

**Lebanon Express.**  
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 Editor - and - Proprietor.

Stick your knows in your own business.

Knox county, Ill., is probably the divorce center of the United States. In the last five years the number of divorces have averaged one to every seven marriages.

The people generally have observed one and will observe the other Thanksgiving day. The pastors alone are making a political question out of the dual holiday.—Statesman.

The editor of the Statesman must have a different idea of the meaning of the phrase "the people generally," as it is used in the above article, from the one that nearly—if not quite—every one else has. We always supposed it to mean the majority of the people, but if the number of people who celebrated Penoyer's Thanksgiving day come within the meaning of that phrase it must mean a minority, emphatically.

The Knights of Labor have lost a wise, determined and conservative Grand Master in the resignation of Mr. Powderly. This body is large, cumbersome and hard to manage, yet their former chief has kept it well in hand. They have elected J. R. Sovereign his successor, a rather unfortunate name for the head of an order composed of workmen.

The aiders and abettors of that disgusting sheet, the Portland Sunday Mercury, have at last met in part the just reward for their crimes. This paper has thrust upon the public the most revolting scandals, clothed in spicy and attractive words. They have unearthed long forgotten family skeletons and by threatening to parade the fruits of their ghoulish industry have wrung money from many people. They have made innocent people to suffer. In a word, this paper has been a hideous disgrace to journalism, and its abettors deserve to dwell for a time in the "pen," where they have so often threatened to send their victims unless hush-money was forthcoming.

Crapp & Co's big worded circular on the financial outlook reads as follows: Confidence breeds credit where courage leads the way. Withholding enterprises is rejecting prosperity. To quit exertion is to invite disaster. Losing a profit is better than losing a sale. Better divide a dime than lose a dollar. To relight a furnace is to start a home mission. Spindles and looms in rapid motion sometimes outrun a bank note. To give credit in the bank parlor is to get it at the teller's window. A good advertisement generally gets to the bank before the check to pay for it. Doubt is a ghost which runs away from faith. Day's works diligently exchanged multiply opportunity and preserve the wealth of a nation.

There is something peculiarly interesting to the mind in the relation which an editor sustains to his readers. To many—to most of them—he must be personally unknown, yet the tie which unites him to them is perhaps all the stronger for that fact. For them he continually thinks and plans; he consults their tastes, seeks to discover their needs and to supply their wants. Not even his most intimate friends are so constantly in his thoughts as these unseen friends to whom he speaks through the printed page. When introduced to a stranger who says: "I have long been a constant reader of your journal," what a flash of recognition passes from eye to eye! This man, he feels, is no stranger; he knows my habits of thought, is acquainted with my ideas on many subjects, has learned, I trust, to value my character. How can he seem like a stranger? In the same way when note or telegram announces to the editor the death of one whose name has been on his subscription list for years, he feels with a sudden sinking of heart that he will miss from his silent audience a sympathizing and responsive voice. Yes, there is something interesting in the relation of an editor and his

A. H. Cruson has just given the store room which will soon be occupied by N. W. Smith, a coat of paint. There will be services in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church on the second and fourth Sundays in each month, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. W. V. McGinn, Pastor.

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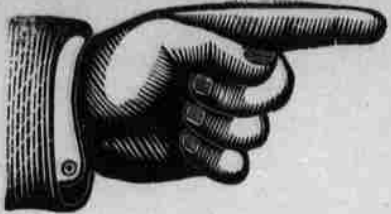
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