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## REUNION PROGRAM

OLD SOLDIERS AND SETTLERS WILL HAVE A TWO DAY CELEBRATION NEXT WEEK.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18.

Reception to visiting soldiers and settlers on public square.

10:30 a. m.—Procession from and march from public square to the grounds at North Side school building.

Music.

Prayer.—Rev. Wysoff.

Address of Welcome.—The president, Capt. R. P. McPheeters.

Song.

Response for Soldiers—Capt. Freeland.

Response for Settlers—Eden Jennings.

Dinner.

2:00 p. m.—Music by Drum Corps. Music by Chorus.

Address—Hon. James W. Craig of Mattoon.

Music.

Address—Rev. Boyd McFadden of Tuscola.

Music.

WEDNESDAY EVENING 7:30.

Music by Drum Corps.

Music by Chorus.

Address—John Gaddis.

Music.

Address—E. E. Wright.

Music.

Campfire talks by Commander Hayes and others.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19.

10:00 a. m.—Reception on public square.

10:30 a. m.—Procession forms and marches to grounds.

Music by Drum Corps.

Music by Chorus.

Prayer—Dr. T. J. Wheat.

Music by Chorus.

Address—Hon. F. M. Shonkwiler of Monticello.

Music by Chorus.

Dinner.

2:00 p. m.—Music by Drum Corps. Music by Chorus.

Address—Hon. W. F. Calhoun of Decatur.

Music by Chorus.

Address—Col. Geo. W. Young of Marion, Ill.

THURSDAY EVENING.

7:30—Camp Fire. Speeches, Song and other music.

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CHICAGO LADY'S BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Samuel Miller of Chicago, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Foster, living near Lovington.

Mrs. Miller was taken to a hospital in Chicago several weeks ago where she underwent a critical surgical operation. Her friends are rejoiced at her recovery and delighted to know that she is able to visit with us again. She is expected to spend next week with Sullivan friends.

Tuesday, being her birthday, her mother, Mrs. Foster, invited a number of her relatives and friends to come to her home and assist in commemorating Mrs. Miller's natal day.

Attorney M. A. Mattox and wife and George Sampson and wife were among the guests.

They report a most enjoyable time; the evening being spent socially, and light refreshments served.

The W. C. T. U. gave a reception to the students attending the summer normal Thursday evening. Mrs. Kuhl, a state worker, gave a good lecture and so about, the students of Moultrie county will be benefited by her good sound reasoning. After the lecture refreshments were served.

County court convened Monday and was adjourned until sometime in January next.

## COURT HOUSE NEWS

Probate Court

J. K. Martin, as executor, filed inventory for the estate of J. R. Eden, deceased, which was approved and ordered recorded.

J. W. McIlwain, guardian of Elmer McIlwain and George McIlwain, minor heirs of Effie McIlwain, deceased, filed inventory.

Circuit Court

David Dennis vs. Purina Dennis, divorce. John E. Jennings attorney for complainant.

Mary Ann Turrentine vs. Henry Burges Turrentine, divorce. Ray D. Meeker, attorney for complainant.

John Cox vs. S. P. Stricklan. M. A. Mattox attorney for complainant; J. E. Jennings attorney for defendant.

The Cow-Puncher.

A prominent divine once said that everyone could find a good moral sermon in a worthy play, and advice from the East tell us we can look for a meritorious performance in the "Cowpuncher," which opens a one-night engagement at Titus opera house on Wednesday, August 25th. Hal Reid, who has written more successful plays than any other author, is its sponsor. It is a tale of life in Arizona, and Mr. Reid has cleverly blended the rugged denizen of the plains into a delightful romance. He has taken that which is noblest and best in the man, Tom Lawton, whose only schooling has been the saddle and gun and his innate sense of right and wrong, and developed him into a hero; grand, inspiring, standing a man among men in his simple strength of mind and muscle, and when Geraldine Graham, the heroine, fresh from New York, seeing him for the first time, exclaims, "Nature molded the type and called him American." She sounds the key note of his character. Mr. Reid's play shows his familiarity with his subject, and W. P. Mann, under whose direction "The Cow-Puncher" was produced, deserves a great deal of credit for the magnificent manner in which the play is staged. Nothing overlooked that could lend atmosphere or color to the piece. A most excellent cast has been provided and the manager expresses confidence that the S. R. O. sign will have use during its engagement.

WANTED IN KANSAS.

Sheriff Funston recently received a message from Cherokee county, Kan., to keep a lookout for one, Ed Harding, who was wanted in that county, and it was suspected he had headed for Sullivan, Ill.

Sheriff Funston soon located the man near Kirksville, Ill., where he was visiting relatives.

The prisoner is in the county jail awaiting the sheriff of Kansas.

SHIELDS TO FIGHT LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

Rev. Parker Shields, Superintendent of the Mattoon district Methodist Episcopal church, has been elected a member of the Anti-Saloon League of Illinois for two years.

This places the right man in the right place. Rev. Shields is without a peer in the temperance work in this part of the state.

OLD FIDDLERS

All old fiddlers are especially invited by the Old Soldiers to be present, with their fiddles, at the Camp fire to be held Wednesday evening, August 18th, at the north side school grounds.

Report to F. M. Waggoner.

Several Loads of Gypals

Several wagons loaded with gypals passed through Sullivan Wednesday. Dirty, ragged, filthy and sunburned, they made their rounds tell-tales, etc. Why allow them on streets? A good source for scattering disease and vermin.

The Board of Review mailed one hundred and ten notices to parties in Lovington township, that complaint had been made against for not being assessed. One hundred of them were assessed by the Board of Review. Of the other ten, some had moved from the township and others were dependent on the county for support. The board got the work completed to the assessor's books Thursday.

## AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

The Moultrie county fair and races will be held September 21 to 24 this year. The fair association is offering a good line of premiums for all kinds of exhibits. The premium lists will be ready for distribution in a few days. Arrangements have been made for some free attractions consisting of balloon ascensions and the Zuaave drill work which will be done by Ewing's Juvenile band. This is a musical organization, made up of boys from 10 to 15 years of age, and is a very high-class musical organization. They appeared at the LeRoy fair last week and we are informed that they made a great hit with the people of LeRoy.

The speed programme for the fair this year will be the best ever given in Moultrie county. The association is offering one stake race for 2:25 pacers in which the purse is \$1000. Twenty-nine horses have already been named for this race. Eight entries have already been made for the three-year-old pacing stake for \$500. In addition to these races there will be a free-for-all pacing race and a free-for-all trotting race in which the purse for each race will be \$200. There are five other races in which the purse in each race is \$300. The members of the association confidently expect to see some of the fastest racing at the fair this fall ever witnessed in Moultrie county. The way in which the stake races were patronized is an indication that there will be a large field of harness horses here.

The running horses have not been overlooked, as there will be a half mile and repeat, a three quarters of a mile dash and a mile novelty running race.

Every person interested in seeing a first-class fair should commence now to get ready to make some exhibit at the fair. The price of admission this year will be thirty-five cents for a single admission. Season tickets may be obtained for the old price of \$1. Nearly every other fair in central Illinois is charging 50 cents at the gate for a single admission this year. The officers of the association feel that they can probably hold a successful fair by making their charges as above stated; 35 cents for a single admission or \$1 for a season ticket.

REUNION OF BACHELOR GIRLS.

The Bachelor Girls held a reunion Tuesday at the home of Mrs. C. Fred Whitfield. Most all the members, active and honorary, were present.

An out of town guest and not a member, was Miss Hunt of Indianapolis, a guest of Miss Cora Gauger.

They spent the day with Mrs. Whitfield, taking dinner and supper at her home. The meeting was for Mrs. Roy Seright, who leaves Sullivan Friday for her new home in Rockton, Ill. In the evening the company attended the Harrington show.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

Dr. Paul Wakenfield of China, with his assistant, will deliver a lecture showing the conditions and needs of the Empire, (illustrated by moving pictures) at the Christian church Friday evening, Aug. 20th.

We cordially invite all of the friends to hear him. Admission free to everybody.

Dodged

"Please, mum, can yer help out a poor feller w'at aint been able t' git no work an' is pretty nigh almost starved t' death he's so hungry?" "Indeed I can!" exclaimed Mrs. Busyman. "I have a lawn to mow."

The Alaska-Yukon Pacific exposition at Seattle is drawing well. In the first forty-two days the attendance was 1,015,272. It required sixty-five days for the Portland exposition attendance to pass the million mark and almost three months for the Jamestown fair to do as well. Some of the Seattle hotels are said to be literally robbing their guests, with exorbitant rates, but on the whole the progressive western city seems to be proving quite hospitable.

CHILDREN'S HOME REPORT.

Since April first 40 boys have been in the Middlesworth home for care. Of this number 19 have been placed in other homes. On August 3 we had 21 in our family, all bright energetic boys who would grace any home. Will some friends who know not the pleasure of children in their homes open their hearts and receive these little ones? The outing given by the Christian Sunday school will ever be a memorable event in the lives of these boys. On May 14th, through the kindness of Dr. Thompson and Miss Maude Middlesworth, the little ones enjoyed the exhibition of Golmar Bros.' circus. The boys deeply appreciate all these efforts for their sake. The collection by the Christian Sunday school was very thankfully received and the money will be used for the benefit of the Home. We appeal to you, kind friends, to help us out in fitting the boys with clothing so that they may attend school which opens soon. Clothing of all sizes for boys, shoes, hose, caps, and, in fact, everything suitable for their wearing apparel.

The following donations have been received since April 1st: Friends, shoes and hose; Mrs. Moulton, rhubarb; Mrs. Williams, 2 1/2 gallons of blackberries; Friend, boiled ham; J. N. Ballard, dozen caps; subscription to Daily Union; subscription to Democrat; Friends in Chicago, night dresses and waists; Mrs. Park, clothing; Friend, magazines and papers; Mrs. Haulman, lettuce; Christian S. S., \$3.85 cash; Mrs. Ella Gilliland, cut flowers.

Very respectfully,  
ORA MCGLASSEN,  
Matron.

Suit Before Enterline.

Mrs. Louisa Gustin was tried in Enterline's court Monday for obstructing the highway. The defendant claims a piece of land in the western part of the city which has been used for a public street for years. Some months ago Mrs. Gustin, to establish her claim, built a fence across the street. The mayor ordered the obstruction moved and the suit followed. The defendant was fined \$5.00 and costs and ordered to be confined in the county jail until the fine was paid. The case was appealed.

Z. B. Waggoner was attorney for the complainants. The city attorney, J. E. Jennings, was on the prosecution.

INSTITUTE CLASS.

The teachers' institute which has been in session for four weeks in the high school building, under the direction of County Superintendent Hoke and the Teachers' Organization closed Friday with the examination. There has been a splendid corps of teachers and a good attendance of teachers.

The work of both instructors and teachers was thorough, and will bear fruit in great efficiency in the school-rooms of the county.

Automobile Accident

Thursday noon as Walter Wright was going home to dinner he signaled to Ray Jenkins for a ride in his automobile and undertook to jump on while it was going at a pretty good speed. His foot slipped and he fell under the machine, the hind wheel sliding along on the leg bruised it up badly making bad flesh wounds. The injury was so serious that a doctor was called.

BOTH ARMS BROKEN

Frank Edwards and family attended a birthday dinner given to his brother, Joseph Edwards, living near Shanghai hill in Whitley township, Sunday of last week. One of his daughters, Miss Clara, fell from a rope, swinging over a bluff, falling about forty feet. Both arms were broken, both wrists fractured and she received a bad bruise over one eye.

Express Wagons

The boy's express wagons are a big nuisance on the side walks. In the last few days sick people have been very much annoyed by children playing with them on the sidewalks. Playing with them on the sidewalks should be prohibited.

Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell has gone to Chicago to spend a month with her sons, Alpha and Austin.

Mrs. S. W. Johnson and nephew, Joseph, are visiting relatives in Kentucky.

## CHURCH SERVICES.

PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. A. T. Cory, Pastor.  
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, subject, "God's Prisoner."  
7:00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.  
8:00 p. m. subject, "Jesus Saves." A cordial invitation and short sermons.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Dr. T. J. Wheat, Pastor.  
9:30 a. m., Sunday School.  
10:45 a. m., Sermon by Rev. James Bicknell.  
2:30 p. m. Junior League.  
7:15 p. m. Intermediate League.  
7:45 p. m., Sermon by Rev. James Bicknell.  
Good singing, good preaching. You are invited to worship with us.

CHRISTIAN

J. W. Walters, Minister.  
9:30 a. m. Bible School.  
10:45 a. m., Sermon, "The Ministration of Angels."  
2:30 Junior Endeavor.  
6:45 p. m. Senior Endeavor. Leader, Fred Ziese.  
7:45 p. m. Sermon, "The Bible Rightly Divided and Interpreted." (Illustrated with chart.)

Perhaps

Colonel Boodlerpest is something of a billiard player; also something of a partisan republican.

"To be sure we promised to revise the tariff downward, and we fully intended to do so. But unfortunately the bill took the severe English from the senate cushion."

With this explanation the colonel seems content. At any rate he is a revision downward republican, and supporting the party.

Fortunate

After pondering over the matter for some time Uncle Jeems spat very thoughtfully at a June bug and then remarked:

"Well, all I got t' say is that I'm mighty glad little Rhode Island's influence in tariff makin' matters ain't as big in proportion as it might be if she was as big as Texas."

Liberal

"Please, sir," whined Gobson Mucce, "could you give a poor feller a little somethin' t' help him—"

"Sure thing, old man" exclaimed Dustin Pyles. "I'll give you a cake of soap and directions how to reach the creek."

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# SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

### Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

#### PERSONAL.

Judge Joseph R. Clarkson of Kenosha, Wis., who disappeared July 14, was found working in a pearl button factory in Sabula, Ia.

President Taft arrived at Beverly, Minn., where the "summer White House" is to be located until September 15, when he starts on a trip of 13,000 miles through the country.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, her sister, Miss Carrow, and her daughter, Miss Ethel, and son, Archie, are now visiting in Paris.

It is believed that Whitelaw Reid will remain an ambassador to Great Britain for a year at least.

Lord Kitchener has been appointed inspector general of the English Mediterranean forces with rank of field marshal.

The International Typographical union met in annual convention at St. Joseph, Mo., with President John M. Lynch in the chair.

Alton B. Parker, candidate for the presidency in 1904, said the new tariff law does not keep the pledges of the Republican party.

Capt. Rowland V. Webster, who was appointed by the Royal Geographical society to lead an expedition in search of the south pole, left Los Angeles, Cal., for New York, whence he will embark for London to prepare for the antarctic trip, to begin next August.

Dr. Carlos F. MacDonald, a noted alienist, testified that Harry Thaw is insane and a dangerous man to be at large.

James A. Flaherty of Philadelphia was elected supreme knight of the Knights of Columbia at Mobile, Ala. M. H. Carmody of Grand Rapids, Mich., was elected deputy supreme knight.

Mark Twain has been ordered by his doctor to cut down his smoking to four smokes a day. He is suffering from "tobacco heart."

Charles H. Moyer was unanimously re-elected president of the Western Federation of Miners at Denver.

