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The Law

of health has no uniformed guardians of the peace. If it had there would be almost innumerable in every restaurant every day of the year. Both in the quantity and quality of the food they eat and in the manner of its consumption men and women sin each day against the laws of health.
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Athens, Tenn., Jan. 27, 1901.
Ever since the first appearance of my disease I have been suffering with great pain in my hips, back, stomach and legs, with terrible shooting pains in the abdomen. During the past month I have been unable to walk and I have been unable to sleep. I have passed the month of December without pain for the first time in years.
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THE SCHLEY INVESTIGATION, THE COURT AND THE ADVOCATE.

Lemly's Speech the Last Exploring Agony of a Defeated Combination—Tame, Flat and Fallacious as Compared With the Sweeping, Overwhelming Argument of the Brilliant Baltimore Lawyer for the Brave, Gallant and Very Meritorious Hero of the Sea Fight off Santiago.

Commenting on the closing scenes of the Schley Court of Inquiry the *Wilmington Messenger* says:
Captain Lemly made the closing speech. It was the last agony of a defeated combination. It showed how very weak is the case of the unworthy prosecution. For this he deserves no credit. He simply did not have a leg to stand upon. He conducted the prosecution with a paramount desire to ruin, to blast the good name and brilliant record as a naval commander of the distinguished son of Maryland. At the last Lemly bore himself better and although eager to destroy Schley he kept within the bounds of decency, of legal decorum. He is praised for his moderation, but he was not always that in his efforts to convict a pure, noble, innocent man. In spite of the great victory of Schley he charged that he was unsteady in purpose and disobeyed orders. We believe the whole thing from first to last was a most foul conspiracy, and the man engaged had no real conception of the strength of Schley's case. The court will carefully revise the whole testimony and then report results. The country expects a fair, conclusive, complete vindication of the great comrade.

Mr. Rayner has returned to his home in Baltimore. He thinks the court was composed of remarkable men. We quote a pleasant tribute to Admiral Dewey as a jurist, we find in *The Sun* of that city: "Admiral Dewey told me he came from a family of jurists and that he heard a great deal of law before going to sea. This was in answer to my question as to how he could decide so readily upon technical questions of law. I had no idea that the hero of Manila had the qualifications of a great judge without perhaps ever having read a law book."

He even praised Lemly and says that he had had an exceedingly delicate duty to perform. He was personally very friendly to Admiral Schley, and it fell upon him to conduct this case against him. He acted with a becoming degree of impartiality. I believe."

Of the great Rear Admiral he spoke in exalted strain of eulogy. He was asked:
What impression did Admiral Schley make upon those connected with him in the case? "He was then asked of Mr. Rayner. He replied:
"He could make but one impression. He is as brave and fearless a man as ever breathed fire of battle. He is great in every quality that constitutes greatness. In this battle of words and thoughts he stood as steadfast as he did in the battle of Santiago. His presence, his firm conviction that he had performed his duty for his country and his exultant spirit in every moment of this trial became an inspiration to us. Schley is not only a great naval hero, but he is a scholar and a man of the most brilliant accomplishments. His journey to and from the courthouse was an ovation and a triumphal procession from the commencement of the trial to its close."
Thus, closes the most famous, the most magnificent, the most infamous persecution of naval record and modern times. No other great victor in a great battle was ever put on trial to prove his own fair name and to rebut the assaults and calumnies of a most vile conspiracy. We make another extract from his reported conversation:
"The other side had all the resources of the government of the United States to draw upon at a moment's notice, and upon all every thing was at their bidding, from every officer and subordinate employe of the navy department. Mr. Hanna, the solicitor in the Judge Advocate General's office, tried the case admirably."

The great speech of the great lawyer is published not long hence. It will appear in a pamphlet of 150 pages. It is a review of every episode from the time Admiral Schley left Key West until the destruction of the Spanish fleet off Santiago.
Of this truly magnificent effort *The Sun* says editorially that it "was a masterpiece of eloquence, of logic and of analysis." We may add that it contains some of the keenest thrusts, the most withering sarcasms and ridicule, and some high and very impressive eloquence, highly finished, and of an admirably sustained. It made a very great impression on the auditors. *The Sun* says:
"Mr. Rayner has displayed something more than eloquence and wit in his presentation of the defense of Admiral Schley, as fine as his eloquence and wit. He has not relied upon sentiment or ridicule to obtain a vindication for his client, but has established his case by clear and relentless logic, and by reasoning of the most convincing character. He should not lose sight of the malignity and the calumny attempted. It was a devilish attempt to despoil and ruin a brave, meritorious, innocent man. Says *The Sun*:
"The enemies of Admiral Schley were powerful. They intended to

