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CITY NEWS.

(N. B. I you have relatives or friends visiting in the city or going to make a visit, please inform us; we solicit all your local news.—Ed.)

Go to Mason, the Milliner for Hats.

Mrs. E. B. Ellison made a short visit to Marshalltown, Iowa, this week.

Mrs J. R. Easter who underwent an operation, is able to be out at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ellison.

Mrs. H. Bouth who is in the employ of Chas. Namur, is now taking her vacation with friends in Keokuk, Iowa.

Mrs. Corrie Watts, accompanied by her little daughter, Bernice, of Fremont, Neb., visited her cousin, Mrs. H. R. Hyde last week.

Rev. W. H. Clark and wife of Colfax, Iowa, spent Thursday in our city on business. He made a pleasant call at the Bystander office.

Mr. and J. Mrs. A. Cuff have moved to our city from Chicago to make their home. Mr. Cuff is employed by the Railroad company. They are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith at 748 Tenth street.

Rev. S. Johnson, one of our faithful citizens is doing some repairing on his house, repainting it. He has been sick for the past few days, but is better.

Mrs. C. J. Perry of Chicago, formerly of this city, arrived here last week to make home here. Her husband will soon come here. He was known as an electrician.

Mrs. E. B. Ellison, 519 13th st. makes a specialty of Human Hair Goods, also Shampooing and straightening. Mail orders promptly filled.

See Mason's New Fall Hats, prices reasonable

Mrs. Gertrude Hamilton and sister, Miss Hogsett, of St. Paul is expected in our city this week to visit her parent, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hogsett, on East 13th and Court avenue.

Rev. J. N. Daniels, the new A. M. E. minister, arrived in our city Tuesday, to begin his year's work. He is an experienced able minister and we wish him success.

Miss Ada Hyde, who was delayed in entering the State University two weeks ago, on account of illness, will leave for Iowa City, Saturday morning to resume her studies.

James E. Todd, one of our most highly esteemed and respected citizens took suddenly sick last week, from overwork. He was chef at Merchants cafe. He is improving at this writing.

W. H. Milligan, G. M. of Iowa Mason's spent Sunday in our city. He was enroute to Enterprise, on Masonic business. He says his fruit is fine this year and honey is the best he ever raised.

Marion Maupin and Nina Yancy of St. Paul were married last Shturday night at the home of the bridegroom's sister at 1421, Crocker street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. W. Porter. Only relatives and a few friends witnessed the ceremany. They will make this city their home.

The appointment of the A. M. E. church annual conference which should have appeared last week, will appear in full next week, as our correspondent at Moline for some unknown reason did not send them.

Mason's the Milliner, is the best place to buy a hat.

Mrs. S. Joe Brown, First Vice-Pres., Mrs. J. P. Hamilton, Chirman Rescue Com.; Mrs. J. Woods, Chairman Arts ann Crafts Com.; and Mrs. E. B. Ellison, Oaganizer of the Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, attended the Executive Board meeting of the Federation at Marshalltown yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson left last Wednesday for Kansas City, in company with her sister, Mrs. Sadie Alexander, who has lived in this city, for the past two years. Mr. Johnson will spend about two weeks among relatives and friends. Mrs. Johnson will remain indefinitely.

Rev. I. N. Daniels, the newly appainted pastor of St. Paul's A. M. E. church has arrived in the city and his first official act presided over the Sunday School board meeting, Wednesday evening, at which time much business was transacted, and among other things the Board adopted the following Resolutions of Condolence:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to call from labor to reward Mrs. Angelice Mason, of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, mo ther of our esteemed co-worker, a member of this Board, be it Resolved that we, the members of the Sunday School Board of St. Paul's A. M. E. church of Des Moines, Iowa, do hereby extend to the bereaved family, our heartfelt sympathy and commend them to Him who knoweth all and who doeth all things well and who has promised to be a Comforter to those who mourn.

Signed, Mrs. Mattie Warricks,
Wm. Shackelford,
J. Joe Brown,
Committee.

Mrs. D. Boomer and daughter, Ethel, Mr. and Mrs. Mason and Miss Mason was called to Mt. Pleasant, Monday, by the death of their mother. Mrs. Mason was an old citizen of Mt. Pleasant:

CLINTON HAPPENINGS.

Miss Mary Taylor returned to chicago last week to resume school duties at the Chicago University.

