

Non-Partisan in Politics.

IMPROVEMENTS AT ASSEMBLY

Pleasure and Profit Combined in This Year's Session.

The directors of the reorganized Maxinkuckee Assembly met at the office of the secretary, Mr. Houston, in Indianapolis, last week. We understand many improvements will be undertaken in the Assembly park this year, and that the new management will show a manifest improvement over the old methods of operation.

Many Indianapolis citizens are turning their eyes to Maxinkuckee Assembly as presenting the finest opportunity for an agreeable outing and the combined pleasure and profit of an Assembly. In a few days surveyors will come to Culver to plat additional lots for cottages on the association's grounds. The already beautiful park is to have winding walks, and with a few touches of a skilled landscape gardener will more truly than ever be a beauty spot. Inquiries are already being made for cottage sites.

The six Philippine youths who are being educated in the Mannel Training High School of Indianapolis will very likely come to Maxinkuckee for their outing. The management has presented the claims to the officials and in all probability our citizens will have an opportunity to get acquainted with these bright-eyed, intelligent little men, who are already loyal sons of Uncle Sam. Their presence at the assembly will be quite a novelty.

When General Manager Hill read the detailed program for this season to the directors they declared with one voice that it was twice as great as anything ever prepared for the Assembly. It is the opinion of experts that no assembly in the west excels Maxinkuckee in the novelty and strength of the attractions offered.

Within the last week Manager Hill has secured the Indianapolis Lyric Orchestra of fourteen pieces for a lengthy engagement. This is the third orchestra to be contracted and those attending the Assembly can be assured of good music every day.

District Convention at Argos.

The South Bend District Epworth League will hold its 13th annual convention at Argos June 13-14. On the afternoon of the first day Rev. M. H. Appleby will give "A Study of the Welsh Pentecost" in the evening Rev. Chestnut W. Smith, formerly of Mishawaka, and Rev. Claud C. Travis, of South Bend, will participate in a symposium, "Living to Make Our Church a Power in the Land."

On the forenoon of the second day Miss Elizabeth Williams, of New Carlisle; Miss Ada Campbell, of South Bend, and S. U. Finch, of North Liberty, will be on the program.

In the afternoon Rev. Homer P. Ivey, of Walkerton, and Grace V. Showalter, of South Bend, will have a leading part, and at night Rev. J. A. Maxwell, D. D., will lead the devotional service.

Officer Exonerated.

Ex County Commissioner Peter A. Follmar's friends will be relieved to know that the indictment brought against him by the grand jury has been found to be defective, and the case quashed. This was especially serious, because if he had been found guilty as charged, the only penalty the court could have imposed, under law, would be imprisonment in the penitentiary. Mr. Follmar was charged with taking a contract for building a gravel road for the county, while he was at the same

time a county commissioner. This is particularly forbidden by law with the severe penalty as above. Mr. Follmar did take the contract unlawfully, but did a good job, gave the county full value for its money, and while he was technically guilty, he meant no harm, and we are told did not understand the law in that matter.—Winamac Republican.

Mr. Follmar is a prominent citizen of Monterey.

New School Building Assured.

We will present in the near future the plans and give a concise view of the new school house that is to be built this summer. It begins to look as if the dreams of a long suffering people are to become material matter, and the much discussed school house, a reality. The money is in sight and the contractors on the ground. It is the duty of every citizen to give all the aid and encouragement to the school board, possible. Lets lay aside all differences of opinion as to location, and work together in harmony for a new school house.

Letter From Oklahoma.

The following letter to Mr. G. W. Rettinghouse from a sister at Oklahoma City, will no doubt interest many of our readers:

"Your letter of the 15th found us well. We are still well pleased with our new home and would not return to Indiana to live unless circumstances should so shape themselves to compel me to return. You write your apple and peach trees are in bloom, we have apples as large as hulled walnuts and cherries are turning red to ripen. Strawberries have been on the market for a month and we are using new potatoes while garden truck is going to waste. We took a drive out in the country last Sunday and saw the wheat fields bending with the ripening grain soon ready to cut, one field of 300 acres as thick as it could stand and was grand to behold, the flowers along the road surpass description, even the weeds blooming with beauty. We are going down to Choctaw, a place about 18 miles to look at a farm of 160 acres which we can trade our city property for, it being worth about \$4,000. We have twenty-five lots which means about five acres in the suburbs of the city and built a house on it in which we live. The population of the city is about 30,000 and houses rent from \$10 to \$35 a month. Land can be purchased in the cyclone district at four dollars an acre. That terrible storm that destroyed the city of Snyder on May 9th came in sixty-five miles of this city and a very strong wind blowing here from the tornado which awakened me by its terrible roar and I arose and dressed myself and listened to the roar of the wind and sometimes thought the house would be blown away. Bertha and her husband were sound asleep and I did not awake them for I thought if we had to go they might as well go in their sleep. One of my neighbors whose father, mother and brothers and sisters lived at Snyder were killed. There were thirty-five ladies came here in a box car for burial from Snyder.

SUSAN REED,
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma."

Notice.

There will be an election of three trustees for the Emmanuel church of the Evangelical Association, of Culver, Ind., June 21, 1905, at 8 p. m. at above named church. A good attendance of the male members of the church is desired.

CHAS. MCCONNEHEY, pastor.

Buy the New Oil at the Cash Hardware.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY SEAT

A Record of Events as Observed by Our Correspondent.

The council is disposed to deal promptly with street paving. Center street will be paved with brick, from Laporte street north to Harrison street. This street is nearly all a residence street and the improvement will make it a popular driving-way. The paving will be twenty feet wide and will give room for wide grass plats between the curbing and the sidewalk. Jefferson street, that bounds the court-house square on the south will be paved in like manner from Michigan street to the west side of the Lake Erie tracks. The council had passed a resolution to pave Garro street, which was more needed than Jefferson street, but Mr. Kellison, who with the Logan brothers, own a square each of non-valuable vacant ground, obtained a majority remonstrance and that improvement was given up for the present. The work would have imposed a heavy burden on these two property owners. Bids for the work have been advertised and it will begin as soon as possible.

The new barrel factory, secured to Plymouth by a bonus of \$2000, will soon be in active operation in the old Clizbe plant in the north part of town. E. W. League and his son James, have been here for two weeks remodeling the buildings to suit their business. They are now at work preparing the dry kiln, which is the first necessity in their business. This is 84 feet in length and is being made in part of the foundry room. The first story of the brick building will be used for manufacturing purposes and the second story will be used for storing the finished product. The plant is still running in Chicago and will continue until the new plant is ready for the machinery, so that as little time may be lost as possible. It will be a month or more before the plant will be in operation here. The office will remain in Chicago during this year. E. W. League, the son of the firm, has moved here.

C. M. A. Commencement Program

Culver Military Academy graduating exercises begin Saturday evening. The program in full follows:

- SATURDAY, JUNE 10
8:00 p. m. Illumination of Camp and Concert by Cadet Band.
- SUNDAY, JUNE 11
9:30 a. m. Battalion Review and Inspection.
11:00 a. m. Dedicatory Service, by the Rev. Edward Johnson, D. D., New York City. [Admission by card only.]
- MONDAY, JUNE 12
7:30 a. m. Guard Mounting.
8:00 a. m. Regimental Parade.
9:00 a. m. Exhibition of Blanket Riding.
10:00 a. m. Bridge Building, Signaling, Artillery Drill, Litter Drill.
4:00 p. m. Battalion Drill and Battalion Manual.
5:30 p. m. Battalion Parade.
8:00 p. m. Declamatory Contest. [Admission by card only.]
- TUESDAY, JUNE 13
7:30 a. m. Guard Mounting.
8:00 a. m. Regimental Parade.
9:00 a. m. Blanket Riding and Individual Competition for Horsemanship Medal.
10:00 a. m. to 12 a. m. Bridge Building, Signaling, Litter Drill, Artillery Drill, and Gatling Gun Drill.
4:00 p. m. Battalion Drill and Battle Exercises.
5:30 p. m. Battalion Parade.
8:00 p. m. Cotillon.
- WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14
7:30 a. m. Guard Mounting.
8:00 a. m. Regimental Parade.
9:30 a. m. Cavalry Exhibition, Troop Drill, Green Room, Cosack, and Fought Riding, Manual of the Sabre and Revolver.
10:00 a. m. Bridge Building, Signaling, Litter Drill, Artillery Drill and Gatling Gun Drill.
4:00 p. m. Escort to Colors, Battalion Drill, Competitive Drill between Companies, and Individual Competition in Manual of Arms.
5:30 p. m. Final Battalion Parade and Awarding of Certificates to Cadet Officers.
10:00 p. m. Final Ball.
- THURSDAY, JUNE 15
8:00 a. m. Guard Mounting.
8:30 a. m. Commencement Exercises, Essay or Orations by Graduating Class, Awarding of Honors, Medals, etc. [Admission by card only.]
10:30 a. m. Final Formation, Lowering the Colors, "Auld Lang Syne," and Battalion Dismissed for the Summer.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

Happenings of the Past Week in Culver and Vicinity.

Rev. Streeter sold his horse and buggy to Mr. Howard.

Farm wagons sold cheap at the Culver cash Hardware.

Miss Bessie Medbourn was in Plymouth last Saturday.

Miss Lottie Hawkins is employed at Slattery's drug store.

Charles Bush moved into Geo. Davis' new house Wednesday.

Miss Louisa Working visited at Plymouth a few days last week.

Dr. Arthur Baker, of Logansport, spent Sunday with relatives in Culver.

Frank Coleman, of Akron, Ohio, is visiting with Frank Garn near Burr Oak.

Mrs. Koshland moved into Geo. Davis' house vacated by Claud Mikessell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barber, of Payne, O., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hand.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A good Singer sewing machine. Call on Mrs. Kate Edwards.

Al Leak returned to Culver, Friday. He may remain here during the Lake season.

Fishing has been exceptionally good and many large strings of fine fish have been caught.

This promises to be an exceptionally good season for lake trade. Every cottage will be occupied.

Ezra Hawkins has purchased of Wm. Clark, the lot lying between the Evangelical church and the grist mill.

Arley Cromley, who has been working in Logansport, came home last week and will clerk at Stahl and Co's grocery this summer.

James Thayer, wife and son Walter, W. H. Young and wife, of Plymouth, and Arthur Long, of Gray's Lake, Ill., spent Friday at the lake.

Misses Olive Hayes, Esta Cromley, Clista Easterday and Bessie Medbourn, Messrs. Garland Bogardus, Ray Poor, Clark Ferrier and Park Garn drove to Kewanna Sunday and spent the day with Miss Elsie Moore.

Mr. E. A. Forbes, of the Forbes Seed Store of Plymouth, transacted business at the Academy Friday. He had the contract for furnishing the seeds, plants and flowers for the Academy and just completed the work of making delivery.

Services Sunday at the Evangelical church will be as follows: Sunday-school at 10 a. m.; Y. P. A. at 7 p. m.; Preaching at 8 p. m. Children's Day exercises will be held Sunday, June 18, at 8 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend these services.—C. McConnehey, pastor.

Reverend Streeter and Elder Maxwell may be expert fishermen but have something to learn in rowing a boat. They started out Saturday evening and in launching the boat upset it, and received a drenching. They had the bravery however to try again and succeeded in getting out on the lake but we have not heard how many fish they caught.

The Women's Session of the Marshall Co. Farmers' Institute, to be held Friday June 23 at the Court Room, will be an exceptionally interesting one. Prof. Latta, president of the College of Agriculture of the Purdue University, and a state worker, Miss M. Mathes, of Normal Ill., will be present and deliver some very practical lectures. Farmers, come and bring your families. Programs later.

Mr. Don Phillips spent Sunday in Kewanna.

Mrs. Frank Seltzer was in Plymouth Monday.

John Diport of Mishawaka was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook were here on business Saturday.

Buy your Gasoline at the Cash Hardware and get the best.

Miss Anna Irving, of Plymouth is spending a few days with friends in Culver.

Miss Tressie Rogers, of Logansport, visited Miss Maude Koontz over Sunday.

Mr. Davis, of the firm Howard & Davis, was in town for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jameson, of South Bend, visited George Davis and family Tuesday.

The Culver Novelty Company's shop is getting to be a noted hospital for crippled automobiles.

Wm. Matthew and his father John Matthew, of Plymouth, transacted business here Tuesday.

There are more people seeking rest and pleasure so early in the season than during any past year.

Messrs. Alvin Miser and Kerkenderfer, of River Park, spent a few days of last week here fishing. Mr. Miser is a cousin of Mrs. Geo. Davis.

Wm. G. Zechiel is building one of the best farm dwellings there is southwest of Culver. Mr. Zechiel is not building for style but for comfort and convenience.

The remaining notes and accounts due the Cook Brothers Hardware firm will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder. Due notice will be given of date of sale.

Clyde Souders left Monday for Denver, Colorado. He will spend the summer in the mountains of Colorado in the pursuit of better health. Our best wishes are with him.

Medbourn and Dillion are repairing the elevator and putting it in the best condition possible. If indications do no fail, we will have a magnificent crop of wheat, the bulk of which should be marketed here.

A Lawn Social will be given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed Church, on Nathaniel Gandy's lawn, Thursday evening. Ice cream, strawberries and cake will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Congressman Brick has appointed Creed H. Boncher, of New Carlisle, candidate to the Naval Academy at Annapolis; Chester C. Hand Argos, first alternate; Jay Culvert, South Bend, second alternate and Russel R. Hein, Plymouth, third alternate. The candidate must appear at Annapolis the third Tuesday in June for final mental and physical examination.

Lester W. Hills, of Fort Wayne, a reformed drunkard, will address the young people at Christian Endeavor in the Reformed church on Saturday evening. He will also speak to the children at Sunday-school. Preaching service at 11 a. m. by the pastor, subject "The offices of the Holy Spirit." Mr. Hills will give us one of his rare talks Sunday evening at 7:30. Be sure to hear him.

