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WYOMING, W. VA., JUNE 1.

STATE CONDEMNACTIONS.

Technician proposes to celebrate Independence Day in grand style. "Liberty, independence and the red have already been made, and the committee have not yet half made the review."

In nearly every town in the state December day was duly observed, the exuberance generally being under the auspices of Grand Army posts.

Tonawanda vies with Omaha in the matter of a female who would do good work on the police force. Last week she marched a 300-pound man to the cage-beeze at the front of a big shooter. A few days previous a woman deliberately kicked one of her sex down stairs and into the street.

The Alma creamery has commenced operations. The enterprise has the capacity for turning out a large product if the requisite amount of cream can be obtained. With the completion of some outside arrangements the institution will be in full blast.

Mrs. Green, who owns a farm near Webster, has recently taken half to \$100,000. It is probable that she will put all the wealth in Nebraska, where it will do the most good.

A Lincoln dispatch says: A week ago Warder Nobes, of the penitentiary, got an inkling of a plan of a guard named Charles H. Churchill to let a convict Frank Sutton escape, for which he was to receive \$300 from Sutton's widow, who lives at Blair, Neb., and goes by the name of Mary E. Barnes. A letter to the sister was intercepted. Having got sufficient evidence Churchill was arrested at once. He pleaded guilty and was bound over in \$300. The widow took the sheriff to a field where Churchill was guarding convicts and handed him in their presence.

The Nebraska physicians, recently in session at Lincoln, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, J. Van Camp, of Omaha; vice president, L. F. Polk, of Raymond; secretary, R. S. Grimes, of Lincoln; treasurer, B. V. Bates, of Springfield; board of censors, J. A. Woodward, of Omaha; O. M. Morris, and J. M. Butler.

St. Paul last year erected, and improved over \$15,000, and to the present time, at less than five months of the present year, over \$45,000 of buildings have been and are being erected, with \$80,000 worth more in contemplation. It is predicted that before the close of the year St. Paul will have over \$100,000 spent in buildings and private improvements.

A Lincoln tramp strayed into the open cellar of a citizen, from whence he found his way to an inviting bed in the upper story. When the housewife knocked for her husband to come down to breakfast, the tramp answered, "All right, pack my breakfast over." Immediately after he suddenly departed without waiting for the morning meal.

The "Independent" Avalanche says in that section there has this season been a greater average of corn planted than ever before, and the farmers having been prudent in the selection of seed corn, have since universally a good stand. The ground has been kept in good condition so far by frequent warm showers and the prospects are that the country will this year raise an unprecedent crop.

James F. Riley, formerly of Adams county, but more recently of Harlan county, and son of Rev. Chas. Riley, a Methodist preacher, has been appointed to the position of naval cadet at Annapolis, Maryland.

S. Badura, living in Howard county, met with a severe loss by fire last week. From some unknown cause a fire broke out in the granary, destroying the building and its contents, consisting of 1,000 bushels of corn, 400 of oats, 100 of wheat, 100 of barley and 100 of potatoes. The barn was also burnt but the horses were saved. A threshing machine, horse power, header, corn sheller, fanning mill, harrow, one cart and all the bedding and clothing were destroyed. Loss estimated at \$2,000.

A fire at Humboldt last week destroyed property to the value of \$5,000.

The commissioners of Dakota county have officially notified the county treasurer that he is to refuse the payment of all coupons of the issue of bonds of that county now outstanding, which were issued in exchange for the bonds of bonds formerly issued to the Covington, Columbus and Black Hills railroad, for the reason that such bonds are illegal and void.

The Homestead Office points with pride to the rapid strides Geosper county is making in all kinds of improvements. Commerce in a new activity, such as building dwellings, opening up new farms, digging wells, buying large tracts of land and sowing and tilling.

Ray Fapperson, twelve years old, was killed near Elm Creek, Butteville county. He was herding cattle on a pony and dismounted to pick prairie beans. A rope about six feet long was around the pony's neck. The boy tied this around his neck. The pony became frightened and ran away, dragging the boy alongside. When found he was bruised and covered with blood and a tumor of bone broken.

