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GLORIOUS AND RENOWNED

Were the Closing Exercises at the Culver Military Academy.

Over 100 Distinguished Persons From Abroad Witnessed the 6 and Panorama of Events During the Six Days.

On Saturday the 5th inst., occurred the commencement of the greatest events ever chronicled in the history of Marshall county, viz: the closing exercises of the Culver Military Academy. It has called together men of distinction from all over this broad land, and the performance of the cadets has elicited the admiration of some of the distinguished military men of the U. S. A., which speaks volumes in praise of the skill of Commandant L. R. Gignollet, as a teacher of military tactics. The events of the last week have certainly marked a great epoch in the career of the Academy, as it is evidence of a greater future. It is gratifying to us to hear the remarks made by men of note upon the beauties of Lake Maxenkuckee and its surroundings, and the positive assertions that Culver Military Academy will yet rank second to no other similar institution in this country. It is universally acknowledged to the Herald reporter who interviewed many distinguished guests from abroad, that the environments of the academy for natural beauty of scenery surpasses anything in the line of nature they ever saw, and that the Lake is the most charming body of water they ever gazed upon. Only one thing occurred to sadden the proceedings, and that was the absence of the founder of this glorious institution, Hon. H. B. Culver, who was absent owing to illness, but his knowledge that nothing was left undone by Col. Fleet, to make it the greatest success it was, will be a balm to his soul, and convince him that all the great sacrifices he has made have not been in vain.

The battalion of cadets went into camp of instruction Friday, June 6th, to remain until the end of the first exercises. The camp is named "Camp Mount," in honor of the Governor. The final exercises of the Academy began Saturday morning, with Guard mounting at 5:30, followed at 9:30 by Battalion parade; then at 10:00 came the Cavalry Practice, Signaling and Cycle Training Drill at 11:00, and the Rifle Range at 12:00. At 2:00 the Battalion Drill, and at 3:00 in the evening Druse Parade was held. The contest for DeWitt's Medal which had been announced for Saturday evening, was postponed until Monday. On Sunday morning at 11:20 o'clock, the Battalion exercises were presented in the gymnasium by Dr. A. E. Hare of the Cavalry Drill, in the afternoon, Dr. Hare took the command of the Cavalry Drill, and at 3:00 o'clock, "And whosoever you will be the chiefest shall be servant of all." Mark 10-44.

A large and most appreciative and attentive audience greeted the preacher. He introduced his subject with two vivid word pictures, the one of a beautiful day in California, the other of a day at the galley of Malindi-sour Paris, made famous as the residence of Napoleon and Josephine. The pictures were to show the fading power and grandeur of human greatness and worldly honors. Then by a quick and intense transition of thought, the speaker introduced his hearers to the world's greatest teacher, Christ, who gave to humanity, through his disciples, the elements of true greatness of character and life in the splendid teachings of the text. He gave them the best thing he knew in the best way he could, that the law of service was the law of a true life and noble character. Christ, the perfect teacher, sent his truths like a sword thrust into the heart of society's wrongs and injustice. He instituted a new order of nobility among men. And it has taken nearly nineteen hundred years for the world to see the exalting truth of the text and to give it the full sway of its regal meaning.

According to the world's standard of greatness, the great man was the one who wielded power, commanded wealth, seized glowing honors, not so, with this sublime philosophy of his. He only is great, who gives his sympathy, helpfulness and love, to be coined into daily use and service. This is the most revolutionary doctrine that was ever uttered. It will, under its full sway, revolutionize society, our homes, our schools, our trade, our commerce, you, the whole world, for it is the index finger of glorious promise, pointing to the era of universal brotherhood, when prejudice shall be conquered by reason, when the narrow, mean spirit of selfishness shall be driven from the world by the exalting spirit of sympathy and loving service. This will realize the vision of the poet, "In the federation of the world."

The Governor and his Staff arrived Wednesday evening upon the 9:45 train, and were conveyed in the Palmer House by the beautiful steamer Peabody. Thursday morning great preparations were made for the receiving of the Governor and staff. Col. Fleet and several officers repairing to the Palmer to meet the Governor. In the meantime the party boarded the steamer Peabody which was splendidly decorated with the national colors for the occasion, and was conveyed to Culver Park. When the steamer rounded the bend and came in full view of the Academy, the Artillery Squad fired several salutes from a 12 pounder, while the Culver city band rendered "Marching Thru Georgia" and " Yankee Doodle." After the arrival of the Governor several charges belonging to the "Black Horse Troop" were placed at the disposal of the Governor and Staff, who, in their magnificent uniforms, and stately bearing, ascended upon superb black horses, would have made the stages of the world, had they not been stopped upon the inspiring sight. The Commandant, as early as 10 o'clock had the Companies formed, who with the Culver City band in the lead marched to the drilling grounds where it was inspected by the Governor and Staff. The occasion will never be erased from the memory of those who witnessed the imposing sight. The cadets were dressed in beautiful white uniforms and as they were maneuvered by Major Gignollet, a grander sight was never witnessed in this section of the State or any other section. The companies received the highest encomiums from the Governor and Staff, who were more than surprised at the marvellous work performed, taking into consideration the really short time allowed for military practice at such schools. After the inspection of the cadets the Governor and entire Staff, officers of the Academy and cadets and over 100 distinguished visitors from abroad repaired to the great ball room and witnessed the commencement exercises.

The graduating class was addressed by Hon. John E. Wilson, of Indianapolis, followed by a short but excellent address by the Governor. The Governor and staff returned to Indianapolis upon the 1:10 train. Thursday morning the cadets broke camp, making great regaining, and after the Governor's departure the boys went busy packing trunks, valises, etc., preparatory to departing for their respective homes. In the evening during the week the cadets gave grand balls, which were attended by a splendid staff personnel from all parts of the State. It was a great event. It was a great advertising card. It was a revelation to thousands who visited our beautiful State from the fact that Culver Park is a grand and beautiful place. The graduating class which is composed of twenty A. S. Austin, Carlton, Missouri; L. M. Boone, Delphi, Ind.; W. H. Clifton, St. Louis, Mo.; R. H. Gray, Clarksville, Ind.; W. C. Culver, St. Louis, Mo.

A Brief Synopsis of That Baccalaureate Sermon.

The Baccalaureate session of the Culver Military Academy was delivered last Sunday by the Rev. Dr. A. C. Hirst of Chicago. His theme was "The New Covenant" founded on the text, "And whosoever you will be the chiefest, shall be servant of all." Mark 10-44. A large and most appreciative and attentive audience greeted the preacher. He introduced his subject with two vivid word pictures, the one of a beautiful day in California, the other of a day at the galley of Malindi-sour Paris, made famous as the residence of Napoleon and Josephine. The pictures were to show the fading power and grandeur of human greatness and worldly honors. Then by a quick and intense transition of thought, the speaker introduced his hearers to the world's greatest teacher, Christ, who gave to humanity, through his disciples, the elements of true greatness of character and life in the splendid teachings of the text. He gave them the best thing he knew in the best way he could, that the law of service was the law of a true life and noble character. Christ, the perfect teacher, sent his truths like a sword thrust into the heart of society's wrongs and injustice. He instituted a new order of nobility among men. And it has taken nearly nineteen hundred years for the world to see the exalting truth of the text and to give it the full sway of its regal meaning.

An Excursion.

To-day, Friday, there will be an excursion from Ft. Wayne to Culver. The lively men will bring the excursionists from Burr Oak, via wagons. What a burlesque upon the great Nickel Plate road. What a disgrace to our citizens, who, if they worked for it and insisted upon it, could in the very near future have a spur from said road running into Culver. The Nickel Plate is a dandy and its officials are hustlers, and why they don't see the necessity of connecting this place with their road is a mystery. That the Nickel Plate could carry thousands of citizens from Chicago, Ft. Wayne and other cities and towns along the line every season is a fore-gone conclusion. Even Burr Oak, which in comparison to Lake Maxenkuckee, is likened unto a frog-pond and the parent fountain, is to have connection with an east and west line from Chicago. Why do we sleep and let these inferior pluses secure the "golden" that lays the golden egg?

Mrs. Mary Smith, who lives near Burr Oak, left at this office to-day a magnificent lot of strawberries, all very large and clean, and of an excellent variety. We understand she raises strawberries extensively, and judging from those she brought to this office she understands her business.

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It is impossible to give a full synopsis of this sermon of Dr. Hirst or even a correct view of the profound impression it produced upon the audience, that listened in rapt attention. He enforced the truth of the text, by logic, lives and incisive, by philosophy clear and convincing, and by illustrations, most apt and tender, frequently bringing tears to many eyes. He finished his eloquent peroration with the beautiful poem entitled, "A Step of the Stair."

The teachers and cadets of the Culver Military Academy and their friends who were present, will ever remember last Sunday and the preacher of the day.

Charged With Abortion.

Thomas O'Donnell, Jr., and Drs. Vies and Lindquist were arrested yesterday charged with an abortion on Miss Kate Schorer. They were taken before Justice Reeves, and Deputy Prosecutor Lauer appeared for State, assisted by C. P. Dransmond, Messrs Samuel Parker, Martindale & Stevens and Charles Kellison appeared for the defendant. The condition of Miss Schorer was such that she could not appear and the preliminary examination was by agreement of attorneys postponed until June 21. The bonds of the defendants were fixed at \$1000 each and they went to jail until bondmen can be secured. Dr. Lindquist gave bond and was released in the afternoon.

The charge is a serious one. O'Donnell and Miss Schorer have been keeping company for years and it is said he seduced her under promise of marriage. Miss Schorer makes her home at the residence of Peter J. Krayer and it is charged that the defendant committed the crime Monday evening, while Mr. Krayer was attending the festival at St. Michael's church. Miss Schorer's condition is quite serious, but she was somewhat improved yesterday and will probably recover.—Plymouth Republican.

Horse Thief Captured.

Marshall Myers, of Plymouth, passed through Culver Monday, upon his way to Marion, Ind., where he took charge of a horse-thief and returned to Plymouth and lodged him in jail. It seems that sometime ago, a young man by the name of Paulaner, whose home is at Marion, engaged to work for John Kline, who lives upon the east side of Lake Maxenkuckee, a certain length of time for a horse, signing a written contract. After working a short time the young fellow must have conceived the idea that the animal belonged to him in reality for Thursday, June 8, he took the horse and skipped for his home at Marion. It is a clear case against him and unless a settlement is effected the fellow will go to the pen for a term of years, where he can reflect upon the adage, that "honesty is the best policy."

And Put in Good Form for the Benefit of the Herald's Numerous Readers.

The steamboats did a rushing business last Sunday.

The steamer Anubee arrived here receiving a new coat of paint and otherwise being repaired.

T. B. Harris and wife transacted business at Plymouth last Friday.

Children's day at the Evangelical church at Rutland, two weeks from next Sunday.

Frank Sheppard is the new R. R. Agent at Rutland. The company has erected a commodious depot.

Harry Easterday, of Warsaw, visited his parents a few days last week.

A large party of South Bend citizens registered at the Palmer House Thursday.

The Vandalia railroad officials arrived in Culver Tuesday evening and registered at the Lake View.

Rev. W. W. Raymond, pastor of the Episcopal church, Plymouth, was calling upon friends in town Thursday.

The state land commissioners has inaugurated a new scheme, and appointed an unknown deputy in each county who is instructed to watch closely and prosecute every violator of the fish law.

CULVER CITY LOCALIZED.

Miss Ida Culver was an honored guest at the Academy this week.

