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HE WANTS THE EARTH. I am thinking of investing in some project that stands testing. You may think that I am jesting. When I say they're hand to find; But I look with dark suspicion On the paying proposition. Though I make that a condition And I want no other kind.

Under no circumstances Am I willing to take chances. I distrust these wild romances And promoters who will chafe When I want them to assure me Of their soundness—to secure me; For the thing that will allure me Must be absolutely safe.

All the melons they divide up On the square are small and dried up. Must I keep my money tied up, With small profits be content? It's no wonder I am fretting At the increase I am getting. For the most that I am netting Is a paltry 12 cent.

Even the other side of life may not be what it seems.

Everybody believes in punishment—but not for ourselves.

You can take a pair of spectacles and everybody can't see through them alike.

The only man some women will obey is a photographer—when he says lock pleasant.

Many a young girl when cultivating her voice loses the friendship of many near-by neighbors.

Some men often wonder on that last day, will the sea of matrimony have to give up its dead?

Some fellows think summer girls have a much better disposition because they do not want a whole ham-mock to themselves.

C. A. Eastman has made a remarkable discovery in reference to the qualities of the sand deposits along the Raccoon and Des Moines Rivers in this neighborhood. It has been learned by careful chemical analysis that the sand contains the proper ingredients to make it a good raw material for the manufacture of building glass. Lookout for an anti-rock throwing league.

Because his restless and homesick soul was said to be troubling relay in the Springfield Presbyterian Church in Canton, China, while his body Churchyard, near Newark, N. J., where it had been for fifteen years, an order for the disinterment of the remains of Lo Hia Yet has been granted in Essex county, and he will rest in the tombs of his ancestors in Canton, after Buddhist rites and funeral services have been observed. The body will be sent to China this week. Just like a Chinaman.

The chimneys for the great clock in the tower of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company building, in Madison square, have arrived and were hoisted to a staging on the outside of the tower. The three bells weigh, respectively 1,500, 2,000, and 5,000 pounds, and the fourth, which is expected today weighs 7,000 pounds and is 70 inches in diameter. They will ring out their melodies at a height of 400 feet above the street level. Most too high to disturb the sleep of many of New York's population.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. Date of the Sun.

For a Warm Bath Room. A bath in a cold room is a "shivery" operation and is extremely liable to cause colds. The bathroom above all should be kept warm. This is easy and the bath is a comfort if you have a PERFECTION Oil Heater. It may be carried from any other room to the bath room, which it will heat while you are preparing for the bath. Impossible to turn it too high or too low. The most economical heater you can buy—intense heat for 9 hours with one filling. The Rayo Lamp is the best lamp for all-round household purposes. Gives a clear, steady light. Made of brass throughout and nickel plated. Equipped with the latest improved central draft burner. Handsome—simple—satisfactory. Every lamp guaranteed. If you cannot get heater or lamp at your dealer's, write our nearest agency for descriptive circular. STANDARD OIL COMPANY (Incorporated)

were elected, whose duties were to perfect the organization, elect officers for the year, etc. Pursuant to this intent there was a meeting last night of the directors at the Elks Club rooms at which the organization which began under such favorable auspices and which is to prove such a great factor in the development of our community, was completed.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. B. Blades, president; L. H. Cutler, Jr. 1st vice-president; and H. W. Armstrong 2nd vice-president. It was the consensus of opinion at this meeting to appoint a secretary who was in position to divide his time with duties attending the organization, until such time, as in the judgment of the directors, it became necessary to appoint a secretary whose entire time could be devoted to the work at hand.

At this meeting the directors saw fit to make me secretary under those conditions, with the understanding that it was my pleasure to relinquish the position when the necessities as aforesaid arose, and I do most heartily request of every business man, whether merchant, lawyer, doctor, banker, capitalist or otherwise to lend their physical and financial support to this organization.

There are two important and vital factors necessary to the attainment of success in an organization of this kind, which are co-operation and financial support. With them there are no limitations to the benefits derived and the community will prosper and flourish in proportion to the efforts of each individual member along those lines. With concerted action our city will forge ahead, keeping pace with pur sister towns throughout the State, everyone of which is, as never before, striving to build up and develop their communities through their trade organizations, and let me say right here that there is no place in the United States more wonderfully blessed with natural advantages as to healthfulness, fertility of soil, climate, water and railroad facilities than our city. Our city can show as many improvements in a given time, in proportion to her size, as any place in the State. Few of us realize that over a million dollars have been expended right in our city improvements in the past year or two, beginning with the new Methodist church, one of the handsomest in the State to and including further improvements for which contracts have or will be let in a very short while.

The executive officers and board of directors of this organization need no introduction to the people of this city. They are all men of activity and equal to the needs of the hour and stand ready to do everything possible, even to the point of sacrificing their business interests to uplift and benefit this community. We therefore beg of your, Mr. Editor, to continue the good work already begun until every person lends his support to this organization and our membership of over 100 representative business men be steadily augmented. Now were the needs of this community for work of this kind so great and were other than ourselves so willing to do this work, how would we not do it responsibly.

MURDERED IN HIS CHURCH.

Minister's Body Dismembered in His Church Near Chicago. By Wire to The Sun. Detroit, Mich. Jan. 9.—The dismembered body of Rev. J. M. Carmichael, a Methodist minister, was found today, partially consumed by fire in the two heating stoves of one of his three churches in Columbus in the southwestern part of St. Clair county. Investigation was begun at once to clear away a temporary uncertainty as to the identity of the victim and to obtain clues regarding the murder and the motive for the crime. Identification of the dead clergyman was soon effected by Orville Lindsey, who was sent to the church for that purpose by Mrs. Carmichael, who had been in great distress since her husband failed to return home as expected last night, and who surmised that the minister was the victim of an assassination, as she had heard the report that he had been murdered in the Columbus church.

