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## NEWS OF THE WEEK

Locals and Personals, Both City and Country.

Dr. W. I. Seymour; coming.

W. T. Carpenter was in Sioux City Friday.

Frank Kruger was a Sioux City visitor Saturday.

J. J. Moore, was here from Carroll Saturday on business.

Frank Vincent was in Omaha the latter part of last week.

Mrs. A. T. Chapin of Winside, was a Wayne visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Jas Hurst, arrived home from the east Friday evening.

Landlord Mossman of Carroll, was a Wayne visitor Monday.

Henry Lessman arrived home from the east Saturday morning.

A. T. Tucker and Gilbert French were west bound passengers Tuesday

Mr. Ed. Chambers of Wakefield, has leased the Perrin Hotel, which he will take charge of May 1st.

Miss Goldie Brookings of Tekamah, visited with Wayne relatives and friends Saturday and Sunday.

A cold wave came down from the north Friday that made our overcoats feel comfortable to the wearer.

A. F. Brenner of Minneapolis, was a Wayne visitor Saturday looking after the interests of the Anchor Grain Co.

Mrs. Frank Whitney returned Sunday evening from a pleasant two week's visit with her parents at Panama, Iowa.

While in Hoskins Saturday, we learned that M. Dendinger is selling a large number of De Laval Cream Separators, having sold three in one day last week.

Miss Myra Preston of Wayne, visited her brother Wm Preston at Beemer, and was the guest of her friend, Miss. Neba Davis, for a few days.—Wisner Free Press.

Mrs. Henry Ley, who has been spending a few days with Mrs. F. F. Wheeler, 2817 Nebraska street, returned to Wayne, Nebr., last evening.—Friday's Sioux City Journal.

Mrs. Chas. Beebe went to Fullerton Saturday, to remain for a few days with her mother, who is slowly recovering from the injury sustained in a fall a few weeks ago.

Gilbert French arrived from Fairfax S. D., Friday. We learn that Mr. French and Walden Tucker have sold their banking interests in that town, and will engage in business, elsewhere.

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Dr. J. J. Williams went to Lincoln Monday morning as a delegate representing the Wayne county physicians at the annual meeting of the State Medical Association. He stopped at Omaha to witness the reception tendered President Roosevelt.

### DIED IN COLORADO.

The sad news was received here the fore part of the week announcing the death of Mrs. Elliot E. Bibler at Canyon City, Colorado on Wednesday, April 15. She had been in ill health for nearly five years with lung trouble, having contracted the disease in Nebraska, and afterwards moving to Colorado in the hope that a change of climate would benefit her. For a time she seemed to improve, but the death of an only daughter, last fall with the same disease disheartened her, and she gradually failed.

STELLA OLMSTED was born in Lake County in 1857, her father, John Olmsted, being one of the early settlers of the county. Her early childhood was spent with her parents on a farm midway between Ainsworth and Deep River. Early in the seventies she moved with her parents to Black River Falls, Wis. She afterwards returned here and attended school at Valparaiso. She was married to Elliot E. Bibler on Sept. 19, 1882, They resided at Winfield Station until April, 1886 when they removed to Wakefield, Neb. In which vicinity they made their home until the summer of 1900, when her failing health compelled a removal to Colorado, the trip being made in a wagon. She leaves to mourn her death a husband and one son, Howard O., aged 19, two children having preceded her to that land which knows no grief or sorrow. She was a true and faithful wife and a kind and loving mother, and all that a mother could have been. A true friend to everyone, loved and respected by all who knew her. She leaves a large circle of friends both here and in the west who sincerely mourn her death.

The funeral services and burial took place at Canyon City on Friday, April 17, 1903.—Crown Point (Ind.) Register

Jas. Bush came in from the east Saturday evening.

Dr. Seymour will be in Norfolk, Saturday, May 2nd, Oxnard Hotel.

Mrs. A. B. Clark and Mrs. H. B Jones were Sioux City visitors Monday.

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Postmaster McNeal received a message from the Department at Washington on Monday notifying him that the order discontinuing the post office at Altona had been rescinded. The good news was at once telephoned to the post office at that place, and the patrons will have a kindly feeling toward those whose efforts succeeded in bringing about this result.

Mrs. John Larison of Wayne visited her friend Mrs. F. S. Tracy, last Thursday....Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fish went to Sioux City yesterday to attend the Thomas concert....Miss Nellie Ross, was up from Wayne to attend the Woman's Club banquet, and returned to her school duties Sunday afternoon. ....Mrs. A. T. Chapin, Mrs. E. R. Gurney went down to Pender yesterday to attend the bankers' banquet held last night, and returned this morning.—Winside Tribune.

Hoskins has a fire apparatus that will be hard to beat anywhere in the state. Aside from a cart and 800 feet of hose they have a fine gasoline engine manufactured by the Waterous Engine Works of St. Paul. The apparatus was purchased through M. Dendinger, Hoskins' crack implement dealer, and is a beauty. It can be made ready for pumping in three and a half minutes and will throw a stream of water one hundred feet straight up in the air. The engine house is built close to the creek, a dam has been put in and the supply of water is unlimited. The citizens of Hoskins are justified in feeling proud of their fire apparatus which would be a credit to towns many times larger.

Miss Vincent, a teacher in the Wayne schools, went down to Wakefield Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ote Cunningham of Omaha, was in Wayne the first of the week visiting her mother, Mrs. M. S. Merrill.

Will Statis, Rey Jeffrey's barber, was at his home in Bancroft the first of the week layed up with the grippe.

Mrs. M. A. McLeod of David City, Nebr., is in the city the guest of her daughter, Mrs M. A. Spears. Mrs. McLeod has been in Little Rock, Ark., visiting her son, and in eastern points the past two years.

The time for the payment of dog taxes begins with the beginning of the fiscal year, May 5, and they are supposed to be paid by the 10th of May. After that date you are liable to miss your dog if the tax is not paid. Keep track of the time.

### DIED.

Agnete, Margaret, daughter of Rev. F. Anderson, aged 8 years, 1 month, 10 days. The funeral was held on Saturday, April 25, from the English Lutheran church, the services were conducted by Rev. Damskoo of Sioux City, and Rev. Ringer.

### PROGRAM.

Program for Memorial Day services Sunday, May 24th and Saturday, May 30th, 1903 at Wayne, Neb.

Union services will be held in the opera house Sunday, May 24th at 10:45 a. m. Rev. F. M. Sisson, D. D., of Norfolk, Neb., will preach the sermon.

His Excellency, Hon. J. H. Mickey governor of the state will deliver the address on Memorial Day, Saturday, May 30th in the opera house at 3 p. m

An original poem written by an old soldier, for the occasion, will be given by Miss Mollie Foltz, a student at the Nebraska Normal College.

A parade will be had on Saturday afternoon May 30, participated in by old soldiers and sailors, soldiers and sailors of the Spanish-American war, Civic societies; school children, students of the college, and citizens. Parade will form the right resting at the corner of Main and Third streets, extending south on Main and west on Second street, and will move promptly at 2 p. m., marching to the cemetery where a part of the ritualistic services of the G. A. R., will be had, and the graves decorated. After this the parade will return to the opera house for completion of the program.

Good chorus music will be rendered at both services. Miss Ludwig of the Normal college will render a vocal solo at each entertainment.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services. Let us lay aside the ordinary avocations of life and join in honoring the memory of those who gave their lives for the land we all love so well.

All soldiers and sailors of either war are earnestly requested to meet at the G. A. R. hall on Sunday at 10:15 a. m., and on Saturedy at one p. m. sharp to attend both services in a body.

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# ELEVEN ARE KILLED

## OVER A SCORE MORE INJURED IN WRECK IN KANSAS.

**Stock Train on the Missouri Pacific Crashes Into Rear of a Freight Train—Misreading of Orders Cause of the Collision.**

A Buffalo, Kan., dispatch says: A northbound Missouri Pacific stock train crashed into the rear of a work train north of here Sunday night and 11 men were killed and twenty-five injured. Ten of the latter were seriously and four probably fatally hurt. They were Greeks and Italians, excepting one, Peter Fry, an American.

The cause of the wreck is given as a misreading of orders.

The work train consisted of flat cars and a caboose, all filled with laborers. Men on the flat cars escaped by jumping, but hardly a man in the caboose escaped.

The work train was backing into town for the night, running at good speed. The heavy freight engine did not leave the track, but plowed the work train off the track, leaving little of it except the car wheels and kindling wood.

The doctors of Buffalo, assisted by townspeople, did heroic work among the injured until the wrecking train with surgeons of Neodesha and a corps of a dozen physicians from Coffeyville and Independence arrived. The dead and injured were taken to Coffeyville.

The scene of the wreck for several hours looked like a battlefield by the dazzling light of the burning debris, with dead men strewn about upon the ground where they had been left after being taken from the wreck.

## DEFIES THE BEAR.

**China Will Not Grant the Demands of Russia.**

London advices state: It is officially announced here that the Chinese government has sent to the Russian government at St. Petersburg a formal refusal to grant the latter's demands in regard to the evacuation of Manchuria.

Pekin dispatches state: Minister Conger has sent a note to Prince Ching, grand secretary, protesting against two features of Russia's proposed Manchurian agreement which are considered particularly antagonistic to American interests.

A Paris special says: The foreign office here has received lengthy advices from Washington regarding the feeling aroused in the United States over the steps taken by Russia in connection with Manchuria.

Dispatches show the American government does not intend to join the powers in opposing the Russian demands, but the United States will confine its action to safeguarding its own commercial interests. The assurances have created a strongly favorable feeling here.

## DESPERATE MAN ARRESTED.

**One Policeman Shot and Two Badly Bitten in St. Louis.**

A St. Louis special says: In attempting to arrest Frank Schnorbus, a saloonkeeper, because he was flourishing a revolver on the street, one policeman was shot, two were badly bitten, and the fourth received a dislocated wrist, while Schnorbus is in the hospital with a bullet wound.

Schnorbus began fired when the attempt to arrest him was made. He boarded a passing Broadway car and continued to fire. The officers returned the fire, and Schnorbus and one officer were wounded. After a struggle on the car Schnorbus was taken into custody and removed to the city hospital.

## SIX ROADS INVOLVED.

**In Junction Restraining Lines from Discriminating Against Shippers.**

A Kansas City dispatch says: Judge Phillips in the federal court here Monday granted a temporary injunction restraining the following railroads from discriminating against small shippers: Alton, St. Paul, Santa Fe, Burlington, Missouri Pacific, Rock Island, Wabash and Great Western.

The cases presented the same question involved in similar cases passed upon by Judge Grosscup at Chicago on Friday last.

## SUICIDES TO AID FRIENDS.

**Miss Hawkins Wished to Reunite Husband and Wife.**

A Bridgeport, Conn., special says: Convinced that her death was the only means of reuniting an estranged husband and wife, Miss Jane E. Hawkins killed herself by drinking laudanum. She left a letter explaining that although innocent of any intended wrong doing, she had been responsible for the separation of a husband and wife and had decided that in order to prove her innocence she had better kill herself, and by her death bring together her friends.

**Death Ends Ditch Dispute.**

A Nevada City, Cal., special says: Jerry Goodwill on Monday shot Thomas and William Blue at You Bet, killing the father and fatally wounding the son. The shooting was the result of an attack on Goodwill by Blue over a ditch right.

**Mayor Ames' Trial On.**

A Minneapolis special says: The trial of former Mayor Alonzo A. Ames for bribery and extortion began Monday morning in the district court. It will probably take three days to get a jury.

**To Revise Confession.**

A Philadelphia special says: Rev. Dr. Roberts, stated clerk of the Presbyterian general assembly, announced Monday that two-thirds of the presbyteries had voted in favor of a declaratory statement elucidating chapters 3 and 10 of the confession.

**Cigarmakers Ask More Pay.**

A Kansas City, Mo., special says: The cigarmakers of this city and of Kansas City, Kan., have demanded an increase in pay and have notified their employers that the new bill of prices must go into effect May 4 or they will quit work.

## MOB LAW IN ILLINOIS.

**General Assault on a Camp of Negroes at Santa Fe.**

A Thebes, Ill., special says: An unknown negro, aged 17, was lynched by a mob of angry farmers near the village of Santa Fe Sunday afternoon for attempting to assault the 10-year-old daughter of Farmer Branson Davis, and this was followed by a general onslaught upon a colony of negroes living in tents who were engaged in bridge construction work. The tents were burned and many negroes were shot, but so far as known none were killed. Hundreds of shots were exchanged, but no whites were hurt.

Branson Davis lives one-half mile east of Santa Fe, a small village near here. While his 10-year-old daughter was in the barnyard Sunday the negro accosted her. She ran, but he seized her, and her screams brought her mother to the rescue. The negro fled. Officers were notified and were soon in pursuit. News of the assault speedily spread among the neighboring farmers, and resulted in an angry mob starting in search of the assailant. The negro was meanwhile captured by officers and was being brought to Santa Fe when the mob of farmers met them.

A scrimmage ensued, during which the farmers secured the negro. He confessed to the crime, but begged for mercy.

Without a word the mob started with the prisoner toward the new bridge being constructed across the Mississippi, where he was hanged to an oak tree without ceremony or delay. After the body had dangled in the air a few minutes it was riddled with bullets. The officers endeavored to disperse the mob, but their efforts were unavailing.

A rush was made for the colony of several hundred negroes employed on bridge construction workand living in tents near the bridge. The negroes saw the mob coming and opened fire. A fusillade followed, and the whites fired with effect, as many of the negroes were shot down. None of the whites were injured, and it is not known how seriously the negroes were wounded. The mob pressed forward, notwithstanding the steady fire, until the negroes turned and fled toward a nearby wood, taking their wounded with them. The mob then fell upon the tents and burned them. After accomplishing a general work of destruction the mob dispersed.

## WHITECAPS IN INDIANA.

**Two White Girls and a Negro Man Severely Whipped.**

A Bloomington, Ind., dispatch says: At 1 o'clock Sunday morning thirty-eight unmasked men broke into a house on East Ninth Street and whitecapped Misses Rebecca and Ida Stephens, white, aged 18 and 16 years, and also whipped Joe Shively, a negro, aged 50 years. The Stephens girls live with their mother in the same house in which Shively has a room.

The negro was whipped with a barbed wire, and was hit in the eye with brass knuckles. The older girls was whipped with barbed wire, and the younger one with switches, but neither is dangerously injured. Many of the whitecaps were recognized, and warrants will be sworn out for their arrest.

## BIG FIRE IN COLUMBUS, O.

**Property of the Value of $600,000 Destroyed Sunday Morning.**

A Columbus, O., dispatch says: Fire early Sunday morning destroyed the Brunson and Union Clothing buildings at High and Long Streets and several smaller structures, and damaged the Nicholas block, entailing an aggregate loss of about $600,000. Daniel Lewis, captain of engine company No. 11, was caught under a falling wall and instantly killed. His body was cremated in the ruins.

The fire was attended by many exciting incidents, the most exciting being the rescue of Philip Nation from his apartments on the fourth floor of the Brunson building, where he had been hemmed in by flames.

## CANTRELL FOUND GUILTY.

**Negro Ghoul May Get Sentence of Twenty-Four Years.**

An Indianapolis, Ind., special says: Rufus Cantrell, the negro ghoul, was found guilty on two counts Friday by a jury in the criminal court. The first count was for robbing the grave of Rose Neidlinger, and the second was for conspiracy with Dr. Joseph C. Alexander, demonstrator of anatomy at the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons, to rob her grave.

The punishment on the first count is imprisonment for a period of from three to ten years, and the second count carried with it a term of imprisonment of from two to fourteen years.

**Lieut. Gov. Lee Resigns.**

A St. Louis dispatch says: Lieut. Gov. John A. Lee has resigned his office as assistant executive of Missouri. Mr. Lee Sunday night gave out the following public statement:

"A desire to retire from political life and personal publicity has prompted my resignation."

**Dog Bites Major General.**

A St. Louis special says: While Major General H. C. Corbin, United States army, was inspecting the world's fair grounds a common yellow dog slipped up behind and bit him in the leg.

**Explosion in Mine.**

A dispatch from Sydnet, B. C., says an explosion occurred in the Dominion coal mine and four men are missing. One man escaped, but he was badly burned. A rescuing party has gone in after the missing men.

**W. K. Vanderbilt Marries.**

A London special says: William K. Vanderbilt was quietly married to Mrs. Lewis M. Rutherford here Saturday afternoon. The bride and groom started at once for France.

**Forty Years for Murder.**

A Carbondale, Ill., special says: The jury in the case of James Brown and Willie Skinner, charged with the killing of W. C. Smith at Wilkins Landing last August, rendered a verdict of guilty. Brown was given forty years in the penitentiary.

**Carpenters Reject Offer.**

A Philadelphia special says: Local unions affiliated with the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America have rejected the compromise offered by the master carpenters relative to the new wage scale to go into effect May 1.

## POWERS TO PROTEST.

***Russia and the "Open Door" in Manchuria.***

*A London special says: The Associated Press has learned that there is in contemplation a forcible joint protest on the part of Great Britain, the United States and Japan against the Russian demands in the matter of the sovereignty of Manchuria.*

The Associated Press is authorized by the foreign office to state that if the Chinese correctly represent Russia's claims, these claims constitute an absolute breach of all undertakings given in connection with Manchuria, and utterly abrogate the principles of the "open door" territorial division and international comity to which the British government constantly and publicly has committed itself. It is added that in these principles Great Britain has always acted with the United States, and it is presumed that similar feelings exist in Washington. Nothing, however, is definitely known, as with the exception of the British minister to China no British ambassador has yet reported.

It is pointed out that Russia's explanation may throw a different light on her demands, although in official circles there is a frank expression of the belief that Russia has no intention of evacuating Manchuria, and that she hopes, after demanding the maximum, to secure a compromise.

The foreign office has heard nothing confirming the reported dispatch of Japanese warships to New Chwang. It received no information Friday regarding initiative steps on the part of Japan, actual or in contemplation, although no doubt was expressed that Japan would join in the protest.

## ELOPES WITH EX-WIFE.

**Romance of Miss Sawyer, Young Woman of Omaha.**

An Omaha, Neb., special says: Miss Pearl Sawyer eloped with William Ostrander, Jr., making her second runaway marriage with the same man within a year. Previously she won a suit for a divorce and was granted $600 alimony, which was paid. And Miss Sawyer is not yet of age. Friends accidentally met the couple as they were hastening to catch the midnight train for Kansas City.

Ostrander met Miss Sawyer, who was an expert skater as a high school girl, at a rink. They were married in Council Bluffs secretly on Dec. 3 last. The divorce was granted April 2, 1903. To bring amout the reconciliation, young Ostrander persuaded his mother, Mrs. John H. Slayer of Cedar Rapids to help him. Mrs. Slayer came from the Iowa town last week. Nearly every day she took Miss Sawyer driving.

## RAILROADS BEATEN.

**An Important Ruling Made by the Federal Court.**

A Chicago special says: Judge Grosscup Friday entered an order in the federal court enjoining six railroad companies from discriminating against small shippers in western territory.

The decision is especially important, being the first under the new Elkins law.

The ruling applies to fourteen railroads which were covered by the proceedings instituted in the federal court. Six of these companies were defendants in the local court and the others are under the jurisdiction of the Kansas City federal court.

## "GET RICH QUICK" RAID.

**Chicago Police Seize the Offices of Half a Dozen Companies.**

A Chicago dispatch says: The following alleged "get rich quick" concerns were raided Friday by the police: Daniall Specialty Company, Curtis Novelty Company, Sporting Novelty Company, Gem Art Needlework Company, Curtis Remedy Company, Leslie Novelty Company, Home Industrial Company, General Supply Company, Textile Manufacturing Company, Erie Manufacturing Company.

H. W. Curtis is said by the police to have control of all the concerns.

**Two Inhuman Boys.**

A Kansas City special says: Alexander and Thomas Stephens, aged 16 and 14 years respectively, were arrested here Friday at the instigation of the Humane Society, charged with horsewhipping their mother and with cursing and striking her with their fists because she had corrected them.

**Strike to Aid One Man.**

A Ironton, O., special says: Because the Portland Cement Company refused to give to Ben Garvey his old position as oiler, the entire force of the plant and mines, numbering several hundred, struck, closing every department of industry.

**Insane from Much Singing.**

A New York special says: As a result of overwork in her effort to perfect her voice, Julia Levine, 23 years old, of Louisville, Ky., was taken from a boarding house to Bellevue hospital for observation as to her sanity. Miss Levine is said to have a remarkable soprano voice.

