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SAN JONES' LETTER.

Atlanta Journal.

I have spent this week in Marietta. Although I have been busy preaching twice a day in the revival meeting, I have had time to visit with friends, to meet many people of Marietta socially, and to ride around over the town. I am charmed with her people and wonder at the growth of Atlanta's nearest rival. It has been some years since I have mingled much with the people here or known much of their growth and development. I believe the next census will show Marietta to have a population of ten thousand or more people. So many elegant homes are being built at this time.

It is a pleasure and a joy to mingle socially with men like Senator Clay, Bob Northcutt, Montair Sessions; men like Power, Awrey, Glover, Brumby, McClatchy, Boone, McNeal, etc. Not only has this been a week of work, but it has been a week of great pleasure to myself and wife, and a week of great religious enjoyment, for scarcely in my life have I witnessed such scenes as have occurred in the great warehouse where the meetings are held day after day. The feuds and factions which have existed in this town for years have been swept away and Marietta no doubt, will have a unity of sentiment and feeling in all things, which will be a mighty factor not only in building up the town in every way, but it will be elevating and helpful to the churches and moral sentiment.

The meetings have been largely attended and so universally enjoyed that they must leave a blessed influence on the hearts and the homes of the people. Hundreds of people from Atlanta, Cartersville, Acworth, Smyrna, Roswell and the regions round about, have come in and have enjoyed the wonderful influence at work here.

Politics divide men and frequently engenders strife, but Christianity is a peace influence, for the Prince of Peace is its author. How good and how pleasant it is to see brethren dwelling together in unity, and whatever shall make for peace among men, is the divinest and best influence that can come to us. We are frail mortal beings and left to ourselves we frequently go astray, but when the higher and better influences pervade our lives, it makes us not only akin to each other, but we realize that God is our father and each man is brother to the other.

The blacksmith preacher from Knoxville, Tenn., has been a mighty force in this meeting in his prayers and exhortations. It is a unique service he holds in the park at 5 o'clock every afternoon. He is about as rough on grammar as he is on the devil. He is a charming personality and instructs you while he amuses you. And when he tells the people they "has more sense about religion than anything else," they laugh at his grammar, but feel the force of the truth he has uttered. When he tells them "Takes, thou art weighed in the balances and found wanting," they know he means to quote a great Scriptural truth without any reference to Mr. Tokel.

Evangelist Holcombe, of North Carolina, is a clean, winsome, splendid preacher. He has captivated the people of this town. The more they hear him and see of him, the more they are impressed by his effective preaching and the closer they are drawn to his kindly heart. Charlie Tillman has sung himself hoarse, but he still beats the air with his hands and makes the other sing and the welkin ring. A finer and a larger choir I have scarcely ever had in music. In fact, the people have been of one mind and one spirit. There has been less criticism, fault-finding and sacking in this meeting than in any I have ever conducted. Every fellow seems to fall in line and to catch step, and they are marching day by day to higher and better things. Mrs. Annie Laurie Conyers, of Cartersville, has sung her way into the hearts of the people. Van Bell, the Christian engineer, was with us in two services this week. His talks to the people made a profound impression. Van Bell has run his engine through this town three hundred and sixty-five days in the year for more than twenty years. His life is one continual sermon, loved by the railroad men and he has also gained the confidence and esteem of all the people along the way.

It is well enough that now and then we turn aside from business and from politics and the things that produce friction and care and anxiety, and turn the heart and mind to energies which minister to the soul and help the life and elevate the world. Business has its place, politics are a necessary evil, it seems. But there is something better than politics, better than dollars, better than position, a coexistence void of offense, the love and esteem of your neighbor, the approval of God. All

these things should be sought after as the summa bonum, for at fifty-eight years of age, I affirm that my eyes have seen enough of life to know that after all there is nothing true but heaven, and that if we only have the things of this life, and nothing more we are surely of all men most miserable.

I shall carry away from Marietta most pleasant memories and friendships which I trust shall last when the stars have gone out and when we shall enter the world that has no need of the sun. Next to my hope of heaven, I value my friends. My friends have always been to me, what the crutches are to the cripple, the means of walking, and otherwise, I could not have walked at all. I had rather lean on one trusted, tried friend than fight and conquer a thousand enemies. Marietta has had a peace conference; the protocol has been signed and peace terms have been agreed upon, and there will be no riots upon the streets of this town because peace terms are unsatisfactory, like Japan and Russia have just gone through.

