

"No people in town, village or city can be really prosperous or happy without being brought together frequently to share common amusements and recreations and exchanges of opinion, it is such attractions that have contributed in a great degree to make Paris, London, Florence and Rome pilgrim shrines."

The above from that veteran writer, John Bigelow, carries in well expressed language, what in the local vernacular of the day is tersely expressed by two words "get together."

A municipality is only a great family. In the fireside idea, parents and children form a mutual protective organization, where the social, the business, the religious and co operative stand prominent, because all these make up the home circle into a unity of life and action, into a mutuality that with stands any outside force, because there is the perfect understanding and confidence between every member of the family. There can be no failure in such a household. It is this local understanding among citizens, that develops the municipality. In the chamber of commerce, in the businessmen's league, in the fraternal organization, in social circles, where men gather together there is engendered a spirit of enterprise, harmony of thought and action unite that serve to produce local betterments, and prosperity that is shared by every citizen.

Where is the natural center for a community to gather for common amusement and recreation, but at the school building. Here is the gathering of young and old, that is productive of a social feeling that breeds a citizen friendship, which arouses that community of feeling that means community of united interests, that has been gained by getting together. With this full local understanding and friendship, there is a citizenship that can and will make the municipality grow and expand. Nothing outside can stand its progress. Outsiders rush into join their fortunes with such a community whose interests are thus united. There are no dull business periods, no tiresome seasons, instead every thing is on the move forward. There can be no hesitation, no pausing, for the community in one body is pushing forward, and the entire municipality is carried along, with no thought or purpose, except forward, ever forward.

THE MATTER OF WOOD CHUCK.

It can hardly be thought possible, that from a meteorological standpoint, February second in the matter of whether the ground has seen or does not see his own shadow, is so vitally determinative as the weather wise prophets allege. There is a delight, not confined by any means to the feminine gender, in lugging about some pet superstition. It may be the right way of seeing the new moon. The correct pointing of the pie that is picked up on the street, seeing the horse with one, two or three white feet, whether any one of these, or one of a score or more that might be mentioned, there is a human interest developed in tracing the pet personal superstition to its conclusion, that is amusing. The average person is noting this peculiarity in nature, will turn up a weather man, and explain "rub

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It is not that there is any harm, as a rule in these personal superstitions, innocent in themselves as the games of old maid, or croquet, but only looking at them from a twentieth century civilized, educated view point, it appears ridiculous to seriously accept them as really potent factors in the scheme of life, health and happiness.

For weeks the press has been filled with forebodings as to February second, ground hog day. Clear or cloudy? Will it be the end of winter or shall we have another six weeks reign of the coal man and the wood dealer?

Suppose two ground hogs should emerge from holes at different hours 't other day.

And one beheld upon the verge Of his retreat the sunlight gay, White 't other, 'neath a passing cloud, Should see no shadow of his form.

Why then not draw the conclusion that, The ground hog that with fear would shake.

At his own shadow in the sun And then in reckless terror run. We think might very likely make A weather prophet good as those Who daily deal us out a dose Of meteorologic fake.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

The Archbishop of Canterbury conducted religious services at the launching of an English super-dreadnaught.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Foley's Kidney Pills

What They Will Do for You. They will cure your backache, strengthen your kidneys, correct urinary irregularities, build up the worn out tissues, and eliminate the excess uric acid that causes rheumatism. Prevent Bright's Disease and Diabetes, and restore health and strength. Refuse substitutes.

BLOODY FIGHTING ABOUT JUAREZ

Wounded and Bitterless Horses Dash Across American Borders.

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 3.—The attack on the City of Juarez, across the border, by the Mexican insurrectionary troops under Gen. Pascual Orozco is on.

Wounded and riderless horses, with bloodstained saddles, stampeding across the border into American territory tell the story of a fierce engagement now in progress south of the Mexican city between 500 Federal infantry and cavalry and the advance guard on the rebel soldiers.

The insurrecto forces, after being temporarily checked by the blowing up of a bridge between Juarez and Samalayuca, 46 kilometers south of Juarez, renewed their advance, abandoning their troop train south of the bridge. The insurrectos are advancing in a crescent-shaped formation, and the reports received here indicate that the Federal troops are resisting desperately their onward march.

The fierce character of the fighting is indicated by the fact that 100 men of the Fourteenth Mexican Infantry who marched out to dynamite Five-Mile bridge and engage the rebels, only 68 had returned.