Emperor William has returned to Swinmunde, Germany, on the imperial yacht Hohenzollern from his regular summer cruise in northern waters.

H. Clay Pierce, an oil magnate of St. Louis, and Mrs. Virginia Prickett Burrows of Edwardsville, Ill., were married in London.

William Dean Howells, the author, is reported ill at his summer home at Elliot, Me. He will sail for Carlsbad next week with his daughter.

Caleb Powers, recently pardoned after a long term in a Kentucky prison for alleged complicity in the murder of Gov. Goebel, is said to be a candidate for congress in the Eleventh Kentucky district. It is also said he will soon wed Miss Eleanor Robson of York, Pa.

#### GENERAL NEWS.

"I'm sure that I'll be free," said Harry Thaw as his hearing to test his sanity came to a close before Justice Mills.

Thirty thousand men at Barcelona have prepared to carry on a guerrilla warfare against Spain and use bombs as weapons, unless certain prisoners are released.

The officials of the Pressed Steel Car Company at McKees Rocks, Pa., will ignore the demands of the 3,500 strikers and further trouble is feared there.

A St. Bernard dog saved the lives of a woman and three children when the husband and father in committing suicide with gas filled their house in New York with the deadly fumes.

Justice Samuel Doty and Constable Oscar Welty of Kokomo, Ind., had a desperate fight, the justice using his official seal with which to batter the officer's head while Welty pounded the court's cranium with a revolver.

Circuit Judge John T. Debolt of Honolulu received a letter threatening him with death if the Japanese on trial for rioting in connection with the plantation strike are convicted.

Cather Ahern of Laurel Hill, L. I., awoke to find a dream that her father had killed her mother with an ax was true.

A report from Barcelona, Spain, said the city was quiet after its bloody battle and people were returning to work.

The Democrats of Pennsylvania in a harmonious convention nominated candidates for the supreme court, state treasurer and auditor general.

Rosalie Neff, eight years old, was kidnapped from her home in Sharon, Pa., where the Boyles were tried for abducting Willie Whittle. The police say an older sister stole the child.

A report from Salzburg, Austria, said the health of Edward H. Harriman was improving.

John Dugan, when chased by a posse after killing John Jagers, near Danville, Ill., committed suicide.

Several thousand Illinoisans celebrated Illinois day at the Alaska-Yukon exposition.

Frank Nicolai, assistant cashier of the City National bank, Auburn, Ind., is missing and the bank's books show a shortage of \$5,000 in cash.

Following the finding of a four-month-old dead baby with its skull crushed, James Pullman and May Williams of Mount Carmel, Ill., were arrested. It is charged that the man jumped off a train with the infant after an attempt to have it adopted in East St. Louis.

Alaska is being inspected by Norwegian experts with a view to a settlement of Norwegians in that district.

Higher diamond prices are shown in figures from southwest Africa. Americans, being more prosperous, are said to be willing to pay the advance.

The Payne tariff bill was passed by the senate by a vote of 47 to 31, President Taft signed the measure and the extraordinary session of congress, which began March 15, was adjourned.

The great National Irrigation congress opened at Seattle, Wash., with about 4,000 accredited delegates present besides thousands of others who are interested in the reclamation of desert lands. Among those in attendance are men from England, Germany, France, the Latin republics, China and Japan.

Prominent churchmen and laymen from all parts of the country gathered in Pittsburgh, Pa., where the American Federation of Catholic Societies began its yearly convention.

Street car employes of Chicago by a large majority voted to strike unless the companies grant their demands for higher wages.

One man was killed and 60 hurt in a collision of a Pennsylvania railroad train and a car on the East Chicago and Whiting electric line at One Hundred and Fourth street and Indianapolis avenue, Chicago.

Abram C. Eby, mayor of Burkeville, Va., was arrested on a charge of threatening to dynamite property of the Pennsylvania railroad unless paid \$45,000.

A letter written by Stanford White to Mae McKensie, an actress, was used by the defense in the effort to have Harry Thaw, slayer of the architect, released from the insane asylum.

Robert Pohl, the thief, and Edward Larken, one of a posse, were killed and four others wounded following a bold robbery in the State bank of White Bear, Minn.

The second appeal in the famous Snell will case was filed in the Illinois supreme court.

Joseph Henster killed his wife with a razor and then ended his own life at Houghton, Mich.

John W. Cravens, a banker of Spring Lake, Ia., and his wife were killed when a trolley car struck their auto at Alexandria, Ind.

The steamships Umbrisa and Etruria of the Cunard line are for sale, because their engines are regarded as out of date and burn too much coal. The vessels were Atlantic record-breakers about twenty years ago, being the first ships to cut the ocean trip to about six days.

French and American capital will establish a \$50,000,000 steel plant in the City of Mexico within 12 months.

An earthquake has been reported from Brest, France, and the vicinity of that city. A number of buildings were rocked by the quake, and the people thrown into a state of panic.

Three trunks shipped by members of the "Black Hand," who stole two children in St. Louis, were traced to Chicago, but the bodies of the victims were not in them as had been feared.

Several persons were hurt at Battle Creek, Mich., when a storm blew down a circus tent and caused a panic as the animals set up a roar.

King Gustave of Sweden summoned members of parliament to Stockholm when the country was threatened with civil war as a result of a strike involving 250,000 persons.

For the first time in 15 years a murderer was beheaded in public in Paris, a large crowd witnessing the fall of the knife.

Laws governing Sunday closing, which have been in effect in Connecticut since 1722, were repealed by the state legislature.

The Alabama house passed a resolution for election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

The deposed shah of Persia has been offered a pension of \$75,000 a year if he will reveal the hiding place of the crown jewels and leave the country.

The strike of Italian quarrymen at Marblehead, Wis., came to an end after the Italian consul at Milwaukee had addressed the men and urged them to return to work.

Vessels of the United States navy in all parts of the world observed the one hundred and nineteenth anniversary of the navy organization on August 4.

While searching for Will Hendrix, an escaped murderer under life sentence, James Russell and Joseph Boren, deputy sheriffs of Oklahoma City, shot and wounded each other in the darkness by mistake.

Complaints by western senators that there is a "joker" in the leather schedule of the tariff bill caused delay in action on the measure by the senate.

Spies who were sent up in a balloon by the commander of the Spanish forces in Morocco watched thousands of tribesmen as they prepared for a great battle with the king's troops.

Calhoun Harris, secretary of the Orr cotton mills at Anderson, S. C., and prominent socially, was arrested when experts said his books showed a shortage of \$50,000.

## VETERANS MARCH IN GREAT REVIEW

### PARADE OF THE GRAND ARMY IN SALT LAKE CITY

### CLIMAX OF ENCAMPMENT

#### Old Soldiers Are Greeted with Cheers and Tears—Gathering in the Utah Capital Well Managed.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Aug. 11.—Forty-four departments of the Grand Army of the Republic, escorted by the Fifteenth United States infantry and the National Guard of Utah and followed by the Naval Veterans, the Ex-Union Prisoners of War, the Army Nurses in carriages, the Sons of Veterans and the women's organizations



Commander-in-Chief Nevius.

allied to the Grand Army, marched to-day in the parade that was the culminating feature of the forty-third national encampment. Many military bands and fife and drum corps made the music to which the old warriors kept step. The procession formed at Eagle Gate, which is one of Salt Lake City's many picturesque features.

At the word of command the parade marched west on Main street and turned south down that thoroughfare, proceeding seven blocks between solid walls of cheering men, women and children. As the grizzled veterans passed the enthusiasm was tremendous and many a spectator wept unashamed as he realized that this was undoubtedly the last grand review for scores of the feeble heroes who trudged along with eyes on the flag for which they had given some of the best years of their lives.

When Seventh South street was reached the paraders themselves broke out in mighty cheering, for there they turned in front of the most beautiful feature of the day, the "Liv-

ing Flag." On an immense stand were 2,600 children dressed in the national colors and so arranged that they made a perfect representation of a waving American flag.

The little ones had been drilled for many weeks, and while the old soldiers passed they sang patriotic airs.

Reviewed by Notables.

Countermarching, the parade now moved north on Main street back to South Temple street. Here, just to the left of the Brigham Young pioneer monument and close to Temple square, the reviewing stand had been erected. It was occupied by Commander-in-Chief Henry M. Nevius, Gov. William Spry of Utah, the chief executive of other states and a large number of other officials and distinguished guests.

The parading bodies all passed in review, saluting those in the stand, and at once disbanded. All the bands as they arrived here were massed close to the stand and as the culmination of the parade, 4,000 school children marched by, the united bands

of hats and handkerchiefs. As soon as the tumult had subsided, Commander Nevius delivered a graceful response to the welcoming speeches and took the chair.

Then came the turn of the allied organizations and greetings to the veterans were uttered by President Genevieve Hagar Longfield Lane of the Ladies of the G. A. R., President Mary E. Gilman of the Woman's Relief Corps, President Clara E. Hoover of the Daughters of Veterans, Commander-in-Chief Edgar Allen of the Sons of Veterans, and President Rebecca Smith of the Army Nurses. The speechmaking was varied by the playing of patriotic airs by a band.

The exercises were brought to a close by the presentation of a handsome testimonial to Charles G. Burton, past commander-in-chief of the Grand Army.

The last three days of the encampment are, as usual, given up mainly to business sessions of the various organizations and election of officers.

playing and the children singing "Godward, Christian Soldiers."

The great review was excellently managed in every way. All along the line of march were scattered ambulances, trained nurses and numerous other attendants to care for any of the veterans who might be overcome by fatigue and for spectators who suffered in the crush on the sidewalks. Fortunately, their services were seldom needed.

Fire Pyrotechnic Display.

After a good rest, the city's guests all turned out again this evening and witnessed the magnificent display of fireworks on the top of Ensign peak. This peak lies immediately north of the city and is the highest point of the Wasatch mountains, rising 1,200 feet higher than Temple square. The pyrotechnic display is a mighty feature of the encampment week.

Salt Lake City has thrown open her arms to the old soldiers, and never has the Grand Army been more enthusiastically received or more generously entertained than at this encampment. Many thousands of the veterans and their families and members of all the organizations allied to the Grand Army have participated in the exercises and entertainments, and are unanimous in their praise of the treatment they have received.

Well Managed Encampment.

The old soldiers have been very carefully looked after by the local committee on public comfort and private accommodations, and at the 24 information bureaus at the various railway stations and convenient places about the city. During the entire time of the encampment these committees have had the services of 300 high school cadets, whose duties have been to render every possible assistance to the visitors.

Henry M. Nevius, the commander-in-chief, arrived here Saturday with his staff and inspected the arrangements. On Sunday the city's guests began arriving by the thousand, and on Monday they came in so fast that the committee had to work like sailors to get them all housed in such a manner as to avoid congestion in any part of the city.

Big "Greetings" Meeting.

Monday evening came the first public event on the program—a great camp-fire in the assembly hall in the Temple grounds. All that night and throughout Tuesday the stream of arrivals continued, but by Tuesday evening practically all the visitors had been received and distributed. That night the greatest function of the encampment took place. This was the "Greetings" meeting in the Mormon Tabernacle. The immense building easily seats 10,000 persons, and it was filled to its capacity.

Col. Frank M. Starrett, the executive director of the encampment, called the vast assemblage to order and introduced William H. King of Salt Lake City, who acted as temporary chairman. He made a brief address and was followed by Gov. William Spry of Utah, Mayor John S. Bradford of Salt Lake City, and L. H. Smythe, commander of the department of Utah, all of whom told in eloquent words how proud they were to welcome to the state and city the Grand Army and their friends.

Mr. King then introduced Commander-in-Chief Nevius, who was received with wild cheering and the waving

of hats and handkerchiefs. As soon as the tumult had subsided, Commander Nevius delivered a graceful response to the welcoming speeches and took the chair.

Then came the turn of the allied organizations and greetings to the veterans were uttered by President Genevieve Hagar Longfield Lane of the Ladies of the G. A. R., President Mary E. Gilman of the Woman's Relief Corps, President Clara E. Hoover of the Daughters of Veterans, Commander-in-Chief Edgar Allen of the Sons of Veterans, and President Rebecca Smith of the Army Nurses. The speechmaking was varied by the playing of patriotic airs by a band.

The exercises were brought to a close by the presentation of a handsome testimonial to Charles G. Burton, past commander-in-chief of the Grand Army.

The last three days of the encampment are, as usual, given up mainly to business sessions of the various organizations and election of officers.

## ILLINOIS BREVITIES

Lemont.—With one man dead and three others seriously injured, Coroner Peter Hoffman and the Chicago police began an investigation of the head-on collision of two freight trains in front of the Santa Fe railroad station in Lemont. George Winegar, 27 years old, fireman on regular train 47, was crushed to death between the engine and tender. Peter Ast, engineer of special train 591; J. Clark, fireman of special train, and Peter Simon, engineer of the regular train, were badly injured.

Bloomington.—Mrs. Nancy O. Smith, mother of William Hawley Smith, the noted author and reader, died at Normal, aged 87. Her husband founded the famous Yankee colony near Pann in 1854.

Sterling.—John Bitters, well-to-do farmer, was killed by a horse kicking him in the head. He left a very large family.

Belvidere.—Isaac C. Wolfe of Paducah, Ky., was killed by an automobile on the highway near Belvidere. The machine was driven by F. A. Nott and his son C. A. Nott of Byron, who were on their way to the Algonquin hill-climbing contest. Wolfe, who was 70 years old, was a union veteran of the civil war and a prominent Mason.

Troy.—Rev. Thomas F. Marshall, pastor of Trinity Presbyterian church in Avondale, O., and former Troy pastor, accepted an offer of the presidency of the Oswego college for young ladies, Oswego, Kan. Rev. Mr. Marshall is a graduate of Lake Forest college, Illinois, and his former home was in Troy.

Alto Pass.—At the reunion of the Rendleman family of southern Illinois there were more than 400 members of the family present, and they voted to erect a handsome shaft in Casper cemetery to their ancestor, Jacob Rendleman, who came to Illinois from Virginia in 1817.

Alton.—William Hendricks, a tourist from Alton, owes his life to the heroism of Miss Ethel Martin, a young woman who saw Hendricks in distress and swam to his rescue at Long Beach, Cal. Unaided she brought him through the surf to shore.

Joliet.—George Jessemer Cowing, aged 17 years, son of County Judge G. J. Cowing, was drowned while bathing in the DuPage river at William Martin's farm. The boy, with his parents and friends, went to the place to have a short outing.

Taylorville.—The board of education has levied a tax of \$15,000 for school purposes for the ensuing year. They also elected Miss Hattie Knudson a teacher in the West school to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Clower.

Joliet.—While standing on the dam and watching the soldiers in the DuPage river at Electric park, Chester Whittle, a well-known citizen of Plainfield, lost his footing and fell upon the rocks, breaking his hip.

Charlestown.—Entangled in the lines after being thrown from a buggy in which she was riding with a companion, Miss Edna Brown was dragged 50 feet by the running horse and received wounds of a serious nature.

Piasa.—In an effort to recover a paddle which had slipped from his grasp as he was rowing in the river, Thomas Webster of St. Louis lost his balance, fell into the river and had a narrow escape from drowning.

