

### LIEUTENANT BOWMAN.

## THE PASSENGER WAS ON TIME

Distinction Won by a Florida Cracker.

"A few days ago," said a man, "I read a good little newspaper story of how one of the largest Atlantic liners was held a moment at her pier in New York for a baby's kiss.

"The father, who was to sail for Europe, saw the child's outstretched arms, rushed down the gang plank, gave the little one a hug and a kiss and would have missed getting aboard if the men at the tackles had not held the plank suspended for him while you could count ten. The story," continued the man, smiling, "reminded me of the holding of a steamer, for three-quarters of an hour for one steamer passenger.

"It was about the time of the Charleston earthquake. In those days you went to Charleston from New York by the vessels of the old Charleston line, and from there to Jacksonville, Fla., and landings on the St. John's river as far up as Palatka by a trim little steamer, the City of Palatka. Capt. Leo Vogel was her master.

"He was at sea with his vessel off Charleston when that city was partly wrecked by earthquake. At that season of the year, when some of the regular boats were laid off for their summer repairs, the City of Palatka made the entire trip to New York, calling at Charleston each way. When he arrived at New York just after the earthquake Capt. Vogel gave a reporter an interesting story of how the earthquake affected his vessel at sea.

"The City of Palatka, by the way, was perhaps the only steamship of her time that made part of her regular trip through four or five feet of mud. This she did every time she crossed the bar in the narrow of the St. John's river just below Palatka.

"She was sold eventually for use on the Pacific side, went around the Horn and was burned a few years later at some port, I think, on Puget Sound. Capt. Vogel afterward was with the Clyde line as pilot for all their Florida steamships over the dangerous St. John's river bar at Mayport. By hustling back by rail from Charleston to Jacksonville and vice versa he managed to pilot every steamer in the service in those days across the bar going in and coming out.

"Well, to get back to my story, one afternoon when the City of Palatka bound up the river, came along to the Green Cove Spring landing, forty-five miles north of Palatka a typical Cracker from back in the pine woods, carrying a black oilcloth satchel, started to board the vessel. On being asked where he was going he allowed he was bound for 'York.'

"He had been told, he said, that the ship would not make the Green Cove Spring landing on coming down the next morning and he reckoned he had better get aboard now.

"Capt. Vogel overheard the talk and said to the Cracker:

"The City of Palatka will be at this landing on her way to New York at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning. Be here then, and you will get aboard all right."

"But maybe you'll get here and go on before that, and I won't get to York," said the Cracker.

"You be here at 8 o'clock," said the captain, "and you won't get left."

"The next morning at about 7 o'clock the City of Palatka rounded the channel beacon off Green Cove Spring, and in fifteen minutes was alongside the landing. The Cracker passenger was not among those waiting on the pier.

"He had not shown up when everybody and everything else that was going north was aboard. Then began a roaring of the ship's steam gong that resounded through the pine woods and woke up the owls in the water oaks along shore.

"For forty-five minutes the steamer lay at the pier and kept her gong sounding. The passengers, many of them well to do Northerners bound up from their winter homes, began to talk as to the cause of the delay.

"One explanation had it that Pierre Lorillard had telegraphed from down the river, offering a large sum to have the vessel held till he could come up in his steam yacht and take passage for New York.

"At about three minutes before 8 o'clock there was seen coming leisurely down the pier a two wheeler, cart drawn by a gray mule. On the bottom boards of the cart, with her back toward the mule, sat a Cracker woman in a calico gown and a checkered gingham sunbonnet, and with her feet hanging over the rear of the cart.

"In the cart was a black oilcloth satchel and astride the gray mule was a Cracker man. At the head of the pier he leisurely alighted, took the satchel from the cart and said, 'Good-by, Mandy,' to his wife.

"As he was going up the gangplank with his big silver watch in his hand he spied Capt. Vogel, who had been walking the bridge for more than half an hour with an untranslatable look in his face, and hailed him with:

"Mornin', Cap. Jest 8 o'clock maybe you reckoned I'd disappoint you, but here I am, right on time. Let her go."

"Yes," said Vogel, "you're on the minute."

