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LOCAL BREVITIES.

We have been promised wood. Who will bring us a load?

Seventy new names were added to the HERALD's subscription list last week and the end is afar off.

Frank Overmyer, of Burr Oak, has a four-year old bull that tips the beam at 2,000 lbs.

Attorney Tibbets, of Plymouth, was in Culver Monday.

Since the ice has begun to melt in old lake Maxenkuckee, several parties have received chilly baths, and it is a wonder that some of them have not been drowned. John Hosmer broke through one day last week and but for timely assistance, his spirit would now be roaming with his forefathers in the upper kingdom.

Josiah Geiselman purchased the D. G. Walter farm near Argos this week.

S. D. Laden is now agent for the Union Life Insurance Company, of Indianapolis.

For genuine sensations, Culver against the world.

It is said that there were acts performed last Saturday evening that would make sensational reading matter in the HERALD, but we forbear.

A solid train of 20 cars of Anheuser-Busch beer went east over the Nickel Plate last week Thursday. It was in bond. Its destination is Manila, P. I.

Dispatches from Chicago announce the capture of a woman burglar. Perhaps her footprints gave her away.

If you desire to know where to trade notice the advertisements in the HERALD.

Jack Wood, of Plymouth, made Culver a visit Monday.

Josiah Geiselman has purchased the Casey residence in this city. It is said that Mr. Casey contemplates moving to Tennessee.

Call and see those gent's shoes at Kuhn & Son's store in Culver.

Kuhn & Son are continually increasing their clothing stock at Culver, and now have a store that will compare favorably with any other establishment of the kind in Northern Indiana.

David and John Green, who have been spending the winter hunting in the wild and woolly west, have returned to their home near this city.

ACADEMY LOCALS.

What the Cadets Are Doing this Week.

The spring examinations begin week after next.

Target practice is held under the sheds at present instead of in the gymnasium.

The new horse that has been on trial has given entire satisfaction and no doubt will be purchased.

The mumps have about disappeared, Wilson R. being the only cadet that complains of the aching jaw.

Cadets Bodman, Sauerman, Wilson D. Maclean and Barrett have returned much improved in health after spending a few days with parents and friends at home.

During the past week several games of indoor base ball have been played. The captains have been rather loud in proclaiming their dexterity upon the diamond, consequently a game was played between teams of the captains and cadets, Tuesday, and here is where the captain met their "Waterloo" and had the conceit taken out of them to the tune of 14 to 7.

Cabbage was served for dinner Wednesday and cat fish Friday.

New regulations relative to conduct in class rooms are working very nicely, and the boys are beginning to realize that such requirements are for the betterment of all concerned, and are making praiseworthy efforts to fulfill their part of the program.

John W., son of G. W. Lawrence, of Crown Point, was admitted to the school Monday. His father is sheriff of Lake county. This makes 163 cadets enrolled. The following will show the number from the various states: Indiana, 58; Missouri, 33; Ohio, 27; Illinois, 18; Iowa, 15; Kentucky, 4; Tennessee, 3; Michigan, 2; Oklahoma, 1; Kansas, 1; Minnesota, 1; Texas, 1; Nebraska, 1; Florida, 1.

To-night (Friday) evening, Dr. P. S. Henson, of Chicago, will deliver his famous lecture on "Fools" before the cadets.

Last Friday evening, Hon. W. H. Smith, author of the history of Indiana lectured on "Manhood and Womanhood of Indiana." He is a very interesting speaker and handled his subject in a most satisfactory manner.

Next Sunday, at 11 a. m., Rev. Dr. Franklin Johnson, of the faculty of Theology of the Chicago University, will preach to the cadets.

An entertainment was given by the cadets Saturday evening: Wilson M. favored the boys with one of his par excellence violin solos; Wilson D. warbled one of his sweetest songs, Blow and McNeely E. gave an exhibition of gymnastic and acrobatic feats. The Mandolin club, composed of Voris, Thomas, Kieslehorst and Young, rendered several soul-thrilling selections. Capt. de Blumenthal, the lightning sketch artist, entertained the boys with a number of sketches from real life. His sketches of Capt. Glascock, and the one in particular depicting his awful struggle while attempting to extricate himself from the icy waters of Lake Maxenkuckee bringing forth rounds of applause. Kieslehorst gave a recitation and Rauch executed a violin solo. Capt. Kiler made a short speech concerning the athletic meet at Notre Dame.

cently. He expressed himself as being highly pleased with the courteous treatment the visitors received at the hands of Notre Dame. Cadet Grover had charge of the program, which was a decided success.

The promotions among the "Plebes" who entered last September were published on Tuesday afternoon. The existing regulations make September plebes eligible to corporals in the spring promotions, which are always made just before the spring drills commence in order to fill the vacancies which have occurred by resignation, discharge, reduction or causes since the promotions and appointments at the beginning of the term. The new corporals are Asthorpe, Lee, Bauman, Proctor, Indall, Harvey, Brooks, Blow, Valier and Stretch, and they are certainly to be congratulated, as they are the pick of as fine a set of plebes as ever entered the academy. The promotions were on a basis of grades, so many points for each recommendation, so many on discipline, and so many on voice, carriage, and aptitude for military instructions. The ten cadets aggregating in this way the largest number of points received the corporals. These ten names with fourteen others who were recommended with their various grades and the manner of tabular ascertaining these were arranged in form and posted in the reading room, and were examined by the cadets with great interest. To accustom the cadets to double rank formation. It is now arranged that at supper formation, A. & C. companies and B. & D. companies are combined so as to form two companies in double rank of regulation size. In this manner the battalion will soon learn to execute the wheeling by fours and other moments which have to be modified for the usual single rank formation adopted by the academy. Next year there is no reason why there should not be enough men to have four companies in the double rank. If every cadet would constitute himself a recruiting officer for the battalion and bring back another man with him, it could be done with men to spare.

BASE BALL SCHEDULE.

April 8th, Culver vs. Faculty of C. M. A.
" 15th, " vs. Purdue University.
" 20th, " vs. Wabash College.
" 22nd, " vs. Princeton-Yale School.
" 29th, " vs. Open.
May 6th, " vs. Lewis Institute.
" 13th, " vs. South Side Academy.
" 21st, " vs. Open.
" 27th, " vs. "
June 3rd, " vs. "
Negotiations are being made with the University of Indiana, Notre Dame and the Englewood High School of Chicago. In case we do not play Purdue on April 15th, the game will be with Ft. Wayne or Logansport High School.
The bicycle track and tennis grounds will be put in condition as soon as possible.
In his imagination, Wilson R. was corporal two days.
A school pin has been ordered.
The class of '99 has ordered a beautiful pin with class colors and '99 engraved upon it.

At several of the tables in mess hall, a novel form of rebuking cadets for violations of the rules of etiquette has been adopted. For each refraction of rules, small fines are imposed, and the proceeds used for an occasional feast. Saturday evening Capt. de Blumenthal's table groaned under the weight of a roast pig and many other delicacies. The table was decorated with the faculty colors, maroon and gold. Wednesday evening the boys at Lieut. Floyd's table enjoyed one of these spreads. The decorations consisted of "American Beauty Roses" from Terre Haute, Cuban and American flags draped from electric lights. Cavalry colors—yellow.

MENU.
Oyster Soup and Wafers.
Roman Punch.

Turkey, Saratoga Chips. Salted Almonds. Olives and Chicken Salad. Sandwiches and Coffee. Neopolitan Ice Cream and Cake.

The occasion will long be remembered, but as to its being a wise course to adopt is questioned by some, as it is feared that instead of refraining the boys from breaking the rules, it is liable to create a desire to stand a fine for the sake of the royal feast in sight.

An elegant new line of men and boy's clothing just received at Kuhn & Son's store, Culver.

It will pay you a big per cent to buy your clothing of Kuhn & Son at Culver. A very choice line of clothing have just arrived, and you should call and see them. A fit guaranteed and prices to meet all competition.

Daniel Porter, of Plymouth, is moving upon a farm south of town, which he purchased last fall.

J. C. Kuhn & Son have an excellent line of gent's shoes on exhibition at their Culver store. Every shoe warranted first class in every particular; and prices very reasonable.

Willis Casey, of Barry county, Mo., is in town visiting relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Knaeble has been quite ill, but is now convalescing.

Mrs. Catherine Brown, who has been keeping house for M. F. Mosher and family the past winter, left Tuesday for Patterson, Iowa, where she will permanently reside. She was accompanied by her children.

Frank Lanson and G. B. Taylor attended an auction near Kewanna Thursday.

St. Patrick's Day today.

Mrs. B. F. Ditmire and children are visiting friends at Plymouth.

One of Sam Asper's children is quite sick.

E. A. Poor, the tonsorial artist is in town and will remain here during the summer.

B. F. Garn moved with his family upon his farm just north of this city Wednesday. Mr. Lee Easterday, who has lived the past two years upon said farm moved into his new residence in Culver Wednesday.

Enoch Mow cried an auction near Kewanna Thursday and one near Argos today.

Call at the Lake Milling Co's mill and secure prices before selling your wheat.

Be sure to bring your wheat to the Lake Milling Co. The best of flour guaranteed and the highest market price paid for wheat.

The Lake Milling Co., is prepared to pay the highest market price for wheat. Learn their prices before going elsewhere.