Herbert Hanley and wife of Winthrop, Cal., are here this week the guests of his parents, J. M. Hanley and wife. They are on their wedding trip, having been married only two weeks ago. Mr. Hanley is a mining expert. J. M. Hanley, by the way, returned home Monday from his sojourn at Mudlavia, and is much improved.—Pulaski County Democrat. The Hanleys visited the lake Thursday.

AROUND THE LAKE'S SHORES

Personal Notes of Summer Visitors at Lake Maxinkuckee.

Mrs. Maud Eddy spent Monday in Indianapolis on business.

W. H. Snyder, of Logansport, spent Sunday with his family at the lake.

W. H. Fulton and family opened Wapauca Hall for the summer, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell of Indianapolis are occupying the Stechan cottage this season.

Mrs. E. J. Culver arrived at the lake Tuesday and opened her cottage for the summer.

George B. Yandes, of the Powwow, spent the fore part of the week at Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight Culver and several guests, of St. Louis, are occupying The Roost.

Dr. Norman E. Jobs, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday with his wife and son at Highland View.

Mr. E. W. Johnson is spending the week at the lake placing the furniture in his new cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Sherrin and family arrived at the lake Wednesday and opened Beach Lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Harwood, of Logansport, arrived at the lake Friday and opened the Haws for the season.

Miss Grace Gardner and Miss Lindley, of Terre Haute, are spending a few days at the Gardner cottage.

Mrs. T. H. Wilson and family of Logansport arrived at the lake Monday and opened Squirrel Inn for the season.

Mrs. M. Nussbaum and Miss D. Englehard, of Bucyrus, Ohio, and Mrs. N. Forgostein, of Marquette, Mich., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Zehner, of Plymouth, and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Carpenter, of Montpelier, Ohio, are spending a couple of weeks at the Capron cottage.

Miss Mina Merrill, of Indianapolis, is a guest of Mrs. Hurvey Bates at Mananna. Miss Merrill is a daughter of the late Samuel Merrill, the first treasurer of the state of Indiana and also the first railroad president in the state. Mr. Merrill was state treasurer when the capital was moved from Corydon to Indianapolis, bringing the treasury, his family and household goods of two wagon loads.

Remarkable Menagerie.

Paula Edwards recently received the following letter, which if evidently the work of some polite lunatic:

"Dear Miss Edwards: Knowing you to be interested in anything novel in theatrical entertainment, I should like to make an appointment to show you my collection of trained germs. They have the well known flea circus skinned to death. The star of the company is a typhoid fever bacillus, named Mike, who can stand on all seven hands and whistle 'Home Sweet Home' through his teeth. I have also two young measles microbes who do a sister act and a family of diphtheria bacilli, the youngest of which can tuck his limbs under his neck and sit on both ears at once. The performance can be given on a stage two inches square. Kindly let me know when and where you will see me."—Minneapolis Times.

Grand Lodge Meeting B. P. O. Elks Buffalo, N. Y. July 11th to 13th. Low round trip rates via Nickle Plate Road, July 8-9-10. Long limit and stopover privilege at Chautauqua Lake. Call on Agent or address C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Ft. Wayne Ind. 7-8

THE CULVER CITIZEN.

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CULVER, INDIANA.

Perhaps a man who thinks that conscience is all Tommyrot has one of that kind.

Highwaymen robbed a preacher of \$35 and a watch, but he did not live in Vermont.

A Parisian ballet star has just passed away at the age of eighty. Cut off in her prime!

Atlanta horsehoers have gone on a strike. Atlanta might get around this trouble by using mules.

Another man has acted on Dr. Osler's suggestion by killing himself at the age of 70. He said that Osler was right.

Isn't it about time the British common law dissolved, when the members are beginning to see ghosts of former M. P.'s?

Any one having a few odd pounds of radium would do well to sell now. The price has advanced to \$5,000,000 an ounce.

Hugh O. Pentecost's remarks are inexplicable. Think of a man who lives in New York saying there is no such thing as evil!

Maybe the theory is that if a patient shows himself husky enough to stand life in the strickle zone the microbes quit in despair.

"Millionaires," declares Marie Correll, "are for the most part ill-mannered and illiterate." She doesn't say who told her so.

Having ended their experiments with baking consumptives in Florida, the doctors will now try freezing them in the arctic.

If Johann Hoch could marry forty women in fifteen years, is there really any excuse for a bachelor except that he doesn't want to?

No wonder smoteless powder proves deadly in war. It appears that large quantities of cheap whiskey are used in its manufacture.

A Memphis man fell from the eleventh story of a skyscraper and only broke three fingers. And it was the first time he ever tried it, too.

An angry Hawaiian over in Honolulu recently beat a man to death with a Bible. This is another strong argument for the flexible cover.

A Philadelphia belle kissed a hobo who stopped her horse from running away. But she had probably kissed her poodle dog often, so that it came easy.

Europe is so plastered over with automobiling Americans this summer that the gendarmes have all been obliged to learn to say: "Hold on dere, youse!"

Mr. W. H. Crane, the actor, says his success has been due to his wife. Evidently there is no immediate danger of a divorce case in the Crane family.

The Pittsburg man who has been given a fortune of 1,000,000 glasses of beer should have no difficulty in becoming a power as a leader in practical politics.

Doubtless the proposition to chloroform old John L. Sullivan and old Charley Mitchell would awaken indignant protests on the part of many excellent people.

A French peasant who lost the power of speech nine years ago has recovered it and now talks incessantly. No wonder, if he has nine years to make up for.

The department of agriculture has begun a scientific study of Limburger cheese and has already made the discovery that to ordinary people the smell is not agreeable.

A magazine writer wants to know the four sweetest words in the English language. "Enclosed please find check" is a quartet that is hard to beat when addressed to a newspaper man.

A man from Wisconsin has been engaged to teach English to the King of Spain. This is pretty sure to cause dissatisfaction in Boston, where it is claimed that the Wisconsin "Y" is a crime.

A Cleveland man has invented a contrivance that he thinks will prevent women from stepping off backward when they leave street cars. Now just let him wait and see the women fool him.

Uncle Russell Sage wishes it distinctly understood that, while he has about made up his mind to retire, nobody has dared to sneak up behind him with a spongyful of Osler chloroform, and he defies anybody to attempt it.

A pessimistic contemporary complains that when crinolines become fashionable it will not be possible for the young folks to spoon as they now do. Let him ask some of the old gray-heads about that and he will know more than he now seems to.

FORTUNES DISAPPEAR ON COTTON EXCHANGE

Telegrapher's Error Causes Prices to Advance on New Orleans Board, and Great Losses Are Recorded.

New Orleans, La., special: Because of a telegraphic error bulls were slaughtered and fortunes were swept away at the Cotton exchange Friday. Prices fell forty points from the highest of the day, or \$2 a sale, after the government report had been read. The government estimate of reduction in acreage was 11.4 per cent, or 2.83 per cent less than the eleven average estimates given before. It was 7.03 per cent less than the reduction estimate of the Southern Cotton association, which was 18.43.

The government estimate of crop conditions was 77.2. The Western Union Telegraph company announced this estimate at 75.2. The announcement was posted. Prices shot up from 8.21c to 8.50c for July, or twenty-six points, at one purchase. Then the telegraph company announced an error and the correct conditions were posted as 77.2. Prices then dropped to 8.17c, or thirty-three points.

A number of suits may follow because of this error in so critical a time. The gallery of the exchange was filled with women, members of the families of the bulls and members of the families of the bears. There was no standing room left on the floor of the exchange. The ring was crowded to the last inch. The electric fans buzzed and the linen suits turned moist.

Secretary Hester has made an issue of the blunder in the receiving of the government figures. An old-time operator made the mistake. He defines his mistake by asserting that the pandemonium made it impossible to catch the figures.

President Brittin called the exchange in order in the midst of the excitement and in the calm said that the error in sending the wrong figures by the telegraph company was an unmitigated crime. "As president of this exchange," he said, "I assure you I and the directors will do all we can to ferret out and punish the perpetrators."

One case was reported wherein an operator lost \$15,000 in exactly twenty-five seconds because of the error.

STEEL POOL IS NEAR COLLAPSE

Members Will Discuss Situation at a Meeting in New York.

Pittsburg, Pa., dispatch: Authorities here assert that the steel billet pool is on the verge of collapse. The members have called a meeting to be held in New York next Wednesday, for the purpose of canvassing the situation. Since the rail pool dissolved all the steel pools have been threatened. As a result consumers are holding back orders, believing prices will come down. One of the members admitted that one of the billet-making concerns had been offered an attractive order for delivery during the last six months of the year at a price below the pool figure and the billet producer is anxious to book the order, as there have been no orders placed for the second half of the year.

TRAIN ROBBER ADMITS CRIME

Clarence Young Says He Alone Held Up North Coast Limited.

Butte, Mont., dispatch: A special from Phillipsburg, Mont., says the train robber who held up the North Coast limited on the Northern Pacific at Bearmouth confessed the crime. He says he alone was implicated. His name is Clarence B. Young and he has been a wood chopper in the camps of Missoula and Ravalli companies for years. He obtained powder while acting as foreman of men employed on an irrigation ditch near Twin Falls, Idaho, holding out a stick at a time. Young says he held up the train more in spirit of adventure, as he had plenty of money.

ST. LOUIS BANK ASKS STATE AID

Missouri Secretary of State Rejects Plan of People's President.

St. Louis, Mo., special: E. G. Lewis, president of the People's United States bank, against which a fraud order has been recommended by postoffice officials, proposed to Secretary of State Swanger that a cashier be named by Mr. Swanger to take charge of the affairs of the bank. The proposition was rejected by Mr. Swanger. The only thing definitely agreed upon was that Attorney General Hadley should be called into the case.

Poison in Prisoners' Food.

Raleigh, N. C., special: State Chemist Burney has found arsenic in the remnants of a cabbage dinner which was given to the prisoners in the state prison, and which made over 100 of them ill. Suspicion points strongly to one of the convicts as having poisoned the food.

Hotel Clerk Kills Himself.

St. Louis, Mo., dispatch: Brooding over his ill health and lack of funds, W. H. Robinson, clerk of the Lincoln hotel, shot himself through the head.

President of Woman's College.

Ann Arbor, Mich., special: Dr. Jane Scherrer has been elected president of Oxford (O.) College for Women, to succeed Ruth Robinson, resigned.

Jealous Man Attacks Wife.

Piqua, Ohio, special: Simon Arrington cut his wife's throat while she was lying in bed. Jealousy was the cause. The man was arrested.

CORN GROWTH IS VERY SLOW

Lack of Germination, Owing to Cool Weather, Forces Replanting.

RUST APPEARS IN SIX STATES

Blackheads Have Made Their Appearance in Illinois Wheat Fields, Threatening to Play Havoc With the Winter Variety Yield.

Washington dispatch: The following is the general summary of the weekly crop report of the weather bureau:

During the week ended May 29 most of the country experienced unfavorable temperature. Rains interfered with farm work in portions of the South Atlantic and East Gulf states, Tennessee and over an area extending from central Texas northward to South Dakota, and in portions of the lake region. At the close of the week rain was much needed in New England and the Middle Atlantic states, and sunshine and warmth in the South Atlantic and East Gulf states and the Missouri valley.

Cold Weather Retards Crops. Corn planting is largely finished, except in the lake region, Ohio valley and northern portion of the Middle Atlantic states. Throughout the principal corn states germination and growth of corn have been very slow, owing to cool weather, and more than the usual amount of replanting will be necessary. In the central gulf states part of the crop has been laid by. In this region corn has suffered considerably from overflows. In northern Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Tennessee corn is much in need of cultivation.

Winter wheat has suffered slight deterioration in portions of the central and western districts of the winter wheat belt, but it continues promising in the eastern districts, an improvement being reported from Ohio.

Rust and Blackheads.

Reports of injury from rust continue from Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas, and rust and blackheads are appearing in Illinois. Generally the reports indicate that wheat is heading low. In California the crop is maturing rapidly and an average yield is indicated. In Oregon and Washington growth has been rapid, too rank growth being reported from Oregon, where it is in danger of lodging.

Although freezing temperatures occurred in the northern portion of the spring wheat region, spring wheat is reported as in good condition in Minnesota, and while frost in North Dakota proved injurious, the crop in that state has not been seriously damaged. Over the southern portion of the spring wheat region the crop has made more favorable progress, although growth has been slow. On the north Pacific coast spring wheat is much improved in Washington, but in Oregon it has advanced slowly.

Oat Promise Generally Good.

In the Dakotas, Minnesota and Nebraska oats have made slow growth, and the crop has suffered deterioration in Texas and portions of the Middle Atlantic states, but elsewhere and in principal producing states the outlook continues very promising.

Throughout nearly the whole of the cotton belt cotton is much in need of cultivation, and reports of abandoned fields are received from the Carolinas, Georgia, Alabama and Louisiana. Good stands are generally reported, but much planting remains to be done in northern Texas, and planting is unfinished in Arkansas. In southern Texas and in portions of the central and eastern districts the situation is improved, and the crop is doing well in localities. Squares are now forming in the southern portions of the central and eastern districts. Boll weevils are increasing in Texas. The general outlook for a good crop of hay continues promising.

BANK MESSENGER IS ROBBED

Four Men Secure an Empty Bag for Their Trouble.

New York dispatch: Four daring robbers held up Charles Keuhn, a messenger of the Yorkville bank of this city, in a crowded business section at Houston and Hudson streets, choked him and robbed him of an empty bag. Keuhn was on his way to other banks from which he usually returned with the bag filled with thousands of dollars in gold and notes. Three of the robbers escaped. The fourth, an ex-convict named Hogan, who only a short time ago finished a 12-year sentence for highway robbery, was pursued and captured by a detective after he had attempted to shoot his pursuer.

AMERICANS ARE SENT TO PRISON

Capture of Hunters by Russians on High Seas Is Recorded.

Victoria, B. C., special: A letter has been received from Habarovsk telling of the imprisonment of a sealer from Victoria and two American hunters, in common with a score of Japanese who were captured by Russians on the Japanese schooner Koyuchil in Okhotsk sea last August. Each was sentenced to one year and four months imprisonment for hunting fur seals, though captured on the high sea. The sentences date from Feb. 8 and will be served at Habarovsk.