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Last Monday, Albert Overmyer and Thomas Medbourne, his attorney, appeared before Justice Oliver Morris, and Samuel Urey, Deputy Prosecutor, and filed affidavit that said Overmyer did provoke Isaac Reed on Nov. 4, 1896, whereupon Justice Morris fined him \$1, and costs, amounting to \$7.00, which was paid. The peculiarity of the case is this: Said Reed was arrested by Overmyer in Nov. 1896, for assault and battery, and was fined. Said Reed took an appeal to the higher courts, which reversed the decision; whereupon said Reed ordered the arrest of Overmyer for provoke. Overmyer, learning of this, went to Justice Morris' court, pled guilty, and paid his fine like a man. This is a model for all who come under the law. Go and do likewise.

The Nickel Plate R. R. has built a fence between the track and J. R. Vinnette's building at Rutland, and it is said that J. R. is "red hot" over the transaction, that is as hot as sauté a gentleman can possibly get.

M. F. Mosher has just completed a handsome bathing pavilion near the Mosher boat house which is just what has been needed a long time. The rooms are so arranged that both gentlemen and ladies can don their bathing suits in the utmost privacy.

The house is also supplied with bathing suits of all sizes both for men and women.

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Commissioner's Court.

The following licenses to sell liquors have been granted:

- R. F. Kroszberger, Culver
- C. C. Beaber, "
- Leonard N. Moller, Plymouth
- Herter Ulrich, "
- L. R. Ocker, "
- George H. Krueger, "
- Michael Spelschofer, "
- Franklin Walter, Bremen
- Ed C. Bright, Inwood
- Joseph P. Miller, "
- Jasper N. Lake was appointed justice of the peace for green township.

Still Waters.
Here, dreamily, with soft deceits,
The pool repeats
A summer sky; bright clouds that pass
On this brown glass.
Here imaged is the phantom moon
Of afternoon
And a swift bird that dips its wing,
Home hastening.
Soon, yonder, where the path is laid
In hush of shade,
A glimmering gown, a dusky tress.
My sight will bless;
I'll lean above an olive cheek,
So cool and slick,
And eyes where veiled reflections shine
Of love in mine.
—I. C. Cook in Harper's Bazar.

Little Heroine-Cat.

BY LEANDER S. KEYSER.

They were "thrashing" over at Neighbor Shanewalter's that afternoon. The Shanewalters lived only half a mile from the Bensons as the crow or the bee flies; but around by the road, as men walk or ride, it was more than three-quarters of a mile.

As Katie Benson stood on the portico, looking across the intervening valley along the crow-and-bee line, she could see the straw-carrier of the thrashing machine pointing obliquely upward out of the back door of the barn, while the straw floated in ragged-edge clouds of yellow from its upper end and then dropped airily upon the great round stack where three or four men were laboriously trudging about to trample down the straw.

Now and then a cloud of dust and chaff would pour out of the door, driven by the fresh breeze, and completely enveloped the workmen on the stack. At intervals the hum of the machine would reach Katie's ears. One of the men was her father—he was building the stack—and she wished that she was over there herself, jumping about on the springy straw.

But it was Katie's duty to stay at home that afternoon with her sister Liza, two years older than she, and Neddie, the "baby" of the family, 4 years of age. Shortly after dinner Mrs. Benson had said:

"Now, girls, I must go over and help Mrs. Shanewalter to cook supper for the thrashing hands. Stay close to the house all the afternoon. Don't go away for anything. And take good care of Neddie."

"Yes, of course, you can play anywhere about the house."

"And mayn't we haul Neddie in his little wagon out in the road?" persisted Liza; you promise not to go more than a few rods from the gate."

"Oh, we promise, don't we, Katie?"

Katie nodded her promise readily enough, but there was a strained expression on her pale little face as if she were trying to suppress some agitating emotion.

"What's the matter, Katie?" her mother queried. "You're not afraid to stay with Liza and Neddie, are you?"

A little red rose-bud suddenly blossomed out on each of Katie's pale cheeks and her eyes scrutinized a crevice in the floor into which she was trying to thrust her bare little toes.

"No—I guess not—just a little," she stammered, in a self-contradictory way.

"You needn't be afraid at all, Katie," said Mrs. Benson, putting all the assurance she could into her tones. "There isn't anything to harm you."

"Oh, Katie's such a 'fraidy-cat,'" scoffed Liza. "She'd be scared at a mouse's shadow, so she would, if she was alone. The other day she saw a little snake in the yard, two rods away from her, and what do you think she did? She just stood in her tracks and screamed as loud as ever she could, till I got a stick and killed the snake. Pooh! It wouldn't have hurt her."

"I can't help being afraid of things," Katie sobbed.

"What's the use to be afraid!" boasted Liza. "I'm not at all afraid of anything. I wouldn't be such a 'fraidy-cat' as Katie is! I'd have more spunk!"

Liza's lofty way of putting her own heroism in contrast with Katie's timidity stung her little sister to the quick, bringing hot tears to her eyes. She knew she was a "fraidy-cat," and that was just what made her sensitive to her sister's jibes.

For awhile after her mother had gone, Katie could not revive her courage. She stood on the portico, and gazed longingly across the valley at the thrashers. Every sound about the house and barn startled her, and she had visions of tramps and robbers galore, if not of wild and savage beasts pouncing down upon the unprotected children left alone in charge of the large, rambling farm-house. Liza gazed her for awhile, making her sweep still more.

But presently a game of hide-and-seek in the large, bushy yard drove all the little "fraidy-cat's" fears out of her mind. A jolly afternoon they were spending, sometimes putting Neddie into his small wagon and pulling him back and forth along the road in front of the house. The wagon was an old-fashioned, home-made one, with a rough box and pole and heavy little wheels hewn out of a thick board; but it was strong and serviceable, and no

doubt pleased the children fully as well as the trig express-wagons of today please our own boys and girls.

At about half-past three they were playing with the wagon in the road. Katie began to feel a little tired with her vigorous romping, and presently she said to Liza:

"I'm going to sit on our post and rest awhile."

She opened the gate and stepped into the yard, and then followed a little path winding through a thick clump of rose bushes and berry stalks to one corner of the yard, where a couple of steps enabled her to climb to the top of a large fence-post. This was a favorite perch for the children when wearied with their play. The tall, sharp pickets prevented their climbing down on the outside into the road, but made a convenient support for a tired back. Perched on top of the post, Katie watched Liza and Neddie playing in the road, her cheery laugh often ringing out at the roly-poly little fellow's comical looks and conduct.

But suddenly there seemed to be a change in all their surroundings. A strange obscurity was falling over the landscape, wrapping everything in gloom.

"Oh! oh!" cried Liza, "it's getting dark!"

Such really seemed to be the case. A kind of flickering twilight enveloped the earth, filling the children's hearts with dismay. The chickens began to fly up into the trees, intending to go to roost, as if they thought the evening had come. Brindle and Spot, the two gentle milk-cows standing at the bars of their pasture-field, began to low.

"Look, look at the sun!" screamed Liza, growing pale with terror.

Sure enough, the sun had turned almost red, and—oh! oh!—a huge black sphere was slowly creeping over its disk and blotting out its light. The children had often read and talked about the end of the world and the Judgment Day, and such thoughts had always filled them with awe and terror.

"The world's coming to an end! The world's—coming—to an end!" cried Liza. "Oh! oh! o-o-h! Come, come, Katie, let's run over to Shanewalter's and find papa and mamma."

Panic-stricken, Liza seized the pole of the wagon, in the box of which sat Neddie too much frightened to cry, and then she ran, as fast as her nimble feet could carry her, down the road in the direction of the neighboring farm. She did not wait for her little sister perched on the fence-post.

Katie was almost paralyzed with fright as the darkness gathered about her. She could dimly see Liza and Neddie and the wagon speeding down the slope, but the high palings, sharpened at the top, made it impossible for her to climb over into the road. By the time she had clambered from her perch into the yard, and had shouldered her way through the bushes, her brave little sister was scampering far away.

Her first impulse was to dash out of the gate and follow; but, with all her cowardice, Katie was an obedient child, and even in her intense agitation she remembered that her mother had bidden her and Liza in no case to leave the house.

How she wished she were a brave girl—brave and fearless like Liza, and not such a "fraidy-cat!" Still, she would do as her mother had bidden her, and if the great Judge came, he would find her at her post, as the preacher had said last Sunday in his sermon. This resolve infused new courage into her palpitating heart, and slipping back from the gate, she found a cosy hiding-place among the bushes, where she sat and tremblingly kept watch in the shadows. She lisped a prayer to God to make her brave and forgive all her wrong-doings.

"I believe its getting lighter," she whispered to herself a few moments later.

Looking up, she saw that the shadow on the sun was gradually moving across it, exposing a part of its red disk. A few more moments of breathless waiting, and then the twilight was succeeded by sunlight almost as radiant as it had been before the eclipse came. For, of course, it was only an eclipse of the sun, although Katie did not know at the time what the strange phenomenon meant.

"Maybe it wasn't the Judgment Day, for all," she thought. "Well, if 'twasn't, I'm glad I stayed at home, any way, and didn't run away from the house. I'm glad I obeyed mamma."

The chickens began to crane their necks in wonder, and, finding that daylight had come again, they flew down to the ground, and resumed their picking and scratching. Katie was bravely recovering from her fright, when she saw something that almost made her pulse stop beating. A rough-looking man in seedy clothing came stealthily through the front gate, and looking suspiciously this way and that, walked along the path to the front door. Through the aperture in the screening bushes Katie saw him glance around narrowly, then turn the door-knob, and slip into the house, closing the door quietly behind him.

For the timid girl this was the climax. What in the world should she do? The man was, no doubt, a robber. He might steal something valuable from the house—one of the best suits in the closet, her mother's silver

spoons just bought a week ago or her father's gold watch, which she had heard him say he would leave at home lest it might be broken at the rough work of the afternoon.

Should she run over to neighbor Shanewalter's and give the alarm? Before she could do that, she reflected, the thief would have ransacked the house. Couldn't she—her pulses beat quickly at the thought—in some way prevent him from carrying out his thieving purpose? It frightened her half to death to think of it; and yet if she could not foil him in some way, no one else could. Everything depended on her coolness and courage. She knew that.

She half started to her feet; then dropped behind the bushes again, the prey of the most terrible panic, her heart leaping into her throat. But presently she rallied her courage, for great, heroic resolve had taken possession of her frail frame. She would be a "fraidy-cat" no longer. She would prove herself a heroine. Now was her chance.

On her hands and knees she crept along the edge of the bushes, keeping herself well screened, until she reached the kitchen door. Slipping through it, she stood still and listened breathlessly, but could hear no sound. Evidently the robber was in a distant part of the house.

With trembling hands she pushed open the door leading into the sitting-room, and then stood still again, listening intently. A moment later she almost screamed out with terror, for she could hear the muffled sound of a footstep in the next room, which was the spare bedroom, and then the creak of an opening drawer reached her ear.

"He's getting at the bureau," she thought. "Papa's watch is in one of the drawers, I think. The robber musn't find it; I'll not let him!" she added, a wave of heroism sweeping through her bosom.

She hesitated no longer. Her whole being was mastered by one supreme purpose—to save her father's gold watch. Swiftly and noiselessly she glided into the hallway, on the wall of which hung her father's shot-gun on two stout wooden hooks. She knew that it was loaded. Under the circumstances she felt justified in touching it, although she had never dared to touch it before. She sprang upon a chair standing beneath the weapon, whose muzzle pointed directly over the top of the door of the room in which burglar was plying his business.