We will pay a salary of \$15 per week and expenses for a man with rig to introduce our Poultry Mixture in the country. Only good hustlers wanted. Reference. Address, with stamp, Eureka Mfg. Co., 502 Mo. Ave., East St. Louis, Ill.

Died.
Jacob Kuntz, the veteran and patriot, died at his home in this city Wednesday March 15th, at 12 o'clock, aged 74 years. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, conducted under the auspices of the G. A. R. of which organization he was a member. Rev. Fraley preached an appropriate sermon. An obituary will be given of this "Grand Old Man's" life next week. He leaves a very large circle of friends to mourn their loss.

AT NIGHT.

Would that I owned the castles,
 All of my live-long days,
 Castles that rear their turrets
 There in the grate fire's blaze,
 Peopled with lads and lasses,
 None of them past sixteen—
 Age of the great romances,
 Greatest the world's ere seen.
 Lads, every one a gallant,
 Courtiers of sturdier heart
 Wedded to love and honor,
 Daring the Fates to part.
 Each lovely lass a princess—
 Princess of joy and grace—
 Gleams from a heart that's melting
 Lighting each fairy face.
 Then 'twould be worth the living—
 This life—for millions of days,
 Were but the world we live in
 That of the grate fire's blaze.

JUANITA.

A Story of Old Mexico.

The little town of San Carlos is so much like most other little Mexican towns that it hardly needs any careful description. Lying as it does in the heart of that vast wilderness of Old Mexico, a tiny patch of green on the face of the sun-scorched earth, it seems insignificant to a degree, and naturally it is not down on the map—such towns rarely are. Its few fields, bravely struggling against the heat and drought, are but sparsely watered by a little creek which flows from a ravine close by, and which seems to disappear into a thirsty earth a few hundred yards farther on. San Carlos itself is composed merely of a few gray abode houses clustered together around a square little plaza, and the remnants of what had once been a tiny chapel, built hundreds of years before by the old Spanish fathers, and still standing, a crumbling, time-worn monument to their memory.

Yet primitive as was the little town, here Juanita had lived all the happy eighteen years of her life, and right here she was contented to stay until she should be laid away beside her sleeping grandfathers and great-grandfathers in the little graveyard beside the chapel, for she loved the dear old place; and—possibly because she knew nothing of the great world beyond—she never even thought of leaving it. Then, too, there was another and still stronger reason. Her father, old Don Jose, had promised her to the son of his oldest and dearest friend, who had fought with him years before in the war with the hated Americans and who had been wounded in the battle of Cerro Gordo before the famous old City of Mexico itself. Now secretly—this was just what the young people had desired. Pedro and Juanita had grown up together from childhood. They had been constant companions, and were they not the handsomest couple in the whole broad valley? Had not Juanita all her father's lands as her dowry, which, united to those which Pedro owned, would make them the largest land owners in the village? It was certainly a most desirable match, and the two old men congratulated each other, as old men will who have seen their fondest hopes fulfilled, and emptied many a sparkling cup to the health of Pedro and his fair young bride.

But now Juanita was sorely troubled. Everything had gone along smoothly as ever until one day something had happened which bid fair to upset all their plans for the future. On a certain bright morning there had ridden up to the door of her father's hut one of a band of Americans who were prospecting in the gray mountains that lay away over to the west. He was a fine looking young fellow, and for a man who had been prospecting for two years under the fierce sun of old Mexico he was remarkably fair, and then his blue eyes had a frank expression about them which was far different from the ever-suspicious glance which characterized the men of that quaint country. He wore the usual dress of men of his occupation, loose blue flannel shirt and corduroy trousers tucked in at the top of his heavy boots, a red handkerchief knotted carelessly around his neck and huge Mexican spurs dangling from his heels.

Juanita had been standing in the little opening on the opposite side of the house and had not seen him until he was almost beside her, so that it appeared to her as if he must have suddenly sprung from Mother Earth.

Harding had seen her about the same instant she had seen him, and as he doffed his wide sombrero and asked in imperfect Spanish to see the don, unconsciously his pulse quickened. Juanita was really a very beautiful Mexican girl, by far the most beautiful creature he had seen during the whole course of his stay in that desolate arid country, and the expression on the girl's face flattered him not a little. Still he had almost forgotten her when he had finished bargaining with her father for provisions for himself and his men, which he did at last succeed in getting only at the payment of a fabulous sum, and when he turned and saw her standing where he had left her he started and would have spoken had he not felt the pierc-

ing little black eyes of Don Jose fastened upon him. As it was, the old man detected the start and ordered his daughter hastily into the house.

Ever since that time Juanita's thoughts had been in dire conflict with one another, and late that night when all was quiet in the village she had crept noiselessly into the little chapel, and, kneeling before the time-worn image of the Holy Mother, had prayed, with tears streaming down her cheeks, that she would direct her and help her to forget. But far up among the hills on the great range that overlooks San Carlos the prospector was standing alone, whistling softly to himself and gazing down into the wide plain at his feet. Some little distance behind him his companions lay sleeping, and on a flat rock which answered for a table, some one had overturned the coffee pot and a dark, oozy stream was slowly running down the side. One of the men moved a little in his sleep. Harding started and looked around at him. Then as the moon rose slowly above the peaks behind him he turned, knocked the ashes from his pipe, wrapped himself up in his blankets, and without more ado was sleeping soundly.

Nearly a week passed and the feeling of restlessness which for a time had possessed Juanita had nearly been forgotten when again Harding rode into San Carlos. Poor little Juanita! All her attempts to forget him had been in vain then, for as she saw him come into the plaza her heart gave a great bound for joy and she flushed under her olive skin to the tips of her dainty fingers. The flush suited her dark face and heightened its beauty, thought Harding, as, dismounting, he asked if Don Jose were in. As luck would have it he had gone over to see a friend, and the two fell into conversation. She was shy at first, but the evident ease of her companion finally set her last fear at rest, and when the old don did return they parted the best of friends and with an understanding that they were to meet again down by the old well hidden away in the little ravine outside the town. After an hour's talk with her father Harding again left the house and, swinging himself into the saddle, rode carelessly out toward the hills.

A mile or so from the town he made a slight change in the direction he was taking and so little by little headed for the ravine.

Just as the sun went down Harding reached the well, and after turning his pony to nibble the juicy blades of grass which grew around it, threw himself down to wait. He had been there perhaps two or three hours when the bushes were parted gently and Juanita came toward him. She had slipped away, she said, while her father and Pedro sat smoking, and had come as she had promised, but she must hurry, for the time was short and her absence would be noticed. Little by little, between questions and promises, she told him all her brief life history, of Pedro, of her father's wishes and lastly of her own new love for him, and when at last she could say no more she stood looking up at him, her eyes full of the love she had just confessed, until he took her in his arms and kissed her.

In the same instant they were startled by a sound behind them. Don Jose, his face pale with fury, stood scowling at them. Chokingly he ordered the girl away, and when she was gone he turned to Harding. "Curse you," he said, "you shall pay for this—Santa Maria! du Americano!" and disappeared as quickly as he had come.

There was no mistaking that, and the young fellow knew that if he stayed where he was his life would not be worth the waiting. His first fear was for Juanita. Loosening his revolvers in his belt, he mounted his pony and rode slowly toward San Carlos. Some moments had passed in this way and he had almost reached the mouth of the ravine, when he saw a figure coming swiftly toward him. An instant later he recognized Juanita. The poor child was almost exhausted from running.

"Go! go!" she sobbed; "they are going to follow you. Don Jose and Pedro, they will kill you if you stay! Ah no, not now," she cried, as Harding held out his arms to her, "they will find me here with you and then"—and then, as the impulse seized her, she flung herself into his arms and sobbed as if her heart would break.

She had not been a moment too soon, for even as he spoke the sound of galloping hoofs reached them, as riding furiously, their two pursuers dashed into the ravine.

With one arm supporting the trembling girl, Harding coolly unslipped his revolver and waited. The Mexicans were within thirty yards before they saw him, and then as they opened fire with their uncertain aim, he slowly raised his own weapon and pressed the trigger. With a bitter curse on his lips one of the men pitched forward from the saddle and fell to the ground. One more shot came from the remaining man before the revolver spoke again, and Harding heard a smothered cry at his side as the riderless horse plunged past him and vanished up the ravine. Then he put up his revolver and turned again to Juanita.

She was strangely quiet as she gazed up into his face and smiled. A

quickly spreading stain over her fair young breast told him the reason at a glance. That last bullet of Don Jose's had found a mark, and as the shouts of alarm reached them from the village, whither the horse had gone, the light faded slowly from Juanita's eyes and they closed forever.

For some moments Harding did not move, then he laid her gently down beneath a lonely little willow, kissed once the fair bloodless lips, and mounting his pony rode out of the ravine past the dead bodies of the two Mexicans, and with his head sunk deep on his breast turned his horse's nose toward the distant mountains, on whose summits the last beams of the waning moon still lingered.—H. A. Webster in Yale Courant.

Plant and Animal Plagues.

