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OBITUARY.

Mrs. Harriet Harman nee Smith was born April 18, 1812, and died August 13, 1899, making her earthly pilgrimage eighty-seven years three months and twenty-five days.

Her last illness was of short duration, and notwithstanding her suffering her faith was firm—submissive to the divine will.

Mrs. Charlotte C. Jones, daughter of John Henry Baughman and wife Catherine, was born May 27, 1818; was married to G. C. Jones, Oct. 28, 1846, who preceded her to the spirit land, Sept. 22, 1861.

The deceased was born and raised in this county, on the place now owned by Mr. Sam Shumpert, and was a sister of Henry W. Baughman who moved from this county to the State of Texas several years ago.

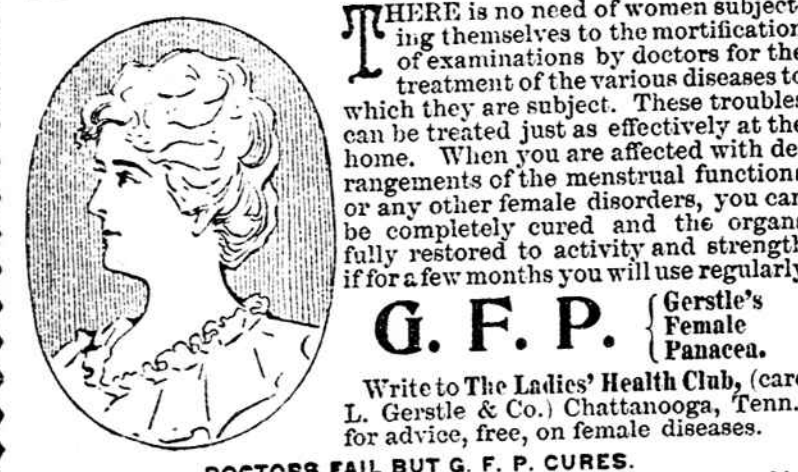
Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head.

Not Abandoned.

Yorkville Enquirer. The information that the post office department has not entirely abandoned the project of delivering mail in boxes along star routes without expense to patrons will, no doubt, be received with a great deal of pleasure by a great many people.

In the Privacy of the Home.



There is no need of women subjecting themselves to the mortification of examinations by doctors for the treatment of the various diseases to which they are subject.

Write to The Ladies' Health Club, (care L. Gerstle & Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for advice, free, on female diseases.

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of success are good. However, whether contracts are let as indicated or no, Dr. Stokes has performed good service for the State, and in the name of a large number of people in this section, we take it upon ourselves to return to him especial thanks.

During the winter of 1897, Mr. James Reed, one of the leading citizens and merchants of Clay, Co., W. Va., struck his leg against a cake of ice in such a manner as to bruise it severely.

A great many women who complain that men don't understand them, ought to consider themselves lucky that men don't.

A great cage does not make the bird sing. Large possessions bring great cares, and these too often silence songs of praise.

W. A. Dyches, Whaley, S. C., writes: Have used Dr. M. A. Simons Liver Medicine 10 years for indigestion, bad colds and tried feelings.

A cynical bachelor says that if a young woman talks only when she really has something to say there is something wrong with her.

A Beggars' trust is reported in New York. One man controls 40 mendicants, feeds, clothes and cares for them and handles their daily collections.

The death rate in Syracuse for five years succeeding the securing of a good water supply has been 13.49. For the five years previous thereto it was 16.80.

"When our boys were almost dead from whooping cough, our doctor gave one Minute Cough Cure. They recovered rapidly," writes P. B. Bell, of Argyle, Pa.

To keep away roaches, take green cucumber parings and strew them around the kitchen tables and cupboards and see how quick the roaches will disappear.

A child was lost in the Blue Ridge mountains, and three months later its dead body and that of the dog who was with it, were found.

"It did me more good than anything I ever used. My dyspepsia was of months' standing; after eating it was terrible. Now I am well," writes S. B. Keener, Hoisington, Kas., of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.

God is silently but surely sifting the American people into two classes—home defenders and saloon defenders. There are only two classes. To which do you belong?

To clean and brighten a carpet put three tablespoons of ammonia into a pail of clean water and go over the surface of the carpet with a cloth well wrung from the liquid.

President King, Farmer's Bank Brooklyn, Mich., has used DeWitt's Little Early Risers in his family for years. Says they are the best.

The trying yellow spots so often left by sewing machine oil on white goods may be removed by rubbing the stain with a cloth wet with ammonia before washing with soap.

The furniture van is always on the move. Any nerve tonic is supposed to be a steady drink.

Smoking Spirits.

An Augusta revenue man, says the Evening Herald, had a novel experience recently with a moonshiner in the Lincoln county.

Early one morning he discovered an old man standing near a grave in the mountain region.

But the trouble about the grave was that the revenue man had observed smoke issuing from the place where the headboard should have been.

He surprised the old man who immediately feigned great sorrow, he explained his presence by the statement that his brother was buried there.

At the mention of his brother he feigned great grief, and said he never would get over it—it was such a hard dispensation of Providence.

"But isn't it peculiar," replied the revenue man, "that I see a stovepipe at the head of his grave, and smoke issuing therefrom?"

"Stranger," replied the weeping moonshiner, "he died in his sins, and his 'm' opinion they're a-roasting of him down below."

