

INTERESTING ANNOUNCEMENT.

Col. Henry D. Capers Weds Mrs. Jennie Buckner Gwyn.

The following item taken from the Atlanta Georgian will prove of interest to many in Oconee county: "Mr. Childress Buckner Gwyn, of Fitzgerald, Ga., announces the engagement of his mother, Mrs. Jennie Buckner Gwyn, to Col. Henry D. Capers. Marriage to occur at the home of the bride on February 14, 1909."

So Col. Capers' Valentine Day will be one worth while. It may have been a long time since Col. Capers bothered his head about little red hearts and lace paper missives, but it is safe to say that he is looking forward to the good saint's day this year as happily as though he were just in his teens.

And the boys who watch the Colonel in the gymnasium at the Athletic Club are hardly willing to believe that he has put 74 years behind him. He did several stunts on the horizontal bar last week that few of the youngsters could match.

"And you wouldn't take Mrs. Gwyn to be a day more than thirty," remarked the Colonel Monday morning, though he didn't mind saying her age was just under the half century mark. "She is just the finest example of a Southern woman I ever knew."

MAY GO TO WHITE SCHOOLS.

Fight in California Over Japs Seems to Be at an End.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 11.—The anti-Japanese measure, defeated yesterday in the California Legislature, has been the sensation of two Legislatures. It was first introduced at the session two years ago by Grove L. Johnson, of Sacramento, ex-Congressman from this district and a member of the State law-making body for many years.

The law specified that Mongolians and Indians should be segregated, and the board's action was based on the contention that the Japanese belonged to the Mongolian race. This the Japanese denied as strenuously. The Japanese government protested to President Roosevelt and the members of the school board, headed by the then mayor, Eugene E. Schmitz, were summoned to a conference at Washington by President Roosevelt.

What Johnson Said.

Assemblyman Johnson, when he presented it again on the first day for the presentation of bills at this session, said that he had done so without prompting by the Asiatic Exclusion League or any other organization.

As soon as the Japanese heard the news of the revival of the bill, Japan made representations to Washington that to pass it would violate the treaty rights of that nation, and after a consultation with Secretary of State Root, the President wired Governor Gillett, urging that action be delayed again.

BRINGS GOATS TO THE RESCUE.

New Plan Announced to Save Uncle Sam's Forests from Fire.

(Baltimore Sun.) "Wanted.—By the United States Government—3,000 Angora goats, able to eat anything, from a red shirt or a circus poster to the bushy chaparral of the national forests; back alley goats of Jersey City, Hoboken and Harlem especially desired."

This is the advertisement which may be looked for within the next few days, when the government has completed a scheme formed of herding out 3,000 Angora goats on the bush-covered foot hills of California to eat away the bushy growth and thereby protect the forests.

The goats will be spread out over an area and then properly guided, so as to eat lanes in the forests. These lanes, it is calculated, will be 300 yards wide, and will serve to divide the forests into patches, so to speak, so that if one patch gets afire, the flames will not spread to the adjoining patches.

The idea was made public recently by the bureau of forestry in a report showing the advantages of the plan.

10-Year Old Mother of Triplets.

New York, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Richard Shuttleworth, nineteen years of age, has become the mother of triplets, two girls and a boy. The young mother lives in Brooklyn, and will name the boy William Taft Shuttleworth.

How To Gain Flesh

Persons have been known to gain a pound a day by taking an ounce of Scott's Emulsion. It is strange, but it often happens.

Somehow the ounce produces the pound; it seems to start the digestive machinery going properly, so that the patient is able to digest and absorb his ordinary food which he could not do before, and that is the way the gain is made.

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LIBERIA CRYING TO U. S.

Negro Colony, Now in a Bad Way, Asks for Aid.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Earnest efforts are being made by the administration to secure the appropriation of \$20,000 for the expenses of a commission to go to Liberia to make recommendations as to what specific action on the part of the government is desirable that will most aptly render effective relief to that republic under the present critical circumstances.

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Hanby, convicted on a bigamy charge, was not only fined \$100 and sent to jail for six months, but was also sentenced to marry an Indian woman.

Hanby's first wife, learning of his marriage to pretty Mary La Brecke, a Blackfoot maiden, secured his indictment and then a legal separation for herself. Because of the first marriage the second marriage was declared void.

Judge Hunt not only imposed the sentence indicated, but instructed the United States marshal to see that the marriage was carried out immediately, and this was done, a justice of the peace uniting the couple.

Hanby made no protest.

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What Some of Them Said.

"Did the girls say anything when they heard of my engagement?" she asked, with a little curiosity.

"Very little," was the reply of her dearest friend.

"But they said something?" "Well, what was it?" "Well, most of them merely exclaimed, 'At last!'"

There was a pause, and then she asked: "Well, what did some of the others say?"

"One of them said, 'Who'd have thought it?' Another, 'Will wonders never cease?' And a third—" "Oh, never mind the rest," interrupted the fiancée, "I never did have much curiosity."

COUNTY CLAIMS AUDITED.

At the regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, held Friday, February 5, 1909, the following claims were passed upon:

Table with columns: Claim No., In Whose Favor and Nature of the Claim, Amount Allowed.

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Mr. Silverfriend and the remnant of the local colony say that if the body is found to be in a state of decomposition, as an ordinary human body, it will expose the religion as false. It has been guarded day and night since Teed's death.

\$50,000 IN HIS MATTRESS.

Lockport, N. Y., Feb. 13.—More than \$50,000 in cash has been found in a mattress on the bed of James Mahan, a Civil War veteran, who died here a few days ago. His two sons, James and Lawrence, will inherit the money.

The old soldier, who died in his seventy-first year, had been a prisoner at Andersonville during the Civil War and drew a government pension. He had been ill for fourteen years and during all that time did not leave his room. His pension money, together with a large part of his life savings, he had placed carefully in the mattress.

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