The prospects for good crops, says the Wichita Tribune, were never better in recent memory. At this time in the year when they are at present, small grain or all kinds looks well and the corn crop is a much better stand than last year, and every indication is that the entire country will be blessed this year with a bountiful harvest.

The limited editions of Kearney called the justness of Mrs. John D. Sedgwick, and the like of his enemies, to the rescue of the North Platte newspaper. Corresponding speeches were delivered in the Legislature and briefly re-

THE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Right, Errors and Sounds in Connection with the National Republican Convention at Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 1.—To-day was not unlike as usual in the preliminary work for the coming national republican convention. Those gathered here, delegates and rank-and-file, seemed divided between the desire to talk politics and give due observance to Sunday. While the light of the sun shone full in the hotel corridor, there was no open meeting of delegations, though the individual missionary work was not wanting. Groups and single individuals who were constantly coming and going at the various headquarters. Acquaintances were renewed and friendships revisited. While the main corridors of the leading hotels were constantly filled with changing, changing through whose color, ranging from pronounced blonde to coal black, and whose wide variety of dress and manner of speech testified to the broad national character, the results were of a very mixed and uncertain character, the friends of all candidates displaying increased strength and the discovery of weak spots in their opponents. The Blaine men made more demonstrations than the others, paying visits in entire delegations, and moving their headquarters from two small rooms, heretofore occupied, to the large ladies' ordinary at the Grand Pacific hotel.

"Keep your eye on Wisconsin, Indiana and Michigan," remarked member of the national committee. "The strength of these states is being freely claimed by at least three of the leaders, but whose instructions, it is known, are of a character which permit great freedom of action, and whose votes, it is known, will be cast for the nomination of John B. Lodge, of Massachusetts, immediately in the front, and ending with the District of Columbia in the front row of the second tier. New York occupies the front rank in the third, and Ohio holds the ranking position in the fourth and remaining tier.

At 12:30 the chair announced that the hour having arrived for the meeting of the eighth republican national convention, the convention would now be opened by prayer by Rev. Dr. Frank Bristol, of Chi-

ago.

The result was announced at 1:30. In-

stantly, and soon before the last figure

were pronounced by Mr. McPherson,

the vast audience arose and broke out into another mad demonstration of enthusiasm.

Cheers resounded and the band struck up an inspiring air. Hats, handkerchiefs and national flags were waved. A large square dinner from Racine was carried through the hall, promising large majorities to that state for Blaine, and with it two uprights capped with new hats and a stately eagle from Colorado was carried around to the procession. The roar of artillery outside was heard commencing with the louder roar of voices inside, and amid great enthusiasm the nomination was made unanimous. The following dispatch from President Arthur was read by Mr. McPherson, of Pennsylvania:

"WASHINGTON, June 5.—The convention was

called to order at 10:30 and was opened with

prayer by Bishop Fallows, of the Reformed

Ecclesiastical church. He prayed that those

who might be selected by this convention

for the loftier political positions to which

mortal man can aspire shall possess divine

qualification of body, mind and heart for

their high and holy trust. That personal

preference and interests should yield to the

true demands of true and broad patriotism,

and that a gratification of either should be

made by the people in an unmistakable

manner."

The report of the committee on credentials was then read by Mr. Ford, of New

Jersey. The report was adopted without

division.

The committee on rules was presented

and considered, taking the time of the con-

vention up to 12:30.

Fair, of California, then made a report

to the appointment of delegates for future

conventions. It directs that each state

shall be entitled to four delegates at large,

with two additional delegates for each mem-

ber of congress at large (if any); that each

territory and the District of Columbia shall

be entitled to two delegates, and that each

congressional district shall be entitled to

two delegates.

The platform of principles was then pre-

sented by McKinley, of Ohio, from the

committee on resolutions. The resolutions,

which were adopted without division, are published in another place.