Quite an interesting story might be written some day about the attempts which have been made to acclimatize strange plants and animals, and then to eradicate them. There is the famous mongoose episode of Jamaica. The mongoose was introduced to kill the rats which ate the cane plantations. Having done this and multiplied very rapidly, it proceeded to kill all the snakes and lizards as well. It next attacked the birds (learning to climb trees in the process), until the poultry and wild birds disappeared. Then arose the "ticks," or chigoes, which the birds used to keep down, and the island groaned under a fresh plague. The ticks, however, finally attacked the mongoose, which began to decline; the birds began to reappear, and attacked the ticks; snakes and lizards were seen once more, and in the end the cane plantations were devastated as much as ever by rats. It is not often that we get quite such a complete history as this, or else a longer time is wanted for development. One of these plagues, that of the gypsy moth, arose from six eggs, which a collector had placed on a paper, blowing out of his window, and it has cost Massachusetts, in which this accident happened, many thousands of dollars a year ever since, whole gangs of men being organized to collect the larvae and burn them in piles. Just at the present moment the subject is engrossing the Government naturalist of Madras. Years ago some one introduced into Madras, as a good idea, the yellow-flowering cactus, or "prickly pear." Now the prickly pear has become a nuisance, and it is proposed to do a useful stroke by introducing the cochineal beetle to destroy it. Dr. Bourne, however, has grave doubts as to the result, for the right kind of cochineal refuses to flourish, and the wrong kinds threatens to become a greater nuisance than the cactus it likes to devour.—New York Times.

Struck a Bargain.

"Blank's uglier than a bear," complained one board of trade man to another recently. "What's the matter with him, anyhow?" "Haven't you heard? I'll tell you one on the quiet, but never intimate to him that you know a thing. It would be all your life's worth. You know he owns a fine home out north of the boulevard?" "Of the right, near Highland Park?" "That's the place. He has a neighbor on either side and one of them owned one of these cows that never wants to stay where she's put. She was constantly breaking into Blank's back yard, tramping the lawn to pieces, breaking the shrubbery, and using the side of the house, in lieu of a straw stack, to rub against. No fence that would not deface property would keep her out, and Blank decided that something must be done. He could not bear the idea of a neighborhood row, so he went to the owner of the cow, told him that she had become an intolerable nuisance and that he would gladly give \$20 to have her disposed of. The offer was promptly accepted, and the money paid. A morning or two later the cow was in the yard again, destroying things just as of old. Blank hunted up his neighbor and said: 'I thought you promised me to get rid of that cow at once.' 'I did and I have. Sold her to your neighbor on the other side for \$30. Pretty good deal, wasn't it; \$50 for a \$25 cow?' 'Blank's been mad enough to shoot ever since.'—Detroit Free Press.

A Curious Portrait of Charles I.

A curious picture has turned up at Birmingham, England, which reveals for the first time the astonishing fact that after the execution of Charles I. his head was neatly stitched to the body, a silk cap was placed over the flowing locks, and then the portrait of the martyred sovereign was painted in oil. This strange picture is now in the possession of Mrs. Leonard Mackay, of Birmingham. Mr. Mackay obtained the picture from the Holt family, who for years had preserved it in Ashton Hall, the family seat, near Birmingham. The portrait is pronounced an excellent likeness of the King.—New York Journal.

Cost of the Electric Wagon.

Experiments made in Paris show that an electric wagon costs forty-seven per cent. less to run than a horse wagon, and thirty-two per cent. less than a petroleum motor.

NEW INDIANA LAWS.

MOST IMPORTANT PRODUCT OF SIXTY DAYS' LEGISLATION.

The General Assembly Writes Many Good Laws Upon the Statute Books of the State—Busy Session Without Junkets or Parliamentary Delays.

Indianapolis correspondence:

The Legislature which completed its work recently was so attentive to business during the session that there was no hurry during the last days of the session. Few law-making bodies have adopted laws from which greater benefit has been expected. The reform measures are especially important to the whole State, as they completely change the methods of county and township governments. Many measures of great importance have been considered. The usual number of inconsequential bills cumbered the dockets of both bodies and the committees. It may be added that the Legislature has been impressed with the responsibility devolving upon it. It has indulged in no junkets and no day has been wasted for lack of a quorum.

The Sixty-first General Assembly passed county and township council bills after a hard fight. The councils are intended to govern the tax levies and to supervise the expenditure of public money. The power of the township trustee is restricted by the township council, and of the county commissioners and county officers by the county council. A source of great money waste has been the building of bridges by county commissioners. Some of the boards have let contracts without competitive bidding and under cover. One of the laws enacted requires specifications to be on file a certain time, open to all bidders and the public. Hereafter the public is bound to know what is being done. Another law compels county auditors to publish statements of all allowances made by judges or county commissioners.

Other laws relating to township government and of special interest to the farmer, provide for the election of road supervisor by the people instead of allowing the trustee to appoint. This was done to remove the temptation of the trustee to select a good friend, to the detriment of good roads. Another important road law amendment provides that land owners shall be allowed \$1.25 a mile to cut weeds and brush by the roadside. Hitherto they have been allowed \$1.25 a day and in some places the road fund was consumed by lazy workers, who required several days to clear the road of weeds and briars. Still another law compels land owners to mow weeds and brush along partition fences. This will do away with the condition of one side "clean" and the other "dirty." Another law does away with the appointment of road superintendents by the county commissioners. The work of the superintendents is to be done by the road supervisors in their respective districts.

Southern Indiana farmers took a decided interest in seeing the commercial fertilizer law enacted. For some years worthless material has been marketed for manures. The law makes the professor of chemistry at Purdue analyze all fertilizers before they may be sold.

Pre-emptive as the law which labor interests expect to redound to their welfare is that of Senator Hugg regarding contributory negligence. Heretofore in Indiana when an employe's leg was cut off on a railroad, before he could secure damages he must prove that the railroad was guilty of negligence, and also that he himself was not negligent. The old law put a double burden on the laborer. Now the corporation must show that it was not negligent, and if such was the case, that the laborer was to blame.

The powers of the factory inspector were enlarged and a department of inspection was created. Henceforth there will be closer supervision in small factories. Fire escapes are made necessary in certain public buildings and factories.

A radical change in the tax law in which owners of small homes are especially interested is the \$700 exemption of mortgage indebtedness. It is intended to throw the tax on the mortgage holder entirely, for it provides that, in order to get the exemption, the mortgage holder must be named. The \$700 exemption will be taken advantage of by everybody and a radical change in the tax duplicates is expected. Some hidden mortgages will be unearthed, but holders of mortgages of Indiana property who live outside the State will escape, and much property will go untaxed. The effect of the law cannot be definitely stated. The Governor deposited it with the Secretary of State without his approval.

The anti-convict labor law of 1897 was modified at the State prison and the public account system will be inaugurated. The change was agreed to by representatives of organized labor, although in some sections of the State labor cried out against it.

Weekly payment of wages is made compulsory, and it is made unlawful for an employer to assess a fine against an employe. The assignment of wages is prohibited. This law is expected to put a stop to abuses in the gas belt and in the mining districts. It does not apply to common carriers or to employes in interstate commerce.

Some marked changes were made in the laws governing public school education, most of them in the line of the Geeting bill, which was defeated in 1897 because of opposition from the sectarian colleges. Under the township high school law, high school privileges will be extended to the farmers' children where there are fifteen students in a township asking for high school instruction. Then there is the law making educational requirements for the county school superintendents, and still another giving the applicant for teacher's license the right to send manuscript to the State school superintendent for examination, and, if license is granted, to teach in any county of the State without further examination. Aside from the county and township

reform bill, the assembly was worked up to the highest pitch over the reorganization of the State Board of Education. Party lines were cast aside. The sectarian colleges demanded that the presidents of the three State colleges be taken off the board, and in their stead be placed appointees of the Governor, while the State Teachers' Association and the State Board of Education resisted this, and secured a reorganization which adds to the present board three members, one to be a county school superintendent and the other two citizens, possibly representatives of some of the sectarian colleges, the three to be appointed by the Governor. While this is not all that was demanded by church schools, it is predicted that the additions to the board will be of their party, and will make known the alleged shortcomings of the State college presidents, or, rather, their system, and that the fight will hardly be renewed in 1901. The compulsory education law was amended to reduce the number of truant officers and to exempt from its provisions children of 13 and 14 having regular employment and being dependent upon it for their own or their parents' living. Many legislators were anxious to repeal the entire law.

Another change in the school law provides that all contracts between teacher and school corporation shall be written. Township trustees have been in the habit of making verbal contracts. Still more important is the law regarding transfer of school children from one corporation to another, providing that trustees shall pay \$1.50 a month tuition for the grades and \$3 a month for high school. This law is intended to stop indiscriminate transfers. When a child leaves his corporation to attend school in another, the trustee must pay for it. Another law authorizes Kosciusko County to vote a levy to assist in building a school at Winona.

An anti-lynch law was finally enacted, much as the Governor and Attorney General recommended, with the exception that the \$5,000 damages recoverable by the relative against the county was stricken out. The first bill was killed containing this provision. The law places a great burden on the Sheriff for letting a prisoner get out of his custody, removing him from office. Arrests may be made on the filing of information. Along the same line was a law allowing county commissioners to give a \$500 reward for the capture of an escaped murderer or lynch.

A source of great benefit to the State may be the law allowing the Attorney General to prosecute in the name of the State for an injunction without giving bond. This power can be used against gas waste or against bold breaking of the gambling laws.

The commissioner of fisheries was made the commissioner of game also, and constabulary power was given his deputies when they find violations of the law with their own eyes. A law was enacted preventing the pollution of streams and the killing of fish by dumping strawboard refuse and such like into them.

