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Original Colonel Sellers Lived and Flourished in Missouri. One hears almost annually of some person who was Mark Twain's inspiration...

General Harris was a Missourian. A man of travel, education, wide experience, indomitable courage and engaging manners and appearance.

Senator Vest remembers dear old Tom Harris. It was he who in the fall of 1861, when Price was besieging Lexington, Mo., and when all efforts failed...

Harris was always the kind and courteous and clean handed gentleman. He loved his fellow man. He was ready to share his last dollar with any one who seemed to be in distress...

Rise of a Workhouse Waif. Sir H. M. Stanley possesses the distinction of having commenced his career in a workhouse, a fact which has not prevented him from rising to dizzy heights of fame.

Riley's Awful Blunders. James Whitcomb Riley the popular author and poet, confesses to a fondness for social life, but says he feels at a disadvantage at social gatherings...

Wounds of the Heart. In wounds of the heart itself the escape of blood is never in large quantity, and the lethal consequences are due to the fact that the escape of blood from within its cavity or cavities into the surrounding tissue of the pericardium mechanically interrupts the alternate contraction and expansion by which its pumping action is maintained.

One Thing Unbroken. Standing over the shattered remains of their last Dresden china statuette, the exasperated mistress said to the awkward servant...

A Good Name. From personal experience I testify that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are unequalled as a liver pill. They are rightly named because they give strength and energy and do their work with ease.

FRUITS AND FLOWERS.

It never injures an orchard to mangle. Judicious annual pruning is essential with the peach. Low headed trees resist the wind better, and the fruit is more easily picked.

An Economical Mother. Small Katherine, who had been forbidden to touch the ink bottle, had accidentally spilled its contents not only all over her mother's desk, but on the rug, several chairs and her own apron.

Tagliont as Mrs. Carlyle Saw Her. In the 'New Letters and Memorials of Jane Welsh Carlyle' is the following quaint and caustic comment on Tagliont: 'I saw a very curious sight the other night, the only one I have been to for a long time—viz. some thousands of the greatest and most cultivated people in England, all engaged in a contest of enthusiasm flung her diamond bracelet at the feet of this same Tagliont—virtue its own reward!'

Police-men of the Seas. Revenue cutters are the police-men of the high seas. They have regular beats to patrol along the coast, looking for vessels in distress, suppressing smuggling, illicit seal hunting and mutinies.

He Met His Match. The Russian marshal Suvaroff was famous as a jester and was fond of confusing the men under his command by asking them unexpected and absurd questions.

Penitential Twists. A Harlem mother who has twins and is perforce obliged to study the peculiarities of the species affirms that they are both boys—for a mislead but that the other committed the identical offense at the very first opportunity.

Curved on the Tomb of Ingalls. This extract from Ingalls' essay on 'Grass' is carved on the gabled bowler which marks his last resting place: 'When the fatal fever is ended and the foolish wrangle of the market and forum is closed grass is scattered over the earth has made, and the carpet of the infant becomes the blanket of the dead.'

Cash Before Fame. 'Why don't you try to write your name on the scroll of fame?' 'My friend,' said Senator Sorghum very earnestly, 'I have never yet seen anybody tearing leaflets out of the scroll of fame and getting them cashed at the bank.'

An Amateur. Young Bride—'I'm so nervous, I'm actually shacking. Matrimonial Veteran—'You'll get over it, dear. Why, when I first began getting married I thought I should never stop having altar fright.'

Broken Language. Little Bobby—'Say, pop! Father—'Well, well, what is it now? Little Bobby—'It's a Chinaman speaks broken English, would a white man speak broken China? (Exit Bobby to bed.)'

His Stupid Mistake. A well known Londoner was planning an entertainment on an elaborate scale to be given to various friends in the neighborhood of his country seat. Unfortunately his nearest neighbor, a close relative, is highly uncongenial to himself and his relatives, and he racked his brains to devise a scheme by which he might avoid the necessity of inviting the undesirable cousin to be among his guests.

When Vaughan Washed Windows. Sir Francis Burdett was at one time with the Oblates of St. Charles at Baywater when Manning was superior. For a jest which had made his fellow novices laugh at a solemn moment Father Vaughan, as he then was, condemned Sir Francis to clean a case window and volunteered to show him how to do it.

How Fast a Horse's Feet Move. Did you ever think, says a horseman, how fast a horse in a 2:20 gait moves his feet? When a horse is trotting a 2:20 gait his feet move a little faster than a mile in 1:10.

When Dinner Is Over. As a rule an hour to an hour and a half is spent in conversation after a dinner when neither host nor guests have any other engagement for the evening. When a lady and gentleman are dining together the lady makes the first motion at departure, the gentleman promptly following her lead.

FROM SOUTH AFRICA.

New Way of Using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mr. Arthur Chapman writing from Durban, Natal, South Africa, says: 'As a proof that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a cure suitable for old and young I pen you the following: A neighbor of mine had a child just over two months old. It had a very bad cough and the parents did not know what to give it. I suggested that if they get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and put some upon the dummy teat the baby was sucking it would no doubt cure the child. This they did and brought about a quick relief and cured the baby.'