I wish I could see Atlanta as universally under the influence of and as marvelously moved by the Divine power as I have seen this beautiful young city.

With best wishes along this line to all the race of man, I am,

Yours very sincerely,

SAN JONES.

P. S.—I approve the spirit, maybe, more than the theology of the fellow who declared in the meeting one morning, that he never knew until the night before that there was a God or a devil, either, but, thank God, said he, "I know there is both now, and I love them both."

S. P. J.

Peruna Co. Sues Ladies' Home Journal for \$250,000.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Suits began in the Superior Court today for \$250,000 damages against the Curtis Publishing Company, publishers of the Ladies' Home Journal. Samuel B. Hartman, proprietor of the Peruna Medicine Co., is the plaintiff in the suit.

In the August issue of the Journal, the declaration says that an advertisement of the Peruna Company contained a testimonial from Congressman Geo. H. White, of North Carolina. In the next issue of the magazine, the declaration alleges that the testimonial was reprinted, but with it was a signed denial from Congressman White that he had given the testimonial to the medicine company.

This denial, Hartman alleges, was secured through a misunderstanding, as Congressman White, it is said in the declaration, signed the original testimonial.

Whiskey 100 Years Old in Church Wall.

Philadelphia Record.

Concealed somewhere in the old Presbyterian church at Fairton there is said to be a bottle of whiskey at least 100 years old. When the edifice was being built, it is said, the workmen struck for whiskey, which in those days seemed to be a necessity. A quart was furnished them, but according to Hoesa Husted, then an apprentice, the liquor was so "onery" that the man couldn't drink it, but buried it in the walls. Robert Weescoat, who relates the incident, says the bottle is still there.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

Why your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at all Druggists, price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

John Hodgketh, colored, of Morgantown, known as "Scalesy John," was crushed between the cars of a freight train at Newton Friday night and killed. His rough, thick skin resembled a rattlesnake and in the springtime, about the time the snakes come out from their winter quarters and begin shedding, John's tough, scaly hide would begin to peel off, hence the name—Scalesy John. For some time he had been hobnobbing up and down the road on freight trains. The railroad people buried his remains at Newton.

A Remedy Without a Peer.

"I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used for stomach trouble," says J. P. Klote, of Edina, Mo. For any disorder of the stomach, biliousness or constipation, these Tablets are without a peer. For sale by M. L. Marsh and D. D. Johnson.

Mrs. Louise Pressly, wife of Rev. Dr. F. Y. Pressly, president of Erskine College, Due West, S. C., died Monday. Her husband survives. They had no children.

TOOK THE MAN'S HEART IN HIS HAND, THEN REPLACED IT.

Philadelphia Dispatch.

The removal of a man's beating heart from his body and its replacement after a bullet had been extracted from the region adjacent to the pulsating organ is the remarkable achievement of medical science just accomplished by the physicians at the Germantown hospital. The patient is Frank Robinson, 23 years old. He became a subject of surgical attention as the result of an altercation on his way with Policeman Morley, of Germantown, on September 7.

The policeman's bullet entered Robinson's left breast, directly on a line with his heart. He was hurried to the Germantown hospital, where, after an examination, it was concluded his heart had been struck, and it was believed he could not live more than a few hours.

When he continued to live for 24 hours some of the most eminent physicians of the city were called into consultation to find if it was possible to open up the chest and remove the heart for an examination. One distinguished master of surgery volunteered to perform the operation.

To carry it out portions of two ribs had to be removed, exposing the heart to full view. No evidence of a bullet could be seen, so the surgeon carefully removed the delicate organ from the body, and holding it in his hands, made a minute and thorough examination.

As soon as it was taken from the body, it was observed that the heart seemed to beat more vigorously and with greater regularity. Attention was then given to the fleshy environment in the heart region of the chest, which was found to be considerably inflamed.

