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Ogdensburg, Wis.—"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women who have female trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. ETTA DORION, Ogdensburg, Wis.

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If any complication exists it pays to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special free advice.

ANNUAL REPORTS RECEIVED

Copies of the annual reports of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic and the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railways Companies, both of which are controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad, have been received by the stockholders of the transportation companies.

In the report the Pennsylvania refers to the action of the Interstate Commerce Commission in permitting the railroad to continue to operate the Bay companies, but gave no indication that the company had in view any plan for the disposal of the companies. President Meyers stated that, while the results for the past year were better than in 1915, neither of the companies were yet earning reasonable profits and that if they are to continue their service increased revenue must be obtained to meet the increase in wages, material and supplies. The final result for the year was a deficit of $132,956.81.

MISS MARY A. CLOUGH.

Miss Mary A. Clough, for years a well-known milliner of Church Hill, died there last Friday from general debility. She had been in poor health for several years. Miss Clough was 68 years old. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Noah Clough, of Church Hill. Five brothers, Noah, James H., William and E. T. Clough, of Queen Annes county, and Lemuel Clough, of Denton, and two sisters, Miss Sarah Rebecca Clough, of Church Hill, Mrs. Harriett Anderson, of Denton, survive her.

ON Easter Monday, April 9, the Rounds Ladies' Orchestra will be at the Lyceum Theatre. This is the final attraction of the Citizen's Lyceum Course.

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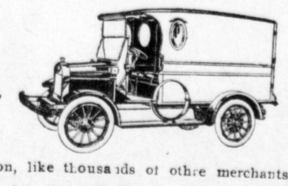

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BIBLE IS NEW GOVERNOR'S PLATFORM

With a Bible as his Platform and sermons as his political speeches, Sydney J. Catts, who became governor of Florida in January, stands today the most unique figure in an American gubernatorial chair.

A reformer of the new school, a prohibitionist with new but drastic ideas, a former minister of the gospel who hasn't forsaken his religion, Gov. Catts entered the statehouse after fighting Florida's most strenuous political battle, defeating the regular nominee of the all-powerful Democratic party by pitting Biblical quotations against mudslinging.

His Bible will remain on the governor's desk until his term ends four years hence, and to it he will turn for counsel, rather than to political advisors—so Gov. Catts declares.

"I have literally choked the devil out of politics in Florida," says the new governor, "and the devil is due another choking. I hope to have enacted legislation that will make our primary laws so plain and simple there will be no chance for fraud."

Catts entered a five-cornered race for the Democratic nomination for governor last spring. On the face of the returns he was winner over his nearest opponent by a few hundred votes and received a certificate of nomination.

A recount of certain precincts was demanded by the opposing side and granted by the courts, and after months of suspence and rechecking of votes a new certificate of nomination was awarded W. V. Knott.

Feeling that he had not been treated fairly, Gov. Catts announced he would enter the general election despite the Democratic certificate of nomination held by his opponent.

In years gone by such a move would have meant political suicide in Florida, but a political revolution swept over the state in the fall of 1916, and Gov. Catts came out a victor by an overwhelming majority.

Thus, for the first time since reconstruction days, Florida has a governor not the regular nominee of the Democratic party.

Gov. Catts is the "home" type of man—genial, religious, industrious. Frills and airs are as distasteful to him as a high-ball would be to Wm. J. Bryan. His administration, therefore, will not be marked by "brilliant social events," but visitors to the mansion will receive such a welcome as can be given only by a genuinely Southern host.

Discussing his views on religion and politics Catts says;

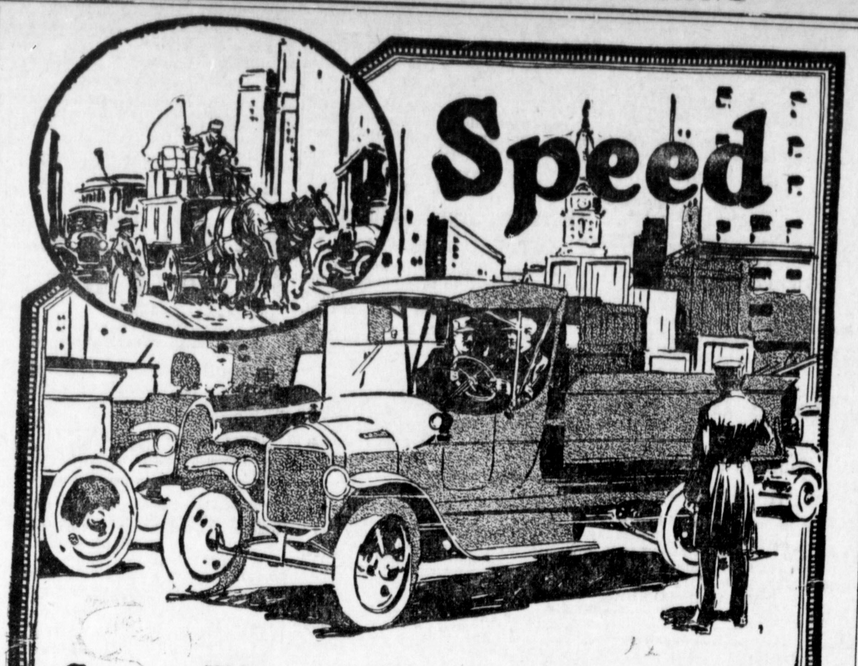
"I believe there is a place in politics for religion and the Bible. Prohibition of liquor traffic should go hand in hand with religion, and blend in the political arena.

"The late campaign in Florida has demonstrated the upward tendency of regularities in the primary. This proved the Bible should be in politics. The strongest law on this law—stronger than statute or constitution—is one of the ten commandments: 'THOU SHALT NOT STEAL'

"We are going to clean and purify politics in Florida. In order to do this, it will be necessary to rule whisky out."

Gov. Catts has only one eye, but that blazes with the fury of two as he illustrates, in the executive chamber, how he intends to "choke the devil out of politics."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA



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Wash Boilers—90c Galvanized Wash Boilers for **69c**

Lanterns — 50c Lanterns, only one to each customer, for **29c**

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$3.00 New Silk Waists $1.48
$2.00 New Silk Waists $1.25
$1.50 Ladies' House Dresses $1.19
$1.00 Ladies' House Dresses 79c
$2.00 Ladies' Linen Skirts $1.19
$2.50 Ladies' Linen Skirts $1.48
New Spring Neckwear for Ladies, 10c to 50c

Large Asst. Mattresses, $10 Values $5.50
$6.00 Double Mattress $3.98
$8.00 Single Mattresses $4.98
Double or Single Iron Bedsteads $2.75
35c Jap. Matting, per roll, yd 25c
35c Heavy Joint. Matting, yd 25c
20c Heavy China Matting, yd 16½c
$9.00 9x12 Kregs Rugs $6.50
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