B. F. Cooper of Buxton spent part of last week in Clinton, the guest of his mother and friends.

Miss Estella Bush has accepted a position as a pianist with the Dixie Concert Co., of Chicago, under the direction and management of Prof. Buckner, The company left Chicago Monday, Sept. 27th for a seven months tour.

A number of our people were visitors at the annual conference at Moline, Ill. J. T. Culbertson, wife and daughter Anna were Chicago visitors recently.

Mrs. Harry Plummer has returned home after several weeks visit with friends in the East.

Arrangements are in order for the arrival of Rev. B. U. Taylor, the newly appointed pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church.

Friends in this city were pained to hear of the death of Mrs. Geneva Burton, which took place Monday morning, Sept. 27th her home on Maple avenue. Deceased had been ill for some time with a cancer. The remains were taken to Macon, Mo., attended by the husband, Mrs. Mary Dodd and sister-in-law, and Miss Pearl Allen, a niece.

A. A. Bush has returned from his vacation spent in Chicago, accompanied by his son Curtis. They report a most enjoyable time, Mrs. C. V. Bush, who also visited in the city returned with them.

ALBIA, IOWA.

Mrs. B. Grayson has returned from her visit in Indianapolis and Chicago, on Saturday evening.

Monroe County Fair was held in Albia this week. Quite a number from Hocking, Hiteman, ane Buxton, were in attendance.

Lawyer Geo. H. Woodson, of Buxton was in Albia this week.

Mrs. M. Gordon and Children of Busy was in Albia, Sundav.

Mrs. Finks and family of Hiteman was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Miller of Des Moines, has been visiting in Albia at the parental home of Mr. C. Thomas, this week.

The Sewing Circle Club met at the home of Mrs. Lucinda Jones, on Monday of this week. Old business of last year settled new business of this year taken up.

Rev. J. H. Bell was in our town Saturday. He leaves us for Clarinda, where he has an appointment, he and wife. They leave many friends in our vicinity, both white and colored, who wish them well.

Rev. Burke has been appointed minister of the A. M. E. Church in Albia. He preached an excellent sermon last Sunday. May the good work continue.

Willie Washington has been quite sick at his home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grayson were Hocking visitors.

MT. PLEASANT NOTES.

The Willing Workers of the Second Baptist church met at the home of Mrs, Nathan Adams on North Lincoln street. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. Len Page of this city is one of the grand jurors at the October Term of Federal Court which opens at Ottumwa October 25.

Mr. B. F. Carter and Mrs. Sam Sykes of Fairfield were business visitors in the city this week.

Rev. Burke and Butler spent a few hours in the city Thursday enroute to Buxton and Albia from conference.

Miss Ruth Hedge has returned home after spending several weeks with relatives and friends in Wisconsin and Illinois.

Mr. Wash. Graham of Burlington was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Len Page this week.

Mr John Greenup was ill the latter part of this week, but is very much improved at this writing.

Rev. Roaman is holding revival meetings at the Second Baptist church.

Elder Phillips preached at the A. M. E. church.

At her home on Cherry street occurred the death of one of Mt. Pleasant's best known women, Mrs. Alfred Mason. Mrs Mason has long been in ill health owing to her old age, and Sunday a severe stroke of heart trouble was more than she could stand and death came suddenly. She leaves to mourn her death a husband, brother, three sons, four daughters and three granddaughters as follows: Mr. Alfred Mason, George, William and Luther Mason, Iona, Agness, Louise and Mrs. Mary Bouman; and Ethel and Georgene grand daughter. The interment will take place at Forest Home cemetery.

Mr. John Phillips died at his home on East Henry street, Tuesday, Oct 5, 1909, at 5:15 a. m., after an linging illness of several months. Deceased was born and reared in Mt Pleasant and was 31 years of age. He leaves to mourn his loss a young wife, daughter, and mother, and a host of friends.

DAVENPORT NOTES.

Rev. W. W. Williams filled the stand Sunday at Bethel A. M. E. church by by quest of the pastor, who filled his his place. Rev. Williams will leave Thursday or Friday for his new work at Fairfield and Washington.

Mrs. Rose Corbin of 936 Gains street entertained at dinner Monday. Mrs. M. J. Gordon.

Master Eddie Sample entertained at dinner Monday, Mr. Fred Williams and Mrs. Tyler of Burlington, Iowa.