The roll of states for the nomination of

members of the national committee was then

presented and the clerk proceeded to call the roll of states for nomination. No response was

heard till Illinois was reached, when Sena-

tor Pittim, of Kansas, came forward and

announced the name of David Little, Iowa,

as the candidate for vice president. Gen. John A. Logan, of Illinois, the speaker did

not present himself on behalf of Illinois or

any of the other states, but of the whole

United States. He believed no man

in Illinois than to Kansas, where 70,000 mil-

lionaires would receive the news of his nomina-

tion with shouts of gladness. The speaker

replied until 1 p.m.

The chairman called the convention to

order at 7:30 p.m., when the matter of

making nominations was taken up. Nearly

all the states asked to be named and then

the secretary proceeded to call the roll of

states. He called Alabama, Arkansas, Cal-

ifornia, Colorado, Connecticut, and

Illinois. The name of the latter state was called

Mr. Brandeis of Connecticut arose and

seconded Joseph R. Hawley.

The secretary called the name of Dele-

ware, Florida, Georgia, and Georgia without

any response. When Illinois was

called Senator Culion arose and presented

the name of Gen. Logan. His nomination

was seconded by Gen. Trenton, of Mis-

souri.

The call was then proceeded with. In

Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky and Louisi-

ana each being called out, each passing as

called. When the state of Maine was called

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of human voices occurred. For several min-

utes the roar continued, and only ceased

because of the inability of the audience to

hear any longer. After the chairman had

succeeded in producing comparative quiet

Judge West, of Ohio, was introduced, and

in an eloquent speech nominated James G. Blaine, of Maine.

Blaine's nomination was seconded by

Gov. Davis, of Minnesota; Wm. C. Good-

loe, of Kentucky; T. C. Platt, of New

York; and Galusha, A. Brown, of Pennsyl-

vania.

The calling of the roll was continued by

the secretary until the state of New York

was reached. When New York was called

the opportunity of the friends of At-

thur, and well was it improved by a burst

of enthusiasm unprecedented in the his-

torical record of national conventions.

His name was presented in an able speech by Martin

L. Townsend.

Mr. Sherman of Ohio, was nominated by

Judge Parker.

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NEBRASKA IN BRIEF.

The Blair high school has just turned out a graduating class of six students.

The Fairfield Herald says some of the trees growth for shade and shelter from storms about that town have mysteriously died the past spring. On careful examination it was found that insects had been working around the roots. As the trees that died had been kept well watered, a doctor relieved her by enemas, the administering of which, if delayed so long, would have been fatal to the patient.

A terrible tragedy was enacted opposite Plymouth on the 1st, a man named Bright, killing one of the bridge tenders named Williams with a hatchet, and after committing the deed blowing his own head off with a shotgun. Temporary insanity under which Bright was laboring was the cause of the terrible crime. The coroner of Mills County, Iowa, took possession of the dead bodies, and the verdict of all seems to be that Bright was insane and without motive in killing Williams.

The billiard ball of Peter Thompson, Minneha, was destroyed by fire last week. Most of the goods were saved, loss \$2,000.

Mr. Barnes, living near Laramie, lost two spans of horses, a wagon and a set of harness stolen from his place. The thieves at least account were still at large.

The neophyte has been set for a \$2,000 church at Alma. The building room is paid up to an unexpired extent.

A press club has been organized at Lincoln with the following officers: Peter Barbore, president; L. D. Cukuda, vice-president; W. Q. Bell, managing; Sam Cox, treasurer; T. H. Hyde and J. M. Linn, members executive committee.

The B. & M. has been completed into Grand Island, and the event was marked by quite a celebration among the boys.

Poem, numbers beginnings among farmers, the Fremont Tribune finds there is some complaint on account of wood, wire, fencing to know, although this is no mere general statement.

Suit was brought in the district court at Omaha by the Union Pacific Railway company against the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific Railroad company for \$6,000,000 and interest on account of labor performed, goods, materials, furnished and money expended for the Wabash. An itemized statement filed with the court shows that the claim runs back far as October, 1877, and includes such charges as switching, use of tracks, car repairs and the like.

