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Lloyd's Column

The Damm family of world fame bids fair to lose its renown by discovery of the Hell family in the town of Farrell, Ky., built by the United States Steel Corporation. Members of the Hell family are not averse to using their name in a business way.

The head of the family, Conrad Hell, an ice cream manufacturer, has signs reading "Go to Hell for ice cream" scattered throughout the city.

Another sign reads "Ice cream from Hell is guaranteed pure and cooling."

A darky who was fishing had a little boy about two years old at his side, and as he threw the line into the water the little chap fell in also. The old darky plunged in and brought out the youngster, squeezed him out, and stood him up to dry. A clergyman who came along happened to see him, and said:

"My man, you have done nobly—you are a hero. You saved that boy's life."

"Well," said the darky, "I didn't do that to sabe his life; he had de bait in his pocket."

One hears funny conversations on shipboard. One man said:

"Say, Bill, who is that homely woman on the other side of the deck?"

"That's my wife," he replied.

"Why, you're not looking."

"I don't have to."

Trouble

Under the spreading chestnut tree a stubborn auto stands, and Smith, an angry man is he, with trouble on his hands. He cusses softly to himself and crawls beneath the car, and wonders why it didn't bust before he got so far. The carburetor seems to be the cause of all his woe; he tightens half a dozen bolts but still it doesn't go. And then he tries the steering gears but finds no trouble there, till wet with prespiration, then he quits in sheer despair. He squats beside the road to give his brain a chance to cool, and ponders on his training in the correspondence school, and then he starts the job once more, until by chance it's seen the cause of all the trouble is he's out of gasoline.

A judge in North Carolina was sentencing a big, loose-jointed negro who had been convicted of murdering another negro. "George Earley," His Honor said, "You have been found by a jury of twelve men, tried and true, to be guilty of murder in the first degree, for having killed, in cold blood, Moses Stackhouse, and it is the sentence of this Court that on the tenth day of August the sheriff of Polk county take you to a place near the county jail and there hang you by the neck until you are dead, dead, dead! And may God have mercy on your soul. Have you anything to say for yourself?"

The negro shifted from one foot to the other and twisted and untwisted the old felt hat he held in his hands. All eyes in the courtroom were upon him. Finally, rolling his eyes up at the judge, he said:

"Look y'here, Jedge, you-all don't mean this comin' August, does you?"

Keep On

When the day looks
kind'er gloomy
And your chances
kind'er slim,
When the situation's
puzzlin'
And your prospect's
awful grim,
And perplexities keep
pressin'
Till all hope is
nearly gone;
Just grit your teeth and
work and save,
And keep on keepin' on.

The young lady had her head on the rail, with a far-away look on her face, as if she would give up anything—just to get home. A young man was sitting by her side and his head fell in her lap.

"Madam," asked a steward, "shall I help your husband up?"

"He isn't my husband," she said wearily. "I don't know who he is—and I don't care."

An Englishman was walking along one of the principal thoroughfares of Washington and saw a curly haired old negro putting in coal in one of the cellars of one of the government buildings. The negro worked away industriously.

"What is your name?" asked the interested foreigner at length.

The negro bowed in a pleasant way.

"My name's George Washington, sah, at your service."

"Washington, Washington," muttered the foreigner musingly. "It seems to me I have heard that name before."

"Shouldn't wonder, sah," rejoined the negro in a delighted tone. "I've been here doing this sort of thing for the last ten years."

American people have a very high appreciation of the humor of Englishmen, and have been specially tickled by a story Colonel Cody used to tell. He said that some years ago an Englishman who had never been in the West before was his guest. They were riding through a Rocky Mountain canyon one day, when suddenly a tremendous gust of wind came swooping down upon them and actually carried the Englishman clear off the wagon seat. After he had been picked up he combed the sand and gravel out of his whiskers and said:

"I say, I think you overdo ventilation in this country!"

A laborer who stuttered badly was arrested for some misdemeanor and was taken before the magistrate.

"What is your name, prisoner?" asked the judge severely.

The prisoner screwed up his mouth and began:

"S-s-s-s-s-s-st-sp"——

The magistrate broke in:

"I am asking you what your name is."

Again the prisoner started in:

"S-s-s-s-s-s-st-sp"——

Whereupon the magistrate lost his patience and turned to the policeman who had brought the prisoner in.