Yes, she could reach the gun. It took but a moment to cock the hammer, as she had often seen her father do; then, bracing her nerves by a supreme mental effort, she placed her slender forefinger against the trigger, closed her eyes, and pressed with all her might. There followed a deafening explosion and a blinding flash, and the load of shot was buried in the opposite wall. The concussion almost stunned the girl, but she had self-possession enough to spring from the chair and dodge into a dark corner for safety, should the robber come into the hall.

A moment of silence ensued, and then she heard a few heavy foot-falls in the next room, followed by a loud crash of broken glass, and she knew that the terror-stricken robber had leaped through the window and made his escape. Her plan, which had been simply to frighten him away, had succeeded, and her heart bounded with exultation.

Through one of the windows she saw the bold robber scampering across the meadow toward a tract of woods. Then she rushed out of the front door and dived in among the bushes, where she lay trembling with excitement and fright for half an hour. Then her father, mother, Liza and little Neddie returned, her parents having become uneasy about her.

"Oh, papa! mamma!" she cried, laughing and crying hysterically, as she sprang from her hiding-place, "I scared him away! I scared him away!"

"What do you mean, Katie?" they asked in surprise.

"I scared the robber away;" and she quickly sketched her adventure.

Her father hastened into the house, and examined the dismantled bureau.

"You dear, brave girl!" he said, pressing her to his bosom; "you frightened the rascal away just in time. He had almost found the watch. See, it was under the pile of clothes that he was tumbling aside when you scared him by firing off the old gun. You're a genuine heroine, Katie."

Her mother, too, had to kiss and hug her.

"And nobody'll call me 'fraidy-cat' any more, will they?" she asked demurely.

"No, indeed," declared her father, his face beaming with smiles. "You're a soldier—as brave a soldier as ever fought on a battlefield; and, more than that, you know how to obey orders when—when other people run from the post of duty."

As he spoke he looked slyly at Liza.

—Detroit Free Press.

Residents of Jefferson street, Topeka, Kan., have been victims of a trained or perverted dog, which stole their newspapers and took them to its master.

In Binghamton County, Ind., about 40,000 rabbits were killed during the winter—something like 1,000 rabbits for each inhabitant.

SMEDLEY IS THE VICTOR.

Wins the Chicago Road Race of the Associated Cycling Clubs.

William D. Smedley, picked by the experts as the slowest rider among 498 contestants in the eleventh Chicago road race, won with a mile of daylight between him and his closest pursuer. Time, 1:07:04 2-5. He ran so far in advance of the flying host that he robbed even the second and third men of much of their honors. Henry O'Brien captured the time prize, his figure being 1:03:08. He broke the record for the Wheeling course, which is a fraction under twenty-five miles. Smedley is 51 years old. His training has been going on for only two weeks. He worked so hard during the race that he was dead—physically—at the end, and had barely enough breath left to tell the jam which brought him congratulations to carry the good news to his wife.

There have been eleven Chicago road races. They have all been well contested, and some of them have produced



W. D. SMEDLEY.

wonderful performances. The race grew out of a hare and hound chase on the old style high, or ordinary, wheels back in 1886. That was on Thanksgiving Day, however, instead of Memorial Day, which has been the date of the race every year since. In the next year, 1887, cycling interest in Chicago grew marvelously. There were several fellows in the hare and hound chase of the year before who had bound ambitions. They came together early in the spring and talked about a repetition of the chase, but decided that a genuine road race would be better sport. The first Pullman road race, as the event was then called, was the result. It was run on Memorial Day over the Pullman course every year after until 1894. Then it was transferred to the North Side and changed in name to the Chicago road race.

It almost invariably happens that the rider who wins the race is an unknown. He is usually some fleet fellow whose speed is underrated by the handicapper and who has the luck in not being thrown in any of the many collisions that occur along the course. With the winner of the time prize, however, it is different. He is usually a rider of experience whose speed is known and has often been proved.

EARTH IN A QUAKE.

Slight but Distinct Shock Causes Alarm in Many States.

A distinct but slight earthquake was experienced Monday throughout the South Atlantic and Middle Southern States. It is stated at the Weather Bureau at Washington that the direction of the wave was from south to north, but reports received from various sections are conflicting. Savannah, Ga., was the furthest point south at which the tremor was felt, while the northern boundary of the wave was middle Maryland. West it was felt as far as Knoxville, Tenn. The disturbance seems to have been most severe in the Appalachian Mountain region.

The shock was felt in Cincinnati and suburbs. The printers ran out of the Times-Star office. Occupants of other buildings were alarmed and at Coney Island, Chester Park, the Zoological Gardens and elsewhere there was consternation among the holiday crowds. At the lagoon on the Kentucky side there was a panic among several thousand people on the grounds. The waters in the lagoon were so rough that the life-saving crew went to the relief of those out in the electric pleasure boats. At Knoxville, Tenn., two distinct shocks were felt. Several large buildings were badly shaken and two chimneys fell. In Charleston, W. Va., the earthquake was felt all over the city. In many buildings the furniture was moved by the vibrations. The people were panic-stricken and many ran out of the large business houses thinking the buildings were about to tumble down. The vibrations were from north to south and lasted fifteen seconds.

A distinct shock was felt in Louisville, Ky., but no damage was done. The shock perceptibly shook Asheville, N. C. Hundreds of occupants of buildings ran into the streets. At Indianapolis many persons felt the shock. Visitors to the court house tower thought the building was falling and hurried down.



Ex-President Harrison is taking bicycle lessons. He wears a suit of Scotch homespun.

The New York Order of Confederate Women has elected Mrs. Jefferson Davis honorary president.

Paderewski gets \$5,000 for one concert in London in jubilee week. Patti gets a like sum for three songs.

Archduke Franz Ferdinand d'Este, heir to the throne of Austria, who was supposed to be dying of consumption, is recovering in Southern Tyrol.

Henry B. Cheatham, the colored man who was recently appointed recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia, owns much property in the District.

A Veil of Mist

Rising at morning or evening from some lowland often carries in its folds the seeds of malaria. Where malarial fever prevails no one is safe, unless protected by some efficient medicinal safeguard. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is both a protection and a remedy. No person who inhabits or sojourns in a miasmatic region or country should omit to procure this fortifying agent, which is also the finest known remedy for dyspepsia, constipation, kidney trouble and rheumatism.

The Japanese language is said to contain 60,000 words, a symbol for each being required. A well-educated Japanese is familiar with about 10,000 of these symbols.

The Next Thing to It.

The coffee habit is not as bad as the liquor habit, but it is the next thing to it. Coffee and tea drunkards are getting to be a noticeable type. These beverages injure both the nerves and the digestion. Nervous diseases are often produced, and always aggravated, by indulgence in coffee and tea. Yet people fancy they can't get along without these drinks. Perhaps you think so. Try Grain-O for a change. It tastes like coffee. It is a new food drink, made from pure grains. It is full of cheer, warmth and nourishment, without a particle of narcotic stimulant. The old, the middle-aged and the children can drink Grain-O freely, day or night. Use it awhile and you will want no more coffee. And it costs only a quarter as much. Ask your grocer for it. Sold in 15c. and 25c. packages.

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WEIGHTY WORDS FOR Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

A Hippocycle.

A correspondent of an English paper believes that in the hippocycle a great advance has been made toward a machine that will be to the horse what the bicycle is to man. The machine is equipped with four forty-inch rubber tired wheels, the two rear wheels being drivers, the forward wheels steers. The machine is so designed that the horse will propel himself and the vehi-



cle, and there will be two riders, who will do the steering and governing. The method of transmitting the power from the horse is by a revolving endless platform built upon two chains supported by rollers, the construction being identical with that of the horse-power treadmills and with that in small flourmills and wood-sawing yards. In the hippocycle the horse will be as much at rest when going down hill as if he were at home in his stall. Over good roads a speed of fifteen to twenty miles is said to have been made by the hippocycle.

Current Condensations.

Few negroes but believe that the left hind foot of a graveyard rabbit is a token of good luck, and the superstition is spreading among the white race. A firm in North Carolina, which makes a specialty of rabbit skins, has received an order for 100,000 of such feet.

The native place of the potato is still an open question, but is probably the tropical regions of America. There is a tradition that the vines once grew to monstrous size, and that the "balls" were of the "bigness of melons," and at that time the roots were not tubers, the edible parts growing among the branches.

An old lawyer used to say a man's requirements for going to law were ten in number, and he summed them up as follows: Firstly, plenty of money; secondly, plenty of patience; thirdly, a good case; fourthly, a good solicitor; fifthly, plenty of money; sixthly, a good counsel; seventhly, a good witness; eighthly, a good jury; ninthly, a good judge; tenthly, plenty of money.

It would be interesting to know how the word "key," which is the characteristic name of many small islands in the Spanish-American waters, should have crept so far north as the coast of New Jersey, where it is found in Key East and Key West. The word is from the same root as quay, and it appears some hundreds of times between Florida and the coast of South America.

All the hardware used in the great Mormon temple at Salt Lake City was made to order, and bears either the device of the beehive—the Mormon name of their country being "Deseret," or "the land of the honey bee"—or the clasped hands, which is also one of the symbols of the church. In the basement all the door knobs and hinges are of solid brass, polished. Those upon the first floor are plated with gold, on the second floor with bright silver, on the third floor with oxidized silver, and those on the top floor are of antique bronze.

A thousand women cigar-makers in Naples went on strike because, among other grievances, they were required to make cigars without tobacco. Eight hundred of them marched to the Mayor's office and publicly stated their troubles. Bad tobacco was given to them, they said, and then when they turned in bad cigars they were mulcted of their wages because of alleged bad work. With 500 tobacco leaves they were expected to make 600 cigars. "This is the reason," said one, "why people smoke cigars stuffed with tow and bits of wood." It is said a visitor to Naples found a cigar he was smoking to be stuffed with a lock of fine, soft black hair.

STRUNG UP BY A MOB.

NEGRO LYNCHED BY FRENZIED PEOPLE OF URBANA, O.

Mob's First Attempt Was Met by Deadly Volleys of Rifle Bullets—Authorities Didn't Interfere with the Second Attack.

Night of Awful Sensations.

"Glick" Mitchell, the Urbana, O., negro brute, has paid the penalty of his foul crime with his life. An outraged people took the law into their own hands and meted out to him the punishment he so richly deserve' and obeyed the command and wish of his prostrate and, as announced, dying victim. He was hanged to a tree in the court yard Friday in broad daylight, after a night of horror and tragedy.

Recently Mrs. Eliza Gaumer, the widow of the late publisher of the Urbana Democrat, was criminally assaulted by Chas. Mitchell, alias "Glick" Mitchell, a notorious negro, who was arraigned Wednesday, but his victim was too ill to appear in court. The man was taken to her home for identification. As he entered the door she raised herself on her elbow and exclaimed: "The brute! Hang him! How dare you face me, you brute!" In default of \$1,000 bail Mitchell was locked up in the city prison, but on account of the feeling was removed to the county jail the same night for safe keeping.

From the time of his arrest threats of lynching were made, and Sheriff McLean took all precautions to prevent it, securing from the Governor the services of two companies of militia. His indictment by the grand jury, his plea of guilty and the sentence were all recorded within four hours Thursday evening. His sentence was to twenty years' imprisonment, and he was to have been taken from the Urbana jail Friday to begin the term.

