

CHAMP CLARK'S STORY.

How It Impressed a Youngster Who Heard

It In a Speech.

there was a hig Democratic meeting at

a certain place in St. Charles county, in

Democratic speakers were there, and

we had a day of it. The writer was then

a small child, but one of the speakers

made a very profound impression upon his mind. The speaker was no other

No one asks now, "Who was Champ Clark?" but then he was a new star in

We had a number of speeches, and the

children were very tired. I can't speak

for the grown people, because the good

Democrats there would not have owned

to being tired, I know, after such a dis-

play of eloquence from their great party

"There is only one more speech,"

that. Then the possum lover busted right out a-crying. The disappointment

'I am in that same condition. When I

heard the first speech, I thought, well-

that is pretty bad, but still I have some-

last speaker finished I just busted right

other thing left for me to say."

could hear its applause a mile away.

How Mines Are Bought Nowadays.

was too much for him.

than Champ Clark.

the firmament.

In the Garfield-Hancock campaign

#### Lesson Learned at Home.

"What do you extect to bring forward in this congress?" said one new member to another.

"Absolutely nothing," was the reply. "Bat are you not going to try to write your name on the immortal scroll of this state. A number of distinguished fame? Don't you realize that you were sent here by your constituents to see to it that these other fellows don't let the ship of state drift on to a sand bar?"

'My dear friend, I don't bother myself with reflections of that kind. My wife, who is a discerning and practical woman, once made a remark to me during housecleaning time which has assisted me on many occasions." "What was it?"

"She said that next to a genuine herc the man to be most admired is one who knows how not to get in the way."-Washington Star.

### women and Peace.

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### You Nice New Woman!

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This may be the era of the new woman, devoted to intellect, philanthropy, politics and science, and ignoring all pretty feminine fads, but one would not fashion that is being published, and not only published, but read with avidity. Perhaps the new woman herself has been unable to eliminate wholly from her complex and superior being the fond, trivial records of toilets, gowns, textures and trimmings and cannot resist an indulgance more or less secret in the same. At any rate, there has been no time when women generally dressed more becomingly and so well as the present. One cannot now pick out the writing or the lecturing or the professional woman by her neglected dress and dowdyish appearance.-Philadelphia Times.

#### Found the Explanation.

Miss Anna M. Soule, who is at work in the graduate school of the University of Michigan for the master's degree in letters, with United States history as a major, has made a special study of the international boundary of Michigan, and has found the explanation of one marked peculiarity of the boundary line which has never been fully accounted for.

### BEAUTIFUL THOUGH PAINFUL.

We sing "Come, Gentle Spring," and are often very sorry that we did anything of

leaders. At any rate I was tired, but my the kind, for Spring, though beautiful, is "There is only one more speech." and I was much relieved. A blond young man was introduced as Champ Clark of bring forward the consideration of a peace movement in Europe and in this country. The ultimate hope is to have a convention of the Christian powers in 1900, with a view to establishing an international court of arbitration. Many of the club presidents have already acted in accordance with the letter.
"There is only one more speech." and I was much relieved. A blond young man was introduced as Champ Clark of Pike county. He came forward with a pleasant face and manner that at once attracted my attention. He began in this way:
"I am reminded of the boy who killed a possum and expected to enjoy a possum dinner the next day. The family came in. The head of the house announced that the visitors had come to dinner. There was no room has the the fatter cattacks of spring time of the firm of F. J. CHENKY MACO." sometimes very painful. The very luxury

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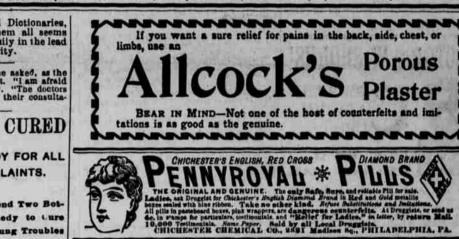
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#### Patropizing Infants.

A characteristic instance was given at a dinner party lately of the present day tendency for children to patronize their parents. At a preparatory school the children were told to write down what they thought to be the object of education. One small boy wrote, "The object of education is to be able to talk for your father and mother when you go abroad," and another boy, doubtless remembering the oft repeated reflection at home, when he had fallen into some scrape, that "the holidays would soon be over and he would be safely back at school," wrote, with unconscious cyni-cism, "The object of education is to get yon out of your parents' way. "-Gentlewoman.

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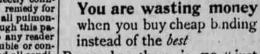
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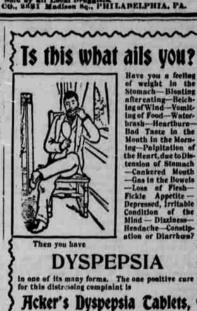


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