"What is this prisoner charged with, officer?"

The cop saluted and said:

"Begorra, Oi don't know, but Oi should think it was sody water."

WILL ASSIST ATTORNEYS

County Attorney Lee Basye Has Received Letter from Attorney General Offering to Help

County Attorney Lee Basye has received a copy of the letter sent by Attorney General Willis E. Reed to all county attorneys throughout the state, offering to assist them in cases which go into the supreme court of the state.

The letter reads as follows:

"Dear Sir:

"While it is natural that the general public look to the county attorney of each county to commence and prosecute vigorously those who violate the law, and have overlooked the fact that cases which are reversed in the supreme court as a rule are not affirmed because of improper rulings, mistakes and errors of the trial judge, and that he can at his pleasure call grand juries to assist you in ferreting out those who transgress the law, that no violator thereof may go unpunished, and thereby give the people a better opportunity of knowing their wider range of power and exercising a greater responsibility as citizens.

"If there be the slightest desire of any of the citizens of your county for investigations and prosecutions not yet commenced by you, will you please mention the fact to the district judge of your district, that the responsibility may rest where it justly belongs?

"Notwithstanding the statutes of the state authorize the attorney general to call upon the county attorney for assistance in all cases arising or commenced in the county in which he is elected, I believe that the county attorney should follow such cases into the supreme court and take an active part in the preparation of the brief and argument. Such is my desire and request of you. Hence this letter, which I trust will be most agreeable to you in the performance of your official duties.

"I assure you that I will be pleased to co-operate with you at all times in the best interest of the general public. Will be pleased to hear from you in the near future and see you whenever you may find it convenient to call at this office.

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Married at Anselmo

Charles B. Pool, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Pool of Alliance, was married February 10 to Miss Helen Graves at Anselmo. He formerly lived here. The Thomas County Herald, published at Thedford, had the following to say about the wedding:

Mr. Charles B. Pool, clerk in the Forest Service office at Halsey, was married at Anselmo on February 10 to Miss Helen Graves of Broken Bow. After a short trip to the eastern part of the state the newly married couple returned to Halsey, where they will live in a house recently built by the groom. Mr. Pool is a native of Custer county but had been living at Alliance until two years ago when he accepted a position in the government service. The many friends of the couple extend heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Pool.

Back to Alliance Again

August Hornburg, who has been engaged in business on the river for some time, returned the last of the week for a stay of a few days in Alliance. He expects to return to his work soon.

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A Lusty Engine for the Burlington

To build an engine with pulling capacity and yet without a too healthy appetite for coal is the problem of the locomotive designer of today. The Burlington system is just now boasting some freight-pullers that seem to have come near solving this problem. They are tremendous engines in the first place, each weighing with its tender and ready for service nearly 300 tons—576,580 pounds, to be exact. The length over all for each of these engines is 83 feet 9½ inches, which brings it within the limitations of most of the big 90-foot turn-tables along the system.

While these engines are not of the extreme size of some of the giant pushers along the Erie and the Santa Fe, they have begun to make service records out along the Burlington. One of them has already drawn a train of 85 cars over a division 136 miles long and possessing maximum and steady grades of three-tenths of one per cent. This performance was accomplished while the locomotive consumed 6.64 pounds of coal to the 100-ton mile at eighty-five cents a ton, equal to nearly thirty cents' worth of coal for 10,000 ton-miles. Put the other way around and reduced to actual figures, this lusty little boy on the Burlington hauled 10,000 gross tons of freight one mile for 29.70 cents. No wonder that the "stove committees" out in the roundhouses along the Burlington's busy line, those shrewd old fellows who on every road know more about its running than all of the executive heads put together, forget to brag about the engines of yesterday and begin to grant an ungrudging praise to this new-comer among the motive-power units of the "Q".—**Travel** for December.

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5 Bleached Turkish Hand Towels, size 20x38, valued at 25c each, for	$1.00
10 Bleached Huck Hand Towels, size 18x36, valued at 15c each, for	$1.00
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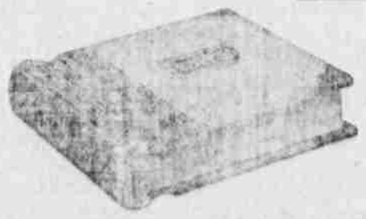

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