Rev. John Peterson and son left for Beloit, Wis., were the former will take charge of his new new pastorage.

Mr. Jeane Perkins enternained in honor of her mother, Mrs. Jocoby of Quincy, last Tuesday, from 6 to 2, six ladies the out of town guests were Mrs. South of Bowling Green, and Mrs. Cairy of Louisiana, Mo. A dainty three course luncheon was served by the hosness. Mrs. Jacoby departed for her home last Thursday.

Mrs. Wallace Ballard of W. twentieth street, entertained in honor of her mother, Mrs. Brown, of Canton, Mo., Saturday from 3 to 6, twenty-two ladies at a thimble party. The out of town guests were Mrs. M. I. Gordon. The ladies seemed to enjoy themselves very highly with thir thimble and fancy work. A dainty three-course luncheon was served by the hostess, Mrs. Ballard knows how to entertain the ladies.

Mrs. Ewing of Evanston, Ill., has departed for her home after spending three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. A. D. Sumlin.

Mrs, Flora Walker of Council Bluffs, Iowa, is visiting her mother, Mrs. B. Callaway, of W. Ninth st.

Mr. Adam Wilson who has been em. ployed by the Iowa Furninure Co. for a number of years, is quite ill at Mercy hospital.

About fifty friends and members of Bethel A. M. E. church, surprised Rev. W. W. Williams. They stormed the door by singing, "Nearer My God to Thee." Mrs. Williams was so frightened she ran up stairs. Some of the sisters broght her down and after a social time the following persons made short addresses: Mrs. Eugene Green, followed by Mr. Alex Roberts, Mrs. Alice Allen and others. Light refreshments were served by Mrs. Bright, and Richardson acting as hostess.

Mr. Eugene Green presented Rev. Williams with a purse containing a neat little sum as a token of the guests. After responding address by the elder and wife, the guests sang a good night song and departed for their home.

Mrs. D. S. Johnson is on the sick list.

The Third Baptist church held an entainment last Wednesday at the church.

Mrs, Eugene Green entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Monday, in honor of Mrs. Brown of Canton, Mo., a number of ladies.

The Third Baptist church Sewing Circle will meet an Mrs. F. Baker's, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Volgt entertained in honor of Mrs, Brown of Canton, Mo., a number of ladies Sunday for dinner.

Miss Martha Leflier of Des Moines spent two days at the home of Scott McGaw, enroute home.

Miss Maime Richardson of Galesburg, Ill., was visiting friends at the home of Gus Payne.

Mrs. B. R. Bright will accompany Mrs. M. I. Gordon to Ottumwa, Iawa, where she will make a short visit.

BUXTON, IOWA.

(Special to Bystander.)

Mr. Buben Gaines was hostess of the Self-Culture club, Wednesday, October 6th. Address was made by Mrs: Sadie Smith, and a very instructive reading given by Mrs, A. L. DeMond; Solo by Mrs. Addie Johnson; Paper, "What the Mother Should Know," by Mrs. H. M. Hutchinson; Select Reading by Mrs. H. Granberry; Question Box, presided by Mrs. Anna Humbles. An appetizing luncheon was served after which the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. L.W. Tucker.

At the home of Mr. and Martin Lee on Mease Route, Wednesday evening, Sept. 22d, occurred the wedding of Miss Evelyn Mae Willis and Mr. Burnette A. James, both of Huntington, West Virwinia. Promptly at 8 o'clock the wedding party, the bride attended by Mr. Lawrence Lee of Buxton and the groom accompanied by Mrs. Gertrude Shackelford of Des Moines, entered the beautifully decorated parlor to the strains of Mendelsohn's wedding march, played by Miss D. Mae Lee of Buxton. The bride was gowned in a costume of satin, trimmed in Irish point lace, and carried brides roses, while the brides' maid was attired in a white embroidered princess. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. F. B. Woodard of Mt. Zion Baptist church.

Greek Proverb.

What the wind gathers the devil scatters.