A heavy force of United States troops is on guard at the American end of the bridge from this city to Juarez, and all persons crossing the river are closely scrutinized. Another force of infantry is stationed along the river to a point several miles north of this city.

BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, SLEEPLESSNESS

Result from disordered kidneys. Foley's Kidney Pills have helped others. They will help you. Mrs. J. B. Miller, Syria, N. Y., says, "For a long time I suffered with kidney trouble and rheumatism. I had severe backaches and felt all played out. After taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Pills my back ache is gone and where I used to lie awake with rheumatic pains I now sleep in comfort. Foley's Kidney Pills did wonderful things for me." Try them now.—F. S. Duffy.

Edward P. Mylius, who had circulated a paper with a report that King George, of England, when Prince of Wales, had marriedmorganatically the daughter of Admiral Sir Michael Seymour at Malta, in 1890, was convicted of libel in London and sentenced to a year's imprisonment.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest give it a trial and you are certain to be relieved with the prompt relief which it affords. Sold by all dealers.

Adaptability. A New York lawyer tells of an old and well to do farmer in Dutchess county who had something of a reputation as a litigant.

On one occasion this old chap made a trip to see his lawyers with reference to a lawsuit he intended to bring. He sat down with one of them and laid out his plan at great length. The lawyer said, "On that statement you have no case at all." The old fellow hitched his trousers nervously, twitched his face and hastily added: "Well, I can tell it another way."—Brooklyn Life.

ATTACK LIKE TIGERS.

In fighting to keep the blood pure the white corpuscles attack disease germs like tigers. But often germs multiply so fast that little fighters are overcome. Then are pimples, boils, eczema, salt rheum and sores multiply and strength and appetite fail. This condition demands Electric Bitters to regulate the stomach, liver and kidneys and to expel poison from the blood. "They are the best blood purifier," writes C. T. Budahn, of Tracy, Calif., "I have ever used." They make rich, red blood, strong nerves and build up your health. Try them, 50c at all druggists.

The Time to Bluff. The only safe time to bluff is when you have the goods.—Detroit Free Press.

Strain and weaken the system and if not checked may develop into pneumonia. No danger of this when Foley's Honey and Tar is taken promptly. It is a reliable family medicine for all coughs and colds, and acts quickly and effectively in cases of croup. Refuse substitutes.—F. S. Duffy.

Reason Enthroned. Because meats are so tasty they are consumed in great excess. This leads to stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. Revise your diet, let reason and not a pampered appetite rule. Then take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be well again. Try it. For sale by all dealers. Samples free.

Mixed Metaphor. "It was a southern senator," said a congressman, "who once met an insurrection with the stern and lofty rebuke, 'The gentleman, like a mousetrap, is always putting in his ear where it isn't wanted!'"

"I think it was a senator from Chicago who once declared, 'The iron belt of stern necessity darkens every heart!'"

"And I'll never forget a Texas orator's pathetic cry, 'Will you stamp out the last flickering embers of a life that is fast ebbing away?'"

ACCUSED OF STEALING. E. V. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., boldly accuses Bucken's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles. "It relieves cuts, bruises, sprains and injuries of their terror," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c at all dealers.



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Don't risk even a penny—until health first returns.

And I mean just exactly that. I am the one physician who says to the sick "wait until your own health returns, pay for your medicine if it fails to bring you help!"

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Scandinavian Carving. From earliest times carving has received great attention in Scandinavia. One sees evidence of this in many Swedish churches, both in wood and stone, dating back many centuries. In Stockholm are many to be found, now safely cared for in a well known museum.

Foley's Kidney Pills are a reliable remedy for backache, rheumatism and urinary irregularities. They are tonic in action, quick in results and afford a permanent cure from all kidney disorders.—F. S. Duffy.

Stopping a Leak. "Yes, we found our cook was passing a lot of our domestic supplies through a hole in the back fence."

"You discharged her, of course?" "Discharged her! No, indeed. We nailed up the fence!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS A COLD. But never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, which checks the cough and expels the cold. M. Stockwell Hamnibal, Mo., says, "It beats all the remedies I ever used. I contracted a bad cold and cough and was threatened with pneumonia. One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar completely cured me."

No Good to the Landlord. A minister and a landlord in a town in Scotland were talking matters over about a person who wished to become one of the latter's tenants.

"Morally he is sound, but financially he is weak," said the minister. "Ah, well," replied the landlord, "in that case he's a good enough sinner for you, but not for me." And the negotiations were declared off.—London Telegraph.

