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SPLENDID CHANCES.

A contributor to the Astorian speaks of Astoria not blowing her horn in the right direction. This is perhaps true, still she has been blowing very hard for a considerable length of time. Why Mr. McKinney did not pay a visit to Astoria while making his western trip is perhaps only known to himself. Perhaps Astoria should have extended an invitation to him, yet we are pleased indeed to hear that he intends to grant this city its deserved rights. Our city is now preparing an illustrated book of our city which will be circulated throughout the state and perhaps with its assistance and a constant reminder of the public press we will soon be able to have our long desired home seekers rates.

MONEY AGAINST CHILD.

Examiner.

There should be no economy in education. Money should never be weighed against the soul of a child. It should be poured out like water for the child's intellectual and moral life.

The only really valuable thing in the world is human intelligence. Industry and all its improvements, society and all its improvements, human decency, gentleness, artistic achievement—all things worth while even money itself, result from education.

And yet in every great city there is constant talk of money and economy when education is discussed.

Schools are not built "because the city cannot afford the money."

Teachers are underpaid and overworked, hundreds of thousands of children are swindled, and the future of the nation damaged, because of a little money.

School gymnasiums are left without instructors because the city cannot afford the money.

That money to which so much importance is attached is not really important at all. But even that very money is the result of education.

Every dollar must be earned, produced in some way, by the effort of some man.

Where the ignorant man, with his hands and his muscle, produces one dollar a day, all of which is needed to feed and clothe him, the educated man, with his brains, produces ten dollars a day, or a hundred dollars, or more.

It is the educated man who adds to the world's surplus, and who makes possible the steady improvement of conditions on earth.

Of course, there is a moral side to which Channing alludes, and that should be stronger and more powerful than any practical money question.

To deprive a child of education, is like depriving a plant of water or an animal of food.

A child, or plant, or animal, thus deprived, is sentenced to inferiority and to stunted development.

But in this age "money talks."

The soul of a swindled child is silent and cannot talk.

Therefore, it is well to bear in mind, and to impress upon politicians the fact that whoever refuses education to save a little money today robs the future of a great deal of money, besides robbing it of moral growth.

GYPSIES KIDNAPPED CHILD.

Is Recognized by a Friend and Restored to Parents.

MARION Ind. Aug. 2.—Several members of a band of gypsies are imprisoned in the county jail here charged with stealing. The 3-year-old daughter of Henry Herman, a glass manufacturer, was stolen yesterday from the home of her grand parents, where her parents had left her while they were enjoying an outing. Gypsies driving past the house kidnapped the child and drove south with her. In South Marion they stopped at a saloon, where the little girl was recognized by Mr. Wilson a friend of her parents. Mr. Wilson rescued the child from her captors and took her to his own home. Later the gypsies were pursued and arrested.

Every young man should love and cherish his sister as if he has no sister he should borrow some one else's.

We have noticed many good dairy articles in the papers, but the best article we have ever yet seen on milk is cream.



The Farmer's Foes

are weeds. Unless they are kept down, they divert the nutrition which the soil provides from the growing crops and ruin their productivity. Diseases are to the body what weeds are to the soil. They divert the nutrition which is necessary to sound health, and the body, instead of being strong and healthy, drags out a sickly existence. When the stomach is diseased, and the other organs of digestion and nutrition are involved with it, there is a constant loss of nutrition by the body. The stomach and its allied organs are not able to convert the foods into nourishment, and hence the body and its several organs are deprived of the necessary elements of vitality. What is known as "weak" heart or "weak" lungs, "weak" nerves and other forms of so-called weakness, are generally caused by "weak" stomach. When the stomach and the other organs of digestion and nutrition are cured, then the other diseases are cured with it. Diseases which are caused by a diseased condition of the stomach are cured through the stomach. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and its associated organs of digestion and nutrition. It cures through the stomach diseases of heart, lungs, liver and other organs. It increases the activity of the blood-making glands, so that the whole body is nourished by an abundant supply of pure blood, rich in the bright red corpuscles of health.

There is no alcohol in "Golden Medical Discovery" and it contains neither opium, cocaine, nor any other narcotic. It is strictly a temperance medicine. Persons suffering from chronic forms of disease are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free. All correspondence strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Suffered for Years.

"My gratitude to you and your 'Golden Medical Discovery' is so great," writes Mr. Rose Martin of Arden, Mass. Co., West Virginia, "that I am at a loss to find words to express my true feelings. I had suffered for a number of years with heart and throat troubles, and doctor after doctor, but got no better. Then I decided to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and after using it I was greatly relieved. I have all faith that it has saved my life."

Torpid Liver Cured.

"I was a sufferer from torpid liver for over a year," writes Mrs. Nora Willis, of Winfield, Jasper Co., Ind. "and could not sleep, nor eat very little, and then it would cause me great distress. I tried several doctors but got no relief. Was advised by a friend to write to Dr. Pierce, which I did, and in a few days I received a letter advising me to take his 'Golden Medical Discovery' and also his 'Pleasant Pellets.' After I had taken only half a bottle I was greatly improved. I only took three bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two vials of the 'Pellets,' and thanks to Dr. Pierce and his wonderful medicine, I am as well as ever in my life, and feel that life is worth living after all."

"Last winter I took a severe cold which resulted in pleurisy. Tongue can not tell what I suffered. For two nights and two days I could not move without it nearly killed me. I told my husband I could not endure another night of suffering. The weather was so cold and stormy that it was almost too bad for any one to go six miles to town, but he went and got a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Extract of Sarsaparilla, which gave me instant relief. I can say that for all pains that I have tried it for it has worked like magic. We kept a bottle of the 'Smart-Weed' in the house all the time. I cannot thank Dr. Pierce enough for what he has done for me."