NORWEGIANS PREPARE FOR SEPARATE STATE

Country is Determined to Have Consular System Apart From That of Sweden and Republic May Result.

Christiania cables: Premier Michelsen at Friday's session of the storting gave the members an account of the occurrences at the council of state over which King Oscar presided at Stockholm May 27, when the king vetoed the measure providing for separate consular systems for Sweden and Norway. The statement, however, was merely a repetition of the facts already known and the matter was referred to the special committee which is dealing with the question. In this connection it is said Norway is preparing for the eventuality of war. Her leading officials scoff at the idea that she will be gobbled up by some great power if she breaks the union with Sweden.

Norway is determined to have her own separate consular system, come what may. It is even intimated that the government is prepared for independence in all things. A new kingdom may be formed, but there are some who say a new republic is more likely to be Norway's fate.

One thing is certain, that the government has taken precaution to repulse any attack that may be made by land or sea. Red flags have been placed in the hands of the recluses of churches to be displayed in the event of danger. This signal will be emphasized by the ringing of church bells. Norway's field artillery is among the best in the world. The navy is weak in big ships, but the inlet can be easily defended by mines. The entrances by sea to Christiania, Christiansand, Bergen and Trondhjem are powerfully fortified.

It is rumored that the premier has secured two new battleships. All the forts in the kingdom are fully manned and target practice is being carried on with enormous howitzers.

MINE OWNERS BATTLE IN PITTSBURG HOTEL

Fire Department is Called Upon to Arrest Four Men Who Quarrel Over Transfer of Property.

Pittsburg, Pa., dispatch: Arthur Elliott of the Empire Trust company New York; John D. Morgan of Alaska and Japan, one of the largest holders of the properties in this country; John F. Saunders of Idaho, a mine owner and prospector, and Joseph H. Richl, a mining engineer of this city, engaged in a desperate fight in a room at the Griswold hotel. At the point of a revolver Saunders demanded that Elliott sign a paper in a mining deal. When he refused to do so the fight started. Elliott was knocked down several times, his face badly bruised and the furniture of the room smashed. The hotel clerk summoned an officer, but the door of the room was locked. A hook and ladder company was then called. It entered through the windows and arrested the four men.

According to the story told Magistrate Moke at the central station, Morgan and Saunders are associated together. The former owns large properties in Alaska and sold a large parcel of this property to Richl. Subsequently a suit was filed by Orlando M. Harper of New York to recover \$350,000 from Morgan and Saunders on commission for the sale of the property to Richl. This suit is now pending in this city and it is claimed by Morgan that Elliott is an agent for Harper and interested with him in bringing the suit. When the four men met in Richl's room Morgan accused Elliott of being implicated with Harper in the suit, which Elliott denied. A demand was then made that he sign a document to that effect.

Magistrate Moke fined Elliott, Morgan and Richl \$1 each, and Saunders \$5.

FIND CASH AND BONDS IN SAND

Money and Securities Stolen in Illinois Hidden in Indiana.

Bedford, Ind., special: Workmen engaged in unloading a carload of sand found hidden in it several bundles of papers, which proved to be bonds and securities valued at \$300,000. They were identified as the property of the Wilmington (Ill.) bank, which was robbed of the papers and \$2,500 cash on May 9. The papers have been returned to the bank.

INDICTS THE ZEIGLER COMPANY

Illinois Grand Jury Decides Mining Laws Have Been Violated.

Springfield, Ill., dispatch: As result of a ten days' investigation into alleged violation of the mining laws of Illinois, a Franklin county grand jury, in session at Benton, has returned four indictments against the Zeigler Coal company, whose mine was the scene a short time ago of an explosion that cost the lives of a half hundred miners.

Babe Eats Strychnine Tablets.

Hammond, Ind., dispatch: Frank Kramer, the 3-year-old son of a prominent Hobart business man, climbed upon the desk in his father's study and found strychnine tablets. The child thinking the pellets were candy, ate them and died.

President's Southern Trip.

Washington, dispatch: It is officially announced that the president's southern trip will begin Oct. 17 and that it will occupy twelve days. The extra session of congress will, therefore, not be called for Oct. 16 as was expected.

GOOD WEATHER FAVORS TRADE

Labor Troubles Cause Investors to Be Wary of New Enterprises.

ACTIVITY IN MANUFACTURING

Well-Sustained Demand for the Output of the Factories Adds Steadiness to Prices—Prospects for Crops Are Encouraging.

Chicago dispatch: The weekly review of Chicago trade published by R. G. Dun & Co. says:

"Business was favorably influenced by more reasonable weather and the distribution of commodities expanded, reflecting a sustained high volume of consumption. The labor troubles continue a cause of disquiet and hinder investment in new enterprises, but other developments have added to confidence in the commercial outlook.

"Manufacturing remains very active in leading lines, and has gathered further strength from the well-maintained demand for future output and steadiness in prices. The wholesale branches found buying better divided in staple needs for both city and interior, the movement being satisfactory for this period in dry goods, clothing, footwear and food products and better than a year ago in sporting goods, automobiles and carriages. Local retail trade made progress, and stock of light-weight apparel were materially reduced.

Farm Work Is Advanced.

"Reports from the farming sections show spring work almost ended, crop prospects advancing, and the demand gaining for necessities and improvement material. Mercantile defaults are seen to be comparatively few, less complaint is heard as to collections generally and money remains ample for ordinary purposes.

"The metal and wood industries exhibit no falling off in the production of finished materials, and prices for northern iron are stiffer in anticipation of early revival in the demand. Shipments of mill and furnace product are of record-breaking tonnage. Factory work presents more activity, particularly in farm implements, hardware, special machinery and electric supplies.

"Building material of all kinds remains in widespread request, and receipts of lumber were 46,079,000 feet, against 32,507,000 feet a year ago. "The markets for hides and leather were fair in volume. Shoe factories obtained additional orders for fall goods, and working forces were increased.

Railroad Earnings.

"Earnings of western railroads again exceeded those of the corresponding week last year, testifying to sustained expansion in the movement of freight. The marketing of grain was 17 per cent over that of a year ago, and the shipments increased 5.6 per cent. Forwarding was heavy in provisions, corn and oats, but slightly lessened in wheat, hides and live stock.

"Board of trade operations largely centered in the winding up of the May options in the two prominent cereals. Cash dealings were limited owing to the high prices which prevailed, and growers secured their profits. Export demand was poor in all the breadstuffs, current quotations being a discouragement. Grain receipts, 3,546,186 bushels, compared with 3,063,138 bushels a year ago, and the shipments were 2,620,115 bushels, against 2,479,304 bushels.

"Compared with the closings of a week ago values advanced in oats 1 1/2 cents a bushel, in wheat 1 cent, ribs 2 1/2 cents, pork 1 1/2 cents and lard 15 cents, and declined in corn 10 cents, cattle 5 cents, sheep 10 cents and hogs 15 cents.

"Failures reported in the Chicago district number thirteen, against twenty-six last week and twenty-three a year ago."

WOMAN GETS ANOTHER CHANCE

Supreme Court Justice to Hear Plea for Mrs. Rogers.

Montpelier, Vt., dispatch: Chief Justice Rowell of the state supreme court refused to grant a writ of error in the case of Mrs. Mary M. Rogers, condemned to death for the murder of her husband. Gov. DeCl. however, announced that he would grant the woman another reprieve for a short time in order that her attorneys might have an opportunity to bring the matter before one of the justices of the United States supreme court. Justice Rowell declared that no federal question was involved.

Trouble for Coal Miners.

Victoria, B. C., special: John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, is said to be coming to Nanaimo in connection with the trouble which has arisen in the mines owing to the enforcement of the new legislation on curtailing the eight-hour law.

Buy Stock Transfer Stamps.

New York, dispatch: Brokers have begun to lay in a supply of the new stock transfer stamps, which will have to be fixed to all sales. Brokerage houses often sell 10,000 to 20,000 shares of stock for a customer, which will require 100 or 200 of the \$2 stamps.



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Just Discrimination in Railway Rates.

All railroad men qualified to speak on the subject in a responsible way are likely to agree with President Samuel Spencer of the Southern Railway. There is no division of opinion as to the desirability of stopping all secret or unjustly discriminatory devices and practices of whatsoever character.

Mr. Spencer, in speaking of "unjustly discriminatory" rates and devices, makes a distinction which is at once apparent to common sense. There may be discrimination in freight rates which is just, reasonable and imperatively required by the complex commercial and geographical conditions with which expert rate makers have to deal. To abolish such open and honest discrimination might paralyze the industries of cities, states and whole sections of our national territory.

This distinction between just and unjust discrimination is clearly recognized in the conclusions of the International Railway Congress, published yesterday:

"Tariffs should be based on commercial principles, taking into account the special conditions which bear upon the commercial value of the services rendered. With the reservation that rates shall be charged without arbitrary discrimination to all shippers alike under like conditions, the making of rates should be as far as possible have all the elasticity necessary to permit the development of the traffic and to produce the greatest results to the public and to the railroads themselves."

The present proposal is, as Mr. Walker B. Hines of Louisville showed in his remarkable testimony the other day before the Senate Committee at Washington, to crystallize flexible and justly discriminatory rates into fixed government rates which cannot be changed except by the intervention of some government tribunal, and by this very process to increase "the temptation to depart from the published rate and the lawful rate in order to meet some overpowering and urgent commercial condition."—New York Sun.

"The Flower of Destiny," by William Dana Orcutt, is the love story of Napoleon III. and Eugenie, here woven into a dramatic romance. Interest in this all-absorbing love affair seems to never lag. Mile. de Montijo is a most fascinating heroine and the love affair leading up to the crown of violets has many idyllic qualities. The book is written in a most charming manner, and is an ideal love tale. The illustrations and marginal decorations make it a work of high artistic merit. (A. C. McClurg & Co.)

The July issue of World's Work will be their annual "Uplift" number. Their readers will remember that once a year they turn from all the depressing things which are met with daily in regular course and dwell upon the side which is most encouraging. The number will tell of the really big things which are being done in the way of spiritual and mental uplift throughout the whole country.

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Cupid draws plans for many an air castle.

Mistress Rosemary Allyn

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CHAPTER XIX—Continued.

"I do not know," she said, and shook her head. "I am sorry if Martin annoys you, sir; he is restless today—I cannot quiet him," she added. "Poor devil!" I ejaculated, as holding my heavy head tightly between my hands I was able to follow what he was reciting.

"Oh, God! Oh, God!"—How weary, stale and unprofitable—"Get thee to a nunnery"—"Alas, poor Yorick"—"He poisons him in the garden."

"Poor devil!" I repeated; "a mad Hamlet truly."

Turning to Alice I said courteously: "I see in some way unaccountable to me I have intruded upon your hospitality—I am waiting to know why?"

"I will tell you if you promise to talk no more, only listen," she added. I assured her of my willingness to listen, and she began:

"It is now going on the fifth day since Martin and I found you all unconscious—dead, I thought—but I will begin at the beginning. You see, Martin and I were coming into London—I know, sir, it is risky—but I did so long to see the town before I left it never to return, for you must know we are on our way to Bristol to sail for America, I thought I could easily stay hidden here for a few days."

"You mean to say that you will burden yourself with a deaf person in a new land?" I found myself asking.

"What else can I do, sir?" she queried; "I could not leave him here alone—he has no one else in the world save me—it would be cruel to leave him alone."

"Nothing else," I replied, not willing to spoil her fine charity.

"We had not come into London yet, when a fog closed in upon us—such a fog as London had not seen in many a day," she said. "We were

had been struck upon the head and rendered unconscious. Before the miscreants had attempted the dastardly deed, however, they had made sure of the identity of their victim, for I remembered a light being swung before my face, and an unknown voice crying, "It is he." Who had struck the blow? What was the object? I had been searched—I saw from the wall where my clothes hung some of the pockets still lay turned out. For what? Not money, Alice was positive, for there was plenty in the pockets which had been left in their original position. For the paper given me by my father? I had told no one but the King of that. I bade Alice bring me my coat when I recollected that I had given the locket with the note still intact within it to Rosemary. For the other paper, perhaps? Well, I chuckled with satisfaction, if it was a paper they were after, they got not what they wished.

"I thank you, Alice," I said; "but for you and Martin I might be by now food for the worms. Again I thank you, for I honestly believe that I owe my life to you."

"Oh, sir," she cried, tears starting to her eyes—they seemed ever ready to flow upon the instant—"I am not worthy to take it. Did I not steal from you—and you so good to poor Martin and me?"

"That is past and done, my girl," I said. "And as it happened you did no harm." I grasped her hand. "From now on I am your friend," I added.

While speaking, for Alice, seeing that it made me more excited not to talk, had let me have my way, we had paid slight heed to Martin, who still spouted Shakespeare, now Hamlet, now another.

Suddenly he came toward us; he strode with the stage glide of the villain. As he neared us he pointed to



"Enter the ghost—he comes, he comes!"

heavily laden. Each of us had a pack—our little belongings. I was fearful as we trudged along, groping our way from street to street, lest we be set upon and our few possessions taken from us. Hardly a light anywhere save the few lanterns carried by provident wayfarers. You shrink from everyone and everyone shrinks from you. Gentlemen carry their naked swords in their hands. Men and women prey upon one another. All is fear! We had reached the end of Bow Street when Martin stumbled over something huddled in the road and fell. I lighted a taper—I recognized you!"

I thought (my head was clearer now) of Rosemary and our wild ride through the fog that night as contrasted with this poor woman's wanderings with her deaf mate; of Rosemary as she stood at the door of the inn, her cloak half slipped from off her; of the petals which lay on her shoulder, shaken from the roses low in her hair, nestling against her neck. Ah, there was no one more beautiful than she! And so thinking, I lost the thread of her discourse. When I came back from soaring near to heaven I heard her say:

"I tied a bit of ribbon on one of the spikes of the gate, so that I should know the place, and because we had to hide our bundles beneath the hedge so as to be free to carry you. When I went back for them I learned who owned the place and who lived there, thinking that if you recovered you might wish to know. The house is on Bow Street surrounded by large grounds, inclosed by high brick walls, ivy grown."