Thursday night the jail was surrounded by a threatening mob. News of the intended attack on the prisoner reached the officers of the court in the afternoon, and they called on the Governor for militia to protect Mitchell. The local company was ordered out, and took up lodgings under arms in the jail. At 2:30 o'clock Friday morning a mob attacked the jail with sledge hammers. The militiamen fired into the crowd, killing and wounding many of the attacking party and repelling the assault.

At 7:10 o'clock in the morning a company of militiamen arrived from Springfield, O. The crowd, already enraged at the authorities, rallied for another attack on the jail. This time the authorities made no resistance. None of the men in charge had the nerve to order another volley turned into the bodies of the townsmen. The negro was hustled out of his cell and hanged to the nearest tree in the presence of a howling mob of 2,000 persons, over 500 of whom were women. The feeling is intense against the sheriff for allowing the National Guards to fire on the people, and there is a very general approval of the work of the mob.

IS PATRIOTISM DYING?

Sporting Events Crowd Out Memorial Services.

Judging from the newspaper reports and other appearances Decoration Day has lost its character and significance in New York, writes William E. Curtis to the Chicago Record, when telling of the observance of last Memorial Day. It is no longer an event to revive patriotism and stir the memories, but is almost wholly given up to athletic exhibitions and sports. The old battle flags are honored, the Stars and Stripes float from every public building and from the windows and roofs of many residences, and the Grand Army posts still march with limping steps to the cemeteries, but the great mass of the people do not give a moment's thought to their debt to the dead. There were ceremonies at the tomb of Gen. Grant, at Greenwood, and at other silent camping grounds, where, as an old veteran remarked, his comrades had been put to bed with a spade, but the participants were mostly the survivors of the war and the widows and orphans of its dead. The people at the cemeteries numbered hundreds, while over 30,000 saw Howard Mann win the Brooklyn handicap; 24,000 saw a baseball game between the New York and Pittsburgh teams; a similar crowd witnessed a boat race on the Harlem river, and every branch of outdoor sport had some special attraction to celebrate the holiday.

Newspapers are a fair index of public interest on these subjects. They give a page to sporting intelligence and a column to the ceremonies of Decoration Day. In one paper I counted twenty-four columns filled with sports and four columns to the soldiers' monuments and cemeteries. It is a serious question whether the historic significance of the holiday is to be lost, and whether the public mind is becoming so absorbed with athletics, games and turf gambling that it cannot devote one day in the year to the expression and cultivation of patriotism.

CURRENT COMMENT

This seems to be an admirable decade for private secretaries.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The latest diagnosis is that the Sick Man of Europe has got the grip.—Boston Herald.

Perhaps Russell Sage is just working up a good big inheritance tax joke on somebody.—Cleveland Leader.

Perhaps if the powers would guarantee the balance, Col. Hamid can be induced to take Greece on account.—Elmira Telegram.

When the United States decides upon a Cuban policy, there will be no trouble about maintaining the "concert."—Columbus Dispatch.

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The change of life, that is what mother is dreading, and no wonder, for it is full of peril to all but the strongest women.

There are some special and very wearing symptoms from which mother suffers, but she will not speak of them to any one. Help her out; she doesn't know what to do for herself!

Shall I advise you? First, send to the nearest drug store and get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and see that mother takes it regularly, then write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., giving all the symptoms and you will receive a prompt reply telling mother what to do for herself. In the meantime the Vegetable Compound will make life much easier for her. It tones up the nervous system, invigorates the body, and the "blues" vanish before it as darkness flees from the sunlight. You can get it at any reliable druggist's.

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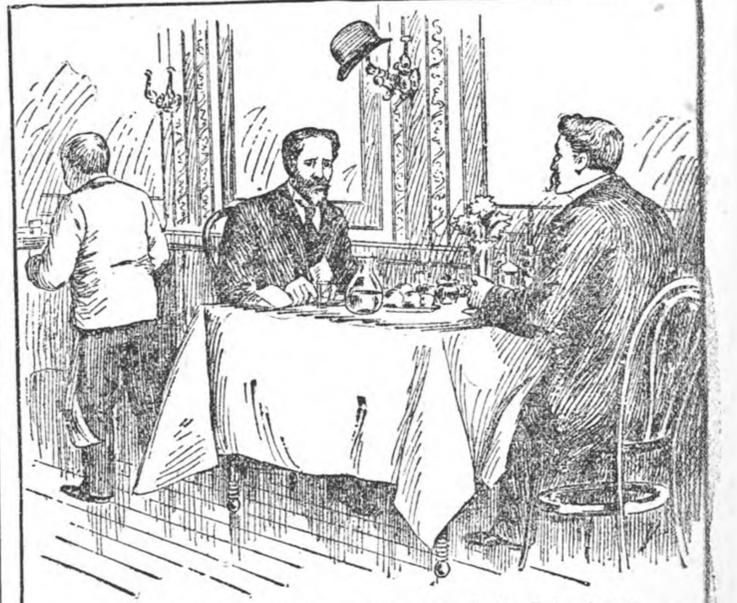
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Mr. Wm. Rhodes is remodeling his home.

A number of young girls, of Bremen, were visiting relatives and friends Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Hathaway the day operator is moving his family in the Clifton house.

Mr. F. Groves will move to Burr Oak Thursday.

Mr. Keizer the N. P. relief agent is in F. Groves place for a few days.

A bouncing girl at the home of Lewis Clifton. Wife and child reported doing well.

A wedding is in the "breeze" for Sunday.

A dance was held at the home of P. Dixon, Saturday evening. A good time was reported.

The measles have at last run their end as no new cases are reported.

While attending a dance at Barr Oak Friday evening, John Rhodes' horse became loosened and of course came home. Now this is not the worst thing that has happened to persons attending different gatherings at this place called Burr Oak, and we would advise them to take steps to prevent such things as stealing whips, robes, cushions and harness cutting, to at least hold their good name.

The cheese factory near this place is doing a rushing business, and making better cheese than at any former period. "Lew" is a hustler, and dont you forget it.

The body of James Hoffman in charge of Bremen G. A. R. Post, left here Saturday morning for burial at Napanee.

Mr. Jess Rhodes who has been working on the tile yard has accepted a position on the section under C. E. Hough's charge.

Many friends and parents of cadets at Culver Military Academy, arrive daily to attend commencement exercises at the Academy this week.

Many of our citizens taking advantage of good fishing at the lake, and good strings arrive daily.

We had occasion to visit the carpet weav-loom of Mrs. George Moore and this surely is an up-to-date establishment and a good enterprise for our village.

BRAN NEW.

The Palmer.

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever," hence when we say that the Palmer is a beautiful hotel, and situated upon one of the most desirable spots on the banks of Lake Maxenkuckee, we make an assertion which is a well known fact all over the country, especially by those who have had the pleasure of visiting our beautiful resort. Some time since, this popular house changed hands, and came under the entire control of Frank Lampton, one of the "peer" hotel managers in the state. He has been a familiar figure in the business at the lake the past 10 or 12 years, having conducted the Palmer for two or three years and the Lake View for several seasons, hence his being at the head of an establishment means an extensive patronage of the best element who visit the lake. Being endowed by nature with those elements which constitute the man and gentleman, he has the happy faculty, through knowledge of his business, to draw a most desirable class of patrons. As proprietor of this peerless hostelry, he has made many remarkable changes, which gives better accommodations to guests and otherwise adds to the popularity of the house. Frank's method of conducting the culinary department is so well known, that it is unnecessary for us to eulogize upon the department, suffice it to say, that he believes the true way to reach man, is through supplying his stomach with all the delicacies of the season and the substantial and plenty of it. Situated upon the north shore of the lake it is of easy access to all trains, as guests can take a short delightful ride upon all steamboats to the house. Every room in the house is handsomely furnished with everything upon the modern order, and the magnificent parlor seems a veritable fairy-land, as it is beautifully furnished, besides being resplendent with orange-blossoms and flowers. You can also find a corps of well trained waiters, and a courteous landlady, who with her husband is ever on the alert to entertain and look after the comfort of the guests. Among the most prominent people registered at the Palmer this week, are Dr. Grayden and family, of Cincinnati. Mrs. Chas. McCulloch and daughter, of Ft. Wayne. Ex-Governor Jackson and wife, of Des Moines, Iowa. O. M. Packard and wife of Plymouth, Miss Lydia Mayer, of Covington, Ind., Wm. H. Clopton, United States District Attorney, of Missouri and Gov. John A. Mount and staff, of Indianapolis. Members of the

Governors staff were C. E. Wilson, Private secretary, J. K. Gore, Adjt. general, B. A. Richardson, Quartermaster general, H. C. McGrew, Inspector general, Chas. Kala, Assistant Inspector, Col. A. R. Bearnley, Col. Wm. J. Robey and Col. W. W. Rider, who were here Thursday witnessing the closing exercises of the Culver Military Academy.

The Epworth League will give a lawn social in front of Dr. Wiseman's residence to-night for the benefit of the M. E. church. All are invited.

Robert Voll, of Logansport, will be bar-tender at the Kreuzberger Park saloon during the summer months, and is already attending to the patrons of the place, with Wm. Kneoble, as manager.

A large number of Plymouth citizens were in town over Sunday, including Mr. and Mrs. Judge Capron and Mrs. John Capron.

Shirt waists are going rapidly at Porter & Co. store. They have a splendid selection. Call before purchasing elsewhere. 47tf

A CASE OF HEAD SPLITTING IN MARMONT.—It was luckily not fatal, but owing to the prompt use of Dr. Agnew's Headache Remedy all trouble was subdued in fifteen minutes. It is prompt, safe and efficient. Twelve doses for 25 cents. Culver City Drug Store.

At Porter & Co's store you can find a full line of summer washed goods. They are offering special bargains in this line. No better stock in the county as the goods are selected with care. Call and see them. 47tf.

An artistic brochure entitled "Summer Outings" is published by the Nickel Plate Road, describing vacation resorts along that line. Address B. F. Horner, General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, O., for a copy. 45w10.

Located on the south shore of lake Erie contiguous to the Nickel Plate Road are many country homes that will accommodate summer boarders. Send to B. F. Horner, General Passenger Agent of the Nickel Plate Road at Cleveland, O., and he will forward you a list on receipt of a two cent stamp. 45w10.

That Great Excursion.

Last Sunday was the banner day of the season thus far. There was an excursion from Terre Haute and one from Anderson. It was estimated that there were at least 2,500 strangers here who were highly delighted at the appearance of the lake and its surroundings. In the forenoon the weather was fine, but in the afternoon it rained for about four hours steady which not only dampened the ardor of the excursionists, but dampened their exterior to a dampened extent. Although the crowd was large everybody was orderly. The restaurants and hotels did a rushing business, especially the Colonnade, and Avery's and Vorbee's restaurants. Andy served about 300 meals and lunches galore, while Avery after feeding four or five hundred was unable to supply the demand and had to turn the hungry away. Of course this will give the restaurant keepers an idea of preparation in the future.

Resolution of Thanks.

RESOLVED That the pastor of this charge, bear our expression of appreciation, from Classis, to the owner of the boat, for the ride on the lake given the delegates of Classis.

RESOLVED That we thank the pastor, and the members and friends of the Marmont Charge, for the kindness shown the members of Classis and the hospitality with which they have entertained the same. May the God of all grace keep these kind brethren, and prosper them in every good work.

RESOLVED That these resolutions be read from the pulpit by the pastor.

By order of Classis.

Rev. F. Ware, Stated Clerk.

Through Buffet Sleeping Car to Mackinaw, Mich.

