to insanity and 30,220 bachelors; but the order was reversed in the case of women, for 21,988 married women lost their minds while only 19,677 single women went into lunacy.

In commenting on this phenomena Dr. Lelyia Bedele remarked that it is the male dog that takes hydrophobia. It is possible that insanity is chiefly undignous to the masculine cerebrum and that 21,988 women every year lose their balance at trying to keep their husbands compus mentus, while 16,445 fail, and that 19,677 of the single women go mad in their anxiety to save the men that won't accept their good offices? As for the 30,220 bachelors that go crazy, they show that they have a good start when they refuse or delay to avail themselves of the anchor in life's harbor—a good and ever self-denying bosom companion.

It is not a censurable ambition of people to desire a reception by the President and his wife, but at the supreme moment people often lose their equilibrium or find that the little set speech they had made up for the occasion does not suit after all. A lady recently under the weight of the crisis said to the mistress of the White House: "It is a mutual pleasure to meet you" correcting her mistake by calling out as she was passed down the line, "I meant to say the pleasure is all on your side."

Claude Bernard having been handed out a hunk of pie three times as large as he is, will kindly stand away from the counter, and let some of the other Shookites come forward.—Charlotte News.

Senator Pritchard must feel, regarding the Federal judgeship, like the little boy who ate so much roast beef that he couldn't take advantage of the ice cream and cake.—Charlotte News.

## To Harness the Ocean.

The New York Press says: Thomas Edison, Jr., has evolved a plan for the utilization of power in the production of light, heat and electricity which, if carried into effect, will revolutionize the industrial world in a more radical manner than have all the inventions of his illustrious father.

Young Edison proposes to harness the ocean and compel it to do the bidding of man.

"My plan," said he, "is so simple, and, I believe, practical, that there will be little trouble in obtaining the necessary capital. I would erect an iron pier at sea beyond the breakers, where we could get natural roll of the ocean waves. Under this pier would be placed floats. Each float would be as large as possible, but small enough to rise on the top of the swells and sink into the trough between them.

"The pier is to be anchored to the bottom of the ocean and remain stationary. The floats will be connected with the pistons of cylinders, which will pump air into a great compressor. From this the air will pass to engines, which will in turn run electric dynamos. The current will be taken ashore on insulated wires."

[This motive power is not original probably with Mr. Edison, as a friend of some inventive genius and special mechanical skill impressed our mind as much as two years ago of the power thus obtainable from the heavings of old ocean's bosom.]

## Bits of Wisdom.

It is a short lane where all the tenants pay their rent promptly.

If one expects to get a square meal, he must pay a round price for it.

It is not natural that a man should go wild when he has been made game of.

Although a needle has an eye in its head it is not able to see its own point.

A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush; but this is not the opinion of the bird.

A woman's glory is her tresses. All above them at least, at the theater, are distractions.

It is not easy to convince a deaf man that the bark of a dog that has attacked him is worse than his bite.

Some people are like nails. They have to be thumped on the head to make them go straight.—Boston Transcript.

The Senate Friday confirmed the nomination of Attorney General McKenney for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. Senator Allen, of Nebraska, opposed the confirmation in a three hours speech but to no avail. It would be rather bad to say that President McKinley's selection for Attorney General of the United States is unfit for a place on the Supreme Court bench.

The most wonderful curiosity that the Journal has ever run up against is a hen belonging to Mr. David A. Coon, of Howard's Creek township. The hen is an Indian Game. Beginning at the root of its bill and continuing to the tip of its tail, the feathers on one side are as black as a crow, while the feathers on the other side are yellow.—Lincoln Journal.

The commonest kind of cheerful giver is the one who gives nothing but good advice.

## Bridge Across Hiwassee River.

The Murphy Scout calls attention to an important incident which has just transpired in that section. The bridge across the Hiwassee river at that town; by which connection is made between the Western North Carolina road and the Knoxville Southern railroad, is completed, and trains are now running over it. This gives connection now from Asheville by way of Murphy to Atlanta, and to Knoxville, and will no doubt prove a very important one in the handling of passengers, especially from the Southwest. The route all the way from Chattanooga, and Atlanta via Murphy to Asheville is through the grandest mountain scenery east of the Rockies, and this connection brings it at once into use. The canyon of the Manthabala alone is worth a trip over this road.