The powers of the State Board of Health were increased over county health officers and \$6,000 was appropriated to be used as the board sees fit to suppress contagious diseases. A pure food law was passed.

The pharmacists were placed under a State board which licenses them, and unlicensed druggists or storekeepers are only permitted to sell certain medicines specified in the law.

A State entomologist was created to fight San Jose scale and other pests in our orchards.

County boards of charities were created to consist of six persons to serve without salary, not over four to be men. They oversee county charities and are amenable to the State Board of Charities.

The principal modifications of the election law are that voting machines are authorized and men who sell their votes or for money refuse to vote may be disfranchised for ten years. Also any political party may have one challenger and one poll-book holder at the polls.

Aside from Indianapolis street car legislation, the principal law and the only one of general import in a street railroad way, requires the heating of cars from November to March.

Insurance legislation was enacted to make it possible for companies to organize under Indiana laws and be on as solid a financial footing as Eastern companies. The tendency of all the insurance laws was to put companies more nearly under the supervision of the State Auditor and to require them to deposit with the auditor good securities.

In the way of fees and salaries of county officers the principal change was putting commissioners on salaries instead of per diem. The next General Assembly was anticipated by the passage of a law creating a commission of three persons who are to study fees and salaries between now and 1901 and report to the Assembly changes needed in various counties.

There has been no temperance legislation, though a great fight was made to stop drug store liquor selling. One anti-trust bill became a law. It is said to be directed principally at the trust of plumbers' supply houses. The Winsfield trust bill was postponed. Efforts to reduce railroad fare failed. Large appropriations were made to build additional room at the insane hospitals and the Jeffersonville reformatory. The insane in jails and poor farms will be cared for.

Enjoyed Herself.

My friend's colored maid came in one day after her regular weekly outing, looking as if she had enjoyed herself.

"Well, Susan," said my friend, who is sympathetic, "I suppose you saw all the pretty things in the stores down town?"

"No'm; not 'actly. I ben lookin' at de handiwork ob de Lawd."

"Indeed? So you took a little trip to the country to see the fields and flowers?"

"No'm; no, indeedy. I ben at de dime museum. They has a hairy boy there and a two-headed man."—Lippincott's Magazine.

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A Letter From A Soldier Boy.

The following letter was received from a cousin of Mrs. H. J. Meredith's, of this city, which we publish, knowing it will be interesting to the HERALD readers:

On board Transport Minnewaska, Cienfuegos, Cuba.
Mr. Wm. Engler, Greenspring, O.

Dear Father:—We are in Cuba at last. We dropped anchor about 3 o'clock this afternoon and it is now about 5. We can send letters if we get them in before tattoo. We left Charleston at 7:30 last Friday morning and had nice weather all the way, but most all the boys were sea sick for the first two days. I will send a map with our route marked in it. We are now anchored in the harbor about one mile from the city of Cienfuegos, as we can not get up to the wharf until part of the cargo is taken off, which is done on lighters. The first load just left with the officers, horses and some guards and division details. Dick was on the first load to land from our transport.

We sailed straight east from Charlestown until we were out of sight of land then turned south and the first land we saw was San Salvador—where Columbus landed—then we saw islands all day Sunday, first San Salvador, then Crooked Island, then Acklin and Castile Island, the last with a light-house on it, and when we got up yesterday morning we were steaming along the south coast of Cuba. About 11:30 we passed Dagairi, where Shafter landed his army and we could see the dock where he landed. A little farther we saw the town of Siboney where his hospital was located and where so many died of sickness. About two miles farther on we saw the harbor of Santiago, that is the entrance and it was so narrow that you would not see it if it was not pointed out to you, and Morrow Castle at the entrance.

The Spanish ship Mercedes was lying sunk in the mouth, but we could not see the Merrimac, Hobson's boat. About two miles from Morrow Castle we saw the Spanish wreck Azuinda and about two miles from that we saw the wreck of the Vizakaiya. All this time we were about two miles off the coast and could see quite well. We were near the coast all day yesterday, but this morning we were out of sight of land and did not see it until about two hours before we entered the harbor. There were a lot of Spanish soldiers at the entrance of the harbor, with their flag flying, but they hauled it down before we entered.

This is a pretty place in here. The harbor seems to be about 6 or 7 miles wide and perhaps 10 or 15 long. There is a little town at the entrance of the harbor and Cienfuegos lies, I should think, about four miles back and on the north side of the harbor. The buildings are nearly all low and seem to be white with plenty of bright colors on them. There was a boat load of Cubans came out along the ship. They seemed to be very friendly and some of them could talk English. I think we will be landed tomorrow.

There are two companies of soldiers here from Havana who came yesterday to take possession of the city, as you know the Spaniards were to evacuate the first of January, but there is a lot of them here.

They say everything is high here except fruit, rum and tobacco which are very cheap. All the coast of Cuba that we saw seemed to be very mountainous and rough, but they say it is a fine country after you get away from the coast. We traveled 1603 miles by the log, and were four days and seven hours on the way. I did not get sea sick but I believe I would if it had been rough. I felt a little queer as it was. We were all very much disgusted with the arrangements when we boarded the transport, as we were put down between decks below the mules. I do not think much of accommodations yet, but it seemed better after we got started, for the air is forced down here by fans and is pretty cool. We slept in hammocks and they were hung on posts about 22 inches apart, and two hammocks hung between every two posts, one above the other so you can judge how much room we had. They say this one of the best transports the government has, but I think they could be improved upon.

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I will write again after we get on shore and try to tell you more about our trip and the country here, so will stop for this time with love to all I remain your son,

W. B. ENGLER,
6 O. V. I.
1st Brig., 1st Div.
1st A. C.
Cienfuegos,
Cuba.

The fishermen in general have been considerably exercised over the passage of the new fish law, which by the construction they put upon it prohibited fishing by hook and line in the lakes from April 1 to July 1. In order to get a clear understanding of the law a deputy fish commissioner has sent out the following communication which explains itself: "I am in receipt of yours of March 1, relative to the fish law, in which you refer to the closed season from April 1 to July 1.

You seem to have a misapprehension of the bill, as the matter of fishing with hook and line between the dates mentioned does not refer to lakes, but to running streams. The law intends to cover the point that there shall be no fishing between these dates with hook and line of any character, in running streams, but does not apply to lakes.

I have gone over this bill very carefully, but am satisfied that when you see it you will find it perfectly satisfactory. As I understand it, it does not prohibit fishing at any time with hook and line.

Senator Gilbert, the author of this bill, says I am correct.

WHY?

- Why isn't a star a sort of sky-light?
- Why should a wheel-wright ever get left?
- Why isn't one head better than two in a family?
- Why isn't a wedding in the drawing room a parlor match?
- Why is it necessary to buy coal for a self-feeding stove?
- Why does the average son think he knows more than his father?
- Why doesn't the woman who wears a calico dress appear in print?
- Why do sleepers sleep in sleeping cars that run right over sleepers?
- Why is it that a weak woman possesses abnormal strength when it comes to getting the best of a man?

Working Night and Day

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globe of health, that changes weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by T. E. Slattery druggist. 351Im.

For La Grippe.

Thomas Whitfield & Co., 240 Wash-av., corner Jackson-st., one of Chicago's oldest and most prominent druggists, recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for la grippe, as it not only gives a prompt and complete relief, but also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia. For sale by Culver City Drug Store 3tIm

J. E. Myers & Son,

Breeders of Poland-China Swine and Polled-Durham Cattle. We have always young stock for sale. We will make a special offer for the next 30 days. We have 2 Bulls for sale that are 3/4 blood clean Poll with nice smooth heads. The color is Red and the age ranges from 8 to 9 months old. Prices reasonable.
Yours Truly.

Prospective Candidates for Governor.

The following gentlemen will probably be strong candidates before their respective conventions when the nominations for governor are made.

South Bend will present Schnyler Colfax, its mayor and a son of Schuyler Colfax, who was once vice-president of the United States. Within the last few years this young man has displayed much aptitude for politics. Organized labor has found in him a staunch friend and it is expected to come to his support.

If the democrats get into fighting trim they will have no trouble in finding candidates for governor. C. P. Drummond, of Plymouth, a state senator, was slapped by a reporter of the Sentinel in a session of the legislature, is proposed as a candidate by his friends and the prospect is that he will be before the convention. He has been the democratic leader in the senate for four years.

Dangers of the Grip.

The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for la grippe we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. It will cure la grippe in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Culver City Drug Store. 3tIm.

Red Hot From The Gun

as the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible Ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, te ons, corns, skin eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. 25cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by T. E. Slattery, druggist. 351Im.

I have been afflicted with rheumatism for fourteen years and nothing seemed to give any relief. I was able to be around all the time, but constantly suffering. I had tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did, and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured. I am happy to say that it has not since returned.—JOSH. EDGAR, Germantown, Cal. For sale by T. E. Slattery, druggist. 351Im

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WEALTH AND WISDOM TRAVEL TOGETHER.

We can't all of us be wealthy, but we can be wealthier than we are. Wealth consists of what is saved—not what is earned. SAVING means finding the store where you can find the same quality for less money than anywhere else. It may take a little time and trouble and cost you many dollars to find the right place, but it will pay you in the end.

