A BOY THRASHED

For Repeating Verse at School Containing the Letters A P A.

his mother had taught him. After the to stick to it till "death do us part." says that it is his kind of ideas, and brethren on the bank. stamp, will make good Americans.

Bread Cast Upon the Waters.

sham, Catron and the writer (the first the widow. two have long since passed away) were seated in the relief board room, which the Magnolia Block, discussing Ma-

"Excuse me, gentlemen, but I am looking for Mr. Wheeler," said she. "That's my name; be seated," re-

offering her a chair. "I want to see you privately for a moment," she said.

the brother.

you have to say in the presence of these brother of the man he was looking for, gentlemen, as they are Masons and are from whom he learned that the man he our friends," replied the big-hearted sought was living and had moved to May 30, Memorial Day . .

Noticing her seeming embarrassthat she was in company with her He then produced a letter which was frierds and could speak freely of her troubles. Being assured, she told the the chairman of the relief board of Oct. 19, Surrender of Cornwallis. following story:

"During the latter part of the sumdoctors said to him to remain there was hour of my life." death. So he took what little money and came to this city, in hopes of get. Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

ting well." Here the dear child broke down and gave herself up to weeping. Kind hearts felt for her as she resumed her

We rented a house on - avenue. ever was, and we are now in want."

less than an hour after she entered the event he gave them instructions concerning his family.

that time until his death, three weeks lead-just such a leader as the Amerthereafter, he was given every atten- ican people need at this critical junction, and, when death came, he was ture in the history of our country. laid away with Masonic honors in Elmwood.

den of Kilwinning Lodge, standing upon ergy and perseverance are so well hearted prince of river-men, Capt. Tom | ter or motives redound only to the con-Leathers. He was making arrange- fusion and discomfiture of those who

Scarcely had he finished, when the old captain, casting his eyes up the bluff, exclaimed: "Hello, L-, there

comes your crowd now."

schools in Kansas City, Mo., a little at least six feet long and so heavy that sworn. The dispensing with the usual printed in THE AMERICAN, and which he died, and he had made up his mind establishing a dangerous precedent.

there are not a great many more like conveyed to a steamer bound for Gal. is exacted from all others." him. The new generation, if after his veston, and from there they reached their former home by private conveyance. We heard from them at New Orleans and Galveston, and when they It was during the autumn of 1872, arrived safely home a most beautiful when the lamented Wheeler, Wor- letter was received by the board from

Twenty-two years have passed since we bade that almost broken-bearted was Bro. Wheeler's private office, in widow and her seven little children good-bye. During that time Brothers sonic matters, when a bright, intelli- Wheeler, Worsham and Catron, and gent girl, about 14 years of age, en- nearly every member of the relief tered, leading a little boy of 7 by the board of that day, have "crossed the river" and been admitted to seats in the Grand Lodge above, and this incident had almost entirely been forgotten of their town, county, state and nation. by us, but a subsequent occurrence plied Bro. Wheeler, at the same time brings it vividly to mind again.

A few days ago there appeared on our streets a tail, splendidly developed, handsome man of some 30 years. He "It is," she answered.

"It is," she answered. Chicago years ago. With this information he was much pleased, as he yet ment, one of the company assured her hoped to meet him in the near future. given his mother by the one sought, to New Orleans. The gentleman at once Nov. 25, Evacuation of New York recognized the handwriting of his mer of 1870 my father, with his wife brother, and, feeling interested in the and seven little children-I am the old- matter, entered into conversation with est-thought to seek his fortune in the the stranger, and from him learned Mississippi bottom by planting. To that the entire family of children had this end he disposed of everything we grown up and were all married and had, except such things as were abso- doing well. As to himself, he had been lutely necessary for us to keep house particularly favored, and was visiting with in our new home; and, loading this city for the purpose of finding these into two wagons, we left Texas those good brothers who had minisfor the bottom. The first year of our tered to his family in time of trouble,

Linton and Traynor.

Some of the ward politicians are busy words were spoken to her, and warm abusing the leaders of the A. P. A. The chief object of their enmity is Hon. W. S. Linton. The Michigan congressman, by his fearless and patriotic and, after fixing up as best we could, course, has been the means of arousing ample to the youth of the land. Sen my father went to find something to do. the country to an appreciation of the In this he was successful, but worked wrongs and abuses perpetrated by corfo. only one week, when he was again rupt demagogues in the interest of the taken sick, and is now worse than he Roman Catholic church, and hence his name is becoming prominent as a presi-Here again she was interrupted by dential candidate. The people are callher tears, and when she had gained ing for him from every section of the solemn protest, on the ground that the control of herself two ready hands as- country, because they believe in him, sisted her to her feet, and told her to and the policy of a certain class who lead the way and two of the brothers desire to antagonize him is to abuse interest of good morals the action of would accompany her to her home. In and calumniate him. We regret that the senate in appointing a committee the influence of some of these dema- to attend the funeral should not have room manly and noble Wheeler and gogues is making itself evident, to a been taken. Is it not time that the Worsham stood beside the bed of her certain degree, within our ranks. But line between good morals and drunken sick father. To them he gave the in the loyal and patriotic people of our formation necessary for the board to country will stand by our leader like a act, and then revealed the fact that he stone wall. We have no use for trick- place than in a body like the senate? thought he was about to die, in which sters and intriguers and calumniators. We believe in Linton because we know him to be true, honest, just and brave, It is unnecessary to state that from with both the brain and "backbone" to

Another man whom the enemies of our organization are fond of maligning One week later a close observer might is Supreme President Traynor. But have seen Bro. L. S., then senior war- his sterling integrity, indomitable enthe deck of the good steamer Natchez, known to the people of the United in close conversation with that big- States that aspersions upon his characments for the mother and seven little utter them. Long live Linton and fatherless children to go to New Or- Traynor! Long live the American Protective Association!-Commonwealth.