Perhaps the oldest Confederate soldier in the world is Seymour Garner, who lives in Wilcox county, Alabama. Though 108 years old, he is still alert and remarkably well preserved.

The "Plow Boy Preacher," Rev. J. Kirkman, Belle River, Ill., says, "After suffering from Bronchial lung trouble for ten years, I was cured by One Minute Cough Cure. It is all that is claimed for it and more."

"Can dogs find their way home from a distance?" is the question frequently asked. It's according to the dog. If it's one you want to get rid of, he can find his way back from the Philippines. If it's a good one, he's apt to get lost if he goes around the corner.

At plant, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat. It cures all forms of dyspepsia and stomach troubles. E. R. Gamble, Vernon, Tex., says, "It relieved me from the start and cured me. It is now my everlasting friend." J. E. Kaufmann.

Nothing is eternal but that which is done for self dies. Perhaps it is wrong, but is persister. You say it is pleasure—well, enjoy it. But joyous recollection is no longer joy. That which ends in self is mortal. That alone which goes out of self in God lasts forever.

Men exposed to the rigors of the Alaskan winter never wear mustaches. They wear full beards to protect the throat and face; but keep the upper lip clean shaven. The moisture from the breath congeals so quickly that a mustache becomes imbedded in a solid cake of ice and the face is frozen in a short time.

"If you scour the world you will never find a remedy equal to One Minute Cough Cure," says Editor Fackler, of the Micanoy, Fla., "Hustler." It cured his family of LaGrippe and saves thousands from pneumonia, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung troubles. J. E. Kaufmann.

The shrewd saloon keeper will not employ a drinking young man for bar-keeper. He prefers a total abstainer. He is a money maker and all there is in it. He knows that a man under the influence of liquor is not a safe person behind the bar. It pays him to have a bar-keeper who can mix drinks, but doesn't swallow them.

The prairie dogs in Texas are being destroyed by means of a new device for catching them, which has been adopted by a large number of the ranchmen and farmers. On one large ranch over 12,000 were captured and killed last week. The trap is placed over the animal's mound and makes it a prisoner when it emerges from the hole. This pest has been destroying over 50 per cent of the growing crops and grass in Texas annually.

Americans Occupy the Town of Porac.

Move on it in Two Columns, One Commanded by Wheeler—After Skirmish Rebels Fled—Five Americans Wounded; Many Prostrated by Heat—Insurgents Have 7,000 New Japanese Rifles.

Manila, Sept. 28, 10:10 a. m.—The movement against Porac, about eight miles from Bacolor in Pampanga province, which began at daybreak this morning, is conducted personally by Gen. McArthur.

Gen. Wheeler with the Ninth regiment and a battery is advancing by two roads, while Gen. Wheaton, commanding the Twelfth and Seventeenth regiments, is moving to block the insurgents' retreat from the north. The Thirty-sixth regiment accompanies Gen. McArthur. Firing has begun near Ang I s. Two Filipino majors came to the American lines last night with a message regarding the American prisoners who were to arrive this morning. They also requested permission for Gen. Alejandro, one colonel and two lieutenants colonels to visit Gen. O. Is. They were refused entrance to the American lines until noon Friday, on account of today's fight, and Gen. Alejandro alone will be allowed to visit Gen. O. Is.

The insurgents recently intrenched and garrisoned the town of Paet, on Laguna bay, in the province of Laguna. Subsequently Capt. Larsen, commanding the gunboat Napidan, landed for a conference with the citizens. As he was proceeding up the main street of the town with a squad he was received with a volley from a hidden trench. The party retreated to their boat under cover of the buildings and regained their vessel. The Napidan then bombarded the trench for an hour, completely destroying it.

4:50 p. m.—Gen. MacArthur entered Porac after half an hour's fighting. The American loss is not known. When the Americans entered the town they found it entirely deserted. The attacking party moved on Porac in two columns. The Ninth infantry with two guns, from Santa Rita was commanded by Gen. Wheeler, and the Thirty-sixth infantry commanded by Col. Bull with one gun accompanied Gen. McArthur from San Antonio. Both columns struck the town at 9 o'clock and opened a brisk fire, which was replied to by the enemy for about half an hour. Then the insurgents fled and the Americans marched over their trenches and took possession of the place. Just before the fight Smith's command at Angeles made a demonstration by firing artillery upon the railroad track. Liscom reported one casualty and Bell reported four men of his regiment wounded. The artillery did not have any men injured.

6:05 p. m.—Today's movement was a strategic success and resulted in the possession of Porac and the clearing of several miles of country thereabouts.

These two columns, one from Santa Rita and the other from San Antonio, united before Porac, according to programme, stretching for some miles.

The insurgents are estimated to have numbered 600 men. Ten dead Filipinos were found and a Captain and Commissary of Mascarno's command were taken prisoners.

The American loss is five wounded, but there may be prostrations from the heat.

Englishmen from the insurgent lines report that the Filipinos at Bamban have about 7,000 new Japanese rifles.

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On the 10th of December, 1897, Rev. S. A. Donahoe, pastor M. E. Church, South, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., contracted a severe cold which was attended from the beginning by violent coughing. He says: "After resorting to a number of so-called 'specifics,' usually kept in the house, to no purpose, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. I most cheerfully recommend it to the public." For sale by J. E. Kaufmann.

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