

TWICE IN ASYLUM TO BE SENT THERE AGAIN

SAD PLIGHT OF ANNIE STOKES, DEMENTED NEGRO WOMAN.

Threatened to Burn Homes of Neighbors, All of Whom Were Afraid She Would Do So.

For the first time in several days the residents in the vicinity of North University street and Pleasant lane are sleeping in peace and contentment, the cause of annoyance having been removed.

For the past week Annie Stokes, a demented negress, has kept that community on the verge of fear, and the neighbors lived in constant dread that she would either burn them out or do someone bodily harm. This condition of affairs rocked along until it became unbearable, when the woman was reported, and on Wednesday afternoon, just as the sun was setting, Marshal Owens and Deputy John Bennett went to the woman's home, when she was taken into custody.

Marshal Owens states that the woman had the door barred, was in bed, and refused to "open up," although she "opened up" on them without ceremony, and declared she would not accompany them a step. The officers secured an entrance through a window, and found the woman clothed only in her night gown. She could not be induced to don her street attire, but the officers were bound to accomplish their purpose, and took her, dressed in the night robe only, into an automobile and drove her to the city jail, where she was kept in confinement for the night. On Thursday morning her clothing was sent to her, which she donned without hesitation in a cooler moment, after which she was given breakfast and was taken to the county jail, where she will remain until an attendant can arrive from the State asylum.

Annie declared to the officers that she was not crazy, but drunk, as she had been imbibing freely for the past few days of "blind tiger" liquor. She was considerably more reserved Thursday morning, and said: "I am not crazy; I have been drunk on mean liquor; I am sober now, and have come to my senses again."

But Marshal Owens did not feel inclined to take her word, and will hold her for the asylum, where she was an inmate twice before.

It is said that the woman during the past few days had threatened to burn down the houses of certain neighbors in the vicinity of her home.

PLEASANT SURPRISE PARTY.

Tendered to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crown at Rocky Point.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crown, Sr., presented a happy scene Wednesday night, when, in commemoration of the anniversary of the nineteenth year of married life of this estimable couple, a large number of friends of the neighborhood gave them a complete but most agreeable surprise.

Just after the supper hour the party invaded the home, but Mr. and Mrs. Crown, as usual, were equal to the occasion, and it was not long before a genuine good time was in progress. During the evening delicious refreshments were served.

The party was suddenly broken up about 11 o'clock by another surprise of an exciting nature, which had not been anticipated on the program. A telephone message came that someone had tried to break into the store of J. H. Crown, and Mr. Crown, who happened to be at the store, made a third surprise, as the parties evidently believed him to be at the home of J. S. Crown, where the party was in progress. Mr. Crown's gun failing to work, he called over the phone for assistance, and a half-dozen or more stalwart men rushed to the scene, only to find upon their arrival that the would-be burglar had made his escape. The night was dark, and no attempt was made to track him, although tracks were numerous around the store.

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Two Well-Known and Popular Young People United in Wedlock.

JUDSON, Sept. 17.—This town was the scene of a happy marriage recently, the contracting parties being W. H. Weeks and Miss Merla, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Curry. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Notary Public R. S. Tucker officiating. A large crowd was present, and many congratulations and best wishes were extended to the happy couple.

The farmers shave about finished gathering their cotton, and are now selling it mostly in the seed at an average of \$5.50 per hundred. The crop will be at least fifty per cent short.

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The Wonders of Science.

It was left for the exhibitor of a phonograph in the streets of Utrecht, according to an American traveler, to put the finishing touch to the wonderful invention. There was the sound of a military band in full blast, and then suddenly the tune stopped and "Halt!" rang hoarsely out upon the air.

"Who's that interrupting the concert?" blippantly inquired the American, edging close to the operator.

"That," said the man, surveying him blandly, "was the voice of Napoleon Bonaparte giving the order at the battle of Waterloo."

That Was the Trouble.

A Wichita man was fussing because of his aching teeth. "Why don't you go to a dentist?" asked one of his friends.

"Oh, I haven't got the nerve," was the reply.

"Never mind that," replied the friend. "The dentist will find the nerve all right."—Kansas City Journal.

Literary Analysis.

"Shakespeare's works are marvelous revelations of poetry."

"Poetry!" echoed the Baconian scornfully. "They are merely a collection of ciphers, with some figures of speech thrown in to make them harder."—Washington Star.

His Wise Plan.

"I never have any luck."
"Neither do I," responded the other citizen. "Therefore I keep out of enterprises requiring gobs of luck to be a success."—Louisville Courier-Journal

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PURVEYORS TO ROYALTY.

Their Signs Constitute One of the Sights of London.

The American in London, on his first visit to that marvelous city, is struck by the number of signs over shops with the royal arms painted thereon and announcing that the tradesman is a purveyor to their majesties. Yet, when the matter is sifted, the number is not so large.

Officially, according to the London News, there are about 200 tradesmen in London who hold the royal warrant and are entitled to use the royal arms as a shop sign, with the accompanying words, "By royal appointment." The royal warrant has to be received, signed and sealed in due form; otherwise, if a tradesman styles himself a purveyor to a member of the royal family without this formal permission, he is guilty of an offense which is punishable by a fine not exceeding £20. Moreover, he is liable to a similar fine if he uses arms so nearly resembling the royal arms as to lead people to believe that he is carrying on his business under the authority of royalty. Several instances have occurred of the enforcement of these penalties.

The warrants are exhibited in the shop windows, headed by the royal arms and bearing the signature of the lord chamberlain, the comptroller of the royal household, the treasurer of the latter, or of the master of the horse, etc., according to the circumstances.

SMOKING A PIPE.

It is Said to Give the Face a Square Jawed Effect.

"There is one question I always ask a man who wants a job," remarked the business man who has to hire several hundred men for different positions each year.

"The question I always ask them is, 'Do you smoke a pipe much?' Of course the answers are various. Some of them smoke a pipe a great deal and others not at all.

"Why do I ask about the pipe? Well, not that I have the least interest in their habits or that I have any prejudice one way or another in the matter. The reason is that I want to know whether the formation of their lower jaws is natural or acquired.

"A man with a firm lower jaw is always a man of parts and of will. I say 'always'—anyway, most always. If he does not smoke a pipe his square jaw, back near where it hinges on to the upper one, is natural. If he is a pipe smoker the looks are deceiving, and I have to judge his caliber some other way.

"Pipe smokers always have strong muscles back on the face about the place a man stops when he makes the first stroke downward in shaving. These are the muscles that hold the jaws together. They often give a square jawed effect to a man who hasn't any square jaw characteristics. My men think I ask funny questions, but there's a reason."—New York Times.

A Narrow Escape.

Edgar N. Bayliss, a merchant of Robinsonville, Del., wrote: "About two years ago I was thin and sick, and coughed all the time and if I did not have consumption, it was near it. I commenced using Foley's Honey and Tar, and it stopped my cough, and I am now entirely well, and have gained twenty-eight pounds, all due to the good results from taking Foley's Honey and Tar." J. W. M. Collum & Co.

A Suspicious Silence.

Howard was only twenty months older than the baby. He had somehow come to realize that Elwood, who was creeping, was more likely to be in mischief when quiet. One day he called to his mother with a great deal of anxiety in his little voice. "Mamma, I hear Elwood keeping still."—Delineator.

No Fault of His.

"Why, Johnny? Your little sister is shelling two quarts of peas to your one."

"Well, I told the darn little chump about it, but it didn't do no good."—Cleveland Leader.

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