"Throughout the voyage to New York the Cracker was known and pointed out down in the steerage as the man who held the steaming three-quarters of an hour, and the distinction seemed to please him."

### IN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS PE-RU-NA CURED HIM.

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Women are proverbially niggardly on one or two points; every woman that ever existed had some pet economy, no matter how extravagant she may be in some respects. There's the woman who spends hundreds of dollars on imported gowns, but hates to give up one penny for a paper of pins. The paper-saving person who drops into department stores and hotels to borrow stationery rather than spend any money upon the commodity always is with us; we all know the stamp stealer and the match borrower; but the visiting-card economizer is a new brand of woman who exists only in the most exclusive society. So niggardly is she on the point of her visiting cards that she demands them back from her intimate friends; from her mere acquaintances she steals them at an opportune moment when the servant's back is turned, or when the mistress has left the room. She puts them slyly back into her card case. By a clever series of manipulations it is said she can make 100 of them go as far as 500 went before.

### THE FIRST TWINGE

## OF RHEUMATISM CALLS FOR DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS IF YOU WOULD BE EASILY CURED.

Mr. Frank Little, a well known citizen of Portland, Iowa Co., Mich., was cured of a severe case of rheumatism by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In speaking about it recently, he said: "My body was run down and in no condition to withstand disease and about five years ago I began to feel rheumatic pains in my arms and across my back. My arms and legs grew numb and the rheumatism seemed to settle in every joint so that I could hardly move, while my arms were useless at times. I was unable to sleep or rest well, my heart pained me so terribly I could hardly stand it. My stomach became sour and bloated after eating and this grew so bad that I had inflammation of the stomach. I was extremely nervous and could not bear the least noise or excitement. One whole side of my body became paralyzed.

"As I said before, I had been suffering about five years and seemed to be able to get no relief from my doctors, when a friend here in Portland told me how Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had cured him of neuralgia in the face, even after the pain had drawn it to one side. I decided to try the pills and began to see some improvement soon after using them. This encouraged me to keep on until I was entirely cured. I have never had a return of the rheumatism or of the paralysis.

"The pills are for sale by all druggists or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes \$2.50, by Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

### UTTERLY WORN OUT.

## Vitality Sapped by Years of Suffering with Kidney Trouble.

Capt. J. W. Hogen, former postmaster of Indiana, now living at Austin, Tex., writes: "I was afflicted for years with pains across the loins and in the hips and shoulders. I had headache also and neuralgia. My right eye, from pain, was of little use to me for years.

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### SCALY ERUPTION ON BODY.

## Doctors and Remedies Fruitless—Suffered 10 Years—Completely Cured by Cuticura.

"When I was about nine years old small sores appeared on each of my lower limbs. I scratched them with a brass pin and shortly afterwards both of those limbs became so sore that I could scarcely walk. When I had been suffering for about a month the sores began to heal, but small scaly eruptions appeared where the sores had been. From that time onward I was troubled by such severe itching that, until I became accustomed to it, I would scratch the sores until the blood began to flow. This would stop the itching for a few days, but scaly places would appear again and the itching would accompany them. After I suffered about ten years I made a renewed effort to effect a cure. The eruptions by this time had appeared on every part of my body except my face and hands. The best doctors in my native county advised me to use arsenic in small doses and a salve. I then used to bathe the sores in a mixture which gave almost intolerable pain. In addition I used other remedies, such as iodine, sulphur, zinc salve, —'s Salve, — Ointment, and in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes or bottles. All this was fruitless. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. I used —'s —, but it did no good. A few months after, having used almost everything else, I thought I would try Cuticura Ointment, having previously used Cuticura Soap and being pleased with it. After using three boxes I was completely cured, and my hair was restored, after fourteen years of suffering and an expenditure of at least \$50 or \$60 in vainly endeavoring to effect a cure. I shall be glad to write to any one who may be interested in my cure. B. Hiram Mattingly, Vermillion, S. Dak., Aug. 18, 1906."

