Wednesday, October 21, 1903.

An Enjoyable Occasion. On the 26th of September, this D. I. Shealy, of near Chapin, reached the 56:h milestone on the journey of life. Fifty-six years of good, faith. ful performance of every trust imposed upon him as a citizen, a neighbor, a husband, a father and a friend had been taken from his allotted time, and in gratitude that his valuable life had been spared thus long, his children tendered to him a birthday supper at his residence. Only the immediate relatives of the family and a few specially invited friends, among the latter being Congressman A. Frank Lever, an old friend of the family, were present, and yet so numerous is the tribe "Shealy" that not less than a hundred people, men, women and children enjoyed the hospitality and good cheer of the occasion. The table was arranged out in the yard, for the dining room would not accommodate the number who had come to offer congratulations and wish him God speed and many more years of usefi ln iss; and it was such a table as only the good wives and daughters of this blessed section can prepare. Beautifully decorated with the choisest flowers, it was more substatially decorated with every good thing that the inner man calls good. Your correspondent, who is not a big eater, but by the time he had tasted of the various tempting things persuading his appetite, he found it necessary to let out his belt a few notches. After the supper the young folk of the crowd enjoyed a most pleasant dance to music furnished by the Counts string band, an organization of musical talent that can't be beaten in the world of amateur music. The old folk looked on, and reveled in the memory of other days when they carried in their step and on their cheek the sprightliness and bloom of youth and love. The crowd broke at eleven, wended its way homeward and decided in is mind that it had never enjoyed an occasion

May all the family live to see many returns of this happy event, and may Mr. Shealy grow stronger and stronger in the esteem of his friends and Mr. Shealy be spared many years of usefulness as a citizen.

One Present. The above article has been in this

office for sometime but it has been impossible to publish it before this. -Editor of the Dispatch.]

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co, Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for particulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. Cheney & Co.

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A Tennessee Letter.

To the Editor of the Dispatch.

I have been reading with great interest the present trial of J. H. Tillman, charged with the murder of N. G. Gonzale. It will doubtless seem strange to many why I should be interested in the trial. It is because the murder was committed in my old native State and prominent citizens of the State are connected with it. I have kept up with it from the time the killing was done until the present

Well, Mr. Editor, as to the crop report of our county, we have a fine corn and hay crop. Wheat and cotton crops are not so good. Cotton suffered from the drouth of the past

two months. The crop will not be so large as previously estimated. I think not over a half crop will be

I have enjoyed the pleasure of attending the Missouria State fair at St. Louis last week. It was magnificent and a grand success, and the sight on the grounds where the world's fair is to be in 1904, is superbly beautiful. The tremendous hotel being erected on the grounds of the St. Louis Fair is to be of steel, three stories in height and will cover an area of fourteen acres. The dining room will be large enough to seat a brigade of soldiers and the plans contemplate the accommodation of seven thousand guests. It is said it will be the largest hotel in the world. The Louisiana Territory embraces the country lying west of the Mississippi river to the summit of the Rocky Mountains. The Louisiana Territory has been divided into twelve States and two Territories. I hope, Mr. Editor, to have the pleasure of meeting you, together with many more of my South Carolina friends, in 1904.

With best wishes to you and your Dispatch, I remain your friend,

J. Ed. Kyzer. Rutherford, Tenn., Oct., 24, 1903.

Saves Two From Death.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Havi land, of Armonk, N. Y, "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had Consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by Kaufmann Drug Co.

Obituary.

Reuben Jacob Price was born February 14, 1843 and died September 29th, 1903; aged 60, years, 7 months and 15 days. He was married to Mary Malinda Gartmen, December 7, 1865. To them were born 5 children-one son and four daughters and ten grandchildren. One child and three grandchildren are dead. He was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church and remained faithful to his vows until death. His presence will be missed in the neighborhood, in his family and in his church.

On the afternoon of Tuesday, the 29th day of September, while preparing to attend a funeral in his church and apparently in good health, he was stricken down with paralysis and died in a few hours afterwards. Thus another old soldier has gone to receive his reward. The funeral services were conducted by his pastor, the writer, to a large cengregation. W. H. R.

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Chicago, Oct. 14 -The "Restoration Host," from Zion City began its movement on New York city today. At intervals of half an hour trains loaded with followers of John Alexander Dowie left the North shore city- There were eight trains in all, bearing over 3,000 "crusaders." At the blowing of the fire whistle every inhabitant of the city was ready to kneel and pray for a safe journey and over 7,000 men, women and children gathered at the railroad station to listen to the final instructions of the leaders.



Mixed Pickles.

Rumor has caused many a good name to stick in the mud.

Many of the good deeds men forget to do appear on tombstones.

It's as hard for some to suspect evil as it is for others to suspect good.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia. Take no substitutes. The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Money isn't the root of all evil. What's the matter with that hog in your garden?

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After a man has tried to get something and failed, his next ambition is to try to keep his friends from getting it.

A church recently dedicated in St. Paul was erected at a cost of \$7,000, raised by 10,000 contributions of 70 cents each.

Cures Winter Cough.

J. E Gover, 101 N. Main street, Ottawa, Kan., writes: "Every fall it has been my wife's trouble to catch a severe cold, and therefore to cough all winter long. Last fall I got her a bottle of Horehound Syrup. She used it and has been able to sleep soundly all night. Whenever the cough troubles her, two or three doses stops the cough, and she is able to be up and well." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by The Kaufmann Drug Company.

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The largest glass bottle ever blown has recently been made for exhibition at the St. Louis Exposition. It holds forty-five gallons, and required forty pounds of molten glass, drawn from the furnrace and shaped on the end of a huge blowing pipe.

The Best Doctor.

Rev. B. C. Horton, Sulphur Springs, Texas, writes July 19th, 1899: "I have used in my family Ballard's Snow Liniment and Horehound Syrup, and they have proved certainly satisfactory. The liniment is the best we have ever used for headache and pains. The cough syrup has been our doctor for the last eight years." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

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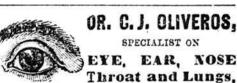
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