Newton.—Ambrose Ochs, a farmer, aged 35 years, was killed by a bolt of lightning which struck the barn where he was seeking shelter from the storm, killed four valuable farm horses and completely destroyed the barn.

Carro.—Because of the great number of mosquitoes in the vicinity of the public square, due to recent damp weather, the city board of health will hold a special meeting to determine means of exterminating them.

Mount Carmel.—Switching his tail to scare flies off his back, a horse belonging to Elijah Spurling caught its tail in a threshing machine, the tail being torn off and the machine put out of commission.

Quincy.—After a litigation lasting over five years, the old Tremont hotel has been sold by order of the courts to A. Urban Sons Company, the consideration being \$33,400.

Westfield.—Falling through rotten boards on the top of a threshing machine, Thomas Melton of Rich Woods had his right foot torn to shreds and amputation was necessary.

Roscoe.—From the effects of eating green apples which were procured in an unexplained manner, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kahler, living north of here, is dead.

Centralia.—Mental derangement caused by intense heat is given as the motive for Robert Cottman cutting his throat with a razor and ending his life.

Rockford.—Mrs. Gertrude E. Staplin died at her home here, aged 61. She was a great-granddaughter of Gen. Joseph Warren, killed at Bunker Hill.

Waverly.—The Christian church at Waverly is preparing to celebrate the centennial of the Christian church movement, and a very elaborate program is being prepared, consisting of some of the best talent in the state both inside and outside of the church brotherhood.

Ursa.—Mrs. Daniels, wife of Rev. Charles Daniels of the Christian church, met with a painful accident while at her home. She was using a gasoline stove and a skillet of grease caught fire and in removing it she spilled the grease on one of her hands.

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# INTO THE PRIMITIVE

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## CHAPTER I. Wave-Tossed and Castaway.

THE beginning was at Cape Town, when Blake and Winthrop boarded the steamer as fellow passengers with Lady Bayrose and her party.

This was a week after Winthrop had arrived on the tramp steamer from India, and her ladyship had explained to Miss Leslie that it was as well for her not to be too hasty in accepting his attentions. To be sure, he was an Englishman, his dress and manners were irreproachable, and he was in the prime of ripened youth. Yet Lady Bayrose was too conscientious a chaperon to be fully satisfied with her countryman's bare assertion that he was engaged on a diplomatic mission requiring reticence regarding his identity. She did not see why this should prevent him from confiding in her.

Notwithstanding this, Winthrop came aboard ship virtually as a member of her ladyship's party. He was so quick, so thoughtful of her comfort, and paid so much more attention to her than to Miss Leslie, that her ladyship had decided to tolerate him, even before Blake became a factor in the situation.

From the moment he crossed the gangway the American engineer entered upon a daily routine of drinking and gambling, varied only by attempts to strike up an off-hand acquaintance with Miss Leslie. This was Winthrop's opportunity, and his clever frustration of what Lady Bayrose termed "that low bounder's impudence" served to install him in the good graces of her ladyship as well as in the favor of the American heiress.

Such, at least, was what Winthrop intimated to the persistent engineer with a superciliousness of tone and manner that would have stung even a British lackey to resentment. To Blake it was supremely galling. He could not refrain in kind, and the slightest attempt at physical retort would have meant irons and confinement. It was a British ship. Behind Winthrop was Lady Bayrose; behind her ladyship, as a matter of course, was all the despotic authority of the captain. In the circumstances, it was not surprising that the American drank heavier after each successive goading.

Meantime the ship, having touched at Port Natal, steamed on up the east coast, into the Mozambique channel.

On the day of the cyclone, Blake had withdrawn into his stateroom with a number of bottles, and throughout that fearful afternoon was blissfully unconscious of the danger. Even when the steamer went on the reef, he was only partially roused by the shock.

He took a long pull from a quart flask of whisky, placed the flask with great care in his hip pocket, and lurched out through the open doorway. There he reeled headlong against the mate, who had rushed below with three of the crew to bring up Miss Leslie. The mate cursed him virulently, and in the same breath ordered two of the men to fetch him up on deck.

The sea was breaking over the steamer in torrents; but between waves Blake was dragged across to the side and flung over into the bottom of the one remaining boat. He served as a cushion to break the fall of Miss Leslie, who was tossed in after him. At the same time, Winthrop, frantic with fear, scrambled into the bows and out loose. One of the sailors leaped, but fell short and went down within arm's length of Miss Leslie.

She and Winthrop saw the steamer slip from the reef and sink back into deep water, carrying down in the vortex the mate and the few remaining sailors. After that all was chaos to them. They were driven ashore before the terrific gusts of the cyclone, blinded by the stinging spindrift to all else but the hell of breakers and coral reefs in whose midst they awirled so dizzily. And through it all Blake lay huddled on the bottom boards gurgling blithely of spicy zephyrs and swaying hammocks.

There came the seemingly final moment when the boat went spinning stern over prow.

Half-sobered, Blake opened his eyes and stared solemnly about him. He was given little time to take his bearings. A smother of broken surf came seething up from one of the great breakers, to roll him over and scrape him a little farther up the muddy shore. There the flood deposited him for a moment, until it could gather force to sweep back and drag him down again toward the roaring sea that had cast him up.

Blake objected—not to the danger of being drowned, but to interference with his repose. He had reached the obstinate stage. He grunted a protest. Again the flood seethed up the shore, and rolled him away from the danger. "This was too much!" he set his jaw,



Sleeping the Sleep of the Just and the Drunkard.

turned over, and staggered to his feet. Instantly one of the terrific wind-blasts struck his broad back and sent him spinning for yards. He brought up in a shallow pool, beside a hummock.

Under the lee of the knoll lay Winthrop and Miss Leslie. Though conscious, both were dragged and bruised and beaten to exhaustion. They were together because they had come ashore together. When the boat capsized, Miss Leslie had been flung against the Englishman, and they had held fast to each other with the desperate clutch of drowning persons. Neither of them ever recalled how they gained the shelter of the hummock.

Blake, sitting waist-deep in the pool, blinked at them benignly with his pale blue eyes, and produced the quart flask, still a third full of whisky. "I shay, fren's," he observed, "ha' one on me. Woa' coo' you shent—notta re' shent!"

"You fuddled lout!" shouted Winthrop. "Come out of that pool."

"Wassama'er pool? Pool's ahr!"

The Englishman squinted through the driving sand at the intoxicated man with an anxious frown. In all probability he felt no commiseration for the American; but it was no light matter to be flung up bareheaded on the most unhealthy and savage stretch of the Mozambique coast, and Blake might be able to help them out of their predicament. To leave him in the pool was therefore not to be thought of. So soon as he had drained his bottle, he would lie down, and that would be the end of him. As any attempt to move him forcibly was out of the question, the situation demanded that Winthrop justify his intimations of diplomatic training. After considering the problem for several minutes, he met it in a way that proved he was at least not lacking in shrewdness and tact.

"See here, Blake," he called, in another lull between the shrieking gusts, "the lady is fatigued. You're too much of a gentleman to ask her to come over there."

It required some moments for this to penetrate Blake's fuddled brain. After a futile attempt to gain his feet, he crawled out of the pool on all fours, and, with tears in his eyes, pressed his flask upon Miss Leslie. She shrank away from him, shuddering, and drew herself up in a huddle of flaccid limbs and limp garments. Winthrop, however, not only accepted the flask, but came near to draining it.

Blake squinted at the diminished contents, hesitated, and cast a glance of maudlin gallantry at Miss Leslie. She lay coiled, closer than before, in a draggled heap. Her posture suggested sleep. Blake stared at her, the flask extended waveringly before him. Then he brought it to his lips, and drained out the last drop.

"Time turn in," he mumbled, and sprawled full length in the brackish ooze. Immediately he fell into a drunken stupor.

Winthrop, invigorated by the liquor, rose to his knees, and peered around. It was impossible to face the sea and spindrift from the furious sea; but to leeward he caught a glimpse of a marsh flooded with salt water, its

reedy vegetation beaten flat by the storm. He himself was beaten-down by a terrific gust. Panting and trembling, he waited for the wind to lull, in hope that he might obtain a clearer view of his surroundings. Before he again dared rise to his feet, darkness swept down with tropical suddenness and blurred out everything.

The effect of the whisky soon passed, and Winthrop huddled between his companions, drenched and exhausted. Though he could hear Miss Leslie moaning, he was too miserable himself to inquire whether he could do anything for her.

Presently he became aware that the wind was falling. The center of the cyclone had passed before the ship struck, and they were now in the outermost circle of the vast whirlwind. With the consciousness of this change for the better, Winthrop's fear-racked nerves relaxed and he fell into a heavy sleep.

## CHAPTER II.

### Worse Than Wilderness.

A WAIL from Miss Leslie roused the Englishman out of a dream in which he had been swimming for life across a sea of boiling oil. He sat up and gazed about him, half-dazed. The cyclone had been followed by a dead calm, and the sun, already well above the horizon, was blazing upon them over the glassy surfaces of the dying swells with fierce heat.

Winthrop felt about for his hat. It had been blown off when, at the striking of the steamer, he had rushed up on deck. As he remembered, he straightened, and looked at his companions. Blake lay snoring where he had first outstretched himself, sleeping the sleep of the just—and of the drunkard. The girl, however, was already awake. She sat with her hands clasped in her lap, while the tears rolled slowly down her cheeks.

"My—ah—dear Miss Genevieve, what is the matter?" exclaimed Winthrop.

"Matter? Do you ask, when we are here on this wretched coast, and may not get away for weeks? Oh, I did so count on the London season this year! Lady Bayrose promised that I should be among those presented."

"Well, I—ah—fancy, Lady Bayrose will do no more presenting—unless it may be to the heavenly choir, you know."

"Why, what do you mean, Mr. Winthrop? You told me that she and the maids had been put in the largest boat."

"My dear Miss Genevieve, you must remember that I am a diplomat. It was all quite sufficiently harrowing, I assure you. They were, indeed, put into the largest boat—Benny's middle!—While they waited for the mate to fetch you, the boat was crushed alongside, and all in it drowned."

for us to start off for India, when we might have sailed straight to England! Oh, it is horrible! horrible! And my maid, and all—it cannot be possible!"

"Fray, do not excite yourself, my dear Miss Genevieve. Their troubles are all over. Er—Gawd has taken them to Him, you know."

"But the pity of it! To be drowned—so far from home!"

"Ah, if that's all you're worrying about—I must say I'd like to know how we'll get a snack for breakfast. I'm hungry as a—er—groom."

"Eating! How can you think of eating, Mr. Winthrop—and all the others drowned? This sun is becoming dreadfully hot. It is unbearable! Can you not put up some kind of an awning?"

"Well, now, I must say, I was never much of a hand at such things, and really I can't imagine what one could rig up. There might have been a bit of sail in the boat, but one can't see a sign of it. I fancy it was smashed."

Miss Leslie ventured a glance at Blake. Though still lying as he had sprawled in his drunkenness, there was a comforting suggestion of power in his broad shoulders and square jaw.

"Is he still—in that condition?"

"Must have slept it off by this time, and there's no more in the flask," answered Winthrop. Reaching over with his foot, he pushed against Blake's back.

"Huh! All right," grunted the sleeper, and sat up, as had Winthrop, half-dazed. Then he stared around him, and rose to his feet. "Well, what in hell! Say, this is damn cheerful!"

"I fancy we are in a nasty fix. But I say, my man, there is a woman present, and your language, you know—"

Blake turned and fixed the Englishman with a cold stare.

"Look here, you bloomin' lud," he said, "there's just one thing you're going to understand, right here and now. I'm not your man, and we're not going to have any of that kind of blatter. Any fool can see we're in a tight hole, and we're like to keep company for a while—probably long as we last."

"What—ah—may I ask, do you mean by that?"

Blake laughed harshly, and pointed from the reef-strewn sea to the vast stretches of desolate marsh. Far inland, across miles of brackish lagoons and reedy mud-flats, could be seen groups of scrubby, half-leafless trees; ten or twelve miles to the southward a rocky headland jutted out into the water; otherwise there was nothing in sight but sea and swamp. If it could not properly be termed a sea-view, it was at least a very wet landscape.

"Fine prospect," remarked Blake, dryly. "We'll be in luck if the fever don't get the last of us inside a month; and as for you two, you'd have as much show of lasting a month as a toad with a rattlesnake, if it wasn't for Tom Blake—that's my name—Tom Blake—and as long as this shindy lasts, you're welcome to call me Tom or Blake, whichever suits. But understand, we're not going to have any more of your bloody, bloomin' English condescension. Aboard ship you had the drop on me, and could pile on dog till the cows came home. Here I'm Blake and you're Winthrop."

"Believe me, Mr. Blake, I quite appreciate the—ah—situation. And now, I fancy that, instead of wasting time—"

"It's about time you introduced me to the lady," interrupted Blake, and he stared at them half-defiantly, yet with a twinkle in his eyes.

Miss Leslie flushed. Winthrop swore softly, and bit his lip. Aboard ship, backed by Lady Bayrose and the captain, he had goaded the American at pleasure. Now, however, the situation was reversed. Both title and authority had been swept away by the storm, and he was left to shift for himself against the man who had every reason to hate him for his overbearing insolence. Worse still, both he and Miss Leslie were now dependent upon the American, in all probability for life itself. It was a bitter pill and hard to swallow.

Blake was not slow to observe the Englishman's hesitancy. He grinned. "Every dog has his day, and I guess this is mine," he said. "Take your time, if it comes hard. I can imagine it's a pretty stiff dose for your ludship. But why in—why in frozen hades an American lady should object to an introduction to a countryman who's going to do his level best to save her pretty little self from the hyenas—well, it beats me."

Winthrop flushed redder than the girl.

"Miss Leslie, Mr. Blake," he murmured, hoping to put an end to the situation.

But yet Blake persisted. He bowed, openly exultant.

"You see, miss," he said, "I know the correct thing quite as much as you or swells. I knew all along you were Jenny Leslie. I ran a survey for your dear papa when he was manipulating the Q. T. railroad, and he did me out of my pay."

"(TO BE CONTINUED.)"



## HAPPY, ANYHOW.

Just a little love to  
Help the day along;  
Just a little love was  
The burden of his song.

When the bells were ringing  
On his wedding day,  
Didn't have the money  
Preacher for to pay.

Asked the man for credit,  
So the knot was tied,  
Gracious, that's a funny  
Way to take a bride.

Poor as any woodchuck,  
But he didn't care;  
Said that love had made him  
Twice a millionaire!

## A Truthful Verdict.

Fargo, N. D., once boasted a composite postmaster and coroner. He was called one day to give his verdict upon the case of a stranger who had been the victim of a fit on the main street.

As the man was known to nobody, he was hurried to the much prized new city hospital. There the case was diagnosed as appendicitis, but when the operation took place the attending surgeon discovered that the patient had been previously relieved of his appendix.

The doctor endeavored to retract his steps, but the strange man died from the effects of the operation.

The postmaster-cornor, in rendering his verdict, filled in the space, after "Cause of Death" with a rubber stamp, which read, "Opened by Mistake."—Success Magazine.