Commencing June 21st, the Vandalia Line will resume through Pullman Buffet Sleeping Car service between St. Louis and Mackinaw. Sleepers will run via Terre Haute, St. Joseph, Grand Rapids and Petoskey-Bay View. This will be the only line of through cars from St. Louis to the delightful and cool resorts of Michigan. South bound the last sleeping car for the season will leave Mackinaw, Sunday night, September 20th, 1897. For detailed information, address nearest Vandalia Line Agent, or E. A. Ford, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis

At this season of the year people eat heavy foods, such as meats etc. causing constipation and other irregularities of the bowels, resulting in biliousness, headaches, dizziness, etc. Dr. Agnew's Kidney and Liver Pills work wonders and give speedy and permanent relief. For sale at the Culver City Drug Store.

The efficiency of the passenger service on the Nickel Plate Road is meeting recognition on all hands. Solid through trains between Chicago and New York city, elegantly equipped Palace sleeping cars; An unexcelled dining service; Uniformed colored porters on through trains, fast time and rates always the lowest; all combine to make it the most popular line between Chicago, Cleveland, Buffalo, New York and Boston. 45w5.

Lung fever is raging in and surrounding towns and many deaths have resulted therefrom. If one uses proper precautions against it one need not fear its evils. Dr. Agnew's Balsam of Tar and Wild Cherry acts like a charm in preventing it and cures the worst kinds of coughs and bronchial affections. Children will like it and cry for more. For sale at the Culver City Drug Store.

A radical change has been made in the appearance of many of Marmont's ladies, due to the use of Dr. Agnew's Carbolic Salve. It cures chapped hands and face, tetter, pimples, eczema, salt rheum, chilblains, etc. Will perform wonders in all skin troubles. For sale at the Culver Drug Store.

Fishing is good and many large fish are being caught. They are not all bass, but a great many are suckers, and two legged ones at that. There are some people who cannot be caught by a cold, because they use Dr. Agnew's celebrated Cold Capsules that cure the worst cold in head in one day. They sell for 15c. a box at the Culver City Drug Store.

A smooth roadway. Perfect Passenger service. Uniformed colored train porters for the convenience of both first and second class coach passengers. Quick Time. Through sleeping car service between Chicago, Cleveland, Buffalo, New York and Boston. A superb dining car service. No change of cars for any class of passengers between Chicago and New York City. Rates lower than via other lines. These are the advantages presented by the Nickel Plate Road. 45w5.

Why Not

patronize the Nickel Plate Road on your next trip to New York city or Boston. They operate solid through trains elegantly equipped with palace sleepers, fine day coaches attended by uniformed colored porters whose duties require them to look out for the comfort of passengers. Magnificent Dining cars. The popular low rate short line. 45w5.

The Facts in the Case.

A careful perusal of the Map of Wisconsin will convince you that the WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINES running from Chicago and Milwaukee, to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland, Hurley, Ironwood, Bessemer, and Duluth, touch a greater number of important cities than any line running through Wisconsin. Elegantly equipped trains, leaving at convenient hours, make these cities easy of access. Any ticket agent can give you full information and ticket you through.

JAS. C. POPE,

Gen. Pass. Agt.

35 Milwaukee, Wis.

How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates a diseased condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effect following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists; price fifty cents and one dollar. For a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail, mention CULVER CITY HERALD and send your full postoffice address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietor of this paper guarantees the genuineness of this offer.

CULVER CITY HARNESS STORE.

A good stock to select from. Heavy and Light HARNESS, NETS, HARNESS OIL AND AXLE GREASE.

Is the place to get your Harness Goods

DUSTERS, HAMMOCKS, SWEAT PADS, BR J. HES, COMBS, TRUNKS, SATCHELS, WHIPS, LASHES, ETC.

Live and Let Live, is my principles.

Thanking you for your liberal patronage and desiring a continuance of the same Goods as represented.

HAYDEN REA

H. A. COOK

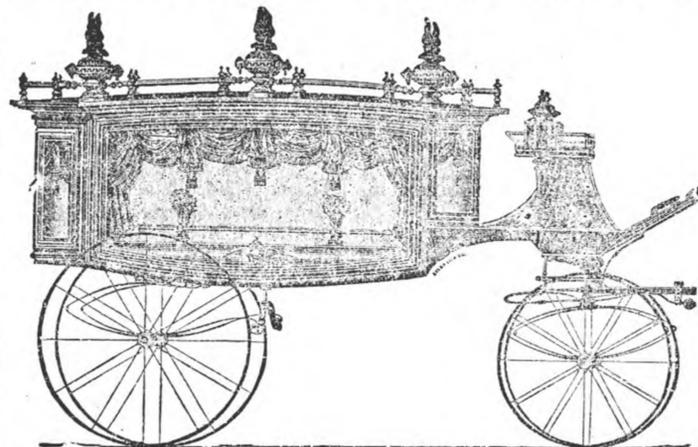
Invites your attention to the fact that he has opened in the Koontz building opposite the harness shop, a

DRUG AND GROCERY STORE.

Also has opened a grocery near the Indianapolis landing east side of the lake where he will keep a first class line of groceries and drugs.

W. S. EASTERDAY,

Furniture & Undertaking.



This is the place to get your Furniture, Chairs, Cupboards, Safes, Writing Desks, Stands, Tables, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Bed Springs, Mattresses, Couches, Sofas, Easels, Mirrors, Picture Frames and Mouldings, and a fine line of Rockers for the old and young.

Do not forget the place.

MAIN STREET.

CULVER CITY, IND.

HAYS & SON,

PROPRIETORS OF

Feed, Livery and Sale Stable.

CULVER, INDIANA.

First class Horses, buggies and vehicles of every description. Can stable from 50 to 75 horses and shelter a number of buggies. Special attention paid to traveling men.

BARN ONE BLOCK WEST OF DEPOT.

Crack o'Doom Advertising

We don't believe in; would rather talk to you in a plain, earnest, sensible manner about the store and its doings. Your loyal support has made many things possible in this business, without it success would have been impossible.

Some Dress Goods Reductions.

A shortened profit is a quick way to make shelf room. Certain lots of high grade spring dress fabrics have received marching orders. It pays to take a wise loss occasionally. The saving is yours.

30-inch Spring Checks 10c,

... former 15c grade.

44-inch Brocade now 25c,

... the 30c grade.

50-inch Black Serge only 47c.

Big Shirt Waist Eent.

We lead the procession in shirt waist selling. Want to start the season right, and to that end shall offer some opening values in these garments that will make this one of the memorable events in the store's history. The big purchases will be already for you to pick from when you read this.

Percale and Dimity Waists at 25c. Lot of Detachable White and Colored Waists only 50c,

... the 75c grade.

Lots of others at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.

Our Basement makes Special price on all wares, positively cheaper than elsewhere:

Pins 1c. Carpet Tacks 1c. Safety Pins 3c. Basting Thread 2c.

10 bars Lenora Soap for 25c. Best soap on the market.

Buttermilk Soap only 5c a cake, and many other great bargains

Kloepfer's New-York Store.

PLYMOUTH, IND.

City Locals.

The Bay View hotel opened this week with Horace Hanes, of Indianapolis, as manager.

The Lake View hotel opened last Monday with J. B. Schofield, manager and J. T. Weaver, clerk.

C. H. Brownell and wife, of Peru, are registered at the Lake View, and D. W. Lewis, of Mentone.

E. F. Dalley & Son, of Richmond, Ind., have been at Culver Park the past week, and have taken "snapshots" of the cadets in many positions also various scenes of the Academy and surroundings, which are beautiful and speak well of the skill of these celebrated Photographers.

Mr. H. M. Hayes and daughter, of Bement, Ill., are visiting Mr. Abram Hayes and family, of this place.

Henry Zechel made Knox a visit last Friday.

Miss Della Miller, of La Porte visited Dr. Wiseman and family last week.

There will be an excursion here from Lafayette next Sunday.

The State National Bank at Logansport has been reorganized, and will again open up for business in said town in the very near future.

C. C. Beaber opened up his saloon at this place upon the 7th inst.

David Hauk, Jr., made Knox a visit last Friday. He attended the dredge ditch trial.

A clean town adds to the comfort and convenience of its citizens. It is an advertisement for the place worth much more than the cost of cleaning. It creates a favorable impression upon strangers; it attracts population and adds to the taxable wealth of the place. A clean town pays the biggest kind of dividends because it prevents disease and promotes business.

Ask agents about Sunday Outings on the Nickel Plate Road. Parties of five or more can go anywhere on the Nickel Plate Road not to exceed one hundred miles at a round trip rate of \$1.00. 45w3.

An eastern editor says a man in New York got himself into trouble by marrying two wives. A western editor replies that a good many have done the same thing by marrying one. A northern editor says that quite a number of his acquaintances found trouble through barely promising to marry and not going any farther. A southern editor says a friend of his was bothered enough when he was simply in company with another man's wife.

Get particulars from agents regarding \$1.00 excursion tickets offered for sale by the Nickel Plate Road on Sundays, to parties of five or more. 45w3.

Frank Lampson will soon commence the erection of a horse barn upon the Palmer Horse grounds. He will have it so arranged that he can accommodate his friends who visit him from Argos, Plymouth and other places, by taking proper care of their horses.

On Sundays, parties of five or more can go anywhere and return within one hundred miles on the Nickel Plate Road for \$1.00 for the round trip. Ask agents. 45w3.

C. C. Beaber has erected a very handsome and commodious beer garden in the rear of his saloon.

A list of country homes along the south shore of lake Erie open to summer borders will be mailed to any one enclosing a two cent stamp to B. F. Horner, General Passenger Agent of the Nickel Plate Road, Cleveland, Ohio. 45w10.

Mr. A. W. Jones who was a resident of this city some twenty-eight years ago, and popularly known as "Wash" Jones was in this city Monday calling on the Medbourn's, Duddleson's, Wiseman's and other old citizens. He is a resident of Dunkirk, Ohio, in the employ of the Pennsylvania R'y Co., at that place and was much surprised at the changes which the years have wrought in this city and its surroundings. The Editor did not have the pleasure of meeting Mr. J. personally but is informed by the few old residents still living here that he is the same old "Wash," only changed in those things for which the lapse of years and the mutations of time are responsible. He returned to his home in Ohio, Tuesday.

The election of county superintendent of schools occurred the fore-part of the week.

Piles play pranks with all people. Dr. Agnew's Pile Ointment calls a halt on them and cures them in all forms. Blind, bleeding and protruding piles speedily cured and itching piles relieved in ten minutes. Price 50 cents at Culver City Drug Co.

A good square meal at Avery's restaurant 25c. One block west of depot.

FOR SALE.—House and lot for sale, situated on Main street, suitable for hotel or boarding house. Terms very reasonable. Inquire at this office. 39tf

J. K. MAWHORTER.
TINNER.
 All kinds of Roofing and Eave Troughing promptly attended to.
Cleaning and Repairing Gasoline Stoves a Specialty.
 Terms Reasonable.
CULVER CITY, - - - IND.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

This stock must be closed out at once. Buy your clothing new—and here. A guaranteed saving on every purchase—no matter how small. Special inducements in

Mens' Youths and Boys' Clothing, Working Pants, Straw Hats,

Working Shirts, Negligee Shirts with Laundered Colars and Cuffs.

Summer Underwear; Telescopes.

J. C. KUHN & SON,
 PLYMOUTH, IND

BALL & CARABIN.
 "Always Up-To-Date."
Highest Quality! Lowest Prices!

MANY FIRMS seem to think a good reputation is something their customers should pay a high price for. As soon as an enviable reputation is acquired, the price of goods is advanced and the cream skimmed as long as it risks. But it doesn't always keep on rising. Our policy has always been to advance the quality and at the same time cheapen the cost. And we have been successful, too.