<p>Soap. American Family, Royal, Santa Claus, Lenox, Battle Ax, Coal Oil, Johnny's and Merino Soaps,—as well as brands not so well known, but soap that we can recommend to the people.</p> <p>Fleur. Kewanna, Fancy Spring Wheat, and a high grade Maxenkuckee Lake, that we can sell at an astonishingly low price. At the same time we guarantee it to be equal to any of the advertised brands.</p> <p>Queensware. You'll soon be thinking of dishes and we want your dish trade. Will get it, too, if quality and price count for anything with you. Iron-stone China Glassware, China and Crockery. Get Our Prices.</p>	<p>Canned Goods. We have a great variety of the best California canned goods at the right prices. Peaches, Pears, Apricot, Plums, etc., etc. Any of them will make an excellent dessert.</p> <p>Tea. Don't economize on Tea—it doesn't pay. If you want a really good article you will have to buy accordingly. We have the cheap grades, but we sell them because we have to, not because we want to. A good tea such as we want to sell you will bring you back to us.</p> <p>Coffees. We can therefore supply the wants of our patrons better than anyone else. We know what they want and will try to accommodate them.</p>
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H. J. MEREDITH.

Our Big Sale Continues!

A harvest of values for those in need of clothing. Owing to bad weather and roads, we have decided to continue our Big sale. Overcoats must go at 50c on the \$100.

Here's a few items, the way they all go

50 Men's Fancy Suits only	\$2.50	200 Pairs Men's Black Overalls	\$.35
50 " " Black " "	\$3.15	100 Dozen Men's Heavy Sox	\$.04
50 " " Gray " "	\$4.90	35 " " " " Suspenders	\$.09
50 Men's Slatter Flannel G. A. R. Suits	\$5.00	35 Men's Wool Lined Duck Coats	\$.69
25 Child's Knee Pants Suits @	\$.65	50 Pairs Men's Jeans Pants	\$.50
25 Boy's Long Pants Suits, ages 14 to 19	\$2.90	150 " " " " Striped Pants	\$.48
10 Cases Selz Shoes, Men's	\$.90		

Thousands of bargains in Every Department. Everything as advertised, or money refunded. **M. LAUER & SON, Plymouth, Ind.**

For bargains in building lots for summer resort purposes in or near Culver. **J. A. MOLTER, Plymouth, Ind.**

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

It is getting warmer?
They will bear watching.
It is not all gold that glistens.
Culver schools will close April 21.
Soon the tax assessor will show up.
Potatoes are demanding high price.
No preaching services were held in Culver last Sunday evening.
Mrs. Foss has raised a brood of chickens this month.
Laurence, the six year old son of Wm. Houghton, is dangerously sick.
The first half of President McKinley's term is over.
Wheat is worth 65 cents per bushel in this market.
S. A. Shaw has been appointed assessor in Union township.
Soon the assessor will be around, we advise you to look out for your "dogs."

Rev. Fraley is still conducting revival services at Poplar Grove.
The wife of David Swigart, has been very sick for the past few weeks.
J. J. Campbell, proprietor of a famous steam laundry at Logansport, was in town Wednesday. "Ham" Beaber is his agent at this place.
This year's emigration train will leave Burr Oak for North Dakota on March 28th. It is said that a large number from this section will go where farms are cheap.
We understand that the pupils of the 8th grade of our public schools, will take an examination at Burr Oak next Saturday.

We learn that grandpa Garver who lives near Burr Oak, is failing in health very fast, and that the end of his eventful life is not far distant.
Grandpa Hand, who is rapidly nearing the century mark, was seen upon our streets this week. He can walk as lively as a 10 year old youngster today, and his mind is clear as a bell. If this old pioneer could put his experiences for the past 50 years into a volume it would be interesting.

Four aspects of modern life—wealth, pleasure, politics and faith—were treated by Rev. William Dewitt Hyde, president of Bowdoin College, in a vigorous sermon delivered in Plymouth Church, Brooklyn. Nearly two-thirds of the discourse was an argument against the hypothesis that the gospel of Jesus Christ is ascetic. "A rich Christian," he said, "is God's finest masterpiece."

Amusements, including the theater, dancing, cards and billiards, Mr. Hyde declared provocative of too much good to be monopolized by the devil. "They should be made offerings to the Lord," he said.—Ex.

The Missionary Society, of the Reformed church, has decided to give an Easter Supper on Saturday evening preceding Easter. More particulars next week.

Rev. Barber attended the funeral services of his aunt at Middle Point, Ohio, last Saturday. This leaves Mr. Barber's mother the only living representative of her father's household.

Andy Vorhees went to Logansport the fore part of the week, where he will enter a hospital to recruit his shattered health.

Dr. Wiseman made South Bend a professional visit Thursday.

Miss Gertrude Wiseman is visiting relatives in the Southern part of the state.

H. Covert and daughter contemplate moving to Dakota.

We understand that E. Blanchard has purchased the Jacob Snyder residence south of town and will occupy the same in the near future.

State Senator, Charles P. Drummond, of Plymouth, has decided to practice law in Indianapolis.

Lewis Cissel and a partner whose name is unknown to us, will move their sawmill eight miles southwest of Nashville, Tenn. The partner left on the train the other day and Lewis will soon follow.

Our Spring Goods are Coming in, bought at the Right Price If you want goods at the Right Prices call on us.

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W. S. Easterday was in Logansport before the State Board of Health taking an undertakers examination and was issued a certificate by said board, which gives him all the rights afforded by this great state in his business.

J. K. Mawhartor is putting in a furnace under the Poplar Grove church. He is a dandy at the business and will give entire satisfaction.

Carry Corns, a member of the late Company A went to Indianapolis yesterday to enlist in the United States army. He expects to be sent to Manila soon. He will be remembered as third cook at C. M. A.

These are dangerous times for the health. Croup, colds and throat troubles lead rapidly to Consumption. A bottle of One Minute Cough Cure used at the right time will preserve life, health and a large amount of money. Pleasant to take; children like it. Culver City Drug Store. 311m

E. B. Vanschoiac was in Chicago Wednesday and Thursday, purchasing a large line of dry goods and notions.

Horrible agony is caused by Piles, Burns and Skin Diseases. These are immediately relieved and quickly cured by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless imitations. Culver City drug store. 311m

It is said that several new cottages will be erected upon the shores of Lake Maxenkuckee in the spring.

Coughing injures and inflames sore lungs. One Minute Cough Cure loosens the cold, allays coughing and heals quickly. The best cough cure for children. Culver City Drug Store. 311m

H. O. Ferrier, Culver's lumber dealer, has now handsome new sheds completed and a fine new office. The sheds are filled with a choice line of lumber, shingles and building material in general; which he proposes to sell to those in need of such material at reasonable rates. Give him a call.

The smallest things may exert the greatest influence. De Witt's Little Early Risers are unequalled for overcoming constipation and liver troubles. Small pill, best pill, safe pill. Culver City Drug Store.

Impatience dries the blood sooner than age or sorrow.

Attorney M. J. Winfield and Mr. Geo. W. Seybold, president of Logansport State Bank, were transacting business in Culver Saturday.

Judge Winfield, of Logansport, was seen in Culver Monday.

The pupils of the high school have been assigned their graduating essays, the following being the numbers: Miss Nellie Garn, Florence Barber, Hettie Grubb, Daisy Voreis, and Mr. Otto Stahl. We understand that great preparations are being made for a very interesting program on this occasion. Each one of these pupils are exceptionally bright, and will close their school work here with the knowledge that the coveted goal has been reached by hard work and persistent action. We predict for them a great future.

Burr Oak Gleanings.

Wm Vanderweele has a very sick child, but at this writing shows signs of a recovery.

Dr. Loring was on the verge of an attack of lung fever.

Mr. Warren Garver, of Elkhart, is visiting his grandfather, who is very sick.

Mrs. Nellie (Shearer) nee Hickerman, of Bremen, was buried Saturday.

Grandma Lidecker passed quietly away last Friday morning.

Mr. C. M. Houghton, of Valparaiso, was home last Friday and Saturday on business.

Lewis Brickle has just returned from Rochester, where he has been visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Ohler is quite low with lung trouble at the home of D. B. Paddock.

Matters are assuming a serious nature when the women begin talking about fighting. Who wants a wig?

The Nickel Plate is distributing steel along its line.

York's sawmill is running full blast.

Amos Crum removed to Hamlet the forepart of the week.

Colony day is drawing near.

Mr. Amos Friend went Thursday to Spencer, Ind., for his son John, who is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Annie Aley, of Chicago, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Friend.

Miss Lotta Burns is visiting with her parents at this place.

YOU KNOW.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

This remedy is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and influenza. It has become famous for its cures of these diseases, over a large part of the civilized world. The most flattering testimonials have been received, giving accounts of its good works; of the aggravating and persistent coughs it has cured; of severe colds that have yielded promptly to its soothing effects, and of the dangerous attacks of croup it has cured, often saving the life of the child. The extensive use of it for whooping cough has shown that it robs that disease of all dangerous consequences. Sold by T. E. Slattery, druggist. 351m

An Honest Medicine for La Grippe.

George W. Waitt, of South Gardner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one 50-cent bottle and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by Culver City Drug Store.

Grip's Ravages Doomed.

