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LEGAL PAPERS.

We call the attention of the magistrates and other persons in the county who make a practice of drawing legal papers to the following law which was passed at the recent session of the Legislature. It will be seen at a glance that this section makes it illegal for persons other than members of the bar to charge for legal advice or for the drawing of legal papers.

Section 1. No person shall practice the profession or perform services of an attorney at law within this State without being admitted to the bar as hereinafter directed; and any person who shall give any legal advice, represent any person in the trial of any case at law or in equity, or prepare any written instrument effecting the title to real estate, for pay or reward, shall be deemed an attorney at law for the purpose of this article.

CONFIRMATION NOT A SACRAMENT.

EDITORS OF THE NEWS:

I notice in the last issue of your paper an article volunteering some instruction respecting 'Confirmation as a Sacrament.' I am loath to suppose that preaching so entirely contradictory to the proclaimed Standards of the American Branch of the Catholic Church, should be set forward as an initiatory program in your paper. And yet, all the diductic purpose of that article was to contravene the direction and guidance of our Book of Common Prayer, as well as the positive directions of what is, as yet, the declaration of her religious belief. The 'Articles of Religion,' which close up the Book of Common Prayer, as "established by the Bishops, the Clergy and the Laity of the Protestant Episcopal Church in America," at the first organizing of the same in their 25th article, declared distinctly, her teaching respecting "The Sacraments."

"There are two sacraments ordained of Christ our Lord, in the Gospel, that is Baptism and the supper of our Lord."

"Those five, commonly called sacraments, that is to say, confirmation, etc., are not to be accounted Sacraments of the Gospel, but have grown out of the corrupt following of the Apostles, yet have not the like nature of Sacraments. I have not any visible sign or ceremony, ordained of God."

With similar significance she teached her children, in the Catechism, to answer this very question, as to "How many Sacraments hath Christ ordained in His Church?" Two only, as generally necessary to salvation, Baptism and the Supper of the Lord."

These are all that she permits any honest and true ministers of her ward, or any sincere and humble recipient of her creeds, to acknowledge as Sacraments. Sacred things and reverend ceremonies, many and great (far more than five additional) she upholds and ordains, as in some cases—not generally or universally—necessary to Godly and Christian life; yet none of them ordained of Christ, our Lord, nor allowed by her to be called Sacraments.

R. WHITTINGHAM.

A BILLION BUSHEL HARVEST

A bumper wheat crop of over 700,000,000 bushels is promised for this year. While this would be a stupendous harvest this country has by no means reached its limit as a bread producer.

The American wheat fields grow on the average a yield of only 14½ bushels to the acre. In England and in the Netherlands, where the volume of the crop is far smaller than it is here the yield for every acre is just double what it is in the United States.

In those countries the acreage has steadily fallen in the past two decades, but improved methods have made the ground do more work. The yield per acre grows larger all the time.

If the necessity existed, wheat States of America could increase the number of bushels grown on each acre just as in some parts of Europe. Some day this will be done, and there will also be brought under the plow millions of acres of now untilled soil.

Without reaching the horizon of her possibilities, the United States can soon have in a good year a round billion bushels of wheat. Not even the timidiest soul need ever fear a bread famine in this country.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is reliable. Why try a new medicine when this old reliable remedy can be had for 25 cents, all druggists.

HER NEWSPAPER DAD.

He Isn't Always Cross; Sometimes He Is Positively Jubilant.

Newspaper daddies are funny, I think. Mine's one. He's funniest at breakfast, only it isn't breakfast, 'cause it's lunch, and that's another funny thing about it.

"Where's 'smornin's paper?" he asks mamma the first thing when he comes downstairs. And then when she looks sort of childishly at him 'cause he's a little gruff he hurries up and says, "Good morning, everybody," just as though he felt kind-a 'shamed of himself.

And then he won't talk when he gets his old paper. He just sticks his nose into it and looks at one page after another just as fast as he can, and then he begins all over again and does it slower and keeps still for quite awhile.

Then mamma and I wait for the explosion.

"Ijits!" he says. "They couldn't spell 'cat' right."

Then he goes chasing from one page to another as fast as ever he can, talking to himself, and when he's got real mad he shouts at mamma: "They buried it! See. They buried it back there—way back there, of course, and it's the best story in the paper!"

