

The Old 'Hoodoo' Doctor.

Other doctors may cure you if you are stricken with some disease, but there is only one doctor who can cure you if you are really "hoodooed".

The "hoodoo doctor" is a tall, gaunt and cadaverous looking negro, with a wealth of long, wavy hair and he lives in the West Side. He is a familiar figure on the streets of both cities, and invariably carries a little black hood sachel.

The hoodoo doctor is held in awe by nine tenths of the negro population, and his services are in demand by the people of his race.

"You may laugh at us for believing in our hoodoo doctor," said one colored woman, "but what is the difference between him and the divine healer of the white folks?"

The negro people, or at least a great majority of them, are firm believers in the power of the evil spirit and go so far as to credit some of their race with the power to "conjure" an enemy, or one of whom the conjurer is jealous.

When such a person pays a social call to supposed friend, the first thing necessary after the visit according to the hoodoo doctor, is to throw coarse salt over the floor of the room in which the alleged conjurer has visited, and then, with a vigorous movement, sweep the salt east and west, and north and south and while the sweeper mutters an incantation known only to the hoodoo doctor and to his patients.

The next step is to send for the hoodoo doctor—the quicker the better, in order that the conjurer may not have time to get in his deadly work or to work any material harm to the health or to the happiness of his victim.

When the hoodoo doctor arrives upon the scene he goes through the salt sweeping process again, and calls upon the evil spirit to depart instantly. His visits are preferably made by night, but, where this is impracticable, the room wherein lies the victim of the dread hoodoo is darkened. The hoodoo doctor then proceeds to rub his patient—always in the dark—and the evil spirit he rubs out of a conjured patient are said to be marvelous in size and hideous to behold. After the rubbing process is over the hoodoo doctor prepares a concoction of hard boiled eggs, fresh grass in summer or the dried article in winter, a handful of twigs and several other mysterious and more or less unpalatable ingredients, the concoction a secret known only to the hoodoo doctor. This he feeds in tablespoon doses until he is assured that the work of the conjurer has been destroyed, and his patient free from all the wiles to which victims of the evil spirit are heirs.

Once a negro has been hoodooed he is apt to have a recurrent attack at any time, always being more or less susceptible to the wicked conjurer. Thus is the hoodoo doctor in such great demand.

"People can be hoodooed in different ways," said the hoodoo doctor. "They can be 'fixed' so they never can have success in business or love or be able to keep in even fairly good health, and they just got to get that hoodoo out of 'em before they ever will be any good. That's what's the matter with lots of the white folks' failures, only they think they are too smart to bother with a hoodoo doctor."

Broke Her Arm.

One day the latter part of the week, Mrs. S. Daniel, of this city, had the misfortune to slip on an icy walk and fall.

The force of the fall resulted in the breaking of one of her arms and otherwise injuring her in a painful manner.

She went to Falls City to have the fractured member re-set by an osteopath at that place. According to last reports she was getting along nicely and it is not thought that the injury will result in a permanent disability.

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Beat Farmer Out Of \$2,500.

Two men, one with a satchel full of money and three cards, caused a prominent German living north of town to lose \$2,500 says the Garnett News. Continuing, the News says: "The game and how it was worked was thus: A week ago last Monday, a tall man, who claimed to be ex-judge of Franklin county, stopped at the home of the farmer and wanted him to show him some land, saying that he wanted to buy some for a widow client, and, not knowing the land, would pay him to go and show him some good farms. They went out and looked at several and as they were returning home met a small man, who did not appear to be very bright. The man had a satchel and claimed he was hunting a sister who lived near Scipio. The fellow said that he and his sister had inherited some money and he wanted to give her \$1,000, and opening the satchel, showed that he had the money with him, and six thousand besides.

In some manner, according to the story of the farmer, the man with the money had three little cards in his hands, and was bantering the farmer and the supposed land buyer to see if they could pull a certain card. At first they pulled for fun, and afterwards each bet \$5 and won. The small fellow said he was sure they could not guess the right card again, and said if they did he would give each of them \$3,500. Of course they won, but the man said he would not give them the money unless they showed an equal amount. This, of course, they could not do, but the thing looked so easy that the land buyer persuaded the farmer to go to town with him and borrow the money. This they did. The farmer going to the Citizens State bank, and the land buyer somewhere else, which of course he did not do. After securing the money they drove out to where this fellow was staying near the bridge, and showed him their \$7,000. The land buyer then placed his \$2,500 in a tin box, put the farmer's \$2,500 in and the half witted man gave them his \$7,000 to put in.