So much misery and so many deaths have been caused by the Grip, that every one should know what a wonderful remedy for this malady is found in Dr. King's New Discovery. That distressing stubborn cough, that inflames your throat, robs you of sleep, weakens your system and paves the way for Consumption is quickly stopped by this matchless cure. If you have chills and fever, pain in the back of the head, soreness in bones and muscles, sore throat and that cough that grips your throat like a vice, you need Dr. King's New Discovery to cure your Grip, and prevent Pneumonia or Consumption. Price 50cts and \$1.00. Money back if not cured. A trial bottle free at Slattery's drug store. 311m

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale by T. E. Slattery, druggist. 351m

The Fortunes of War



go to the brave, the aggressive, the fearless, the daring. The victories in shoe making and shoe selling go to SELZ SHOES because they have the same qualities of sterling worth that go to make up the victorious soldier or sailor. Aggressively honest they fear no foe and have won the friendship of more feet than any other shoes. It costs nothing extra to wear a SELZ, although you get lots of extra wear out of them.



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Towel Racks, Rolling Pins, Basting Spoons, Coffee Pots, Tea Pots, 5 doz. Clothes pins, 25 Envelopes, 15 Slate Pencils, Large Wash Basins, Bread-Toasters, Retinned Stew Pans, Soap Dishes, 5 Boxes tacks, Spring Paddocks, Tack Hammers, Glassware, all kinds Dinner Pails Etc. Etc.

A Few of the 10c Bargains.

Wash Boards, Coffee and Tea Pots, Hatchets, Curry Combs, Tooth Brushes, Steel Spiders, Flour Sifters, 4 cake box of Toilet Soap, Buggy-whips, 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes, Night Lamps Etc.

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The strongest and best Colored warps on the market.

Yours, Kloefer's New York Store,
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RECORD OF EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK.

Family Narrowly Escapes Death from Poisoned Coffee—Coal Strike Ended at Washington—Monopolists in Dog Show Business—State Law Is Void.

Alonzo Waller, his wife and Mrs. Waller's sister, Mrs. Sarah Kline of Logan, Ohio, who was visiting at the Waller home in Marion, were poisoned by drinking coffee made from a package found on their doorstep. A recent announcement in the local papers by a new coffee and tea house that they would furnish each house in the city with a trial package of coffee led Mrs. Waller to believe that the package found was for trial, and she made enough for the family for breakfast. It is learned that the tea and coffee firm has not yet put out any samples.

Miners Long Strike Ended.
Indiana's long coal miners' strike was terminated at Washington by an agreement of the differences. The strike began nearly two years ago by the refusal of Cabell & Co. to pay for the removal of what is known as "dead dirt." The agreement entered into now provides that the company shall adhere strictly to the Chicago national agreement; shall pay for the removal of "dead dirt" and put in one and one-fourth inch screens to take the places of the one and a half-inch screens.

Corner on Dog Show Business.
The Gentry Brothers, the great Indiana dog show managers, have run a corner on the dog show business of the country by absorbing Sipe & Dolman, Sipe & Blake, Norris Brothers, Westlake Brothers, Sig Cannon and C. E. Rice. The Gentrys now own over 400 ponies, 600 trained dogs, 100 monkeys, eight elephants, three zebras and one goat. Their homes are at Bloomington.

Says State Law Is Null.
At Indianapolis, Judge John H. Baker of the United States District Court decided that the assignment law of Indiana had been suspended by the national bankruptcy act. He holds that any title may be declared null and void at any time by an appeal to the Federal Court under the bankruptcy act.

Within Our Borders.
Glanders among horses near Evansville. Dogs are butchering many sheep around Marion.

Pendleton will have water works and electric lights. Brooklyn mills have passed into a receiver's hands.

Evansville proposes a municipal electric lighting plant.

Will See, Logansport, broke his leg while playing ten pins.

Madison County has gained \$600,000 in wealth during the past year.

Henry Osler, Kokomo, slugged the other night and touched for \$6.20.

Pastors' association, Kokomo, has declared against slot machines.

Daniel Minneman, found unconscious with his head fractured at Osgood.

Eighteen-months-old baby of Elmer Flint, Brookville, choked to death on popcorn.

McBeth lamp chimney factory, Elwood, has resumed operations with 500 employees.

Wm. Wright, prominent Gibson County farmer, is dead. He had been married just two weeks.

Timothy Rayol, switchman in the Pennsylvania yards, Fort Wayne, killed by falling from a car.

Another batch of Laporte citizens has been arrested, and it cost each \$20 for keeping an unlicensed dog.

Mat Peters, Tipton County, shot himself to death willfully. He was the father-in-law of John McCreary, sheriff.

Seven-year-old son of Steven Bolander, near Mohawk, accidentally shot and killed his 4-year-old sister with a target rifle.

Fourteen boys and girls from the Cincinnati orphans' home were distributed among the good people of Windfall and vicinity.

Verdict of "not guilty" in the case against Robert McCoy for killing George Newman, Greensburg, was received with cheers.

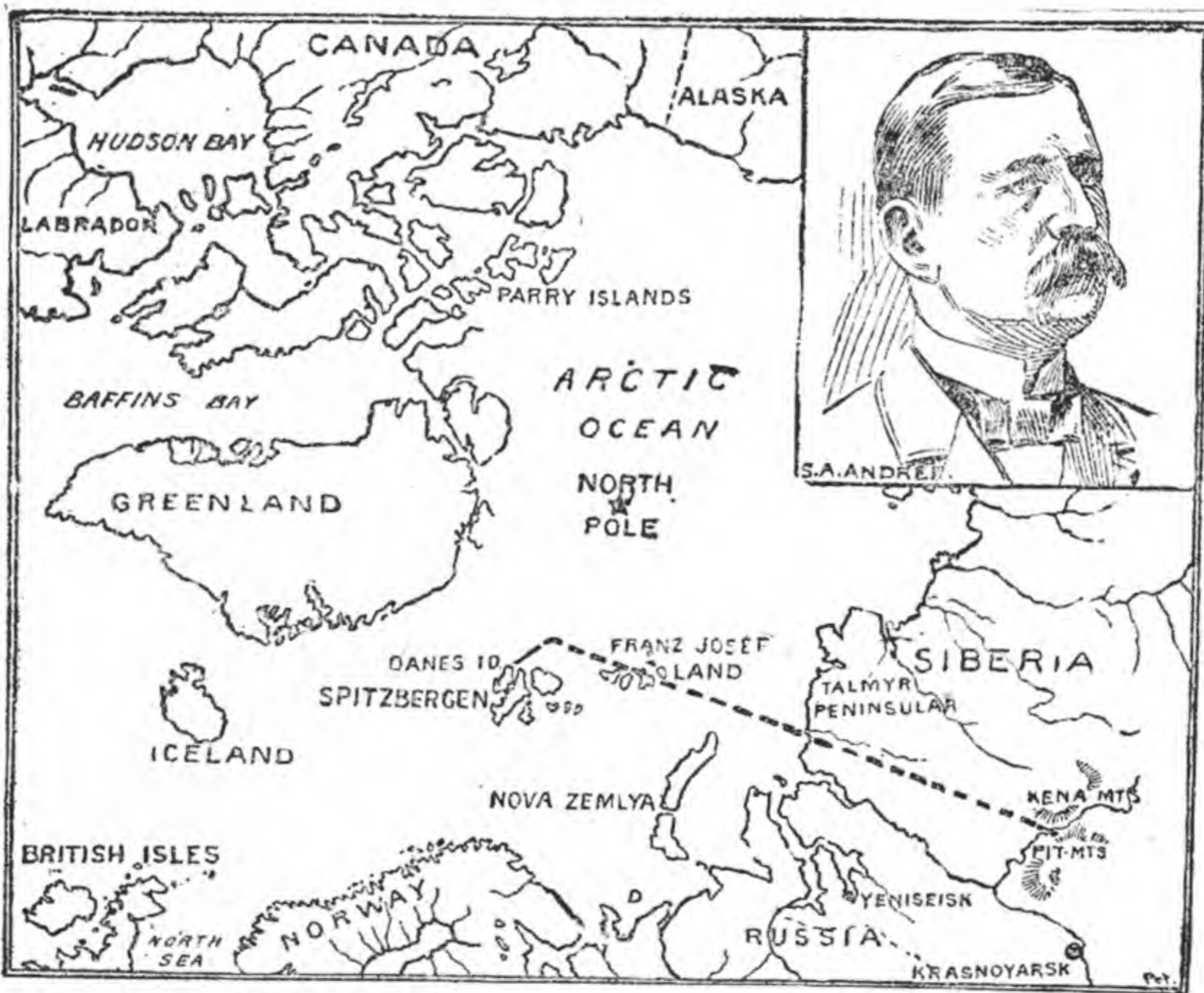
Panhandle Railroad has promised to build a bridge over Indian creek at Franklin, and the city will withdraw its suit against the company.

Exchange of the Home Telephone Company, New Albany, burned during a wind storm. Fire caused by crossed wires or lightning. Loss \$1,500.

Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus Crumpacker of Valparaiso, parents of Congressman Crumpacker, observed the fifty-second anniversary of their wedding. They are 75 and 74 years of age respectively.

One of the biggest gas wells that have recently been drilled in that section is that of C. H. Croninger, on the east edge of Hartford City. The well has a tremendous pressure.

PROBABLE FATE OF EXPLORER ANDREE.