"I know the place," I murmured. "We carried you between us," she continued. "Often we had to stop and I would leave Martin and you—a madman and a corpse—and go to inquire the way of the first passerby I could meet, my heart thumping in my breast for fear I should ask some evil inclined person and be directed wrong. Thus, after hours of wandering hither and thither within a radius of a few miles, we came to Mac's. She is a charwoman," she explained, "who used to clean at the old Drury when I acted there. I was once able to do her a slight service, and for the sake of those old days she took us in."

My brain was not idle—the night of the fog after I had left Rosemary I

the window and said: "Enter the ghost—he comes, he comes—make way, ye slaves." A shadow spread itself upon the shade of the window and faded away. Alice put her finger upon her lips to silence Martin, while she went to the door without a sound and stood listening.

CHAPTER XX.

A Wager and What Came of It. A sword handle fell heavily upon the door, wielded by no slight hand. "Open, it is I—Gil Monte; open I say," cried a voice, and again there was a tremendous banging at the door.

"Open," I too cried—"It is Gil!" "Yes, yes," Alice answered, as she made haste to unhasp the latch, and Gil rushed in.

"At last! my lord, at last!" he cried, as he hastened to my side. From the break in his voice I understood plainer than words could have told me the anxiety he had passed through. "It is as I feared—you have been hurt!" he questioned.

"Not much, a crack on the back of the head," I replied, "and this cut."

"It is enough, from your looks," he said dryly.

"Tell me how you succeeded in finding this hiding place?" I asked anxiously. "For what you have done others may do—and so Alice's safety be imperiled."

"Ah! 'pretty Alice Lynson'—more petticoats," Gil said, laying his hand upon his breast and bowing low before her.

"Poof! You!" Alice cried scornfully, and swung round on her foot, presenting her back to him.

He gave a perplexed look at her back and then turned to me.

"When you did not meet us at the marsh as agreed," he said, "I sent all the men on to Long Haut, except Torraine and your linkman, Pat. We came back to London by separate ways and ever since have been searching high and low for you. It did not take us long to find that you had been hurt or killed, we knew not which, near the Bow Street mansion. Then what had become of you was a mystery—I could learn nothing. In despair I hung about the Duke's theater—"

"A risky thing to do," I interrupted him.

"Perhaps," he acknowledged; "but I kept my hat slouched over my face, and I put me on a wig, and long coat; you see it alters me somewhat!" I smiled—a babe could have seen through the trick. But no doubt my enemy, he who had been instrumental in my hurt, thinking me dead, did not care to molest him.

"At last, desperate, I asked the services of both Lady Felton and Mistress Gwyn—they could ferret out nothing new," he continued, "and I was about at my end, when—it is hardly an hour ago—I received a whispered word, 'Back alley, foot of Chune Street.' Although I was after her like a flash—it was a woman—she escaped me; hid herself among the wags or stage gim-cracks, where I came near to being lost. As soon as I found my way out I lost no time in coming here."

"It must have been Mag," Alice put in.

"Who is Mag?" questioned Gil.

"The woman who rents these rooms and lets us stay here with her," she replied rather tartly.

"That settles it," said he. "Did I not say that all the mischief was concocted by the petticoat army?"

"You did indeed," I could not help smiling at his manner. "But they also perform good services, witness what Alice did—and would you have been any the wiser as to my whereabouts if Mag had not informed you?"

"What did Alice do?" he quickly asked.

"She dragged me here from where she found me on Bow Street, and has since cared for me," I said. "If it had not been for her, instead of finding a quick man, you would have found a corpse, if anyone at all."

"Em!" he muttered. "I care not—they serve best where best paid. I must get you hence—I will send for Torraine and a stretcher. Who knows but it may be a trap?"

"Beast!" ejaculated Alice. "Know, sir, that Mag would do no one a mean trick," she added to me.

I reassured her with a smile. The madman, Martin, whom she had taken care of as a mother her sick child, came out of his corner at her raised voice, and laid his hand timidly on her arm.

"Pretty Alice Lynson—pretty Alice Lynson," he murmured, "I know where violets grow the color of your eyes—rosemary, too, and fennel, and here's rue for you. Why do you cry? I will get you some." And he started for the door.

"No, no," she said, "Alice is not crying—you must stay with Alice." The madman hesitated and looked longingly at the door.

"Alice will cry, indeed, if you leave her," she said. Thereat he came back, and went into his corner, from whence the crooning began again.

Gil watched the couple with shamed eyes, but he was not satisfied and muttered:

"I think it best to go and call Torraine. I kept Pat and him with me, sir, for they could go into places that I dared not venture for fear of recognition. I will be back with a stretcher in a wink."

He would have gone, but I called him back.

"It is early yet, Gil, be in no haste," I entreated.

"My lord, I have much to tell you," he pleaded.

"Tell it here and now," I commanded.

He gave a sigh of resignation. "Do you know where the locket is that you wore pinned upon your coat the night you left me?" he queried.

"Yes," I replied. Had I not given it myself to Rosemary?

"Where is it?" he demanded.

"It appears to me, Gil, that you are busying yourself about something which does not concern you. My God!" I started up only to fall back again. "How many days have I lain here?"

"Five days, sir," replied Alice and Gil in the same breath.

(To be continued.)

WEAR GEMS OF PHAROAH'S.

London Society Women Proud of Jewels From the Pyramids. Happy the woman of today who owns some gem worn by a princess of Egypt when the world was younger; joyous is she who adorns herself with any ornament taken from a mummy, for such jewels bring the best luck, women firmly believe at the moment, and they all yearn to wear them.

Mrs. Clarence Mackay of New York possesses a world-circumference necklace that decked a daughter of the Pharaohs and Mrs. St. John Broderick rejoices over some quaint, priceless jewels that shone by the Nile. Many fashionables are wearing a little pendant or charm made of New Zealand jade, the Pounamu stone, which always bestows good fortune.

Sarah Bernhardt's favorite mascot is a necklace of gold nuggets which the admiring miners of California presented to her. An English actress, Miss Irene Van Brugh, pins her faith to a girle of splendid turquoises.

In Lent.

Henry M. Flagler, at a dinner party at Palm Beach, said, apropos of Lent: "A clergyman told me one day in Lent how, the Sunday before, he had preached from the text, 'All flesh is grass.'"

In Women's Interests

Summer Girdles.

A girle that will be worn with many a summer silk is the wide ribbon girle. Handsome pompadour ribbon, maybe twelve inches wide, is shirred in front and boned. This front is fastened with hooks, which are covered with tiny bows of narrow satin ribbon. In the back the girle is slit open and laced with ribbons, which are tied in little knots. The effect is as pretty as can be.

"One should make half a dozen of these laced girles," said a girle maker, "for they are so necessary this summer. One must have a cream-colored one, trimmed with pale pink satin bows, and one must have a black one, and, of course, an all white one. Then there come the big flowered ribbons, the plaid ribbons and the marvelous novelties which are worn this year. They cost a great deal of money, but they make the most attractive girles."

Season of Lace.

It will be a veritable season of lace, from the spun silk under wear with the pretty valenciennes lace and silk trimmings and cache corsets made entirely of broderie anglaise and edged with valenciennes to the elaborate lace creations which are designated reception toilettes. Even the tailor-mades emanating from the best houses have quaintly slashed three-quarter sleeves, and fronts cut low so as to demand a lace blouse beneath for their successful completion; and these shorter sleeves of necessity require either a long lace cuff or double frills as a finish. Again, for the decoration of both day and evening corsages some lace arrangement is a sine qua non, and there is quite a revival of schus and braces as instanced at a recent important wedding in Paris.

Two Quaint Ideas.

A quaint idea is the fashioning of a little silk bag, embroidered to match gown and parasol, this slung over the arm with knotted silk ribbons.

We have the lingerie waist, the lingerie gown, the lingerie hat, and now it is the lingerie parasol, made to match all the rest of the lingerie possessions. Trunks, braiding, lace insertions, and appliques abound upon this smart sunshade, and the wires of the frame are all twisted around with a white floss silk which gives them the appearance of having been enameled. The tips, too, are enameled, or else they are of brass and a goodly size, too.

The Newest Buttons.

In the trimming world one of the most striking novelties is a button of shaded chenille and metal. The center of the button is of chenille thread running round in circles, and shading from dark at the corner to light at the outer edge.

This chenille disc, which is usually concave, and has a tiny point of gleaming metal at its center, is framed in a wrought metal circle of shaded gold, copper, or silver, according to the color with which the metal is to harmonize. In greens and in browns these buttons are particularly good.

Delightful shadings and designs in enamel, metal and in cut work metal tinted to dull yet delicate metallic colorings, are greatly liked; and it is possible to find in these buttons almost any color combination desired. Ivory and imitation jewels set in metal open work are among the button novelties.

Shirt Blouse for Summer.

An unusual and pretty result has been effected in this model by combining tucks in two widths. Both are attached to yoke depth, the narrow cluster giving a becoming fullness and



the wider ones broadening the shoulder line. Silk poplin has replaced brilliantine to a great extent this season, as it is softer and more lustrous, while equally desirable and inexpensive. This material in a shade of gray would make a charming waist for spring and summer after the pattern illustrated.

Details in Dress.

Great attention is paid to the small details in dress such as belts, buckles, collars and neck accessories. There is nothing startlingly new in belts, the latest novelty, however, being that made of striped patent leather such as red and white and blue and white, the stripes being about a quarter-inch in width and the buckles quite plain and generally of dull gold. These belts and

those of soft plain patent leather which are fashionable are two inches wide, and the fancy ones of galon or elastic are the same width, but the buckles which fasten them are veritable works of art, figures in dull gold and oxidized silver being wrought with a master hand. Many ladies are utilizing family relics for their belts, large old buttons in gold and enamel as well as buckles being requisitioned to fasten them.

Attractive Frock for a Girl.

The illustration here shows a pretty dress for a girl that can be



developed without lace or embroidery into a generally useful dress, or, if desired, the deep-pointed collar can be so trimmed as to give the frock a very dressy appearance. The three tucks on skirt, waist and sleeves give a very stylish look to this frock, which can also be finished with round neck and elbow puff sleeves.

For the Little Ones.

One of the prettiest styles for little girls, and (it must be confessed) one far more becoming to them than to their older sisters and mothers who strive to imitate it, is the suspender frock. These were worn a good deal last season and through the winter, and so thoroughly satisfactory have they proved that their popularity is on the increase for the summer months. Scotch plaids or tiny checked gingham, piped in green, white, blue or red, worn with white muslin or linen blouses, are most suitable for morning and form a little change from the ubiquitous sailor suit, while even for afternoon, in silk, pongee and delicately tinted linens, they will be fashionable with the sheerest of daintily lingerie and embroidered blouses.

Wash Negligees.

For the home-making of the simple wash negligees, which contribute so much toward summer rest and pleasure, let the maid clever at her needle not forget the French batistes. These delicate textiles, as palely colored as the first spring flowers, wash like longcloth, besides affording a matchless daintiness.

Narrow stripes and the finer patterns are more effective than the larger designs, and valenciennes lace, both the French and German sorts, are durable and beautifying trimmings. Some corded batistes seen, with pale pink and blue stripes, were most charming, and for hot weather use the more delicate the color the better.

Pongees Remain Popular.

The pongees are more in evidence as the season advances, and though they have no such vogue as taffeta, they are the material employed in a goodly number of the smart silk street frocks. A deep ecrû shantung, with a dash of amber in its tone, made quite simply with revers of the silk embroidered in self tone and bordered by stitched bands of the silk, and with soft searls of the silk to fasten the coat at the bust, is one of the frocks we have chosen for illustration; and in the same shop was a most delightful soft dull blue shantung made with a plain full skirt plaited on the hips and a short loose bolero, whose collar and pocket flaps showed glimpses of orange in their blue embroidery.

Flower Pots.

Do not empty pots and put them away dirty, for the chances are that they never will get cleaned, and when cold weather comes plants will be hustled into them, with all their pores clogged with old dirt, and absolutely unfit for use. When the plants are boded out, put the empty pots in a tub of water, let soak a few hours, scrub with an old whisk broom and drain dry. It takes but a little time, and the plants do enough better in them to pay for the trouble.—National Magazine.

Preparation of Spinach.

Wash two pounds of spinach and boil it till tender, with just a little water in the bottom of the saucepan; then press out the water and rub it through a sieve.

Dissolve an ounce of butter in a saucepan and fry it in one onion minced finely, a dessert spoonful of flour and then rub into it the same quantity of curry powder. Stir well; then add the spinach, two dessert spoonfuls of cream, some poked shrimps, a little salt, and if too thick, a little gravy. Cook the mixture all together for a few minutes and serve very hot on squares of buttered toast.

THE PRESIDENT MOVES FOR PEACE

Mr. Roosevelt Urges Russia to End the War in the Far East.

BOTH NATIONS OUR FRIENDS

Chief Executive, as a Disinterested Third Party, Confers With Count Cassini on Advisability of Cessation of Hostilities.

Washington dispatch: The president Friday struck a blow for peace in the far east. In a conference at the White House with Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, he expressed the earnest hope that Russia would forthwith conclude peace with Japan. Prolongation of the war, he believes, will not result in victory for the Russian arms and can only serve to increase Japan's demands and render more difficult the drafting of a treaty of peace which the czar, as well as the mikado, can sign.

The president spoke, he said, as the friend of Russia, no less than of Japan, and on behalf not only of the Washington government, but in the interest of humanity.

Until his words have reached Tsar-Ko Solo and have been communicated to Emperor Nicholas in the friendly spirit in which they were uttered, their effect cannot be estimated. Soon after reaching his embassy Count Cassini began the preparation of a dispatch to his government.

Cassini Gives His Views.

Count Cassini was unable to do more than to give the president his own personal opinions on the situation. He could not see, however, that there was anything in the present situation, unfortunate as it undoubtedly was for his government, which necessitated Russia's suing for peace. As to territory, he pointed out that China and not Russia had been the loser, for even Port Arthur was held only under lease. On the sea, Russia had nothing more to lose, he said.

