

POOR DOCUMENT

Correspondence.

Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

Boston News. March 9. - We have had several small snow-storms since March has come, but none to amount to anything.

The members of the Knights of Malta Lodge gave a public installation of officers Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served at the close. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Elliott, Miss Helen Lillian Maddox and Miss Helen Maude Higgins.

Mrs. E. H. Elliott of Charlestown was the guest of Mrs. Charles Crothers of Cambridge last Thursday p. m. Mrs. E. H. Elliott, Mrs. Edgar Higgins and Miss Helen Maddox attended a social Wednesday evening in Boston and had a pleasant time.

Boston is looking forward to better days as wages are beginning to come up. Mrs. Charles Batesman has been ill with grippe but is slowly recovering now.

Mrs. Johnston of this place started last week for California where she will spend two or three months. Miss Clara Culler was the guest of Miss Lizzie McIntyre last Tuesday p. m.

A Curious Love Epistle. In a book, dated 1830 there is the following very curious Love Epistle. It affords an admirable play upon words. Madam: Most worthy of admiration, after long consideration, and much meditation on the great reputation you possess in the nation, I have a strong inclination to become your relation.

The Farm Garden. The garden should never contain less than half an acre, and better be two acres. A garden of this size can easily be worked with a horse saving much hand labor, which is required in smaller plots.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Contributed by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Hempstead, N. B.

Rise up ye Women that are at Ease.

REV. DR. CARMAN'S QUADRENNIAL ADDRESS TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH, 1898, ON THE PROHIBITION PLEASITITE.

DEAR BRETHREN:—As well as members of the Church of God, enjoying its privileges, sharing its honors and rewards, bearing its burdens and guarding its interests, we are also citizens of the State, for the most part of the goodly estate of the Dominion of Canada, holding our relations to other citizens and the civil government, entitled to the rights, immunities and franchises of good citizenship, and under obligation to the best of our knowledge and ability to defend and support the State and keep it from harm;

WE ARE BOUND TO PROTECT THE FAMILY. Especially are we bound as citizens and under government to protect and nurture the family, the home, as the creative and indispensable unit of the State, without which no State can properly exist, abolishing what wars against the family life of the country, and promoting what invigorates and establishes the home; not the home of the thief or counterfeiter, or pimp, or saloonkeeper, or distiller alone, but the home of the merchant, the laborer, the lumberman, the teacher, and the preacher as well.

To guard and strengthen the home we must defend and ennoble the individual, the free moral person. Civil government is an institution of God, as also the State of which the civil government is the agency. So also is the church, an institution of God. So also is the family, the home, an institution of God. Therefore family, State and church have their respective spheres and need by no means to be thrown into collision. Kept in their proper relation in their unbiased, untrammelled exercise, they are mutually helpful and gradually co-operative for the common good.

Head, heart and stomach are organs in that perfect and harmonious unity, the human body, each having its indispensable place, office and functions. The head cannot do the work of the heart; no more can the stomach do the work of the head. But each doing its own work in its own way, time and relations, they have the strong active, symmetrical seat. No more is it to be applied to the church to do the work of the State, or to the State to do the work of the family.

Cranks! They say. Cranks! they say; but cranks with a sweep broom as the human race through the coming ages of time! Cranks that turn the wheels which will back the doors from the dungeons of darkness, misery and death, and let forth wretched, degraded men and women into freedom and light! The liquor traffic is the foe of every interest of humanity and of every claim of the righteous God. It is the dispeller of reason and intelligence, of virtue and piety, of social order, domestic comfort and civil prosperity and peace. It is the utterly conscienceless plunderer of the wealth of the family and the nation.

Poetry.

IN MEMORIAM.

In memory of a beloved granddaughter. By HARRIETTE MURRAY. Disease came to our home And our darling lay dead, Oh! the waves of sorrow That swept over our heads.

Wipe the water from our eyes, And we heard the voice of Jesus, Whisper "Be not afraid, it is I." 'Tis I that called your darling, And folded her in my breast, Safe from sin and sorrow - Your Madeline is at rest.

Dry your tears ye mourners, And from such sobs refrain We would not call her back to earth To suffer grief and pain. Among the angelic throng, She waits our coming now, And we beseech the Father's will In week submission bow.

Give us the strength to pass Beneath Thy chastening rod, Kiss the hand that gave the blow, Oh! Thou compassionate God. Hast Thou not borne our grief And for our sins atoned? Remembered tears we weep, Oh Lord, Thy will be done.

A few more days on earth, A few more days to wait, Then we will join our darling Within the peony gate. She was so bright and winsome We loved her so well, The music of her laugh, Sweet as a chime of bells.

Our Madeline is with Jesus, And we bow beneath His rod, For we know our darling is happy, In the Paradise of God. COOK'S NEW BLOOD PILLS. Partition of China.

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PERSONAL. London, March 1.—The Daily Graphic which is well informed in Government matters, says that Sir Claude Maxse, the British Minister to China, acting under instructions from Lord Salisbury, has informed the Tsang-Hi-Yansen that Great Britain will hold China to the terms of her contract with the Hong Kong and Shanghai bank regarding the Northern railway extension lease. The Minister assured the Tsang-Hi-Yansen that Great Britain would support China in resisting any aggression intended to force her to renounce her obligations.

PEKIN, March 3.—The demand of the Italian Government upon the Government of China for a lease of San-Mun bay as a coaling station and naval base on the same conditions as those under which Germany holds Kiao-Chau bay, including a demand upon the part of Italy for the cession of three islands off the coast of the province of Che-Kiang, with the right to construct a railroad from San-Mun bay to Fo-Yang lake, and preferential mining and railroad rights within a sphere of influence covering the southern two-thirds of Che-Kiang province, has caused great excitement here, not only among the Chinese, but also among the diplomats. The Chinese are firmly convinced that Great Britain is chiefly responsible for the Italian demand, and that it was made in order to emphasize Great Britain's displeasure at the turn which the Northern railway question has taken. They declare in proof of this assertion, that Great Britain has determined upon a sphere of action and the abandonment of the "open door" policy. The diplomats openly say that the new development is the beginning of a policy of partition upon the part of the powers.

ROME, March 4.—In the Chamber of Deputies today Admiral Decanavero, Minister of Foreign Affairs, replying to a question on the subject, confirmed the report that the Government is taking steps at Peking to secure a lease of San-Mun bay, Province of Che-Kiang, China, and has given notice of its intention to the other nations interested in China, all of whom, the Minister said, were friendly to the Government's project. WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTWORTHY PERSONS in this State to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight \$800 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly \$75. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope, Herbert E. Hess, Frest., Dept. M., Chicago. Pigs for Sale. For sale a number of Young Pigs. Parties desiring same should apply immediately as they are selling fast. RUSSIA WILLIAMS, Gagetown, Jan. 24th, 1899.

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