News of the discovery of the bodies of three men and the wreckage of a balloon near the base of the Kena mountains, in Siberia, seems to remove all doubt as to the fate of Explorer Andree and his party. The location of the wreckage would indicate that the balloon, after sailing a short distance to the northward, on leaving Dane's Island, on July 11, 1897, was caught by counter currents and swept to the southeast. The Russian Government has dispatched a party to bring in the bodies and equipment, and until its return nothing definite will be known.

THE CENSUS OF 1900.

It Will Be Taken Under Different Auspices from Any Other.

The taking of the census of 1900 is more than a year in the future, yet the matter attracts more than usual interest. This may be due in part to the fact that that census will be taken under different auspices from any other, the act just passed establishing a Census Bureau as a permanent part of the machinery of the government. The taking of the census under the new law creates the office of director of the census, and to that office the President has appointed ex-Governor William R. Merriam, of Minnesota, with Dr. Frederick H. Wines, of Illinois, as assistant director.

Governor Merriam has more patronage at his disposal than the President of the United States. He has under the law the appointment of more than 54,000 public employes, as follows:

- Fifty thousand enumerators of the census at graded pay.
- Three hundred supervisors, salary \$1,000 each or more.
- Five chief statisticians, salary \$3,000 each.
- One chief clerk, one disbursing clerk, one geographer, salary \$2,500 each.
- Five experts chiefs of division and two stenographers, salary \$2,000 each.
- Ten clerks of class four, salary \$1,700.
- Fifteen clerks of class three, salary \$1,500.
- Twenty clerks of class two, salary \$1,300.
- Three thousand clerks of class one, and clerks, copyists, computers and skilled laborers, with salaries of from \$600 to \$1,000 each.
- One captain of the watch, salary \$840.
- Two messengers and forty assistant messengers, watchmen and laborers, at



WILLIAM R. MERRIAM.

\$600 each; messenger boys at \$400 each, and charwomen at \$240 each. It has been given out that the next or twelfth census will not be so ambitious in its scope as the two which have preceded. A census, the printing of which extends nearly through the succeeding decade, can be of no use except to make work for the government printing establishment. The law provides that the bureau, after the preparation of the figures of population, agriculture, manufactures and mortality, may collect statistics relative to insanity, crime, pauperism, public indebtedness, public expenditures, taxation, transportation, telegraph and telephone business and street railways, which shall be special reports.

"CURTAIN-FACED" MAN DEAD.

Puzzle of Scientists in Life Remains a Mystery.

Michael Kelley, who for twenty-five years was the puzzle of scientists, the fright of children and, in fact, the strangest case Bellevue (New York) hospital ever had, died the other day in that institution. He was known as "The Curtain-faced Man." Upon his head, neck and face, long stringy bits of flesh grew, forming a fringe of living tissue. The nature or composition of the growth was never determined, the physicians and surgeons being content with the generic name of tumor to designate Kelley's malady.

The pathologists hoped in death to reveal the significance of the grewsome spectacle, but in this they were thwarted, for wealthy relatives claimed the body, preventing under the peculiar provisions of the State autopsy law the performance of a post-mortem examination.

HAYWARD NAMED SENATOR.

Receives Seventy-four Votes in the Nebraska Joint Session.

In joint session of the Nebraska Legislature, M. L. Hayward was elected United States Senator to succeed William V. Allen. He received 74 votes, the solid Republican membership, with the exception of one absent. This ended the long and at times bitter contest.

Judge Hayward was born in Willsboro, N. Y., Dec. 22, 1840. At the outbreak of the civil war he enlisted in the Twenty-second New York infantry, and was afterward transferred to the Fifth cavalry. He was discharged in December, 1862, owing to disability arising from sickness. On returning home he entered Fort Edwards College Institute, where he com-



M. L. HAYWARD.

pleted his education. His father had removed to Wisconsin, and young Hayward followed. He studied law at Whitewater and went to Nebraska in 1867, settling at Nebraska City, where he has since resided. He never held any office except that of member of the State constitutional convention in 1873 and a short term on the bench in 1886, when he filled out the remainder of a term by appointment from the Governor. He has a wife, one daughter and two sons, one of whom, Edwin P., is a surgeon in the United States army. The other, William H., is a lawyer, and was a captain in the Second Nebraska regiment during the late war. The new Senator has accumulated a comfortable fortune.

Notes from Cuba.

Havana custom house receipts on Feb. 15 amounted to \$41,694.

The Sport is now Havana's leading and most popular club. It occupies the building of the former Spanish Circolo Militar.

Northern tourists are arriving in Cuba at the rate of a hundred a day, and the leading Havana hotels are already overcrowded.

Guillermo Dolz, a brother of the late Spanish autonomist minister of public works for Cuba, has been appointed by Governor General Brooke to the civil governorship of Pinar del Rio province.

The men of the Seventh army corps are to have a new form of amusement near their camp. It is a good old American circus, which Mr. Stickney, the owner and manager, has imported from the States.

Some of the trumpeters of the Seventh army corps have developed a liking for the Spanish bugles, and it is no uncommon thing now out in the Marianao camps to hear the high, shrill notes of a Spanish bugle sounding an American call.

El Occidente, a Guanajay newspaper, urges Cuban land holders not to sell their property to Americans, and insists that the rapid acquisition of Cuban estates by American and foreign syndicates is the greatest menace to future independence.

The officers of the Third Nebraska have leased a dwelling house on the Marianao road, near their camp in Ceiba, and fitted it out as a club. It is a delightful resort, and is well patronized by the officers of the Nebraska regiment and their friends.

Maj. Gen. Brooke governs Cuba from a little wooden hotel, the Trocha, in the suburb Velado, about two miles from the city boundary proper. He has no sentiments, no guards saluting, no secret service men in plain clothes protecting his person.

A collection of postage stamps is nowadays not complete without the "mourning" stamp recently issued by Spain. It is jet black, is marked on one side in white letters, "5 cent," and on the other, "Impto. de Guerra" ("war tax") and 1898-'99. The stamp is affixed to all domestic letters as a "war tax," in addition to the regular postage stamp, otherwise that letter "doesn't go."

FACTORY FOR CAKE WALKERS.

A Place in Chicago Where They Are Turned Out Every Day.

It may not be generally known that Chicago has a factory for the production of cake walkers. No machinery is used, the output being the result rather of circumstances. In one of the State street restaurants, which is nearly half a block deep and which boasts the longest lunch counters in the city, about fifty colored men are employed as waiters, and they all wear white uniforms well stained by the drippings from pies and the slop-over from liquors. About 2:30 o'clock each afternoon the men take their lunch. They all form in line in the rear of the restaurant and march in single file down to the front of the room around the principal counter, countermarch down the other side and sit at a counter provided for them. The feature of the march is the march is the cake walk swing, which most of the men practice, and it is no unusual thing for those whom they pass to overhear such remarks as:

"Get dat cake walk move right."

"Say, man, you'd never win no cake with that walk on you."

"If I was a gal and you walked with me like that I sure would pull a razor on you," etc.

Some of the men are said to be the most expert cake walkers in the city.—Chicago Chronicle.

Dead Letter Office Curiosities.

"Just before the Christmas season the office receives several thousand letters addressed in unsteady characters to

(Santa Claus,
The North Pole.)

or the:
(King of Fairyland,
Paradise.)

or,
(To a Rich Santa Claus.)

It seems a pity that these pathetic appeals which have been surreptitiously dropped in the post boxes by truants from home should meet no tender eye of parent or guardian, but be wasted upon that imaginary idol of childhood.

Letters from abroad are dealt with in a separate room, and the clerks who occupy desks in this apartment from 9 a. m. till 4 p. m. hold no sinecure positions. They seem to be gifted with vivid imaginations, too, for, turn and twist some epistles at every conceivable angle as they will, still their unknown characters continue to mystify them. As a specimen of foreign inscriptions:

Me Maria Peratola,
nura Pa Kamlin Ka,
tute takkata ter nurt
Amerikaa.

after passing through expert hands, was sent to a real:

Mrs. Maria Peratola,
Nora, Hamlin Co.,
Dakota.

The Surest Cure.

"They say that Nell Gadleigh has broken off her engagement with Harry Hippleston."

"Yes, she says he was so affectionate that he wearied her."

"Oh, if that was all, why didn't she just marry him, and have done with the wearisome part of it?"

Combination Revolver and Sword.

A Mexican has made a combination sword and revolver with the cylinder and trigger in the hilt of the sword and the revolver barrel pointing down the sword's blade.



An Excellent Combination.

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Funny booklet "How to Make Ink Pictures" free.

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Sweet dispositions turn morbid and fretful. The possessions that win good husbands and keep their love should be guarded by women every moment of their lives. The greatest menace to woman's permanent happiness in life is the suffering that comes from derangement of the feminine organs.

Many thousands of women have realized this too late to save their beauty, barely in time to save their lives. Many other thousands have availed of the generous invitation of Mrs. Pinkham to counsel all suffering women free of charge.

MRS. H. J. GARRETSON, Bound Brook, N. J., writes: "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with the best results and can say from my heart that your medicines are wonderful. My physician called my trouble chronic inflammation of the left ovary. For years I suffered very much, but thanks to Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and kind advice, I am today a well woman. I would say to all suffering women, take Lydia E. Pinkham's medicine and your sufferings will vanish."

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"It Might Have Been."

It is sometimes possible for a lawyer to prove that his opponent is the wiser man, as in a story printed by Every Where. A police justice was disposing of cases at the rate of about two a minute, with great exactness and dignity, being judge, jury and attorney all in one.

