

We wish to thank our patrons and many of our editorial friends for their very kind words in regard to the Holiday edition last week.

The democratic congressmen have each other by the throat. The southerners are in control and they want tariff for revenue only, and the northern democrats want protection for the people they represent.

The extreme course advocated by the third party in Illinois has brought about a closer union between the old time republicans and democrats.

After the meeting in Chicago this week there does not seem to be any doubt but the principal object of the leaders in the third party is to ruin the republican party.

supported Roosevelt because they preferred him to Taft and thought they could elect him over both parties, but now they see their mistake.

The Editor.

Most any one can be an editor. All the editor has got to do is sit at a desk six days out of a week, four weeks out of a month, and twelve months out of a year, and "edit" such stuff as this.

Mrs. Jones of Cactus Creek let a canopener slip last week and cut herself in the pantry.

A mischievous lad of Picketon threw a stone, and struck Mr. Pike in the alley, last Thursday.

John Doe climbed on the roof of his house last week looking for a leak and fell striking himself on the back porch.

While Harold Green was escorting Miss Violet Wise from the church social last Saturday night, a savage dog attacked them and bit Mr. Green several times on the public square.

Isaiah Trimmer of Running Creek was playing with a cat Friday when it scratched him on the veranda.

Mr. Fong when harnessing a broncho last Saturday was kicked just south of the corn crib.—Ex.

Given a Shower.

Last Wednesday evening Miss Carrie Reed's Sunday school class entertained her at the home of Miss Beryl Vickery. The evening was spent in hemming napkins which were presented to Miss Reed when finished.

At a late hour the girls proceeded to the dining room, which two of the girls had tastefully decorated in rainbow colors, and red hearts, each girl taking a red heart home with her as a favor.

Effective Sunday, Sept. 15, 1912, and each Sunday thereafter, Chicago & Alton have \$1.00 excursion to Chicago, going No. 76 at 7:45 a. m., Sundays; returning No. 77 and 5, same date, at 4:15 p. m. and 9 p. m. H. L. Drennen, ticket agent.—Adv.

RUSS-WALSO.

Young Couple Married in this City Sunday Afternoon.

Sunday afternoon at one o'clock at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walso on Washington street occurred the marriage of Miss Clara Walso to Mr. Wilson T. Russ of Chicago, Rev. J. Simmonsen, pastor of the Danish church, performing the ceremony.

Births Reported in this City During November.

- County Clerk W. W. Kenny received from physicians of this city the following reports of births during the month of November: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ely (Auggie Simantel), Dwight, August 7, girl.



What is Yankee Doodle?—It is the name of an air, adopted as a national tune to the United States. The words are mere doggerel.

Distinction between Brass and Bronze?—Brass is a composition of copper and zinc. Bronze is a composition of copper and tin.

What is the Harvest Moon and the Hunters' Moon?—The harvest moon is the full moon in September that falls nearest to the autumnal equinox.

What is meant by "Clinical" as applied to Surgery and Medicine?—"Clinical" is from a Greek word signifying a bed, and is applied to those branches of the medical art in which instruction is given to students at the bedside of patients.

What is the Year of Jubilee?—Among the Jews the jubilee came every fiftieth year, which was the year after one week of weeks of years had passed, or seven times seven.

Who was the Wizard of Kinderhook?—Martin Van Buren, who was born at Kinderhook, N. Y., was so called because of his astuteness.

Who are the Sinophobists?—A Sinophobist is literally a hater of the Chinese. The term is applied to those who have clamored for restriction of Chinese immigration.

Who was Gebir?—He was an Arabian alchemist, who lived in the eighth century, and wrote the first book on chemistry.

What is the Origin of the Word "Pecuniary"?—It is from the Latin pecunia, money; the root of the word pecunia was pecus, "cattle"—cattle having constituted the wealth of the early Roman people.

What are the Twenty Most Beautiful Words?—In a voting contest the members of a certain Y. M. C. A. in New York city recently decided that the twenty most beautiful words are: Melody, splendor, adoration, eloquence, virtue, innocence, modesty, faith, joy, honor, nobility, sympathy, heaven, love, divine, hope, harmony, happiness, purity and liberty.

What is the Weight of the Brain by Racial Classification?—According to Bastian, an expert, the weight of the brain in ounces is as follows: Scotch—50; Germans—49.6; English—49.5; French—47.9; Zulus—47.5; Chinese—47.2; Italians—46.9; Eskimos—43.9.

What is the Origin of the Word "Pen"?—The word "pen" signifies a feather, and is derived from the Latin "penna," a wing. The phrase, a steel pen, is literally a steel feather.

When and Where was Lillian Russell Born?—Lillian Russell was born in Clinton, Ia., in 1864.

What is Meerschaum?—Meerschaum is a mineral found in many parts of the world, chiefly in Moravia and Crimea. Because Meerschaum is found on sea shores in some localities in peculiarly rounded snow-white lumps, it has been ignorantly imagined to be petrified froth of the sea.

What were Sharp-shins?—Sharp-shins was a name given to small currency obtained by cutting silver dollars into parts. It was used in the early days of Virginia.

MAKE THIS TEST.

How to Tell If Your Hair is Diseased.

Even if you have a luxuriant head of hair, you may want to know whether it is in a healthy condition or not. 98 per cent of the people need a hair tonic.

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The new calendar of The Leslie E. Keeley Company for the year 1913 is out; in the opinion of many it surpasses all others. The subject is "Monticello," the home of Jefferson, which is taken from the original painting by Edwin Lamasure.

A Good Joke

Papa, you remember how you laughed last Saturday when you read that article about the Park News Stand sold to Santa Claus? Well, don't you know I think that was a good joke because I haven't seen Santa Claus in that store yet and I have been looking for him every day.

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