But clues of the murderer and his motive were more difficult to obtain. There was a rumor that a strange man had left a train at Hickey late in the afternoon and had been directed to the Columbus church and there were other rumors indicating that two men were implicated in the crime. The fact that several coins were found in the clothing of the dead man, and in the ashes in the stoves precluded the theory of robbery and at the time of his death it was not known that the murdered minister had an enemy in the world.

Rev. Mr. Carmichael had been in Michigan about ten years and for two years had been pastor of the three churches at Columbus, Adair and China. With his wife and three children he resided at Adair. Leaving home yesterday morning he told Mrs. Carmichael that he was going to Columbus to arrange for a series of revival meetings there. He waved his hand affectionately to a group of children as he drove out of the village of Adair and from that moment all trace of him is lost.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Chicago News. Only the cheap brand of talk is cheap. And the pretty girl usually has plain sailing.

A cane is an old man's strength and a young man's weakness. Water from the River Styx should be fine for preparing maulage.

A woman no sooner forgives an injury than she proceeds to forget about having forgiven it.

Many a man lives a regular cat-and-dog life. He purrs in the parlor and barks in the kitchen.

Of course, we all believe that it is better to give than to receive—until some one passes around the hat.

We are told that the millennium is coming, but it isn't coming with a rush. Perhaps a messenger boy is bringing it.

Oxypropylendisoamylamine is the name of a new heart stimulant. The dose is one syllable three times a day, after meals.

"Doan's Ointment cured me of eczema that had annoyed me a long time. The cure was permanent."—Hon. S. W. Matthews, Commissioner Labor Statistics, Augusta, Me.

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IN SOCIETY. Miss Jessie Taylor, of Cove City, came down to New Bern this morning on the east bound Norfolk and Southern train for a couple of days stay in the city on a business and pleasure visit.

Miss Fannie McIntyre, of Henderson, spent last evening in the city, the guest of Mrs. A. E. Hibbard, on Pollock street, and left this morning for a visit at Verona.

Miss Annie Foy left this morning for a day's stay with friends in Kinston.

Miss Katie Street left this morning on the west bound Norfolk and Southern train for a couple of weeks visit with relatives and friends in Goldsboro.

Miss Sudie Cook returned this morning from near Morehead City and Beaufort, where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

Misses Hazel Taylor and Agnes Foy, went up to Dover this morning on the west bound Norfolk and Southern train, for a few days stay. They will be the guests of Mrs. Raymond Pollock.

Mrs. Y. A. Williams left this morning for Norfolk, Va., where she will join her husband, from where they will go to Providence, R. I. Mr. Williams having accepted a position in that city.

Miss Sadie McLachlan went down to Thurman this morning to spend a few days with friends.

Blue Ribbon the Favorite. The wealthy demand Blue Ribbon Vanilla because it is the best. Others specify Blue Ribbon because it goes twice as far.

Job Printing done by DUNN is done right.

R. S. V. P. Club Meeting. Miss Sarah Congdon entertained the R. S. V. P. Club yesterday afternoon, at the lovely new home of her brother, Mr. Dave Congdon.

On entering, the guests were invited into the dining-room where delicious punch was served by Misses Annie Foy and Elizabeth Ellis. After many games of bridge were enjoyed, a tempting hot luncheon was served. Those present were: Mesdames Jos. Congdon, of Norfolk, Chapman, D. L. Ward, O. G. Dunn, T. G. Hyman, S. K. Eaton, Harry Marks, M. M. Marks, D. F. Jarvis and C. M. Crapon; Misses Myrtle Disoway, Mamie H. Richardson, Nettie Rawlings, Maud Mungler, Katherine Street, Eulalia Willis, Janie Stewart, Julia Moore, of Washington, N. C.; Emma Duffy, Annie Foy, Hattie Marks, Elizabeth Ellis, Elizabeth Burrows and Henrietta Hancock.

Elks Delightfully Entertain. A number of young people gathered in the Elks Temple last evening and enjoyed dancing, billiards, and other amusements. The music, furnished by two string bands, was delightful. Friday evenings have been set aside by the Elks for the entertainment of ladies.

After it is too late But why let it be too late, when TODAY you can buy a bottle of Gowan's Preparations and be prepared? It cures cold and croup and Pneumonia. They come in the night—come suddenly, and if you are not prepared you regret.

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Generally a woman's reason for doing a thing is she hasn't any, and it turns out much better than with a man, who has.

When a woman wants to be particularly proud of her husband, she speaks of his whisky bottle in the pantry as the wine cellar.

The average man seems to be able to get more fun out of going to a funeral with his friends than to the theatre with his family.

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Cures Eczema. Itching, watery blisters or open, itching humors, skinings or pimples of Eczema, all leaves after killing the poison and purifying the blood with B. B. B. In this way a flood of pure rich blood is sent direct to the skin surface, the itching stops forever and every humor or sore is healed and cured.

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State name of trouble, if you know.

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The Norfolk and Southern Railway announces that for the above occasion reduced fare tickets will be sold from points on its line:

From New Bern \$3.70; Dover, \$2.95; Kinston, \$2.65; LaGrange \$2.25; New-

port \$4.55; Morehead City \$4.90; Beaufort \$5.10; Bayboro \$4.25; Oriental \$4.55.

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