"Then you are sure you recognize this handkerchief as the one stolen from you?" he said to a complainer.

"Yes, your honor," was the reply.

"How do you know it is yours?" demanded the justice.

"You can see that it is a peculiar make, your honor," replied the witness.

"That is the way I know it."

"Are you aware, sir," shouted the justice, drawing a similar one from his pocket, "that there are others like it?"

"Indeed I am," replied the questioned one, still more placidly. "I had two stolen."

PROFIT BY LOSS.

The Bank of England Makes Money in This Way.

It is a fact, that to many minds, no doubt must be very curious, that the Bank of England has always had a pretty steady source of profit in the loss and destruction of its bank notes. What it has gained of late years in this way we are unable to say, but during a period of forty years preceding 1832, the bank had made a clear profit of £1,330,000 from outstanding paper never likely to be presented for payment. When the destruction or the irrecoverable loss of a note can be proved, as in the event of a fire or a wreck it can, the bank, of course, will always pay the money it represents; and even when there is doubt about it, the cash is paid on security being given for indemnifying the bank should the note ever be presented.

Many years ago a bank director lost a note for £30,000. But being a man of credit, and as there was no doubt about the loss of the bill, he gave the usual indemnity and got the money. Many years after, when the man had long been dead, the paper was presented. It was payable on demand, and had come from abroad in the ordinary way of business, and the sum it represented had to be handed over, and as the indemnity that had been given was repudiated by the heirs of the man who had given it, and for some reason could not be enforced, the bank on that occasion had to put £30,000 on the debit side of the account. For once in a way they paid double honor to a bit of their own paper.

There is another story of a sum of £20,000 which the bank in its early days for a short time refused to hand over in exchange for its own notes. They were presented by a Jew, whose assertion that he had bought them was not disputed, and whose personal integrity was above suspicion. They had, however, undoubtedly been stolen, and on that ground the bank refused to pay the money. The Jew went out into the city, and began to spread it abroad that the bank was shaky, and couldn't cash its notes, and as he backed his assertion by displaying his indisputable paper, the assertion would in all probability soon have caused a run on the bank, and in a few minutes a messenger came to say that the notes would be cashed if he would present them again.—London News.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach re- ceives it without distress. $\frac{1}{4}$ the price of coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

Pictures Through Insect Lenses.

One of the later marvels of little things is the taking of pictures through the lens of an insect's eye. We are filled with astonishment, says F. W. Saxby, when we reflect that from a dragon fly's head we could obtain 25,000 perfect lenses, so minute that a million of them would not cover a square inch, and yet each be capable of yielding a recognizable photograph.

Shake Into Your Shoes.

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight-fitting or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c, in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Helping Her to Bear It.

Little Alice—My uncle Henry is getting to be prominent in politics.

Little Sophie—That's nothing. My uncle William was in jail for six months once, so I sha'n't look down on you.

Keys of bronze and iron have been found in Greece and Italy dating from at least the seventh century before Christ.

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Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

The grave of an unmarried woman in Turkey is often indicated by a rose carved in stone.

Wealth of College Secret Societies.

The rapid growth of the wealth of college Greek letter fraternities was emphasized by the statement that the Kappa Alpha lodge at Cornell, which was recently burned, was valued at \$45,000 and that the total value of the fraternity property at that institution amounts to nearly half a million dollars. One fraternity lodge alone at Cornell is worth nearly \$100,000. Williams College comes next to Cornell in the value of its fraternity property, and then Yale, Amherst, Wesleyan and Harvard in the order mentioned, according to a recently published estimate. Since Columbia moved into her new building the more prosperous fraternities have each made plans for expensive chapter houses. These houses are not owned by the fraternity at large, but by each individual chapter, and some of them are excellent illustrations of the work of our best-known architects. It has been estimated that there are 8,000 to 9,000 college fraternity men in New York.—New York Sun.

1,000,000 Sailors from One Ship.

The U. S. Receiving Ship Vermont, now over 50 years old, has been the school-house for over 1,000,000 sailors. The age and accomplishments are much the same as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has been before the public for fifty years, and has cured innumerable cases of malaria, fever and ague, besides dyspepsia and indigestion.

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Mr. Sproggins (without a moment's hesitation)—Then I refuse.

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Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about $\frac{1}{4}$ as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

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Burkley—Oh, I don't know. We've got an expert accountant who weighs nearly 250 pounds.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrah Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrah Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tones known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrah. Send for testimonials, free.

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Church of England Revenue.

The Church of England is supported by income from investments, endowments and by voluntary contributions. The total revenue of the church is about \$35,000,000.

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WANTED.—Case of bad health that R-F-P-A-N-S will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Rhans Chemical Co., New York, for 10 samples and 1,000 testimonials.

The Highest Priced Oak Chair.

An amusing story is being told in Edinburgh. At a recent auction sale of old furniture a chair, bearing on the back the carved words, "Dunittar Castle," was put up. Experts expected it might fetch about £25. The bidding began at £5, and soon reached £30, when only two brokers remained in the competition, which, to the amazement of every one present, advanced in £5 bids to £100, and then jumped in steps of £10 to £600. Finally one of the bidders retired, and the chair was knocked down to his successful rival at the price of £670. The secret of this strange sale is quite simple. Sir Donald Currie had seen the name on the back of the chair, and had commissioned an Edinburgh broker to buy it. Next day, forgetting what he had done, he instructed a Glasgow broker to bid for the chair, and these two were the rival bidders, with the result that Sir Donald is now the possessor of what is probably the most costly old oak chair in the world.—Liverpool Post.

While You Sleep.

Do not have too much air blowing through your room at night, or Neuralgia may creep upon you while you sleep. But if it comes, use St. Jacobs Oil; it warms, soothes and cures.

Odd Gift to a Methodist Mission.

The gift of a Buddhist temple to the Ningpo Methodist Mission is an unprecedented incident, it is said, in the history of missions. The villagers were not only willing it should be used as a preaching hall and school, but would convey it by a legal deed of gift. The British consul pronounced the deed legally valid. In addition to the temple and its demesne, twenty-two Chinese acres of land have also been conveyed.

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June 21, 1898.

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An Attempted Assassination.

It startles the citizens of Culver when they stop to realize that they have a red-handed assassin right in their midst who would not hesitate to take a human life to avenge a fancied wrong or to dip his hands in blood in order to secure dishonorably, money belonging to another. During the past month or six weeks, Culver has had several bum-rows, where men have drawn knives and threatened to carve one another, but as these gentlemen (?) are well known, nothing particular was thought of the matter.

We have a man in our midst by the name of Andy Vorhees, who conducts a restaurant and pool room in a building near the depot. He is a quiet unassuming man, and so far as we have been able to learn, has been a reputable citizen during the three years he has been a resident of Culver. Yet, a base attempt was made to assassinate him last Sunday morning about three o'clock. Mr. Vorhees states that he was sick all Saturday night, and at the hour mentioned, he arose from his bed which is in a room in the second story facing the street, for the purpose of getting a drink of water. He went to a dresser near the window, when suddenly he heard a shot fired, the ball passing through one of the glasses in the upper part of the window, which Vorhees claims hit him in the breast making a slight wound, two more shots were fired in quick succession but only one of the balls passed through the window. We examined the course of the bullet through the window and just how it could have hit an occupant of the room, we were unable to solve and leave it to those mysterious incidents for time to unravel. The editor of this paper interviewed Andy, and he says he knows of no one on earth that has hatred enough to take his life, as he has no enemies. We await developments.

The Christian church denomination have a movement on foot whereby it hopes to endow its theological college with at least a half-million dollars. Its jubilee year will come in 1900 when it will reach the half-century mile post. It desires every friend of the college and everyone desiring to advance christianity and civilization to send in their name and a dollar. This great institution of learning has accomplished wonders in the past 50 years. It has started hundreds of poor young men into the ministry and placed hundreds of young women in the mission fields where there life work has been devoted to God and humanity. Send in your dollar, or in other words "cast thy bread upon the water and it will return to thee after many days."

The yield of oranges in the southern part of California this season is about 3,000,000 boxes. Of this number about four fifths are being sent to European cities. The financial return to the orange growers will be between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000.

The new rules governing the transportation of dead bodies went into effect March 5th. After this railroads will receive bodies dead of scarlet fever, diphtheria and other contagious diseases, provided they are disinfected by a licensed embalmer.

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H. J. Meredith the genial proprietor of the Culver grocery, came within the tenth part of a fraction of losing one of his eyes Tuesday. He was endeavoring to adjust the cover to a gasoline tank, and took hold of the edge of the cover and pulled hard, when a sliver broke off and being on level with the eye, struck him on the eye-lid, reaching in back of the eye-ball, and also affected the ball. Mr. Meredith pulled the sliver out and then called Dr. Wiseman who dressed the wound. The injured man can thank his lucky stars that it is no worse, for the loss of an eye cannot be estimated in dollars and cents.

LaGrippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Sheperd, Publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Eldon, Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for La Grippe." Pleasant to take, quick to act. Culver City drug store. 3111m

If every parent knew just what their boys are doing at all times, their hair would turn gray, and their lives shorter.

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For the North. No. 6, Ex. Sun. for St. Joseph, 11:46 a.m. 8, Ex. Sun. for St. Joseph, 9:49 p.m.