## Louis Cross-Eye.

A doctor, visiting a small country town, went over the local museum. After admiring one or two of the exhibits, the curator, who was an old man, said:

"Ah, but we've got a chair here that belonged to Louis Cross-Eye."

"Oh," said the doctor, "who was he?"

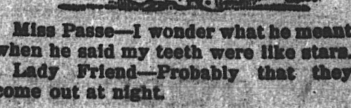
"Don't you know, sir? Why, he was one of the kings of France."

"King of France? Louis Cross-Eye? There must be some mistake. Show me the chair."

The old man promptly complied, and pointed with conscious pride to a ticket inscribed:

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Miss Passe—I wonder what he meant when he said my teeth were like stars. Lady Friend—Probably that they come out at night.

## Our Aggregation.

They're leaders our ball tossers are. That is to say, They would be leaders was the league headed the other way.

## Impossible.

"I see that fellow pass by every evening with a clarinet."

"Perhaps so, but he isn't a musician."

"How do you know he isn't a musician?"

"Because he plays in the Salvation Army band."

## More Appropriate.

"Lord Broken has arrived," remarked the tall clubman, "and he has 'M. P.' behind his name."

"Yes," chuckled one of his lordships creditors, "but it should be 'N. P.'"

## N. P.

"Yes; never pay."

## Something Wrong.

"She's not a very pretty girl."

"I think she is."

"I used to, but nobody seems anxious to teach her to swim."

## For Precaution's Sake.

"An optimist says, 'Let the world slide.'"

"Good enough, but it wouldn't be a bad idea to stand from under."

## A GENIAL CROWD.

Recently at a dinner party the conversation turned upon the subject of clubs. The special features of the Athenaeum were referred to with great respect, and then J. M. Barrie, who was the only member of that august club who happened to be present, intervened.

"After having been elected by the Athenaeum club," he said, "I went there for the first time and looked about for the smoking room. An old man with long, white hair was wandering in a lonely way about the hall. I asked him if he would be so kind as to tell me the way to the smoking room. He agreed with alacrity. When we returned to the hall I thanked him heartily, when he begged me to do him the honor of dining with him. 'But, my dear sir, I said, you have been far too kind to me already. I cannot think of imposing myself upon you in this fashion.'"

"Imposing yourself!" exclaimed the old man in an eager voice. "On the contrary, you will be doing me the greatest favor in the world; the fact is, I have belonged to this club for thirty years and you are the first member who has ever spoken to me!"—Bellman.

## HIS FIELD IS UNLIMITED.



The same Cupid that officiates in the parlor does business in the kitchen.

## The Uplift.

Most all the farmers that one meets. Of this opinion seem to be: "If you'll uplift the cash receipts, You need not be concerned for me."

## New Artistic Viewpoint.

This story is told of Ricardo Martin, whose voice has conquered New York:

It appears that his tailor was very anxious to hear him sing, so the other day Martin sent him a couple of tickets for "Carmen."

A few days later, when he saw the tailor, he naturally asked him: "How did you like it?" To which the tailor replied:

"It was simply awful! Your trousers didn't fit you at all!"—Musical America.

## Suspicion.

Stubb—I notice your wife doesn't wear her 500-button gown to church any more?

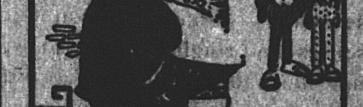
Penn—No; it was too embarrassing. Every time a button turned up on the collection plate the parson glanced at her.

## Disinfecting.

"The sanitary department is scattering quicklime everywhere. I wonder what's the matter?"

"Why, didn't you know 'The Blue Mouse' was in town this week?"

## A CLOSE RELATION.



"Is he a relation of yours by marriage?"

"Yes, he married my girl."

## His Experience.

Peckem, who had loved and won. Once let this sentence fall: "It's better to have loved and lost Than never to have loved at all."



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CATHOLICS ARE VINDICATED

As this number of the Illinois Issue is being printed, the great National Convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America is being held in Chicago.

No recent event has sent a greater thrill of terror through the ranks of the liquor forces than has this impressive gathering.

In its frantic efforts to defend itself against the deadly attacks of the Anti Saloon league and its allies, the liquor traffic has taken advantage of the Catholic church's attitude of gentle forbearance toward its erring sons who engage in this malign business, and has sought to place that church in the false position of excusing and even defending the saloons.

The climax in this exploitation of Catholicism for the benefit of a discredited vocation was reached last April when the mayor of an important American city stood up in the presence of a multitude of representative citizens and claimed the favor and support of the Roman Catholic church for the licensed traffic in intoxicants.

The liquor business could not have done a more suicidal thing. From that moment it was inevitable that an imposing demonstration of hostility toward the saloon would shortly be made by some Catholic body whose dignity and importance would make it forever impossible for any self respecting man to emulate the amazing effrontery of Mayor Rose of Milwaukee.

While the Catholic church in its ecclesiastical capacity cannot at this time make a formal declaration of its position on the question of prohibitory legislation, an immense body of its best membership, led by distinguished representatives of its clergy, has done all that could be done and all that was necessary to show that true Catholicism holds the beverage liquor traffic in utter abhorrence.

No organized body of Christians, Catholic or Protestant, will ever assume the responsibility of pleading for the licensed saloon as an essential feature of our civilization without incurring the condemnation of mankind.

Venial or foolish churchmen will always be found to advocate anything that is in need of an advocate and furnishes the necessary incentive, whether it be money, notoriety or what not, but a church that would follow the teachings of such a man would be a doomed church from that moment.

With the onrushing roar of this ever swelling tide of public sentiment borne in upon our senses and ringing in our souls, how miserably stupid and absurd seem the oracular announcements of the liquor prophets that the anti-saloon movement is receding. Any man who seriously utters such a thought at once eliminates himself from the aggregate of reasoning and reasonable humanity. He has no claim on anybody's patience.

Receding indeed! When the greatest church in Christendom is just sweeping to the front to throw its mighty influence against the common enemy of

all religion and every church that acknowledges allegiance to God.

Old Settlers' Day.

The annual Home-coming and Old Peoples' reunion will be held Thursday, September 2, '09, at the usual place in J. H. McCormack's grave east of the Smyser church. Everybody is invited to attend with well filled baskets. Exercises will begin at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp. A good program will be provided, good music, speaking and recitations.

S. F. GAMMILL, Pres.  
E. C. HARRISON, Secy.

Camfield Cemetery Meeting.

The annual graveyard cleaning day will be held Saturday, Aug. 21, 1909. Annual meeting. Preaching and song service in the afternoon. Everybody invited. Come and bring dinner.

Latin Proverb.

The asp borrows poison from the viper.

Iowa Farm For Sale.

Well improved field and in high state of cultivation. Will sell on easy terms at its value. Might take some unimproved land as part payment. Correspondence Solicited.

W. T. Maher, owner.  
Fort Dodge, Iowa.

A NEW POSTOFFICE RULE.

Making the postoffice a family affair is now a thing of the past according to a new postoffice ruling which has just been made known. The ruling is to the effect that only one member of a family can be employed in a postoffice. The law formerly provided for the employment of three members from the same family if desired. Some farsighted persons are getting it into their head that this is just another step towards putting postoffice employees, who served sufficiently long on a pension list for old age. The civil service rules now make it necessary for postoffice applicants to be in the best of health and remain so for six months before they are appointed.

Taft Now Gets \$100,000 A Year.

Washington, Aug. 6.—President Taft's salary now virtually is \$100,000 a year, the conference report on the deficiency bill having been passed carrying a clause allowing the executive \$25,000 yearly for traveling expenses.

At the time the salary of the president of the United States was increased to \$75,000 the traveling expenses of the president were paid out of his own pocket. Since that time there has been considerable discussion favoring the action that now has been taken.

A sum of \$6,000 for the maintenance of automobiles for Vice President Sherman and Speaker Cannon are included in the report.

RIGHTS OF URGENT.

No Sleep, No Rest, No Peace For the Sufferers from Kidney Troubles

No peace for the kidney sufferer—Pain and distress from more to night. Get up, with a lame back. Twinges of backache bother you all day. Dull aching breaks your rest night. Urinary disorders add to your misery. Get at the cause—cure the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills will work the cure. They're for the kidneys only—Have made great cures in Sullivan.

Andrew Baugher, mechanic Sullivan, Ill., says: "I had kidney trouble for three or four years and I suffered from severe pains in the small of my back. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage, causing me to rise several times during the night and were also highly colored and painful when being voided. I suffered so acutely at times that I was obliged to stop work. Finally I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box at Hall's pharmacy. I took them according to directions and they soon made a decided change, and still using the remedy and receiving great benefit."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

MUCH IN LITTLE

The first Sunday newspaper appeared in 1745.

An international weather code will soon be in use the world over.

Corn is our greatest crop, that of 1908 being valued at \$1,616,000,000.

Lake Superior is the largest mass of fresh water in the world, being equal to Ireland in area.

The total Continental area of the United States, including Alaska, is about equal to that of all Europe.

The first almanac, entitled "All the World's Almanac," is to be published in England in October.

Many thieves were stolen alive from the cross by friends, and that is why Rome ordered their legs broken.

The Woman's Sabbath Alliance of New York has addressed a circular letter to women prominent socially, asking them to refrain from giving entertainments that deprive their servants of rest on Sundays.

Cousin Harry F. Dill, of Grille, Ontario, notes that the silver ore shipments from the Cobalt district for the first six months of 1909 were about 14,500 tons, or 68 per cent increase over the first half of 1908.

At Times Open House

Few people outside of the dramatic profession realize what it means to manage a suitable play. A good play is as rare as the most precious gem. It must contain a strong plot, plenty of good comedy and have a heart interest that will appeal to one who buys the parquet seat as well as the boy in the gallery. When you succeed in making your audience cry, as well as laugh, then you have found a play that will stand the test of time. When the audience leave after the final drop of the curtains feeling perfectly satisfied that they have been well entertained, the success of your play is assured. Such a play is the "Cow-Puncher" by Hal Reid, which opens a one-night engagement at the Titus opera house, Wednesday, August 25. W. F. Mann, the manager, is said to have read many manuscripts before he finally accepted Mr. Reid's play, as the only one that would fill the requirements.

COULDN'T EAT PORK—A prominent rabbi riding in a crowded street car arose to offer a seat to a lady, who was standing, but before she could reach the seat a man appropriated it unto himself. For a few moments he sat in blissful contentment, then looking up, he met the scornful gaze of the rabbi and said:

"You look as though you would like to eat me."

"No," replied the rabbi. "I couldn't do that. I am a Jew."—Ex.

FOOLED HIM—Katie, who had been taught that the devil tempts little girls to disobey, was left alone in a room for a time one day with the admonition not to touch a particular delicious plate of fruit that stood on the table.

For a while she bravely withstood the temptation. Finally, however, her resolution wavered and she took a big red apple from the plate. She walked away with it but before putting it to her lips her courage returned and she quickly placed the apple on the plate, saying as she did so, "Aha! Mr. Devil, I fooled you didn't I?"—Ex.

The Cow-Puncher.

The opera house management has secured "The Cow-Puncher" as the attraction for Wednesday, Aug. 25. This drama of ranch life in Arizona, was written by Hal Reid. Mr. Reid shows a happy understanding of his subject. He has taken the rough cowboy of the plains, under whose shirt of blue the heart beats true, and developed him into a hero. Tom Lawton, a man who cannot write his name, yet proves himself a born leader of men, a man to command, inspire and respect. Brave as a lion, simple as a child and the bearing of a king. The various characters are built close to nature. The play is intense and interesting. W. F. Mann, the producer, deserves credit for the admirable manner in which it is put on. Scenery, light effects and cast are said to be among the best ever seen on local stage.

Enjoying Herself.

The Lady—"Well, I'll give you two pence; not because you deserve it, mind, but because it pleases me."

The Tramp—"Thank yer, mum. Couldn't yer make it a tanner an' thoroughly enjoy yourself?"

HIS REASON—A man applied at the factory for a job. Among other questions the foreman asked him why he had left his last place. "Well," he replied, "they asked me to please leave, and I didn't like to refuse them."

Charles Crowdsom, living east of town, lost a \$200 horse by death, last Sunday.

Shelby Business College  
SHELBYVILLE, ILLINOIS  
E. D. SPARKS, B. S., B. O., M. Accts., PRESIDENT  
Regular Business courses.  
Among the things offered in Actual Business Practice are, in Bookkeeping; Banking, Wholesale, Retail, Insurance, Shipping, Commission, etc.; in Legal forms; Deeds, Mortgages, Checks, Drafts, Leases, Power of Attorney, Notes, Bill of Sale, etc. Learn this and much more by attending this school. Address the president for information.

STOP, LOOK! BEST IN SULLIVAN

ICE CREAM  
Per pint.....15c  
Per 1/2 gallon.....55c  
2 gallons, per gal.....95c  
4 gallons, per gal.....85c  
10 gallons, per gal.....75c  
20 gallons, per gal.....65c  
Per quart.....30c  
One gallon.....\$1.00  
3 gallons, per gal.....90c  
5 gallons, per gal.....80c  
15 gallons, per gal.....70c  
Dealers only, per gal.....60c

Cream packed and delivered any where in town, at prices named in this advertisement

Our Ice Cream is pure and good, and is second to none.

Brick Cream in Colors a Specialty  
Strict attention given, and deduction made on special orders in quantities, for weddings, banquets, socials, etc. See us before purchasing.

We never disappoint. Orders will be delivered promptly and on time.

SEE GUS STEVENS AT GANDY KITCHEN

Women Suffer Agonies from Diseased Kidneys  
And Most Women Do This Not Knowing the Real Cause of their Condition

These poor, suffering women have been led to believe that their misery of mind and body is entirely due to "ills of their sex." Usually the kidneys and bladder are responsible—or largely so. And in such cases, the kidneys and bladder are the organs, that need and must have attention. Those torturing, enervating sick headaches, dragging pains in back, groin and limbs, bloating and swelling of the extremities, extreme nervousness or hysteria, listlessness and constant tired, worn-out feeling—are almost certain symptoms of disordered and diseased kidneys, bladder and liver. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills have, in thousands of cases, been demonstrated as remarkably beneficial in all such conditions of female organism—affording the most prompt relief and permanent benefit. As an illustration of what these Pills will do, Mrs. P. M. Bray of Columbus, Ga., writes that she was very ill with kidney trouble, and that she is now well—and that these Pills are what cured her. They are very pleasant to take, and can in no case, produce any deleterious effects upon the system—as syrupy, alcoholic, liquid pre-



parations are apt to do. E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill., want every man and woman who have the least suspicion that they are afflicted with kidney and bladder diseases to at once write them, and a trial box of these Pills will be sent free by return mail post-paid. Do it today.

SOLD BY ALL DEALERS

Common sense and plainness. Common sense confutes the host of superstitions with inevitable facts, and suggests in good faith that what is, is the measure of what may be. Madness, on the other hand, cannot perceive any distinction between what is and what it imagines—it confuses its dreams with reality.—Houri Frederic Amiel.

