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SNAPSHOTS.

It seems that when a Pittsburg man strikes it rich, nowadays, the first thing he wants to do is to get rid of his wife.

When Judge Parker talks of a Southern man for president, the Honorable Joe Bailey of Texas sits up and takes notice.

If Cornelius Bliss got \$75,000 at the time, out of the insurance companies, he was certainly the champion political bleeder.

Speaker Cannon must have enjoyed reading Andy Hamilton's remarks. They came so near his own opinion of the Senate.

With more than 300 interruptions in a single speech, Senator Rayner must feel that he has been through "right smart" of a debate.

It is one of the jokes of history that the conservative Democrats are now turning to Bryan, because he is conservative as against Hearst.

Secretary Taft will doubtless decide that a Supreme bench appointment in the hand is worth a bunch of chances in a national convention.

It may be all right for Mr. Carnegie to attempt to reform our spelling, but the country is more concerned in the effort to reform our politics.

Certain ill-formed persons are asking who this General Corbin is that he should be made a lieutenant General. General Corbin is as great a man as Admiral Crunshell.

"How shall we take care of General Grosvenor," asks an exchange. Put him in the Weather Bureau or at the head of the staff of statisticians. If he can figure he will be happy.

The House Committee on Post Office and post roads, recommend legislation calculated to "stop the abuse of franking privilege." Dear Dear! Can it be possible that the franking privilege has been abused?

The President of the Massachusetts State Senate declares that there never was a time when the legislators of the old Bay State were more honest than they are now. They were probably never watched as closely.

Delayed reports from Omaha indicate that the mob which was trying to lynch a few negroes was dispersed when a loud-voiced citizen secured attention long enough to shout, "Remember, gentlemen, this is not Springfield, Ohio."

It is asserted that the price of shoes will be advanced again unless Congress removes the duty on hides. Still the standpatters may figure that the people will not be able to kick so hard if it is made impossible for them to buy shoes.

The original docket is to be called in the Supreme Court for the first time in thirty years. The railroad would probably not oppose an amendment to the Hepburn bill providing that rate litigation cases should be placed on the "original docket."

The tar that is contained in Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar is harmless. It is not coal tar, but is obtained from the pine trees of our own native forests. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar is the best remedy for colds because it acts on the bowels—thus expelling all colds from the system. Bee's is the original Laxative Honey and Tar, and is best for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, lung and bronchial affections. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

THE OCTOGENARIAN RETIRES.

Russell Sage, the financier of New York, has decided to retire from active life. He will be ninety years old this spring.

Uncle Russell, as he is familiarly called, regrets no doubt that he can not live a thousand years to obtain millions yet. It has been a fascinating game to pile up dollars just to see how high his pile would reach. But his health will not permit him to go further with his undertaking. His name is a synonym of the dollar mark.

He will do well to emulate Andrew, the philanthropist, and make his name immortal.

STANDARD OIL VS. UNCLE SAM

One of the members of the Standard Oil Company made the following threat to Uncle Sam:

"We are bigger than the government. Standard Oil is stronger than the United States. We own the Senate and the House. If you pursue your investigations beyond the point necessary to fool the public we will have you removed. We can secure the instant deposition of the secretary of commerce and labor, Mr. Metcalf, and the commissioner of corporations, Mr. Garfield. If you persecute us in the slightest degree you will be out of your job, and if you keep at the business you will find what we say is absolutely true. Rockefeller is a bigger man than Roosevelt."

This is a peculiar situation for one of the government officials to be placed in. Mess. Metcalf and Garfield no doubt consider this threat as no more than child's play.

Why does Rockefeller hide from the officials of the State of Missouri if he is a bigger man than the President or if his company is bigger than the government? It is folly for people with good sense to speculate as to the power and force of Rockefeller in comparison with the government and people of America! If the great bulk of the American people—and we presume that they are honest and true—should recognize that these words were anything else but a "sounding brass and a tinkling symbol," the life of Standard Oil would be crushed out like an elephant would destroy an ant-hill, for the masses still cling to the principle that ours is a "government of the people, by the people and for the people," and moreover that this principle is part and parcel of their very life.

