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## MUSIC SURE ENOUGH.

The following is an exact copy of a letter received by a young lady, who, possessing a piano and being about to move to a small country town, advertised for room and board with a family "musically inclined."

Dear Miss, we think we can save you with room and board if you prefer being where there is music. I play the fiddle, my wife the organ, my daughter the accordion, my other daughter the banjo, my son Hen the guitar, my son Jim the flute and kotoinet and my son Clem the base drum, while all of us sing gospel hymns in which we would be glad for you to take part both vocal and instrumental if you play on anything. We play by ear and when we all get started there is real music in the air. Let us know if you want to come here to board.—Harper's Bazar.

Prices of agricultural staples continue to fluctuate, wheat and corn tending upward. Many tell us that there is no over production of cotton because there is a use for all that is raised. Others say there is over production because there is more produced than the world is willing to pay a fair price for, and that what the world ought to have cuts no figure. But no one will say that if the crop was half the size the price would not be much higher. There are two remedies for this condition: One is to produce less cotton, and the other is to make money cheaper and more abundant, so people can buy what cotton goods they need. As the bankers who control the finances of the world will not agree to the latter alternative, we had better try the other remedy—raise less cotton and more food. Europe must have food, but their people can go thinly clad, if late so deceives.—Texas Farm and Ranch.

It is doubtful if a nation can become very wealthy and remain virtuous. If there is any example of the kind known to history it has escaped our reading. The world now contains many rich nations of which our own is the most prominent example. But while the combined wealth of our people is great, add that of a few individuals enormous we have a substratum of comparative poverty. Who is prepared to say that the great body of the people whose farthest from being wealthy do not possess the political and moral virtues which at the present time holds the political fabric together?—Texas Farm and Ranch.

"When the devil was sick, the devil a monk would be;  
When the devil got well, the devil of a monk was he."

This old couplet should appeal to every community in the Gulf States. At the first warning of the approach of yellow fever there was a rush to clean up, to stir up all the putrid filth in ditches and gutters. Now, as soon as the plague subsides, it is more than likely that all these communities will relapse into their old time lethargic state and permit disease to breed instead of making its appearance impossible by timely sanitary precautions.—Lake Charles Commercial.

Just try a 10c. box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

"Our minister preached a sublime sermon on Sunday," recently remarked a Chicago woman, according to the Post of that city. "I did enjoy it so much. And right in the middle, I hit on how to have my black serge fixed over. The whole scheme came like a miracle, and will work out no end of swell. That frock has been such a torment I have had no good of it at all. It hung in the wardrobe, a reproach and a waste of material. Sermons are so beneficial. You really ought to go to church oftener. I am ashamed that you missed that one last Sunday."

The cumulative result of years of pension giving is the monstrous annual burden of \$140,000,000 a year, a sum nearly equal to the revenue produced by our customs tariff. The Commissioner reports that the list is still increasing. It is time the Congress were made to heed the citizen vote, the vote of the taxpayer, who will beyond all question make a powerful and effective protest against pension extravagance as soon as he can be made to realize the unworthiness of a very large proportion of the pensioners.—New York Times, Dem.

Prosperity B. Dama is the name of a new daughter born to Mr. Dama, a strong McKinley man of Colorado. That baby is destined to be famous. By the time she is a year old the gold standard will bring her name to every lip.—Rayne Tribune.

The recent decision of a Kentucky judge that a man may lawfully shoot a man who lures his wife away from him, seems to be quickly bearing fruit. A Kentucky wife recently shot and killed a woman who had lured her husband away from her.

A bereaved husband up on the Dakota border has posted this notice on a pine tree. "My wife Sarah has left my ranch when I didn't do a thing too far an I want it distinctly understood that any Man as takes her in an Keers for ur on mi account Will git hisself pumped so full ov Led that sum tenderfoot Will locate him for mineral clame. A word to the Wise is sufficient an orter work on fools. H. Smith."

Messrs. Montgomery & Quick, of Ghent, Tex., says: "We sold 135 bottles of—Child Tonic this season and a small amount of Ramon's Pepsin Chill Tonic which gave such good satisfaction we will handle no other next season and you may send us 1 gross of Ramon's Pepsin Chill Tonic and 1 gross of Ramon's Liver Pills & Tonic Pellets, which is the best we ever handled."

How the "prosperity" bubble to dazzle the eye and deceive the honest voter prior to the late election was worked up, is best told by the New York Herald, which states that the renegade New York Sun was paid \$50,000 in British gold, or dollars that the Cleveland or Hanna administration would redeem in gold, for publishing "prosperity" articles! The Herald further states that it refused an offer of fifteen thousand dollars to do the same infamous work.