**Suicide of a Young Woman.**

A Berkeley, Cal., dispatch says: Miss Annie Day Kellogg, the adopted daughter of ex-President Kellogg, of the University of California, committed suicide by swallowing carbolic acid. Miss Kellogg was 30 years of age. She had been despondent for some time.

**Lynching in Texas.**

A Longview special says: News was received here Sunday of the lynching at Carthage Saturday night of a negro named Hensley Johnson, charged with criminally assaulting a 4-year-old white girl. A mob from Carthage caught him and hanged him on the public square.

**Detroit Has $100,000 Fire.**

A Detroit special says: The manufacturing department of Scherer & Co.'s carriage works was damaged by fire Friday to the extent of $100,000.

**Thousands Go to Work.**

A Mahanoy City, Pa., special says: Ten thousand miners returned to work in the Mahanoy district Friday, waiving a Saturday short work day pending the settlement of the dispute by the board of conciliation. The Shenandoah valley men are still idle.

**Santo Domingo Shelled.**

Advices from Santo Domingo, Republic of Santo Domingo, state: Troops of the government shelled this city Friday. Several houses were badly damaged. Over 100 soldiers were killed in the fight, which lasted one hour.

# STATE OF NEBRASKA

## NEWS OF THE WEEK IN A CONDENSED FORM.

**Life Term for Mrs. Lillie—Judge Good Overrules Motion for New Trial and Passes Sentence—Attorneys Give Notice of Appeal.**

A David City special says: Mrs. Lena Lillie, convicted of the murder of her husband last October, was denied a new trial Saturday.

Evidence was offered by attorneys for the defense in the motion for a new trial that tended to prove perjury on the part of two jurors.

After the arguments Judge Good reviewed the case at length and then overruled the motion for a new trial. The court then said:

"Lena Margaret Lillie, you have been convicted by the jury of murder in the first degree, and have you anything to say why the sentence of the court should not be passed upon you?"

To which Mrs. Lillie answered:

"I have."

By the Court—"I will hear you."

After consulting with her father and attorneys, Mrs. Lillie said:

"I will say to the court that I am not guilty of this crime, and I feel that I have not had a fair trial as a citizen of the United States. I feel that no more unjust thing ever happened in the state of Nebraska than this thing just perpetrated, that witnesses on the stand have sworn to falsehoods as black as black could be."

Judge Good: "The court has tried to give you a fair trial, and the jury as citizens of the county have said upon their solemn oath that you are guilty. It is the sentence of the court that you be taken to the jail of the county, by the sheriff, and from there to the penitentiary of the state of Nebraska, to be imprisoned for life at hard labor, no part of which shall be solitary confinement, and that you pay the costs of this prosecution."

During the entire proceeding Mrs. Lillie sat motionless, not even a twitch of the lip or the batting of an eye was noticeable.

The father and mother of the prisoner sat by her side, the mother was constantly weeping and moaning with grief, the father was heart broken and wept bitterly. Three sisters were also present and wept bitterly. After sentence was pronounced Mrs. Lillie shed tears, but was the most cool and calm of any in the court room.

The attorneys for the defendant asked the court to instruct the sheriff to keep Mrs. Lillie in the Butler County jail for thirty days, as they would at once procure a bill of exceptions and take the case to the supreme court.

## NEBRASKA CROP BULLETIN.

**Plowing for Corn is in Progress All Over the State.**

A Lincoln special says: The Nebraska weather and crop bureau has issued the following bulletin:

The temperature for the week has averaged slightly above the normal in the eastern portion of the state and slightly below in the western. On the mornings of the 14th and 15th the minimum temperatures were quite generally below freezing, but only very slight injury to fruit blossoms has been reported. General showers occurred on the last three days of the week, which relieved the dry condition of the top soil in the southwestern and some southern counties.

The condition of winter wheat continues good, and it will be much benefited by the showers of the past few days, although more rain is needed along the southern border of the state to relieve the frosted condition of the soil. Spring wheat is practically all sown and oats nearly so. Oats are coming up nicely in the southern sections.

Plowing for corn has begun in all sections, and the soil is in excellent condition for the work. Alfalfa and pasturage have started well and are well advanced. Fruit trees are in bloom except in the northern counties.

## FOUND DEAD IN HOTEL.

**John Bohn, Worth a Small Fortune, Commits Suicide in Omaha.**

An Omaha special says: The lifeless body of John Bohn, a retired saloonkeeper, was found in his room in the Klondike Hotel Saturday night, he having committed suicide. A search of the room revealed $44,000 in railroad and bank stocks and cash. Bohn had been ill for a number of days.

Bohn had been regarded as almost a pauper, and no one knew of the wealth that he had secreted in trunks, satchels and boxes. As far as known there are no relatives.

## CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

**Result of Lightning Stroke Near West Point.**

A West Point special says: During a thunderstorm near here, Saturday lightning struck the farm house of Fred Sendgreff. All the occupants, father, mother and four children, were badly burned and rendered unconscious.

When Sendgreff partially recovered he found the house in flames. He managed to drag his helpless wife and three of the children out, but was unable to rescue one child, whose charred body was found later in the ruins of the house.

**Arbor Day Observed.**

An Omaha special says: Arbor day was observed throughout Nebraska and by the schools was given special attention. Banks closed, although business was not generally suspended. At the schools in this and other cities the afternoon was generally given up to tree and shrub planting and teachers explained the significance of the day.

**Appointed Sheriff.**

A Pender special says: John G. Gannon was Thursday appointed sheriff of Thurston County by the county commissioners to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Sheriff Charles Daily. There were three candidates in the field, and 32 ballots were required to reach a choice.

**Huntington to Have a Big Mill.**

A Huntington special says: Carlton Bros. have begun the erection of a $20,000 flour mill, which will be equipped with up-to-date milling machinery.

**Injured Boy Doing Well.**

Frank Kennedy, the 14-year-old boy who accidentally shot himself at Plattsmouth last Saturday, is reported to be getting along nicely and his chances for recovery are now brighter than at any time since the accident occurred. In just what portion of the abdomen the bullet lodged has not been determined.

**Child's Face Torn by Explosion.**

A Beatrice special says: Guffey Murray, the 7-year-old son of John Murray, had a portion of his left cheek torn away Saturday by the explosion of a cartridge which he was trying to force into a 22-caliber revolver.

## BIG FIRE AT FAIRBURY.

***Fifteen Business Houses Are Destroyed by Flames.***

*A Fairbury special says: The worst fire in the history of Fairbury broke out at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and was not checked until three hours later.* Fully a quarter of the best business part of the town was destroyed, comprising an entire block on the south of the public square, two lumber yards near by, the Methodist Church and parsonage a block away, and minor damage to residences. *The total loss is estimated at from $240,000 to $300,000,* fairly well covered by insurance.

*The local fire department was powerless, and Beatrice sent assistance.*

By consent of Gov. Mickey the local militia company was called out and patrolled the burned district.

The principal business houses burned comprise two drug stores, two lumber yards, two clothing houses, postoffice, harness store, bakery, Times newspaper, a hardware and implement house, Harbine bank, boot and shoe store, general merchandise store, and several local and law libraries.

## WOMAN HARNESS MAKER.

**Two Towns in Nebraska Claim to Have One Each.**

A Papillion special says: An Omaha the world, had completed a bridle which paper a few days ago printed a dispatch from Hartington stating that Mrs. Mary Lydick, the only woman harnesmaker in she will give to President Roosevelt during his trip through the west.

Papillion can boast of a woman harnessmaker, Mrs. J. C. Graham, who can make anything and everything connected with the work of an up-to-date harness shop. Mrs. Graham has been making harness, saddles, etc., here for for nine years, and her work cannot be beaten.

During the time she has been in business here she has been so successful that she will retire in a few days, when she and her husband will go to California to spend the rest of their days in ease.

## PARSONS BUILD PARSONAGE.

**Seven Methodist Preachers at Leigh Work with Hammer and Saw.**

A Leigh special says: A new Methodist parsonage is being built here, the labor on the building being performed by preachers. At present seven ministers are at work. Presiding Elder F. N. Sisson of Norfolk is acting as contractor and Rev. Hughes, a 297-pound preacher from Wakefield, is fulfilling the office of boss carpenter. They are assisted by Revs. High, Autrim, St. Louis, Fowler and Peterson. They are putting in full time during the day and holding revival meetings in the church each evening.

## MYSTERIOUSLY DROWNED.

**Woman's Body Found in a Stream Near Her Home.**

A Scribner dispatch says: The wife of William Paasch, a farmer living about six miles north of this place, was found drowned in a small stream near her home Tuesday. Her husband is the assessor of his district and was away from home making assessments when the body was found. She had a headache and went out for fresh air and is supposed to have fallen from a small foot bridge into the stream where the body was found.

## BURNED HERSELF TO DEATH.

**Insane Woman Chooses Horrible Way to Suicide.**

An Ashland special says: Mrs. A. G. Bentz, wife of a prominent farmer living one and one-half miles from Memphis, committed suicide. A blazing light was discovered Wednesday morning at their cob house on the Bentz place and Mrs. Bentz was found enveloped in flames. A kerosene can was found near her, the contents of which the insane woman had poured over her clothing and ignited.

## SHERIFF BAILEY DEAD.

**Thurston County Official Dies at His Home in Pender.**

Charles Baily, sheriff of Thurston County, died Friday of heart failure at his home in Pender. He had been sick but a comparatively short time and his death was a great surprise. Mr. Bailey was an old resident of Thurston County. He served one term as deputy sheriff and had been sheriff for three years.

**Bank Robbery at Rogers.**

A Rogers dispatch says: During a thunder storm at an early hour Saturday morning robbers entered the Bank of Rogers, blew open the safe and secured $2,500. The robbers broke out the rear window of an adjoining building, entered and then cut through the partition, thus entering the bank.

**Plan to Kill an Overseer.**

An inmate of the boys' industrial school at Kearney, who was placed on parole Wednesday, told the superintendent of a plot to kill an inmate overseer. The plot was originated by an inmate named Sued, a big fellow who has been regarded as a bad man. The overseer was to be killed on the way to work in the fields and the boys planned an escape. Four in the plot are now locked up.

**Blaze at Randolph.**

A Randolph special says: Tuesday morning at 2 o'clock fire was discovered in the clothing establishment of Hughes & Norris. Promptness on the part of the city fire department saved the building and block. Loss on building and stock, $1,500; no insurance on building; stock fully covered.

**Tornado in Nebraska.**

A storm of tornado proportions swept through Aurora Saturday night. Two houses were carried from their foundations, and a number uprooted. Barns were wrecked and sidewalks torn up. The storm in the country is reported worse than in town, but there are no known fatalities.

**Nebraska is Frosted.**

A heavy frost, extending in area over the eastern part of Nebraska, occurred Tuesday night. Early morning reports indicate that the plum and cherry orchards suffered considerably. No correct estimate of the loss has been made.

**Bankers at Pender.**

A Pender special says: The Northeastern Nebraska Bankers' Association held their annual meeting at this place Thursday. About ninety were in attendance. The next meeting will be held at Ponca.

**Death of a Pioneer.**

A Lyons special says: W. H. Going, a pioneer settler and ex-union soldier, died at his home here Saturday night, and was buried Wednesday morning. Mr. Going was 69 years old. He leaves a widow and eleven children, all of whom attended the funeral.

**Blaze Near Brownsville.**

A Brownsville special says: Three brick buildings, occupied by Ritchey's general store, Kauffmann's general store, the Biographic printing office, Llewilling & Davis' hotel and opera house, were destroyed by fire Saturday. The loss is $50,000.

The state banking board has completed its compilation of the returns made by the various banks of the state for the quarter ending March 18, and the compilation shows the state, especially the western and rural portions, to be in a most healthy condition financially. The deposits have increased over the report of the last quarter $2,619,001.62. As only the report of one bank in Omaha is contained in the compilation, it is good evidence of the prosperity of the agricultural people of the state. It shows, said the secretary of the board, that the farmers instead of using the money to pay off mortgages are putting their money received for the sale of crops into the banks. In many instances the reports show that the farmers are investing their money in bonds and other securities. The report shows the number of depositors to be 104,283 and the average deposit $355.82. The reserve is 33 2-5 per cent. Four hundred and eighty-four banks filed reports. The report also shows that the loans also have increased over the last quarter and over the report of a year ago have increased almost 18 per cent. This it is claimed by the officials, is another indication of the increased business being done requiring loans.

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State Veterinarian Thomas has received a notice from Wyoming that the authorities there had quarantined against all kinds of live stock, to take effect April 15 and continue in force until next April. This will prevent the taking of livestock into Wyoming unless they have been placed in quarantine and pronounced free from disease. According to the terms of the proclamation the examination may be made at Alliance and Aurora, if the Nebraska shipper desires. Cattle "trailed" or driven into the state must be examined at the state boundary. The main object of the proclamation is to keep out cattle affected with tuberculosis and "scab," but it will have the effect of excluding shipments of sheep. Dr. Thomas said that the effect of the proclamation would be to greatly hamper live stock traffic along the western border of the state. It has been intimated that the action taken by the Wyoming state officials is designed to control in a measure the shipment of sheep into the state. At present the sheep and cattle men in that state are at swords' points over the feeding grounds.

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William Rhea, age 22 years, a convict in the state penitentiary, lies in a dungeon counting the days until by the decree of the highest court in the state he is hanged by the neck until dead. But for the interference of Ezra P. Savage, then governor, the man would have paid the penalty of his crime on the scaffold April 24, 1902. At that time he was given a respite until July 10 of this year. The reason of the respite Gov. Savage said was in order to allow the legislature to amend the laws relating to pardons and commutation of sentences. He did not believe Rhea should be hanged or even freed. The legislature did not amend the law. Consequently unless Gov. Mickey interferes William Rhea will be hanged on the date named. Rhea was convicted of the murder of Hermann Zahn a saloonkeeper of Snyder.

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Representative Ferrar of Hall County was in Lincoln Wednesday with his farm manager for the purpose of taking out another shipment of Russians to work in the beet fields around Grand Island. Some days ago 300 were taken out and put to work and Wednesday morning another lot of 300 men, women and children went on a special train of seven cars. Mr. Ferrar is the manager of the beet sugar factory at that place. He said that the laborers were paid $20 an acre for taking care of the beets. They live in cottages erected on the fields where they work. The members of the families all works in the fields. About $40,000 will be paid out at Grand Island alone to this class of labor.

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The Louisiana Purchase exposition commission met for the first time Saturday in the office of the governor and organized. G. W. Wattles was elected president, Matt Miller secretary and C. H. Morrill treasurer and vice president. The commissioners decided not to go to St. Louis with Gov. Mickey, because in their opinion it would be a waste of time insofar as doing anything for the Nebraska exhibit was concerned. They will go down later and look over the ground. Arrangements will shortly be made for someone to go out in the state and arrange for the growing of products to be used in the state exhibit. The commissioners have not decided whether a building will be erected in St. Louis.

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The department of labor and industrial statistics has outlined its plan of action for the coming biennium. Commissioner Bush is very much interested in the enforcement of the fire escape law and intends to devote a great part of his time to this subject because he believes that a large per cent of the people, and especially the traveling public, demand some protection in this regard. He will also give considerable attention to the inspection of factories for the enforcement of the child labor laws.

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Two appointments were handed down late Friday afternoon. These were Dr. Edgar L. Holtzoke of Lincoln to be physician at the penitentiary and Mrs. Beemer, wife of the warden, to be matron at the same place. The former takes the place held by Dr. Wilmeth. The position of matron was created by the last legislature, and the salary is to be fixed by the board of public lands and buildings. The physician's salary is $900 per year.

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Auditor Weston is receiving from the various assessors the value that will be placed on property over the state for assessment purposes in answer to his request sent out some time ago. In some counties at least the assessment this year will be extremely low, much more so than last year.

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The employes in the office of the secretary of state are busy getting out certified copies of bills and the other state officials are busy familiarizing themselves with the provisions of the new acts that affect their offices.

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Gov. Mickey has mailed to A. Grip, minister to Sweden and Norway, a draft for $1,500, and to Comte Cassini, the Russian minister at Washington, a draft for $500, this being the $2,00 appropriated by the last legislature for the starving people of Sweden, Norway and Finland. In closing the letters to the ministers, Gov. Mickey took occasion to say: "The people of Nebraska are solicitous for the welfare of those of other lands and desire to take notice of the deplorable condition existing in the famine regions of Europe. This appropriation is therefore a practical expression of their sympathy."




**ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO.**

The city of Paris began building sidewalks, and the prediction was made that the improvement would soon become popular.

Aaron Burr, Vice-President of the United States, was given the degree of doctor of laws by Princeton University.

The commerce of the United States was said to have grown so rapidly that fifty ships flying the Stars and Stripes were reported in the harbor of Liverpool.

**SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.**

The municipality of Vera Cruz refused to receive Governor General Rincon because he had failed to punish Mexican traitors with due severity.

The House military affairs committee at Washington was instructed to prepare a bill abolishing the office of major general of the army, because it was considered superfluous.

**FIFTY YEARS AGO.**

A grand reception was tendered to the Spanish governor general of the Philippines, the Marquis de Urbistendo, and his family by Capt. Kelly and the officers of a United States warship lying at Manila.

Vice-President King died at his home in Selma, Ala., from an illness which rendered him too weak to stand without support when he took the oath of office at Washington.

The Massachusetts Legislature ordered an investigation of the so-called "spirit rappers" and a report on suitable laws to protect the "incredulous and ignorant" from them.

What was said to be the first pneumatic tube service, or "atmospheric telegraph," was tested at Boston, mail packages being sent by suction.

**FORTY YEARS AGO.**

The French army of invasion was reported to have captured the Mexican outposts at Puebla and to have been repulsed later in trying to take the city by storm.

Ex-President Millard Fillmore, in answer to a request for a political address in Connecticut, declared further agitation of the slavery question would result in total anarchy, and that the only hope left was in preserving the Union as it was before the Civil War.

A military force from Indianapolis captured seven leaders of the rebellious Knights of the Golden Circle, who had broken up a Dan Voorhees meeting at Danville and shot five union men.

The Confederate Secretary of the Treasury at Richmond estimated his expenses at $50,000,000 monthly, while the total Confederate debt already had reached $1,000,000,000.

Public meetings were held in California to urge the seizure of British Columbia in retaliation for Confederate warships building in England.

The London Post declared the United States was unable to carry on its war against the Confederacy except by blockade, and demanded to know how much longer the maritime powers of Europe would submit to the exclusion of their commerce.

The British steamer Gertrude was brought into New York as a prize, having been captured by the gunboat Vanderbilt while trying to enter Charleston harbor with a cargo of gunpowder.

**THIRTY YEARS AGO.**

Pielton, the new Spanish captain general, arrived at Havana and was received by the citizens in silence, while he pleaded for the suppression of rebellion.

Twelve persons were killed, forty wounded and 120 arrested at Frankfort, Germany, sixteen breweries were wrecked, and many shops looted, in a riot resulting from an advance in the price of beer.

Nineteen Modoc Indians were killed and their chiefs scalped by Col. Perry's troops in a battle near Tule lake.

Pennsylvania protectionists were said to be planning opposition to the nomination of James G. Blaine for the presidency in 1876 because he was "not sound on the tariff question."

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.**

Florida negroes were said to be enticed to Cuba under pretended labor contracts and sold into slavery there.

Nihilist riots occurred at Moscow over the arrival of fifteen Kieff university students en route to Siberia.

Over 200,000 English mill operatives struck against a decrease in wages.

Gen. U. S. Grant was banqueted by American residents at Florence, Italy.

The dispatch of British troops from India to Malta was announced at London as indicating that war with Russia was inevitable.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO.**

Windsor Castle was placed under military guard because of a suspected Fenian dynamite plot.

President Arthur was asked to appoint ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes postmaster at Fremont, Ohio, to succeed his own appointee, who had defaulted.

The British arms factory at Enfield was partly blown up by Fenian dynamiters.

A second presidential boom for Samuel J. Tilden was started in New York and Ohio.

President Chester A. Arthur was reported seriously ill at Savannah, Ga., and constitutional lawyers were unable to tell whether, if a new President and Vice-President had to be elected, they would serve only for the remainder of Gen. Garfield's term or a full four years.

**TEN YEARS AGO.**

Plans were announced for the Columbian exposition intramural railroad, the first third rail electric line and the model of Chicago's present elevated system.