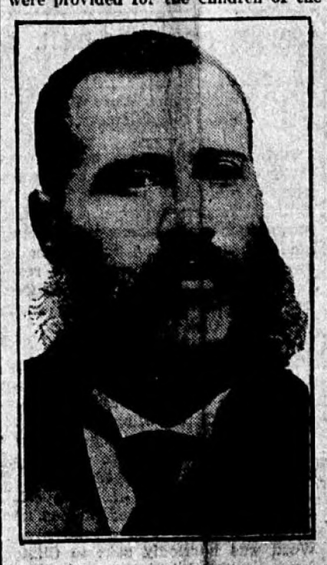
Many Sided Life Of Dr. Lowery

Born of Free Parents, He Has Worked His Way to the Front and Achieved Success as a Student, Preacher, Business Man, Author and Newspaper Correspondent.

By GEORGE F. KING.

The Rev. Irving E. Lowery, A. M., D. D., who is one of the best known men of South Carolina, lives at present in the town of Florence. He was born at Shiloh, Sumter county, in 1850, and consequently saw something and felt something of slavery. His father was a free man, having bought his freedom before his son Irving was born.

Immediately after the war young Irving was sent to such schools as were provided for the children of the



REV. IRVING E. LOWERY.

ex-slaves by the Freedmen's bureau, and, as he was an apt student, with a mind thirsting for knowledge, he learned rapidly. Having mastered the curriculum of these schools, he was sent to the Baker Theological institute at Charleston, S. C., and from there to Claflin university at Orangeburg. On leaving Claflin Dr. Lowery entered the South Carolina conference of the M. E. church.

Rev. Dr. Lowery is regarded by his brother ministers as one of the ablest preachers of the state. He has filled the pulpit as pastor of some of the largest churches of his denomination. He was for six years the presiding elder of the Greenville (S. C.) district. The degree of A. M. was conferred upon him by Claflin university and that of D. D. by Bennett college, Greensboro, N. C.

But it is in the literary field where Dr. Lowery has won his greatest laurels. He began early in life to write for the newspapers and has kept it up during all these years.

More than twenty years ago he was a staff correspondent of the Christian Witness of Boston. It was at this time that he wrote a book entitled "Consecrated Talent," which was published by McDonald & Gill, publishers of the Witness.

Dr. Lowery has owned in connection with his sons, both of whom are printers, several publications. Two magazines, the Colored Preacher and Lowery's Religious Monthly, also a newspaper, the Southern Reporter, are among his journalistic ventures. Since he and his sons sold out and the company dissolved he has been writing for the daily papers of the state. He worked five years for the News and Courier of Charleston and at present is working for the Daily Record of Columbia. He has recently written a series of articles for the Record on "Tuberculosis Among the Colored People," which are being printed in pamphlet form by the Record Publishing company.

"Life on the Old Plantation in Antebellum Days" is the subject of a book which he is now writing. In this story of southern life before the war will be found history, biography, poetry, fiction and descriptive narrative. The manuscript has been read in part by some of the best literary critics, all of whom speak in commendable terms of the story. Dr. Lowery has had several propositions made to him by different publishers in South Carolina, but he has not accepted any of them so far. In fact, he has not decided as to whether he will publish it in book form or sell the manuscript and let it run as a serial. This will be decided when the book is completed. Robert Latham, the editor who persuaded Dr. Lowery to write a story, has read the manuscript in part and has offered to handle it and put it on the market.

Stop Jimcrowing the President.

There is a growing tendency among Afro-Americans to have a short and complete stop put to the custom of having separate speeches to them whenever the president of the United States or any other officer of the national government visits the various sections of the country. This was made more than plain when a committee of Afro-American citizens at Jackson, Miss., called on the general committee having charge of the reception to President Taft on his visit to that city Nov. 1. To continue such a practice is nothing more or less than jimcrowing the president.

American Negro World Congress.

Movement Started by Major Wright Has For Its Object the Celebration of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Freedom of the Race in the United States.

There has been much talk within the past few weeks on the subject of the celebration of the semicentennial of the emancipation of the Negro race in 1913. Many of the Negro leaders have expressed themselves concerning the matter.

The movement for a national Negro semicentennial was really launched by the Georgia State Colored Agricultural and Industrial association under the presidency of Major R. R. Wright in 1906. The state fair, though held under the most adverse circumstances, was a success. Major Wright invited Professor Booker T. Washington to deliver the opening address. The second fair was a success, and now Major Wright is in the midst of preparation for his greatest Georgia state fair.