People who send merchandise through the mails and take desperate chances with the canceling machines will be interested in a decision made by Assistant Postmaster General Hunt on Wednesday. A lady in Worcester, Mass., received from a friend in Sioux City what was intended to be a nice pair of gloves. The canceling clerk in the Sioux City post office let the stamp come down with such force that it fairly ruined the kid. The lady sent the gloves to the department. Mr. Heath directs that the canceling clerk shall pay for the damage done.

An editor has been inspired after looking over his list of delinquent subscribers to compose the following: "How dear to our hearts is the silver dollar, when some kind subscriber presents it to view; the liberty head with neck tie and collar and all the strange things which to us seem so new; the wide spreading eagle, the arrows below it, the stars and the words with the strange thing they tell; the coin of our fathers, we are glad that we know it, for some time or other it will come right well; the spreading dollar, the star spangled dollar, the old silver dollar we all love so well."

## MONTHLY SUFFERING.


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Mrs. ROZERS LEWIS, of Okemulgee, Texas, says: "I was troubled at monthly intervals with terrible pains in my head and back, but have been entirely relieved by Wine of Cardui."



## STATE OF LOUISIANA,

18th Judicial District Court, Parish of Lafourche.

C. Melrose Thibodaux et als. vs. Fir-min Thibodaux et als. No. 3446.

TAKE NOTICE, THAT PURSUANT TO a judgment of the above Court, rendered and signed November 29th, 1897, in the above entitled and numbered suit, and to a commission to me directed and bearing date of November 29th, 1897, ordering me to offer for sale at public auction pursuant to law, to the best and highest bidder, at the late domicile of the deceased, J. Felicien Thibodaux, situated in this parish on the left bank of Bayou Lafourche, on Cousin Folat at about twenty-two miles below the town of Thibodaux, to effect a partition between the parties plaintiffs and defendants, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12th 1897, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. the following described property to wit:

### REAL ESTATE.

1st. A certain tract of land situated on the left descending bank of Bayou Lafourche, about fifteen miles below the town of Thibodaux, measuring two arpents front by forty arpents in depth, opening as it extends to the rear, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and all rights thereto belonging.

And another tract of land adjoining the above tract on the lower line, measuring one and one-third arpents in front, more or less, by forty arpents in depth, which said tract also opens as it extends to the rear. The said two tracts being bounded above by lands of Joseph Dufresne and below by lands of Alford Robinson.

These tracts are to be sold as one tract of land, and subject to the lease made to Alford Robinson, expiring December 31st, 1899. Heir and assignee having the right of possession until that time, the purchaser to be subrogated to all of the rights of the lessee for the years 1898 and 1899.

2nd. A certain tract of land in this Parish on the left descending bank of the Bayou Lafourche, in the Division Plate Settlement, being about ten miles north of Thibodaux, and being the four arpents facing North of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-five, and having a depth of fourteen arpents running South and containing about sixty-six arpents of land, more or less, in township fourteen South, of range seventeen East, in the Southeastern District of Louisiana, bounded North by section twenty-four, East by the remainder of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-five, South by the Southwest quarter of section twenty-five, and West by section twenty-six.

This lot to be sold by itself.

3rd. A certain tract of land on the left bank of Bayou Lafourche, being the three arpents front facing the North, of the North, west corner, or quarter of section twenty-five, by fourteen arpents in depth running South and containing forty-two arpents more or less; bounded South by Southwest quarter of section twenty-five, North by section twenty-four, East by remainder of North west quarter of section twenty-five and West by the tract of four arpents front in the Northwest quarter of section twenty-five just above described.

This tract to be sold by itself as one lot.

4th. Lot No. 20 of the Bourgeois plan, of the Vacherie Dugue Livaudais, measuring about forty arpents in length by eight arpents in width, forming a lozenge and containing about three hundred and twenty arpents. The timber on this tract belongs to Alexandre Lepine.

To be sold as one lot by itself.

5th. Lot twenty-one of the Bourgeois plan of the Vacherie Dugue Livaudais, measuring forty arpents in depth or length by a mean width of about thirty arpents, containing more or less, if to be found, five hundred and fifty arpents, said tract being in shape a trapeze.

This tract to be sold separately as one lot.

6th. Lots one, four, five and eight, and the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, and Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, and the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of section twenty-eight, and lot one of section twenty-three, all in township twenty south of range twenty-two East.

To be sold together as one lot.

The movables, other than the money on hand, to be sold in one lot, unless in the day of sale the heirs, without objection on the part of any one, agree to a different manner of sale.

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