There are trucklers in our country just like there were in the ancient governments, and we can safely say there always will be, but we feel confident that the "feudalism of wealth" will have to fall if it crosses swords with the power and might of the honest American citizen.

Years ago we fought for our political liberty, and if necessary to-day we can show that the Standard Oil, like the foolish knight of old, is attacking a wind-mill that is able to annihilate in one rotation the last vestige of a Rockefeller interest. A corporation derives all of its powers from the government that created it, and if it transgresses the law of its being, it shall surely die. "The way of the transgressor is hard." "But the soul that sins, it shall surely die." This applies to the artificial as well as the natural sinner—to the Standard Oil.

A Chicago Alderman Owes His Election to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

"I can heartily and conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for affections of the throat and lungs," says Hon. John Shenick, 220 So. Peoria St., Chicago. "Two years ago during a political campaign I caught cold after being overheated, which irritated my throat and I was finally compelled to stop, as I could not speak aloud. In my extremity a friend advised me to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I took two doses that afternoon and could not believe my senses when I found the next morning the inflammation had largely subsided. I took several doses that day, kept right on talking through the campaign, and I thank this medicine that I won my seat in the Council." This remedy is for sale by S. R. Biggs.

The President's Income.

A correspondent asks: "Is the President able to save anything out of the \$50,000 a year salary he receives?" Many people believe that the salary the President receives is the sum total of his official income. It is a mistake. This is how he is paid: Thirty-six thousand and sixty-four dollars is given him in addition to his salary of \$50,000, to pay the salaries of his subordinates and clerks. His private secretary is paid \$3,250, his assistant secretary \$2,250, his stenographer \$1,800, five messengers each \$1,200, two doorkeepers each \$1,200, four other clerks at good salaries, ranging from \$1,500 to \$2,500; one telegraph operator; two ushers, \$1,200 and \$1,400, a night usher \$1,200, a watchman, \$900, and a man who takes care of the fires who receives \$864 a year. In addition to this there is given him \$8,000 for incidental expenses such as stationary, carpets and the care of the President's stables. And under another heading there is given him nearly \$40,000 more. Of this \$12,500 is for repairs and refurnishing the White House; \$2,500 is for fuel; \$4,000 is for the green house; \$15,000 is for gas, matches and the stables. The White House all told, costs the country, in connection with the President, considerably over \$125,000 a year.

The President is well to do in his own right, having inherited a competence from his father. Add to this the royalties he has received from his books, his income from magazine work, and it will be seen that the expense incident to the marriage of Miss Alice will by no means pinch the purse of the house of Roosevelt.—San Francisco Argonaut.

To the Best Paid Man.

It's sound sense that we tell you. Your work costs less dollars and is best every time you use L. & M.

You do more painting with one gallon of L. & M. than with two gallons of other paints and the L. & M. Zinc hardens the L. & M. White Lead and makes the L. & M. paint wear like iron.

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L. & M. costs only \$1.20 a gallon.

A. T. Terrell Riverhead, N. Y. Writes: "16 years ago painted with L. & M. Only now requires repainting."

Sold by S. R. Biggs.

Iowa has eight different kinds of Republicans, but they are all after the same kind of jobs.

Plague Spots in the Blood.

Half of the diseases from which mankind suffers are caused by impure blood—That headache, those pains in the joints and muscles, that tired feeling are all caused by poisons in the blood. The reason Rheumatism, Sciatica and Gout cannot be cured by rubbing with liniments and oils is that the disease originates in the blood, and an internal disease cannot be cured by an external remedy.

RHEUMACIDE is the most powerful blood purifier in the world. RHEUMACIDE "goes right to the seat of the disease," sweeping all the poisons out of the blood, toning up the stomach, regulating the liver and kidneys, and restoring each organ of the body to its normal functions. That is the reason it cures to stay cured.

RHEUMACIDE cures Rheumatism and kindred diseases after all other means fail, because it "gets at the joints from the inside."