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THE SONG OF THE PRINTER.
Pick and click.
Goes the type in the stick,
And his fingers pick
His eyes glance quick, and his fingers pick
With pick and click.
And one by one the letters go,
Words are piled up steady and slow—
But still they grow.
And words of fire they soon will glow:
Wonderful words that without a sound
Traverse the earth to its utmost bound.
The tyrant quakes.
And the fetters of the oppressed shall break.
Words that can enable an army's might,
Or treble its strength in a righteous fight;
Yet the type they look but leaden and dumb.
As he puts them in place with finger and thumb.
And his printer smiles,
By chanting a song as the letters he piles,
And a little leaden die,
Like the world's chronometer, tick tick tick!
O, what is the man with such simple tools
Can govern the world as I?
With a printing press, an iron stick,
And a little leaden die,
I support the Right, and the Wrong attack.
Say, where is he, or who may he be,
That can rival the printer's power?
To no man's that live the wall doth he give.
Their say lasts only an hour;
While the printer still grows, and no one
When his might shall cease to tower!

Dewey Retrieves His Popularity.
Greensboro Record.
Admiral Dewey's dignity slightly impaired in the public eye by one or two rather untimely moves of his a year or so ago, is fully retrieved by his conduct which once more brought prominently forward as presiding judge in the Schley investigation. The good Admiral hitherto, gave the impression of being very awkward on land, especially when confronted with the lures and intricacies of matrimony and of politics. But it appears now in his impartial rulings, in his skill and decision in keeping out of the testimony irrelevant matter, that he has a good, clear head and sound judgment under the cross and sound judgment under the cross, as well as under the range of Spanish guns. It seems that Admiral Dewey has found his land legs, and stands very staunchly upon them.

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House Cleaning Time.
Orange (Va.) Observer.
They have taken up the carpets; they are beating them with clubs; from the morning till the evening how the busy housewife scrubs! Oh, the smell of paint and varnish hanging heavy on the air, and in human habitations chaos reigneth everywhere. When the evening meal is ready and you have sat down to eat, there is soap suds in the gravy and stove polish on the meat. Oh, a woe place to live in is this old terrestrial ball, when house cleaning is in progress in the spring and in the fall!

GOOD NEWS comes from those who take Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, dyspepsia and rheumatism. Reports agree that HOOD'S CURES

Current Comments on Men and Things.
Washington Post.
It would seem that our laws are framed for the protection of persons like Oberlin M. Carter.
The late President Snow left wives to the number of thirteen. He was not a superstitious Mormon.
Gen. Young says the Filipinos are terrible liars, and they likely possess other traits of the American politician.
Of course, if Minister Wu desires to quit the Chinese business, he will find this a very desirable country in which to locate.
At any rate, the Hon. J. Hampton Hoge may reserve the right to feel that it was the Booker Washington dinner that did the business for him.
Secretary Long is said to be trying to defend Mr. Crowsinshield to a number of personal correspondents. The Secretary must be a rather busy person.
Mayor-elect Seth Low says he will not be bothered by place hunters. Yet, it has been but a few days since the gentleman himself was a most strenuous place hunter.
There will be little sympathy for Kentucky Republicans. The sort of statesmanship that makes war on women who hold small postoffices can easily be spared.
Dr. Swallow is disposed to attribute his conviction on a charge of lying to the wicked influence of Mr. Quay. This is a reflection upon the nine ministers who heard the evidence and rendered a unanimous verdict.
But mere captives cannot be promoted to admirals," declares a mistaken contemporary in discussing the cases of Cook and Clark. We have a notion that something of that sort was done in the case of one Capt. William T. Sampson.
The fellow-workers of Dr. Swallow, late Prohibition candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania, have decided that he was guilty of bearing false witness against his neighbor and he has been suspended from the ministry. The political preacher usually excuses an unpleasant finish.

Non-Charity for the Idle.
New Berne Journal.
With the return of cool weather, and the approach of winter weather, there must come to a large class of the negro race, the thought of how shall pass through the months when shelter, heat and food must be had, in order that life can be maintained.
It is this class of idle negroes who can live during the warm months without doing work, or at the most, by taking odd jobs, which must soon be considering.
It lives for the day, does this class of negroes, male and female, and it takes pressing physical needs to make it work.
During the summer it is not forgotten how difficult it was to get help, male or female, and during this fall, today, labor is hard to procure to pick cotton, or for work of all kinds.
The hardships of cold, the need of shelter and substantial food have not yet pressed upon this idle class of negroes. They are indifferent to the future, will not work, and yet within a few weeks, with snow on the ground, frost filling the air, the idlers will be seeking charity, and practically demanding of the thrifty part of the community that they be clothed, fed and sheltered, and this without any effort on their part to offer to work as an equivalent for food, shelter and clothing.
To see and have persons suffer and perish unless helped, is hardly to be thought of, but why should those who will not work?
Those who have sought to hire in the summer and fall these same cold weather supplicants, and were laughed at, are likely to be, and rightly so, rather chary of giving aid to those who refused work when offered them.
The working man or woman is ever entitled to aid, but the idle class can make no claim for support, either winter or summer.