A farmer named Dickinson, of Dixon county, died last Sunday from the effects of injuries received in a struggle with Mr. West, a sheep-keeper at Jones. Dickinson came into his store Saturday night drunk, and created such a disturbance that the merchant discontinued sales. Seeing him so giddy as possible, Mr. Dickinson was assisted with friends, and in his struggle with the keeper was bitten. He fighting instincts are well known, and another rod-buster appears on the scene who begins at once, the point of home being who is to claim the piece of ground for the day. The robin fights with the whole year of small birds, and finds his match only in the house sparrow. It is a sight to see the two quarreling over a crumb, the robin, with bent head and flashing eye, meaning to fight it fairly but the sparrow is too much for him; for, selecting his opportunity, he dashes up to the morsel as only a sharp sword can, and in a moment is off with it, leaving the robin to wonder over the forenoon times. The robin shows more less throughout the whole year in species, his fighting instinct is dominant always, and again you may see him perched in a tree, against a cluster of falling leaves, clinging with his dirty bright and cheerful tail feathers to the temple, where which last winter were gathered. A hole near the region of the heart showed where the fatal ball had passed.

The boy was 50 years old, on the 1st, but suffered with a transverse curvature.

Presidential Electors.

The number of electors of the state under the new apportionment is as follows:

Alabama—12; **Arkansas**—5; **California**—12; **Colorado**—4; **Connecticut**—5; **Florida**—4; **Georgia**—7; **Illinois**—18; **Iowa**—5; **Kansas**—4; **Louisiana**—5; **Maine**—3; **Massachusetts**—10; **Michigan**—7; **Minnesota**—5; **Mississippi**—4; **Missouri**—6; **Montana**—1; **Nebraska**—3; **Nevada**—1; **New Hampshire**—3; **New Jersey**—7; **New Mexico**—1; **New York**—25; **North Carolina**—8; **North Dakota**—1; **Oklahoma**—3; **Oregon**—3; **Pennsylvania**—22; **Rhode Island**—3; **South Carolina**—6; **South Dakota**—1; **Tennessee**—10; **Texas**—16; **Vermont**—3; **Virginia**—11; **Washington**—4; **West Virginia**—3; **Wisconsin**—5; **Wyoming**—1.

THE MARKETS.

OMAHA.

WHEAT—Per bushel, \$1.65.
BERRY—No. 2, No. 3.
RYE—No. 8, \$1.65.
CORN—No. 4, \$1.65.
FLOUR—Wheat Graham, 25 bushels, \$6.
ORANGES—Meats, per box, \$1.60.
LIMONADE—Meats, per box, \$1.60.
BUTTER—Creamy, 22¢.
BEEF—Fresh, 27¢.
Eggs—Fresh, 27¢.
POTATOES—Per bushel, 5¢.
ONIONS—New, 5¢.
MEAT PORK—14¢.
STEAK BEEF—Per quart, 16¢.
CHICKEN—Per dozen, 16¢.
HAY—Baled, per ton, 10¢.
SEED—No. 10, 16¢.
CALVES—No. 500, 12¢.

CHICAGO.

WHEAT—Per bushel, \$1.65.
CORN—Per bushel, \$1.65.
PORK—Per hundred, \$2.65.
LARD—\$1.25.
HOGS—Pork and ham, \$1.65.
CATTLE—Exports, \$0.85.
SHEEP—Medium, \$4.50.
STEER—No. 2, \$2.65.
CALVES—No. 500, 12¢.

ST. LOUIS.

WHEAT—Per bushel, \$1.65.
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HOGS—Pork and ham, \$1.65.
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SHEEP—Medium, \$4.50.
STEER—No. 2, \$2.65.

The chairman of the Republican national convention will award a notable prize. It is to be made in Chicago from pieces of wood from every state and territory in the country, including Alaska. A piece of rock maple from Maine, birdseye from Vermont and beech from New Hampshire were sent by the 4th. The body of Jackson was recovered.