The United States treasury gold reserve fell below $100,000,000, and Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle was reported on the point of resigning because of a quarrel with President Cleveland.

Edwin Booth, the tragedian, was said to be dying at New York from a stroke of paralysis.

Joseph Little Bristow, who has active charge of the investigation said to have been ordered by *President Roosevelt* into the alleged frauds in the postal service, has been Fourth Assistant Postmaster General since 1897, when he was appointed to that position by President McKinley. Up to that time Mr. Bristow's life had been confined to Kansas, where he had been active in politics, and where for five years he had been a successful editor. He was private secretary to Governor Morrill from 1895 to 1897 and secretary of the Republican State Committee from 1894 to 1898. He was born in Kentucky in 1861 and removed as a young man to Kansas, where he was educated at Baker University. Mr. Bristow made the personal acquaintance of President McKinley in 1894 on the occasion of Mr. McKinley's visit to Kansas. The Western editor became an enthusiastic supporter of McKinley two years subsequently, and it was largely through his efforts that Kansas was the first Northern State to declare for the Ohioan. Mr. Bristow proved a most valuable official of the Postoffice Department, and it was he who directed the investigation in the Cuban postal frauds in 1900.

JOSEPH L. BRISTOW.

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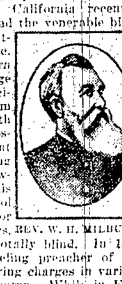
Rev. William Henry Milburn, whose death occurred in California recently, was 80 years old and the venerable blind chaplain of the United States Senate. When Mr. Milburn was 5 years of age a playfellow accidentally struck him in the left eye with a piece of glass, losing the sight of that eye, and dimming the other. He, however, pursued his studies at school and college for about twenty years, when he became totally blind. In 1843 he became a traveling preacher of the M. E. Church, serving charges in various sections of the country. While in England in 1859 on a lecturing tour he took orders in the Protestant Episcopal Church, but returned to Methodism in 1871. Mr. Milburn was twice elected "chaplain of Congress," the first time in 1845, when a little over 22 years of age. He was twice chaplain of the House of Representatives and lately chaplain of the Senate, to which office he was elected in 1893. Last December he forwarded his resignation to Washington, but it never was acted on.


REV. W. H. MILBURN

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The gentleman whose portrait herewith appears, Mr. John W. Foster, has the reputation of being our greatest living diplomatist, and his selection by President Roosevelt to prepare the Alaskan boundary case for our commissioners was a foregone conclusion. Born in Pike County, Ind., sixty-seven years ago, after completing his college course Mr. Foster served in the army during the Civil War and began his diplomatic career as minister to Mexico in 1873. Since then he has been minister to Russia and to Spain, Secretary of State, 1892-93; United States agent in the Bering sea arbitration, ambassador on special missions to Great Britain and Russia and member of the Anglo-Canadian commission, 1898. He was also prominent in the peace negotiations between China and Japan, when he received an enormous fee from the losing nation for his advice. He is not a large man physically, is genial, approachable and always busy.

J. W. FOSTER.

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Levi Ankeny, the new Senator from the State of Washington, is the son of a farmer and is the richest man in the State. Twenty-five years ago Mr. Ankeny went to Wallawalla and established the First National Bank there. At present he is president of six national banks. Last year he harvested over 1,000,000 bushels of wheat. In 1867 he married the oldest daughter of the late Senator Nesmith of Oregon. In appearance Mr. Ankeny is simple and farmerlike. He has never held public office excepting one term as Mayor of Lewiston, Idaho, and one term as city councilman of Wallawalla.

SENATOR ANKENY.

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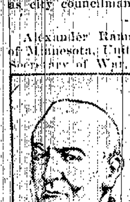
Alexander Ramsey, former Governor of Minnesota, United States Senator and Secretary of War, and the last survivor of the great war Governors, died the other evening at his home in St. Paul. He had been confined to the house for two months by an attack of gout, and this, coupled with old age, was the cause of death. Mr. Ramsey was born in Pennsylvania in 1815, and, after serving a term in Congress, went to Minnesota in 1849 to serve as the first territorial governor, having been appointed by President Polk. After the admission of Minnesota as a State he was elected Governor, and in that capacity, in 1861, made to President Lincoln the first offer of troops for the Civil War. Mr. Ramsey later served in the United States Senate, and in the last two years of the Hayes administration was Secretary of War.


EX-GOV. RAMSEY.

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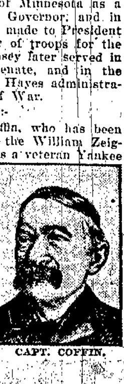
Captain Edwin Coffin, who has been selected to command the William Zeigler arctic expedition, is a veteran Yankee whaler and has spent many years of his life in the frozen ocean. Captain Coffin has already left his home, Edgartown, Martha's Vineyard, for Tromso, Norway, the starting point. The crew will be made up entirely of Yankee sailors from New England.


CAPT. COFFIN.

## RETURN OF THE PRESIDENT.

***Ends Vacation in Yellowstone Park and Resumes Tour.***

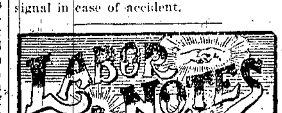
President Roosevelt's vacation in Yellowstone Park ended Friday. The President and all those who accompanied him on this tour of the park are delighted with the trip. No accident occurred, and for the most part they had delightful weather. John Burroughs was also greatly benefited by his outdoor life and his face is as bronzed as that of the President. The President spent most of his time in studying the habits of the game that abounds in the park. He would lie for hours near a herd of elk or mountain goats and frequently walk eight or ten miles to observe them. He also studied bird life with Mr. Burroughs. Mr. Burroughs was able to show him but one bird with which he was not acquainted, namely, the soltaire.

The President's camp was composed of two Sibley tents and one wall tent without board floors and while everything was very simple, yet it was quite comfortable. The party consisted of Major Pitcher, Mr. Burroughs, a couple of orderlies and two cooks. There also was a small force of men to man the pack wagon.

During the visit to Geyserland a few days ago the President and Mr. Burroughs were on skis and started to race downhill. The snow was soft, and Mr. Burroughs, who had never used a ski before, soon found himself with his head in the snow and his feet in the air. He had hardly struggled to his feet when the President duplicated the performance. Neither one was hurt, but Major Pitcher secured excellent photographs of the catastrophe.

While no accident occurred, the President had a number of narrow escapes. One day, in company with Major Pitcher, he fired a new revolver at a tree. The weapon was defective and the empty shell flew back and struck the President on the cheek, drawing the blood. If it had struck a little higher up it would have injured, if not blinded, one eye. The President strictly adhered to his determination not to fire a shot at a living animal in the park, and the only time he discharged a firearm was when he and Major Pitcher indulged in this target practice.

The longest walk enjoyed by the President was taken on Easter Sunday. He started out alone in the morning, declining the offer of other members of the party to accompany him. He spent the day in climbing mountains and walking along the trail. He covered fully twenty miles, and did not return to camp until 7 o'clock in the evening. When Major Pitcher found that the President was determined to go by himself he induced him to take a revolver so that he could signal in case of accident.




Chicago carpenters get 50 cents an hour.

Cleveland plumbers won the eight-hour day, with $4 pay.

In Indiana the average work day is a little over nine hours.

The labor unions at Niagara Falls are planning to erect a labor temple.

London (Ont.) firemen are asking for 10 per cent increase in their salaries.

Montreal bookbinders struck for an $8 to $12 week scale and fifty-four hours' work.

San Francisco tanners' strike has been settled. The men gained the half time demanded.

There are nearly 125,000 miners in Belgium, not 10 per cent of whom make a dollar a day.

The standard rate of wages for bricklayers and plasterers' laborers in England is $7 a week.

Union printers at Waco, Texas, have presented a new wage scale calling for a substantial increase.

Steamfitters at New Haven, Conn., will demand $3.50 a day, an increase of 50 cents, after May 1.

In Austria no trade union, as such, can engage in a strike. Strikes must be conducted by secret organizations.

The International Brotherhood of Paperhangers has adopted a general plan for raising a $100,000 defense fund.

In less than three weeks the Boot and Shoe Workers' stamp has been granted to factories in Massachusetts employing 10,000 hands.

Journeymen butchers of Pasadena, Cal., have organized, and will demand a shorter work day. They now average sixteen hours a day.

The National Trades Congress of Canada has issued an appeal to organized labor to join with it in advancing the interests of Canadian labor.

Miners at Nanaimo, B. C., have affiliated with the Western Federation of Miners, in direct antagonism to their old leader, Ralph Smith, M. P.

Montreal, Canada, journeymen bakers have decided to make apprentices serve three years at the trade, and that they shall be controlled by the union.

By a referendum vote it has been decided that the 1903 convention of the Brotherhood of Electrical Workers shall be held in Salt Lake City, Sept. 14.

It is asserted that the recent parades of the London, England, unemployed that have drawn so much money from the pockets of the charitable onlookers have been largely composed of newly arrived alien paupers instead of unfortunate British workingmen.

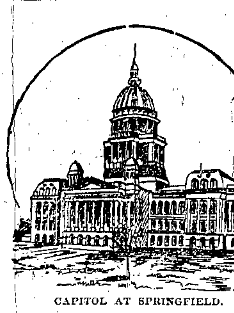
Recent developments indicate that many thousand skilled window glass workers will be displaced by the introduction of machines. There has been a great deal of uncertainty as to the success of the invention, but all doubt has at last been removed by the action just taken by the American Window Glass Company, which owns the exclusive right to the blowing machine. A charter was applied for in New Jersey by the American Window Glass Machine Company, with a capital stock of $20,000,000. This concern will manufacture the machines for the American company, and the work of installing them will be conducted as rapidly as possible. Glass-blowing machines are being successfully operated at the plants of Alexandria and Gas City, Ind., and according to estimates, eight machines are required for a fifty-four blower tank. The capacity of the American Company at present is nearly 1,700 pots, but less than 1,000 have been in operation, owing to scarcity of skilled blowers. In order to get full production the company will install at an early date from 250 to 300 machines. When all are running satisfactorily the company will be able not only to supply the entire demand of the country, but also to export window glass. The skilled labor that will be principally affected by the introduction of the machines will be the blowers and gatherers, and snappers also will suffer. It is now believed that employment will be found for all the cutters and flatteners, but it is doubtful if the high rate of wages for these classes of workmen now prevailing will continue

# RIOT IN ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE

## *Lawmakers at Springfield Drive the Speaker from the Rostrum.*

### Free-for-All Fight in the House When the Lindly Traction Bill Is Rushed Through.

### Seats Broken and Rush Made for Miller—Assembly Reorganizes with Allen in Chair.


CAPITOL AT SPRINGFIELD.

**Springfield correspondence:**

Amid scenes of the wildest riot, in which blows were struck, chairs swung menacingly and threats hurled back and forth, Speaker Miller was driven from his chair in the Illinois House of Representatives Thursday by Representatives whom he had antagonized. Representative Allen took the chair. Word was sent to the Governor declaring that it would be necessary to call out troops to restore order in the House.

While the message bearing the news of the plight of the Speaker to Gov. Yates was being hurried down stairs, Miller, with the chief clerk of the House, John A. Reeve, were locked in the Speaker's room, while without was a clamoring, howling crowd of excited members.

SPEAKER JOHN H. MILLER.

**Riot in the House.**

Speaker Miller "gaveled" the Lindly traction bill to third reading while two-thirds of the members were shouting objections and demanding their constitutional right to a roll call. As the Speaker whacked his desk and declared the bill advanced to third reading there was a rush for his rostrum by scores of members from both sides who had been wrought up to a frenzy. Like a pack of mad wolves they came at Miller, who for the first time since the rioting began became frightened. He turned and stepped hastily down the stairs and, guarded by several policemen, sought shelter in his private office. A hand-to-hand fight then raged about the Speaker's desk.

As soon as Speaker Miller left the chair his friends set up the cry that the House had adjourned. The members who revolted against the Speaker's ruling refused to take this view, however, and called for a new Speaker.

Representative Murray of Sangamon climbed to the top of his desk. "It is evident that this House has not a Speaker," he shouted. "I move you that Mr. Allen of Vermilion be made temporary Speaker." Loud cheers greeted this motion and it was carried. Led by a score of Sherman Republicans, Allen ran to the Speaker's chair. For lack of a gavel Allen picked up a chair round and pounded for order.

Representative Henry C. Beitler was installed as clerk, as John A. Reeve, regular clerk of the House, had seized his records and followed Speaker Miller. Reeve and his assistants locked the doors of the clerk's office and refused admission to all.

The Illinois Legislature has been the scene of many stormy encounters, but the demonstration Thursday eclipsed all records. For a time it seemed as if Speaker Miller's life was in danger. The fact that several women occupied seats on the platform behind him was his salvation, otherwise he would have been the target of inkstands, chair legs, ten-pound books and, perhaps, bullets.

When the Lindly traction bill—the cause of all the disturbance—was called up, Representative Lindly offered the amendments prepared and moved their adoption.

***Fifty Jump to Their Feet.***

With one accord fifty men jumped to their feet and demanded a roll call. The first amendment was read, although not a word could be heard because of the clamor. Miller put the motion and declared the amendment adopted.

Cries for a roll call were kept up and members, with faces white with rage, began to move toward the Speaker's chair. It was plainly a hostile move, and the policemen under the command of the doorkeeper were rallied for defense.

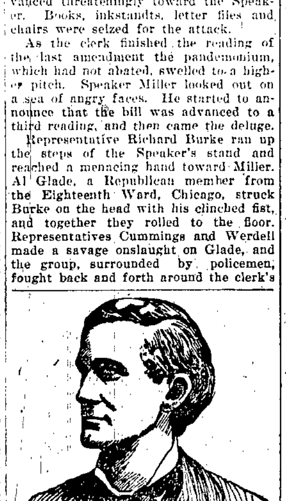
Clerk Reeve began to read the second amendment. Spaker Miller also declared the amendment adopted.

"You are a liar," shouted Allen of Vermilion. The hubbub waxed fiercer. There were six amendments, and before all were disposed of Speaker Miller's face grew white.

Representative Ed Cummings of Chicago tore a board from a desk and advanced threateningly toward the Speaker. Books, inkstandts, letter files and chairs were seized for the attack.

As the clerk finished the reading of the last amendment the pandemonium, which had not abated, swelled to a higher pitch. Speaker Miller looked out on a sea of angry faces. He started to announce that the bill was advanced to a third reading, and then came the deluge.

Representative Richard Burke ran up the steps of the Speaker's stand and reached a menacing hand toward Miller. Al Glade, a Republican member from the Eighteenth Ward, Chicago, struck Burke on the head with his clinched fist, and together they rolled to the floor. Representatives Cummings and Werdell made a savage onslaught on Glade, and the group, surrounded by policemen, fought back and forth around the clerk's desk, while all in the House shouted in excitement.


EX-SPEAKER SHERMAN.

Speaker Miller turned and made a quick exit through the door back of his rostrum. Accompanied by Representatives Shanahan, Lindly and others, the Speaker retired to his private room, and all efforts to see him were of no avail.

Fully two-thirds of the members of the House remained on the floor and demanded that business be transacted.

## RECEIVER FOR TRACTION CO.

**Petition to Court Says Franchise Troubles Cause the Insolvency.**

Upon the petition of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, receivers were appointed by United States Circuit Judge Peter S. Grosseup for the Chicago Union Traction Company, the West Chicago Street Railroad Company and the North Chicago Street Railroad Company. The New York trust company declared it held matured notes of the three corporations which were unsatisfied and aggregated, with interest and costs, the sum of $1,154,293.

The Guaranty Trust Company of New York filed three bills in court, one bill in relation to the obligations it held against each of the three traction companies. In these bills were direct references to the unsettled franchise question in Chicago, and allegations were made to the court in this way indicating the intention of the companies to cling earnestly to their alleged rights under the so-called ninety-nine-year act. The court is also informed in these bills that "it has been publicly stated by the Mayor of said city and by members of said City Council and the local transportation committee of said Council that no application for renewal of franchises will be granted unless said North Chicago City Railway Company and said Chicago West Division City Railway Company shall renounce, abandon and repudiate the obligation and authority conferred and imposed by the aforesaid act of the Legislature."

For this reason, the complaining trust company proceeds to aver, "the credit of the defendant corporation (in each case) has been destroyed so that it is unable to renew said promissory notes or any of its floating indebtedness, and it is without means to pay rentals accruing from time to time, or to improve or equip the railways to the convenience and satisfaction of the public."

The complainant refers to the attitude assumed by the city authorities toward the defendant corporations as "oppressive, illegal and unreasonable."

## ANOTHER VANDERBILT WEDS.

**Takes as a Bride the Daughter of Prominent New York Family.**

In the magnificent Arleigh Villa in Newport, the same which witnessed the debut of Julia Dent Grant, now Princess Cantacuzene Speranski, occurred recently a notable marriage ceremony, that which united Reginald Vanderbilt and Kathleen Neilson, both prominent in New York society. Reginald Vanderbilt is the son of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt and possesses a large fortune. When he attained his majority in 1901 he inherited $12,500,000 and that has been so increased since by judicious investment that it has been greatly swelled.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Frederick Neilson of New York, who is a sister of Mrs. Frederic Gebhard. There is Swiss and Knickerbocker blood in her veins and her fortune is considerable. She is a young woman of great beauty of person and character and has enjoyed unbounded popularity in the social circles of New York and Newport.

The floral decorations in the villa were bewildering in their beauty. Nearly 15,000 Easter lilies were used in decorating the grand hall, while 5,000 roses and rare orchids were distributed where their effects would be the most artistically delightful. The bride received $500,000 worth of gifts, some of them being of extreme beauty. Every policeman on duty in connection with the wedding received a $20 gold piece tied with the favorite color of the bride.

MR. AND MRS. REGINALD VANDERBILT.

**Boer War Cost $825,000,000.**

The London Daily Telegraph calculates that the total gross liabilities of the United Kingdom amount to £800,000,000 ($4,000,000,000). This compares with £635,000,000 ($3,175,000,000), in 1890, so that the Boer war may be said to have added £165,000,000 ($825,000,000) to the British national debt.

# COLD CHECKS CROPS.

## LOW TEMPERATURE AND RAIN RETARD GROWTH.

**Central and West Gulf States Need Rain—Corn-Planting Not Well Forward—Cotton-Planting Being Pushed Rapidly—Tobacco Outlook Good.**

The weekly crop report says in the States of the upper Missouri valley the week was milder than usual and generally favorable for farming operations, but elsewhere east of the Rocky Mountains the temperature was much below the average, and excessive rains retarded farm work generally throughout the Atlantic coast districts, the Ohio valley and the southern portion of the lake region. The central and west gulf States and portions of the southeastern Rocky Mountain slope are much in need of rain. On the Pacific coast cool weather retarded growth and frosts have caused considerable injury in Oregon. Southern California coast districts have received heavy rains, insuring an abundance of irrigation water.

Very slow progress has been made with corn planting throughout the corn belt and the middle and south Atlantic States owing to cold, wet weather, while dry weather has impaired stands in the central and west gulf States.

The previously reported excellent condition of winter wheat continues unimpaired, except to a slight degree in portions of the upper Ohio valley, where in some localities it is turning yellow. Less favorable reports are also received from the middle and south Atlantic States and portions of Texas.

Seeding of spring wheat is general, but progress has not been rapid in southeastern Minnesota owing to wet soil. The early sown in Iowa and South Dakota is germinating slowly, though even stands are indicated. On the north Pacific coast spring wheat seeding is much delayed.

Oat seeding has been suspended over a large part of the central valleys and the acreage in some sections is likely to be reduced in consequence. In the States of the lower Mississippi valley and in Texas the outlook for this crop is promising.

Rains in portions of the eastern districts and dry weather in the central and western portions of the cotton belt have to some extent interfered with cotton plant and work has been vigorously pushed and has made fair progress.

**State Reports.**

Illinois—Unseasonable weather and rains retarded all farm work first of week; wheat is still in excellent condition; sowing of oats arrested and many fields in unfinished state, seed not having cured. Soil too wet for plowing. Grasses, meadows and pastures in fine condition.

Indiana—On account of rain and wet ground sowing oats, planting potatoes, plowing for corn and all similar work almost entirely suspended throughout the week; large acreage oats yet to be sown, but delay not regarded as serious; frost on 17th and 18th, but no damage; with rare exceptions, condition of wheat, clover, timothy, pastures and early sown oats continues excellent.

