

MARION.

A. C. Pew put in a large cement cyclone cellar last week. Ernest Galusha doing the work. We had several showers the past week but they were of the real estate showers not water.

DANBURY.

The west bound passenger train was seven hours late Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Roberts are the proud parents of a baby girl born February 8th.

RED WILLOW.

Mrs. Charles Allen spent Thursday with Mrs. Louis Longnecker. A farewell reception was given F. C. Smith and family on Wednesday evening by the Sunday school and neighbors.

Real Estate Filings.

The following real estate filings have been made in the county clerk's office since our last report: P. S. Heaton, ref., to C. H. Boyle, Ref. deed, nw 1/4 nw 1/4 24-3-29

About Men.

Here's little Johnnie's composition on "Men": "Men are what women marry. They drink and smoke and swear and have ever so many pockets, but don't go to church. Perhaps if they wore bonnets they might. They are more logical than women and also more zoological. Both men and women have sprung from monkeys, but the women certainly sprung further than the men."

HIS WARD

He Was Very Much Surprised When He Saw Her

By Ella B. Barker

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Mr. Willard Lane, bachelor, returned to his house after business, sat down in the library and took up a newspaper. He turned over the sheets three or four times, vainly endeavoring to become interested in something, and finally fell to reading the advertisements.



HILL JONES HE DREW HER TO HIM.

Dear Sir—We have to announce to you that by the will of the late Hamilton Bingham, which has this day been admitted to probate, you are appointed executor of his estate and guardian of his daughter, Marie Southworth Bingham. Your ward has no relatives, and it is incumbent upon you to provide a home for her. Very respectfully, your obedient servants, KINGSLEY & KINGSLEY, Attorneys.

elderly gentleman who appeared to be waiting for some one? "No; I have not." "He was to have met me here, but I don't see him."

Marie Bingham was of an age to be treated either as a woman or one just emerging from childhood, especially by her father's old friend. The tomb, as he had called his house, seemed to have thrown off its sepulchral atmosphere from the day she came into it.

Three years passed, years that Lane afterward referred to as the happiest of his life. From the first he was interested in having the direction of a young girl's education, the same as if she were his own daughter.

"How old is the child, sir?" asked the housekeeper. "How old? I don't know. The stupid attorneys didn't say anything about her age, but I figure it out that she can't be over, say, ten years old. If she is I've been getting old mighty fast. I hope she's between six and twelve. We'll assume that she's seven, not too old for dolls, sets of dishes and all that. At any rate, I'll provide these when I go downtown tomorrow. Poor little thing! I wish her to feel at home. She's just lost her father."

"I'll see that everything is done, sir." So Lane the next day sent home all that was required, including such toys as would please a child seven years old. There were three dolls and a playhouse big enough for the little girl to get into—that is, if she wasn't large for her age. By 4 o'clock in the afternoon the two rooms were in prime order and looked both comfortable and cozy.

To Impeach Judge Orr.

Lafe Burnett, a lawyer of Lincoln, has filed a petition with the senate committee on judiciary requesting it to file articles of impeachment against Judge Robert C. Orr of McCook of the Fourteenth judicial district. The committee has not yet acted on the application. A similar request has been presented to the house judiciary committee, these committees being regarded as the proper ones to start proposed impeachment proceedings.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

Table with financial data for Citizens National Bank, including assets like Loans and Discounts, U.S. Bonds, and liabilities like Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, and Undivided profits.

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