

AN OPEN LETTER

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Cecil Rhodes is giving sittings to John Tweed, a sculptor of London, for the statue which is to be erected by popular subscription at Bulawayo.

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ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE

REPORTED BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

April 7. The governor transmitted to the senate the following appointments, which were confirmed: Members of the Illinois Commission of Claims—J. C. McKinzie of Elizabeth, to succeed H. G. Reeves, resigned; Walter Loudon of Carlyle, to succeed William A. Dawdy, resigned; W. C. Jones of Robinson, to succeed Samuel Alschutter, resigned.

By Senator Campbell—To repeal the civil-service law; on motion of the author of the bill, it was advanced to second reading without reference. By Senator Berry—Appropriating \$50,000 for extraordinary expenses of the Illinois and Michigan canal.

By Senator Willoughby—Requiring the clerk of a higher court to certify the final disposition of cases of appeal. By Senator Granger—To repeal the law requiring public officers holding state funds to publish statements in the newspapers.

By Senator Miller—To amend the municipal civil service act by giving ex-union soldiers and sailors the preference in the making of appointments.

On motion of Senator Dunlap the bill creating a board of three supervisors of assessment was made a special order for the same day. Senator Granger's bill to permit graduates in osteopathy to practice medicine was passed.

In the house a number of anti-cigarette petitions were presented. Mr. Cochran called up the judicial appointment bill on third reading and moved that it be recalled to second reading for the purpose of amendment.

One of Mrs. Pinkham's Talks

Concerning a Mother's Duty to Her Young Daughter. Together with a Chat with Miss Marie Johnson.

The balance wheel of a woman's life is menstruation. On the proper performance of this function depends her health.

Disturbance of the menstrual function poisons the blood. In young girls suppression develops latent inherited tendencies to scrofula or consumption, and no time must be lost in restoring regularity.

My health became so poor that I had to leave school. I was tired all the time, and had dreadful pains in my side and back. I would have the headache so badly that everything would appear black before my eyes.

Woman and Ostriches. Mr. Crimmonbeak—You women remind me of an ostrich. Mrs. Crimmonbeak—I don't understand you.

Caught. Mother—Clara, I don't like that young Mr. Huggard coming here so often. Clara (who likes Huggard, but wishes to give her mother a different opinion)—Yes, I'm always glad when the time comes for him to go.

Clara's Brother—Yes, and I know why, too! Clara (sharply)—And why, Mr. Smarty? Clara's Brother—Because he always kisses you good-by at the front door!

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