While this was going on the farmer and the land buyer were sitting in the buggy, the buggy of course, belonged to the land man. After locking the box, he put it under the seat, then taking it out, but here was the trick. He took out another one, and told the farmer that he had better keep the money while he drove his half-witted fellow to town and put him on the train, so he did not say anything as he did not want the people of Franklin county to know that an ex-judge was up to such a game. After putting the man on the train he would come back, and they would divide the money at 6 o'clock. The farmer took the box home. The man failed to show up at 6, or for three days, and the farmer wanted to see the \$14,000, so he opened up the box, but instead of money found only paper and

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small rocks. Unfortunately he did not tell anyone of the game for several days, and by this time the two men had left the country and mayhaps are working the same game somewhere else. The farmer thinks the small man wore a false beard. The other was tall, and smooth shaven, and would weigh about 200 pounds.

FARGO.

Ed Bauman and family were visiting with John Bauman Sunday.
Clarence Shotz spent Sunday at Corning, Mo., visiting home folks.
Russel Durfee spent Sunday with Jacob Wiseman.
R. F. Waggoner was a visitor here Saturday.
Jacob Wiseman and wife had business in Rulo Saturday.
John Helfenbela was a Rulo shopper Wednesday.
Charles Halley was a Rulo visitor Wednesday.
James Sells was a Fargo shopper Thursday.
Mose Brincker had business in Rulo Wednesday.
Alice Ketterly had quite a painful accident Monday evening while unharassing his mules one of them kicked him and cutting an ugly gash in his face, he went to Falls City for a few days treatment.
Henry Fisher, of Fort Hazel, was a Fargo visitor Monday.
F. E. Niche and Henry Hirschberger had special business in Rulo Monday.
C. J. Thomas took the train from Rulo to the county seat Friday.
H. G. Dorste was busy breaking mules Saturday.
John Paul and wife were shoppers here Saturday.
Emmit Gleason gave party Thursday evening, all report having a good time.
S. R. Crusor had business in Rulo Friday.
Charlie Nitchie bought a horse at the Hoselton sale Thursday.
John Paul had a car load of hogs on the St. Joseph market Thursday that brought \$670.00

Lied To Save Money.

"We wanted to rent a farm and this old man said he had just what we wanted," Jephtha E. Sparks, 2115 Flora avenue, testified this morning in police court. Sparks was there to prosecute L. L. Abell, of Auburn, Nebr., arrested for disturbing the peace.

Abell, the testimony showed, went to the Sparks home a week ago and inquired for one Mitchell. He was to sell a farm to Mitchell, he said. That interested Mr. and Mrs. Sparks because they had talked of moving to the country. "We talked it over," Sparks said, "and Abell said he owned a fine place near Benton, Mo., 200 horses, a heard of steers and other stock. He offered it for a nominal rental and we jumped at the chance. We invited him to dinner. Afterward I sent Mrs. Sparks to see Abell and he annoyed her."

Judge Kyle was interested. "Do you own this farm?" he inquired. "No sir," Abell replied. "Do you own any land at all, anywhere?" "No, sir." "Then why did you tell these persons those falsehoods?" "I don't know, judge. I thought I'd never see them again. When I found that they wanted a farm I kept on lying. I was out of money; I owed room rent, so I lied to save money."

Abell is 63 years old and Judge Kyle said that fact alone saved him from a year in the workhouse. He fined him \$25.

Every one knows that spring is the season of the year when the system needs cleansing. Rings Little Liver Pills are highly recommended. Try them. Sold by A. G. Wanner.

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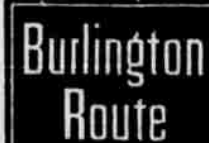
9:45 Sunday school.
10:45 preaching.
2:00 p. m. Junior league.
6:30 p. m. Epworth league.
7:30 p. m., sermon.
Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday evening.
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9:45 a. m., Bible School.
11:00 a. m. communion.
11:30 a. m., morning sermon.
3:00 p. m. Junior Endeavor.
6:30 p. m. Senior Y. P. S. C. E.
7:30 p. m., evening sermon.
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