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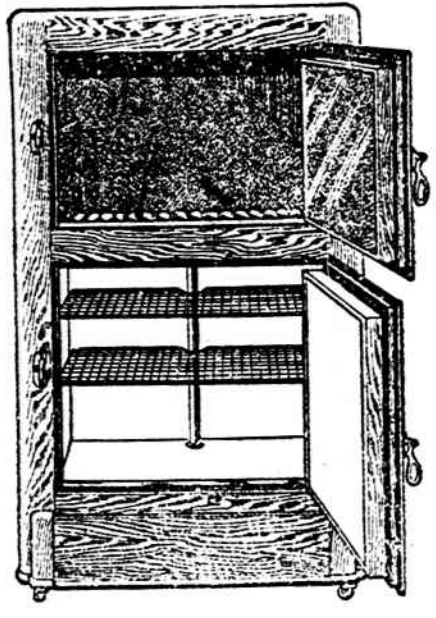
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The Lexington Dispatch.

Wednesday, May 6, 1908.

Strong Drink.

It is a warrior whom no victory can satisfy, no ruin satiate. It pauses at no Rubicon to consider, pitches no tents at night, goes into no quarters for winter. It conquers amid the burning plains of the South where the phalanx of Alexander halted in mutiny. It conquers amid the snow drifts of the North where the grand army of Napoleon found its winding sheet. Its monuments are in every burial ground. Its badges of triumph are the weeds which mourners wear. Its song of victory is the wail that was heard in Ramah—"Rachel crying for her children and weeping because they are not."

The sword is mighty, and its bloody traces reach across time, from Nineveh to Gravelotte, from Marathon to Gettysburg. Yet mightier is its brother, the wine cup. I say "brother," and history says "brother." Castor and Pollux never fought together in more fraternal harmony. David and Jonathan never joined in more generous rivalry. Hand in hand, they have come down the centuries, and upon every scene of carnage, like vulture and shadow, they have met and feasted.

Yea, a pair of giants, but the greater is the wine cup. The sword has a scabbard, and is sheathed; has a conscience, and becomes gladdened with havoc; has pity, and gives quarter to the vanquished. The wine cup has no scabbard and no conscience; its appetite is a cancer which grows as you feed it; to pity, it is deaf; to suffering, it is blind.

The sword is the lieutenant of death, but the wine cup his captain; and if ever they come home to him from the wars bringing their trophies, boasting of their achievements, I can imagine that death, their master, will meet them with garlands and song, as the maidens of Judea met Saul and David. But as he numbers the victories of each, his psalm will be "The sword is my Saul, who has slain his thousands, but the wine cup is my David, who has slain his tens of thousands."—Tom Watson in The Jefferson.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth,
Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty five cents a bottle. Guaranteed under the Food and Drug act, June 30, 1906. Serial number 1908. It is the best of all.

Jury Awards Her \$35,000.

A verdict for \$35,000 damages against the New York Central and Hudson River railroad in favor of Miss Annie Mahoney, who was injured in the wreck of the Brewster express in February, 1907, was returned in the supreme court last week. Miss Mahoney sued for \$100,000. One of her legs was amputated as a result of her injuries. She was a school teacher and the sole support of her mother.

Notice to Our Customers.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults Derrick's Drug Store.

Spider Bite Kills Girl.

Martins Ferry, O., April 29.—Miss Annie Cox, a society girl, died yesterday from a spider bite received three days ago. The girl's body became greatly swollen soon after she was bitten and she suffered intense pain.

"Health Coffee" is really the closest Coffee Imitation ever yet produced. This clever Coffee Substitute was recently produced by Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. Not a grain of real Coffee in it either. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee is made from pure toasted grains, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—who might drink it for Coffee. No 20 or 30 minutes tedious boiling. "Made in a minute" says the doctor. Sold by M. D. Harman.

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Mrs. Arthur R. House, of Church Road, Moorestown, N. J., writes: "I feel it is my duty to let people know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered from female troubles, and last March my physician decided that an operation was necessary. My husband objected, and urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and to-day I am well and strong."

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For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, and backache.

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A Swarm of Bees Went to Roost on Man's Legs.

While trying to get a swarm of bees to hive on a limb Mr. W. H. Moore, who lives near the Orr Mills, had a queer experience. Instead of lighting on the limb provided for them the bees began hiving on Mr. Moore's legs, and in a few minutes nearly half a bushel of bees lit on him. Mr. Moore remained perfectly still and after the last bees in the swarm had lit he carefully, gently brushed them in a hive. He succeeded in getting all but one bee in the hive and this one flew up and stung him on his hand. This was the only sting he got from the mass of bees.—Daily Mail.

Biliousness and Constipation.

For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally.—Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by Kaufmann Drug Co.

Negro Girl Shot to Death.

A negro girl, 14 years old, was shot and instantly killed by Love Robinson, an 18-year-old negro boy, last week on Mr. W. Mc. Culp's farm about two miles south of Fort Mill. It appears, from statements of Mr. Culp and other eye witnesses, that they had been quarreling in the field where both were working, and that the boy finally left his plough and, going to a house nearby, borrowed a shotgun, saying he wanted to kill a mad dog. Returning to the end of the field where the girl was working alone, although in sight of Mr. Culp and his other hand, the boy deliberately shot her in the breast, killing her instantly. Robinson escaped, but was caught later in the day at Van Wyck and taken to the jail at Yorkville.

Will Go Abroad.

Senator Tillman will take a trip to Europe next month. The Senator, accompanied by Mrs. Tillman, Dr. J. W. Babcock and Dr. J. J. Watson, will sail from Boston on May 18.

More News from the New England States.

If anyone has any doubt as to the virtue of Fole's Kidney Cure, they need only to refer to Mr. Alvin H. Stimpson, of Wilimantic, Conn., who, after almost losing hope of recovery, on account of the failure of so many remedies, finally tried Fole's Kidney Cure, which he says was "just the thing" for him, as four bottles cured him completely. He is now entirely well and has paid all the medical bills to cure his kidney trouble. Derrick's Drug Store.

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