In the meantime he has spent a portion of the summer advocating his project for a great national exposition under the title American Emancipation exposition. Its scope is worldwide and contemplates such an assembly and union of those of African descent in a world congress at the proposed semicentennial as will make the world sit up and take notice. He believes that there can be raised for the project a million dollars by Afro-Americans. Congress will also be asked to make a liberal appropriation to the fund.

The white people of the south will approve and aid the movement. Major Wright has received letters from the governor and senators of his state and the most flattering indorsements of all the leading white newspapers.

The Atlanta Constitution, one of the most influential newspapers in the south, comments very favorably upon the project as follows:

"Showing the world what the Negro has done along material lines in the fifty years elapsing since emancipation is the central idea of a national demonstrative exposition advanced by R. R. Wright, president of the Georgia State College For Negroes at Savannah. The date proposed is the ending of the half century period in September, 1913.

"Associated for many years with the advancement of practical education for the Negro in Georgia and aligning himself consistently with the conservative and constructive elements of his race, Professor Wright has deservedly won the confidence of his white neighbors and his own people not only in Georgia, but in a decisive measure of the same classes throughout the country.

"He has recently returned from a 5,000 mile tour of America, and among

MAJOR R. R. WRIGHT.

whites and Negroes he finds the sentiment for the projected exposition virtually unanimous.

"There can be no question that the materialization of his idea would be of great practical value not only to the Negro himself, but as well in shedding light on the future industrial possibilities open to the race as a unit.

"The Constitution believes an exposition of this scope and practicability would be a final and sufficient answer to the note of pessimism regarding the Negro that has here and there obtruded among theorists or the more myopic of the Negro's critics.

"The race has never adequately taken stock of its progress, never calmly and categorically listed its assets and liabilities rising out of the momentous half century that has intervened since the proclamation of emancipation set before it the task of working out its own destiny.

"Only a few penetrating and studious white southerners and fewer still of the Negroes themselves know what the Negro in the mass has achieved and is achieving. Heretofore we have judged from isolated and sometimes discouraging instances in the absence of a substantial basis of comparison.

"That is exactly what an exposition of this description would provide. It would supply a vital ondriving inspiration to the race itself, and it would greatly clarify the misgiving, the misunderstanding, that here and there militate against continuously amicable relations between the races."

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OTTUMWA NEWS.

Saturday Oct 2, at the family residence occurred the death of Frank Eugene Clark, age 48 years. He leaves to mourn his death his wife, Miss Cleo B. Raymond, Reginald, Hazel, Zella, Frank Jr., Ralph and Nola Clark, also his father, three baothers and six sisters.

Mr. Clark was a member of the A. M. E. church, Golden Star lodge No. 4, A. F. & A. M., and Eastern Chapter No. 4, O. E. S. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from the A. M. E. church, conducted by Rev. H. Lackeye. Interment in Ottumwa cemetery.

MONMOUTH, ILL., NOTES.

Mr. Thomas Wallace has returned home from the hospital at Macomb where he underwent an operation. He is looking well.

Rev. McDowell left last week to take charge of the A. M. E. church at Rock Island.

Rev. Searcy, the pastor assigned here, preached an able sermon Sunday at the A. M. E. church and it was well received.

Miss Nina Fort has returned from Macomb accompained by her sister, Mrs. Newsome of Macomb.

Miss Addie Johnson of Galesburg spent a few hours in our city last week.

Dr. Scruggs celebrated his birthday anniversard; he having had charge of the Calvary Baptist church three years. The church has prospered under his care.

Mrs. Craig has returned from Canton, Mo., where she visited friends.

Simon Lucas and Miss Pearl Wells of Springfield were married Thursday Sept. 30.

Miss Florence Brown has again taken up her studies in Fisk University.

Mr. Zack Price is better at this writing.

(Last Week.)

Mrs. Richard Wallace is quite ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fort lost their infant daughter Sept 28. The funeral was held from their home Saturday afternoon, in charge of Dr. E. L. Scruggs. We sympathise with them in their berevement.

Mr. Zack Price, an old resident of our city, is ill at this writing.

Mr. Thomas Wallace is improving.

Mrs. Winnie Payne entertained the Agnes Moody club, Thursday, of last week. All report a pleasant time.

S. J. Williams, formerly of Monmouth, but at present located in Springfield, was shaking hands with friends last Friday and Saturday.

