

A DELIBERATE MURDER.

THE NEWS REPORTS TO BE A MURDER, THAT
YOUNG MURDERER.
Two Men Engage in a Row at Alma and One
Receives Thirteen Dangerous
Knife Wounds.

Arkansas Gazette Correspondence.

PLUMMERVILLE, ARK., January 25.—Yesterday afternoon, Dave Clark, colored, was shot to death by Jim Porter Braughten, a good and influential negro farmer. It occurred four miles south of this place, on the old Hervey farm. Clark was riding by the house of Braughten, when the latter ran out with a Spencer rifle and fired two bullets into him, one lodging in the head, the other in the upper portion of the body. He then coolly attended his dead victim by "laying him" out.

The motive that moved him to this atrocious murder was the fact that some days previous Clark had assisted a friend in stealing Braughten's daughter. Braughten has always been an upright, reliable negro, and says that he expects to suffer the consequence of his crime; that Clark had robbed him of his blood (his child) and he did but retaliate.

Thirteen Knife Wounds.

Arkansas Gazette Correspondence.

ALMA, ARK., January 24.—In the saloon of Taylor & Simco, in this place today, a fight occurred between Kit Rice and Charles Wright, in which Wright cut Rice thirteen times with a pocket knife in breast, neck and head, cutting one of his ears almost off. The physicians say Rice will recover, though it was a close call. Wright made no attempt to escape. Whisky was the cause.

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If you suffer with lame back, especially in morning, Allcock's Plasters are a sure relief.

If you cannot sleep, try an Allcock Plaster, wall up between the shoulder blades—often relieves—sometimes cures. Try this before you resort to opiates.

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If you use them once you will realize why so many plasters have been made in imitation of them. Like all good things, they are copied as closely as the law allows. Don't be duped by taking an imitation when it is as easy to get the genuine.

If you always insist upon having Allcock's Porous Plasters and never accept a substitute, you will not be disappointed.

Hotel Brunswick cigars, Frank and Furth Sole agents.

THE SUPREME COURT.

Proceedings Had Monday, January 25, 1892. [Prepared for THE GAZETTE by Charles P. Harwell, Attorney-at-Law.]

No. 1566. Garland County et al. vs. A. B. Gaines; appeal from Garland Circuit Court; passed to the first Monday in February.

No. 1567. J. C. Goodrum et al. vs. E. D. Ayers; appeal from Lonoce Circuit Court; passed two weeks.

No. 1568. G. M. Rosengrant vs. Mathews & Whittaker; appeal from Green Circuit Court; submitted.

No. 1570. Henry M. Laughlin, ex parte, vs. C. W. McCroskey, respondent; submitted.

No. 1571. J. F. Surratt vs. D. J. Yang; appeal from Sebastian Circuit Court; submitted.

No. 1572. N. H. Gunn vs. White Sewing Machine Company; appeal from Faulkner Circuit Court; one week's time granted appellee to file brief.

No. 1575. Harding Field, as administrator, vs. Mary K. Anderson et al.; appeal from Desha Chancery Court; submitted.

No. 272. Cr. D. Mondschnine vs. The State; error to Perry Circuit Court; submitted.

No. 285. Cr. Sana Selden vs. The State; appeal from Miller Circuit Court; submitted on appellee's briefs.

No. 270. Cr. Bud Seborn vs. The State; appeal from Sebastian Circuit Court; submitted on motion to dismiss.

SORENESS OF THE LUNGS.

Your finger thumps to find the spot. Little needle pains are felt there; the irresistible hacking cough denotes audibly where the trouble lies. A long breath may excite the difficulty, a spasm of coughing follow, leaving you weak and forlorn, with dread of worse to come. What is to be done? You have tried the gums, syrups and other compounds that pharmacy or a worse quackery has dealt out, but the cough hangs on and you are now conscious that no trilling can be further endured, no delay permitted, but the right thing to save you, and that now is absolutely required. And what is it? Cod Liver Oil? No, although plain Cod Liver Oil has long been acknowledged by physicians to possess remarkably curative properties; but the difficulty of assimilation and digestion has stood up almost as a barrier against its use by the delicate and feeble stomachs of invalids. These objections have been overcome and the pure Norwegian (the best of all) Cod Liver Oil has been emulsified and made almost as palatable as milk in the wonderful invention called Scott's Emulsion, which also possesses the advantage of being combined with the hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. This remedy is applicable to the weakest digestion and is pronounced untraveled by the medical profession throughout the world. Its use as a medicine seems as easy as a loaf. It soothes out the weak spots in the lungs, and builds up the wasting tissues of the whole human system. It is truly a great food medicine.

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Notes From Van Buren.

Arkansas Gazette Correspondence.

VAN BUREN, ARK., January 25.—

Geo. R. Wood, Cashier of the Citizens' Bank, left today with his family for San Antonio for a month's visit.