It was the ambassador's firm opinion that this was not "the psychological moment" in which to discuss peace with Japan. Whatever might be the ultimate decision of his government, he took the ground that Russia could lose nothing either by waiting or by continuing the war on land. There was hope yet of a victory for the Russian arms, and in any event Russia had not yet lost one foot of territory nor was the Russian frontier endangered.

Japan's Terms too Severe.

The ambassador pointed out that there was no slightest official intimation from any source, as to Japan's probable terms, and that these demands as stated unofficially were "altogether impossible." If Japan's terms should prove anything like as severe as they have been reported it was the ambassador's opinion that Russia could advantageously continue the war indefinitely and eventually win a victory on land. That his government would so decide he did not wish to predict, but at last accounts the emperor was for a continuation of the war.

Thus the conversation continued for more than half an hour, being characterized throughout by frankness and friendliness. Later on when the ambassador has heard from his government, after communicating the president's views and the president's willingness to render Russia any service possible in initiating peace negotiations with Japan, he will have another talk with the president.

CHAPLAIN OF THE SENATE DEAD

The Rev. Albert G. Goodspeed Passes Away in His 84th Year.

Minook, Ill., dispatch: The Rev. Albert G. Goodspeed died at his residence here Wednesday in the 84th year of his age. He served twice in the Illinois house of representatives, was twice a chaplain and was three times chaplain of the senate, filling that office at the late session. He was a member of the steering committee of the house during the memorable contest ending in John A. Logan's election to the United States senate.

MUST SURRENDER ALL PASSES

Indiana Officials, Governor Says, Shall Accept No Railroad Favors.

Laporte, Ind., special: Jail is yawning for public officials of this state if they do not return their railroad passes before July 1. Gov. Hanly has started the crusade and says he is determined to have passholders after the date specified prosecuted by the new railroad commission, which takes office next month. All state, county and township officers are affected by the governor's order.

Nearly Asphyxiated.

New York special: Lewis Cohn, 46 years old, a retired merchant, who came to New York a year ago from California, where he is said to have made a fortune, was found half suffocated by illuminating gas in his apartments in the Hotel Highland.

Old-Time Robber Is Dead.

New York dispatch: James Hope, otherwise known as "Jimmy" Hope, leader of the band which robbed the Manhattan bank in this city of nearly \$3,000,000 in money and securities nearly thirty years ago, is dead at his home here.

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lows: Tuesdays at my residence, and Satur-
days at my office over the Exchange Bank, Cul-
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FRANK M. PARKER, Trustee.

Vandalia Railroad Co. Time Table.

IN EFFECT MAY 28, 1904.

NORTH BOUND

No. — Daily 8:16 a. m.
" 40 " 11:28 a. m.
" 42 " Ex. Sun. 6:53 p. m.
" — Sunday only . . . 5:50 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

No. 41 Daily Ex. Sun. 6:06 a. m.
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LOCAL ITEMS

FOR RENT—Three rooms. Inquire at the CITIZEN office.

S. E. Medbourn is grading his lot where Sam Hessel lives.

FOR SALE—A good forty acre farm. Enquire of Stahl & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. George Green visited at Plymouth Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Robert Rea came home Friday to visit with his parents for a few days.

Wm. Porter is in search of a flowing well at his cottage on the east side.

Chester Easterday has accepted a position as clerk at the Cash Hardware.

The Senior and Junior classes of the Argos High School spent Tuesday at lake.

A new school building for Culver is in sight and may materialize this summer.

H. M. Speyer went to Chicago Tuesday to buy goods. Look out for something new.

The Methodist Church held its quarterly conference here Saturday. Elder Maxwell officiated.

Frank Baker is cutting the grass and weeds along the streets. More work of the kind should be done.

Mrs. Harry Phillips, of Chicago, visited a few days this week with her sisters, Mrs. Kate Edwards and Mrs. Hickman.

Bert Allman, of the Big Store, Plymouth, made his weekly visit here Friday. He stated that he purchased five lots of fine wool while here.

When the lines that are now in the course of construction are completed, Culver and Union township will have the best telephone service in the county. Culver boys were at Monterey Sunday to witness a game of ball between Burr Oak and Monterey teams. The home team won the game.

Charles Hays and Nathaniel Gandy were at Hanlet and LaPorte for a few days last week. Mr. Hays bought an exceptionally fine match team of bay driving horses.

Henry Zechiel is circulating a petition to change the location of the school grounds from the present site, to one west of John, Albert and Jacob Zechiel's residences.

International Sunday School Convention Toronto, Ont., June 20 to 27. Tickets on sale via Nickel Plate Road June 19-20-22-23.

Long return limit. Stop over at Chautauqua Lake and Niagara Falls. Call on Agent or address C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Ft. Wayne Ind.

The following guests were entertained at the home of C. E. Hibray and family last Sunday. Geo. Wooley and family, Hazel Mable, John and Bernard Phoebus, Miss Rena Listerberger, Mr. and Mrs. Black, of Twelve Mile and E. T. Robinson and family, of Argos. Ice cream and cake were served.

Cuban Diarrhoea.

U. S. Soldiers who served in Cuba during the Spanish war know what this disease is, and that ordinary remedies have little more effect than so much water. Cuban diarrhoea is almost as severe and dangerous as a mild attack of cholera. There is one remedy, however, that can always be depended upon as will be seen by the following certificate from Mrs. Minnie Jacobs of Houston, Texas: "I hereby certify that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured my husband of a severe attack of Cuban diarrhoea, which he brought home from Cuba. We had several doctors but they did him no good. One bottle of this remedy cured him, as our neighbors will testify. I thank God for so valuable a medicine." For sale by T. E. Slattery.

WASHINGTON.

Miss Jones Correspondent.

B. A. Curtis has a telephone. Everybody is through planting corn in this neighborhood.

Ollie Jones and family visited Geo. Peoples and family Sunday.

The ice cream social at R. Hibray's was a success the proceeds netted \$18.

Henry Burkett and wife took dinner with B. A. Curtis and family Sunday.

A. L. Wilson and wife returned to South Bend after a few days visit with relatives here.

Walter and Vada Pontius and Mary Spellman took dinner with Mrs. E. Hibray Sunday.

Children day exercises at the East Washington church June 18 and at West Washington June 25th.

Charley Harris and Miss Minnie Richards were married at the parsonage Tuesday May 30th by Rev. Whittaker.

John Finney visited William Klimes one evening of last week, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Effie Irwin.

Sprained Ankle, Stiff Neck, Lame Shoulder.

These are three common ailments for which Chamberlain's Pain Balm is especially valuable. If promptly applied it will save you time, money and suffering when troubled with any one of these ailments. For sale by T. E. Slattery.

NORTH BEND.

Mrs. June Castleman Correspondent.

Miss May Lucas was the guest of Lizzie Castleman Sunday.

Alvin Good and family spent Sunday with Watson Roming and family.

Mrs. Harry Leopold Myrtle Drake and Lizzie Castleman were in Ora Saturday.

Henry Tritax and family of Center, spent Sunday with relatives in our vicinity.

Lang spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister Mrs. Corna Kaley of Delong.

Frank Hartman and wife of Monterey were the guests of Miss Dot Bowen Sunday afternoon.

Joseph Castleman and wife spent Sunday in Monterey the guests of Finley Johnson and wife.

Solomon Wolfram, wife and daughter, Lucy, of Monterey were buggy riding in our vicinity Sunday.

Dr. Stevens of Maxinkuckee was called to Harry Leopold's Monday their baby being sick, but is better now.

Misses Bertha Mabler and May Daddleson and Zina Overmyer attended the ball game at Monterey Sunday afternoon. Mr. Overmyer was one of the players of the Burr Oak team, which was defeated by a score of 15 to 16.

Just What Everyone Should Do.

Mr. J. T. Barber of Irwinville, Ga., always keeps a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand ready for instant use. Attacks of colic, cholera morbus and diarrhoea come on so suddenly that there is no time to hunt a doctor or go to the store for medicine. Mr. Barber says: "I have tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which is one of the best medicines I ever saw. I keep a bottle of it in my room as I have had several attacks of colic and it has proved to be the best medicine I ever used." Sold by T. E. Slattery.

Had your vacation yet? If not let us help you to select a nice cool spot along the line of the Nickel Plate Road. For lists of hotels, boarding places, resorts and camping and fishing grounds call on agent or address C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Ft. Wayne, Ind., or B. F. Horner, C. P. A., Cleveland, Ohio. 6-30

A delightful Sunday trip via the Nickel Plate Road every Sunday for parties of five or more can obtain round trip tickets at \$1.00 for each person to any point within 100 miles of selling station. Call on agent or address C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Everybody reads THE CITIZEN

CULVER MARKETS.

(Compiled June 7)

Eggs	14
Butter	16
Chickens	10
Roosters	04
Spring chickens, per lb.	10
Lard	09
Wheat	50
Oats	27
Corn per bu.	50
Clover seed, per bu.	6.00
Cattle—Butchers	3.50@4.00
Killers	4.50@5.00
Hogs	4.50@4.75
Sheep	2.50@3.00
Lambs	4.00@
Milch Cows—Choice	30.00@40.00
Common	15.00@25.00

Old Vets May Take Wives.

Judge H. J. Paulus, of the circuit court, has ruled that members of the National Military Home are not indigent, and that they are entitled to marriage license under the new law. M. M. Wall, county clerk, refused to issue a marriage license to Wm. Cobolt, a member of the Marion Soldier's Home, until the court had passed on the point embodied in section 3 of the new state law.

Judge Paulus said in making his ruling that the soldiers have all the rights of citizens; that they are not paupers, but defenders of our country who have lost their health and are temporary members of the home for treatment and rest.

A Railroad Builder.

Mrs. Theodosia Beacham, a native of Massachusetts and a resident of Michigan, the contractor in charge of the grading of the old Dominion Railroad, is said to be the only woman in America engaged in such work. According to the Pilgrim for May, Mrs. Beacham took up the work when her husband became an invalid. With her two sons she lives near the work she is engaged upon, and her force of 50 men camp near by with their mules and equipment. She has done some of the hardest work on one of the costliest electric railroad beds ever constructed—red rock cut and filling. She superintends the work personally, and is held in high esteem by officials of the various railroads with which she has had dealings.

Johnny on Twins.

When asked to write a short composition on some interesting experience, Johnny after much labor, handed his teacher the following:

"Twins is a baby, only its double. It usually arrives about 4:37 in the morning when a fellow is getting in his best licks sleepin'. Twins is accompanied with excitement and a doctor. When twins do anything wrong their mother can't tell which one to lick, so she gives it to both of 'em so as to make sure. We've got twins to our house, and I'd swap 'em any day for a billydog or mos' anything.—Success.

OVER.

Stephen Shepherd, Correspondent. H. Chapman is working at LaGrasse.

Miss Maude Osborn drove to Knox Monday.

Olin Hisey and son Willie were home over Sunday.

Miss Izora Rea was at Knox shopping last week.

Miss Ona Cox is visiting at Thomaston this week.

Albert Heath has been sick for a week with erysipelis.

Steve Aker and Frank Heath were home over Sunday.

A. C. Bolen and wife visited with Lyman Eolen and wife Sunday.

S. Shepherd and wife took dinner with S. M. Hisey and wife Sunday.

For Sale at a Great Bargain. Until July 1st, 1905, only 1 will offer five desirable lots in my addition to Long Point, at \$6.00 per front foot. These lots have fifty-foot fronts on Lake Maxinkuckee and vary from 125 to 200 feet in depth. All lots have fine, clean beach, with gravelly bottom. For particulars, call or address, S. S. CRAWFORD, Culver, Indiana.

The Small Boy in the Country.

A Perry mother sent her small boy to the country, and after a week of anxiety received this letter: "I got here all right, but I forgot to write before. A feller and I went out in a boat and the boat tipped over and a man got me out. I was so full of water that I didn't know anything for a long time. The other boy will have to be buried after they find him. A horse kicked me over and I've got to have some money for fixin' my head. We are going to set a barn on fire tonight and I should smile if I do not have some bully fun. I am going to bring home a tame woodchuck if I can get him in my my trunk."—Kansas City Journal.

No Secret About It.

It is no secret that for cuts, ulcers, fever sores, sore eyes, boils, etc., nothing is so effective as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "It did not take long to cure a bad sore I had, and it is all O. K. for sore eyes," writes D. L. Gregory, of Hope, Texas. 25c at T. E. Slattery's drug store.

Vandalia Cheap Excursions.

Fourth of July, 1905, one fare plus 25c, for the round trip, with 200 mile limit. Sell July 1, 2, 3 and fourth. Final return limit July 5, 1905.

Old Order German Baptist meeting Flora, Ind., one fare plus 25c, for the round trip June, 8, 9, and 10, final limit June 15, 1905.

Home seekers and second class colonists rates to southern and southeastern territory. 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month.

National encampment Grand Army of Republic, Denver, Colo., \$21.75 for the round trip Aug. 29 to Sept. 3.

Lewis and Clark Centennial exposition, Portland, Ore., and many other Pacific coast points excursions during the summer and fall of 1905.

Sunday excursion tickets are on sale to all points on the Vandalia line, where the one way is not over \$3.50.

Birming & Baily circus, South Bend, Ind., June 30, 1905, one fare for round trip, final limit July 1, 1905.

One way and second-class colonist tickets to the west and northwest Sept. 15 to Oct. 31.

Niagara Falls, one fare plus 25c for round trip. Date of sales May 24, 25, and 26. Return June 5th.

International Epworth League convention, Denver, Colo.; fare \$28.50. Sales from June 29 to July 3, inclusive; return July 14.

Commencing May 1st, cheap rates to Lake Maxinkuckee will be in effect. See agents for particulars.

They are all via the the Vandalia R. R.

For routes rates and time tables address Culver agent or C. C. Trumb, Traveling Passenger Agent Logansport.