Ohio—Frosts general 17th and 18th. Some injury to peaches, plums and cherries in south, central and western portions and to strawberries in south. Ground too wet. Wheat turning yellow in places, but improved in others. General condition continues excellent. Pastures, grass and rye doing well; farm work delayed; some oats rotted in ground.

Michigan—Field work being resumed since heavy rains early part of week; much low land still flooded and wet. Plowing and oat and pea seeding general in lower peninsula. Very little field work done in upper peninsula. Some early potatoes planted; winter wheat, rye, old meadows and new clover made good growth.

Wisconsin—First of week very unfavorable for plowing and seeding, owing to heavy rains and cool weather; some farm work done latter part of week; winter wheat and rye making satisfactory growth; grass and pastures beginning to start.

Minnesota—Very wet in extreme southeastern counties, elsewhere favorable weather for wheat seeding in all portions except on low and flat lands till 18th. Some oat and barley seeding done and in southwest some early sown grains are sprouting. Frosty mornings early in week; winter wheat and rye, grasses and small fruits wintered well.

Iowa—Week began and ended wet, cold and cloudy. Seeding and plowing retarded, and much land too wet for farm operations; continued wet weather likely to reduce acreage of oats and barley in northern section; pastures making vigorous start and stock grazing; early sown grains showing good stand.

North Dakota—Wheat seeding general, being more advanced in southern and eastern than in northern and western portions; a little rye and oats also sown in eastern portion. Soil in excellent condition; grass starting slowly.

South Dakota—Cold weather with beneficial rain latter part. Field work progressed rapidly. Spring wheat seeding nearing completion in south and fairly advanced in north, early sown, germinating evenly though slowly; oat, spele, and rye seeding favorably advanced; growth of grass moderate; some pasturage afforded; potato planting becoming general.

Nebraska—Temperature generally below freezing 14th and 15th, but only slight injury to fruit blossoms; rain would be beneficial in southern and some southern counties; winter wheat in good condition and growing well; spring wheat and oats nearly all sown; oats coming up in southern counties; plowing for corn progressing rapidly.

Kansas—Wheat in fine condition; one county, however, reports early sown damaged by fly; acreage of oats less than usual; oats up in south and coming up in north; good stand; corn plant delayed in east, progressing in middle and west, coming up in south. Alfalfa and grass growing rapidly; apple blooms abundant.

Missouri—Week cold, cloudy, and showery, retarding all farm work; the soil remains heavy; plowing and corn planting progressing slowly, except in a few counties; some corn is up in the south, but looks yellow; considerable cotton planted; wheat, oats and grasses making favorable progress; oats not all sown in north; apple bloom heavy; strawberries promising.

## Few-Line Interviews.

The American republic owes it to itself neither to do wrong to the weak nor to suffer wrong from the strong.—President Roosevelt.

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I will not discuss any matter that has a tendency to stir up strife between the North and the South.—General John B. Gordon, commander in chief Confederate Veteran Association.

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We have been treated well by the good "Great Father," and we hope he will again be "Great Father" when his time is over.—John Grass, of the Sioux tribe, to President Roosevelt.

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These two years settle it. I'm done. So far as a fifth consecutive term is concerned, I am done. I burn my bridges behind me in that regard. I do not say what may happen otherwise, but this is my last try for the mayoralty—for the present. No fifth consecutive term.—Carter H. Harrison, of Chicago.

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Sociologically considered, the women of to-day are like a gigantic pie: The crust, the Four Hundred, is steeped in champagne; the bottom layer is soggy with beer; the middle is whisky cocktails.—The Rev. Dr. L. A. Banks, of New York.

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If there were more of the outdoor, healthy, hearty Christianity of men and women there would be more conversions. There is too much asking how the church is prospering rather than what good work it is doing.—The Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke.

# SOLDIERS' STORIES.

## ENTERTAINING REMINISCENCES OF THE WAR.

**Graphic Account of Stirring Scenes Witnessed on the Battlefield and in Camp—Veterans of the Rebellion Recite *Experiences of Thrilling Nature.***

"Some time ago," said Colonel O. H. Williams, "I met down in Mississippi Colonel Montgomery, now General Gordon's chief of staff. He lives at Edwardsville, near where our division crossed the Big Black in May, 1863. His daughter married the son of that Mr. Champion who owned Champion's Hill, and the old battle field is now the property of that daughter. This association with the field of our operations nearly forty years ago, led to a very pleasant acquaintance, and the Colonel told me a good many stories of the Vicksburg and other campaigns.

"At the time Grant's army was maneuvering south and east of Vicksburg Montgomery was chief of the Confederate scouts, and posted his men at the crossings of the Big Black River to watch the movements of the Union army. On one occasion when the scouts in blue came up on the opposite side there was brisk firing, but it was not effective. After a day or two of this sort of work the Confederates became restive, fearing they were being held at that particular point to serve some purpose of the Union commander.

"It seemed, however, that the Yanks were as restive, or as tired of the useless firing as the Rebs, for one rainy day the officer in command of the Union skirmishers made his way to the extreme front and shouted across the river, 'Hello, Johnny, who is in command over there?' Montgomery, under cover, replied that he was, and asked what was wanted. The Union officer answered that he was tired of the durn fool firing; that it was a waste of ammunition without doing any good for either side, and he proposed that they agree to stop it, and that there be no more shooting except one party or the other attempted to cross the river.

"Montgomery expressed his willingness to discuss the matter, but asked the Union officer to take the initiative by standing up and waving his handkerchief. The officer did so, and Montgomery stood up also. Thereupon the Yank said, 'What is the use of shooting?' and asked the Confederate to come over for conference. He explained that his quarters were in a house near, where he had abundant supplies, and if the Johnny would come over they could refresh the inner man while they were discussing the agreement as to shooting.

"Montgomery conferred with his men, and every one of them was against the adventure. However, Montgomery decided to accept the invitation, and, jumping into a small boat, rowed across. He was received hospitably, was taken to the Captain's headquarters, and was given the best of all that was in the house. As the rain still continued, he was persuaded to stay all night, and slept in the same room with his host. He awoke during the night and wondered what had happened to him and where he was. Bewildered, he sat up in bed.

"After rubbing his eyes, he recalled the incidents of the day and wondered if he had walked into a trap. Just then his host said: "Better than sleeping out in the rain, isn't it? I tell you, Captain, there is no sense in plugging away at each other across the river." Both lay down again, and the next morning Montgomery returned to his side of the river, his men viewing his start toward them with amazement. He explained the situation, and for a time the men on the Big Black stood guard without shooting.

"This incident was, of course, the merest trifle when considered in its relation to the battles at Jackson, Champion's Hill, and the Black River Bridge, or when considered in association with the great campaign that culminated in the siege and fall of Vicksburg. In the rush of tremendous events it was forgotten by the two participants, who, swept apart by the high tide of war, never saw or heard of each other again. Montgomery does not remember even the name of the Union officer who entertained him on the Big Black, but if that officer should ever step off the train at Edwards Station he would meet with a royal welcome from at least one old Confederate."

"That reminds me," said Captain Stone, "of an experience I had, not long ago, down in Georgia. I was making the rounds of our old battle fields and left the train at Allatoona to look over the fighting ground at Allatoona Pass, where General Corse 'held the fort.' The station agent eyed me a minute, and, noticing my Grand Army button, came to me, introduced himself as Captain McDaniels of the Confederate service, and said he would be glad to show me over the scene of what he regarded as the hottest and sharpest battle of the war, if not in all history. It was in truth a fierce fight, and no one can understand why it was so until he looks over the ground and remembers that in this pass the very flower of the two armies met in a fierce struggle, in which neither meant to yield.

"Curiously enough, McDaniels' recollections of the fight centered on two scenes. One was the horror caused by the explosion of a shell in an Iowa regiment. The shell struck in a mass of men crowding to the front in defensive line and killed twenty-eight men. The other was the bearing of a Union officer who received his death wound in front of McDaniels' company. The latter saw the wounded officer struggle to his feet, stagger to a little house near, carry out a chair, by which he supported himself in standing position with one hand while with the other he waved his sword and encouraged his men.

"His men stood, although the rebels pushed them at every point. McDaniels watched the Union officer until another ball struck him and he doubled forward over the back of the chair, dead. Even then the men stood and the fight went on all along the line. *This illustrated the spirit of the* 1,944 men, who, in beating off one of Hood's strong divisions, lost 707 of their number, and who 'held the fort.' The Captain who fell across the chair had the same spirit as the General in command, who, sorely wounded, signaled to Sherman that he would hold his position. He knew and his men knew that the holding of Allatoona pass meant the saving of 1,500,000 rations stored there and the maintenance of Sherman's line of communications."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

**Missionary Ridge.**

Stretching for miles along the eastern border of the city, picturesque and pleasing to view, is Missionary Ridge. How well that name is known from the hemlocks of Maine to the flowers of Florida, and yet how different from its name are the associates one gives it when it is pronounced. In history it is recorded as being the scene of one of the fiercest conflicts of the civil war, but to the people who know the origin of the name it is a monument to the memory of a band of devoted, self-sacrificing Christian men, who braving the hardships of emigration, not for the love of gain, but to help their fellow-men, built the Brainard mission on the picturesque heights known by the name of Missionary Ridge.

It was in 1817 that the Rev. Cyrus Kingsbury, Ainsworth F. Blunt and the Rev. John Vail first viewed the site of their mission. They were sent here by the American board of commissioners for foreign missions, and the same board had provided for the erection of a mission, including school buildings and a home for the missionaries. But the contractors failed in their contract, and the missionaries were left without money and without even a shelter. But by energetic efforts they created a mission school, and built a mill on the banks of Chickamauga creek. The mill race, nearly a mile long, is still visible. The mill was purchased by Philamon Bird in 1853. He tore down the small structure and built what is now known as Bird's mill.

On May 27, 1819, the president of the United States, James Monroe, appeared at the door of the mission unannounced. He was accompanied by General Gaines. Although surprised by his visit, the missionaries were ready to receive him, and he complimented them on their work and in glowing terms praised the beautiful location of the mission. The Brainard mission was used until the Indians left. It did an immense amount of good, and at one time there were more than 500 Indian children being taught beneath its roof. The Lord's prayer was observed for the last time on August 19, 1838.

In the old mission cemetery, east of the ridge, overgrown with weeds and forgotten by almost everybody, is a little monument on which are the following words:

"Here lies the remains of Samuel Worcester, D. D., pastor of the Tabernacle church, Salem, Mass., first secretary of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions. Born 1770; died June 7, 1821."—Chattanooga Times.

**A Pastoral Call Upon Lincoln.**

William E. Curtis tells a story of a clergyman of a little Central New York village, who, upon being introduced to President Lincoln during the dark days of the Civil War, was asked: "What can I do for you?" "I have not come to ask any favors of you, Mr. President," the latter replied; "I have only come to say that the loyal people of the North are sustaining you, and will continue to do so. We are giving you all that we have—the lives of our sons as well as our confidence and our prayers. You must know that no pious father or mother ever kneels in prayer these days without asking God to give you strength and wisdom." The tears filled Lincoln's eyes as he thanked his visitor, and said: "But for those prayers I should have faltered and perhaps failed long ago. Tell every father and mother you know to keep on praying and I will keep on fighting, for I am sure that God is on our side." As the clergyman started to leave the room, Lincoln held him by the hand and said: "I suppose I may consider this a sort of pastoral call." 'Yes,' replied the clergyman. "Out, in our country," continued Lincoln, "when a parson made a pastoral call it was always the custom for the folks to ask him to lead in prayer, and I should like to ask you to pray with me to-day—pray that I may have strength and wisdom." The two men knelt side by side before a settee, and the clergyman offered the most fervent appeal to the Almighty Power that ever fell from his lips. As they rose Lincoln grasped his visitor's hand and remarked, in a satisfied sort of way: "I feel better.'

**His Last Smoke.**

During the siege of Vicksburg an amusing incident came under my observation. The command to which I belonged was directly in front of the stockade at the right of the ridge on which ran the Messurgutterry and Yazoo wagon roads. While on picket duty one night a Johnny and a Yank struck up a conversation. Both were Irishmen, and both from the same locality in Missouri. After bantering each other a while they found they were old acquaintances. When through asking after friends, which they knew well in the different commands, the Johnny Irishman said to the Union Irishman:

"Say, Tom, cant' ye come oop this way and gimme a poipe er terbaccy?"

"Ter ther devil wid yer!" exclaimed the bluecoat; "yez air er dirthy thraitor ter yere counthry, an' ye desarve ter doy wid the want av er good schmoke."

At this moment Waterhouse's Board of Trade battery sent a shell which exploded in the immediate vicinity of where the Irish Confederate was sitting on the earthworks, and our Irishman yelled:

"Say, yer dirthy rebbil, put that in yer duddeen an' schmoke it!"

As he spoke the shell burst and sent him to his long home, and my bunkmate, who lay near me, remarked:

"I pity that poor fellow, for he never knew what stopped his last smoke.—American Tribune.

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That an election is pending in Omaha there is not the least shadow of a doubt, and from a distance the appearances point to the reelection of Frank E. Moores.

Congressman McCarthy didn't forget his visit to Altona last fall and as a result the Altona post office will continue to do business at the old stand. The HERALD desires to congratulate Brother Panning.

The government is making a test of the new method of collecting letters by means of street railway cars, while they are in motion. Now if some plan can be devised whereby letters can be composed and written without the aid of a "typewriter," the minds of many people will be relieved of much worry.

You can bet your last dollar that Grover Cleveland is a candidate for president. He does not devote his time to berating Bryan on the Bryan plan, but he will take care of Wm. Jennings, just the same. In the mean time, a large majority of the people will keep in mind America's strenuous president, Theodore Roosevelt.

The York Times says:

"The man who was a republican and turned populist and then turned democrat, has no edge over the one who turned populist and then turned back to the republican party. One has made just as many changes as the other. Of course people will have their own opinion as to which shows the most honesty and good sense."

David B. Henderson, former speaker of the national house of representatives, says:

"President Roosevelt will be nominated, in my opinion, by the next republican convention, and he will be elected by the American people in the same spirit of enthusiasm displayed when he made his famous charge up San Juan hill. That he will be renominated goes without saying, and he will have no opposition. No other name will go before convention. His election will, I believe, be followed by the largest majority ever given to any candidate."

Mr. Henderson is at present visiting a son who resides at Long Beach, and will probably remain in southern California until June 25, when he will leave for New York.

Reciprocity in competing products is an unholy scheme which no loyal Protectionist will advocate. It is the most dangerous of all Tariff tinkering, not only to the prosperity of the country and the maintenance of the Protective system, but to the continued supremacy of the Republican party. Its adoption will not merely scare wobbly voters. It is liable to drive into opposition some of the most stalwart of Protectionists. A good Protectionist may stay with his party if it scales down Protection with and even hand all around, even if he disapproves the policy. But a Protectionist who finds himself betrayed in the house of his supposed friends, who finds his interests deliberately sacrificed in order to bolster up those with more influence at Washington, will be changed into a relentless foe of the party which is guilty of such infamy. From no class will democrats, under their proposed programme, draw so abundantly as from former Republicans who have been sold out by their party. From no class will there come such fierce denunciation of Republican leadership. From no class will opposition be so effective.—San Francisco "Chronicle"

It is to be hoped that Governor Cummins of Iowa is entirely satisfied. He is one of the chief exponents among Republicans of Tariff revision. There are a few persons out his way who believe in tearing things up and who are followers of what has come to be known as the "Iowa idea." They have been received with open arms by Bro. Bryan.

"Let us encourage Governor Cummins," said Mr. Bryan at a Jefferersonian banquet in Des Moines on Thursday night. (Fancy Bryan looking to Jefferson for comfort!) "Let us encourage him for every word that he speaks in faver of Tariff reform or anti-trust legislation will have an educational influence."

While Bryan was speaking in Iowa Senator Lodge and Secretary Root were making addresses in Boston and taking the ground that Protection had made the country great, and that to abandon it or to permit it to be ripped up by "Tariff revisionists" would result in a general upheaval of business.

Governor Cummins found no indorsement for his course among these Republican thinkers, but from Mr. Bryan he received praise. From which it would appear that the "Iowa idea" is exceedingly comforting to the Democrats.

Praise from Bryan! Certainly Governor Cummins ought to be ready to retire on his laurels now.—Philadelphia "Inquirer.

President Roosevelt's visit to Nebraska *brought forth a royal welcome from* the people of the great commonwealth in every town through which he passed while the hearts of the people all over the state were with the chief executive of the nation. Nebraska is a Roosevelt state.

Congressman J. J. McCarthy has selected F. D. Foles, present county judge of Dixon County, as his private secretary. The Judge merits the position, and is in every way qualified to fill the duties imposed upon him. The selection is a most commendable one.

Mr. Bryan made a speech at Kansas City yesterday in which he warned Democrates against making their party too much like the Republican party. This idea that the Democratic organization is in danger of becoming a Republican annex would be more plausible if the Democratic party, as a party, had not shown such a powerful tendency to get on the wrong side of public questions and to represent obstruction instead of progress. The Republican door swings open to individual Democrats who enjoy prosperity and national advancement; but if the Democratic party wants to come in as a whole—well, that needs careful thought.

The excellent showing made by the banks of Nebraska, as given in The Star Tuesday, is one of which all Nebraska is proud. The banks, although they are abused by a class of politicians when the game of politics is being played, are the pulse of business and show just what measuse of prosperity the people are enjoying. Nebraska has money on deposit and it has money to lend. The farmers are even buying mortgages. Let the east, which pitied this section of the country a few years ago, take note of this. Let the eastern newspapers give the same publicity to the fact that we lend money to Massachusetts and buy New England bonds, that they give to the time of depression, when every thing looked dark for the state and the sun refused to shine upon Nebraska's business affairs.—Lincoln Star.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

For two weeks ending April 28, 1903, reported by I. W. Alter, bonded abstractor, Wayne, Nebr.

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|---|---|
| Phil H Kohl to Oakly Griggs, ne of 5-27-3 | $ 7139 |
| Sherman Saunders to John Hanson, e of nw of 11-27 3 | 4000 |
| R Craven to John Liveringhouse s of lt 2, blk 2, B & B's add to Wayne | 250 |
| Francis McCumber to Griffith Garwood, se of nw 28 27-2 | 2000 |
| W M Wright to P O Kallstrom, s of se 24 26-1 | 3600 |
| State of Nebr. ts H H Long, sw 35-27-2 | 1120 |
| H B Roser to Rollie W Ley, lots 10,11, 52, blk 12, n add Wayne | 1200 |
| Nelson Grimsley to Henry Ley und 1 10 of lts 1, 2, 3, blk 12, n add to Wayne, | 500 |
| Henry Ley to Jas Britton und 2 10 of lts 1, 2, 3, blk 12, n add Wayne | 510 |
| Mary Jones to Nellie P Monroe w of lts 4, 5, 6, and e of lts 7, 8, 9, blk 7, Wayne | 2000 |
| James F Booge to A H Carter, lt 13, blk 3, Winside | 110 |
| Harvey S Ringland to Eusine S Miller, sw of 3-27-1 | 4700 |
| Ensine S Miller to Raymond G Tipton, sw of 3-27 1 | 5600 |
| Nellie P Monroe to Fid A Johnson w of lts 4, 5, 6, block 9, Wayne | 800 |

### Due Notice is Served.

Due notice is he reby served on the public generally that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the only salve on the market that is made from the pure, unadulterated witch hazel. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has cured thousands of cases of piles that would not yield to any other treatment, and this fact has brought out many worthless counterfeits. Those persons who get the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are never disappointed, because it cures. L. P. Orth.

For that tired feeling, try a Hawes Hat.

### WINSID E.

E. Henderson was in Tilden over Sunday.

E. R. Gurney and H. E. Siman went to Creighton yesterday.

Mrs. F. S. Tracy went to South Sioux City Tuesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. W. B. McClusky, who has been in Sioux City visiting with her son, returned yesterday.

Mrs. A. T. Chapin and Mrs. L. S Needham went to Sioux City Monday returning yesterday.

Five cars of stock Saturday and five cars Sunday were shipped for Chicago and South Omaha from here.

The fat her of Mrs. F. W. Schroeder from Gresham, Neb, was visiting with his daughter a few days last week.

Mr. Jaszkiowak, who has been visiting with his son here for the past two weeks returned to Kansas City yesterday.

W. M. Gue, who has been at the bedside of his father-in-law in Marion, O. for the past two months, returned last Friday.

The ice and sleet played sad havoc with the trees in the park yesterday, breaking a number of them down. Also breaking down all wire connections with our town.