For nearly an hour the search for the seat of the trouble was continued before the lodgement of the bullet was located. The leaden missile was found to be imbedded in the flesh within an inch of the heart, upon which it had caused pressure.

There is every probability that the patient will recover.

After Whiskey Medicines.

Speaking of whiskey frauds reminds us, too, that one of the most common whiskey frauds is the sale as "medicine" of many preparations that contain no notable ingredients except whiskey. It is interesting therefore to observe that the Commissioner of Internal Revenue last week "reversed a ruling of his Department made many years ago, and now decides that the manufacturers and liquor dealers, and that druggists and other handling will have to pay the usual retail liquor dealers' license. The Commissioner, in a letter of instruction to collectors of internal revenue, says that there are a number of compounds on the market going under the names of medicines that are composed chiefly of distilled spirits, without the addition of drugs or medicines in sufficient quantities to change materially the character of the whiskey."

The woman who can't rule some man with a marriage certificate is the one who wants to rule him with a ballot.

Blame a woman for her extravagance in dress and she will blame the man for manufacturing pretty things for her to wear.

It is easy to forgive the man who has wronged the other fellow.

DON'T SPECULATE.

News and Observer.

At least ninety men out of one hundred who speculate in cotton lose money. The man who thinks he knows all about cotton may at first make some money, but if he sticks to the gambling (for all the cotton margin business is gambling) he will find that "at the last it stings like a serpent and biteth like an adder." The farmer who holds his cotton in the expectation of higher prices because of bad crop conditions is doing the proper thing in view of the action of the Southern Association. The farmer who puts up money on a bet that cotton will go up is doing a very dangerous thing and is very near the gambling line if not over the border line. The professional betters are at the spot and they can sell quick and shift their position. If there is money to be made, they'll get it, but the farmer is at his home and if it were right to gamble on the price of cotton, he ought not to do it because it will work demoralization.

Some Things Women Won't Do.

Kansas City Journal.

A loafer on the street, whose wife was probably at home getting out a neighbor's washing to make money to buy the children shoes, asked a busy man the other day if he ever saw a bald-headed woman. "No, I never did," replied the busy man. "And I never saw a woman walking around town in her shirt sleeves with a cigar in her teeth and running into every saloon she saw. Neither did I ever see a woman sitting all day at the street corner on a dry goods box telling people the secretary of the treasury should run the national finances. I have never seen a woman go fishing with a bottle in her pocket, sit on the bank all day and go home drunk at night. Nor have I ever seen a woman yank off her coat and say she could lick any man in town."

It makes no difference how long you have been sick, if you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

ROOSEVELT'S \$4 SUIT.

During the recent spell Consul General Wynne appeared at his office in a light suit of clothes.

"If America we dress according to the weather," said Mr. Wynne. "I guess the English dress according to the fashion."

"The last time I saw President Roosevelt I wore these same clothes. It was at the White House at Washington end, of course, the suit was a little free and easy for an official visit. So I apologized."

"Mr. President," I said, "I must make my excuses for appearing before such a great person as yourself, and on such an important occasion, in an outfit that cost \$6." The President stared at me and then seized my arm. "How much did you say?" he asked. "Six dollars, Mr. President." He burst out laughing. "Well, I have beaten you," he cried, "I am nearer to the people than you are. This suit of mine cost me only \$4!"

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Cured of Lame Back After 15 Years of Suffering.

"I had been troubled with lame back for fifteen years and I found a complete recovery in the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm," says John G. Bisher, Gilman, Ind. This liniment is also without an equal for sprains and bruises. It is for sale by M. L. Marsh and D. D. Johnson.

DRAGGING

down pains are a symptom of the most serious trouble which can attack a woman, viz: falling of the womb. With this, generally, come irregular, painful, scanty or profuse periods, wasteful, weakening drains, dreadful backache, headache, nervousness, dizziness, irritability, tired feeling, inability to walk, loss of appetite, color and beauty. The cure is

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"I SUFFERED AWFUL PAIN

in my womb and ovaries," writes Mrs. Naomi Blake, of Webster Groves, Mo. "Also in my right and left sides, and my menses were very painful and irregular. Since taking Cardui, I feel like a new woman, and do not suffer as I did. It is the best medicine I ever had in my house."



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