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THE KING SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR. Are you taking SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR, the "KING OF LIVER MEDICINES?" This is what our readers want, and nothing but that.

What are the wild waves saying? Sister, the whole day long. That ever amid our playing I fear but the low, lone song? Not by the sea-side only. There it sounds wild and free, But at night, when 'tis dark and lonely, In dreams it is still with me.

Some Great Readers. Chicago Times-Herald. One of the best educated men in Chicago says, regretfully, that he never had a day's schooling in his life. He taught himself to read, a friend loaned him the famous works of modern authors and he has eagerly devoured books, newspapers and magazine articles until he is an authority on literature.

George Peabody used to tell how his uncle thrashed him for "wasting his time over books." The taste for reading was never whipped out of him. John Wanamaker once said: "Since I was a boy I have read everything that came into my hands, and I have been surprised how useful odd scraps of information have been. When I see a fellow spending his spare cash on magazines and papers I know he is furnishing his brains for success."

Henry B. Cleaves, now serving his second term as governor of Maine, is a leading lawyer and not a professor of religion. Governor Cleaves' views are liberal, more so than those held by Congregationalists, as a rule. He believes in a future state and has no doubt that those who do the most good here will be rewarded hereafter without regard to the opinions they hold or the church with which they are connected.

THE GOVERNORS. THEIR RELIGIOUS FAITH. How and Where They Worship. Following are the answers of the Governors to the interrogation concerning their religious faith: I am not a member of any church. I never joined but two institutions—the Masonic fraternity and the Democratic party. My wife is an Episcopalian. I believe in God, the great first cause of all things.

A Peculiar Man. Winston Sentinel. There lives near Pinnacle station, Surry county, a man by the name of Riden Jones. He owns about one hundred and eighty acres of land, fine for tobacco and wheat. The house he lives in is about 10 by 12 feet, has a door in front and a small window in the back. He scarcely ever uses the door, but does his passing in and out at the little back window. He never shaves and very seldom combs his hair.

A Remarkable Announcement. A brief paragraph can hardly do justice to the interesting announcements which The Youth's Companion makes for the coming year. Not only will some of the most delightful story-writers contribute to the paper, but many of the most eminent statesmen, jurists and scientists of the world. No fewer than three cabinet Ministers are announced, among them being the Secretary of Agriculture, who chose for a subject "Arbor Day," the celebration of which he originated.

Mr. Wright's Remarkable Experience. Whitehall Times. Mr. Wright went out to fish, and he became a Wright angler. (1) He thought he would try and catch a shark. And became a try angler. (2) He laughed to think how smart he was. But he did not see the shark with his nose under the stern of his craft. He was such an obtuse angler, (3) Until the creature tipped over his boat. When he became a wrecked angler. (5)

Pithy Points. Troubles, like babies, grow larger by nursing. Adversity borrows its sharpest sting from our impatience. Even the milk of human kindness is sometimes watered. One thousand of experience is worth a whole wilderness of warning. A talent is perfected in solitude; a character, in the streams of the world. Idleness is emptiness; the tree in which sap is stagnant and remains fruitless. Envy no man his great memory; he must remember much that he would rather forget. If some people couldn't find anything to hide behind, they would be always on the run.

Teacher: "Tommy, you may define the difference between a white and a lame." Tommy: "W'y—w'y—wef en paw says he is going down town for a white maw says she'll bet he is going for a maw."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

MOTH AND STAR. AMBITIONS ARE GROWTH. Path of True Advancement. Harpers Bazar. There are such degrees and grades in everything that one is sometimes tempted to think nature does not look also together with reprobatation on the pretensions of the climber, or, at any rate, on those who aspire towards eminence of one sort or another.

Her Appeal. Youth's Companion. A capital story is told of the way in which a New England senator was once aroused to make a stirring speech. At the outset of his political career he had been known as a remarkably clever "orator of the stump" and later on in the lower house of the legislature, he made a brilliant name for himself.

PATENTS. CAN I OBTAIN A PATENT? For a person in the United States who has invented a new and useful machine, article of manufacture, process, or improvement, a patent may be obtained by filing an application with the Patent Office.

PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL. For Barb Wire Cuts, Scratches, Saddle and Collar Galls, Cracked Heel Burns, Old Sores, Cuts, Boils, Bruises, Piles and all kinds of inflammation on man or beast. Cures Itch and Mange.

PARIS MEDICINE CO. ST. LOUIS, MO. BABY BURNED. Gentlemen—I am pleased to speak a word for Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. My baby's little back was scalded by the hot application of the oil. It cured him in a few days and he has never since had any trouble.

RUDY'S PILE SUPPOSITORY. is guaranteed to cure all kinds of hemorrhoids, or money refunded. 25 cents per box. Send two stamps for circular and free sample to Rudolph's Registered Pharmacist, Lancaster, Pa. No postage answered. For sale by all first class druggists everywhere, and at Scotland Neck, N. C., by E. T. Whitehead & Co.

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