On Readymade Clothing!
 we are making very close prices.
 Fine Tailor-made Pants \$4 & \$4.25.
 35c Ties only 19c.
 Big line of Splendid Corsets at 25c.

Don't sleep away your opportunities! Make the most of a great chance while it lasts. ←
 100 doz. 40c Black Hose only 25c.
 Fast Black Hose 5c.
 Gents' Sox 3c.
 Big and Little Suspenders only 10c.
 Percale Shirts only 25c.
 White Unlaundried Shirts only 25c.
 Negligee Shirts only 33c.
 Splendid Line of of Shirt Waists 25c.

If you are disposed to practice economy, good goods at lowest prices will not discourage its practice. The late season causes us to break ALL FORMER RECORDS. ←
 10c Striped Chambray Gingham, 5c.
 25c Organdie Lawms only 15c.
 10c Imprime Dimity only 63c.
 15c French Gingham only 10c.
 Extra quality Checked Gingham 4c.
 63c Challies only 37c.

We have not discovered the North Pole, but have solved the problem of selling the right kind of goods at the right prices.
Ball & Carabin.
 PLMOUTH, IND.

He Leads Them All.

Positively the Largest and most Select Line of Furniture in the county.



Sewing Machines of every grade repaired and Sundries furnished for the same.

BICYCLE REPAIRING one of the great Specialties.
Undertaking AND Embalming are the leading features of this establishment. Calls promptly attended night or day.
DON'T MISS THE PLACE.
A. B. Wickizer.
 PRICES AT ROCK BOTTOM. ARGOS, IND.

GROCERIES.

I have the Freshest Stock of Groceries ever brought to Culver City, and we are selling them so cheaply that they do not have a chance to become stale. Our stock of Canned Goods is selected from the very best brands on the market.

QUEENSWARE.

I have on exhibition an immense line of Queensware of every style and pattern to select from. All going at hard-time prices.

STATIONERY.

I have a fine lot of Fancy Stationery, Pencils, Pens, Inks, Writing Tabs, Etc., and when it comes to low prices we've got all kinds of 'em, too.

SMOKERS.

Users of Tobacco in any form know that we have the largest and finest assortment of Pipes, Tobaccos and Cigars, etc., ever shown in Culver City.

H. J. MEREDITH.

Going to California. ←

Having fully decided to move to California I will close out my stock of Shoes at retail for cost and less. Cost for New Goods and the Old Ones for what they will bring.

Remember the Stock is brim full of New Spring Goods bought before I decided to move away. It is seldom that

High Grade Shoes, such as you know we have always kept, can be had at such a Sacrifice. For cash only, no goods charged.

C. H. BAKER,
 Plymouth, Ind.

There was a little man
 Who had a little gun
 He went out one day for to
 Shoot! Shoot! Shoot!

But it wasn't at game
 At which he took aim
 But the clothier who sold him his
 Suit! Suit! Suit!

Mad--because he found out he'd paid \$15 for the identical suit he could get of us for \$8.50; fancy worsfed suit, dandiest in Town.

We are making a special sale for the next 15 days of 500 men's spring and summer suits at \$7.50 and \$10.00 that you can't duplicate anywhere under \$12.50 to \$10.00.

Call and see that we have exactly what we advertise.

M. LAUER & SON,
 Plymouth's Hustling Clothiers.

FRUIT GOES TO WASTE

STRAWBERRIES ARE SO CHEAP GROWERS QUIT PICKING.

Farmers Stop Picking the Berries Because of Low Prices—Lose Money on Their Shipments—Confederate Address Slaps at Grand Army Men.

50 Cents a Crate in Chicago. A Chicago paper is authority for the statement that there are tons of choice berries going to waste. Strawberry raising this season has been the most expensive luxury a fruit grower ever indulged in.

That leaves him little enough at \$1. But he has had to take 50 cents, and add to it the 41 cents a crate before he got out at all. He gave up everything, and put up about as much more in cash.

GIVES GRAND ARMY MEN A SLAP.

Confederate Veterans Asked to Ignore Them During the Reunion.

A lively breeze has been created at Montgomery, Ala., by the passage by Camp Pellam, United Confederate Veterans, at Anniston, Ala., of resolutions calling on Confederates in the South to ignore Federal veterans during the Confederate reunion at Nashville.

STRUNG UP BY A MOB.

Ravisher Miller Lynched by Furious Urbana, Ohio, Citizens.

A mob at Urbana, O., took "Glick" Mitchell, a colored man, from jail and lynched him Friday morning. An attempt to do this at 1:30 in the morning had been repelled by the sheriff and the local militia company.

Athletes of the Diamond.

Table with 2 columns: Club Name, Standing. Includes Baltimore, Cincinnati, Boston, Pittsburgh, New York, Cleveland.

The showing of the members of the Western League is summarized below:

Table with 2 columns: Club Name, Standing. Includes St. Paul, Milwaukee, Indianapolis, Columbus.

Cuba's Flag in Iowa.

The small town of Farragut, in the southwestern part of Iowa, has been greatly aroused to the sense of Cuban patriotism by an original drama, "Cuba Libre," given by the graduating class of the public school.

HELD FOR WIFE MURDER.

Chicago Sausage Maker Must Await Action of Grand Jury.

Adolph L. Luetgert, the Chicago sausage manufacturer, who is charged with murdering his wife and destroying the body in a vat of chemicals, was held to the grand jury Tuesday afternoon by Justice Kersten.

ROCKED BY MOTHER EARTH.

Many Cities Shaken by a Severe Seismic Disturbance.

Cincinnati was visited by an earthquake on Monday. Precisely at 1 o'clock, in different portions of the city, the vibrations were so plainly felt that typesetters engaged upon the seventh floor of newspaper offices were so startled that they left their work and ran to the floors below.

GERMAN PYTHIANS ARE UPHELD.

Michigan Supreme Court Decides a Case in Their Favor.

The Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, met a setback in the Michigan Supreme Court in the attempt to restrain the Improved Order of Knights of Pythias from using the jewels and ritual of the order.

Senate Is Defied.

In the case of John E. Searles, the sugar trust witness, Judge Bradley ordered the jury to bring in a verdict of acquittal, holding that the questions asked the witness by the Senate Committee were not pertinent, and, if so, were not within the jurisdiction of the committee.

Foul Crime in Ohio.

In a hand-to-hand fight to defend himself, Isaac Hill of Farmington, fifteen miles from Warren, O., was murdered Sunday morning by three masked men. The men entered the farm house occupied by Hill and his aged mother, and after tying the latter hand and foot began searching the house.

Memorial Day.

Observance of Memorial Day was general throughout the country, and everywhere the exercises were of impressive character. Pleasant weather prevailed at most places, and in most instances the affairs of the day were under direction of the G. A. R.

Receiver for Libby Museum.

Stewart Spalding was appointed receiver under foreclosure proceedings against the Libby War Museum Association of Chicago.

CRANK AFTER REED.

THREATENING LETTER RECEIVED BY THE SPEAKER.

Anonymous Missive Threatened Assassination—Rout of Formosa Rebels—Steamer Dauntless Is Again in Trouble—Insane Father's Awful Deed

Would Slay the Speaker.

The Washington detectives have fixed upon an eccentric young man named Monroe as the party who wrote a threatening letter to Speaker Reed, in which it was strongly intimated that if he did not change his policy and permit certain legislation to be enacted he would be killed.

DOING SUSPICIOUS BUSINESS.

Cruiser Marblehead Finds an Alleged Filibuster.

The cruiser Marblehead, under instructions to intercept a filibustering expedition reported to be organizing off Miami on the east coast of Florida, successfully accomplished her mission. The Dauntless of Jacksonville, which is alleged to have just returned from landing her second installment of arms and ammunition in Cuba within the last two weeks, was apprehended by the Marblehead while the alleged filibuster was taking aboard another cargo from the steamer Biscayne of New River Inlet, about twenty-five miles above Miami.

RUSSIA DOMINATES IN COREA.

Forces Acceptance of Her Officers as Instructors.

According to mail advices another crisis is precipitated in Korean affairs by the action of Russia in virtually forcing the acceptance of her officers as instructors after the Cabinet had decided to abandon the proposal.

Spanish Cabinet Resigns.

Premier Canovas del Castillo and his conservative cabinet are out of office in Spain. The Queen Regent Wednesday night accepted the resignations, which were offered in the morning, and the destinies of Spain and of Cuba will be in new hands.

Wants to Patent His Air Ship.

Ferris D. Toucey of Duluth, engineer of the first National Building and a brother of General Manager Toucey of the New York Central road, will make application for patents on an airship in a few weeks.

Insane Father's Deed.

Edgar Harris, a Baltimore letter-carrier, shot and killed his 12-year-old son George and his daughter Ada, wounded his daughter Ella, aged 14, and then turned the pistol on himself.

Four Children Meet Death.

At 8 o'clock Sunday evening a spring wagon driven by Henry Marsau, a carpenter at Denver, and containing eight children ranging in age from 3 to 9 years, was struck by a special train on the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad, and as a result four of the children are dead.

Great Crop in Kansas.

Kansas will produce over 40,000,000 bushels of wheat this year. From every section of the State the most flattering reports are received. Many fields are ready for the harvest in the southern sections, where the crop is six feet high.

Back in the Harness.

John G. Carlisle, ex-Secretary of the Treasury, has opened a law office in New York City.

SMEDLEY IS A VICTOR.

Calumet Club Rider First in Associated Road Race at Chicago.

W. D. Smedley, of the Calumet Cycling Club, whom some of the ambitious cracks called "papa" at the start, because he is 51 years old, made a twirling trail of dust ahead of them all the way from Wheeling to the finish in Garfield Park, winning the eleventh annual road race of the Associated Cycling Clubs of Chicago from the limit, 15 minutes, in 1:07:04 2-5.

WAITING ON THE TARIFF.

Business Hesitates Because of Work at Washington.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "People are actually doing more business than they realize. They reckon by values, but these are much lower than in any previous year of prosperity and leave little margin for profits. In quantity there is almost as much business being done as in the years of greatest prosperity, and though the increase in population would call for a material expansion the comparison is not discouraging."

Objects to Dr. Angell.

The Turkish Government has made formal objection to receiving Dr. Frank B. Angell of Michigan as minister from the United States, according to a Washington dispatch to the New York Sun. It is said the porte does not want as the diplomatic representative of this country a man who is in close touch and sympathy with the Christian missionary element in the Sultan's domain and strongly disapproves of the action of the porte in the Armenian massacres.

Nine Persons Were Killed.

The official report of the disaster at the cathedral at Pisa, Italy, upon the occasion of the unveiling of an image of the virgin, when a candle fell, setting fire to the building and causing a panic, shows that nine persons were killed and twenty-one others seriously injured.

Will Fight Bequest to Yale.

The will of William Lamson, the Leroy, N. Y., banker who left nearly \$1,000,000 to Yale University, will be contested by Mrs. Laura Ann Brooks of St. Paul, an aged aunt, who is the last of kin of the first degree surviving the testator.

Boiler Factory Burned.

At Warren, O., the boiler works were badly damaged by fire early Sunday morning. The loss, about \$6,000, is covered by insurance. The proprietors will erect a temporary building at once, and hope to resume operations in ten days.

Entire Family Killed.

