



Some Peculiar Things.

Some very peculiar things are being brought out in the Bailey investigation. Among them is the fact that E. D. Steger met Bailey in St. Louis, at the time of that now famous \$3000 loan. Steger begged Bailey to go back to Texas with him, but Bailey was compelled to go to Kentucky to sell about \$3000 worth of stock. He needed the money. Steger who has a large fortune (for Texas) offered to lend him any amount he wanted, but that stock ought to be sold away, and he must go to Kentucky. Bailey and Steger were close friends, too. Directly after this Bailey met Pierce, a total stranger, heretofore, from the North have moved into the neighborhood and will engage in the cultivation of rice. Among the latter are Messrs. Cummings, Lee and Farrell. Wharton Spectator.

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LITTLE ENTERPRISE.

The town of Lissie, on the northern border of Wharton county, is showing that she too has imbibed the spirit of enterprise prevailing throughout the county, and at her present rate of improvement will soon rank among the urbans. Six new dwellings are in process of erection in the town proper and eight or ten others within two to three miles distant. Recently a number of practical well-to-do farmers from the North have moved into the neighborhood and will engage in the cultivation of rice. Among the latter are Messrs. Cummings, Lee and Farrell. Wharton Spectator.

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Richard's Victory.

respectively pupils in a public school of Washington, were recently absent for a period of two weeks. When the elder of the boys returned to his class, he brought a note from his father stating that the cause of the absence of his children was illness. "Where's your brother Dick?" asked the teacher. "Is he still sick?"

"Yes, ma'am," replied the pupil; "he's still in bed with a broken arm."

"I'm sorry to hear it. How did it happen?"

"Well, it was this way, ma'am. You see, Dick and I were trying to see which could lean out of the second-story window the furthest, and Dick won."

If you have lost your boyhood spirits, courage and confidence of youth, we offer you new life, fresh courage and freedom from ill health in Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.

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A Baltimore man interested in the education of the young recently visited a kindergarten in that city. After the first exercises, the visitor was asked to put a few questions to the pupils. To a boy of 5 the caller said:

"Have you ever seen a lion's skin?"

"Yes, sir," came in ringing tones from the youngster.

"And where?" asked the visitor, impressed with the child's earnestness.

"On the lion," answered the boy.

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A Flower From His Grave.

A visitor calling on an Irish man who had the credit of being a lively heckler at political meetings, said, "What's that? Mike, that you have in the glass case?"

"Oh, that's the brick I got against my head at the last election."

"Oh, and what's that little flower on the top of it for?"

"That's the flower from the grave of the man that threw it."

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A Good Reason.

A professor tells this story at his own expense:

He was instructing a class of boys about the circulation of the blood, and to make sure that they understood him he said, "Can you tell me why it is that if I stand on my head the blood will rush to my head?"

"I don't know, but it's so much better than my father's that I am rather proud of it."

"What was your father's call-

ing, may I ask?"

"He was a lawyer," said Hop-

per.

When I began to talk about

your neighbor, just turn the

looking glass around and closely