R. E. Brown takes Cashier Wood's place in the Citizens' Bank during Mr. Wood's absence.

The young ladies give a leap year ball at the Opera House next Friday. It will be the ball of the season.

L. J. Ritchie's case is continued until Thursday. He is out on \$300 bond.

Col. J. M. Weaver is yet in the city. He gave \$2,400 bond for his appearance at the June term of court.

The Rev. Fortino has accepted a call from the Baptist Church here, and preached his first sermon on last Sunday.

George Thayer, editor of the Argus, has recovered from the gripe.

THE VALUE OF MONEY.

Men of unlimited means hardly appreciate the value of just one dollar, but with the poor every dollar means so much toil and so much effort. It is a comfort to know that the poverty-stricken invalid can derive so much good from so little expenditure, when they invest their dollars in B. B. B. (Bottles of B. B. B.).

W. C. McGahey, Webb City, Arkansas, writes: "B. B. B. has done me more good and for less money than any other blood purifier I ever used. I owe the comfort of my life to it."

A. P. McDonald, Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I had a running ulcer on my leg. Several doctors failed to do it good. Three bottles of B. B. B. effected a cure. B. B. B. also cured my brother of a running sore."

David Thurman, Atlanta, Ga., says: "I was a constant sufferer for many years with Scrofula and Eczema. A few bottles of B. B. B. entirely cured me."

John M. Davis, Tyler, Texas, writes: "I was subjected a number of years to spells of inflammatory rheumatism, which six bottles of B. B. B., thank heaven, has entirely cured. I have not felt the slightest pain since."

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For further information call on or address the company's nearest agent, or H. C. TOWNSEND, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

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THE COURTS.

United States Circuit Court.

JUDGE JOHN A. WILLIAMS PRESIDING.

Samuel L. Thomas vs. R. Murray et al.; continued till next term.

Chancery Court.

CHANCELLOR D. W. CARROLL PRESIDING.

3461. J. R. Wayne vs. A. F. Brady et al.; claim of F. G. May filed.

3433. Cornelius Burke vs. W. H. Cajul et al.; answer of Rawlings & Faber filed.

3291. Eagan Company vs. Thos. W. Baird; decree for plaintiff.

3234. Zeb Ward vs. C. F. Martin et al.; answer (separate) of Ida E. Martin filed.

3132. Jasper Newton et al. vs. Wm. Metz; decree for plaintiffs.

3334. C. G. Cribbs vs. John L. Robbins; petition for public notice filed.

3389. Gertrude Patterson vs. L. W. Patterson; report of attorney ad litem filed; decree for plaintiff and restored to maiden name on payment of costs.

3295. Dora A. Badgett, administratrix, et al., petition for partition, vs. O. K. Badgett et al.; allowance of \$15 each to commissioners for services.

THE MOST PLEASANT WAY

Of preventing the gripe, colds, headaches, and fevers is to use the liquid laxative remedy Syrup of Figs, whenever the system needs a gentle, yet effective cleansing. To be benefited one must get the true remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only. For sale by all druggists in 25c. and 50c. bottles.

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CONFIDENCE MEN.

The Short Change Racket Worked in Little Rock.

The police authorities pulled three men yesterday for working the short change racket on trains running into this city. Two were discharged and the other, Bill Graham, was fined \$25 by Judge Blanks.

The game worked like this. The confidence man has in his possession a number of one dollar bills. With a five and four ones in his hand, he asks his would-be victim if he has a ten for some small bills. The victim hands over the ten, and gets a bundle of small bills, presumably a five and five ones in return. If he counts it, he finds the amount one dollar short, and kicks about it. The confidence man swears he gave him the right change, and if the victim insists the confidence man hands him back, what the victim supposes is his ten, which the latter thrusts in his pocket hastily congratulating himself on being too shrewd to get beat. Upon later investigation he finds the supposed ten has been replaced by a one dollar bill.

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At the Period of Depressed Values, June 30, 1891.

THE

New York Life Insurance Co.

Begs leave to announce that its Twenty-Year Tontine Policies, issued in 1872, are now maturing, with the following results:

I.

1. Ordinary Life Policies are returning from 20 to 32 per cent in excess of their cash cost, according to age of insured. (See example below.)
2. Twenty-Year Endowment Policies are returning from 53 to 71 per cent in excess of their cash cost, according to age of insured. (See example below.)
3. Limited Payment Life Policies are returning from 43 to 141 per cent in excess of their cash cost, according to age of insured. (See example below.)

EXAMPLES OF MATURING POLICIES.

1. Policy taken at age 43, \$ 2,000; Cost, \$1,492; Cash value, \$ 1,757.76
2. Policy taken at age 30, \$ 5,000; Cost, \$4,853; Cash value, \$ 8,288.45
3. Policy taken at age 37, \$10,000; Cost, \$7,166; Cash value, \$10,338.40

These Returns are Made to Members after the Company Has Carried the Insurance on the Respective Policies for 20 Years.