E F. Birditt is visiting friends and relatives in the counties of Marion, Ralls and Pike, in Missouri and expects to return by the way of Springfied, Ills, and visit friends and relatives and see some of the State Fair

The work on Calvary Baptist church is progressing quite rapidly and it looks as though we shall be able to eat Thanksgiving dinner in the basement as there is where the kitchen and dining room is located.

We are very sorry to learn that Rev. S. McDonald has been assigned to Mo. line. Rev Searcy of Keokuk has been sent here to take charge of the A. M. E. church. We welcome him and may the church continue to prosper under his care as it has while Rev. McDonald was here.

The Best Plaster.

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CHILDREN OF EXALTED TASTES.

Little Ones Used to Dignitaries of High Estate.

A well-known family in Catholic circles, living in Spring Garden street, and blessed with three very small daughters, spent last winter in Rome, where the small daughters were sent to school. The family, being quite hospitably inclined, entertained quite lavishly some of the dignitaries of the Vatican.

Returning to Philadelphia, they received a hearty welcome, and among others some of their old priest friends called to bid them welcome home. The mother, always proud of her three small daughters, sent for them to be brought downstairs to see the father. After awhile they came, the three little golden-haired girls; but they only stood in the doorway of the spacious room and refused to come any further.

The mother, much mortified at such behavior, said to the eldest: "Come here, dear; don't you remember good Father ——, who used to come and see us from the cathedral?"

There they stood, the three little blonde tots, and looking most disapprovingly at good Father ——, the eldest spoke: "We like cardinals," is what she said.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

NO WONDER SHE DIDN'T KNOW.

Woman of Experience Not Hasty In Expressing Opinion.

Before he had been in the car three minutes most of the women passengers and some of the men were explaining to their neighbors what they would do with the little imp if he belonged to them. Spanking was the popular remedy, and if that boy had received then and there all the paddlings that his critics were aching to administer he certainly would have been well blistered.

To the general babel of advice and fault-finding, however, there was one woman who contributed nothing. She was a gentle, gray-haired body, who remained unruffled in the midst of the small tempest raging.

"If that child was mine," said the determined woman beside her, "I'd make him mind if I had to half kill him. Wouldn't you?"

"I don't know," said the little woman, mildly, "what I'd do."

"You don't?" said the determined woman. "Well, I know. But maybe you are not used to children? Maybe you never had any of your own?"

"Oh, yes," said the little woman. "I brought up 13. That is why I don't know what I would do."

Concrete Not Modern.

Concrete is a very ancient material for construction, but reinforced concrete is scarcely half a century old. It is said to have started in a happy idea that came to a Frenchman who wanted large flower pots for his plants which should not be thick and clumsy. He reinforced them with wire. Nowadays we see glass reinforced in the same way, especially about elevator shafts.

Coignet and others developed the reinforcement of concrete for buildings, at first merely useful buildings like conservatories. As early as 1874 a concrete villa was built on the north shore of Long Island sound, but it was many years before the idea "took" hese, although in France, Belgium and Germany it was seized upon with avidity.—Smith's Magazine.

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DES MOINES, - - IOWA

In standing off the Moors Spain has a permanent job.

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Halley's comet has had its excursion ticket stamped in Heidelberg.

We have it at first hand from the poet that summer will not last forever.

Like the north pole, the Halley comet is billed for discovery by a procession of scientific scouts.

At any rate the world is glad to think that finding the north pole is no longer unfinishing business.

There is many a slip between being talked of for a federal appointment and the actual seizure of the plum.

Peru is sending its president's son to learn scientific farming in Wisconsin, though llama raising is but indifferently taught there.

There seems to be no such thing in the world as an automatic and inviolable polometer to ring a bell when a man reaches the boreal climax.

The pole has claimed its full quota of human victims. Now that it has been found, aviation is going to take its place in the sacrifice of life to gain victory.

A Brooklyn girl has gone through Hell Gate, an aquatic feat attempted by many men who have failed in it. The gentler sex is just now decidedly in the swim.

Those who missed the occultation of Mars recently did not miss much. It was less exciting than some of the things one hears in the airshaft of an apartment house.

While the constitution follows the flag under most circumstances it may find difficulty in following the flag to the pole and camping out permanently on moving hummocks of ice.

One national government is installing an expensive wood-testing bureau at the University of Wisconsin, evidently being willing to hope that there will be wood to test for some time yet.