Then mamma says, quiet, like a calm after a storm, "Come, dear, your coffee 'll get cold."

But he's more like a bear than a dear, and he doesn't come, but he keeps on growling at the old paper. I guess he finally gets tired of himself, too, and then he jumps up, throws the paper on the chair and tries to dodge mamma's funny smile.

Mamma's awfully patient, I think, and she never gets mad, but just smiles and smiles at daddy when he gets cross at things. Sometimes she asks him why he wants to keep on being a newspaper man if it's so awful. One time he answered and said it was because if he kept on working sixteen hours a day maybe the office would some time give him as much as the stereotyper gets for working eight hours a day. Mamma said that was sarcasm. I guess he thinks sarcasm must be a good thing for the office, 'cause he most always talks that way about it.

But newspaper daddies aren't always cross. Sometimes mine hurries downstairs a whole lot earlier, and then when he grabs the paper he smiles all over and shouts at mamma:

"See that story? That's a clean scoop, and a bully one! That's worth living for! And, say, won't the fellows on the old Bugle feel sore, though!

"I tell you," he says then, "one day like that is worth a bicycle of Cathay," whatever that is.

And then mamma looks at me and smiles, 'cause we both think he's funny sometimes.—Des Moines (Ia.) Register.

A Great Lawyer's Method.

Writing of "Civilian Leaders of the Confederacy" in the Louisville Courier-Journal, John Goode says of Judah P. Benjamin:

"The first time I met him we discussed the practice of law, and in the course of the conversation he asked me what we considered a good fee in my part of the country, to which I replied that we considered $500 a very respectable fee. He smiled and said: "When I practiced law in New Orleans if a man employed me I charged him a retainer. If he came about the office much I charged him a reminder, when I had done some work in the case I charged him a refresher, and when it was all over I charged him a finisher."

Test For Hydrochloric Acid.

A curious mishap gave us a very delicate test for hydrochloric acid in the atmosphere. In a north of England locality many houses have curtains of the cream color produced by metanil yellow, popularly known as "dolly" cream dye and to science as "the sodium salt of meta-amido-benzine sulphonic acid-azo-diphenyl-amine." Some of these cream colored curtains suddenly changed to heliotrope. Investigation showed that an accidental escape of hydrochloric acid from a neighboring alkali plant had discolored the curtains, and the dye became a most useful test.

An Episode In Court.

"You are charged with snatching a woman's pocketbook."

"I know it, judge. But I wouldn't do such a thing, hungry and broke as I am."

"Too conscientious, I suppose?"

"No. I don't pretend that. But why should I snatch a woman's pocketbook? What would I want with a couple of car tickets, a powder rag, a piece of chewing gum and a dressmaker's address?"

Once more a shrewd criminal overshot his mark. His familiarity with the contents convicted him.—Washington Star.

Why He Was Suspicious.

"There is something suspicious about that," remarked the young man named Brown as he hung up the telephone receiver.

"About what?"

"Why, I just called up the home of a girl who has led me to believe that I am the warm favorite and that there are no others on her list. She wasn't at home, so the party who answered the ring said, but it gave me a jar when she added, 'Shall I tell her you called, Mr. White?'"—New York Press.

Beyond the Earth.

"Bliggins thinks he knows more than anybody else on earth."

"You state it mildly," answered Miss Cayenne. "Since the assertion that Mars is inhabited he goes further than that."—Washington Star.

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CLOTHING. CLOTHING.

How about your Spring Suit? You need give yourself no concern about the style, fit and price—that's guaranteed here;—And why not? Our clothes are made by the world's best designers and tailors and therefore we have clothes to fit the lean, stout and medium built. Come in and look at our Spring Stock now while it is fully complete, we can save you from $2 to $5 on every suit. We have a large assortment of nobly stylish suits for the boys sizes from 3 to 17. We especially direct your attention to that one lot of boys Spring Suits absolutely the best $5 value ever offered at $3 per suit. If its cheap elsewhere its cheaper here.