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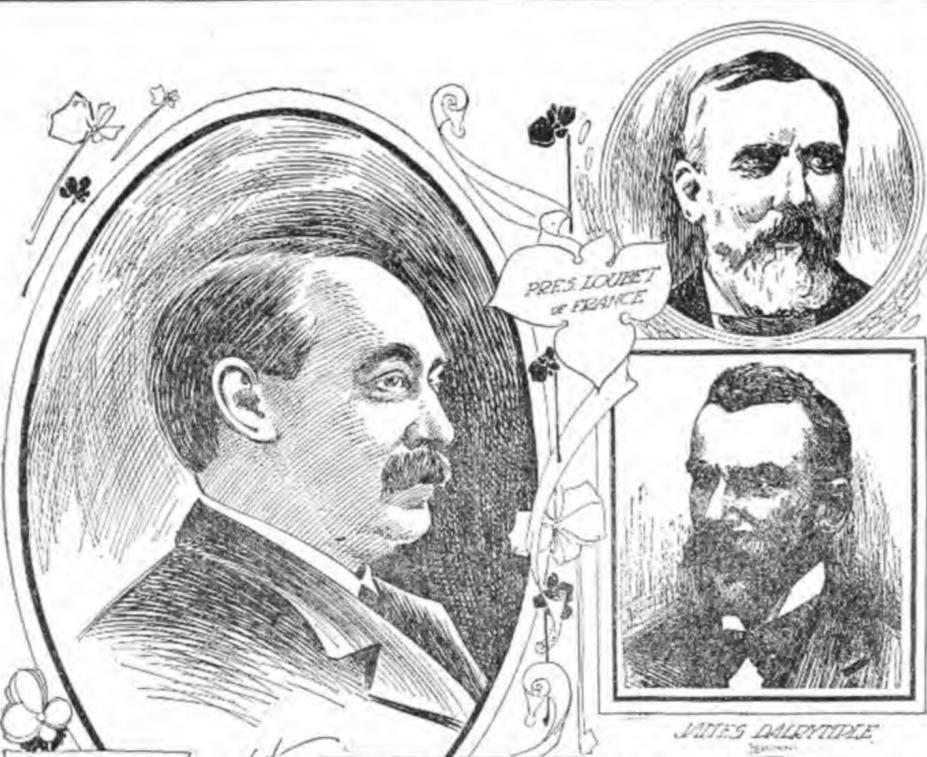
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KING ALFONSO XIII

Charles J. Bonaparte, of Baltimore, Md., who will succeed Paul Morton as secretary of the navy, is a grand nephew of the great Napoleon. He never figured as an aspirant for office, and what honors he has accepted have been forced on him in recognition of his high ideals of public administration.

An attempt to assassinate King Alfonso, of Spain, who is in Paris for a week's visit, and President Loubet, of France, was made at midnight June 1 by an anarchist, who hurled a bomb beneath the carriage containing the two rulers as they were leaving the opera.

As if by a miracle, both the King and President escaped unharmed, but fragments of the missile seriously injured five persons, killed or maimed a number of cavalry horses forming the escort, and knocked out a child's eye.

Alfonso XIII, King of Spain, is just past 19 years of age. He was born at the palace in Madrid, May 17, 1886. All through childhood he was delicate almost to feebleness, but has grown rugged and strong as he approached manhood, and the quiet manner of an effeminate youth has given place to a positive and forceful habit. He has developed a will of his own, and a brain power strong enough to win his way with the courtiers and counselors about the palace. He has looked forward with the greatest eagerness to this Parisian visit, his first excursion into the world "away from home."

Lloyd C. Griscom, who may be called back from Japan to become assistant secretary of state at Washington to succeed Loomis, is a son of

Clement A. Griscom, president of the International Navigation Company. He has been in the diplomatic service since 1899, when he was appointed secretary of the legation at Constantinople, and has been minister to Japan since December, 1902.

James Dalrymple, traction expert from Glasgow, Scotland, is now in Chicago to aid the authorities in that city in their efforts toward the municipalization of the street railways.

"TWELFTH NIGHT" AT VASSAR.

More Than 1,000 People Saw a Shakespeare Production. Sunset hill, Vassar college, was the scene recently of a beautiful outdoor production of "Twelfth Night," under the auspices of Philaethia, the students' association, which promotes the study of the drama and directs all the theatrical enterprises at the college. It was a fitting close to a very successful season, the plays heretofore presented being "Heddelberg," "An American Citizen" and "The Little Minister."

A broad greenward at the foot of Sunset hill served as a stage, the players making their entrances from a clump of dark pines and blossoming apple trees, which formed a beautiful setting. The side of the hill was a natural amphitheater, affording seats for the thousand or more students, alumnae and professors who made up the audience. Electric lights and Japanese lanterns illuminated the scene.

All the characters were taken by girls and the costumes included tights similar to those used for the play on the professional stage, a costume from New York being employed to equip the hundred members in the cast.

Thought She Couldn't Live. Moravia, N. Y., June 5.—Mr. Benjamin Wilson, a highly respected resident of this place, came very near losing his wife and now that she is cured and restored to good health his gratitude knows no bounds. He says:

"My wife has suffered everything with Sugar Diabetes. She has been sick four years. She doctored with two good doctors but kept growing worse. The doctors said she could not live. She failed from 200 pounds down to 130 pounds. This was her weight when she began to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and now she weighs 190, is well and feeling stronger every day.

"She used to have rheumatism so bad that it would raise great bumps all over her body and this is all gone too.

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are a God-send to those who suffer as my wife did. They are all that saved her. We can't praise them enough."

Justice Seeks Information. A justice of the peace living near here has addressed the following inquiry to me: "Please let me know if there's bin any changes in the code of Kansas since I got mine, as some of these triflin' lawyers tries to make out that my rollin' ain't accordin' to the code, an' if I'm right, an' they ain't, I want to disbar 'em an' fine 'em for contempt an' show 'em what's law. All I want to do is to do right."

Osage (Kas.) Free Press.

Bad Odor. A bad odor from a person's breath may be caused by many different forms of dyspepsia. It may be due to stomach catarrh, biliousness, constipation, or a case of ordinary indigestion. Whatever may be the cause, there is just one reliable cure, and that is Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It clears all the impurities out of your body and makes your breath as sweet as the June morning. Safe, pleasant and effective. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

Letters from Prominent Men. In a list of unclaimed letters published by the New York postoffice a few days ago were missives addressed to Harry Thaw, the young Pittsburgher, whose marriage caused a sensation recently; Rider Haggard, the English novelist; Marconi, the wireless telegraph man, and Craig Wedgworth, secretary of the American embassy in London.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALTON, KILGAS & MERRILL, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Miss Roosevelt Studies Spanish. Miss Alice Roosevelt is studying Spanish in anticipation of her coming visit to the Philippines. Every day for about three months she has devoted an hour or so to this work and has proved to be an apt pupil. Her instructor speaks the Spanish language as it is known to the Filipinos.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it is

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Bull Fights Are Popular. The first bull fight in Madrid after the repeal of the Sunday law was witnessed by 20,000 persons and 80,000 more waited outside the ring to get prompt news of the result.

Jim Jeffries' retirement would have been received with more enthusiasm if it had not given all the other pugilists in the world an excuse for telling how good they are.

The Best Results in Starching can be obtained only by using Denon's Starch, besides getting a or more for same money—no cooking required.

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REJECT REPORT BY FRICK ET AL

Hyde and Alexander Forces Join to Defeat Committee Recommendations.

URGE HYDE TO SELL HIS STOCK

President Is to Step Down, Relinquishing Authority and Place to the Chairman of the Board of Directors With Full Power.

New York dispatch: By a coalition of the Hyde and Alexander factions in the directorate of the Equitable Life Assurance society the report of the Frick investigating committee was rejected, and three of the members of the committee angered by the turn affairs have taken, resigned as officers of the society.

Those directors who resigned were Henry C. Frick, Cornelius N. Bliss and E. H. Harriman. The remaining members of the Frick committee, Melville K. Ingalls and Brayton Ives, both of whom were fiercely attacked by Mr. Hyde during the meeting, are also expected to quit the Equitable directorate.

The meeting was stormy and at times the talk was so plain that it verged on accusations of criminality. Mr. Harriman, in particular, was singled out by Mr. Hyde as the target for attack.

Hyde and Alexander Hit.

While the combined Hyde and Alexander forces were able to dispose of the Frick report, because it recommended that the "deferred dividend" system of doing business be abolished, they were compelled to submit to the adoption of resolutions which strip President James W. Alexander of authority and place the chairman of the board of directors in full power over the affairs of the society. James Hazen Hyde also is requested formally by the resolutions to dispose of the stock he controls within the next three months.

The resolutions were adopted by an overwhelming majority, and are embodied in the following statement given out by the directors after final adjournment:

Board's Official Report.

"The board, after full discussion and after replies on their own behalf to the committee by President Alexander, Vice President Hyde and Vice President Tarbell, on motion of Mr. Schiff, adopted the following resolutions:

(1) That a chairman of the board be created with plenary powers over all departments and affairs of the society.

(2) That a nominating committee consisting of D. O. Mills, John A. Stewart, A. J. Cassatt, T. Jefferson Coolidge, August Belmont, J. B. Forgan and Robert T. Lincoln be requested to report at a meeting of the board, to be called on Wednesday next, a candidate for chairman.

(3) That at that meeting of the board the executive committee be reorganized and that appropriate amendments to the by-laws should be prepared for submission to that meeting for the purpose of carrying out these resolutions.

Is Urged to Sell Stock.

(4) That James Hazen Hyde be requested, within three months, to divest himself of the control of the stock of the society, on such terms and conditions as shall be satisfactory to him and to the board."

The action of the directors is intended to mean that the directors would have the "one-man control" dispensed with, but no one appears to be in a position to tell how this stock is to be purchased or at what figure. Mr. Hyde has had an offer of several million dollars for his holdings.

In the meantime it would appear that neither Alexander, Hyde nor Gage E. Tarbell is to be disturbed as an office-holder.

SEEK LIGHT ON WHEAT DEAL

Court Restrains Disposal of Papers in the E. L. Harper Case.

Cincinnati, Ohio, dispatch: United States Judge Thompson has issued a temporary injunction forbidding William and Amanda Silchenloth from disposing of certain memoranda in the E. L. Harper matter, the proceeding being instituted by Irwin Green & Co., of Chicago, who have a judgment for nearly \$1,000,000 against Harper in connection with the wheat deal which resulted in the wrecking of the old Fidelity National bank. The suit is brought for the purpose of discovering the facts in connection with an agreement which was alleged to have been entered into by certain capitalists in relation to financing the famous wheat deal.

WOULD STOP GRAIN CORNERS

F. O. Paddock Suggests Commercial Be Made Contract Grade.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., special: At the first session of the annual convention of the National Grain Dealers' association F. O. Paddock of Toledo suggested that as a preventive of grain corners the commercial grade of grain should be made the contract grade. Grain that is good enough for millers and consumers, he said, should be good enough for any man buying grain for future delivery, whether for

HER WEAKNESS GONE

HOT FLASHES AND SINKING SPELLS CONQUERED AT LAST.

Mrs. Murphy Tells Her Fellow-Sufferers How She Got Rid of Serious Troubles by Simple Home Treatment.

"I had been bothered for several years," said Mrs. Murphy, "by stomach disorder, and finally I became very weak and nervous. Flashes of heat would pass over me, and I would feel as if I was sinking down. At such times I could not do any household work, but would have to lie down, and afterwards I would have very trying nervous spells. 'Didn't you have a doctor?' she was asked.

"Yes, I consulted several doctors but my health did not improve. One day a friend asked me why I did not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She assured me that they had proved of the greatest benefit in the case of her daughter. In fact, she praised them so enthusiastically that my husband got me a box."

"And what was the result?" "Before I had taken half of the first box my condition was greatly improved. The quickness with which they reached and relieved all my troubles was really surprising. After I had used only three boxes I had no more heat-flashes or weak spells. Thanks to them, I have become a well woman."

Mrs. Mary D. Murphy lives at No. 1908 Force street, Fort Wayne, Indiana. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, the remedy which she found so satisfactory, furnish directly to the blood the elements that give vigor to every tissue of the body. They can be depended on to revive failing strength, and to banish nervousness. Their tonic properties are absolutely unsurpassed.

As soon as there is drag, or dizziness, or pallor, or poor circulation, or disordered digestion, or restlessness, or pains, or irregularities of any kind these famous pills should be used. They have cured the most obstinate cases of anemia, dyspepsia, rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous prostration and even partial paralysis.

If you desire information specially suited to your own case write directly to the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. Every woman should have a copy of Dr. Williams' "Plain Talks to Women," which will be mailed free to any address on request. Any druggist can supply the pills.

MAN UNFIT TO BE A HERMIT.

Cannot Live Happily Alone with Nature, Independent of Race.

When he abandoned his hermitage he did it, says the National Magazine, in this fashion: "I had imagined I could live happily alone with nature, and largely independent of the rest of the human race, I couldn't. I don't believe anybody can. Nature has taught me better. I found that the birds went in pairs and in flocks; that plants and trees grew in families; that ants live in colonies and that everything of its kind had a tendency to live and grow together. But here I was, a single bit of the human race, trying to live alone and away from my kind. The birds and trees were possibly glad of my admiration for them, but they said: 'You don't belong to us. You shouldn't try to belong to us. You belong to your own race; go, join them again; cultivate them. We live our own lives; you can't get wholly into our lives. You're not a bird, that you can live in a nest and on uncooked seeds; or a squirrel, that can live in a hole in a tree; or a tree, that can root itself in one place and stay there, as you've been trying to do. A hermit is one who tries to be a tree and draw nourishment from one spot, when he is really a great deal more than a tree and must draw life and recreation from many persons and places. A bear is not so foolish as to try to live among foxes; neither should a man try to live entirely among trees, because they cannot give him all that he must have to get the most out of life.' So I left my hermitage, I presume, forever, and carted my bed and pots and pans to the house of a friend perched on the brink of the Palisades opposite Tinker's."

FEED YOU MONEY.

Feed Your Brain, and It Will Feed You Money and Fame.

"Ever since boyhood I have been especially fond of meats, and I am convinced I ate too rapidly, and failed to masticate my food properly.

"The result was that I found myself, a few years ago, afflicted with ailments of the stomach and kidneys, which interfered seriously with my usefulness.