J. W. Roberts, with his wife and two children, was struck by an Illinois Central north-bound passenger train at Alma, Ill., and all were instantly killed. They were driving in a wagon.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.50 to \$5.50; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, red, 68c to 69c; corn, No. 2, 23c to 24c; oats, No. 2, 17c to 18c; rye, No. 2, 33c to 34c; butter, choice creamery, 14c to 15c; eggs, fresh, 7c to 9c; potatoes, per bushel, 15c to 30c; broom corn, common growth to choice green hurl, \$25 to \$70 per ton.

SENATE AND HOUSE.

WORK OF OUR NATIONAL LAW-MAKERS.

A Week's Proceedings in the Halls of Congress—Important Measures Discussed and Acted Upon—An Impartial Resume of the Business.

The National Solera.

For the first time in many years a member of the United States Senate was Saturday afternoon directed to take his seat as a result of statements made in debate. The Senator who offended was Mr. Morgan, of Alabama, and the man who called him to order was Senator Hale, of Maine.

The Senate made good progress on the tariff bill Tuesday, advancing to the important metal schedule. During the day the paragraphs covering marble and stone, china, glass, brick and tiles were completed, with a few minor exceptions.

The Senate Wednesday made greater progress on the tariff bill than in any day since the debate opened, completing more than half of the important metal schedule. Early in the day Mr. Tillman of South Carolina secured the adoption of a resolution directing the Judiciary Committee to inquire into the recent decisions against the South Carolina dispensary law, with a view to reporting such legislation as might be desirable.

The Senate again made good progress on the tariff bill Thursday, covering about ten pages of the metals schedule and almost completing it. The House proceedings were enlivened by the attempt of Mr. Terry (Dem.) of Arkansas to secure consideration, as a privileged matter, of a resolution for the immediate appointment of the committee on foreign affairs.

The Senate had a period of speech making Friday, and as a result little progress was made on the tariff bill. The advance covered about two pages or seven paragraphs, and brought the Senate up to the wool schedule, the first item of which was considered but not completed.



Turnbull painted the four best historical pictures in the Capitol rotunda.

The state, war and navy building was begun in 1871 and cost \$10,000,000 to complete.

The hall of the House of Representatives is the largest assembly room in the world.

The Congress of the United States has met annually in Washington since Nov. 17, 1800.

The Crawford bronze door of the Senate wing weighs 14,000 pounds and cost nearly \$57,000.

A marble column surmounted by a statue of Lincoln stands in front of the district courthouse.

The new naval observatory at Washington is one of the finest scientific plants in the world.

General Winfield Scott fathered the soldiers' home, which was established by Congress in 1857.



New York correspondence:

JUST at this time the best indication to be had of what is to be stylish in dressy gowns for summer comes in the costumes of those fashionable women who have already deserted the town. To most women it would seem like forcing the season to get away to country or shore by the first of May, but it is not so to those who do it, and so the millions who cannot have an outing much before July have a good chance to profit by the fashions set by more fortunate ones. It is noticeable in the fine array of gowns already provided for these lucky women that the pretty dancing gowns are made with the neck cut out very slightly, or if greater cut-out is wanted there the shoulders are bared, but the line is kept modestly high at the neck. When the time comes for receptions at the swell yacht and country clubs it will be found that this rule holds good, though the variety of gowns worn at



THE NEWEST USE FOR SUMMER SILKS.

such functions is considerable. Many of the swagger women make the trip to the yacht clubhouse in private launch or yacht, and such will appear in yachting dress, white flannel, serge or broadcloth made according to some distinctly sailor man fashion. Other women, leading in such a rig, will shift to a more or less elaborate reception rig, appearing as daintily dressed as do the women spending the summer at the resort centering about the club, silks, satins, organdies, etc., being all right. In to-day's first picture there is seen a handsome dress for one of these receptions, and though of bright colored satin and made with considerable elaboration, it will not signify that its wearer did not take off a simple blue



A NOVEL DRAPERY OF LACE.

serge sailor rig to put it on. Its skirt was pink and white satin, the stripes running up and down, and the bodice had yoke, collar and sleeves of tucked pink satin. Below the yoke the bodice

simulated a very deep bodice belt, bows of pink satin ribbon held by small gold buckles ornamenting the front. Inexpensive copying of the outdoor



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costumes of these advanced fashionables will not be easy of accomplishment, for they are only birds of gay plumage, but the feathers come high. They are taking to silks to a greater extent than the winter prophets allowed, perhaps because tailor gowns were so plentiful in the early spring. The artist puts in the second illustration a sample of the outdoor gowns they'll don. Skirt and sleeves were mouse-gray silk poplin, and the blouse waist was plaid taffeta showing a gray ground with stripes of black, cerise and steel blue. Cream satin gave collar and belt, being appliqued with black in the former, and the ruffles on skirt and waist were of wide cream satin ribbon striped with black and cerise. Fancy buttons were put at the left side of the blouse, and white chiffon ruffles finished neck and wrists. Completing the costume were a rakish black straw hat trimmed with gray plumes, cerise ribbon and red popples, and a parasol of the dress goods finished with a deep ruffle of white chiffon and lace.

Cashmere is unquestionably stylish for outdoor wear, and it has a greater attraction for women of moderate means than silks have, but there's small comfort in the way well-to-do women employ it. Evidence of this fact comes in the next sketch, for in this gown only the skirt was cashmere, in a silver-gray shade, the dainty



NO PROBLEMS OF FITS HERE.

bodice being white liberty silk covered with white mousseline de soie. This was gathered at neck and waist and trimmed with a narrow and wide ruffle of delicate white lace, the seam hidden by arabesques of gray velvet.

Though the fourth pictured gown was taken from as elaborate a wardrobe as those previously described, it offers a good degree of encouragement to those who would take instruction from it. It was in a bright red silk and wool material, the modified bell skirt slightly trained, and the bodice finished with a yoke and collar of white satin appliqued in gilt with which the sleeve caps were one. Tight in back, the bodice was gathered full in front, the deep pleats coming to a point at the yoke. An accordion-pleated lace ruching finished the neck, and lace ruchings trimmed the slashed cuffs. Though the red of this fabric was bright, it was not of the shrieking sorts that are often seen nowadays. These terrifying shades are permitted, but their license won't last long, for new reds are appearing that are to be strongly commended. Copyright, 1897.

INDIANA INCIDENTS.

RECORD OF EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK.

Bloomfield Greatly Exercised Over the Mysterious Death of Grant Heath—Love-sick Boy Takes His Own Life—Wheelmen Too Numerous at Fires.

Dark Mystery at Bloomfield. The little town of Bloomfield, the county seat of Greene County, is excited over the mysterious death of Grant Heath, a business man of that place. Saturday morning Mr. Heath was at his store and told his partner, Mr. Lehman, that he had been ill all the night before and felt very badly. He died Saturday night in great agony, saying that he had been poisoned. Mrs. Heath, wife of the deceased, was taken violently ill Sunday. Heath was a healthy and vigorous man of 27 years. He sat down to dinner Friday, and after drinking a cup of coffee complained of its bitterness, whereupon he was given another cupful by his wife, but no one else drank of it. The body of Heath has been exhumed and traces of arsenic have been found in the stomach. Neighbors of the Heaths entertain strong suspicions against certain persons, and officers fear that developments in the case may lead to a lynching.

Fire Alarms Abandoned. As a measure of safety the Indianapolis Fire Commissioners were compelled to shut off the ringing of bells and sounding of fire alarms, and hereafter dependence will be placed upon gongs in the several fire houses. The cause lay in the habit of bicyclers, who have been making a mad plunge for the scene of activity every time a fire alarm was sounded, endangering not only themselves, but seriously interfering with the firemen in the quick answering of calls. Early the other evening fully 1,000 bicyclers, male and female, clustered on a street leading to a fire, and there were numerous minor casualties.

Seeks Relief in Suicide. Harry Phillips, of Indianapolis, 20 years old, having been teased and tormented by his associates, who pretended that a rival had supplanted him in the esteem of Miss Nettie Huffman, placed her photograph by his own Friday, and after looking at both intently suddenly shot himself through his lung near the heart. The wound is mortal. The shooting was done in his room, almost in the presence of his mother. The young man was a general favorite, the son of H. B. Phillips.

All Over the State. Charles McDowell, aged 16 years, has disappeared from his Elkhart home and foul play is suspected.

At Brazil, Frank Clary, aged 28, was instantly killed while out hunting. In climbing a fence his gun was discharged.

James Six, of Logansport, has been arrested for having seven wives. And they actually propose to punish him further.

Miss Ola Brown has brought suit against Grier F. Gemmill of Pennville for \$25,000 damages for breach of marriage contract.

At South Bend Jacob Reyniers, aged 61, made three unsuccessful attempts at suicide owing to despondency over being unemployed.

The Pennsylvania Railroad depot at Center has disappeared. Three years ago fire destroyed the station, postoffice, express offices, telegraph office and all the business houses of the village. The depot was not rebuilt, the company having used a box car for a ticket office ever since. The residents objected to the old car for a depot, and a few nights ago the old shack disappeared altogether from sight. To emphasize their indignation the villagers filed an affidavit against the company for failing to provide accommodations for waiting passengers. The magistrate fined the corporation \$20 and costs.

The Rowland Zeigler Oil Company has disposed of its heavy holdings in the Indiana oil field to the Standard Oil Company, the consideration being close to a quarter of a million dollars. The holdings of the company selling out consisted of a thousand acres of leases, over one hundred producing wells, and a large amount of valuable drilling machinery. The Rowland company was one of the earliest operators in the field. It began poor, but persevered despite low prices and made many lucky strikes, taking 90,000 barrels of oil from one pool. The Standard is after the holdings of several other large producers operating in the Indiana territory.

Muncie officers are notified by responsible persons that a party of gypsies fed the remains of one of their infant children to a pet bear near Daleville. The informant says such deeds are commonly practiced by the gypsies.

Adam Crisse, an Anderson veteran, has been granted a small pension. It comes too late. He died two weeks ago in poverty, being physically disabled by war service. He lived in hopes of getting this recognition from the Government.

Fifteen years ago Sarah Bass, the wife of Leonard Bass, a prosperous farmer near Shelbyville, was taken suddenly and violently insane. Her relatives had her taken to an asylum, with the hopes that she would soon be restored, but her case seemed hopeless. A few days ago the husband was taken suddenly ill and died. Friends who went to town for an undertaker and to bring home the family mail found in the postoffice a letter from the long-absent mother, who wrote to her husband and children that she was authorized to say she would be released and return home that day. Not until she arrived home and was surrounded by her three children, a son and two daughters, was the news of her husband's death imparted. The blow was more than the unfortunate woman could endure and she again became unmanageable and will have to be returned to the asylum.

THEY HEAR M'KINLEY.

Merchants of Two Continents Listen to the President.

The commercial museums were formally opened at Philadelphia Wednesday by President McKinley, who presided during the attending exercises at the American Academy of Music. He delivered a speech in response to Mayor Warwick's address of welcome, and then at night, in a notable banquet held at the Bourse, which celebrated the tenth anniversary of the Manufacturers' Club of Philadelphia, as well as the opening of the commercial museums, the President delivered an impromptu address.

The ceremonies, which were most impressive and interesting, were given an added importance by the distinguished character of the assemblage. Besides the President and his party, including the members of his cabinet and the foreign ministers, the guests included the delegates attending as representatives of their countries from South America, Central America, Mexico and even more distant points.

The banquet was probably the most notable ever given on this continent. It was notable not only in point of numbers, nearly 1,500 persons participating, but in the distinction of the chief guests. Besides President McKinley there were seated at the table of honor Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, Attorney General McKenna, Congressman Dingley, Dalzell, Grosvenor, Heatwole and Tawney; the ministers from Mexico, Brazil, Chili, Argentina, Venezuela and other South American governments; the Chinese minister, and a number of other eminent officials from the capital.