Gen. Babcock, recently drowned on the Florida coast, was the engineer of the Fifth and Sixth Light House districts, and was combining business with pleasure in the trip while the others were accompanying him purely for their enjoyment. He was a major of the engineer department, and was while superintending the erection of a lighthouse at Mosquito Inlet that the accident occurred. He will be especially remembered as the military secretary of President Grant and as commissioner of public buildings and grounds.

Greater mischiefs happen often from meanness, folly and vanity than from the greater sins of avarice and ambition.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

FOREIGN.

An explosion of dynamite occurred outside of the detective office in Scotland Yard, London. The corner of the building, composed of thick brick work, was blown to a height of thirty feet, taking with it a portion of the side walls, revealing an aperture seventy-five feet wide. Many yards of debris lay around attest to the strength of the explosive.

Rechesford, editor of the Lancashire Guardian continues his violent attack upon General Grant. It is reported that his son, for this, has caused Grant to receive him when he comes to America.

The French chamber of deputies, by 388 to 92, have rejected the amendment to the army bill exempting from service young men training for the hussar order.

A woman arrested at Varanda, Hungary, confessed that she has poisoned four husbands and hundreds of women in the past two years. A number of accomplices have been arrested.

The eye of a captive Indian, containing twenty persons, became detached next Saturday, and forty-nine others. Three of the occupants of the ear were killed outright and the remainder seriously injured. The accident severely injured the Indian.

The Protestant Episcopalian convention at Baldwinsville did not harmonize concerning the elements, and on the Sabbath afternoon of election of bishops the convention resolved to cease voting and adjourned until the second Wednesday in October.

POLITICAL.

Senator Plumb, of Kansas, who was reported as having declared for Blaine, declared to-day whether he would was true or false. He said that he would leave the convention to be settled by the voters in the convention.

There is a great deal of talk about the position of Bryan, running in the Burlington road since last month, as an assistant general passenger agent of the line, with his headquarters at Chicago.

C. O. Howard, charged with robbing a bank at Monmouth, Ill., of \$10,000, was arrested at Waukesha on a telegram from the Monmouth authorities. He is now in jail.

At Arkansas City, F. E. Smith, Bank of America, recently for Indians, and its manager, has an attorney, a lawyer named Carl, who prosecuted him. Carl is dead and Banks is mortally wounded.

A trial was made on the National banking bank at Washington. Nine-tenths of the people drawing out were colored.

Alexander Sullivan, president of the International League of America, has received a telegram from Charles Stewart, former president of the International League of Ireland, thanking the Irish Americans in behalf of Ireland and colleagues for the spontaneous donations to assist the candidates for parliamentary seats in elections.

Michael Levy, attorney of Newark, N. J., squandered by shooting himself, was found shot in a room in his hotel, near which his violin was resting.

It is understood that he had used the intruder's gun to take his life. His last words, which last winter were uttered, were, "A hole here, a hole there, the region of the heart showed where the fatal ball had passed."

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CONGRESSIONAL.

House, Saturday, May 31. The bill was passed restoring the law of 1869 in the matter of appeals from circuit courts to the United States supreme court.

In habeas corpus cases this law was repealed a few years ago, while the McCrory case, from Mississippi, was pending before the Supreme court. The bill giving the right of appeal to the circuit court was introduced by John Muller.

SENATE, Monday, June 2. Mr.

Sherman presented a memorial from the board of directors of the Chicago Industrial exposition for an appropriation of \$25,000 to aid in the work of the exposition.

A number of bills, being introduced to, were passed, including the following: The house bill giving the right of appeal on all matters of the second class when sent by persons other than publishers of news agents.

The following resolutions were

presented by Stockslager: Calling on the secretary of the interior for the name of all persons with whom contracts shall be made for furnishing Indian supplies; a resolution of calling on the secretary of the interior for the removal of the national parks.

By Estelle: Giving the 25th of June as the date of the enrollment.