## Free of Charge to Sufferers

Cut this out and take it to your druggist and get a sample bottle free of Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. They do not ask you to buy before trying. This will show you the great merits of this truly wonderful remedy, and show you what can be accomplished by the regular size bottle. This is no experiment, and would be disastrous to the proprietors, did they not know it would cure. Many best physicians are now using it in their practice with great results, and are relying on it in most severe cases. It is guaranteed. Trial bottles free at P. B. Fetzer's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00.

Phrenologists say a type of man sure to be long-lived has, besides a large brain, a large heart and lungs, long trunk and a deep-seated brain, shown by the orifice of the ear being below the line of the eye. A blue, hazel or brown eye is also a favorable sign, as are large nostrils, a long, heavy palm and short fingers. Children of this type mature very slowly, and are never precocious in their studies.—Greensboro Patriot.

## OUR LIVE BUSINESS MEN.

Bell, Harris & Co., furniture dealers and undertakers.

D. J. Bostian, racket store.

Dr. N. D. Fetzer, drug store.

Cannon & Fetzer Co., dry goods and clothing.

Concord Steam Laundry, laundry.

Odell Manufacturing Co., dealers in general merchandise.

G. W. Patterson, wholesale dealer.

Brown Bros., liverymen.

Dry & Miller, shoe dealers.

Dr. J. P. Gibson, drugs.

Craven Bros., furniture dealers and undertakers.

A. J. & J. F. Yorke, jewelry.

Cabarrus Savings Bank.

Concord National Bank.

Ervin & Smith, groceries.

K. L. Craven, coal dealer.

J. A. C. Blackwelder, coal dealer.

## STATE OF OHIO.

CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY,  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, the 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

SEAL, A. W. GLEASON,  
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.  
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Wide Sheetings.  
46 inch bleached Pillowcase at 12c, 8-4 unbleached sheeting 15c.

9-4 do do 16 2-3c, bleached 20c.

Blankets 25c per pound  
3 pound feather pillows 50c each  
Counterpanes 48c up.

Lace curtains 68c per pair up.

Remnants of Sateen Drapery 15c y'd.

Printed Denim 12 1-2c, Silkoline 7 1/2 to 10c.

Embroidery serim at 12c yard. A full line of embroidery threads on hand.

Curtain Poles 22 1-2c up.

Shades 25c up.

Nice assortment of Tidies, Lambrequines, Pillace and Table Covers.

2 tin cups for 5c or 1 granite cup 5c.

Wash basins, tin 3c up, granite 10c.

Dippers, tin 5c, granite 10 to 15c.

Deep pans, tin 3c up, granite 10c up.

Coffee pots, tin, 5c up granite 50c.

Dish pans, Tin 10c up, granite 50c.

Bread Pans, old style 10c up. New style bakes a long round roll, 12c.

Graters 4 to 10c, egg beaters 2 1-2 to 10c, 1 quart measurers 5c, 1 gallon cups 5c, child's painted cups 2c.

Waifers 5 to 15c, bread & cake boxes 48c up, Turkey cash boxes with lock and 2 keys 60c, 10 quart open buckets at 10c, covered buckets 5c up.

Painted slop buckets with lid 25c. Full sized toilet sets 98c to \$1.90. Animal cake cutters 35c dozen up. Case of Spice boxes 48c. Flour sifters 12c. Pie pans 2 1-2c. Child's painted trays 25c.

Granite rice boilers 2 vessels at 75c.

Stew pots, tin 10c, granite 20 & 25c.

Galvanized foot tubs 30c.

Galvanized coal hod 25c.

12 qt. do buckets 20c.

Tin coffee flasks 5c to 7c. Escalloped edge cake knives 25c.

Funnels 3c up, coffee pot 5c, gravey strainers 4c, tea strainers 4c, sou strainers 10c, collanders 10c, Tea spoons 5c set, table spoons 9c set up, Wood chair seats 5c, carpet tacks 1c up.

We can save you money on anything we carry, and our line is as varied as any stores in town.

Respectfully,

D. J. Bostian.

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