II.

1. Persons insured under Ordinary Life Policies may, in lieu of the above cash values, continue their insurance at original rates, and receive CASH DIVIDENDS of from 71 to 115 per cent of all premiums that have been paid, and annual dividends hereafter as they accrue. (See example below.)
2. Persons insured under Limited Payment Life Policies may, in lieu of the above cash values, continue their insurance, without further payments, and receive CASH DIVIDENDS of from 67 to 163 per cent of all premiums that have been paid, and annual dividends hereafter as they accrue. (See example below.)

EXAMPLES OF DIVIDENDS.

1. Policy (see above) may be continued for the original amount, at original rates, with annual dividends, and the accumulated dividends, amounting to \$980.62, may be withdrawn in cash.
2. Policy (see above) may be continued without further payments, receiving annual dividends, and the accumulated dividends, amounting to \$4,320.30, may be withdrawn in cash.

Persons desiring to see results on policies issued at their present age, and further particulars as to options in settlement, will please address the Company or its agents, giving date of birth.

III.

The Management of the Company Further Announces That—

1. The Company's New Business for 1891 exceeded \$150,000,000.
2. Its income exceeded that of 1890.
3. Its assets and insurance in force were both largely increased.
4. Its mortality rate was much below that called for in the mortality table.
5. A detailed statement of the year's business will be published after the annual report is completed.

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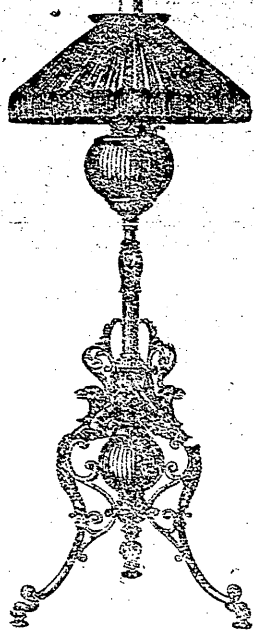
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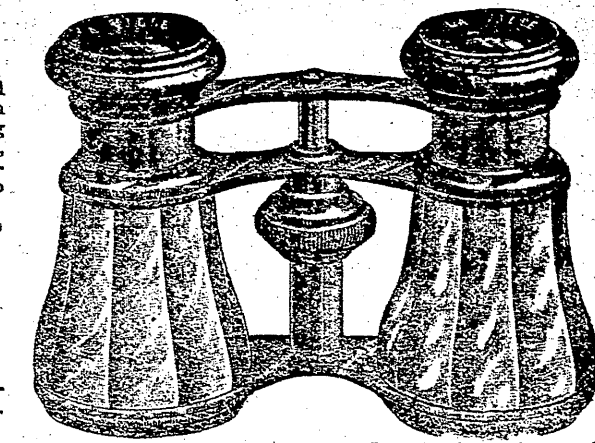
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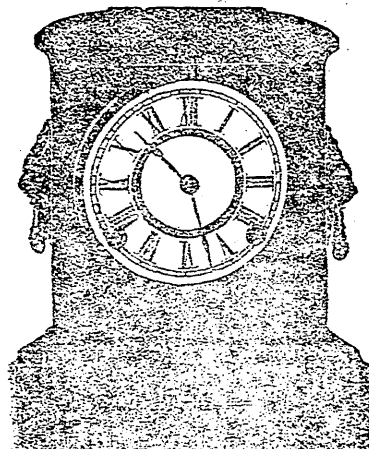
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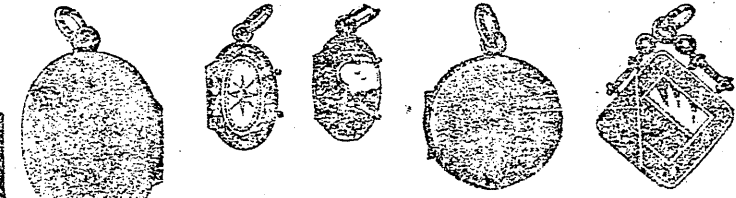
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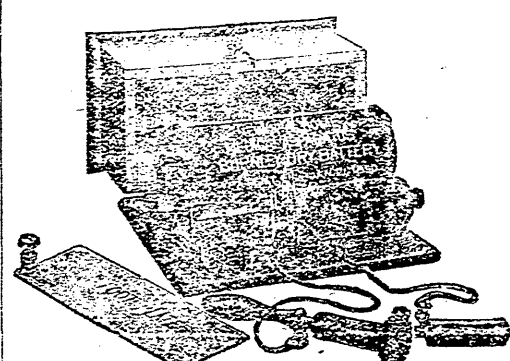
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