"At last I took the advice of friends and began to eat Grape-Nuts instead of the heavy meats, etc., that had constituted my former diet.

"I found that I was at once benefited by the change, that I was soon relieved from the heart-burn and the indigestion that used to follow my meals, that the pains in my back from my kidney affection had ceased, showing that those organs had been healed, and that my nerves, which used to be unsteady, and my brain, which was slow and lethargic from a heavy diet of meats and greasy foods, had, not in a moment, but gradually, and none the less surely, been restored to normal efficiency. Now every nerve is steady and my brain and thinking faculties are quicker and more acute than for years past.

"After my old style breakfasts I used to suffer during the forenoon from a feeling of weakness which hindered me seriously in my work, but since I have begun to use Grape-Nuts food I can work till dinner time with all ease and comfort." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book "The Road to

HOW RUSSIAN FLAGSHIP WAS SUNK

Japanese Officers Tell of Havoc Wrought by Japanese on the Kniaz Souvaroff and of Flight and Capture of Rojestvensky

The first detailed stories of the sinking of the Russian flagship and the capture of Admiral Rojestvensky have been obtained from Japanese officers. The captain of the torpedo boat destroyer Murasama, which attacked the flagship, said:

"At daybreak of May 27 we received a wireless message of warning that the enemy's fleet was approaching and had arrived near Quolpart island. The carrying out of our preconcerted plan then began. Our duty was to guard a certain roadstead. The main strength of the third squadron and a destroyer flotilla to which we were attached enticed the enemy to the waters of Iki and then checked him north toward Genkaimada.

Russians Fall Upon Decoy.

"Our fleet, headed by the Matsushima, opened fire from a certain concealed place which the Russian guns could not possibly reach. We merely threatened them, and they, without suspecting, promptly returned the fire. At this juncture the Japanese main fleet pressed the enemy from the north and the great battle began.

"My destroyer was in a position outside the battle circle, watching the movements of the Russians, whose firing was lamentable. Many of their shells passed over the Japanese fleet and dropped in the waters beyond. One of these, having missed its real object, hit us astern.

"At the same time the order came to us to attack the enemy's flagship, the Kniaz Souvaroff. We dashed through the heavy seas toward the enemy's ship to within a distance of 100 meters, when we fired our first torpedo, a fish-shaped 18-inch Whitehead. We saw it strike the Kniaz Souvaroff astern and soon realized that it had smashed her steering gear.

Flagship Scene of Terror.

"From this moment the whole of the shell fire of the Japanese fleet was concentrated upon Rojestvensky's flagship. Her funnels were shot into itself. Her masts, with one ex-

ception, collapsed with a terrific noise. The officers and sailors crowded around the one remaining mast, as if they were demented. It was really an awful sight, even for men who in war have witnessed many incidents of a terrible nature.

"When we fired our second torpedo, it struck the engine compartment, and the flagship immediately listed nearly to the water's edge.

"Meanwhile the cannonading of the whole of the Japanese fleet, as if controlled by one automatic switch, was concentrated upon the crowd of officers and men standing beneath the solitary mast, and within a few seconds they were scattered into fragments in the air like dry leaves before the wind.

"Almost simultaneously the flagship reared up as perpendicular as a pole imbedded in the ground and plunged to the bottom of the sea."

Rojestvensky Forced to Flee.

The circumstances under which Admiral Rojestvensky was captured are related as follows: The Russian commander was at first on board his fighting ship, the Kniaz Souvaroff. From the beginning of the battle on May 27 he fought with magnificent courage, but on May 28 his flagship became separated from the remainder of the fleet. It was isolated, but kept on firing all its guns one battle ship against such overwhelming odds.

For a time she was the solitary target of the Japanese fleet. Shells swept her decks like a cyclone and it was soon evident she must speedily sink. Therefore the admiral, with eight of his staff officers, was removed to the destroyer Bledovy.

All the while the Japanese continued to pour in their storm of shells. Rojestvensky, having fled from his flagship, was now the target of the combined fleet.

The destroyer, now the admiral's flagship, attempted to break away, first pointing her head one way, then

another, in her efforts to find a gap in the ring of ships and guns.

Destroyers in Deadly Duel.

The Japanese destroyer Sazanami advanced from the lines to meet the admiral's destroyer, and she glided through the water, pouring in a terrible and close fire. The Bledovy became disabled and was unable to use her steering gear, which had been shattered.

It was now that Rojestvensky and his chief of staff were wounded again, and this time the admiral was seriously injured. The Bledovy was boarded by the crew of the Sazanami.

The Japanese searched high and low. All the Russians on the Bledovy were made prisoners, and Rojestvensky was the last man on board to be discovered. He was found lying in the bottom of the destroyer, bleeding freely from many wounds.

The admiral, who arrived here on May 30, had the forehead frontal bone broken by a splinter of shell. His chest and left thigh also were slightly wounded. He received medical treatment at the naval hospital and is now out of danger.

Japanese Shots Hit Mark.

Their torpedo attack in high winds and heavy seas was perfect. Every torpedo that was fired, with rare exceptions, struck. One torpedo resulted in a Russian battleship turning turtle completely.

In the course of twenty hours the torpedo boats sent seven Russian warships to the bottom. Many of the guns of the Russian fleet were rusty and some of them burst during action.

Furthermore, the Russian warships were in a filthy condition inside and out, and seaweed had grown below their water line.

Admiral Togo on the night before the battle, when he knew from his scouts that the Russians would be off Ton Island the following morning, slept soundly.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Correspondence

BURR OAK

Mrs. Bertie Vanderweele is sick. Wm. Wilhelm is in Wisconsin. Some fine strawberries are now coming to market.

Mr. Frank Coleman of Akron, Ohio visited with J. F. Garn this week.

Charley Chaffin of South Bend will spend a few weeks visiting at Sligo and this neighborhood.

On account of sickness Rev. Vanvaeter did not fill his appointment in Burr Oak Sunday night.

The Burr Oak Base Ball Team was defeated Sunday by the Monterey Team the score being 15 to 1 in favor of Monterey.

Thomas Garver left his team stand untied Monday noon and they went home without a driver. No damage was done.

The small boys ball team of Burr Oak played the Culver boys Sunday with very disastrous results to the former team.

Childrens day exercises will be observed next Sunday night at the U. B. Church. Mrs. Martin has given much time and attention in training the children for the occasion. A splendid program is prepared.

The laxative effect of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is so agreeable and natural that you do not realize it is the effect of a medicine. For sale by T. E. Slattery.

HIBBARD.

Mrs. E. J. Reed Correspondent. Mrs. Clemons went to Culver Monday.

Pearl Boror visited South Bend friends last week.

S. E. Wise and wife went to Plymouth Tuesday.

Mrs. C. D. Andreas is visiting friends in Pierceton.

Sadie Lichtenberger and Caley Aley went to Culver Monday.

The erection of Mr. Peters' residence is on the rush order.

Otto, Bert and Oscar Voreis, Retha Lowery and son Wayne were home visitors Sunday.

Friends and relatives to the number of sixty-two met at the home of J. Mosher and wife Sunday and held their second annual reunion. All enjoyed a pleasant day.

Found a Cure for Dyspepsia.

Mrs. S. Lindsay, of Fort William, Ontario, Canada, who has suffered quite a number of years from dyspepsia and great pains in the stomach, was advised by her druggist to take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. She did so and says, "I find that they have done me a great deal of good. I have never had any suffering since I began using them." If troubled with dyspepsia or indigestion why not take these tablets, get well and stay well? For sale by T. E. Slattery.

LETTER'S FORD.

L. Lukenbill, Correspondent.

BORN—To Bert Ralston and wife on Sunday June 4th a girl.

B. B. Campbell and wife made a trip to Rochester Saturday.

Wilson Brugh made a business trip to Rochester Wednesday.

Loy Cook, Earl See and U. E. Leiter spent Sunday at Bass Lake.

Miss Ida Wilson, of Rochester, visited Miss Mabel Reish Saturday.

Mrs. P. J. Richard and daughter Clara are visiting friends at Logansport.

Daniel McClare is painting and hanging paper for C. E. Anderson this week.

A number of young people attended Decoration services at Rochester.

L. F. Overmyer and wife and C. E. Anderson and wife spent Sunday at Rochester.

Miss Sarah Zook went to Indianapolis Saturday to visit with her brother a week.

Howard Tracy and family of Macy visited with Lewis Bailly and family over Sunday.

Gideon Mahler and wife, of Culver, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Durr.

Mr. F. F. Rouch and wife of Rochester spent Sunday with B. F. Overmyer and wife.

Mrs. Emma Bailey and daughter, of Rochester, are spending a few days at their home here.

Edward Sparks and family left Monday morning for South Bend to see his mother who is very ill.

Mrs. L. F. Overmyer and Sunday School Class gave Miss Mabel Reish a shower of China ware Saturday evening.

Mr. Stephen Milliser and Miss Mabel Reish, accompanied by J. O. Sales and wife, drove to Monterey Sunday evening, where they were united in marriage at the M. E. parsonage at 6 o'clock by Rev. Belean. Mr. and Mrs. Milliser will leave Tuesday for their home at Mishawaka where he has employment. They have the best wishes of their many friends for their future happiness.

Dying of Famile

is, in its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to the victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myres, of Cearfoss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed at T. E. Slattery's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free.

See Medbonru & Dillon for lime, Portland cement, plaster paris, etc. Get prices for hard and soft coal for fall and winter.

Get your printing at the CITIZEN.

NORTH UNION.

Miss Ruth Castleman, Correspondent.

Samuel Cooper visited in this vicinity a few days last week.

Laura and Earl Overmyer spent Sunday with Chloee and Dennis Joseph.

Daniel Leighty and wife spent Sunday evening with Geo. Osborn and wife.

Albert Leighty, of South Dakota, is visiting his sister, Mrs. George Osborn and family.

Cora Hunter and family and Misses Florence and Clara Johansen spent Sunday with Wm. Castleman and family.

Huge Task.

It was a huge task, to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of Coerokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit on a chair with out cushion; and suffered from a dreadful backache, headache and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to a perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver or stomach. Guaranteed by T. E. Slattery, druggist; price 50c."

MAXINKUCKEE.

Miss Golda Thompson Correspondent. Harry Hissong spent Sunday at home.

The Hill & Marburger bazaar has opened for the season.

F. M. Parker and wife were Plymouth callers Monday.

Miss Gertrude Packer visited relatives in Knox a few days of last week.

Mrs. Bertha Caple and son Charles have returned from an extended visit in Cass county.

The Lady Maccabees will give an ice cream social on Packer's lawn Saturday evening, June 17.

A Bad Scare.

Some day you will get a bad scare when you feel a pain in your bowels and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life pills, a sure cure, for all bowell and stomach diseases, such as headache, biliousness, costiveness, etc. Guaranteed at T. E. Slattery's drug store, only 25 cents. Try them.

GREEN TOWNSHIP.

A. E. Vermillion, Correspondent. Ora Price and wife spent Sunday at Mr. Hissong's.

Every body invited to attend the ice cream social at Poplar Grove next Friday evening.

Wm. Harman and wife spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Henry Thomas and wife.

Asber Boyce who has been in Ft. Wayne for a short time past, to get surgical treatment is getting along nicely.

Messrs. David Stayton, Fred Hissong and Marion A'baire are employed at the lake cleaning up around the cottages.

The neighbors of Oliver Warner turned out Friday and plowed, harrowed and planted his corn. Mrs. Warner is improving rapidly.

Sick Headache

When your head aches, there is a storm in the nervous system, centering in the brain. This irritation produces pain in the head, and the turbulent nerve current sent to the stomach causes nausea, vomiting.

This is sick headache, and is dangerous, as frequent and prolonged attacks weaken the brain, resulting in loss of memory, inflammation, epilepsy, fits, dizziness, etc. Alay this stormy, irritated, aching condition by taking Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills.

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INTERESTING LETTER
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Mrs. Sarah Kellogg of Denver, Color
Bearer of the Women's Relief Corps,
Sends Thanks to Mrs. Pinkham.



Mrs. Sarah Kellogg

The following letter was written by Mrs. Kellogg of 1628 Lincoln Ave., Denver, Colo., to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.:
Dear Mrs. Pinkham: "For five years I was troubled with tumor, which kept growing, causing me intense agony and great mental depression. I was unable to attend to my house work, and life became a burden to me. I was confined for days to my bed, lost my appetite, my courage and all hope. I could not bear to think of an operation, and in my distress I tried every remedy which I thought would be of any use to me, and reading of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to sick women decided to give it a trial. I felt so discouraged that I had little hope of recovery, and when I began to feel better, after the second week, I thought it only meant temporary relief; but to my great surprise I found that I kept gaining, while the tumor lessened in size."

"The Compound continued to build up my general health and the tumor seemed to be absorbed, until, in seven months, the tumor was entirely gone, and I a well woman. I am so thankful for my recovery that I ask you to publish my letter in newspapers, so other women may know of the wonderful curative powers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

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TENT TREATMENT FOR TUBERCULOUS INSANE

Superintendent of Large Eastern Hospital Has Demonstrated Its Efficiency

A. E. Macdonald, L. L. B., M. D., medical superintendent of the Manhattan State Hospital, East, gives a graphic account of tent life as tried under his direction for a large number of insane consumptives. The following extracts are from his paper in the Directory of Institutions and Societies dealing with "Tuberculosis in the United States and Canada":

That consumptive insane patients may be kept, and treated, to their advantage and incidentally to the advantage of their fellow-inmates, in canvas tents, and throughout the several seasons of the year, has been demonstrated in the recent history of the Manhattan State Hospital, East. The experiment upon the success of which this claim is advanced has covered a period of forty months.

In all hospitals for the insane the inmates are classified according to the form of mental disturbance. To take from all these classes any suffering from tuberculosis and put them together in one tent was a serious problem. This, however, has been very successfully done. The original plan was to use the camp only about five months during each summer.

The camp first established consisted of two large dormitory tents—twenty by forty feet—each containing twenty beds, with smaller tents of different shapes, about ten by ten feet, for the accommodation of the nurses, the care of the hospital stores, pantries and a dining tent for such patients as were able to leave their beds and tents, and go to the table for their meals. Running water was secured by means of underground pipes, and the safe disposition of waste and sewage was also provided for.