The Kiss of History.  
The ancient Teutons observed the kiss solely as a symbol of love and friendship. With them, as with the Anglo-Saxon race to-day, the firm handshake was the usual form of salutation in public. In medieval times the kiss became the symbol of other sentiments. The vassal had to kiss the sword of his feudal lord. The "oculum gladii correcti" was the symbol of fealty. In courts of justice the crucifix on the Bible was kissed, a custom still extant.

Timber the Ore Mined Here.  
One of the most curious mines in the world is in Tongking, China, where, in a sand formation at a depth of from 12 to 20 feet there is a deposit of stems of trees. The Chinese work this mine for the timber, which is found in good condition, and is used in making coffins and troughs and for carving and other purposes.

Military Drill for All the Idle.  
Compulsion (military) might be forcibly applied to the idle, be they poor or rich. The unemployed whom we support would be better learning military drill than half-heartedly doing work for which they are not suited, and which reduces employment somewhere else. Men who have money but do nothing of any use to the state might be put under the same discipline.—London Times.

Immutable Conditions.  
Another doctor has denounced corsets for women as being the source of innumerable troubles. This is a nice situation for him. The women won't give up corsets and so much the more work for the physicians. Women are what they are and cannot be changed.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Into the Historian's Realm.  
On entering Montenegro the traveler goes back a couple of centuries. At the Montenegrin-Albanian border he finds himself in the fifteenth century, and can watch, if he is lucky to come at the right time, border-raiding and acts of vendetta such as he has read about in ancient history, when Baghman and Scot indulged in this pastime.—Wide World Magazine.

Russell Sage's Superstition.  
The late Russell Sage was known to refuse to transact business with any man who was preceded into his office by a buzzing fly. One day a broker who had done business with Mr. Sage for a number of years was dumfounded to be told in the curtest manner possible that they could transact no business that day, and not until a week later did he learn the reason for this unusual conduct. After that the broker took good care to see that no flies were with him when he went in.—Mr. Sage's presence.

Prepared for Death.  
At the funeral recently of William Lakin, aged 90, in Stapenhill churchyard, Burton-on-Trent, England, it was found that he had bought his vault 80 years ago, and since then had personally bricked in his wife and daughter and other members of the family. He had lived within a stonethrow of the grave over 80 years.

Want to be strong?

Eat more Quaker Oats. Eat it for breakfast every day. This advice is coming from all sides as a result of recent experiments on foods to determine which are the best for strength and endurance. It has been proved that eating of Quaker Oats and such cereals are superior in strength and endurance to those who rely upon the usual diet of heavy, greasy foods. When all is said and done on the cereal food question, the fact remains that for economy and for results in health and strength, Quaker Oats stands first of all. It is the most popular food in the world among the foods sold in packages. All grocers carry Quaker Oats. 25c for the regular size package, 50c for the large size family package and 30c for the family package containing a fine piece of china.

Re-Soled in Fifty-Five Seconds.  
A new kind of boot is about to be put on the market, the sole and heel of which, when worn out, can be unscrewed and new leather put in their place. The inventor claims that a pair of boots can be soled and heeled in 55 seconds, saving 25 per cent on the cost of ordinary boot repairing.

An Egyptian Plumber.  
"I think," said the professor, "from the utensils about him, that this mummy must have been an Egyptian plumber." "How interesting," mused his dreamy assistant, "could we but bring him back to life." The professor shook his head. "Too risky. Who's going to pay him for his time?"

Negative Virtues.  
Beware of making your moral stable sons of the negative virtues. It is good to abstain, and teach other to abstain, from all that is sinful or hurtful. But making a business of it leads to emaciation of character, unless one feeds largely also on the more nutritious diet of active sympathetic benevolence.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

NOTICES  
CHANCERY NOTICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF MOULTRIE, SS.  
In the Circuit Court, September term, A. D. 1909. Anna Parsons vs. John Parsons in Chancery. It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that John Parsons, the defendant in the above entitled cause, is a non-resident of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to you, the said John Parsons, that the above named complainant has filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said bill is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against you, the said John Parsons, returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held at the court house in Sullivan on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1909. Now unless you, the said John Parsons, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same shall be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof. Dated this 22nd day of July, A. D. 1909.

PUBLICATION NOTICE—Chancery, State of Illinois, Moultrie County, ss.  
Circuit court of Moultrie County, September term, A. D. 1909. William C. Boling by his next friend, Howard S. Lytle vs. Nora Spar, John Boling, Mary LaFors, Nancy Noble, U. A. Noble, John Boling, Russ Boling, Gord Boling, Boston Boling, Lyman F. Boling, Elmer G. Boling, Elizabeth Richardson, Charles E. Kinsley, Pearl Wamsley, William Wamsley, Tude Boling Storm and Gertrude Boling Storm in Chancery. Affidavit of the non-residence of Lyman F. Boling, Elmer G. Boling, Elizabeth Richardson, Charles Wamsley, William Wamsley, Pearl Wamsley, Tude Boling Storm, seven of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Moultrie County, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendants, that the complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side hereon, on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1909, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1909, as is by law required. Now, therefore, unless you, the said Lyman F. Boling, Elmer G. Boling, Elizabeth Richardson, Charles Wamsley, William Wamsley, Pearl Wamsley and Tude Boling Storm shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Moultrie County on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the City of Sullivan in said County on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1909, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

[SEAL] R. A. SILVER, Clerk.  
S. G. J. W. Craig, Complainant's Solicitors.  
August 2nd A. D. 1909. 33-3

TO Lucy Howe, Jacob Jones, Mrs. Jacob J. Jones, Merle Woodbury, Florio Blase and The Vandalla Railroad Company (Terra House and Power Division).  
You are hereby notified that the Drainage Commissioners of Drainage District No. 2, of the Town of Lovington, County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, will meet on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1909, at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, at the residence of Elmer Biskley in the said Drainage District, to hear any and all objections that may be made to the classification of lands on the graduated scale in said Drainage District No. 2, made by said Commissioners for the purpose of special assessment for benefits in consequence of the construction of a combined system of drainage in the said Drainage District, when and where you can appear and make objections if you desire. Dated this 9th day of August, A. D. 1909.

J. Y. BAILEY,  
W. S. HARRIS,  
J. A. ASCHERMANN,  
Drainage Commissioners.

Attest:—F. M. Newlan, Town Clerk. 33-3

THE VOTING CONTEST

One more count settles the question as to who will be the winners in the contest.

As soon as we receive the information as to where the box is to be left for the count we will make it known. We are very desirous to see this ended and want to see the contestants awarded for their efforts.

If any of the contestants can bring us the name of a party who will purchase a piano it will give them a big vote. Several names have already been handed in. Give us the names and we will give them to the firm offering the votes.

A letter received recently from the Piano Company states, "Our Mr. Alm has been so busy recently in other localities he has been unable to get to Sullivan. You need have no fear about getting the piano."

- C. Fred Whitfield is giving coupons in the contest. See him.
- Alta Craig.....100.475
  - Jessie Buxton.....72.000
  - Ruth Grigsby.....71.775
  - Clara Bragg.....69.975
  - Florence Baker.....59.750
  - Laura Conrad.....29.225
  - Cora Haydon.....25.475
  - Elmie Longwell.....22.950
  - Zoe Harris.....20.750
  - Ethel McClure.....14.700
  - Mrs. G. P. Martin.....12.200
  - Alta Blank.....10.775
  - Alta Parvis.....7.350
  - Fern Harris.....6.050
  - Nattie Strader.....5.825
  - Tranora Vaughn.....5.700
  - Mrs. Thomas Hall.....3.100
  - Mable Purvis.....1.525
  - Ruth Wagoner.....1.050
  - Ethel Davis......975
  - Myrtle Shaw......700
  - Mrs. Ansel Wright......600
  - Florence Bromley......425
  - Helen Lawrence......375
  - Lottie Dishman......225
  - Berth A. Young......100
  - Zoe Philpot......100
  - Toni Donaker......100
  - Helen Armantrout...... 50

By Jovel  
"I must make more friends, don't you know," said the Englishman. "You see what I mean? Heh? There's a pretty poor bunch of friends, upon my word I have. Among the lot of them, when all is said and done, there isn't one that I can borrow more than \$25 from. There isn't. Upon my word!"



**Local News Items**

Almond Nicholson was in Findlay Tuesday.

Miles F. Martin of Nebraska, is visiting relatives in Sullivan.

If you have town property or farms to rent or sell give us your list.

G. N. Todd of Mattoon was a business visitor in Sullivan, Tuesday.

Mrs. C. E. Powell visited in Mo-wequa the first part of the week.

See Leslie Caldwell at the new planing mill, for rubber tires, 12-17.

R. Archer and wife attended the chautauqua at Charleston last Sunday.

Attorney W. K. Whitfield attended the county fair at Clinton Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Diamond and daughter of Cadwell were shopping in Sullivan Tuesday.

Subscriptions taken at this office for the Chicago Daily Journal at \$1.50 per year.

Mrs. Wesley Elder entertained her sister, Mrs. C. Wilson, of Tuscola, over Sunday.

An orchestra has been engaged to play in the Candy Kitchen every night commencing June 19.

Henry Christy of the Coles neighborhood was a business visitor in Sullivan, Monday.

Miss Mamie Nicholson is taking a vacation from O. L. Todd's dry goods store this week.

Mrs. Harry Hatasfurther and Miss Freda Strickland visited friends in Springfield in-t Sunday.

Miss Elsie Preston is back at her position at the Economy after taking her summer's vacation.

Almond Nicholson has planned to start with a prospecting party to North Dakota next Tuesday.

Miss Grace David returned Friday of last week from a trip to Chicago and New Haven, Michigan.

S. P. Bristow and wife visited from Friday until Monday with their son, Harry Bristow and family at Bondville.

Dr. Paul Wakefield, a returned missionary, will give a moving picture entertainment at the Christian church next Friday night.

Ha-lan Ritchey has purchased the property on South Main street where Mr. Scafe lives. Mr. Ritchey will soon move to his property.

FOR SALE—Four room cottage, two lots of ground, all in good condition. Easy terms. This is a splendid opportunity.—W. I. SICKAFUS. 25-7

Perhaps you are going on a visit and would like a new dress skirt. Our new Fall line is now in and they are beauties. The price is very low—TODD'S.

One case of 10-4 blankets, grey mixed and brown mixed, will be placed on sale this week at 37 1/2c per pair, with a limit of 2 pairs to a customer.—N. B. NATHAN.

The Sunday schools of Allenville planned a picnic and fish fry at the Nelson bridge Wednesday. The funny tribe kept at a safe distance from the anglers, so they enjoyed a good dinner but no fish.

R. P. McPheeters, Charles Lindsay and Dick Archer went to Charleston Sunday morning, where they heard Dr. Charles Reign Scoville preach one of his good strong sermons, then in the evening to Shelbyville to hear Carrie Nation on strong drink.

Mr. Sheek, state engineer of the hard roads, went over the Masonic Home road Tuesday. He will have all worn places repaired. He took several photographs along the line of the road. He also visited the Home and gave it many compliments.

The cooks at the Masonic Home being sick and off duty and none available, Miss Amy Hovey, a daughter of the superintendent, donned her kitchen apron and done the cooking for about eighty people for two days, when at last a Mrs. Smith and daughter were engaged to take her place.

An orchestra has been engaged to play at the Candy Kitchen every night commencing June 19.

Cotton blankets 66 inches wide by 72 inches long, weighing 1/2 lbs., for 89c a pair.

Cotton blankets 2 yds. wide by 2 1/2 yds. long, weighing 3/4 lbs. at \$1.09

One 2 yds wide by 2 1/2 yds long, weighing 3/4 lbs., for \$1.37 at TODD'S.

Mart Taylor's oats yielded 45 1/2 bushels to the acre.

Mrs. Allie B. Thomason of Shelbyville was in Sullivan Wednesday.

Make your old buggy new. Let me rubber tire it. LEBLIE CALDWELL, 1217

Mrs. Mary Leiner of Worcester, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Titus.

W. T. McClure of Newton spent Sunday with his father, J. R. McClure.

Mrs. James Williams of Mattoon spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Elder.

Miss Gertrude Bland took a five days vacation from J. R. McClure's grocery this week.

Albert Brown played with Gible's band at Lovington during the Home Coming this week.

Miss Fannie Ferrell of Springfield is visiting Miss Emma Eden and Mrs. Paul Thackwell.

Miss Margaret Retherford of Elizabethtown, Ind., is visiting the family of her uncle, Edgar Bland.

Art Elder of Red Wing, Minn., visited over Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Elder.

Mrs. B. F. Blackwell is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Mathias of Stewardson, this week.

Charles Ray's oats crop threshed out 1300 bushels on 49 acres, making an average of over 26 bushels to the acre.

Mrs. Roy Seright left Friday for Rockton, where her husband has purchased a printing office and book store.

FOR RENT—E. E. Barber's residence property on West Harrison street. Harry Barber at City Book store.

Light colored outing in any length, roc qualities for 8 1/2c; 8 1/2c quality for 6 1/2c and 6 1/2c quality for 4 1/2c at TODD'S.

Darl Bradley has purchased Roy Seright's residence property on South Main street. Mr. Bradley has moved to it.

Mrs. Ed Bland and two daughters, Myrtle and Gertrude, and niece, Miss Mattie Retherford, spent Monday in Decatur.

Mrs. Mark Moutray and daughter Irene are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Omar Lowe, in Tuscola this week.

Outing flannels and cotton flannels, we have received a nice lot of them, choice styles from 4c a yard up.—N. B. NATHAN.

The remodeling of M. Whitman's house is done, and they have things arranged so-as to fully enjoy their commodious home.

A. E. (Net) Fleming of Allenville is planning to move to Sullivan if he can make satisfactory arrangements as to residence property.

The senior class in the high school gave a reception Wednesday evening in honor of Blanche Carter, who will leave for Oklahoma next Tuesday.

Miss May Nathan quit at her father's store Wednesday morning to take a much needed vacation. She will visit in Chicago and the suburbs.

Master Thomas Stearns returned to his home in Chicago, Monday, after making and extended visit with his uncle, Ray Meeker, and sisters.

Mrs. R. R. Carter and daughter, Miss Blanche, will leave some time next week for Snyder, Oklahoma, where Mr. Carter has been for some time.

Miss Myrtle Bland of Indianapolis spent this week at home with her parents, Edgar Bland and wife. She is cashier in her uncle's grocery in the city.

New goods have been received and placed on sale this week—dress goods, wash suitings, perca'es and gingham. Come and see them.—N. B. NATHAN.

Misses Emma and Nellie Cassidy returned to their home in Rush Co., Ind., Saturday night after a three weeks' visit with the Newboulds and other relatives.

Louis Grunert and wife returned to their home in Peoria, Tuesday after visiting several days with J. B. Titus and wife. Mr. Grunert and Mrs. Titus are brother and sister.

Near 200 tickets were sold here for Shelbyville last Sunday. A number went over in automobiles. Frank Moore took Miss Viola Goodman and P. J. Harsh and wife. Ray Jenkins took in his car Misses Maude Whitfield, Lena Monroe, Lottie Wolf, Jessie Buxton and Edna Millizen.

An orchestra has been engaged to play at the Candy Kitchen every night commencing June 19.