Constipation has almost countless consequences. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation and cure its consequences. They should always be used with "Golden Medical Discovery," when the use of a laxative is indicated.



In Two Minutes

There will be another car. But the man can't wait. He chases the car and springs on, panting and hot, but satisfied. He keeps this gait up all day. He works that way, he lurches that way. He continues this until his stomach "breaks down" and nature compels him to "go slow."

Business men who have impaired their digestion by hasty eating will find in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery a cure for dyspepsia and other diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition. It does not give mere temporary relief, but it effects a radical cure. It strengthens the stomach, nourishes the nerves and purifies the blood.

"For six long years I suffered with my liver, kidneys, and with indigestion, which baffled the best doctors in our country," writes E. L. Russell, Esq., of Worcester, Prince William Co., Va. "I suffered with my stomach and back for a long time, and after taking a 'cartload' of medicine from three doctors, I grew so bad I could hardly do a day's work. Would have dear-like pains in the side, and blind spots, and thought life was hardly worth living. I began taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets,' as advised. Before I had taken half of the second bottle I began to feel relieved. I got six bottles and used them, and am happy to say I owe my life to Dr. Pierce and his medicines."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

THE CUBAN REPUBLIC.

Conditions in Cuba have been much improved since the Americans took control of affairs and since they are now free to manage their own affairs the question arises as to their ability to maintain self-government. The experiment will be watched with much interest. In this case it is a worthy experiment, but if you are sickly it is not advisable to experiment with any of the many so-called health restorers that have no merit. The only way to recover your health is to perfect the digestion, keep the bowels open and the blood pure. For this purpose you cannot find a better or more reliable medicine than Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Try it for heartburn, belching, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness or malaria, fever and ague. It never fails to cure.

NOTICE!

Bids will be received up to August 10, 1902, for painting the McClure school building, all material to be furnished by the district.

Present bids at the office of the school clerk, 179 Eleventh street. By order of the board.

E. Z. FERGUSON,
Clerk of School District No. 1.

TREAT YOUR KIDNEYS FOR RHEUMATISM.

When you are suffering from rheumatism, the kidneys must be attended to at once so that they will eliminate the uric acid from this blood. Foley's Kidney Cure is the most effective remedy for this purpose. R. T. Hopkins, of Polaris, Wis., says: "After unsuccessfully doctoring for three years for rheumatism with the best doctors, I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and it cured me. I cannot speak too highly of this great medicine." For sale by Frank Hart, druggist.

LUCK IN THIRTEEN.

By sending 13 miles Wm. Spirey, of Walton Furnace, Va., got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, that cured a horrible fever sore on his leg. Nothing else could. Positively cures Bruises, Felons, Ulcers, Eruptions, Boils, Burns, Corns, and Piles. Only 25c. Guaranteed by Charles Rogers, druggist.

It is getting pretty hard to find a man over 40 years old who is not either a judge, colonel, captain, mayor, doctor or squire.

A. R. Bass, of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night and had severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. For sale by Frank Hart, druggist.

With a rolled-brim Panama, rolled-up trousers and rolled-up sleeves, the modern man looks like a high roller, surely.

ASLEEP AMID FLAMES.

Breaking into a blazing home, some firemen lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fancied security, and death near. It's that way when you neglect coughs and colds. Don't do it. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption gives protection against all Throat, Chest and Lung Troubles. Keep it near and avoid suffering, death, and doctor's bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use the most stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting, it's guaranteed to satisfy by Charles Rogers. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

A STARTLING SURPRISE.

Very few could believe in looking at A. T. Hoadley, a healthy, robust blacksmith of Tilden, Ind., that for ten years he suffered such tortures from Rheumatism as few could endure and live. But a wonderful change followed his taking Electric Bitters. "Two bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me." He writes, "I have not felt a twinge in over a year." They regulate the kidneys, purify the blood and cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Nervousness, Improve digestion and give perfect health. Try them. Only 50c at Charles Rogers' drug store.

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Some men enjoy a joke so well that they can tell the same old chestnut over twenty times and laugh at it every time.

When the young Kentuckian sees his wild oats he depends altogether on irrigation.

NO FALSE CLAIMS.

The proprietors of Foley's Honey and Tar do not advertise this as a "sure cure for consumption." They do not claim it will cure this dread complaint in advanced cases, but do positively assert that it will cure in the earlier stages and never fails to give comfort and relief in the worst cases. Foley's Honey and Tar is without doubt the greatest throat and lung remedy. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Frank Hart, druggist.

TWO BOTTLES CURED HIM.

"I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Dala, of Mt. Sterling, Ia., but two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure."—Sold by Frank Hart, druggist.

Sound kidneys are safeguards of life. Make the kidneys healthy with Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by Frank Hart, druggist.

Probably the reason a trust is called a plant is because no plant can flourish without water.

When other medicines have failed, take Foley's Kidney Cure. It has cured when everything else has disappointed. For sale by Frank Hart, druggist.

An unmarried man is but a half perfect being and it requires the other half better half to make things right.

BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar, which is a sure cure."—Sold by Frank Hart, druggist.

STARTLING, BUT TRUE.

"If everyone knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes D. H. Turner, of Dempseytown, Pa., "you'd sell 'em like you have in a day. Two weeks' use has made a weak man of me." Infallible for constipation, stomach and liver troubles. 25c at Charles Rogers' drug store.

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