J. C. Ecker, R. G. McClintock, W. Gaebler, A. L. Benson and I. O. Brown were fishing near Dixon last Saturday and Monday. They were unable to bring all the fish they caught home and had to leave part of them at Carroll.

### COLLEGE NOTES.

Richard Beauchmen was called to his home at Elk Point this week on business.

The college grounds are being put in fine shape this spring by the expert landscape gardners, Messrs Jett and Foote.

Miss Jessie Reed of Newcastle, entered school this week and contemplates finishing the teachers' course with the class this year.

Mid-term examinations will be given Friday of this week, when the erstwhile festive student will "come to himself" and realize temporarily the awfulness of his situation."

Miss Ludwig, the new vocal and elocution teacher, is proving to be a strong teacher in her lines and is herself unusually well accomplished in the arts she assumes to give instruction in.

Mrs. Pile accompanied Miss Gladys Paul to Omaha Saturday where the latter had an eye operated on for an opaque growth. They returned Tuesday evening, having remained in the city over Monday to see the presidential reception.

Prof. Pile left the first of the week for a business trip to Lincoln and Peru. He is preparing to take advantage of the law, amended this winter, permitting schools with a fifty thousand dollar property qualification to issue state certificates.

Prof. Pile's class in didactics has been conducted this week by Prof. Bright, who has been giving some very practical talks to the prospective teachers and has given forcible illustrations culled from observations in his recent school visitations.

The lecture given by Prof. Gregg at the M. E. church last Thursday night was delivered to an unusually attentive audience, and proved to be both interesting and instructive. The musical numbers by Miss Nieman and McCorkle were well received. A large number of students were in attendance.


### FARMERS.

I am agent for The State Farmer's Mutual Insurance Co. of South Omaha, don't forget me when wanting Insurance. GRANT S. MEARS.

### FOR SALE. tf.

$4500 worth of stock of Wayne National Bank. Right prices if taken at once. Apply for further particulars to WARNER & ANDRUS, St. Paul, Minn.

### SEED POTATOES.

Two hundred bushels of seed potatoes for sale; 100 bushels Early Ohio and 100 bushels of Early Six Weeks. Pure seed. Inquire T. J. Farrand.

### PASTURE YOUR COWS.

Pasture for cows and horses $2.00 per month in advance. Bull service due at time of serving. Pasture open April 15th. Call on, or address S. B. SCACE, Wayne, Neb.

### Herbine Cures.

Fever Ague. A dose will usually stop a chill, a continuance always cures. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Texas, May 31, 1899, writes: "We have used Herbine in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we have ever used, for la grippe, bilious fever, and malaria." Raymond's Drug Store.


### Notice of Granting Druggist's Permit. 14

Matter of the application of Kuhl & Anderson:

Notice is hereby given that Kuhl & Anderson have filed their petition with the village clerk of Hoskins, Nebraska, praying for a permit to sell malt, vinous and spiritous liquors for the period of one year from the first Tuesday in May, 1903 to the first Tuesday in May, 1904, on lot 1, block 4, in the original townsite of the village of Hoskins, Nebraska. If there be no protest or remonstrance filed within the time required for such proceedings, the above petition will be granted.

Dated this 14th, day of April, 1903.

M. J. DENDINGER,
Village Clerk.

## THE ARABS OF YEMEN.

**A Story Which Throws a Strong Light on Their Character.**

The Times of India tells the following story to show the character of the Arabs of Yemen. A man of Zaraniks who several times cut the telegraph lines and who was punished more than once was caught on one occasion by an Arab sheik in charge of the lines. The sheik intended to send him to Meedy for imprisonment, but the wife of the accused came in and stood as a guarantee for his future good behavior.

The sheik accepted the bail and released him, but shortly afterward he again resorted to his old practice of cutting the wires and bolted away to another village at a distance of a day's march, where he had another wife. The sheik then sent for his first wife, who stood security for him, and told her he would disgrace her among the Arabs if she failed to bring in her husband.

The woman asked the sheik not to "spread the black sheet" (a custom of the country when any one commits a breach of trust) until the following day. She started that night, taking a sharp dagger concealed under her clothes, to the village where her husband was staying. She found him asleep in his abode and stabbed him, cut his throat and carried his head back to her home. The next morning she went to the sheik and presented the head of her husband, saying: "Here is your criminal, and I am freed from the bail. Please do not affix the black sheet."—London Telegraph.

### Knowing.

Buck—Mike, can I know what I don't know?

Mike—No.

Buck—There is something I don't know, and I know it. Then don't I know what I know?

Mike—I don't know.—Judge.


# THE NEW FURNITURE STORE.

We are now prepared to show you one of the most complete and up-to-date lines of furniture in Wayne County.

## It Will Pay You,

To see us and get our prices before you buy elsewhere, for we know we can please you.

## Our Motto:

Kind treatment, fair dealing, good goods and low prices.

# Fleetwood & Johnson,

## Wayne, Nebraska.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**

Cures Grip in Two Days.

Take **Laxative Bromo Quinine** Tablets. This signature, E. W. Grove on every box. 25c.

Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.

### Robbed The Grave.

A startling incident, is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at L. P. Orth's drug store.


### NOTICE.

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that on Sunday, April 19, 1903, my minor son, William Punke left my house and home, and that from and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by him in any form, and all persons are hereby warned.

Dated at Wilson Creek, Washington, April 20, 1903. GEORGE H. STEVENS.

### NOTICE.

To Whom it May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that on Sunday, April 19, 1903, my wife, Henrietta Stevens, left my bed and board without just provocation, and that from and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts of her contraction, and hereby warn any and all parties against harboring her or aiding her in any way or manner upon my credit.

Dated at Wilson Creek, Washington, April 20, 1903. GEORGE H. STEVENS.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA. 14

In the matter of the estate of George Wetherholdt, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Vera Heinly, residuary devisee under the will of said decedent, praying for an allowance of the executors report in said estate made to the district court of Muscatine County, Iowa, the domicile of said decedent and place of original probate of said will and also praying for a decree assigning the residue of said estate to such persons is are entitled by law to receive the same and on filing a duly authenticated copy of the report of E. B. Bills, executor of said estate, filed in the district court of Muscatine County, Iowa, together with the decree of final settlement and discharge of said executor by said district court of Muscatine County, Iowa, it is ordered that said petition be set for hearing on May 7th, 1903, at the county court room in Wayne, in said Wayne County, Nebraska, at 10:00 a. m. and that notice of the time and place of hearing the same be given to all persons interested in said estate by publication of this order in the Wayne Herald, a newspaper published in said county at least three successive weeks prior to said time of hearing.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 13th day of April, 1903.

(SEAL) E. HUNTER, County Judge.

First Pub. 4-16-03.

ORDER ON PROBATE OF WILL 17

State of Nebraska, } ss
Wayne County,

At a session of the County Court held at the County Court room in Wayne, in said county, on the 28th day of April A. D. 1903.

Present, E. Hunter, County Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Wilhelm Pfeil deceased. Whereas, letters of Administration have this day been granted to George Peters as Administrator of the estate of Wilhelm Pfeil deceased, it is hereby ordered that the creditors be allowed six months to present their claims against said estate for adjustment and allowance, and that said Administrator be allowed twelve months to settle up said estate from the 28th day of April A. D. 1903.

It is further ordered that notice be given to the creditors of said estate to appear before me at the County Court room of said county on the 28th day of May 1903, and on the 28th day of October, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each day, by publication in the Wayne Herald, a newspaper published in said county, for four weeks successively prior to the 28th day of May, 1903

(A true copy) E. HUNTER,
Seal. County Judge.

## Times Change.

Fashions change—with a tailor always—with the ready-made clothing man if he sold his last stock. A man can be perfectly sure of entire clothing satisfaction only. There are no men alike. In one there is a little defect here—in another it is in an entirely different place. Tailor made clothing is the cheapest in every way man can figure. Style, satisfaction, finish and elegance all combined by

## Holtz, the Tailor.

FOR COMFORT and protection against dust while driving a

**LAP ROBE**

of some kind is necessary. At 20 cents we have one that looks well and is excellent value. It won't last as long or give such satisfaction as our Robe at $1.00. That is the handsomest article ever sold for the money. The quality is excellent. We have also robes at $2.00 and up.

Our stock of driving harness is complete for your inspection.

## Wm. Piepenstock. The Harness Man.

# Tammany Tim.

## No. 34283.

The best bred Trotting Stallion and the only one in Northeast Nebraska, whose first three Dames are producers of 2:30 trotters or better. Will make season of

## 1903 at South Barn, Fair Grounds

**Wayne, Neb., Friday to Monday each week.**

**Carroll Days:- Tues., Wed., and Thurs.**

**$15.00 for Season.**

**JOHN S. LEWIS, Wayne, Nebr**

# Men's Swell Spring Attire

No matter how low a price you pay here for a suit, you can rest assured that the garment is not only stylish, but full of good wear.

## Our $7.50 and $10.00 Suits

possess all the best points of the goods shown elsewhere for one-third more money, that being the extent to which our superior purchasing power enables us to undersell other local clothing stores. While our finer and finest

## Suits at $13.50, $16.50 and $20

cannot be improved upon by merchant tailors who charge twice these prices. The most radical tastes, as well as the most conservative, can here be suited to a "T." Just state your wants or preference and we'll lay before you garments that will come up to your highest expectations.

Hawes Hats. The 2 Johns ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS. WAYNE NEB. Dutchess Trousers.



# THE CITIZEN'S BANK.

(INCORPORATED.)

A. L. TUCKER, President. J. S. FRENCH Vice President. D. C. MAIN, Cashier
GILBERT FRENCH, Assistant Cashier

Capital and Undivided Profits, $100,000.

DIRECTORS:— E. D. Mitchell, A. A. Welch, J. S. French, D. C. Main, G. E French, A. L. Tucker, James Paul.

WAYNE, - - - NEBRASKA.



At One Half the Cost

# Lion Coffee

½ has better strength and flavor than many so-called "fancy" brands.

Bulk coffee at the same price is not to be compared with Lion in quality.

In 1 lb. air tight, sealed packages.


## LOCAL NEWS.

R. A. McEachen was an Omaha visitor yesterday.

How would snow balls strike you for May baskets?

Any in love will be successful if they wear a Hawes hat.

Wilson Rickabaugh has moved into the house vocated by Mr. Farr.

John Gustavson was an east bound passenger Saturday afternoon.

Charles and Frank Spahr made a business trip to Omaha last Monday.

We are now obliged to curtail the "gentle" end of the spring business.

Rev. Dawson attended the funeral of Rev. A. L. Gray at Graig, last Monday.

Bring your old Iron to the Peavey Elevator Co. will pay you $5 per ton for it. M. Kroger.

Mrs. Dan Harrington left this afternoon for a several week's visit in New York state.

If life seems hard and you are not enjoying good health go to the 2 Johns and buy a Hawes hat.

People were sometimes obliged to dodge a falling limb yesterday in order to avoid seeing falling stars.

Watch for the announcement next week of the entertainment to be given by the students of the high school.

The Acme Club meets May 5th with Mrs. Edward Perry. Leader, Mrs. Pile; Critic, Mrs. Bressler; lesson, 3, book 6.

Blaine Skeen, the crack base ball player of Northeast Nebraska, went to Fullerton this morning where he has accepted a position to play behind the bat another year.

John Payne went to Clearfield, Ia., this morning to attend a family reunion and to surprise his parents. Six brothers and three sisters will arrive on the same train.

The scene presented this morning as the sun arose was a most picturesque one, the ice laden trees, and wires fairly glistening like silver in the sunshine. While the scene was one of wondrous beauty, yet there are none who care to witness it again, especially at this time of year.

Mrs. Bert Brown read a paper before the District W. H. M. S. at Pender last Saturday. The paper was mentioned as having been very interesting. She was elected Secretary of the District. Mrs. Jett has held that office during the past year, but owing to temporary ill health was unable to attend the convention and asked to be relieved of the duties of the office this year.


Come to the E. Social Friday eve and be cheered and refreshed by the curious Catering Company. At the Presbyterian church.


If you are getting gray why not wear a Hawes hat?

E. R. Surber was in Winside on business today.

The telephone men are busy repairing wires today.

Eugene Sullivan was in Omaha Tuesday on business.

If you are out of a job and want a good one buy a Hawes Hat.

Dorr Carroll is in the city today visiting his uncle, A. G. Howard.

The sun is shining brightly today and by night all signs of sleet and snow will have disappeared.

Judge Hunter and J. D. King were west bound passengers yesterday. Guess they must have gone fishing.

Hon. John T. Bressler left yesterday morning to attend the dedication of the World's Fair Grounds at St. Louis which occurs today.

Mel Norton has just completed painting the interior of the new building of Frank Kruger just south of Mildner's saloon, and it is about as neat a job of work as can be found anywhere in the city. It isn't necessary to use a column in speaking about it. See it yourself.

If you can't agree with your wife you should wear a Hawes hat.

Monday was the eighty-seventh anniversary of the organization of the fraternal order I. O. O. F. The event was celebrated by the Wayne lodge in the evening at their lodge rooms. A pretty musical program was rendered and the Rebekahs served luncheon.

Are you subject to headache? If so why not try a Hawes hat.

MARRIED:—Mr. Edward Thompson and Miss. Carrie Madsen on Wednesday at noon, Apr. 29 1903, by Rev. Ringer, at the home of Hans Madson, Hunter precinct, and father of the bride, in the presence of about a dozen near relatives of the young couple. Both of these young people are highly respected in the community where they are best known. The groom is a son of Mr. Fred Thompson, a highly respected citizen of Hunter precinct, and one of Wayne county's oldest settlers. We predict for the young couple a happy and prosperous future.


THE OLD RELIABLE

# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE


## BLIZZARD WEATHER.

### SLEET AND SNOW PLAYS HAVOC WITH FRUIT ANE VEGETABLES.

### Trees Badly Damaged and Electric Light and Telephone Wires Down Everywhere.

The worst sleet and rain storm that ever visited this country at this time of the year, occured Tuesday night. Rain, accompanied by sleet fell nearly all night and in the morning the sidewalks were strewn with limbs of trees, while fruit was damaged beyond recovery. Garden truck of all kinds was almost destroyed and telephone and electric light wires were down in different parts of the city. In addition to the vast damage resulting from the storm, farming is greatly delayed and farmers will have their hands full to accomplish the work before them in getting in the corn.

At the time of going to press it appears that the damage to fruit and garden truck will be light.

### OBITUARY.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jennie Sherbahn was born in Lancaster Co. Pennsylvania Nov. 17, 1846. In 1869 she was married to Mr. Horace Sherbahn. Soon after their marriage husband and wife moved west. They lived for a long time at York, Nebraska. From York they came to Wayne in 1892, where they have since resided. Last Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock after several weeks of illness on account of heart trouble, Mrs. Sherban peacefully passed away. Her husband and four children, Mrs. Lizze Williams, Horace, Mable and Benjamin, survive her and mourn her departure. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Monday afternoon at two o'clock, after which the body was laid to rest in the cemetery. Deceased was a member of the Baptist church. She was a consistent and devoted christian. She bore her suffering with patience and courage. She wanted to live for her family's sake, yet she was prepared to go and approached the end with an unfaltering trust. The sympathy of the community goes out to the family in their sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt Mellor returned from Colorado Springs, last evening.

Anyone afraid of loosing his mind should wear a Hawes hat.

For carpet beating and cleaning, see John L. Soules, 1 door north of Republican office. P. O. box 398. 16

Open the door, let in the air,
The winds are sweet, the flowers are fair,

Joy is abroad in the world for me,
Since taking Rocky Mountain Tea.
Raymond's Pharmacy.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Matheny was the scene of much enjoyment last Saturday evening. A few of their friends looking for a sociable time went to their abode to call on them. An enjoyable evening was passed, and the musical numbers from the phonograph, Mr. Matheny presiding, were much appreciated. Those present were Mesars. and Mesdames Henry Ley, William Weber, E. M. Smith and Emil Weber, and Miss Goldie Brookings of Tekamah, Nebr.


CENTRAL MEAT MARKET

VOLPP BROS. Props.

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal Chickens, Fish and Game.

Highest price paid for hides, etc.


### MARKET REPORT.

Prices in Wayne today, Thursday

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| Wheat | 58½ | Cattle | 4 50 |
| Corn | 27 | Hogs | 4 20 |
| Oats | 24 | Butter | 13 |
| Rye | 33 | Eggs | 12 |

### REV A. J. GRAY.

Rev. Albert Lee Gray, late pastor of the M. E. Church at Bloomfield Nebr., died at Sulphur Springs Arkansas, April 23rd 1903, was buried at Craig, Nebr. on Monday April 27.

The Rev. Mr. Gray, was born in Virginia, August 21th. 1869, came west when quite young, entered the ministry in 1893. Served Herman, Craig, South West Omaha, Decatur, Lyons, and Bloomfield churches. He was a good preacher, endowed with excellent social qualities and great earnestness, many were added to the church under his administrations. His last sermon was preached on Easter Sunday. His health was so poor that his friends tried to dissuade him, but he said he desired to preach to his people that once more, that he might tell them of his own "hope of the ressurection." The Masonic Fraternity of which he was a member, raised a purse of $150, with which to send him and his wife to Sulphur Springs Arkansas, in hope that he might be benefitted by the change, but alas, the effort was in vain, he leaves a wife and five small children.

Funeral services were held at Craig, Nebr., where he had served as pastor several years ago. The services were presided over by Rev. W. L. Elliott, the pastor. The sermon was preached by Dr. F. M. Sisson, his Presiding Elder, there were fourteen preachers present, several took some part in the services. Six of them acted as pallbearers from the house to the church, after which six members of the A. F. and A. M. lodge acted from the church to the cemetery. The Masonic burial service was rendered at the grave, after which the committal of the church was read. One brother of the deceased and the relatives of his wife were present. The bereaved have the sympathy of many friends.

C. N. Dawson

### LIBRARY NOTES.

Several new readers enrolled Wednesday.

Despite the rain and storm of Wednesday thirty-one books were taken out.

A number of new books have been added. The majority of the recent addition were for juveniles.

Our readers are very prompt in returning books. Those derelict pay the fine without murmering.

The Finance committee has taken charge of the lecture course this year. The money made from this is for the Library.


When You Know Nazareth Waists.

your boys and girls will wear them. Thousands of mothers already know the wear-resisting qualities of these knit waists, and their children wear them. We have all the best styles and every wanted size. Price 25 cents.

AHERN'S



# Harrington's GREAT CLOTHING SALE.

THE RELIABLE STORE. ESTABLISHED 1886.

Every good dresser knows the famous H. S. & M. hand tailored clothing. They are the acme of good tailoring, style and quality. Harrington's have exclusive sale of these fine clothes. Saturday we put on special sale four big lines at astonishingly low prices:-

**Lot 1: Men's Stylish Spring Suits.**
In the new spring patterns, in plain and fancy effects, made of worsteds, cassimeres, serges and cheviots, hand padded shoulders, hair cloth fronts and well tailored throughout, none worth less than $10. SALE PRICE $7.50

**Lot 2: Men's New Spring Suits.**
In handsome stripes, checks and mixtures, also plaid colorings hand padded shoulders, hand made button holes and hand filed collars, all sizes and styles. We consider this one of the most popular and best suits on the market. Worth up to $12.05. SALE PRICE ..... $10

**Lot 3: Men's Stylish Spring Suits.**
Greatest variety in Wayne, in plain and fancy colorings; all thoroughly hand tailored by the leading wholesale tailors of America—such as the famous H S & M make worth up to $20.00 SALE PRICE..... $15

**For $18 We Have Over 20 Different Patterns**
TO SELECT FROM These suits come in cheviots, cassimeres, serges, fancy worsteds and unfinished worsteds, in neat checks, stripes, fancy mixtures and plain colors, all with paded shoulders, hair cloth fronts, hand felled collars, hand made button holes, silk sewed throughout, perfect fitting, equal to all respects to made to order suits costing $35 to $40 SALE PRICE ..... 18

Great Sales on Boy's Suits

at $1.50, $1 95, $2 50 and $3 95, worth up to $6.00.

HARRINGTON'S THE LEADING CLOTHIER.



# BY DAD CRAZY!!

Owing to the rush of business last week we failed to write our usual advertisement for the papers and asked Bro. Goldie to help us out once—by writing it for us— and Goldie, thinking from the amount of goods sold since our Opening, that we were all sold out, mentioned same in his write-up. Many Thanks, Mr. Goldie. That was one of the best ads we ever had, you are not as crazy as we thought you were, for never before have we sold as many goods in the same length of time, and you ought to have seen the rush to get a hat before all were gone. Wright another one "Goldie" if it will always work that way.