**EDEN'S**  
**5 AND 10 CENT STORE**  
Will Open Saturday, August 14 at 9 a. m.  
Nothing Over 10 Cents.

It is our plan to have a "BARGAIN DAY" each WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, and to get an idea of what will be on sale you should WATCH THE WINDOWS every day.

**On our Opening Day We Will Offer to You This Unquestionable Bargain:**

17-inch cambric with 5-inch embroidery design in eyelet, floral, leaf, and novelty pattern. Limited amount to each purchaser while it lasts.

We will endeavor to give to the people of Sullivan and vicinity as complete and up-to-date 5 and 10 cent store as your patronage will permit, and no person will appreciate it more than us, so give us a boost. Do not expect too much of us at first. WE WILL GROW.

**Eden's 5 and 10 Cent Store**  
West Side Square, Sullivan, Ill.

W. T. Farlow of Allenville was in Sullivan Thursday.

All summer waists and summer dresses at reduced prices at Todd's.

Rev. Mr. Squires of Missouri was a business visitor in Sullivan Wednesday.

C. H. Bristow was taken very sick with appendicitis Wednesday evening.

G. A. Dolan took a party in his automobile to Shelbyville Wednesday evening. They went to attend the chautauqua.

It won't cost you any more to buy a good skirt or suit of good material properly made and fit correctly, providing you buy them at Todd's.

S. P. Lilly is offering a year's subscription to a Moultrie paper to any man in the county who has resided on the same farm more years than he has.

Mrs. A. J. Buxton and mother, Mrs. Walker, returned Tuesday from a visit with the latter's son in Michigan. They were away from home three weeks.

Richie Parrot of Mt. Pulaski, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hagerman last Sunday. He has accepted the position of principal of the Arthur high schools next year.

Earl Dolan and family who have been visiting his father and mother, Hat Dolan and wife for the last three weeks will return tomorrow, Sunday, to their home in Danville.

Jesse Byron, living west of Sullivan, purchased a fine four-passenger car of G. A. Dolan last week. Mr. Dolan brought the car here from Farmer City last Friday.

Wednesday being Jas. Moore's birthday his wife planned a surprise party for him. The guests were the Pythian Sisters and their husbands. Ice cream and cake were served.

Will Stricklin and family and John Miller and wife are now residents of Stewardson. They remain there until they complete the masonry on the M. E. church that is being built at that place.

Ralph Monroe and Edson Millizen visited a university friend, Mr. Burns at Ashland the first of this week. They will also go to the Old Salem chautauqua at Petersburg before returning.

Wm. Dolan, living north-east of Sullivan made two trips to Assumption last Sunday. He took a party to Assumption Sunday morning, returned home and then went back after them Sunday afternoon.

FOR SALE—A desirable home, Four lots, with a good six room house, good barn, buggy shed and necessary out-buildings. Nice assortment of fruit, apples, peaches, small fruit. Good well. North of west of square. A splendid bargain. For further particulars call at the Herald office.

Monday the residence of B. F. Blackwell in the western part of town was discovered to be on fire. The alarm was turned on, but the flames were extinguished before the fire boys got there. The roof was considerably destroyed by the fire which was the only damage except some badly frightened people.

Fern Lewis is clerking at the Economy.

E. R. King and wife visited in the country Wednesday.

A town is what its residents make it. Are you doing your part?

Willis Cochran of Findlay visited his parents here last Sunday.

E. M. Magill visited I. L. Sears and wife in Decatur Wednesday.

Mrs. E. J. Dazey is visiting her uncle, W. A. Heath, and family in Evanston.

Mrs. Perry Bland visited her cousin, Mrs. Harry Foster, near Findlay Wednesday.

W. W. Eden went to Decatur Monday to meet a traveling salesman and purchase some Christmas goods.

Anil Magill will enter the Rush medical college in Chicago this fall. He is visiting friends in Waverly this week.

Miss Alta Parvis is clerking in O. L. Todd's store, filling a vacancy occasioned by some of the clerks being out on vacation.

Lost—Between Birch & Newbould's grocery, and five blocks west, two five dollar bills. Reward for return to Geo. Yates, Sullivan, Ill.

The Lovington telephone system has been sold to a company known as the Merchants & Farmers' telephone Co. of Moultrie county.

Samuel Magill spent Sunday in Decatur. Monday he accompanied a friend from Decatur to Mattoon, returning home Tuesday morning.

Miss Emma Edmonston returned the first of the week from Stanley county, South Dakota, where she prowen up on a quarter section of land.

Misses Bess Grigsby, Olive Martin, Edna Little, Mrs. J. B. Titus and daughter, Miss Winnie, and Ray Dawdy were among the number that started to Niagara Falls Thursday morning.

The Merry Housewives and other friends made a surprise birthday supper for Mrs. J. M. David and Mrs. N. C. Ellis Wednesday evening. Supper was served on the lawn and all had a merry time.

Baxter Tolan and Miss Nellie Quiet, living near Windsor, were married in East St. Louis recently. They will live in East St. Louis, where the groom has a position in the Malleable Iron Works.

Colbert Baker and Miss Ruth Batman were married in Decatur Wednesday. The groom is the youngest son of Colbert Baker, deceased, and wife. The bride is a daughter of Willard Batman formerly of Sullivan.

Mrs. R. O. Garrett living south of Allenville was taken to St. Mary's hospital in Decatur Sunday. She underwent a surgical operation Monday and came out from under the anesthetic well. Her friends are encouraged at the results and hope to see her soon returned to health.

C. Enterline and wife entertained at dinner Sunday Mrs. Anna Welty, Mrs. Libbie Welty and children of Decatur, Mrs. Ida M. Stewart and children, J. B. Ford and family. Mrs. Libbie Welty is a sister of Mr. Enterline and Mrs. Ford, and the wife of John Welty, chief of Decatur's police.

Miss Flora Garrett went Saturday from Sullivan to Decatur to visit friends a few days.

Willard Jenkins returned Wednesday to St. Louis, where he is engaged in a drug store.

C. R. Barnhart and wife have returned from Boston to Sullivan, where they will remain indefinitely.

**WHAT WILL BE WORN**

The advance fall fashions are very extreme.

The pannier has come back, and many of the new dresses will make the short women look like "Mutton Bunch."

Fullness of all kinds has returned. First it appeared at the bottom of the skirts in the shape of plaits. Now it is seen quite boldly around the hem.

The overskirt seems to have arrived and not only the plain article, but the elaborately draped affair.

Of course the waist line comes down to its normal position, and it is laced rather tightly. All kinds of contrasting belts with rosettes will be seen. In fact, this will be a fluffy season.

Hats are to be large, judging from the new models brought over. They will be trimmed with enormous feathers and huge flowers.

The hat shape turned up in the back is back again and this, of course, means a different style of hair-dressing.

Sleeves are to be absolutely plain across the top in most cases, which at least gives a graceful shoulder line. Panel effects are very smart, and are draped shawl trimmings with plenty of fringe.

The costs of tailor made will be longer than ever, reaching in many cases entirely to the bottom of the skirts.

Sleeves will be long, with long cuffs of lingerie effects.

Earrings will be larger than ever, and all women with pretensions to style will wear them.

**PAY FROM TOWNSHIP**

Hereafter, instead of receiving their compensation from the county, the various overseers of the poor will receive their stipend from the township which they represent.

The amount is to be fixed by the auditing board at the March meeting each year and in this respect the county board has no jurisdiction as at present.

The change in affairs was brought about through a change in the law made at the last session of the general assembly.

At the present time under the old law, supervisors, who are generally made supervisors of the poor in their own township, receive their salary from the county board, which also meets the obligations made by taking care of the poor. This latter will not be changed by the new law. At the March meeting each year of the auditing board of the township the salary which the supervisor of the poor shall receive is stipulated so that when anyone becomes a candidate for the office he is fully aware as to what his salary shall be.

After the town board meeting in March, when the stipend is fixed, the voters will at the April town meeting order the levy to be made.

Under the new law supervisors are to receive \$3 a day when the county board is in session, or at meetings of committees, instead of \$2.50 as heretofore. However, the mileage is done away with under the new law.

**Ginger Snaps**

Boil two cups of molasses, one minute, cool slightly. Add one-half cup of butter, one half cup of lard and one-half level teaspoon of soda, and a saltspoon of salt. Mix with flour until a dough is made that can be rolled out. Chill, then roll portions into thin sheets. Cut in shape or make into little balls, lay on a buttered pan and press out flat with the cap of a can. Bake carefully for three; in danger of burning this kind of cookie. Keep in a paper bag in a warm dry place as they lose their crispness when kept damp or in a pail or jar.

**A Truthlover.**

Minister—"Do you love truth, my friend?"  
Tommy (doubtfully)—"Well I don't hate awfully to get caught in a lie!"

MAKING IT WORSE WAGON—A man walking along the streets was surprised to see an Irishman poking a dollar bill through a crack in the sidewalk and asked why he was doing it.  
"Why, ye see, sir, a minute ago I dropped a nickel through this crack and now I'm putting a dollar through so as to make it worth me while to pull up the sidewalk of the sickle. D'ye see?"—E.C.

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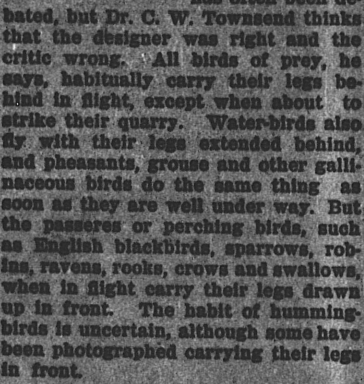


# BOYS AND GIRLS

## HOW EAGLE CARRIES ITS LEGS

Not Drawn Up in Front, as Supposed by Many, But Trailing Behind When Flying.

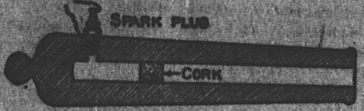
When the new \$20 gold piece was issued, in 1907, a critic of the design on the coins asked: "Who ever saw an eagle in flight with its legs trailing behind it?" This touches upon a question that has often been debated, but Dr. C. W. Townsend thinks that the designer was right and the critic wrong. All birds of prey, he says, habitually carry their legs behind in flight, except when about to strike their quarry. Water-birds also fly with their legs extended behind, and pheasants, grouse and other gallinaceous birds do the same thing as soon as they are well under way. But the passer or perching birds, such as English blackbirds, sparrows, robins, ravens, rooks, crows and awallows, when in flight carry their legs drawn up in front. The habit of humming-birds is uncertain, although some have been photographed carrying their legs in front.



## EXPLODING TOY GAS CANNON.

Fitted with Spark Plug and Connected with a Small Battery Gives Loud Report.

If you have a small cannon with a bore of 1 or 1 1/2 inches, bore out the fuse hole large enough to tap and fit in a small sized spark plug such as used on a gasoline engine, says a writer in Popular Mechanics. Fill the cannon with gas from a gas jet and then push a cork in the bore close up



Gas Cannon Loaded.

to the spark plug. Connect one of the wires from a battery to a spark coil and then to the spark plug. Attach the other wire to the cannon near the spark plug. Turn the switch to make a spark and a loud report will follow.

## STATES CALLED FOR FLOWERS

Patriotic Way of Finding Partners for Dinner During the Holiday Season.

A patriotic way of finding your partners for supper at a holiday season is by states and state flowers. Each girl is given a card on which is painted or pasted the picture of one of the state flowers, and below it is written the name of the state. Each boy is given a card on which is drawn one of the states in outline, while below is written the name of the state flower. It is sometimes surprising to find how different a state looks without its surroundings on the map. The girls and boys have to find the cards that correspond, which usually takes them some time. The following list gives the flowers for different states.

Alabama, goldenrod; Arkansas, aster; California, columbine; Delaware, peach blossom; Idaho, syringa; Iowa, wild rose; Maine, pine cone and tassel; Michigan, apple blossom; Minnesota, moccasin flower; Missouri, goldenrod; Montana, bitter root; Nebraska, goldenrod; New York, rose; Oklahoma, mistletoe; Oregon, Oregon grape; Rhode Island, violet; Vermont, red clover; Washington, rhododendron.

## SOME SUMMER CONUNDRUMS.

What does Sweet William carry when he goes out walking?—A sugar cane.

What does Black-Eyed-Susan use to keep her hair in order?—Cockscabomb.

What form of entertainment is common among the flowers?—Hops.

What disease is common to young flowers?—Nettle Rash.

On what does the Wandering Jew rest when tired?—Toadstools.

Which parent made Johnny-jump-up?—His pappy.

What tree always uses the second personal pronoun?—Yew.

What tree is formed by two letters of the alphabet?—L. M. (Elm).

What tree is the most dapper?—Spruce.

What tree is the sweetest?—Maple.

What tree is the most melancholy?—Weeping Willow.

What tree is proud of being a parent?—Pawpaw.

What tree is a sorry invalid?—Sycamore.

What tree is used in building materials?—Lime.

What tree keeps one warm in winter?—Fir.

What tree does history make constant use of?—Date.

## War Time Ink.

In the south war time ink was made from the juice of poke berries compounded with vinegar, or from the distillation of vegetable products known as ink balls. It was a fair substitute when freshly made, but soon faded from its original purple or crimson color to one of ugly rust.

## LITTLE HOUSEKEEPER.



At my house, there's a little maid—The prettiest ever seen—Such goodies she does bake for me—And keeps the house so clean. She curls her hair, so thick and fair, And wears such dainty frocks; Keeps buttons sewed on all my clothes And neatly darns my socks. I prize this darling little maid Far more than gems or gold; And I'd not lose her, not for all The wealth this world could hold.

## TICKLISH TRICK OF HINDUS.

Fest of "Bag-and-Spear" One of Greatest of Magician's Art, Requiring Rare Skill.

The feat known as the bag-and-spear trick has been considered one of the greatest of the Hindu magician's art. In this trick the Hindu fakir has his assistant in a sack and then unceremoniously hurls his helpless victim to the ground. Without a sign of warning, the fakir drives his spear through the center of the bag.

After withdrawing his weapon the fakir stands and gazes dreamily over the heads of the spectators. The body within the bag founders about as if in mortal agony. At last, when the occupant is apparently dead, the fakir again plunges his spear into the motionless body. The same antics are repeated. Then the fakir releases his attendant, uninjured from the bag.

Although the trick is performed with all the carelessness imaginable, it calls for more patience, skill and exactness than any of the so-called black art achievements. From the time the attendant enters the bag both fakir and assistant count every breath they take. When a stated number of breaths have been taken the fakir makes his thrust and the occupant of the bag is prepared to avoid it. Then the count begins again and at the proper time the spear is driven through the bag a second time. In order to evade the spear and make it appear to pass through his body, the assistant doubles up in as small a form as possible. His legs are drawn up close, with the chin resting upon the knees and the arms folded round the lower limbs across the shins. When in this position, at the fiftieth breath, the spear passes under the attendant's arms.

The slightest miscalculation by either the fakir or his assistant would mean a serious if not a mortal wound for one and an unbearable disgrace for the other. The fakir and his attendant are able to time themselves to breathe in perfect unison.