A KING WHO LEFT HOME. and set the world to talking, but Paul Mathuku, of Buffalo, N. Y., says he always KEEPS AT HOME the King of all Laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—and that they're a blessing to all his family. Cure constipation, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia. Only 25c at all dealers.

Short Lived Joy. Wife (who last week quarreled with her husband and now seeks him among his companions at the Inn)—Can you forgive me, Edward?

Husband—Well, you used me very badly, but let it go. You.

Wife—How I thank you for taking me back! And now you're coming straight home with me! What business have you sitting here till 11 at night?—Fliegende Blatter.

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What Was Lacking. The Hobo—Pleasant, morn', I'm a sick man. De doctor gimme his medicine, but I needs assistance in takin' it. The Lady—Poor fellow! Do you want a spoon and a glass of water? The Hobo—No, morn'; I wouldn't trouble yer. But dis medicine has to be took before meals. Have yer got a meal handy?—Cleveland Leader.

Fame. Fame is easily acquired. All you have to do is to be in the right place at the right time and do the right thing in the right way—and then advertise it properly.—Puck.

Ennui. Tommy—Pop, what is ennui? Tommy's Pop—Ennui, my son, is a disease that attacks the people who are so lazy that they get tired of resting.—Philadelphia Record.

LADIES! Beware of cheap imitations. Buy Chamberlain's Kidney Pills in the original box, sealed with gold.

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Legal Notices

MORTGAGE SALE.

Pursuant to a power contained in that certain chattel mortgage executed by A. B. Steelman and C. C. Steelman trading as Steelman Bros., to J. W. Stewart bearing date the 8 day of August, 1910, the same being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Craven County in book 181 page 470, I will sell at the court house door in New Bern N. C. on Saturday the 11th day of Feb. 1911 at the hour of 12 o'clock M. to the highest bidder for cash, all of the following described property as conveyed in the Mortgage aforesaid, to-wit:

One rubber tire laundry wagon bought of H. B. Stooton of Winston-Salem, N. C. and all the hold and kitchen furniture of every description belonging to A. B. Steelman and wife, Blossom Steelman.

New Bern, N. C. Jan. 31, 1911. J. W. STEWART, Mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of William H. Gilliland, deceased, late of Craven County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of January, 1912 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 14 day of January 1911. JEANETTE STUBBS, Administratrix.

D. L. WARD, Attorney.

NOTICE OF EXECUTION

North Carolina, In Superior Court, Craven County, J. R. Ward, Attorney, vs. J. R. Ward, B. R. Warren, et al., Notice of Execution

By virtue of a power of sale in a mortgage deed from David W. Lupton and Sarah L. Lupton, James T. Lupton and Katie Lupton, to us, dated the 16th of February, 1910, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Craven County, North Carolina in book 189 page 118, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in New Bern, Craven County, North Carolina at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, February 6th 1911, the land described in said mortgage deed to-wit: A certain tract of land located by Joseph A. and Lucy H. Morton to David W. and James T. Lupton on Feb. 16th, 1910 supposed to contain 40 acres more or less. Bounded as follows: adjoining the lands of John S. Morton, Thaddeus Goddett and Jerry Goddett. Beginning at John S. Morton's south east corner on the public road leading from the New Bern road to the Borden place, and thence with said road running a northerly direction to Thaddeus Goddett's line and thence westerly with said Goddett's line to Jerry Goddett's line and still westerly with said Goddett's line to the Morton's mill pond; the high water mark, and thence down said Morton's mill pond to John S. Morton's line, and thence easterly with said John S. Morton's line to the beginning, supposed to contain 40 acres more or less.

This 5th day of Jan. A. D. 1911. JOSEPH A. MORTON and LUCY H. MORTON, Mortgagees.

W. D. McIVER, Attorney.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

The undersigned having duly qualified as executor of Adeline Dawson deceased, notifies all persons to whom she was indebted or have claims against her estate to present the same to the undersigned executor for payment on or before the 4th day of Jan. 1912 duly authenticated as the notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the deceased are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

EDWARD DAWSON, Administrator.

R. W. WILLIAMSON, Attorney.

PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS.

North Carolina, In the Superior Court, Craven County, Abigail Andrews vs. Ed Andrews

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Craven County to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the February term of Superior Court for said county to be held on the 9th day of February, 1911, at the court house of said county in New Bern, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

W. M. WATSON, Clerk of the Superior Court.

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