Priests Superior to Other Men.

The San Francisco Argonaut, in a recent editorial, says: "Some stir has The brother took the situation in at been made in San Francisco by an incia glance, and, sure enough, here came dent which occurred on April 2d in the family, led by Bro. Wheeler, with Judge Troutt's court. Rev. B. F. Mcthe baby in his arms, while the mother | Kenna, a Roman Catholic priest, was had the next two smallest by the hand. present to testify to the verbal transfer They were met at the gang plank by of a deposit in the Hibernia Bank by a the two brothers who had been early dying relative. When he took the interested, in the room of Bro. Wheeler, stand the clerk was about to administer together with Capt. Leathers and the the oath in the usual manner, but the cloth-bound volume of nearly 1,100 broken from the exterior shows the good brother who had been delegated attorney for the claimant for the money

of the boat. The little boy, 7 years old, the oath will be dispensed with,' to attracted marked attention, and was which the bank's attorney assented the subject of much merriment by the with, 'Oh, certainly'; the judge ac manner in which he clung to an old- quiesced, and the witness proceeded to Not lorg since, at one of the public fashioned Davy Crockett rifle. It was give his testimony without being boy memorized and repeated for his he could hardly waddle with it. It formalities of law in cases where a "speech" some verses which had been was his father's gift to him just before Roman Catholic priest is concerned, is It implies that the clergy of the Roman closing of the session for the day he At 5 o'clock the bell tapped and the Catholic church are above the law, and was set upon and badly beaten by some beautiful Natchez pushed out into the not bound by its provisions; and the of the boys attending the school. The stream, bound for New Orleans. On public are not as yet prepared to admit ill treatment was reported to the prin- her guards stood the lonely widow and that, so long as an eath or affirmation cipal of the school, who, as a condol- her seven children, with one hand wip. is required of witnesses who testify in ence to the little fellow, permitted him ing away the tears and the other way. court, there should be a privileged to repeat his "speech." The boy of 7 ing in response to the good-byes of the class which is exempt from the obligation; least of all should certain priests, declares that he will speak it if they At New Orleans they were met by whose views of life are in many ways thrash the life out of him. Too bad the good brethren of the board and peculiar, be relieved from a duty which

When to Fly the Flag.

Every school-house in the land should possess the flag of the United States. If it is not displayed every day during school hours, it certainly should be hoisted on the opening day of the term, on the dates of the state and town election, when the president or the governor is inaugurated, and on the Fourth of July. The flag should also float to the breeze on the anniversaries of historical events occurring during the school terms. On these days special exercises in honor of the event will add to the children's interest in the history An excellent list of dates is suggested by the Springfield (Mass.) school board to be commemorated by displaying the flag on school buildings:

Feb. 12, Lincoln's birthday Feb. 22, Washington's birthday...1732 April 19. Battle of Lexington May 23, Foundation of Jamestown,

June 17, Battle of Bunker Hill....1775 June 20, United States flag adopted 1777 Sept. 5, First Continental Congress.1774 Sept. 17, United States Constitution adopted.... Oct. 12, Discovery of America....

Oct. 17, Surrender of Burgoyne. . . . 1777 by the British ... Dec. 16, Boston tea party Dec. 21, Landing of the Pilgrims. 1620

Also state and city elections, the inauguration of presidents of the United States and governors of the state, and opening day of each term .- Farm and

Besmirched.

disgraceful death of State Senator Pe city of three thousand permanent instay he was quite successful, and and was willing to show his gratitude ter R. Morrissy, who was shot by his habitants. The efficacy of their waters Christmas found us with a listle money by reimbursing them if they would per mistress in her brothel on Washington for rheumatism, dyspepsis, and, in fact, ahead. But as spring opened our mit it. He took occasion to state that street, St. Louis, at 3 o'clock a. m. almost every chronic disorder of the troubles began. My father fell sick he still had that old gun, which, to Monday. We had no thought then system, is too well known to require with malarial fever, and for months we gether with the letter, he proposed to that the events which would follow statement. It is testified to by the annursed and watched with him, and keep until his dying day-"the gun as would be such as to further besmirch nual arrival of thousands of invalids. when he got able to leave his bed we a recollection of my father and the the good name of the state. If ever and the departure of these same perfound ourselves almost penniless. The letter as a God-given gift in the darkest there was a case when the u-ual sena- sons, after a few weeks, in much imtorial courtesies and customs should, in proved or wholly restored health. The It is unnecessary to say that the the interest of good morals, and as a Springs are surrounded by many obhe could realize from the sale of his young man is a Mason, and has passed silent protest against debauchery, have jects of surpassing natural interest, as effects, boarded the train with us all the arch and entered the asylum .- been omitted, it would seem that this Wind Cave, equal in extent to the was one. Yet the senate of Missouri Mammoth Cave of Kentucky, and far appointed the usual committee to at tend his funeral and made the usual adjournment out of their respect for the dead man, and did this with the though such a life and death as his was one to be commended as a fit exator Davidson, who was not present when the resolutions on the subject were adopted, had the courage, as soon as the senate met again, to move to reconsider the action, and, on a refusal so to do, he entered on the records a dead senator had forfeited his right to the senate's respect, and that in the speedy restoration to health. debauchery should be drawn some where, and what more appropriate folder, containing a great deal of inter-Senator Davidson's action in protesting will meet the approval of all rightabout the Burlington Route's rates and thinking men.-American Baptist Flag. train service to Hot Springs, write to

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