## NEVERTHELESS, LADIES

### Our Stock Is Fuller Than Ever.

Owing to the arrival of goods on every train, and our Trimmer is rapidly transposing them into most beautiful designs.

Come in at any time we are always ready to take your order. Again thanking Mr. Goldie for his timely assistance last week during a rush, we are, Yours for business,

# WILSON BROS.



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Five per cent Loans on Real Estate.


### Advertised Letter List.

Wayne Post Office, Apr. 29, 1903.

Bennett, T. J., letter
Buenning, Wm., letter
O'Kieffe, Mrs. Mary O., letter
Smith, Mr. Matt, letter

Parties calling for above will please say "advertised." W. H. McNEAL, P. M.

### TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Wayne County Teachers' Institute will be held at the Court House in Wayne, June 8 12, 1903. The following instructors have been secured: Supt. W. M. Kern, of Columbus, Nebr.; Prof. J. M. Pile, Miss Edith Stocking, and Miss Ludwig of Wayne. Announcement sent out soon.

C. H. BRIGHT, Co. Supt.

### Epworth League Convention.

The Norfolk District Epworth League Convention will be held at Carroll May 18th, and 19th. It is expected that one of the Bishop of the church will be present.

Each Epworth League chapter is entitled to two delegates beside the pastor and Junior League Superintendent. J. Lee Stamaker is to read a paper before the convention.

Wayne chapter will elect delegates at their business meeting next Saturday evening.

### AT THE M. E. CHURCH

Chancellor Huntington, will preach Sunday A. M. and address the young people in the evening.

Rev. Dr. Sisson is to deliver his lecture on "White Bill William," next Thursday evening.

Professor Gregg's lecture was well attended and well received, it was interesting and instructive.

The Junior League Cabinet transacted their regular monthly grind of business at the home of the Superintendent, Mrs. F. M. Gregg, last Monday evening.

### HOSKINS.

BORN: -To Isaac Carr and wife, April 27, a daughter.

John Kaulen is clerking at the drug store this week.

Miss Tilli- Ferris returned from Wayne, Monday.

Our ball team went to Winside Sunday, and were defeated by a score of 15 to 12.

Word was received of the death of Mrs. Oscar Case at Belden Monday. The funeral took place yesterday.

The proprietors of the new lumber yard will be here this week and the stock will begin to arrive in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oldenberg went over to Hospers, Ia., Tuesday to attend the silver wedding of Mrs. Oldenberg's parents. Mr. Oldenberg will make a business trip to Oklahoma before returning home.

### ROAD NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern;

The petition of N. H. Nye, etal having been filed in the office of the County Clerk for the opening of the section line road between the counties of Cumming and Wayne, commencing at the south east corner of section thirty-two, township twenty-five, range five, east of the 6th P. M., Wayne county, Nebr., and running thence due east on the section line for a distance of two miles and terminating at the southeast corner of section thirty-four, township twenty-five, range five; east, in Wayne county, Nebraska; all objections to the opening of said road or claims for damages by reason thereof must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 3rd day of July A. D., 1903, or such road may be established without reference thereto.

Dated at Wayne, Nebr., this 23rd day of April, A. D., 1903.

BERT BROWN, County, Clerk.


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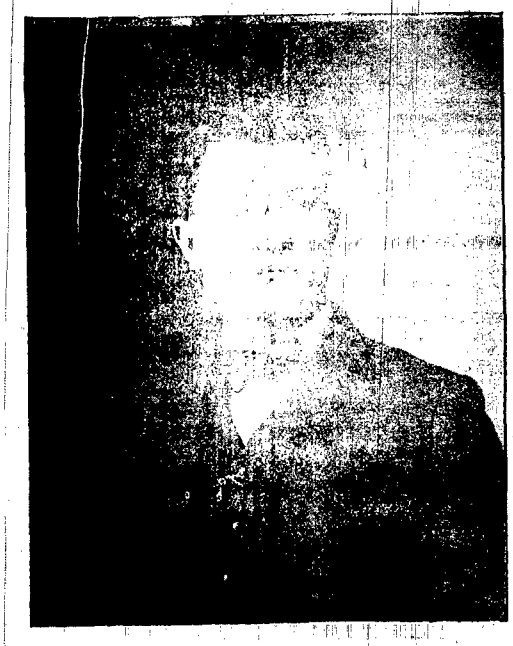


# DR. J. C. CLARK, Eye Specialist

Bolton Block, Cor. 4th and Neb., Sioux City, Iowa.

## 1,872 Patients

### Last Year is My Record.

Many persons (perhaps you) have a mistaken idea in regard to spectacle lenses. They think their only help is to increase the visual power. This is true when you buy merchandise, but when you come to me it is a far different proposition. I correct the refractive trouble, which stops the leaks and saves the nerve forces and they are allowed to go into their proper channels. Refractive trouble of the eye is the primary cause of a large per cent of headaches, nervousness, red, inflamed eyes, itching, burning lids, spots floating before vision, abnormal growths called Pterygiums, loss of memory, inability to see distant objects distinctly, pains running from base of brain down spinal column, convulsions which preceed menstrual period, adhesions of lids to the eyeballs, stomach trouble called Dyspepsia.

**1,872 Patients Last Year,**

hundreds of which have been relieved of these troubles and whose testimonials I have similar to letters below:

Alexandria, S. D., March, 20, 1903.
Dr. J. C Clark,
Sioux City, Iowa.

Dear Sir: Last June when we sent our daughter to Sioux City to consult you, we were discouraged in regard to her health, she had never matured as a girl of her age should and was weak and nervous, suffering continually from headache, stomach trouble and in fact was an invalid the whole time. She was unable to attend school and was very despondent. From the very first day she began to wear the glasses you made for her she began to get better, and is now in perfect health, attending school and doing nicely. She has not taken a drop of medicine since treating with you and has followed your instructions. You can use this letter if you wish. Yours truly,

MRS. J. C. McCORMICK.

A letter from the young lady says:

"I am perfectly well now, I am going to school and getting along fine. I stand the highest in my class, and I owe it all to you and the glasses, and I can never thank you enough for what you have done for me."

MISS JOSIE McCORMICK.

Are you one of those who have been doping for months, perhaps years, for such trouble? Do not be too certain that it does not come from your eyes. Come to me, an eye specialist of twenty years practice, and let me make an examination, which will cost you nothing and perhaps save you health and happiness.

I use no drugs, my methods are original, and no other person understands them. If I cannot help you I frankly tell you so.

This young lady was 17 years old and looked like an unhealthy child of 12 in size, and in her face she looked to be very aged. The exhaustion of nerve force caused by eye strain took all her vitality, and left nothing for maturing of body or mind.

Mr. W. F. Presser, manager and book-keeper for lumber company, Bancroft, Neb., says. "During the past fourteen years I have been a great sufferer from depressive, burdensome headache. At times my mind would refuse to act and I have left my office and gone home nearly deranged. All without benefit. From the first wearing the glasses you provided me with, I began to feel better; my mind is perfectly clear now, and my headaches are all gone, and I feel like a new person.

Mrs August Shipman, 811 West 8th St., says: I am pleased to tell of the great benefit received from my treatment with Dr. J. C. Clark. I was in such a nervous condition that I became fearful of losing my mind, I had such pains in my head running clear down through my spine and I could not do my work and look after my family. I had taken medicine and tried everything that was recommended and was growing worse continually until I went to Dr. Clark and he said my whole trouble came from my eyes and that glasses perfectly fitted would remove the cause. I engaged Dr. Clark to take my case and as soon as I put the glasses on I began to get better. I stopped taking medicine at once and I am happy to state that now I am in good health and have none of my former troubles.

Dr. Clark, Boyd Hotel, Wayne, Mon., May 4

### The Mad Mullah's Victory.

A good story is told of how the Mad *Mullah of Somaliland worked one of* those miracles which drew many wayfarers to his banner. An English man-of-war had been sent to demonstrate off the coast, and at night threw a searchlight onto the jungle-covered mountains. The mullah was in hiding there, and knowing from his visits to *Aden what it was that his followers* hailed as a new star told them that the light was seeking him.

When the electric rays actually flooded his encampment he cried in triumph: "Will you deny now that *I am under the eye of God?"*

The Somali fell on their knees, beat the earth with their foreheads and replied: "*Thou art truly the elect*, the chosen, the mullah, the master. Our goods, our existence, our souls belong to *thee*. We place ourselves entirely at the disposition of thy will."

A few weeks later came the news of the rising of 4,000 of these Somali.

### After Four Months in Bed.

Powersville, Ky., April 27.—Mrs. J. J. Monson, who has been ill for over eight years, says:

"Yes, it is truly wonderful. I am 36 years of age and for the last eight years I have suffered with acute Kidney trouble.

"I tried all the doctors within reach and many other medicines, but got no relief till I used that new remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I was confined to my bed for four months this winter and had such a pain in my side I couldn't get a good breath. I had smothering spells, was light-headed and had given up all hope, for I didn't think I could live long.

"After I had taken a few of Dodd's Kidney Pills I began to improve and I kept on till now, as you can see, I am well.

"I have been up and doing my own work for sometime now and haven't felt pain or weakness since.

"I praise the Lord for my wonderful restoration to health and will always recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills."

### A Wasting Disease.

Mrs. Crockett and her daughter had gone together to the exhibition of paintings, and found much there to interest them. They stood, silent and absorbed, for some moments before a painting which represented a soldier, pale and exhausted, with hollow cheeks and staring eyes, propped up in an invalid's chair. On the gilded plate in the lower border of the frame were the words, "After the Attack of Lutzen."

"What is 'Lutzen,' Mary Anne?" asked Mrs. Crockett, in a hoarse whisper.

Mary Anne was forced to admit that she did not know.

"Well, anyway," said Mrs. Crockett, with conviction, "it's a terrible disease. I can see that easy enough without anybody telling me."

"The Klean, Kool, Kitchen Kind" is the trade mark on stoves which enable you to cook in comfort in a cool kitchen.

### A PROSPEROUS INDIAN.

#### He Owned a Cayuse, a Buckboard, and Chewed Tobacco.

An Indian driving a forlorn-looking bay cayuse attached to a rickety buckboard was the attraction on the street yesterday afternoon. The wheels were bound all round with baling wire and hemp rope to keep the tires and spokes in place, and the old buck sat upon a fresh cowhide folded into a wad. He wore citizen's clothes and his ears were protected with a black handkerchief. He also wore a white cowboy hat with nickel plates on the band, woolen mitts, and chewed tobacco. In a flour sack tied to the body of the buckboard was a lot of stuff supposed to be sugar, tobacco and corn.

A wave of civilization seems to have hit the renegade Indians in this vicinity, and some of them have actually doffed the red blanket and paint and taken up the garb of the white man and gone to work. Some are hauling wood to town, others are trying to be good. But the great majority of the band are no good at all for anything and they never will be, it is feared. However, there is a radical departure in some quarters, and those who have drifted away from the old and lazy habits are being encouraged by the whites to keep the good work going. A Cree in these parts was never known to work before this fall and winter, and those who are working seem to be trying to do the right thing. Perhaps by their laudable efforts they are maintaining a number of Cree households in the hills, and thus relieving in a measure a deal of distress what might otherwise have been keenly felt among the renegades.

The Indian in the buckboard yesterday was not at all communicative, and when asked where he lived he answered with a grunt that shook the rickety old contraption on which he was riding.—Anaconda Standard.

### PRIZES TO COOKS.

#### $7,500.00 in Cash to Be Distributed.

Between now and July 1st, family cooks, whether employes or the mistress of the household, will be following the plan laid down for improvement in cooks in a contest for 735 cash prizes ranging from $200.00 to $5.00 offered by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.

The winners must show improvement in general cookery as clearly stated in the rules for the test.

No one has to buy or pay anything whatever. It is simply an earnest effort on the part of Mr. Post to stimulate the household cook to more careful and skillful cookery.

To have light, sweet bread and cakes instead of heavy, sour and indigestible things. To have no more greasy, burned or dried-out meats. To have properly made Coffee, Postum and tea. To have delicate and digestible, toothsome deserts and a table, clean, tasty and a pleasure to look upon.

And so $7,500.00 in actual money will be spent to encourage the cooks of the country to better effect. And you housekeepers, please forever abandon the term "hired girl." Teach your cook the dignity of her profession, call her the cook.

If her duties include other service, well and good, but don't detract from her professional title by calling her the "hired girl." That term don't fit a good cook. A certificate bearing the large seal of the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., will go to each of the 735 winners in this contest. These certificates or diplomas will be as valuable to the holders, as a doctor's sheepskin is to him.

A postal card to the Cookery Dept. No. 487, of the big pure food factories of the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at Battle Creek, Mich., will bring a sheet of plainly printed rules for the contest.

# RULED BY A WOMAN

BY FRANK H. STAUFFER

*Author of "Wait, Darling!" "Missionary Madge," "Sacrificing Her Fortune," Etc., Etc.*

CHAPTER X.

The next morning Barbara picked up a portion of a letter dropped by some one *the day before. It was on the upper* terrace and was draggled with dew:

"—— *much careful consideration* I have concluded to forgive you. But you must remember, dear Brice, that this is the third time, and it is about as often as my patience can bear. If our engagement is broken again, I shall never consent to a reconciliation.

"In every instance I have yielded only after the most passionate avowals on your part, and never just sure of the extent of my regard for you. I shall call with Charlie Dewan to-morrow, and, should opportunity offer, I will express myself more fully. I don't care to put upon paper my opinion of this silly quarrel. Lovingly yours,

"CAROLINE WENTWORTH."

Miss Barbara folded up the letter, her lips twitching in a queer way. The expression upon them was partly one of contempt. She believed that she saw through the writer's purpose. Glancing up, she saw Brice watching her not a dozen yards away. He came toward her and politely lifted his hat.

"Is that another poem ready to send to the publisher?" he asked.

"No," replied Barbara, with a faint smile. "I don't think you would care to have this published. It is a letter of which the envelope is missing. I picked it up and it evidently belongs to you."

He took the letter and read it, a mystified expression upon his face.

"No, it doesn't belong to me," he said. "If so, I never got it. What is the meaning of it? It intimates that we have quarreled. If so, I don't remember when. I never sought a reconciliation. I was never engaged to her."

"The letter hints at three occasions," suggested Barbara.

"Yes. I am represented in a very worshipful attitude, while she stands off only half-disposed to be gracious. I can't explain it. I don't know what it means."

"It was meant that I should find the letter," she slowly said. "To create a false impression in my mind."

"Of what kind?" asked he.

"She wishes me to suppose that you are engaged to her," was her answer.

"But why does she wish that?"

He was persistent, and Barbara began to feel embarrassed.

"She is afraid that I might fall in love with you. Or, perhaps, that I might encourage you. She wishes me to understand that she has a claim upon you," added Barbara, not sure that she had clearly expressed herself.

"I don't know whether Miss Wentworth is fond of me or not," he said. "I have been sort of partial to her. You have not made a correct deduction, however."

"Why not?"

"From the simple fact that she didn't write the letter. I am familiar with her writing. Not a word or a letter of this is hers."

Barbara colored and felt vexed at herself.

"Perhaps you can tell what it means," she said.

"No," replied he. "Since you think that it was intended for me, I'll keep it. You do not care?"

"Oh, no," she rejoined.

She was busy thinking, intensified lines coming into her face.

"Mr. Rutherford, I didn't say that Miss Rutherford wrote the letter. I saw her standing on this very spot, after dark last evening," particularized Barbara. "She intended that I should find the letter. She wanted to leave me under the impression that it was from her to you. She got some one else to write it."

"But what was the use of all that?" Brice wanted to know.

"It occurred to her that perhaps I might carry the letter to you. She hedged against that possibility. And it been in her writing she would have stood condemned. You would have exposed the fraud."

"Well, that's a keen analysis, and just such a one as a woman would make," decided Brice. "Your opinion of Miss Wentworth is not an exalted one."

"I do not want to be unjust to her," Barbara slowly said. "She is fond of you and is jealous of me. Now, don't misunderstand me in connection with the matter. She has no reason to be jealous of me. I have not set my cap for you, nor do I intend to. So you see she might have spared herself all that planning."

"But how will it be if I fall in love with you without any design on your part?" Brice asked.

"It would be an accident and I would in no wise be to blame," Barbara replied.

"But how would you act in the matter? And what would be my fate?"

"Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof," quoted Barbara with a smile. "I never know in advance how I am going to act under certain circumstances. I wait until they arise."

She flung her hand to him and disappeared among the shrubbery.

Two weeks went by. The coal fields in Carbon County did not seem to need looking after; at least Charlie Dewan was in no hurry to return home. Perhaps he was prospecting for coal in the vicinity of Croylands; Miss Barbara, more likely, was the object of attraction.

He came almost every day to Croylands. She was flattered by his attentions; he was a very worthy young man, and she realized that he was paying her an honor. He knew how to make himself entertaining; they had tastes in common; their views were similar; they took an interest in the same literary pursuits.

Brice saw them together and grew moody. He was dissatisfied without being quite willing to admit that he had a reason for being dissatisfied.

His mother, too, was uneasy about the probable result. Her wishes might be thwarted. Mr. Dewan was positive in his manner and quick to make up his mind. Brice would suffer in contrast with him in Barbara's mind.

"Brice, you'll lose her," she said to him one day.

"She'll gain a good husband," he said. "There's nothing mean about Charlie Dewan. You forget that Miss Wentworth is still left."

Mrs. Rutherford sighed.

"I see that I am to be disappointed even in this," she said, with a failing inflection in her voice. "Well, let it go with the rest. I'll pass, by-and-by, to where one hasn't any longings."

Brice seemed worried.

"Mother, what am I to do?" he asked. "A fellow can't help heading into love. I can't agitate, and still less precipitate. She's perfectly unapproachable. There's too little affinity between Miss Bradleigh and myself—an antagonism of susceptibilities, a rasping of intuitiveness, and all that sort."

"Stuff!" exclaimed his mother, a little out of temper with him.

The next morning found Barbara *standing by the open window of her* room. It was quite early, and the dawn was slowly breaking.

Barbara's face was wrapped in thought. She heard a footstep, and, turning around, saw that Mrs. Rutherford had entered the room. She was surprised to see her there, or astir even, at such an early hour.

"Why, you are up!" she exclaimed.

"Yes," replied Mrs. Rutherford. "I am in trouble. Brice has gone."

"Gone!" repeated Barbara, not sure she had understood her.

"Yes," Mrs. Rutherford said, with woe-begone look and tone. He always apprises me of his intentions in one way or another. I see signs of it beforehand. He left very suddenly. He took no changes with him, and could not have been in bed, for it is not disturbed.

She moaned, her agitation increasing.

"I wouldn't worry," Barbara softly said. "He is safe, we may be sure. Was he up late last night?"

"I can't say, dear. I didn't hear him. Had you any words with him? You didn't reject him, or anything like that?"

"Why, bless you, no!" cried Barbara.

"Then it's because Mr. Dewan has been around so much."

"Impossible!" exclaimed Barbara, with flushed cheeks. "Your son did not take that much interest in me."

The look of concern deepened upon Mrs. Rutherford's face.

"I thought he was beginning to feel satisfied at home," she said. "He may have walked about the grounds long after dusk. He may have gone to the woods, for all we know. I can't forget that prowling tramp, you see, and it might be that——"

"Please don't let your fears run off in that direction," interrupted Barbara, not aware of the pallor which the suspicion had brought to her own face. "I'll scour the woods——"

"I wish that you would, dear," Mrs. Rutherford said, her mind somewhat relieved.

Barbara did as requested, but did not see anything of the missing owner of Croylands.

A dispatch *came at noon*. Mrs. Rutherford was very much alarmed, and would not open it.

"It is dreadful news, I know," she moaned, wringing her hands.

"Oh, no," decided Barbara, and she read aloud:

"Mother—Do not be uneasy about me. Urgent business has taken me to Philadelphia. I will be back in a week or so."

"He had no business to give me such a scare," Mrs. Rutherford said, in an irritated tone.

CHAPTER XI.

Miss Barbara was in her room, busy writing. A check, received in compensation for a sprightly little sketch, had stimulated her to greater effort. She felt herself capable of some grand achievement; she believed that the day was not far distant when she would be able to comfortably support herself by means of her pen.