The house took up the legislative appropriation bill with the amendments reported by the committee of the whole. The amendment prohibiting minstrel clowns from performing work of a private character for themselves was rejected. The amendment excepting all distilleries, which must be located or less than the operation of the provisions of the 1865 revised statute, except payment of tax, was adopted by a vote of 15, May 24. The remaining amendment agreed to and the bill passed.

SENATE, Tuesday, June 2. On motion of Ingalls, it was resolved that when the Senate adjourned to meet the 1st of July next, in accordance with the understanding of members, the same would be done.

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SLEEP AND DEATH.

The shades of night were drawing an aspace,
The sun had well nigh his last, wanted now,
When Sleep and Death, like brothers hand
in hand,
Strolled forth upon the Earth from Spirit
land.
They set them down upon a hillock green,
Near man's abode, and yet by man unknown;
Over all a peaceful quiet seems to come,
And in the distance, voices here and there,
Notes less, as is their wont, the two re-
spired.

Good spirits bound to bless mankind;
At last from his moss-covered couch arose
The kind Sleep-angel, friend of sweet re-

pose.

With unmet hands, the seed of sleep he

shed,

And zephyrs bore them to the silent bed,

Now gently slumber locked the lids of all;

From old to young, each felt the welcome

thrall.

The sick man felt no more his lingering

pains.

The poor forgot their need, the rich their

pains.

The arms of love embraced each weary one,

And perfect quiet told the night begun;

His task performed the Genius thus began:

"Now we'll sit down to live and die."

When morn with rosy fingers paints the sky,

The world, refreshed, will lift my praises

high.

What joy in secret this to bliss mankind!

To be thy Deputy for this designer!

But death, the "King of shades," sat

solely by;

And sighed and wept as angels weep and

sigh.

"Alas! I feared one 't'was the angel tried,

"That I might be left with you all!"

For man reviles me when my scythe unmows;

And pain and toil destroyer of their joys!

But gentle Sleep's answer thus addressed:

"Will not the good awake to call their woes?

Are we not brethren—servants of the true

Whose will in Earth—and Heaven, shall be

done?"

Thus reassured, Death clasped his brother's hand.

And thus they sped away to Spirit-land.

—George W. Hatch.

HER CHOICE.

"Well, Lina, are you going to water that sailor 'out of sight?'" said Addie Vernon to her sister as they were walking through the principal street along the water side of a large eastern seaport town. "Did you notice, Addie, how straight and manly-looking he was?" queried Lina, ignoring her sister's impatience and evident lack of interest. "No, he didn't attract my attention particularly," was her reply, "but if we don't know that storm which is coming up will surely overtake us before we reach home." Lina forebore to say anything further about the handsome sailor to her sister, but hastened her footsteps, reaching home just in season to escape one of those thunder storms which come up so unexpectedly sometimes near the sea coast.

Adelaide and Linette Vernon were the oldest, and nearly the youngest, of a large family, mostly girls, and the only ones who had bestowed their affections upon sailors. Through Lina hardly realized it as yet, she had actually fallen in love with the bright-looking sailor, whom she had never seen until that day, as he passed, but on the way, to his vessel, which had just pushed into the stream, preparatory to sailing, as she afterwards discovered.

Addie was sore at heart; for she had lost one lover who had followed the sea, and who had never returned, his vessel having been wrecked. A second one upon whom she had bestowed her affections was drowned while trying to recover a large sum of money for the captain, from the sinking ship which they were leaving. It was not strange, therefore, that she should try to drown down anything that might in the future lead to such affection, for her younger sister, as she had endorsed.

But Lina's heart went out to the young man, whom she had seen that morning, leaving home, to trust his life to the uncertainty of the treacherous waves, and though she said no more about it to Addie, she breathed a prayer each night that the good Father might bring him in safety back to his native land.

Months rolled on, and with winter's approach, the young people of the town prepared for social gatherings, parties, and sleighrides, as in former days where intellectual treats in the shape of lectures, conversational, dramatic, and kindred enjoyments cannot be had.