Recommendations to Trainers.
G. H. Hagan, Lima, O., Engineer L. E. & W. Railroad, writes: "I have been troubled a great deal with backache. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure, and one bottle entirely relieved me. I gladly recommend it to any one, especially my friends among the trainers, who are usually similarly afflicted." For sale by Melville Dorsey.
The Southern people and the negro are friends and understand each other. If let alone there would be no negro problem in the South, nor would there be any disorder. It is Northern interference, meddling that largely produces the friction.—Lexington Dispatch.

Attitude Of The South
TOWARD THE NEGRO AS ONE OF THE RACE UNDERSTANDS IT.
Views on the Subject as Expressed by President W. H. Council, of the Colored Agricultural and Mechanical College, at Normal, Ala.—A Man Perhaps Better Qualified to Speak on the Race Problem From the Standpoint of the Negro Than Any Other Member of His Race.
Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 29.—Prof. W. H. Council, president of the Colored Agricultural and Mechanical College at Normal, Ala., has given an expression of his views on the subject of the Roosevelt-Washington dinner and the educated negro and social equality. Prof. Council is perhaps better qualified to speak on the race problem from the standpoint of the negro than any other member of his race. He begins by saying:
"I must decline to discuss the recent dinner. It seems to me that the educated negro has suggested a demand for the White House dinner affair. Common charity demands the view that neither party to that incident had the remotest desire to tear down the social barriers between the races in this country. I desire to take this view."
Continuing Prof. Council says he fears "the white people of this country do not understand the better element of negroes on this question. The educated negro does not only not seek social equality with the white race but he fights against it. He sees written everywhere that the Anglo-Saxon has got a determination to resist social intercourse with races of inferior condition. This antipathy to racial intercourse is stronger in the Anglo-Saxon than in any other people on the globe. Where the blood of the Anglo-Saxon is purest there the antipathy is greatest. Therefore, for two reasons it is stronger in the South than in the North."
"It is folly to irritate the South on this question. It has thoroughly settled this matter in its mind and crystallized it in its laws. It is inculcated into every white child from the cradle to the grave. As I have said, the white South has considered this question for itself. Any contrary opinion from the outside is not only met with unanimous opposition, but arouses and embitters Southern sentiment against the negro although the negro may be an innocent party in the discussion. It requires no great acuteness or wisdom to see clearly that the white South has determined two things which it will support with its life's blood; first, resist all attempts at social admixtures of the races, whether by legal enactment or social usage; second, to rule in all political affairs with the ballot or the bullet."
"The South is never stinted in its contributions to negro industry, education and religion. No people meet the appeals of charity for the negro with warmer and more liberal hearts. It aids in all right and proper ways in the elevation of the negro."
"The negro educator is a giant. Now for the negro to step from the school-room into politics is a step from strength to weakness. For a negro to step over the social lines is to step from life to death."
"It is also plain to every thinking mind that the very salvation of the negro depends upon a rigid observation and enforcement of social distinction in all things. Any compromise come a time when, the good of the races will admit the obliteration of these time-honored customs, but I cannot see it now."
Jumped on a Ten Penny Nail.
The little daughter of Mr. J. N. Powell jumped on an inverted nail made of ten penny nail, and thrust one nail entirely through her foot and a second one half way through. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was promptly applied and five minutes later the pain had disappeared and no more suffering was experienced. In three days the child was wearing her shoe as usual and with almost no scar on her foot. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an antiseptic and heals such injuries without maturation and in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. For sale by Melville Dorsey, druggist.

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Bad Boys With Possibilities.
Eau Claire Free Press.
Cresceus, the world's trotting champion, hurt his leg when a colt and was ordered killed by his owner, but he escaped death, recovered, and from an ordinary, untrained animal as a yearling, has developed into king of the turf. This leads us to remark that there are lots of boys like horses, mischievous, ornery little rascals who seem as though they ought to be killed on general principle who later on pan out to be splendid men.

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Benj. Ingerson, of Hutton, Ind., says he had not spoken a word about a whizzer for months, and one bottle of Foley's Kidney and Urinary Cure restored his voice. Be sure you get Foley's. For sale by Melville Dorsey.

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