

THE COWARD

At about 2 o'clock on a raw, blustery March morning the inhabitants of the little village of Shickhinnny, on the upper Susquehanna, were roused from sleep by hoarse shouts and by the violent ringing of the church bell. Men and boys dressed in haste, and a crowd soon congregated on the river shore.

Too late. Even as Jasper sprang to the boat the water heaved and tossed, and the rumble of the dread avalanche deepened to a roar. Half a dozen cakes of ice swirled by, rising and falling with the waves.

GIRLS DRESS LIKE MEN. Pit Brow Workers in Lancashire Collieries Wear Trousers. Pit brow girls are among the most remarkable women workers in England. They work as hard as men and dress almost like men.

BRITISH JUDGES. High Salaries That Go With the Prizes of the English Bar. The lord high chancellor of Great Britain is second only in position to the archbishop of Canterbury, and he enjoys an income of £10,000 a year.

NO SLEEP FOR A MORTGAGE. The inexorable Taskmaster Described by a Sufferer. The mortgage is a self supporting institution. It always holds its own. It calls for just as many dollars when grain is cheap as when grain is dear.

Spider Pills. In New England cobweb pills are supposed to cure the ague, and in the south a certain knuckle bone in a pig's foot is a sure cure for rheumatism if it be carried in the pocket or worn suspended from a string around the neck.

Fat Field Potash. A fertilizer without sufficient. makes a fat purse. is not complete. Our books are complete treatises on fertilizers, written by men who know. Write for them.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

Peoples' Bank of Anderson. ANDERSON, S. C.

We respectfully solicit a share of your business.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF ANDERSON. COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. W. H. McKee, Plaintiff, against Mrs. Mary C. Hood, nee McKee, Mrs. Margaret Amberson or Mrs. Margaret Emerson, nee McKee, Thomas Nolan, Edward Nolan and Fannie Nolan, children of Mrs. Jane Nolan, nee McKee, deceased; Mrs. Martha Metcalf, nee McKee; J. W. McKee, Mrs. Lou L. Dempsey, J. M. McKee, and Walter McKee, and Claude McKee, children of A. D. McKee, deceased—Summons for Relief. (Complaint Serried.)

To the absent Defendants, Mrs. Mary C. Hood, nee McKee, Mrs. Margaret Amberson or Mrs. Margaret Emerson, nee McKee, Thomas Nolan, Edward Nolan and Fannie Nolan, children of Mrs. Jane Nolan, nee McKee, deceased; Mrs. Martha Metcalf, nee McKee; J. W. McKee, Mrs. Lou L. Dempsey, J. M. McKee, and Walter McKee, and Claude McKee, children of A. D. McKee, deceased: Please take notice that the complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Anderson County, South Carolina, at Anderson, S. C., December 31st, 1902, and that the day of said service, or the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

THE undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of A. J. Stringer, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will on Monday, February 23rd, 1903, apply to the Judge of Probate for Anderson County for a Final Settlement of said Estate, and a discharge from his office as Administrator, by ORS. CRAY & CO., Sept. 17, 1902.

OVER D. C. Brown & Bro's. Store, on South Main Street. I have 25 years experience in my profession, and will be pleased to work for any who want Platos made, Filling done, and I make a specialty of Extracting Teeth without pain and with no after pain. Jan 23, 1901

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TENNESSEE MULES. JUST received Car Load Extra NINE MULES from Jefferson City, Tenn. If you are in need of Stock give me a call. J. S. FOWLER. Jan 14, 1903

Mill Site Wanted. Owners of land outside of city limits along either bank of railroad are invited to submit written offers for not less than 100 acres and to specify concisely the location, and as to proximity to railroad, distance from city, quality of water, etc., stating the lowest price the property can be bought for cash. We prefer a larger tract if suitably situated, and it is immaterial if the land belongs to several parties just so it is adjacent, in good shape and is included in one bid. R. S. HILL, President Gluck Mills. Jan 14, 1903

Notice to Administrators, Executors, Guardians, and Trustees. ALL Administrators, Executors, Guardians and Trustees are hereby notified to make their annual returns to this office during the months of January and February, as required by law. R. Y. H. NANCE, Judge of Probate. Jan 14, 1903

FOR SALE. NICE Dwelling House and seven-acre Lot in the Town of Pendleton, South Carolina. Also, Fine Plantation, containing 280 acres, on West side of Seneca River. Will sell on very favorable terms. Apply to QUATTLEBAUM & COCHRAN, Attorneys at Law, Anderson, S. C. Dec 24, 1902

Notice of Final Settlement. THE undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. Mattie P. McClure, dec'd, hereby gives notice that he will on Friday, 14th day February, 1903, apply to the Judge of Probate for Anderson County, S. C., for a Final Settlement of said Estate, and a discharge from his office as Administrator. J. F. McCLURE, Adm'r. Jan 14, 1903

50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE PATENTS. TRADE MARK DESIGN. A full and complete list of all the patents granted in the United States, Canada, Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, and other countries, is published in the Scientific American. MUNN & CO. 391 Broadway, New York

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson. R. O. Commander, a prominent farmer and tobacco man of Florence, has been experimenting with a new kind of cotton, which will take the place of sea island cotton on the uplands, and has been successful with it. He imported his seed in the first instance from tide water Virginia and he has so improved his cotton now after three years that it sells on the Norfolk and Boston market alongside the cotton from which the seed was drawn at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 cents more per pound than the original cotton sells for.

Laying the Board. "Laying the board" for an Anglo-Saxon banquet was something of a solemn function. The usual hour was noon, and after it was over the tables were removed and the diners went, as an old chronicler observes, "to their cups, to which the English were too much accustomed." Evidently the rule that the guests were not to bring their arms into the hall, but leave them outside with the porter, was no unnecessary one.

A Tale of Two Doctors. Dr. Nash, who had published two heavy folios on the antiquities of Westminster, was taken to task by a brother antiquary, Dr. Barton, and pointed out several errors in the work and then asked, "Pray, doctor, are you not a justice of the peace?" "I am," replied Nash. "I advise and your work to the house on."

The Indians and Hudson. There is in the Royal museum at The Hague, Holland, a curious old document describing the adventures of Henry Hudson, a navigator in the service of the Dutch East India company. He it was who discovered the river to which he gave his name. A passage of the document reads as follows: "The natives, or Indians, on his first coming here regarded the ship with mighty wonder and looked upon it as a sea monster and declared that such a ship or people had never been there before."

Notice to Creditors. ALL persons having demands against the Estate of A. J. Hill, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, properly proven, to the undersigned, within the time prescribed by law, and those indebted to make payment. E. F. L. HOLMWAY, Ex'r. Feb 4, 1903

river and saw a white mass looming into view. The gorge had broken, and the ice was coming down with sweeping force.

Jasper stood in the cabin door, and when the flaming wisp of grass showed him the face of his rescuer he blushed with shame.

"You!" he exclaimed, and that single word spoke volumes.

"Don't stop to talk," cried Curt hurriedly. "Jump in. Here comes the ice, and we have a slim chance of dodging it."

—Turkeys are innocent birds; almost any silly woman can stuff them.

—To beg a girl's pardon after stealing a kiss is an unpardonable insult.

—All the world's a stage and every mother's son of us want to be the property man.