### HEADS SHAPED TO ORDER.

## German Doctor Explains Causes of Various Formations.

At a recent convention of German naturalists and doctors Dr. Walcher, of Stuttgart, in an instructive paper put forth a sensational theory to explain the formation of the shape of the head of infants. He maintained that the head of a child could be molded artificially. He found by experience that when a medium-shaped head is placed in a soft cushion the child turns on its back, or rests on the back of its head, in order to free mouth, nose and face. In this manner the head rests smoothly, and a short head is developed. But if the medium-shaped head of a child is placed on a hard under-rest, like a hair mattress or rolled carpet, the child's head turns aside, as it cannot stand any more on its head than an egg, for the muscle of the back is weakened. Therefore, with continued resting on the side a long head is developed. To prove his assertions the lecturer presented a child whose mother and sister are short-headed. The child at its birth had a short head, now after 18 months it is long skulled. If the child had been placed on its back, according to other experiences its head would have been short-shaped. Dr. Walcher did not deny that the shape of the head was inherited, but asserted that it could be greatly influenced by the way the child rested.

### COSTLY PRESSURE.

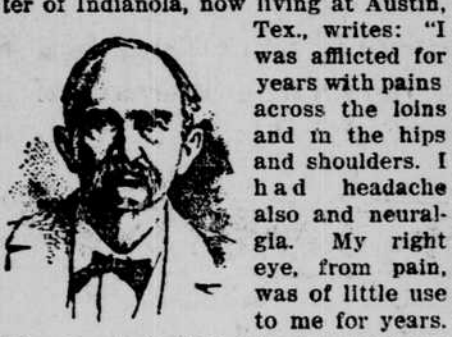
## Heart and Nerves Fail on Coffee.

A resident of a great western state puts the case regarding stimulants with a comprehensive brevity that is admirable. He says:

"I am 56 years old and have had considerable experience with stimulants. They are all alike—a mortgage on reserved energy at ruinous interest. As the whip stimulates but does not strengthen the horse, so do stimulants act upon the human system. Feeling this way, I gave up coffee and all other stimulants and began the use of Postum Food coffee some months ago. The beneficial results have been apparent from the first. The rheumatism that I used to suffer from has left me. I sleep sounder, my nerves are steadier and my brain clearer. And I bear testimony also to the food value of Postum—something that is lacking in coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason. Read "The Road to Wellville," the quaint little book in pgs.

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French President's "Double." M. Fallieres was, until recently, believed to be the only president of the French republic who had no double, but his counterpart has been found. The man who most resembles him physically is a respectable merchant of the Rue Saint Honoré, who plays his part with decorum and dignity. He wears exactly the same kind of blue butterfly necktie with white dots as the president, the same kind of hat and exactly so oddly cut a beard. And on his promenades he is always accompanied by a friend who could easily be taken for the president's private secretary. Dignified and with measured steps, the enviable double walks through the Faubourg Saint Honoré and feels overjoyed at being saluted on all sides.

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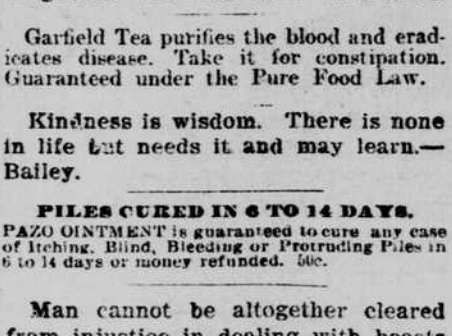
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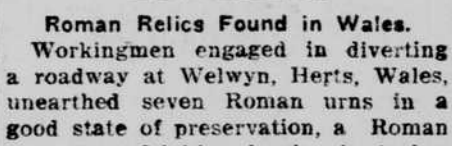
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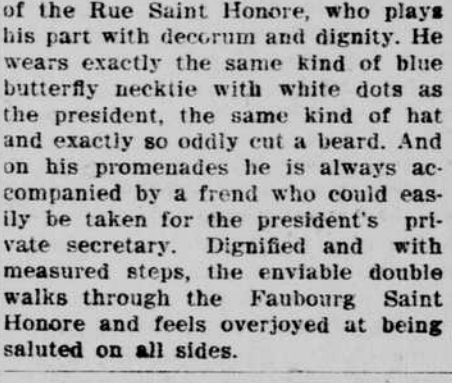
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