It was in the afternoon, and the sunlight fell cheerfully upon the bright, cleanly kept windows and across the gayly colored carpet. Barbara's glow of composition was interrupted by a gentle knock at the door, and before she could rise to open it, or say "Come in," it was pushed open, and Mrs. Rutherford stood in view. She was in full dress, and had either just returned from a walk or contemplated taking one.

"Benson is sick," she announced. "He has expressed a desire to see you."

"Benson!" repeated Barbara, putting aside her pen and going forward. "What is the matter with him?"

"I don't know," replied Mrs. Rutherford. "I couldn't get much out of him, though I manifested sufficient sympathy, I am sure. No doubt you will find him more communicative. I judge so, because he has sent for you."

Mrs. Rutherford disappeared. Barbara *arranged* her hair, then sought Benson's room. His face was pale, and there was a troubled expression upon it; there was a feverish light in his eyes, and his lips had a shriveled look. She drew a chair up close to his bed and took his hand. A bright sparkle of recognition came into his eyes.

"Benson, what is the matter?" she asked.

"Miss Barbara, I am going to die," he solemnly said. "Before many hours. It's a presentiment. I've had warning, you see. We always have in our family."

It was an absurd notion, no doubt, but she did not care to argue with him about it. His tone had been grave and measured. He stared at the ceiling for a minute, and then resumed:

"I have a request to make, Miss Barbara. However, you may regard it more in the light of a commission. After I'm gone, I mean.

He jerked out his words, not because he was in pain, but because of repressed excitement. Whatever the commission, he certainly regarded it as one of great importance.

"Why do you select me?" Barbara asked.

"Because I know I can trust you," he said. "I have thought it all over, and it seems to me as if you were to come to Croylands just to do me this favor. I can't tell Mr. Rutherford and I don't want to tell his mother. Will you promise?"

"I don't know what it is," she stammered. "I may not be just the one, after all. It may not be in the least agreeable——"

"If you are not willing to put yourself out any in order to oblige me, why, of course, we will not talk about it," interrupted Benson, in a disappointed tone.

"Oh, I didn't just mean that," cried Barbara, coloring. "But I am conscientious, you know, and if I ever made a promise I'd keep it, whatever the sacrifice."

"Just so, Miss Barbara, just so!" and his face lit up again. "That is why I thought of you. Indeed, I know of nobody else, and I wouldn't die satisfied. It will not be a large demand upon your time, and you'll be amply compensated. In one respect it concerns you more than it does me or anybody else—that is, if I am not mistaken in my inferences, and I don't think that I am. I have prepared two letters. I did that expecting to be sick, you see. They are on the bureau yonder, and I wish you to take possession of them now. They are directed to you. One is to be opened immediately after my death, and the other not until——"

He paused and looked past her, his brows corrugated. Barbara's brown eyes were keenly watching him.

"Barbara," he said, staring in afresh, "you are a very worthy girl. If Mr. Rutherford doesn't know it now, he'll find it out some time, and I can see very well what his mother's wishes are in the matter. He'll propose to you! He'll ask you to marry him. If he does, do not accept him until you have read the letter *especially marked for the occasion. If* you accept him after reading it, it will be all right in the end, no doubt. You must decide for yourself, and by accepting *him you may be all the more able to keep* your promise touching the contents of the other letter."

*Barbara was listening with absorbed* attention, her head thrown forward, her *lips slightly apart.*

"Suppose he never proposes?" she asked. "Or suppose I reject him without caring to read the letter, what am I to do then?"

"*In that case, Barbara, you are not to* read the letter, nor permit anybody else to read it. You are to burn it unopened. *You understand me, Barbara?*"

"I think I do."

"And you promise?"

"Y—e—s."

"Then I wish you'd get the letters now. They are on the bureau."

She crossed the room, picked up the letters, then resumed her seat.

"Barbara, what is faith?" Benson asked.

It was so unexpected that it startled her.

"It is trust," she quickly answered.

"In whom?" he asked, his feverish eyes searching for hers.

"In God—in people—in things—in events," she answered.

His face slowly softened.

"I am afraid I'm groping, but there is light somewhere."

"Just ahead, sir."

"And eternal life," added Benson, in a tone that thrilled his hearer.

A long silence ensued.

"I'll wrestle," he said.

"Until daybreak," added Barbara, with a sweet smile.

She continued the conversation, and soon found out that the trouble was in his mind. It wasn't an error of construction, or a want of faith, but, instead, an overestimate in expectation. She knew how to remove the difficulty, for her father had once let a flood of light into her mind upon the very same matter. What she said, she said in a clear, earnest, sympathetic, argumentative manner, some pertinent text of Scripture substantiating every assertion which she made.

"Thank you," he said, with beaming eyes. As if to express his gratitude still more, he caught her hand and gave it a significant pressure.

"It seems to me that I ought to remain and give you medicine at stated intervals," Barbara remarked, as she prepared to withdraw.

"I'm past human aid," he said, no tinge of regretfulness in his voice.

(To be continued.)

### ANGLING FOR TUNA.

#### Largest Fish Taken with a Rod—Sport in California.

In California they do some remarkable things, one of which is the making of towns and cities to order, so to speak. Along the beaches of Southern California can be found little cities, with hotels, stores, dwellings, and other buildings, which have sprung into existence within a year or so, standing on sites which were formerly mere patches of sand or woodland. One of the most remarkable of these towns is located on Santa Catalina Island, which lies off the coast not far from the city of Los Angeles. The ocean in the vicinity of the island is noted as being the home of the tuna, one of the gamiest fishes which are taken with the rod, while the water is so clear that the wonderful marine growth on the bottom can be distinctly seen at a depth of from forty to sixty feet. The island also contains one of the finest bathing beaches in the world, while the weather is of such a temperature that it can be enjoyed while people in the Eastern States are wrapped in furs—in midwinter.

*A few years ago* the northern end of the island was bought by a company, which finally decided to establish a full-fledged town, although only one or two buildings stood upon the site. Within one year the valley selected for the community was built up along the beach front with a score of hotels and pavilions, while back of them were erected hundreds of tents, giving the place the appearance of a military encampment.

As already stated, the town site is owned by one company, and this corporation has absolute control of the community, enacting its own laws, providing the necessary police force, and, as it owns the principal structures, it is also a theatrical manager and general amusement provider. The president of the company has as absolute dominion over the people as the Czar has in Russia, but thus far the system of government has been satisfactory and the place is steadily increasing in popularity.

The tents are used principally in the summer time. The town is nearly deserted in the spring except for the fishermen. About May the company sends a gang of men to the island, and in a few days they have erected the long rows of tents, changing the appearance of the place as if by magic. This part of the town is stowed away during the spring in a large circus tent, which contains not only the canvas, but furniture, carpets, oil stoves, dishes, and other household articles which are rented by the company with each tent. They are equipped and are ready to be hired by the day or the season, so that the visitor can go to Catalina with merely the clothes on his back and what he can carry in a gripsack or trunk. Everything else is provided for him. There is a general store where provisions, dry goods and other necessities are sold at the ordinary prices; a postoffice and telegraph office, while the town supports a newspaper during the principal season. In addition to summer opera, band concerts are given daily at the expense of the company.

The tuna are caught both from sailboats and rowboats immediately offshore, and some wonderful specimens of this fish, as well as others of the finny tribe, have been taken. Tuna actually weighing over 400 pounds have been caught with the hook and line, although in some cases the fishermen were obliged to "play" them three or four hours before the fish became sufficiently exhausted to be drawn up to the boat and gaffed. Frequently specimens are caught which are twice the weight of and actually larger than their captors.—New York Tribune.

#### Another Peaceful Blockade.

She (indignantly)—Sir, what do you mean by putting your arm around my waist?

He (meekly)—Why, I—er—thought you wouldn't object.

She—Well, I do—and I'll give you just three hours in which to remove it.

# THE POPULAR PULPIT

### HUMAN LIMITATIONS.

*By Rev. James MacLagan.*

"And there was no more sea." Rev. 21:1. In that wonderful vision of the new heaven and the new earth which John the Beloved saw we have a foregleam of what our Heavenly Father is preparing for us; and, sure enough, it takes some of these wonderful visions to keep us from becoming discouraged at times. Life at its best is not all a bed of roses, nor indeed, would it be well for us if it were so. We need to battle with life's problems, and wrestle mightily with its temptations to qualify us for a place among the "overcomers" who shall sit down at the marriage supper of the Lamb. Life's experiences coming thick and fast upon us are God's appointed means of grace, to show us how to govern ourselves as children of the King. The world has a right to expect a royal bearing in those who profess to serve the King of Heaven.

The Apostle John, whose whole thought was for the spreading of the gospel on the mainland, was a prisoner on the Isle of Patmos, when he saw the vision recorded in the Revelation. He must have been sadly discouraged at times, being hemmed in on all sides by the sea. He would often gaze out on its wealth of waters, and wish that somehow he could be spirited across and get back to his work. The sea had become his prison keeper, preventing all possibility of escape. No wonder that in his record of what he saw he should note the fact that "there was no more sea;" and when, transported with rapture at what awaits those who are faithful until death, in the release from earth's galling restrictions and environments, he would be strengthened to bear up a little longer. "My grace is sufficient for thee."

You and I have our limitations; you and I need the assurance that there is coming a glorious day when there will be "no more sea." Our own inherent weakness, and the weakness of others, will one day be lifted from us. Our "sin which doth so easily beset us" will then have no dominion over us, if we are candidates for Heavenly Zion, city of our God. Heaven, however, is a prepared place for a prepared people, and without preparation we would find ourselves out of place and ill at ease, in that home of the blessed. Its people, its language, its employments, would all be distasteful to us. And O, my brothers and sisters, what will give us a zest for the joys of heaven, like the patient endurance of the cross that our Heavenly Father may have laid upon us? Why should we seek exemption from the common lot of every true life? Why should we shirk the crucifixion of our dearest desires? Why should we fear to tread, in a measure, the path which our Master has blazoned out for us, knowing that all these bitter experiences but lead to the fuller, the risen life in heaven?

There are some things which come into our lives as individuals which were never meant for us to bear. Many of the things hardest to bear at the time could be warded off from us did we not let them injure us. In the words of the poet,

There is many a trouble, would break like a bubble,
And into the waters of Lethe depart,
Did we not rehearse it, and tenderly nurse it,
And give it a permanent place in the heart.

May God give us all shoulders broad enough to bear the burdens which rightfully are ours to bear, and grace to cast no burden on our weaker brother who has all he can possibly do already. Christ is the great burden-bearer.

### THE KNELL OF DISASTER.

*By Rev. D. S. Mackay.*

In spite of the vaunted progress of the nineteenth century, we are just as much the slaves of vulgar ostentation as our fathers were when the last century was still young. Nowhere is the complex life of luxurious pleasure-seeking extravagance so visible as in this metropolis of the New World. Everywhere the drags are off and the wheels of commerce and society are running wild. When the stoppage will come—as come it must—or how it will come no one can tell. Already the shrewd, hard-headed men in Wall street are scenting the approaching danger from the commercial standpoint.

They tell us that the limit of over capitalization and head-strong speculation is reached, and the reaction, unless it comes gradually, will spell panic from the Atlantic to the Pacific. How true that may be as a commercial prediction I do not know; but from the standpoint of religion, in the interests of morality, the evil results of this over elaborated mode of living, common even among the poor as well as the rich, are already with us. There can be no life of worthy thought where existence is loaded down with the vulgarities of luxury. The two most illiterate classes in society today are the abject poor, who by necessity must think of the needs of the body, and, therefore, can think of nothing else, and the idle rich, who by choice devote every hour of the day to the trivial problem of what they shall eat and what they shall drink and wherewithal they shall be clothed.

One of the causes of this over elaboration in the material comforts of life is the passion for luxury itself. We boast about our luxury as something that lifts us above other nations. A second cause is the spirit of social competition. Class vies with class for social supremacy. There is a vulgar ambition everywhere to 'go one better' in the matter of functions and entertainments.

Home life is deliberately, yes, and *criminally, sacrificed* for the social life. And social life, so chosen, becomes the vestibule through which many a young husband passes into the prison house of debt. A large city becomes every evening a vast Vanity Fair, where irrational and too often degraded pleasure lures men and women by the thousand to its gilded shrine, and before that shrine high thinking and plain living are nightly immolated. The poor man, unable to share in these wanton extravagances, chafes beneath the restrictions, and hatred of his pampered betters bites at the ropes of separation.

### SELF-CULTURE AND FAITH.

*By Rev. John Henry Barrows, D. D.*

To know God is not merely to be convinced of His existence, or to have clearly defined arguments for the divine being, but besides all this it is to have a heart acquaintance with the Heavenly Father, to be in sympathy with His moral qualities and His lowly purposes.

Self-culture, independent of such a knowledge of God, is a snare, a delusion and a disappointment, and woeful elements may follow even the finest and noblest intellectual training apart from the heavenly knowledge which Christ brings to the soul. Every student of history will agree with me that the Christian revelation of God has been a mighty and uplifting force in the culture of our race. It has widened the domain of human thought and brought new facts and forces for the illumination and guidance of the human spirit. What transformed the old pagan world which the Apostle Paul declared to be without God into the modern Christian world? I reply, it was a knowledge of the divine nature; it was an acquaintance with our Father in His oneness, His spirituality and His redeeming mercy as revealed through Jesus Christ. Lord Bacon has instructed us that it is better to have no conception of God than one that is unworthy of Him. Holiness is God's diadem, the crown of His perfections, without which power and wisdom and love itself lose their highest glory. The Christian messenger instructs men that the God who now commandeth all to repent has never committed the slightest wrong; that all His ways are righteous; that all His acts are perfect, and that if any vice existed in the character of God the worshiping universe must be dumb.

It will be easy to illustrate from famous men, like Mr. Gladstone, for example, like Milton, Newton and Dante, what the recognition of the Christian God has done for them. But I think a more useful illustration would be found in the lives of plain, common men and women all about us, who, getting their knowledge of God from His word, by His spirit, through His Son, have felt the dignity of their own manhood and womanhood, have been unwilling to soil their souls with sin, have been able to bear disappointment placidly and to go through sorrow sweetly, feeling all the while the companionship and the consolation of Divine love.

### GIVES CLEW TO CHARACTER.

*By Dr. John Rusk.*

If we can place a subject in a so-called trance state we may follow the life of a diseased mind and may perhaps remove the disease by suggestion. Now, suppose we had Judas Iscariot before us and that some operator would place him in a state where he would relate his whole life. We would find his life running in some such form as this: He came into the group of disciples with a saintly purpose. His life was pure, no doubt, from childhood. His power to lead, to care for others, led him naturally into his position with Jesus and the apostles.

As the work progressed, the need of money, the need of care, the world's needs, naturally developed his money instinct. The money instinct developed something in him like another personality. The two personalities warred in him. The lower or diseased instinct conquered and Judas was no longer the pure man who first came to Jesus, but the one personality which Jesus himself described as the demon.

### EVERYTHING HAS ITS PRICE.

*By Bishop Samuel Fallows.*

Thank God, it is true to-day of countless multitudes of men, as it was of old, when it was said, "You can sooner turn the sun from its course than Fabricius from the path of honor." Not all legislators and city aldermen can be bought by any means, though the temptation may be a great one. Christianity is not a failure in demanding obedience to its primal moral requirement.

BISHOP FALLOWS.

The incorruptible man does receive the price for his integrity. It is the approval of his own conscience and the approbation of his God. That treasure he can carry with him at death, when all the wages of wickedness must be left behind.

Disease.—The rights of unborn generations is a branch of ethics which has been largely ignored, but which ought to form a part of our moral philosophy without a delay. If a man has no right to poison his child with arsenic or strychnine, he certainly has no right to bring a child into the world with the poison of a hereditary disease in his blood. In either case he is equally responsible and reprehensible. —Rev. J. S. Scudder, Congregationalist, Jersey City, N. J.

The sunniest spots in the United Kingdom are the Channel Islands, which enjoy sunshine during 39.9 per cent. of the time the sun is above the horizon in the course of the year.


### THE BAD MAN AND THE DUDE.

#### A Realistic Story of What Happens in the Far West.

"I'm a wolf full o' pizen loco weed!" bawled the bad man of Gore Gulley, as he emerged from the honkatonk and *began to make* war medicine. "I'm so mean an' ornery that I can't sleep o' nights! I eat Gila monsters raw, an' *I'm a hull lot hungry right now!* Yee-ow! I'm a plum prowlin' coyote, an' *this is my night t' howl!* Yee-ow! An' I'm a-achin' f'r trouble, an' a heap of it! Fetch me along 'bout eight thousan' junipers, so's I can dance 'em up *a-plenty!* I'm a hooded cobra, an' w'en I sting——"

At this point the dudish-looking *young man* in the suit of English plaid, the fore-and-aft cap, the patent leather shoes, and the immaculate white *spats*, who had stepped from the train only a few moments before, walked calmly up to the horrible ba-a-ad man, and addressed him thus:

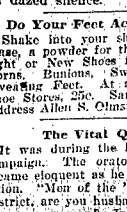
"You only think you're bad. In my opinion you're just a cheap bluff, and for 2 cents I'd get mussy with you and have a mix just to show you up, you big stiff!"

Then the intrepid young man with the dudish appearance—

However, wait a minute. The writer *hereof doesn't* belong to the Mirth-diggers' Union, and his one purpose in life is to set down facts just as they occur.

Then the intrepid young man with the dudish appearance suddenly found himself placed in an exceedingly mortifying position across the knee of the huge, delighted bad man, and for the next four minutes there was a sound in that neighborhood as of a mule playing a xylophone solo on a Venetian blind. Then the amused bad man of Gore Gulley turned the presumptuous tenderfoot loose and proceeded to shoot up the town.

He was just as bad as he claimed to be, and he proved it before the night was over by cutting three more notches on his guns.—Washington Post.



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"It looks just like the old indigo blue calicoes they used to wear when I was a little girl in the country," she said, discontentedly.

"Madam," said the portly salesman, "long after you and I are dead and gone women will be wearing blue and white polka-dots. They have worn them since the race emerged from barbarism, they will wear them until it sinks into it again."

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Hewitt—What did he say?

Jewett—I came away from the telephone as soon as I had said all I had to say.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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"How did you like the new preacher, dear?" asked Mrs. Fijjit when her husband returned from church.

"He's great," replied the husband. "He woke me up only once."—Ohio State Journal.

### Pleasantries of War.

A reader has sent us the *following* story of General Viljoen, which, he says, *is absolutely true.*

While on the way to keep an appointment with the Boer general, our correspondent met a friend of his, an officer in the Scots Guards, who had seen service in South Africa.

"By the way, I'm going to see an acquaintance of yours," he said to the officer—"General Viljoen."

"*Oh, he is no friend of mine,*" was the comment. "He once stole our convoy, and we had to go on quarter rations for a fortnight."

Later our correspondent told General Viljoen of his meeting with the officer and what the latter had said.

The General laughed heartily at the story. "Tell your friend," he said, "I did not steal his convoy. I only borrowed it."—London Express.

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### A LYRIC.

How fair it is, the world around,
*The changing life; each day's surprise,*
To see the stars, the land, the sea,
To look into your eyes.

*To hear the ecstasy of morn,*
The birds in field and wood rejoice,
The madrigals of wind and trees,
To listen to your voice.

*To feel the warm, firm, throbbing life,*
The friendly hands our fingers press,
The strong, true work in which we share,
To feel your soft caress.

*How fair it is, the world around,*
How wonderful and sweet the past,
That knows its ecstasy and work,
*That knows your loving heart.*
—New York Herald.

## His First Faux Pas

HARRY HATCH was one of those handsome chivalrous, rollicking, harmless fellows whom everybody likes—especially the women. He had been best man at more fashionable weddings than any man in town. But thirty years old, he was already godfather to a score of cherubic children of "chums" and young women who once laughed and gloried in his unselfish companionship. Harry knew how to make love without going too far. His jokes never miscarried. He was everybody's friend and everybody was his. He was "not a knocker" among men, and he had the "confidence" of all the set. His wit was proverbial, and his jokes, practical or conversational, were the envy of the men and the delight of the women. He seemed to be absolutely impartial in his gallantry. Rich or poor, plain or pulchritudinous, every woman seemed to be a queen in his eyes, and as esquire to any or all of them, he was a unanimous "hit."