The Vernons were old settled popular with everyone, making friends and keeping them, and it was not strange that the sisters should be urged to attend the first gathering, which was at the house of a son captain, whose son and daughter were intimate friends with the Vernons.

As Lina and Addie entered the room where the young people were gathering for an evening's pleasure, Page, the Captain's son, advanced to meet them with the salutation, "Well, Lina, I'm going to introduce you before anybody else to Captain Vernon's brother, Joseph, who is going to make his home here in town. He has just returned from a six months' voyage, and he's a splendid fellow, good as gold! All the girls have fallen in love with him, and are readying for an introduction, but he's heart whole. Lina, I don't think much of match-making, but as you are determined that you won't have me, let me just whisper to you, he's the only other chap I'd feel reconciled you having." Just at this moment young Vernon entered the room, and the usual introductions followed, but Lina could hardly believe her senses when she looked timidly up to meet the frank, blue eyes of the sailor whose image for six months had haunted her night and day.

They soon discovered congenial natures—coming from a distant state, leaving home, friends and relatives, by the advice of an elder brother who followed the sea, and with whom he was now living, he yet deeply missed a much-loved sister, whose life had, until the present year, been inseparable from his own. It was a topic of which he did not like, and he found a ready listener in the person of Lina Vernon.

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"Please, Mrs. Carter, for consumption is not only pleasant to take, but it is cure-all."

—The Right Sort of Girl.

The girly girl is the trumper girl. She is what she seems, and not a sham and a pretense. The girly girl never thinks about woman's rights, and woman's wrongs. She is a girl and glad of it. She would not be a boy and grow up into a man and vote and go to war and puzzle her brain about stocks for a kingdom. She knows nothing about business, and does not want to know anything about it. Her aim is to marry some good fellow and make him a good wife, and she generally succeeds in doing both. She delights in dress, and is not ashamed to own that she does. She is pleased when she is admired, and lets you see that she is. She is feminine from the top of her head to the end of her toes, and if you try to draw her into the discussion of dry themes she tells you squarely that the conversation does not suit her. She is always run together.

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Truths often stranger than fiction, and in the course of conversation it soon became apparent that your Romer, who had noticed the fair, graceful form of Lina, as she passed him on the morning of his departure six months previous, had carried her memory with him.

Her sweet face and soft, hazel eyes were like a bacon light to him, when storms raged and billows dashed.

It was his first voyage, and as such his duties were arduous, but he would be no half-way sailor. He would mount the ladder, and in time, if God willed, he would have command of a ship. It was never absent from his thoughts,

even when furling sails at murky midnight, that sometime he would be master of a vessel, and that unanimity of purpose and thoughtfulness of the welfare of all concerned, should be a predominant characteristic he had fully determined.

All these thoughts and purposes were brought to the surface as the two sat and talked, while the morn through enjoyed themselves. The Page girls silently watched the pair, as they fitted from one to another, intent upon the enjoyment of all, and young Page, happy that his two dearest friends were happy in each other's society, would have been more than mortal, had he not felt just a twinge of regret that his words had never called such a flush of evident pleasure to Lina's fair face. But he was noble, and if he could not win her, he would not hinder his friend from doing so if he would.

Romer's sister Alice was his idol, and to Lina he related much of his home life. He had stayed with the old folks in the farm until the last, one of the five brothers had left to seek their fortunes in foreign lands, and now when his father, laid in the quiet village church yard, and his mother made her home with his favorite sister, whose husband had taken charge of the old homestead, he felt like carving out a fortune for himself. It might be many years before he made a home for himself, but the foundations were laid, and with God's help, sometime a priestess would be enthroned there.

Such was the tenor of the evening's conversation, and all too quickly the hours passed. But in those days, which were long ago, midnight usually found most people in their home, if they had one, so the party broke up, and young Page, who generally accompanied Lina home, delegated the not unpleasant duty to his friend Romer, who gladly took upon himself the care of escorting the sisters to their home.

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