As has been said, it was expected to continue the camp only through the summer and as far into the autumn as favorable weather might render justifiable. But when in the late autumn it was found that the favorable experience continued, it was decided to attempt to carry the experiment, on a moderate scale, into, or even through, the approaching winter.

The camp, as first established, had been placed upon an elevated knoll adjacent to the riverside and purposely exposed to the full force of the summer breezes. For the winter experiment its site was removed to the center of the island, where trees and buildings interposed to act as a wind-break to the severe storms from the east and northeast which are to be expected in that locality. The number of patients was reduced to twenty, those in whom the disease was most active being retained and the others being returned, for the time being, and much against their will, to the buildings. One large tent sufficed for the housing at night of the reduced number of patients, and one was set apart as a sitting-room for day use, with the accessory tents before mentioned, and large stoves were placed in them, here and there, with wire screens surrounding them to protect the patients, and a liberal use of asbestos and other fire-proof material and arrangements for the prevention of fire.

To make a long story short, it has remained in continuous use, not only throughout the first winter, but through the two succeeding winters and intervening seasons, up to the date of the present writing. The scope of its employment has been gradually enlarged until all patients in whom there are active manifestations of tuberculosis—an average of forty-three out of a total census of about 2,000—are isolated therein, and there has been parallel enlargement of the elements of the plant.

The isolation of the tuberculosis patients has reduced to a minimum the danger of infection of other patients and of employes. The patients themselves have suffered no injury or hardship, but have, on the contrary, been unmistakably benefited. This is shown, among other ways, by a decrease in the death rate from pulmonary tuberculosis, both absolute and relative, and by a marked general increase in bodily weight, amounting in the case of one patient to an actual doubling of the weight—from eighty-three to one hundred and sixty-six pounds—in fourteen months of camp residence.

Mental improvement has as a general rule been the concomitant of physical, not only among the patients in the tuberculosis camp, but also in the others, and in the former class this has been somewhat of an anomaly. My experience, and I think that of others, has been that when phthisis and insanity co-exist they are apt to alternate as to the prominence of their several manifestations—the mental symptoms being more pronounced whilst the physical are in abeyance, and vice versa. Under the tent treatment we have found a general disposition toward second in the manifestations, improvement in both respects proceeding concurrently, and some of the discharges from the hospital which gave most satisfaction to us at the time, and most assurance for the patient's future, were of inmates of the tuberculosis camp.

It was apprehended that not only might the patients themselves resent their transfer, but that similar objection might come from their relatives and friends, since innovations, even progressive ones, are apt to be frowned upon by those who constitute the majority in the clientele of a public hospital in a cosmopolitan city.

Even at the outset, however, the protests, whether from patients or their friends, were surprisingly few, and latterly they have been more apt to arise, if at all, over the patient's return to the buildings when that became necessary.

The question of medication may in the present writing be dismissed with a very brief reference. It has been found unnecessary to extend it greatly, and it has been limited mainly to the treatment of symptoms. Stimulation—alcoholic and the like—has been found of but little demand or use, and the quantities consumed—always under individual medical prescription—have been insignificant. On the other hand, the dietary has been made as liberal as the imposed restrictions of the State Hospital schedule have permitted, both in the way of regular diet and extras, and in the leading essentials—milk and eggs—private donations have supplemented the regular supply. But dependence, after all, has been mainly placed upon the rigid isolation and disinfection, and upon the unlimited supply of fresh air. As an interesting incidental fact it may be mentioned that not only the patients, but also the nurses living in the camp have enjoyed almost complete immunity from other pulmonary diseases. Not a single case of pneumonia has developed in the camp in its existence of over three years, though it causes 131 deaths in the hospital proper in that time. The "common colds" so frequent among their fellows living upon the wards, or in the Attendants' Home, have been unknown among the tent-dwellers.

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Mrs. P. Brunzel, wife of P. Brunzel, stock dealer, residence 3111 Grand Ave., Everett, Wash., says: "For fifteen years I suffered with terrible pain in my back. I did not know what it was to enjoy a night's rest and arose in the morning feeling tired and unrefreshed. My suffering sometimes was simply indescribable. When I finished the first box of Doan's Kidney Pills I felt like a different woman. I continued until I had taken five boxes. Doan's Kidney Pills act very effectively, very promptly, relieve the aching pains and all other annoying difficulties."



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Did Not Recognize Own Words.

J. Balfour Browne, conservative candidate for parliament for Dumfriesshire, Scotland, recently was caught by a clever opponent in his audience at a political meeting at Carruthers-town. The man asked the candidate during his address: "Had we not better utilize our own resources to the full by allowing labor and capital free access to the land of our own country, instead of attempting to bolster up certain industries at the expense of others?" The candidate replied: "I do not follow the question. It sounds like a question taken from a book on political economy, the author of which I do not know much." Thereupon his enemy joyously retorted: "It is taken from your own valuable book, Mr. Browne, on fiscal reform."

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Lost All His Hair—Scatched Till Blood Ran—Grateful Mother Tells of His Cure by Cuticura for 75c.

"When our baby boy was three months old he had the milk crust very badly on his head, so that all the hair came out, and it itched so bad he would scratch until the blood ran. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I applied the Cuticura and put a thin cap on his head, and before I had used half of the box it was entirely cured, his hair and he has had no return of the trouble. (Signed) Mrs. H. P. Holmes, Ashland, Or."

Holds City's Credit Dear.

Mayor Ward of Birmingham, Ala., has old-fashioned notions in regard to the public credit. In his inaugural address he declared that during his administration funds would be "systematically and sacredly set aside out of current receipts to pay every dollar of interest on our bonded indebtedness, and no matter what may happen to other departments the city's bond interests shall never at any time be placed in jeopardy."

To Launder Delicate Muslins.

Many muslin dresses may be successfully laundered at home, which, if put in the ordinary wash, would be hopelessly ruined. Wash quickly through warm Ivory Soap suds; rinse, dip in rice water, and dry in-doors, as the air will frequently fade delicate colors. Iron with a moderately hot iron.—Eleanor R. Parker.

Where Workers Are Needed.

Happily there is room in the west and southwest for every man capable of labor in the fields. There the demand for unskilled labor was never more insistent and thither the swarming immigrants should take their way and become an instant factor in promoting the general prosperity.—Philadelphia Record.

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If "Defiance Starch" does not please you, return it to your dealer. If it does you get one-third more for the same money. It will give you satisfaction, and will not stick to the iron.

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Pope Pius X recently gave audience to a poor man living at Tivoli, near Rome, who personally presented the Pontiff with a bunch of asparagus of his own growing.

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The memory of the just is blessed, whether living or dead.

Better not be at all than not be honest and true.

ACTORS OVER THREE SCORE.

Jefferson Only One of Many Who Have Reached Longevity.

It is a popular notion that active participation in the work of the stage is incompatible with longevity, but many instances prove the reverse of this. Mr. Jefferson was 76 when he died. His death was not due to an infirmity of age and his professional abilities had shown no impairment. On March 12 John L. Toole, long a popular favorite in London, celebrated at his home in Brighton his seventy-second birthday. Born in London in 1832, he first appeared on the stage in 1852. Tommaso Salvini, living in Italy, was born in Milan in 1830. Henry Irving was born in Yorkshire in 1838 and Lydia Thompson in London in the same year.

James H. Stoddard, who has been acting at the head of a company of which he is the star, has been a resident of this country since 1854. He was born in Yorkshire in 1827. Mrs. Annie Yeamans was born in 1836 and Henry Clay Barnabee in 1833. Mrs. William O. Jones, who has been appearing in "The Little Minister" and other plays, is 76, and has been on the stage for sixty-six years. Mrs. G. H. Gilbert was 85 when she died. Pauline Dejazet, the French actress, was born in Paris in 1798 and died in 1875. Frederick Lemaitre, born in Havre in 1798, made his debut in 1823 and acted for the last time in 1873, when 75, after exactly fifty years of professional service. He died in 1876.

Prolonged success on the stage is compatible only with the retention of good health, preserved by regularity of living and the avoidance of excesses. The aged actor who becomes truly celebrated has pursued even in an arduous profession the methods of living which conduce to longevity.

Wrote Great Book in Spare Moments.

Chancellor D'Aguesseau, observing that his wife always delayed ten or twelve minutes before she came down to dinner, and reluctant to lose so much time daily, began the composition of a work which he prosecuted only while thus kept waiting. At the end of fifteen years a book in three quarto volumes was completed, which ran through three editions and was held in high repute.

Edward Never Sells Horses.

One of King Edward's rules is that when a horse has been in his service it shall not be sold. The horses are kept until they no longer can be used and are then chloroformed.

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Correspondence

BURR OAK

G. A. Maxey, Correspondent.
Mrs. Bertie Vanderweele is sick.
Wm. Wilhelm is in Wisconsin.
Some fine strawberries are now coming to market.

Mr. Frank Coleman of Akron, Ohio visited with J. F. Gara this week.

Charley Chaffin of South Bend will spend a few weeks visiting at Sligo and this neighborhood.

On account of sickness Rev. Vanvactor did not fill his appointment in Burr Oak Sunday night.

The Burr Oak Base Ball Team was defeated Sunday by the Monterey Team the score being 15 to 1 in favor of Monterey.

Thomas Garver left his team stand untied Monday noon and they went home without a driver. No damage was done.

The small boys ball team of Burr Oak played the Culver boys Sunday with very disastrous results to the former team.

Childrens day exercises will be observed next Sunday night at the U. B. Church. Mrs. Martin has given much time and attention in training the children for the occasion. A splendid program is prepared.

The laxative effect of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is so agreeable and natural that you do not realize it is the effect of a medicine. For sale by T. E. Slattery.

HIBBARD.

Mrs. E. J. Reed Correspondent.
Mrs. Clemons went to Culver Monday.

Pearl Boror visited South Bend friends last week.

S. E. Wise and wife went to Plymouth Tuesday.

Mrs. C. D. Andreas is visiting friends in Pierceton.

Sadie Lichtenberger and Caley Aley went to Culver Monday.

The erection of Mr. Peters' residence is on the rush order.

Otto, Bert and Oscar Voreis, Retha Lowery and son Wayne were home visitors Sunday.

Friends and relatives to the number of sixty-two met at the home of J. Mosher and wife Sunday and held their second annual reunion. All enjoyed a pleasant day.

Found a Cure for Dyspepsia.

Mrs. S. Lindsay, of Fort William, Ontario, Canada, who has suffered quite a number of years from dyspepsia and great pains in the stomach, was advised by her druggist to take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. She did so and says, "I find that they have done me a great deal of good. I have never had any suffering since I began using them." If troubled with dyspepsia or indigestion why not take these tablets, get well and stay well? For sale by T. E. Slattery.

LETTER'S FORD.

L. Lundenhill, Correspondent.
BOB To Bert Kilston and wife on Sunday June 14th a girl.

B. B. Campbell and wife made a trip to Rochester Saturday.

Wilson Brugh made a business trip to Rochester Wednesday.

Loy Cook, Earl See and U. E. Leiter spent Sunday at Bass Lake.

Miss Ida Wilson, of Rochester, visited Miss Mabel Reish Saturday.

Mrs. P. J. Richard and daughter Clara are visiting friends at Logansport.

Daniel McClare is painting and hanging paper for C. E. Anderson this week.

A number of young people attended Decoration services at Rochester.

L. F. Overmyer and wife and C. E. Anderson and wife spent Sunday at Rochester.

Miss Sarah Zook went to Indianapolis Saturday to visit with her brother a week.

Howard Tracy and family of Macy visited with Lewis Baily and family over Sunday.

Gideon Mahler and wife, of Culver, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Durr.

Mr. F. F. Rouch and wife of Rochester spent Sunday with B. F. Overmyer and wife.

Mrs. Emma Bailey and daughter, of Rochester, are spending a few days at their home here.

Edward Sparks and family left Monday morning for South Bend to see his mother who is very ill.

Mrs. L. F. Overmyer and Sunday School Class gave Miss Mabel Reish a shower of China ware Saturday evening.

Mr. Stephen Milliser and Miss Mabel Reish, accompanied by J. O. Sales and wife, drove to Monterey Sunday evening, where they were united in marriage at the M. E. parsonage at 6 o'clock by Rev. Belcam. Mr. and Mrs. Milliser will leave Tuesday for their home at Mishawaka where he has employment. They have the best wishes of their many friends for their future happiness.

Dying of Famine

is, in its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to the victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myres, of Cearfoss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed at T. E. Slattery's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free.

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NORTH UNION.

Miss Ruth Castleman, Correspondent.
Samuel Cooper visited in this vicinity a few days last week.

Laura and Earl Overmyer spent Sunday with Chloee and Dennis Joseph.

Daniel Leighty and wife spent Sunday evening with Geo. Osborn and wife.

Albert Leighty, of South Dakota, is visiting his sister, Mrs. George Osborn and family.

Cora Hunter and family and Misses Florence and Clara Johanson spent Sunday with Wm. Castleman and family.

Huge Task.

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MAXINKUCKEE.

Miss Golda Thompson Correspondent.

Hurry Hissong spent Sunday at home.

The Hill & Marburger bazaar has opened for the season.

F. M. Parker and wife were Plymouth callers Monday.

Miss Gertrude Packer visited relatives in Knox a few days of last week.

Mrs. Bertha Caple and son Charles have returned from an extended visit in Cass county.

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GREEN TOWNSHIP.

A. E. Yarnallion, Correspondent.
Ora Price and wife spent Sunday at Mr. Hissongs.

Every body invited to attend the ice cream social at Poplar Grove next Friday evening.

Wm. Harman and wife spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Henry Thomas and wife.

Asher Boyce who has been in Ft. Wayne for a short time past, to get surgical treatment is getting along nicely.

Messrs. David Stayton, Fred Hissong and Marion A'baire are employed at the lake cleaning up around the cottages.

The neighbors of Oliver Warner turned out Friday and plowed, harrowed and planted his corn. Mrs. Warner is improving rapidly.

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