Though they never said so, there were many elderly men of his acquaintance who thought, however, that Harry would "never amount to much." He was too vacillating, too reckless, too merry to "cut any ice." Women with marriageable daughters never took him seriously because, they said, he "had nothing." And he was poor. A clerkship in a bank sufficed to enable him to twinkle merrily at receptions and even shine at the head of cotillons. He danced like a faun, laughed like Momus, sang and played like a troubadour. A vote of the women who knew him would have established his preeminent popularity, but—none of them could think of him as an "eligible parti." The dullest man of his class never thought of him as a possible rival in love. In a word, he was a delightful trifler, a butterfly of mankind, a blue-eyed, yellow curled, dancing, laughing failure. Of course, he didn't seem to care a rap, such men never do, and so it was all right.

HARRY KNEW HOW TO MAKE LOVE.

It was his good fortune never to come into contract with other men till Stephen Hatch, his cousin, came back from college, a swarthy, eye-glassed, serious, saturnine young man, rich in his own right, ambitious, hypercritical, with a patronizing, superior attitude toward women, and a tolerant, deprecating air with him. Here, indeed, was a personage whom all women must regard and all men consider. And they did so, all except Harry, to whom he appeared casually as a mere incident in the general scheme of enjoying life. Harry put up jokes on him, laughed at him, made all the nice girls "acquainted" with him, and in time saw him devote his luminously morbid mind and ample means to the wooing of Dorothy Carr, the fairest, most amiable, most loyal and enthusiastic of Harry's many "girl friends." As a matter of course, when the engagement was announced Harry was mentioned as leading man. Stephen had no "particular objection," but Dorothy would hear of no other.

It was some time afterward, just while his cousin was in the absorbing throes of antenuptial business, that Harry Hatch met Dorothy quite by chance in the corridor of the Albemarle Hotel.

"The very man I wanted to see," she laughed. "You must take me to lunch, Harry. Stephen will be down on the two o'clock boat to take me to the matinee and I want to have a tete-a-tete with you anyhow. It may be our last chance, you know, Harry!"

And so they got into a snug little corner of the cafe and chatted and laughed till the conversation turned upon the tiresome preliminaries of weddings, and Dorothy said she thought the "funniest thing" about it all was getting the license, and seeing one's name in the paper. And she said that Stephen was worried to death about the license, thought it was undignified and vulgar to have to go into a public place and bandy his name and hers and pass money for a common document such as peddlers, teamsters and others might get for a paltry dollar. But Harry laughed and said that he would regard it as a proud privilege to be able to ask for and get a license to marry any good woman, but that if her (Dorothy's) name was to appear on the document side by side with his he would consider his glory supreme and perfect, etc. And they laughed as she quizzed him about how he would go about it, and laughed again when he "dared" her to go with him right then and there to get a license.

"Come on, Dotty," he urged. "It'll be a new experience. I know the clerk and he'll cancel the thing for me and keep it out of the papers and when you see it done you can tell Steve how easy it is and how proud I was. Come, let's try it."

And they laughed some more and, I think, the waiter brought in a little silver pail with beads of icy water upon it and a golden, green bottle-neck peeping out of the ice, but anyway they marched across to the city hall and, she blushing and tittering, and he quite ridiculously solemn looking, they asked for, and paid for, and got a license, and went back to the hotel bubbling with enjoyment of Harry's latest "joke." Stephen was waiting for them, very impatient and important, and Dorothy thrust the folded license into her bosom and with a quick warning to Harry went away with her fiance to the theater.

Then Harry went back to the marriage license desk and called the clerk aside so that he could explain the joke, and that, of course, he didn't want the license at all, and that it mustn't get into the papers.

"I just thought I'd come and tell you to make sure the reporters don't find it out. We're going to tear up the license, and—"

"But it's too late, Mr. Hatch," said the clerk, "the afternoon papers have got the names already. These lists are public property, and, anyhow, the license is issued, is out and is bona fide until you bring it back."

"Then I must bring it back to be canceled!" exclaimed Harry, and not waiting for more than a nod, he darted off toward the theater, where, he knew, Dorothy and Stephen were attending the matinee. He didn't find them, missed them in the crowd later, and when he went rushing to her house at dinner time, found her mother in tears and the house in a bedlam. The reporters had been there! The story of the license was "out." Harry rushed back, pell-mell to the newspaper offices to have it "stopped," but when he got out of the carriage and bought the late editions of the evening papers, the sotry was there, looming black, sensational and prominent. "All about the sensation in high society." Harry read it over and—grinned "That won't do a thing but put a crimp in Steve!" he muttered.

He pleaded with city editors and insisted that the whole business was a joke. They promised to do their best for him, and interviewed him and sent reporters to interview Stephen. It was an awful mess! Harry, out of breath and anxious to pacify the Carrs, hastened back to Dorothy's home to find confusion worse confounded. Stephen had been there in a towering rage. He had scolded Dorothy, read a lecture to old Mrs. Carr, cursed Harry and left in a sullen "huff." Dorothy's mother glowered at poor Harry and then burst into tears.

"That for your jokes, you mischief-maker!" she screamed at him when he tried to explain, and then, for the first time in his life Harry Hatch was abashed, disconcerted, ashamed.

But Dorothy, too, was in a passion. Not at Harry, but at Stephen. She even forgot her proverbial filial respect, and when her mother resumed her tirade at the scape-grace, said with shrill vehemence:

"Stop! How dare you scold him? What is it after all but a tempest in a teapot! A few paragraphs of silly sensationalism in the newspapers. It might have been a source of fun for anybody but an owl-faced blockhead like Stephen Hatch. I wouldn't marry him now if he had all the money in the world, I'm of age and the whole thing was my doing, and I'm glad of it. So there!"

And she and Harry walked away into the garden silently, but very confidentally. Mrs. Carr didn't speak to Dorothy till the very day of her marriage to Harry, but old man Carr, "Dad" as Dorothy called him, who liked the scape-grace and finally convinced "mama" that he'd rather have Dot married to a good Indian like Harry than to a coupon-clipping, joss-like Stephen, fixed up matters to adroitly that the wedding turned out to be the swellest, happiest, most promising affair that even the practical joker himself had ever "assisted at."

"You're all right," said papa, when the bride and groom were going away, "you're all right, but—well, that was a—— of a joke—on Steve!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Plutocracy of Pittsburg.

Pride is a feature of the younger generation of Pittsburgers of wealth. Things of which some of them think they cannot be proud—such as the way in which their hard-working fathers got their start in life—they try to forget. Though the fathers are sometimes proud of this same lowly start is responsible for this incident:

"Do you know, young man, that I once was very envious of your father?" said one of the steel kings to the son of a man whose wealth, while great, could be written with one less figure, says a writer in the New York Tribune.

"And when was that?" asked the young man, pleased to think that there had ever been a time when the "king" envied his father.

"It was this way," returned the old man. "I was working in a ditch for $1.50 a day——"

"I didn't know that you started that way," interrupted the youth.

"That's the way. I was working in this ditch for $1.50 a day, and your father was working in the same ditch. He got $1.75 because he was tronger, and I envied him the extra quarter."

### Just to Oblige Him.

"Oh, let me like a soldier die!" exclaimed the leading man of the barnstormers.

"Oh, if I only had a gun!" exclaimed some one in the gallery, in a tone that savored of genuine sympathy.

### Sweet Memory.

Kind Lady—Why, little fellow, how did you ever get that black eye?

Urchin—Well, ye see, leddy, me brother went away dis mornin' an' he guv me that ter remember him by.

A Philadelphia man earns a living by going around and waking people up at stated hours each morning. He is said to be doing a rousing business.

### Salt-Rising Bread.

Dissolve a half teaspoonful of salt in *a pint of scalding water and beat in* gradually enough flour to make a soft dough or stiff batter. Beat for ten *minutes*, cover and set in a very warm place for eight hours. Now stir a teaspoonful of salt into two cups of warm *milk and add enough flour to make a* very stiff batter before working it into the risen dough. Mix thoroughly, cover and set again in a warm place to rise *until very light.* Turn into a wooden bowl and work in enough batter to make of the consistency of ordinary bread dough. Make into loaves, set these to rise and bake when light.

### Tea Cake.

A delicious tea cake that may easily give your "five o'clocks" a deserved reputation is thus made: Reserve the white of one of six eggs, beating the yolks to a stiff froth; add five ounces of sugar and the same quantity of almonds that have been blanched and pounded fine in a mortar with three ounces of flour, the grated rind of half a lemon, one ounce of orange peel cut very fine, a dust of ground cloves and half a teaspoonful of cinnamon. Finally the single beaten white is quickly stirred in and the cake baked in small round pans.—Harper's Bazar.

### Baked Eggs.

To bake eggs, cook a dozen eggs hard, drop them into cold water and remove the shells. Arrange ten of the eggs in a shallow dish, pour Bechamel sauce over them, sprinkle the top with the yolks of the two remaining eggs, which have been powdered fine and mixed with an equal quantity of bread crumbs. Pour a little melted butter over the top, garnish with triangles of bread dipped in melted butter, and place in a quick oven. When colored a light brown, serve in the dish in which they were cooked.

### Mashed and Fried Eggplant.

Peel and slice the eggplant and soak all day in salted water. Drain, boil tender in fresh water, or until much of the water has boiled away, then mash and set aside to cool. Add a teaspoonful of baking powder to the mashed plant, stir in a beaten egg, salt and pepper and enough flour to make the mixture like cake dough. Drop by the spoonful in deep, boiling fat and fry to a good brown.

### Waffles.

Into a bowl sift a pint of flour with a teaspoonful of baking powder and one of salt. Beat the yolks and whites of three eggs separately, stir the yolks into a pint of milk with a tablespoonful of melted butter. Make a hole in the flour and pour this liquid into it. Beat all together and the stiffened whites and pour the butter into the greased waffle iron.

### Pineapple Cream.

Heat to the boiling point one can of shredded pineapple. Strain half an ounce of gelatine, which has been dissolved in cold water, and add to the pineapple. Remove from the fire, and when it begins to chill stir in the beaten whites of three eggs and half a pint of cream. Pour into a mold and set on ice.

### Tomato Soup.

Turn the contents of a can of tomatoes into a quart of beef stock and simmer slowly for half an hour. Strain out the tomatoes and return the soup to the fire with a half-cup of rice that has soaked for ten minutes. Cook until the rice is tender. Season with salt, pepper, onion juice and a teaspoonful of granulated sugar and serve.

### Dumplings.

Sift together a pint of flour, a teaspoonful of baking powder and half a teaspoonful of salt. Work into this a heaping tablespoonful of butter and moisten with a half pint of milk. Work quickly to a light paste and drop into the boiling gravy of the stew of whatever you are cooking. Cook for ten minutes before sending to the table.

### Gluten Gems.

With two cups of gluten flour sift a teaspoonful of salt and two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Beat two eggs light stir them into a pint of milk and pour this, with two teaspoonfuls of melted butter, into the sifted flour. Stir smooth, then pour into greased and heated gem pans and bake immediately in a hot oven.

### Gingersnaps.

Two cups of New Orleans molasses; one cup of butter; put these on the stove and let them come to a boil. Remove and add one teaspoonful of soda and one of ginger. Add enough flour to make a dough; roll thin and cut out.

### Peanut Butter.

Pound or grind fresh-roasted peanuts to a powder and work into two two tablespoonfuls of this a heaping tablespoonful of fresh butter. Spread thin slices of bread with this paste.

### Brief Suggestions.

To remove paint or varnish marks on glass, rub with a little warm vinegar or with the edge of a copper coin dipped in water.

To clean embossed silver articles, dissolve an ounce of alum in two quarts of strong soapsuds, wash the article in it, using a soft brush for the very ornamental part. Rinse in cold water, dry on a clean cloth and polish with a chamois leather.

To make rice glue, mix rice flour smoothly with cold water and simmer it over a slow fire, when it will form a delicate and durable cement, not only answering all purposes of common paste, but well adapted for joining paper and cardboard ornamental work.

Nut cookies are made by creaming two tablespoonfuls butter and one cupful sugar; add three beaten eggs, one-fourth of a teaspoonful salt, three tablespoonfuls milk and two cupfuls peanuts or walnuts, chopped fine; add just enough flour to roll out, cut star-shape and bake in a moderate oven.


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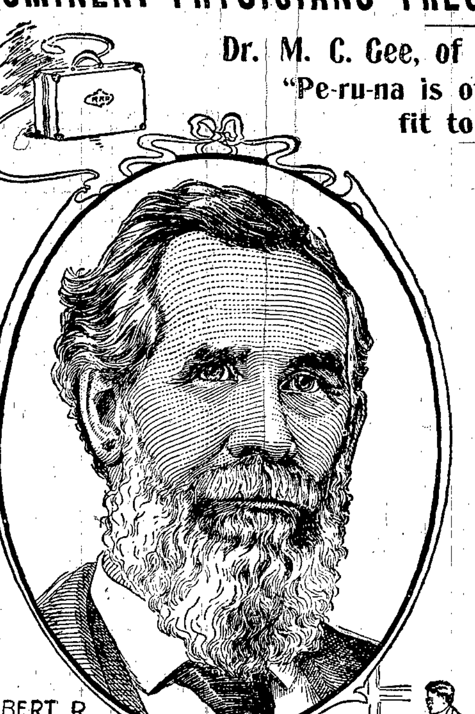
## Dr. M. C. Gee, of San Francisco, Says, "Pe-ru-na is of Especial Benefit to Women."



ROBERT R. ROBERTS M.D

Robert R. Roberts, M. D., Washington, D. C., writes:

***"Through my own experience as well as that of many of my friends and acquaintances who have been cured or relieved of catarrh by the use of Hartman's Peruna, I can confidently recommend it to those suffering from such disorders, and have no hesitation in prescribing it to my patients."---Robert R. Roberts.***

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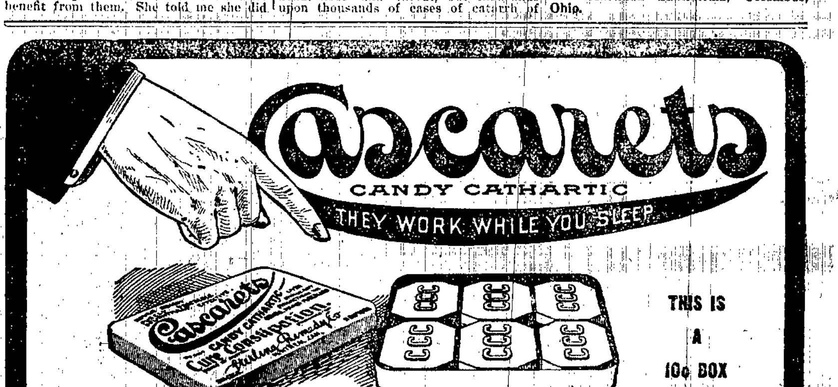


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"But that would disorganize the whole commerce of the country, and bring tens of thousands to ruin."

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S. T. Wilson went to Fairfax S. D. Tuesday, on business.

Mrs. A. A. Wollert went to Council Bluffs Tuesday morning.

Sim Richards arrived from the east on the evening train Monday.

Wright Rice of Dixon, was in the city on business Monday and Tuesday.

F. A. Berry went to Center, Knox Co. Tuesday, where he has a case in the district court.

E. P. Olmsted has been home the past few days from North Platte where he had been for some time looking after his real estate interests.

Miss Grace Pingrey, who has been spending some time with her grandmother in this city, returned to her home at Coon Rapids, Ia., Monday.

The Mistress of the Home of 1925 will be a chemist. She will be a trained scientist. She will regard her kitchen as a laboratory in which a thousand wonderful experiments will be tried. The idea that the kitchen is a place of drudgery, where only those enter who are are forced by circumstances, will have disappeared; and there will remain only wonder that any one could have been ignorant enough of the marvelous processes of science to have taken so little interest in the subject.

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Some day the people will get tired of licensing saloons and then all public revenues will be raised by direct taxtation.

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Each exhibit is judged in accordance with the standard for the variety it represents. If it scores over seventy per cent by this standard it participates in the premium money, the amount drawn depending upon its score above seventy. It does not therefore come directly in competition with any other corn but with the standard for the variety.

An exhibitor can enter only one exhibit of any variety. He therefore has only one chance at the premium money for each variety entered. There is no reason therefore why anyone having corn capable of scoring over seventy per cent should not draw some premium money. The largest corn grower in the state cannot well grow more than a half dozen varieties which will limit his entries to six.

Each exhibit is judged by the following scale of points: uniformity of exhibit, 5 points; truness to type, 10 points; shape of ear, 5 points; color of ear, 10 points; butt of ear, 5 points; kernel uniformity, 5 points; kernel shape, 5 points, length of ear, 10 points; circumference of ear, 5 points; space between rows, 5 points; proportion of corn to cob, 20 points; total 100 points.

Let everyone prepare to raise the best corn his farm has ever produced to win premiums at the Nebraska Corn Show next January and to represent him and Nebraska at the St. Louis World's Fair next year. Remember this is the last chance to get ready for St. Louis.

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The success of Dr. Caldwell is attributed to her special study of specialism. Dr. Caldwell, student, philanthropist and physician of wide reputation, having given her entire time and practice to a line of special diseases, which enables her from long experience in handling these troubles to certainly come forward as a master specialist. Her faculty for mastering disease, her ability to diagnose, and her plan of treatment is not excelled by few physicians. Dr. Caldwell, although a young women in life, a plain woman, and one who is used to the ups and downs of life, puts herself on a level with her patients and does not profess or pretend to practice the old plan of fashion, which is to look wise and say nothing. She knows disease; she knows how to explain the symptoms of disease, and the spot where located, and most of all she knows from experience, from what she has done in the past, she can certainly do for others in the future. It is said by Dr. Caldwell's friends that she can diagnose a disease of any patient without asking them a single question, that being the case, she is not likely to doctor them for the wrong ailment; she will not take an incurable disease and lead the patient to believe that she can cure them when there is really no hope for them. Her business is large and she has plenty to do, even, at time, more than she can do, without taking incurable diseases and deceiving her patients. Dr. Caldwell is a graduate from one of the best schools in America. She has practiced her profession in some of the principal hospitals in this country. Her specialty comprises that class of diseases which the ordinary home doctor fails to cure, such as female diseases, heart diseases, diseases of children and the many special diseases of hidden nature. Her practice is mostly among the plain, hard-practice is mostly among the plain, hard-working people, who are unable to come to her in the city office for treatment; she is reasonable in her charges and very lenient with these who are not able to pay. She is charitable, and it is said has never been known to refuse to treat a patient who is worthy and in need. A number of important cases that we hereby take the liberty to publish, which might be of interest to some who wish to know more of Dr. Caldwell's great work:

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Mrs. E. A. Studer, Wayne, Neb., cured of female and nervous troubles.

Mr. C. T. Muffley, Meadow Grove, Neb., cured of heart trouble and bronchial and nervous troubles.

Mrs. C. Linn Hoskins, Neb., cured of ovarian trouble and bladder trouble.

F. J. Eoh, Abin, Neb., cured of bronchial trouble, enlarged liver and dropsy.

Mrs. Minnie Rudat, Columbus, Neb., cured of skin disease and kidney trouble.

Mrs. D. W. Burr, David City, Neb., cured of skin disease, nervousness and loss of appetite.

Mrs. Chas. Miller, Wayne, Neb., cured of dropsy, kidney and liver troubles and nervousness She had been troubled for years.

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## Rail Road Time Table

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS & OMAHA

**Trains Going East.**

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| No. 13. | Sioux City Passenger, | 7:30 a. m. |
| No. 10. | Black Hills Passenger. | 2:00 p. m. |
| No. 53. | Accomodation, | 3:15 p. m. |
| No. 50. | Bloomfield Passenger, Arr. | 6:40 a. m. |
| No. 58. | Bloomfield Passenger, Arr. | 1:45 p. m |

**Trains Going West.**

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| No. 11. | Sioux City Passenger, | 6:48 p. m. |
| No. 9. | Black Hills Passenger, | 9:55 a. m. |
| No. 86. | Accomodation, Arr. | 5:15 p. m. |
| No. 51. | Bloomfield Passenger, | 10:05 a. m. |
| No. 53. | Bloomfield Passenger. | 6:50 p. m. |

No. 12 connects at Emerson with train for Omaha, at Sioux City with St. Paul and local Iowa trains.

No. 10 connects at Sioux City with all trains, north and east.

No. 52 connects at Emerson with Omaha and Sioux City trains.

No. 11 connects at Norfolk with Black Hills west.

No. 9 connects at Norfolk with Elkhorn east; Verdigre Line and Union Pacific.

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