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BETTER CONTROL OF WATER SUPPLY THE NEED.

Not even a pestilence is more terrifying to a community, than a lack of water supply when a fire breaks out in a thickly built up portion of a city.

This lack of water supply has so often been the portion of this city, at critical times when fires were destroying property, that the actual seriousness of it is felt by few.

and its members. It falls to an estate that loses for it the respect that is all essential to preserve its strength and character, that while it may be forced to handle the unclean, yet preserves its own purity and integrity.

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Former Postmaster-General Cortelou and Edwin C. Madden disputed before the House Committee on Postoffice Department Expenditures.

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COURT ETHICS.

A murder trial is not presumed to develop niceties of thought or language. The attendants at such a trial except those directly concerned, must naturally be morbid, for certainly there can be little less than animal grossness, in watching the condemned, and listening to testimony that cannot but partake of the animal, appealing to the lowest condition of man's nature.

Such a trial as has occupied the time and attention of this community during the past week has been specially debasing. Every association in its connection has been revolting to good morals. That decency has to submit to such scenes and language, is part of the necessity that makes murder an open matter in its trial. That too often gives ingress to youth, makes an open scene for the public pillorying of men and women, their secret lives exposed to the laugh of the crowd, their sins to the gibe of lawyers, reflected in the snicker of the multitude, that hangs upon each word of witness and question of counsel.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PUBLICITY.

The Journal has received a copy of the first issue of the "Bulletin of Greensboro Chamber of Commerce," the official organ—issued monthly. This publication is 12x9 inches and contains matter pertinent to and of the local organization in whose interests it is published. It is excellent in every way, but it suggests the query to the Journal, why does the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce need an official publication, with two excellent daily newspapers in its city, each no doubt standing ready to promote and assist any and every thing that the local Chamber of Commerce might ask?

The natural reply by those interested in the Bulletin's publication, is of course obvious. The organization needs some publication for its exclusive use. Why? The answer of course are many. Granting that there are such as to warrant the publication in Greensboro, yet the Journal questions the wisdom of such an organization.

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rose again. "A hundred and twenty-five dollars' worth of dry goods on your back as you strut around the streets! And on your salary!" He popped up like a jack-in-the-box and stood before me, scarecrow-like, with arms outstretched and his clothes hanging in shapeless pouches from his slat-like frame. "Look at me! This suit cost me nine dollars and I have worn it for a year. My shirt cost 40 cents, my collar six and my necktie eight. Mean to say I am not as well dressed as you?"

"That is a matter of personal opinion. Anyway, it is none of your business so long as I pay you for my living. At any rate I have never had to ask you for money." He reached forward with his long arm and began thumping me on the chest with his bony knuckles. "Hey! Wouldn't you though if you thought you could get it? Wouldn't you though, Mr. Peacock, with your fine clothes, if you thought you could wheedle a dollar out of me? But you know your Uncle Abner ain't fool enough to let you have it. I'd rather trust it to Bruce, for with all his foolishness he has got twice the sense that you have. He takes chances and some day may win a fortune, while you only spend, spend, spend. Get a cent from me! I'd like to see you."

At Last in One of the Dark Closets I Found Him. I wished him well and long when I was and that I had decided to remain downtown for the night. His answering sentences exploded in my ear like distant firecrackers. "That's right. Just like you. Spending your money for hotel bills when you have a better bed at home. And I suppose you will pay those pirates a dollar for your breakfast. All right, go ahead, young millionaire. But I will charge you for your breakfast here, anyway. Don't you forget that."

INDIAN KILLED ON TRACK. Near Rochelle, Ill., an India went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it is that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. "It completely cured me, in a short time, of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of Grip," writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Tex. "and I regained 15 pounds in weight that I had lost." Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at all druggists.

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When a friend asks there is no to answer.—George Herbert.

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Milton's Opinion. Milton was once asked if he intended to instruct his daughter in the different languages. He replied: "No, sir. One tongue is sufficient for a woman."

Fame can never make us the doves contentedly on a deathbed.—Pope.

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