DOCTORS' BLUNDERS. What Legal Methods Applied to Medical Practices Would Cause.

'Now that I am through with medicine I can cross the profession in a fashion that I would not if I was still in the practice,' said a gentleman who has been known as a successful physician in New York for years as he sat at luncheon in the Lawyers' club.

'We have a great advantage over you, for you in your cases are subjected to the extremest publicity, while we in our cases have the utmost concealment. Just suppose that in our cases we had a judge who knew as much as or more than we did presiding over our actions and, worse than that, had another physician, whose interests were not ours, watching and criticizing us at every step and blazoning every error that we made. Dear me, such a prospect as that would frighten the best physician who ever lived the moment he entered a sick room, and yet that condition is just what you men of the law have to face in every case that you try.'

'What sort of a figure would a lawyer cut floundering around in court without any knowledge of his case? But a physician can flounder mentally in a sick room without a second person being the wiser, though the patient may suffer; but then, 'dead men tell no tales.'

'Under such circumstances of doubt, which is usually ignorance, the physician can look wise, put something into the patient's stomach, go to his office, decide what line of experiment he will follow, return the next day, hoping to find that nature is working the cure that he doesn't know how to effect, and being ready and willing to take all of the credit that comes his way.'

'Why, the very first thing that nurses are taught is to observe the utmost secrecy about doctors' blunders. If they told what they know there wouldn't be much confidence in physicians where they are heard. Ask a nurse of experience about this when you have the opportunity.'

'Yes, sir, I repeat that the publicity and chance for criticism in your profession, if applied to medicine, would result in the discovery of a small amount of science as compared with the large amount of empiricism.'

Made Young Again. 'One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again,' writes D. H. Turner of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripes. Only 25c at The R. B. Loryea Drug Store.

HAPPY HITS. Don't open a set of account books when you do a kindness for anybody. Advantages always look larger than disadvantages, even when the scales are balanced.

Don't marry money. You can spend the money, but you can't spend the trouble you may get with it. Somehow when a brother and sister quarrel it comes nearer to what a man and wife say than any other thing.

The Revolution in a Nutshell. The following contribution to historic literature on the American Revolution was made by a little lady to a short story competition in a Philadelphia newspaper. The writer, a schoolgirl of ten years, epitomizes the whole Valley Forge experience in the following terse sentences:

'There was a Revolutionary war. The British revolutionized Philadelphia. So Mr. Washington took a lot of soldiers to Valley Forge. Mr. Washington hadn't any thing for the soldiers to eat, so they had to go barefoot. Mr. Washington felt very bad, so he asked Benjamin Franklin. Benjamin Franklin felt bad, so he asked the king of France. The king of France sent a lot of soldiers, so we licked the British.'

A Famous Bell. One of the biggest bells in the world is in Cologne cathedral and is known as the 'Gloriosa.' It was cast from twenty-two French cannon captured in the Franco-Prussian war and was presented to the cathedral by the Kaiser. It bears the German arms and two inscriptions. One, in Latin, expresses the emperor's faith in the divine mercy of granting him victory. The other, in German, declares: 'I am the emperor's bell, and I proclaim his glory. I fill a sacred post, and I pray heaven to grant peace and prosperity to the German empire.'

A Rare Thing. It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands testify to that. Mrs. C. B. Van Meter of Shepherdsboro, W. Va., says 'I had a severe case of bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely.'

It is available for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by The R. B. Loryea Drug Store. Trial bottles free. Regular sizes 50c and \$1.00.

Avant's Open Letter.

Summerton, S. C., October 21, 1903.

To Our Customers and Friends:

The very large increase in the volume of our Wholesale Grocery business demanded us to discontinue our Retail Grocery, therefore we have closed up our retail part and have given the entire space to handle our Wholesale stock.

We are now prepared to take care of the wholesale buyers in this line.

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Very respectfully,

AVANT MERCANTILE COMPANY.

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OUR SECOND LOT OF

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SPORTSMEN, you cannot fail to appreciate our extreme low prices on Guns this season. Our sales have far surpassed our expectations and we have, too, sold a much better class of Guns than ever before, which has convinced us that people know a good thing when they see it.

We will be pleased to have the ladies visit our Housefurnishing Department. Some of the new things lately received are:

A Full Line of Anti-Rust Tinware.

Every one who has bought this ware and not an imitation knows what it is. We have reports from customers who have used articles of this ware more than five years without detecting a particle of rust on it. A nice line of

Decorated Crockery.

A new lot of Heaters and something new and novel in Roasters. We have a lot of Knives and Forks at \$1.50 per Set that you would be excusable in mistaking for those usually sold at \$4.50.

We have a beautiful lot of Glass at low prices it would be difficult to distinguish from real cut glass.

Our stock of Stoves is still complete.

CANE MILLS AND EVAPORATORS.

Very truly yours,

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We Are It.

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If your lady has not bought her Hat yet we wish for you to see ours and get our prices then judge for yourself. Ladies' Kid Gloves, worth \$1 and \$1.25, for only 50c per pair while they last.

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