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We can fit your feet without pinching your purse. The secret of obtaining good value in shoes depends mostly of whom you buy them. We have always tried to obtain the best values that could be sold for the least possible money, and we have them. Especially the Walton Shoe for Boys and Girls. If you are interested in seeing that your children grow up with feet that are not deformed by corns and bunions, this is an ideal shoe. There is absolutely no shoe in the market to compare with it at the price, quality and fit. We are already showing a full assortment of Ladies, Men's and Childrens low shoes in all the newest shapes and leathers for this spring season.

W. L. Douglas' Shoes	$2 to $4.00	Walton Shoes for Boys and Girls	85c to $2.00
Rice & Hutchins Shoes	$1 to $4.00	Marvel Shoes for Boys and Girls	$1 to $1.50
Dolly Madisons	$3 to $3.50	Velvet line for Ladies	$1.35
Mayfair	$3.00	Ladora line for Ladies	$1.50

DRY GOODS.

We have already received larger consignments of Dry Goods for early spring showing. Recently there has been a drop in the cotton market and we assure you we have taken advantage of this drop and have laid in at low prices. As has been our method all along to sell our goods as we buy them and give you the benefit of all our good purchases. Below we mention a few prices.

Fruit of the Loom Muslin, per yard	9c	12½ Percal	10c
10c Muslin	8c	25c India Linen	19c
10c Unbleached Muslin	7c	20c India Linen	15c
Lancaster Open Gingham	6¼c	15c India Linen	12c
10c Dress Gingham	8c	12½ India Linen	10c
2½ Dress Gingham	10c	O. N. T. Spool Cotton	5

MATTING, OIL CLOTH AND LINOLEUM.

We have just received a new supply of Chinese and Japanese Matting, also a new lot of Oil Cloth and Linoleum which as usual we are in a position to save you from 3 to 5 cents per yard. Special prices on full rolls. Look at our goods before buying elsewhere it will pay you as we can save you some money.

Chinese Matting, per yard	10c to 30c	Oil Cloth	19c to 27½c
Japanese	19c to 30c	Linoleum	33c to 50c

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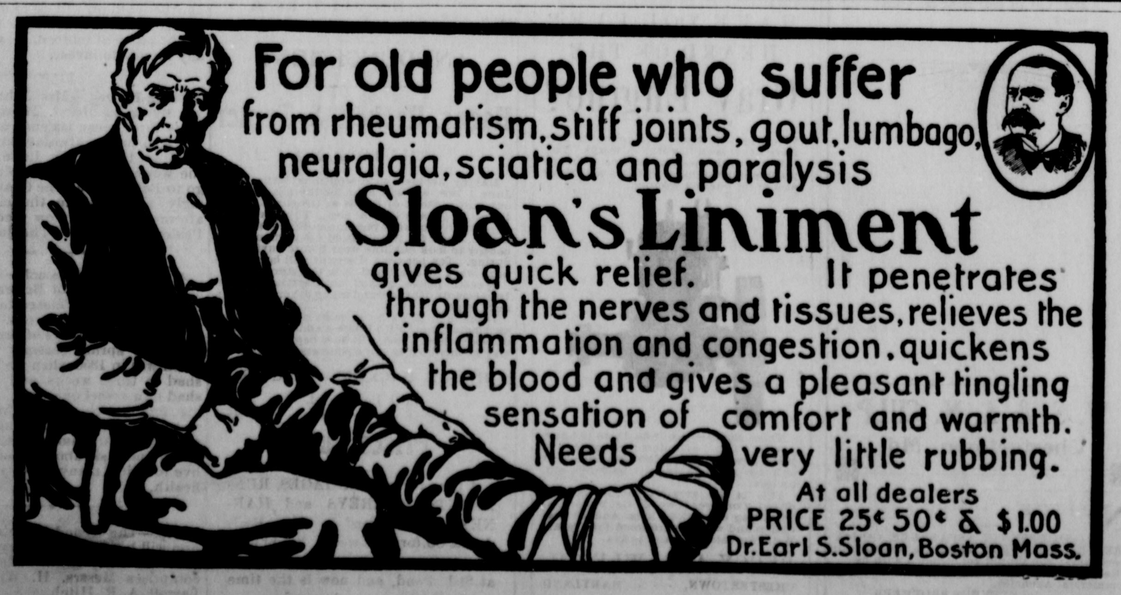
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