Not the Same Thing. At a certain college there was a master who was extremely fond of figs. He watched his fig tree very closely and tenderly, for he held that in the existence of a fig there was but one fit and proper moment at which the ripe fruit should be eaten. To eat a fig either before or after that supreme moment was, said the master, a neglect of an opportunity and a sad mistake.

One year, for some reason, the tree produced only one good fig, and one day the master's examination of this solitary fruit led him to the conclusion that it would be at its best on the day following. Then he did an exceedingly foolish thing—considering that there were undergraduates about! He wrapped his precious fig in a piece of silver paper and labelled it "The Master's Fig!"

At what he judged the exactly right moment of the next day the master went to the tree, anticipating a brief but exquisite pleasure. Alas! the fruit had vanished, and the empty branch bore a label with these words: "A Fig for the Master."

## Poor Charles.

A grade teacher at Colby, relates the Kansas City Journal, after having a medical examination in her school-room recently, wrote the following note to the parents of a certain little boy: "Your boy Charles shows signs of astigmatism. Will you please investigate and take steps to correct it?"

To which she received a note in reply, saying: "I don't understand exactly what Charles has been doing, but I have walloped him to-night, and you can wallop him to-morrow, and that ought to help some."

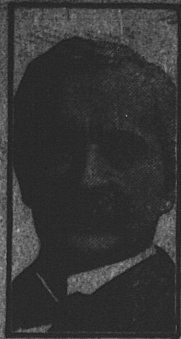
## Find States Named Here.

Mrs. Ippi wouldn't let Ida hoe in the garden nor Della wear Carolina's new jersey, because, she said: "I want you to go riding with the other girls. Miss Ourl rode Island, Virginia said: 'I'll mount Tana,' but Georgia said: 'I'll stay home so I can sass ma.' They had a race up the main road, but wouldn't let Mary land a winner.

## What the World Owes to Baptists

By REV. A. C. DIXON, D. D., Pastor of the Chicago Ave. (Broadway) Church, Chicago.

"This is the love of God that we keep his commandments."—1 John 4:2.



Baptists have been broadly defined as those who practice only immersion. For baptism, but they claim that their chief characteristic has always been their contention that only regenerate believers should be admitted to church membership and that baptism is, therefore, only for the regenerate.

In emphasizing the ordinances of baptism and the Lord's Supper as the molds of doctrine, Baptists have kept before the eyes of the world the great fundamental facts of the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. They believe that the Lord's Supper memorializes the death of Christ, while baptism symbolizes his burial and resurrection.

Baptists have always exalted the blood of Christ as the only power for cleansing the soul, alleging that there is no cleansing power in baptism. The principle of strict obedience to every command of Christ has made Baptists for the most part enthusiastic missionaries, though a misinterpretation of the sovereignty of God caused some churches to stand aloof from the modern missionary movement. When young William Carey stood before a ministers' meeting in London and asked them whether Christians were under obligation to take the Gospel to the heathen, Dr. John Ryland, a learned minister said: "Young man, sit down. When God wants to convert the heathen, he will do it without your help or mine." But the young man could not be suppressed, because the spirit of obedience to Christ's command had taken possession of his soul.

The heroism of Adoniram Judson in preaching the Gospel to the Burmese, translating the Scriptures and suffering unutterable agonies in prison at Oungpung is equaled only by the greater heroism of his wife, Ann Hasseltine Judson, who, with her infant child, followed him and ministered to him in prison by supplying him with food and cheering him with words of hope.

The literature of the world has been enriched by the Baptist writers. John Bunyan, the immortal dreamer, whose "Pilgrim's Progress" stands next to the Bible in the extent of its circulation, was a Baptist, though he was pastor of a church which, like the Moody church, left each member free to follow his own convictions in the matter of baptism.

There is a long list of Baptist hymn writers, from Felix Mantz, who in 1537 gave his life for his faith, to S. F. Smith, who wrote our national hymn, "My Country, 'Tis of Thee." Among them Benjamin Beddome, who wrote "Did Christ O'er Sinners Weep?" Samuel Stennett, who wrote "Majestic Sweetness Sits Enthroned Upon the Saviour's Brow;" Samuel Medley, who wrote "Oh, Could I Speak the Matchless Worth" and "Awake, My Soul, in Joyful Lays;" John Fawcett, who wrote

Best be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love.

Edward Mote, who wrote "On Christ the Solid Rock I Stand;" Oliver Holden, the author of "Coronation."

Among the Baptist preachers whose ministry has blessed the world is Christmas Evans of Wales, whose impassioned eloquence swayed the multitudes and won thousands to Christ, of whom Robert Hall said: "His one eye was so brilliant that it would light an army through a forest on a dark night."

Charles H. Spurgeon, whose preaching stirred London and in printed sermons went to the uttermost parts of the earth, and Alexander MacLaren of Manchester, famous as the greatest Biblical sermonizer of the century. F. B. Meyer, whose preaching and writing have circled the globe, and A. J. Gordon of Boston, whom Mr. Spurgeon called a titanic expounder of God's word.

I close with a quotation from the last words of Sir Henry Havelock, the hero of Lucknow, who was not only a Baptist, but so spiritual and aggressive in his religion as to win to Christ many of his soldiers, who were known as "Havelock's Saints," and were in the habit of going from a prayer meeting to battle. As he lay dying, November 22, 1857, he said to Sir James Outram at his side: "For more than 40 years I have so ruled my life that when death came I might face it without fear. I am not the least afraid; to die is gain. I die happy and contented." Then turning to his son, he said in a tender voice: "Come, my son, and see how a Christian can die." He had shown how a Christian could live, and now it was an easy matter to show how a Christian could die. The Christ who died for him, was buried and rose again, in whom he trusted, had helped him so to live that death was the consummation of a noble life on earth and the beginning of a noble life in heaven. And if the Lord carries, this may we die. We who lives thus shall never die.

## WHAT A WORD ABOUT FRETFUL AND FAULT-FINDING HUSBANDS.

Too Many Men Vent on the Family Circle the Irritation They Have Been Restraining All Day—Necessity for "Growlery."

Men are apt to fall into careless habits at home. They thoughtlessly, perhaps, speak sharp words that strike and sting like arrows in the heart.

They are not so abroad. They are thoughtful to other women, and smile their sweetest smile. But at home, too often, they are careless in speech and unmindful of the effect of their words.

They are perturbed with the meanness of men they have to do with in business, and they come home fretful, and, without thinking, vent on the home circle the irritation they have been restraining all day.

"Did you cook the fish I bought?" said a husband coming home at night.

"Yes, my dear."

"I should like to know how you cooked it. I'll bet any money you have spoiled it for my eating."

"Taking of the cover—I thought so. Why in the world did you fry it?"

"My dear, I thought you preferred it fried."

"You thought no such thing. Why didn't you boil it?"

"The last time we had fish I boiled it and you said you liked it fried. But I have boiled some."

And she lifted a cover, showing the shoulder of a cod nicely boiled.

"A pretty dish, this!" he exclaimed. "Boiled fish, chips and porridge. If you had not been the stupidest woman you would have made a chowder."

She immediately placed before him a dish containing an excellent chowder, saying: "My dear, this is your favorite dish."

"Favorite dish, indeed!" growled the grumbler. "I would rather have a boiled frog."

This was a common expression of his and had been anticipated, and so she uncovered a big dish, and there was a large frog indeed.

Mrs. Carlyle said of her Thomas: "If he would only be satisfied! But I have had to learn that when he does not find fault he is pleased, and that has to content me!"

Mrs. Carlyle described his homecoming. She had everything ready for him—his dinner, his armchair, everything as comfortable as possible. He arrived and she says: "After he had just greeted me, what do you think he did? He walked to the window and shook it and asked, 'Where's the wedge of the window?' And until he found that blessed wedge nothing would content him. He said the window would rattle and spall all."

Jean Paul Richter says: "Distance injures love less than nearness."

People are more polite when they do not see too much of each other.

There is generally greater harmony when a husband's duties necessitate his remaining several hours of the day from home.

To the husband the wife will appear more lovely after such absence than if he had been idle about the house all day.

Let the husband have a den, or a "growlery," to which he may retire when the animal should be marked "dangerous," and let the wife when she gets "sulky" go to her boudoir from the French term "boudoir" or "sulking room," an apartment as necessary in every well-regulated home as a bathroom, and so in the "growlery" and the "boudoir" may be alleviated the "very much married" feeling.

"All hope abandon, ye who enter here," might appropriately be inscribed over the door where presides a growling husband or a fault-finding, nagging wife—and husband-nagging is as bad as wife-beating.—Fittsburg Sun.

## The Girl for Us.

We've tendered an ode to the girl graduate, we have lauded her loudly and strongly; but now we intend, if it isn't too late, to alter the tone of our song. We want to pay homage and tribute and love to the girl who can spread out a meal—the hard-working, patient but sweet-hearted dove who never will grumble nor squeal. She don't gad about in a snowy-white dress and issue her lordly commands; she works in the kitchen, I'm proud to confess, and isn't afraid of her hands. The girl graduate you may have if you care—I'm glad if you're stuck on your deal, but always and ever we're ready to swear by the girl who can cook a square meal.—Los Angeles Express.

## At the Shore.

The sea was white with moonlight. "But, Mr. Claverhouse," said the young girl, gently, "your proposal is so unexpected, you must give me time to consider it."

Clarence Claverhouse coughed behind his hand.

"Certainly, Miss Hoskins," he replied. "That—er—is what I have all ways—er—been in the habit of doing—ahem—in cases of this kind."

## Alliterative Diagnot.

First Benedict—My wife's got a horrible sort of diarrhoea or what-do-you-call-it gown.

Second Ditto—Can't be worse than the one mine has. What is it?

First Benedict—It's a beastly baby blue bosh. What's yours?

Second Ditto—Pale pink punk.

## MAKES BETTER RAILROADS.

Western Writer Pays Tribute to Railroad Magnate as Builder-Up of the Country.

Mr. Edward H. Harriman is on a trip to Europe. Ordinarily there would need be nothing added to this announcement beyond an exhortation to Emperor William to chain down his railroads and to other monarchs to put their crowns and other valuables in the safe at night. But Mr. Harriman is going on a pleasure trip, and so many mean things have been said about him that it will not hurt any to change the tune a moment while he is out of the country and not able to take any advantage of the laws from the cold attitude of severity that is usually used in mentioning the name of Harriman.

Of all the great railroad men developed in this generation, E. H. Harriman is easily the biggest and the best, says a writer in the Hutchinson (Kan.) Daily News. The head of a railroad company, under the rules of the game, must work for his stockholders, whether it is for the advantage of politicians, shippers or consumers. It is his job to do the best he can for the interests entrusted to his care. Harriman is not only a financier, but he is a builder and an operator. Lucky is the town, city or community that has a Harriman road. He insists on a good roadbed, level track, safe track and the convenience and comfort of the traveler and the shipper. The Harriman roads are noted as the best in the country.

When Harriman gets hold of a one-horse or played-out track and right of way he proceeds to put it in first class condition. He does not raise the rates of fares, although he doubtless charges "a plenty," but he insists that enough of the funds go into real improvements to make a railroad. And that is where he stands ahead of a good many others and why Harrimanism is not such a bad thing as some people have been led to think. He makes better railroads, and there is more need for improvement that way than there is in some others which are being discussed. So far as we can see, he believes in giving every interest along his road a fair deal.

He is a public benefactor from that standpoint. He uses his power fairly. He is a great man, and as good or better than the ordinary citizen who looks upon him as the personification of the money power, seeking whom it may devour. He is a strong man in the financial world, but that should not be against him, when the financial world is the object which most of us want to reach. He is a good American and he spends his money on American railroads, not on foreign titles, race horses, old editions or other bad habits. If he is not perfect—and we don't think he is—he is no exception to the rule and is worthy of the praise of his fellow citizens for the good he does and has done.

Laughter a Series of Barks. Laughing is barking, say the acousticians. The neck and head are thrown back while a series of short barks are emitted from the throat. However musical the barks may be, they are barks. The laugh begins with a sudden and violent contraction of the muscles of the chest and abdomen. But instead of opening to let the air pass out of the lungs, the vocal cords approach each other and hold it back. But they are not strong enough to exercise such opposition for more than an instant, and the air, which is under pressure, promptly escapes. As it does so it makes the vocal cords vibrate producing the bark.

This obstruction and liberation of the air expelled from the lungs repeats itself again and again at intervals of a quarter of a second. There are thus in a hearty laugh four barks a second, and if continued they go on at that rate as long as the air reserve in the lungs holds out. The empty lungs must then fill themselves, and this interval is marked by a quick gasp for breath, after which the barks are renewed. The barks occur in series with gasps for breath at intervals.

When laughter is violent, the entire body participates. The upper part of the trunk bends and straightens itself alternately or ways to right and left. The feet stamp on the floor, while the hands are pressed upon the joints to moderate the painful spasm.

## Interviewing the Professor.

"So you don't think Mars would reply, even if we did send signals?" "I am almost convinced that there would be no response," answered Prof. Thinkum, adjusting his glasses.

"Then you don't believe that Mars is inhabited?" "On the contrary, I think it extremely probable that life similar to our own exists on the sister planet."

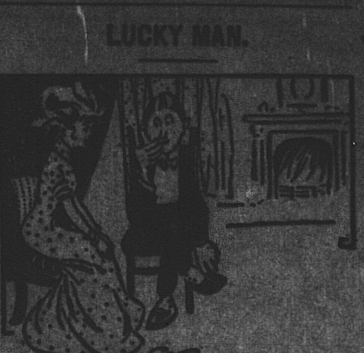
"But you don't give those people credit for intelligence equal to ours?" "Yes. I am inclined to credit them with even greater intelligence than we display. There are many indications that they have a civilization older than ours, in which case they should have too much sense to fool away their time on any such impractical proposition."

## The Way He Did It.

Jenkins—Well, sir, I gave it to that man straight, I can tell you. He is twice as big as I am, too, but I told him exactly what I thought of his rascally conduct right to his face, and I called him all the names in the dictionary, and a lot of others as well.

Studs—And didn't he try to hit you, Jenkins?

Jenkins—No, sir, he didn't. And when he tried to answer back, I just hung up the telephone receiver and walked away.



She—Two men whom I refused to marry, sir, have become millionaires! He—Is that the reason why?

## CHILD HAD SIXTY BOILS.

And Suffered Annually with a Red Scald-Like Humour on Her Head.

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"When my little Vivian was about six months old her head broke out in boils. She had about sixty in all and I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment which cured her entirely. Some time later a humor broke out behind her ears and spread up on to her head until it was nearly half covered. The humor looked like a scald, very red with a sticky, clear fluid coming from it. This occurred every spring. I always used Cuticura Soap and Ointment which never failed to heal it up. The last time it broke out it became so bad that I was discouraged. But I continued the use of Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent until she was well and has never been troubled in the last two years. Mrs. M. A. Schwerin, 674 Spring Wells Ave., Detroit, Mich., Feb. 24, 1906."

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## A Trying Time.

Judge—Why did you strike this man?

Prisoner—What would you do, Judge, if you kept a grocery store and a man came in and asked if he could take a moving picture of your cheese?—Harper's Weekly.