"I gladly testify that RHEUMACIDE completely cured me of a severe case of Rheumatism," writes James Kenaley, of 1200 Frederick Avenue, Baltimore. "About four months ago I was taken with the disease in my lower limbs, which spread throughout the body. My back troubled me greatly. I suffered acutely, could go up and down stairs only with the greatest difficulty. I received treatment at the Johns Hopkins Hospital this city, for nearly three months, but was not benefited. Your medicine was recommended to me, and after taking two bottles the disease left me, and I have been perfectly well ever since. I also found that RHEUMACIDE was a great benefit to my digestion. I trust that others will try it and be cured also."

General Wood has the honor to report the thorough and permanent pacification of 600 hostile Moros.

Three little rules we all should keep To make life happy and bright, Smile in the morning, smile at night, Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night.—J. M. Whitters & Co., Robersonville, N. C.

Arkansas Razorbacks.

"An industry that is bringing in a good income to many farmers in Southern Missouri and Arkansas of late years is none other than shipping the old razorback hog to the Northern States, where they are fattened for market," said B. A. Scott, of Clinton Mo.

"Years ago the razorback hog was not considered worthy of anything more than killing for making meat used by the poor farmer families in the backwoods. Many people considered that variety of the pig family a native of the South, but it is not. In the old pioneer days the farmers let their hogs run wild and they deteriorated into the breed that has since been noted as razorbacks. They developed lean sides, long noses and long legs through the necessity of having to shift among the pines for their food.

"To-day the shipping of razorbacks has come to be quite an industry and hundreds of them are brought to Illinois and Iowa for fattening. They grow to a good size in the woods of the South and having voracious appetites and large frames, they soon put on flesh after being penned up where they do not run their flesh off.

The farmers of the South are now taking in hundreds of thousands of dollars a year from a source that was formerly unproductive, and their Northern brothers find that fattening razorbacks turns their corn into shekels at a rapid rate."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

One would think the Laxative idea in cough syrup should have been advanced long before it was. It seems that the only rational remedy for Coughs and Colds would be to move the bowels and clean the mucous membranes of the throat and lungs at the same time Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar does this. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup, the best known remedy for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. Tastes good and harmless. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

For bloating, belching, indigestion, etc, eat a Ring's Dyspepsia Tablet after meals. Sold by S. R. Biggs.

Andrew Carnegie seems to have made a favorable impression on Richmond, Va. They may be wondering if he has another \$100,000 in his clothes.

If it is a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by S. R. Biggs.

"Billionaires are becoming great founders of colleges." "Y'es. Or it might be expressed, colleges are becoming great finders of billionnaires."—Washington Star.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. R. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 25c.

They are still having a "hard" time in averting that "soft" coal strike.

For Coughs and Colds

There is a remedy over sixty years old—Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Of course you have heard of it, probably have used it. Once in the family, it stays; the one household remedy for coughs and hard colds on the chest. Ask your doctor about it.

"I have had pneumonia three times, and Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has brought me safely through each time. I have just recovered from my last attack, aged sixty-seven. No wonder, 'make it.'—E. V. Higgins, Stevens Point, Wis.

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Ayer's Pills increase the activity of the liver, and thus aid recovery.

Notice. By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Martin county in the proceeding, W. M. Perry, guardian ex parte, I will sell for cash at the court house in Williamston on Monday, April 2, 1906, the land mentioned and described in the petition in said cause, viz: Adjoining the Hadley land on the north, the James E. Peel land on the east, Lewis Holt-day on the south, and Simon Ward on the west, containing one hundred and sixteen acres, more or less.

This March 1, 1906. WHEELER MARTIN, Commissioner.

Dissolution Notice.

This is to notify all creditors of the A. L. Owens & Co. furniture store of my withdrawal from said company, and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted from and after this date. March 19, 1906. A. L. OWENS.

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Notice. Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of the late Mrs. Bettie C. Daughtridge, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them for payment on or before March 30th, 1907, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. Persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This March 10, 1906. S. W. CASPER, Administrator.

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