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A Father's Feeling.—He—What did your pater say when you told him we were engaged. She—Oh, you must not ask me to repeat such language!—[Lte.

ASCRAP OF PAPER SAVES HER LIFE. It was just an ordinary scrap of wrapping paper, but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could live only a short time.

It now turns out that the Ballews—man and wife—arrested in Chattanooga, Tenn., some months ago, and brought to Asheville charged with murdering their child, are innocent. The bones found under the house and pronounced human bones, turns out to be the bones of a hog.

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Sleep is much modified by habit. Thus an old artilleryman often enjoys tranquil repose while the cannon are thundering around him; an engineer has been known to fall asleep within a boiler while his fellows were beating it on the outside with their ponderous hammer and the repose of a miller is nowise incommoded by the noise of his mill. Sound ceases to be a stimulus to such men, an what would have proved an inexpressible annoyance to others is by them altogether unheeded. It is common for soldiers to sleep on horseback and coachman on their coaches. During the battle of the Nile some boys were so exhausted that they fell asleep on the deck amid the deafening thunder of that dreadful engagement.

How Men Die. If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are better enabled to ward off the danger and postpone the moment when surrender becomes inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to oppose the tendency toward death. Many however have lost these forces to such an extent that there is little or no help. In other cases a little aid to the weakened lungs will make all the difference between sudden death and many years of useful life. Upon the first symptoms of a Cough, Croup, or any trouble of the Throat or Lungs, give that old and well-known remedy—Bosch's German Syrup, a careful trial. It will prove what thousands say of it to "be the benefactor of any home."

Advice to Mothers. Mrs. WILSON'S SORREL BATH should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer from all the pain, and keeps the child quiet and comfortable. It is very pleasant to taste. It regulates the bowels, and is the best remedy for colic, whether arising from teething or other causes. A two-cent bottle.

Quite a number of subscriptions to the Courier have expired—some a month or two past—and we call upon all to come up and renew. We are compelled to have the money. It requires sometime and trouble to notify each subscriber when his time is out, unless we had a mailing machine; but we think each one can manage to find out with very little effort of memory. Our printers our rent and other expenses must be paid, and how are we to do it, if our subscribers do not come up promptly? Why is it that other counties can support two or three newspapers while Lincoln does not support one? Lincoln county has never given a newspaper a reasonable support. Shame on the town and county if it cannot do more for a county paper! This is plain language but it is simply the unpalatable truth and we hope the day will come when it cannot be said of our people.

Much Tobacco ruined by Frost. Flemingsburg, Ky., Oct. 11.—At least 500,000 pounds of tobacco in this county has been destroyed by the frosts of the last three nights. The Auditors report places the average crop of the county at four million pounds, and this year's crop was a little above that figure. About half of the crop had been housed and cured, and the rest had been cut late and placed in open sheds and frames, and was sufficiently cured to withstand frosts.

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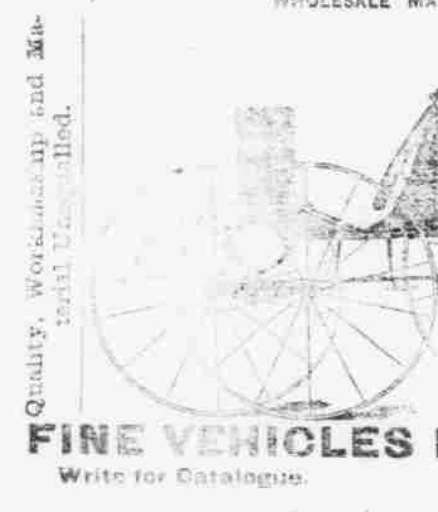
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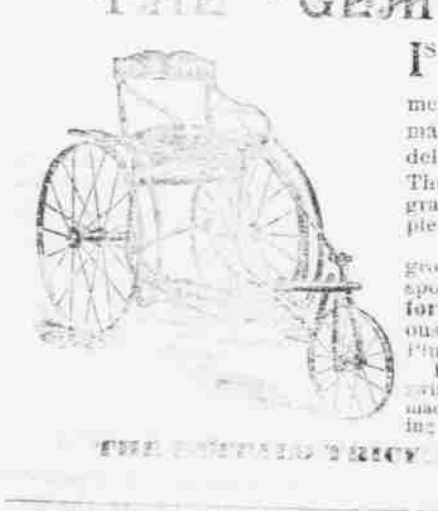
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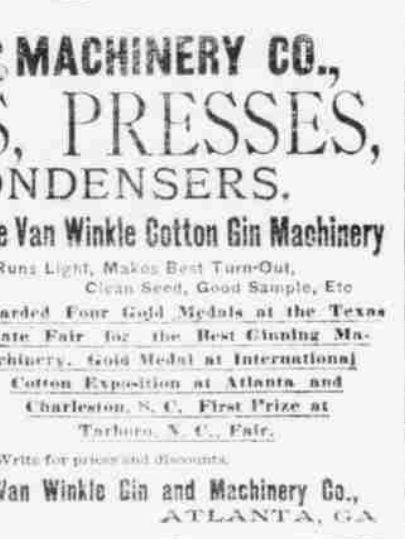
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