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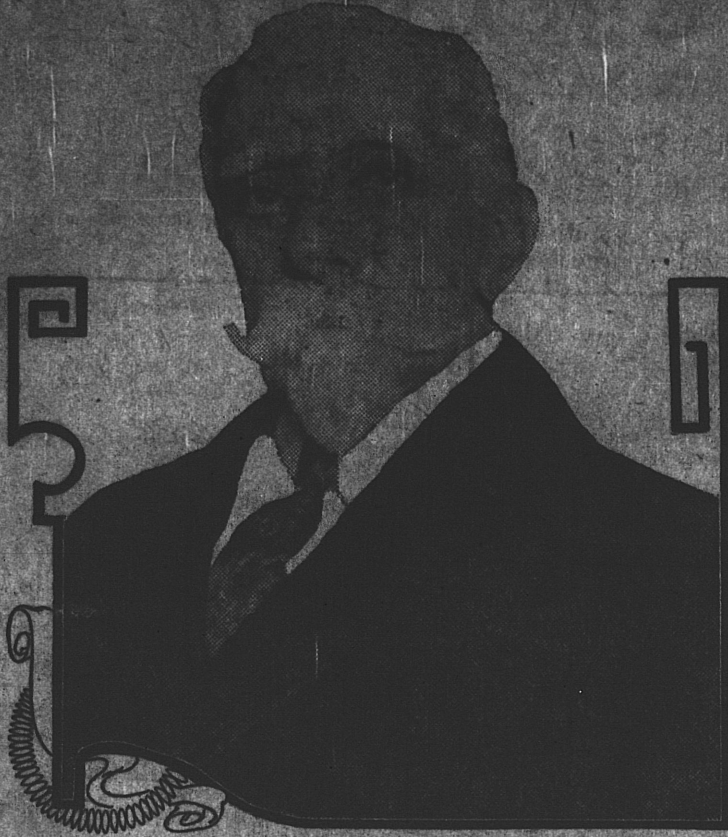
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Dr. Pedro Esquivel Rojas, the new minister from Venezuela to the United States.

**OIL KING IS VICTOR**

**Forced Village Saloon Keeper to Sell by Clever Coup.**

**How Mr. Rockefeller Bought Up Entire Town and Innkeeper Was Unable to Renew License Without Consent of Property Owners.**

Tarrytown, N. Y.—John Melin, the sleepy hollow innkeeper, has sold his place and John D. Rockefeller has become the owner of it and closed up the only saloon in Briggsville. The sale was made through a third party, but it is known that Mr. Rockefeller is the actual buyer.

H. W. Nichols, agent for Mr. Rockefeller, and a representative of the Lawyers' Title Guarantee Company of White Plains, drove up to Melin's in his automobile. The sale was fixed up so that the property passes into the hands of Edward A. Nichols, son of the guarantee company's representative. Mr. Nichols also announced the purchase of 8½ acres belonging to William H. Leonard and adjoining Melin's place by John D. Rockefeller for \$5,000. Mr. Rockefeller now owns all of Briggsville excepting a house south of Melin's place, which belongs to the Levy estate, and it is believed that he will eventually get that.

The price paid for Melin's place, according to Melin, was \$5,500. Mr. Nichols says it was under \$5,000. Melin said that he had no feeling against Mr. Rockefeller.

"I know nothing against Mr. Rockefeller. He is all right. He paid me

my price and I sell out. To show you that I think John D. is all right I will tell you that I have packed my trunk now to take home to Sweden with me a book giving an account of his life. Rockefeller is all right."

Auctioneer Robert F. White a few days ago sold all Melin's household effects, including crockery, tables, pictures, books, etc.

Thus ends a tedious struggle. Mr. Rockefeller was sure to win, although Melin gave him a long chase. Mr. Rockefeller's money was too much for the innkeeper, and when Mr. Rockefeller bought up nearly all of Briggsville and placed Italians in the houses with instructions not to buy anything at Melin's, it was the beginning of the end.

Melin's license expired on July 1, and it could not be renewed without the consent of the property owners within 200 feet. As Mr. Rockefeller controlled the situation, it was impossible for anyone else to get a license. So Melin could not sell the place to anyone but Mr. Rockefeller, as it was of no use to anyone as a saloon, and no one could pay Mr. Rockefeller's price.

In closing the saloon Mr. Rockefeller has pleased the people in that vicinity. Melin, now that he has Mr. Rockefeller's check, is not nearly so sore as he was.

It was reported that Mr. Rockefeller intended buying all Briggsville and turning Sleepy Hollow valley into a big lake. Others say that Mr. Rockefeller never destroys anything, and even Melin's saloon will be turned into flats or used as a clubhouse for the men on his place.

**POSTAL BUSINESS BY WIRE.**

**German Authorities Have Plan to Telegraph Correspondence at Greatly Reduced Rate.**

Berlin, Germany.—The German postal authorities are perfecting plans for an innovation of inestimable value to the business world by which letters virtually can be sent by telegraph at a cost far below the ordinary telegraph rates. Any person desiring to communicate with another in any part of Germany has only to write a letter on a telegraph form and hand it in. It will be transmitted during the night and delivered by a letter carrier on the first regular delivery the following morning. The object is to provide a cheap and fairly rapid means of communication in those cases where instant delivery is unnecessary, or where the messages are too long to justify the expense of ordinary telegrams. The rate for the service has not yet been fixed, but the intention is to make it so much less than the present rate of five pennings (1½ cents) a word that it will invite a large use of the convenience.

**Woman Has Rare Disease.**

Washington, Ind.—Mrs. Samuel Taylor, wife of a prominent retired farmer of Odon, is suffering from an illness that baffles the attending physicians in their efforts to give relief. Little hope is entertained for her recovery. Mrs. Taylor was taken to her bed several days ago, and it was found that her blood is slowly drying up, and black blotches are breaking out all over her body. Doctors say cases of this description are rare, and members of the medical profession in Daviess county are watching Mrs. Taylor's case with great interest.

**Dog Reveals Woman's Death.**

Pittsburg, Pa.—A dog's mournful whines at his mistress's door resulted in the finding of Mrs. Annie Graham dead in a trunk in her home. She was a widow, aged 55, and lived alone. The coroner's deputies reported that she fell, accidentally, her neck being broken by striking a trunk, into which her body tumbled. She had been dead several days.

**PHONE GIVES MARRIAGE RITE**

**New Magistrate Compelled to Wire Older Jurist for Words of Wedding Ceremony.**

Kansas City, Mo.—Charles E. Thompson, judge of the city court, was leaning back in a swivel chair in his office reading the digest of commentaries when entered H. Cecil Sturtevant of Rock Falls, Ill., and Ida M. Baldwin of Kansas City.

"We want to get married," said Sturtevant. Judge Thompson had never officiated at a wedding, and, although once married himself, he didn't remember what the minister had said.

"Stand up and join hands," he began, doubtfully. Suddenly a helpless expression appeared on the judge's face. He seized a telephone.

The couple stood hand in hand, waited, and heard:

"Give me the probate judge. Hello, this is Judge Thompson. Say, what do you say when you marry a couple? No, no, I can't come up. You see, they're standing here, waiting."

"Take this woman to—little slower, please, I'm writing it down—be your wedded wife, to cherish and protect her through sickness and adversity till death—how's that?—till death doth part!"

"What's that last again?—now, by the authority vested in me by the state—what?—yes, yes—I pronounce you husband and wife—thanks, judge."

The receiver clicked. The judge pulled his big white handkerchief out of his coat pocket, arranged his notes and stood up. The prospective bride smiled.

**PARASITE TO SAVE TREES.**

Government Imports Enemy of Gypsy and Brown-tail Moths as Conservation Measure.

Washington.—The necessity for a national inspection law which would prevent the ravaging of wood lands

**BAR ICED OYSTERS**

**Shipping and Serving Without Placards Forbidden.**

Agricultural Department Rules That Ice Packed with Raw Product Constitutes an Adulteration—Mixes with Bivalve Juices.

Washington.—The agricultural department, which has charge of the administration of the pure food law, has ruled that ice packed in with raw oysters constitutes an adulteration. That is, the water which melts out of the ice is an adulterant addition to the oyster juice within the meaning of the law.

This decision, which has been officially conveyed by the department to the National Oyster Growers' and Dealers' association, is soon to be followed by the active enforcement of the new regulations which provide that raw oysters must be shipped in refrigerated packages where the ice and the bivalves do not come in direct contact.

This latest and most curious government interpretation of "adulteration" will not only considerably increase the cost of oysters to the consumers in New York and other large cities, but will, it is said, drive out of business many firms and corporations in New York and on Long Island and elsewhere which make a specialty of the packages in which oysters are now almost universally shipped from Fulton market to the interior of the country.

Under the new regulation it will be unlawful to serve raw oysters in cracked ice at the Waldorf-Astoria, for instance, unless the sign "These oysters are adulterated" is stuck on the plate. It will be against the law, too, for a retailer, for example, to send a dozen on the half shell on ice even to his nearest customer, who may be waiting only next door.

The big New York oyster dealers are protesting against the government's views on the subject of oyster "adulteration." It is just plain unadulterated "tommyrot," they say, particularly in view of the fact that the agricultural department, in its secret investigation, admits it shipped oysters in ice from Biloxi, Miss., to Denver, Col., where the bivalves, at the end of the long journey, stood all tests, gastronomic and chemical.

Nowhere, the dealers say, has the claim been made by the government or anybody that the use of manufactured ice infected the oysters or made them deleterious to health. Some eastern shippers who use natural ice, it is said, are responsible for the crusade.

The New York dealers with a southern trade are considering adopting a form of vacuum container to take the place of the ordinary shipping tubs. The oysters will be put in them at a very low temperature and the containers will have to be re-iced at points en route.

**Captive Parrot Lays Egg.**

Muncie, Ind.—The theory that parrots in captivity do not lay eggs has been disproved by one whose owner is O. C. Radabaugh, a Muncie contractor. The bird is very intelligent and has been in Radabaugh's family for 21 years. She is about 25 years old. The egg is now being exhibited.

by such destroyers as gypsy and brown-tail moths is pointed out by Dr. L. O. Howard, chief of the bureau of entomology, who has just returned from an extensive trip abroad, where he inspected a number of exporting nurseries.

Dr. Howard has had imported and sent to the parasite laboratory, Melrose Highlands, Mass., many of the parasites and other natural enemies of the gypsy and brown-tail moths, and these will be scattered throughout the New England forests, where the pest is most prevalent.

It is declared at the bureau of entomology that the United States is almost unique in its indifference to the great importance of importing injurious insects, as quarantine and inspection laws are in force in nearly all the civilized countries of the world.

**Check to Growth of Berlin.**

Berlin, Germany.—The people of Berlin have met an unwelcome surprise in the disclosure that the growth of the city's population has come to a standstill.

The official figures show that in 1905 the population is 2,007,000, which is a decrease of about 80,000 from 1907. Of the suburbs belonging to "Greater Berlin" all but one show decreases. Altogether they and the city proper aggregate more than 3,000,000, but the result is a disappointment to the local enthusiasts, who have been claiming that the city would reach 6,000,000 in the next 25 years. The decrease is attributed to the depressing effects of the recent business crisis.

**Woman Finds She Has Sister.**

New York.—Mrs. Frederick Boyhart, wife of a Brooklyn dentist, has just discovered that she has a sister—Mrs. Laura Van Name of Plainfield, N. J. When Mrs. Boyhart's adopted mother died a month ago she left a note saying that she was not Mrs. Boyhart's mother, but had adopted her when she was a baby. This led to the finding of her sister, who had been adopted by another family.

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**WHAT HE FOUND HARD.**



"Hit guttily must be hard, Sambo, to have de reputation foah chicken stealin' wot you've got!"

"Yess, chile, but chickens is so scarce nowadays, dat de hardest part is tryin' ter live up ter dat reputation!"

Pleasant for Mr. Bennett.

William S. Bennett, a representative from New York city, went to address a political meeting in his district one night, when he was much younger than he is now.

"The chairman," said Bennett, "was a very literal person. He looked at the gallery, where one woman was sitting, and said: 'Lady and gentlemen, this is a most momentous campaign. There are grave issues to be discussed. Later we will hear from our best speakers, but, for the present, we will listen to Mr. Bennett.'"

**The Doctor Explained.**

The doctor had brought a patient to the hospital. The operation was not to be a complicated one.

"Was it really necessary for the patient to go to the hospital?" somebody asked.

The doctor nodded.

"Yes," he replied. "It means a roof for the new house I am building."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**ON FOOD**

**The Right Foundation of Health.**

Proper food is the foundation of health. People can eat improper food for a time until there is a sudden collapse of the digestive organs, then all kinds of trouble follows.

The proper way out of the difficulty is to shift to the pure, scientific food, Grape-Nuts, for it rebuilds from the foundation up. A New Hampshire woman says:

"Last summer I was suddenly taken with indigestion and severe stomach trouble and could not eat food without great pain, my stomach was so sore I could hardly move about. This kept up until I was so miserable life was not worth living."

"Then a friend finally, after much argument, induced me to quit my former diet and try Grape-Nuts."

"Although I had but little faith I commenced to use it, and great was my surprise to find that I could eat it without the usual pain and distress in my stomach."

"So I kept on using Grape-Nuts and soon a marked improvement was shown, for my stomach was performing its regular work in a normal way without pain or distress."

"Very soon the yellow coating disappeared from my tongue, the dull, heavy feeling in my head disappeared, and my mind felt light and clear; the languid, tired feeling left, and although I felt as if I had been rebuilt, strength and weight came back rapidly and I went back to my work with renewed ambition."

"To-day I am a new woman in mind as well as body, and I owe it all to this natural food, Grape-Nuts."

"There's a Reason."

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Never read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

**Only Cure for Consumption.**

With the present rapid growth of the anti-tuberculosis movement the number of so-called "cures" for consumption is being increased almost daily. Hundreds of quack "doctors," "professors" and "institutes" are advertising that they can cure consumption for small amounts, with the result that thousands of dupes are yearly cheated out of their lives as well as they money. Besides these, "cures" and medicines of all sorts, numbering now several hundred, are sold for the deception of the public.

The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis brands all of these institutes, doctors, professors and cures as frauds and deceptions. The only cure for consumption is fresh air, rest and wholesome food.

**Pleasant American Woman.**

Alfred East says that American women, like American machines, need but little man power. The American woman, he says, is the most charming woman in the world, therefore she is the most charming. Our excellent educational system, he thinks, is responsible for the fact that American women are such "good fellows."

**Tea Possibilities.**

"I have just had an invitation to an electrical tea to be given by a woman doctor," said the bachelor girl. "I'm looking forward to it and wondering what is going to happen to us—whether she will give us a little battery and let us entertain ourselves, make the tea on an electric stove, or jus electrocute the bunch of us."

**Resinol is Appreciated and Highly Recommended by Intelligent People in All Parts of the World.**

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Reprehensible to Allow it. Husband (reading from his paper) —Here, they say, is a comet coming towards the earth, traveling at the rate of a million miles a minute.

Wife (awaking from a doze)—Why don't they enforce the speed laws better?

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. It's a bottle.

If thy friend is honey do not lick him up altogether.

Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c—Many smokers prefer them to 10c cigars.

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