The hall in which the dinner was held covers an entire block in area. It was gorgeous with light and color. Enseoned in a compartment formed by walls of flags at one end of the hall was the Marine Band, under Director Fanciulli, which alternated with the Germania Orchestra, stationed at the other end. To avoid undue delay in reaching the toasts, the serving of the banquet was promptly begun.

GOVERNMENT CROP BULLETIN.

Week Generally Cool and Conditions Unfavorable.

The following crop and climate bulletin for the week has been issued from the Chicago office of the weather bureau:

Illinois—Week generally unfavorable, but no material damage by light frosts. Some corn still being planted, also little replanting, but cultivation general, although too cold for good germination and growth. Wheat heading short and much cheat; oats, pastures and meadows generally good; clover cutting this week in southern section. Fruits generally very promising. Strawberries still being marketed in large quantities.

Wisconsin—Week cold and dry, with heavy frosts. Ice formed in central and west counties, but special reports indicate damage to fruit and other crops comparatively slight. Corn planting about completed. Oats, barley and promising well. Winter rye heading and promising well.

Michigan—Weather favorable for rye, meadows, pastures and field work, but too cold for much growth of other vegetation and germination of corn. Cold, wet ground has rotted some corn, causing considerable replanting, while oats come up slow and look yellow. Several frosts, but damage light. Corn planting nearing completion. Potato planting well started.

Minnesota—Cool weather and deficient rainfall have retarded grass and truck. Early sown wheat standing well, late sown small grain and tobacco requiring necessities. Corn caused by defective seed. Hay prospects good. Insects injuring plums and apples. Damage by frosts slight.

Iowa—Week cool and cloudy, with deficient rainfall, except scattering localities. Corn planting practically completed and cultivation generally well. Late sown tobacco and other reports indicated. Conditions more favorable for grass, oats and wheat than for corn.

Indiana—Little rain fell and continued cool weather, with light frost; too cool for corn, which comes up yellow. Wheat, rye, oats and clover continue in promising condition. Meadows and pastures large hay crops. Tobacco plants are being set out.

Nebraska—Cold weather has caused corn to germinate and grow slowly, but has been favorable for grass, rye, wheat and oats. Rye in bloom. Winter wheat heading. Small grain in southwestern counties suffering from drought. Some damage from frosts in northern counties.

Ohio—Several frosty nights; no special damage. Wheat, oats, rye, pastures, clover, timothy, potatoes and tobacco on drained soil made some progress, but cool, cloudy weather checked proper growth of all vegetation. Corn and tobacco planting continues. Corn slow some yellowing, many fields to be replanted. Rye heading. Strawberries ripening; some picked. Blackberries blossoming. Tree fruits are dropping badly. Potato bugs plentiful.

ALTGELD IS ACCUSED.

Former Illinois Governor Blamed for Globe Bank Crash.

Startling assertions in regard to former Governor Altgeld are made in the report of the special Senate committee which investigated the misappropriation of the University of Illinois funds by Charles W. Spalding, late of the Globe Savings Bank of Chicago.

The charge is made that Mr. Altgeld was a very large borrower from the bank at the time Spalding became the university treasurer, and that he was a large borrower during his entire term as Governor. When the bank went down Mr. Altgeld, the report charges, was in debt to it, while his Unity Building collateral was worth only 50 cents on the dollar and his Ogden Gas stock collateral had no commercial value.

The declaration is made that the bank was practically insolvent in 1892 and that this must have been known to Mr. Altgeld as well as to Mr. Spalding. Further, it is found that Mr. Altgeld, when elected Governor, was both a stockholder and director in the Globe Bank, and as such should have had knowledge of its precarious condition. Then the report adds, "the committee believes he was acquainted with its condition."

FULTON LOSES THE WOODMEN.

Head Camp at Dubuque Orders Headquarters to Rock Island.

At the national convention of Modern Woodmen in Dubuque, the headquarters were ordered removed from Fulton to Rock Island in sixty days. It was decided to hold the next head camp at Kansas City. Charges of the misappropriation of funds made against the head officers were not considered by the convention. The law prohibiting membership to liquor dealers was so amended as not to affect those in the order before such legislation was enacted.

SETTLERS IN DANGER.

CHEYENNE INDIANS START ON THE WARPATH.

Rumors that at Least a Dozen White Men Have Been Killed—Further Slaughter Likely to Follow if Troops Do Not Interfere.

Cheyennes in Revolt. The Cheyenne Indians have gone on the war path in Montana and are said to have killed almost a dozen men, including five United States soldiers. The Indians have no reservation, but roam over the southern part of the State. The white settlers are up in arms and the women and children are being sent into the northern towns for safety.

The Cheyennes make the Lame Deer agency their headquarters. Hoover, a sheep herder, was recently shot by Indians while herding sheep. He was killed because he caught several Indians killing sheep. This so incensed the stockmen that they have armed themselves and will fight to protect their homes, help and stock. Two companies of colored cavalry from Custer were ordered to the agency Wednesday, and Saturday a courier arrived from the agency with the information that George Walters, the postmaster, and Lou Alderson, a stockman, had been shot and killed; also that the Indians had shot into the cavalry and killed five men and had sixty armed cowboys surrounded. The cavalry from Fort Keogh and Company E of the infantry left for the scene. There are certainly grounds for fear. The Cheyennes are determined and they are being re-enforced by renegade Crows. Rosebud ranchers received a consignment of rifles and ammunition at this point. Settlers have moved all their families from near the reservation.

Ranchmen and stockmen have organized at Cheyenne agency and demand the Indians who killed Hoover. The names of the Indians are known and they are protected by fifty bucks. Sheriff Gibbs and Coroner Bateman have returned from



INDIAN COUNTRY IS SHADED.

Barringer's ranch, in the neighborhood of which the inquest was held on the body of Hoover. The verdict was that he came to his death by two shots fired by Cheyenne Indians.

While the inquest was proceeding sixty men under Legislator James Brown arrived on their way to the agency. The Sheriff pleaded with them to return and told them sixty of them against 400 or 500 Indians armed and such fighters as the Cheyennes are would be helpless. The Sheriff learned that the crime was committed by three of the band led by White Bull, who said a day or so previous that his heart was bad; that he wanted to eat white man's heart. The agent said that he knew one of the murderers, and thought with a little time they could find the others, would arrest them, and turn them over to the civil authorities with what evidence they had. He had requested a sufficient force of soldiers to surround the Indians, and said he would cut off rations till the murderers were turned over. The Sheriff and committee went back to the main body, which had been augmented by twenty men from the Rosebud, and made report. Though there was much dissatisfaction at the turn affairs had taken, they agreed to disperse for two weeks to allow the agent time to make the arrest. If not then done the original plan of attacking the Indians is to be carried out. The women have been gathered at several ranches for protection under a guard of ten or twelve men in each instance.

Gen. Carlos Aguirre.



The Cuban leader who was dragged to death tied to the tail of a horse by the Spanish soldiers.

COLDEST MAY ON RECORD.

Month Just Closed Sets a New Mark for the Weather Bureau.

Last month will go down as the coldest May on record. In the records for the last twenty-six years, beyond which time the Weather Bureau can tell us nothing, no May can be found which gave as low an average temperature by two degrees as the month just ended. The lowest record on the weather man's books for May was in 1875, when the thermometer went down to 25 degrees, but this was an exception rather than the rule. In Chicago May 1 showed a temperature of 33 degrees and the following day went only one better. These were the coldest days of the month, and May 19, when the mercury ran up to 81 degrees, was the warmest.

City Locals.

Sometime this month, a union Sunday school picnic will be held at this place. A very interesting program will be prepared.

It may not interest you at this moment, but when you are planning a trip to Chicago, Buffalo, New York or Boston, don't forget that the Nickel Plate road has a Peerless Trio of Fast Express Trains in each direction daily, and that their rates are lower than via other lines.

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Mr. Knight Culver, who has been enjoining in St. Louis, Mo., the past week on account of being ill, returned to Culver City Monday, and joined his comrades, the soldiers. We understand that Mr. H. H. Culver is slowly coming along.

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A gentleman from Indianapolis, was in town last week, making preparations to connect Culver with a long distance telephone, which will give all those who desire, an opportunity to talk with friends in cities all over the U. S. Several hotels will be supplied with a phone.

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Mr. John Porter, who has been head cook at the Culver Military Academy the past two years, we understand will be retained another year. Since the advent of himself and amiable wife, at this place, they have won the esteem and respect of a large circle of friends at Culver.

The Westfield (Ind.) News prints the following in regard to an old resident of that place: "Frank McAvoy, for many years in the employ of the U. S. A. & C. Ry. here, says: 'I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for two years or longer—never without it in my family. I consider it the best remedy of the kind manufactured. I take pleasure in recommending it.' It is specific for all bowel disorders. For sale at Culver City Drug Store.

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Mr. James Rossford of his village states that for twenty five years his wife has been a sufferer from rheumatism. A few nights ago she was in such pain that she was nearly crazy. She sent Mr. Rossford for the ointment, but he had run out of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and instead of going for the physician he went to the store and secured a bottle of it. His wife will not approve of Mr. Rossford's purchase at first but nevertheless applied the Balm thoroughly and in a few hours time was able to go to sleep. She now says: "It is whenever she feels an ache or a pain and balm that it always gives relief. He says that no medicine which she had used ever did her as much good. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale at Culver City Drug Store.—Fairmount (N. Y.) Register.

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1	1st	7:30 a. m.
2	2nd	8:00 a. m.
3	1st	8:30 a. m.
4	2nd	9:00 a. m.
5	1st	9:30 a. m.
6	2nd	10:00 a. m.
7	1st	10:30 a. m.
8	2nd	11:00 a. m.
9	1st	11:30 a. m.
10	2nd	12:00 p. m.
11	1st	12:30 p. m.
12	2nd	1:00 p. m.
13	1st	1:30 p. m.
14	2nd	2:00 p. m.
15	1st	2:30 p. m.
16	2nd	3:00 p. m.
17	1st	3:30 p. m.
18	2nd	4:00 p. m.
19	1st	4:30 p. m.
20	2nd	5:00 p. m.
21	1st	5:30 p. m.
22	2nd	6:00 p. m.
23	1st	6:30 p. m.
24	2nd	7:00 p. m.
25	1st	7:30 p. m.
26	2nd	8:00 p. m.
27	1st	8:30 p. m.
28	2nd	9:00 p. m.
29	1st	9:30 p. m.
30	2nd	10:00 p. m.

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TIME TABLE.
In effect June 21, 1896, trains will leave Culver City, Ind., as follows:
For the North.
No. 14, Ex. Sun. for St. Joseph, 7:30 a. m.
" 15, Ex. Sun. for St. Joseph, 11:30 a. m.
" 16, Ex. Sun. for South Bend, 9:30 p. m.
No. 14 has through parlor car Indianapolis to South Bend via Coffey.
No. 21 has through sleeper St. Louis to Mackinac.
For the South.
No. 18, Ex. Sun. for Terre Haute, 7:56 a. m.
" 19, Ex. Sun. for Terre Haute, 1:05 p. m.
" 20, Ex. Sun. for Terre Haute, 7:00 p. m.
No. 18 has through parlor car to South Bend to Indianapolis via Coffey.
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Boy's \$1.25 " \$1.00.
Child's 1.00 " 70c.
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