Mexico is now getting more than its share of earthquakes and tidal waves. The losses of life there have been very large and the destruction of property tremendous. Italy is again going through the same experience and the people of both countries live in fear that the worst has not yet happened.

The speed nuisance has become so bad in Chicago that it is seriously proposed to equip the street crossings with "bumps" to jar the autoists into some recognition of the life, safety and right to the streets of others. The remedy is drastic, but a trifle primitive. A few speed maniacs serving workhouse sentences would doubtless dispose of the nuisance.

That the barnacle is a bothersome beast has been in evidence before and since Dickens used it as an illustration of certain human qualities. The big battleship South Dakota was drydocked at Mare Island navy yard recently and 600 tons of barnacles were scraped from the bottom. It is such accumulations that hinder the speed of many of the swiftest warships.

If the proposed oiling of roadways in the parks affords relief from the dust in these pleasure spots, why would it not give comfort on residence streets which have the nature of boulevards? The cost of the oil and the application of it might be offset to a large extent by a reduction in the cost of sprinkling service due to the absence of dust on the oiled streets.

The occultation of Mars by the moon the other night was a spectacle interesting to astronomers, but not important in revealing anything not previously known. Figurative significance it had none whatever, more's the pity. An occultation of Mars that would mean the end of wars on earth would call for a special assembling of the International Peace Congress at The Hague to adopt resolutions of congratulation.

The state department at Washington has been notified of the establishment of steamship service between Acajutla, Salvador and Salina Cruz, Mexico, the Pacific terminus of the Tehuantepec railroad, that will reduce the time of the mails from New York to Salvador from 15 to 9 days. This will facilitate business, and demonstrate that improvements in the mails and in shipping will increase trade between North and South America.

The charge is made that the phonograph and the automatic piano are lowering public taste. That is one way of looking at the situation. These new inventions are taking music into homes where it never was before and never would be but for them. They are doing for music what the invention of printing did for the art of reading. There is still literature—and some of the beautiful creations in literature come from those who under old conditions would never have learned to read. There may be hope for music.

What a summer of achievement it has been! Aerial records have been smashed, over land and sea new speed marks have been set, and finally the pole discovered.

News comes that prosperity has struck Ireland so hard that the country is contented with English rule. But to have the lion and the lamb lie down together without the lamb being inside the lion is contrary to all Kipling's idea of the sacredness of precedent, so we anything of Ireland being [illegible]

PRISON FOR WALSH

FORMER BANKER'S CONVICTION IS AFFIRMED BY COURT OF APPEALS.

AGED DEFENDANT IS ABSENT

Fight to Escape Five-Year Prison Term Ends in Defeat for Walsh—Case May Go to United States Supreme Court.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—The United States circuit court of appeals Tuesday affirmed the guilt of John R. Walsh.

The heaviest blow yet to be dealt the former president of the Chicago National bank, and one-time power in the finacial world, came when Judge Peter S. Grosscup read the decision upholding the five-year prison sentence imposed by Judge A. B. Anderson of Indiana over a year and a half ago.

The attorneys for the defense now have 30 days in which to prepare an appeal to the appellate court for a rehearing. In case this is denied, and it is almost certain to be denied, Mr. Walsh's lawyers undoutedly will carry the case to the United States supreme court by means of an application for a writ of certiorari.

Mr. Walsh, himself, who sat without show of emotion through the trying months of the long-drawn-out trial, was not in court to listen to the slowly uttered words that almost destroyed all hopes of averting the heavy penalty suspended over him.

The decision was handed down at the opening session of the October term of the court of appeals. A crowd had gathered to hear the momentous ruling, moved by curiosity or by sympathy for the man whose old age had reaped a harvest little foreseen in the years of his prosperity.

December 18, 1905, it was announced that John R. Walsh's banking institutions, the Chicago National and its two auxiliaries, the Home Savings and the Equitable Trust Company, had been declared insolvent by the authorities. With this announcement came the assurance that the banks of the city had rallied to the assistance of the depositors and would pay all indebtedness in full and hold steady the delicate balance of money affairs.

Charles H. Bosworth was the federal bank examiner who precipitated the closing of the banks. At one time Mr. Bosworth was the president of one of Mr. Walsh's railroads, the Southern Indiana, and thus had an opportunity to learn the manner in which the bank's funds were being used to build up this property.

MINISTER CRANE RECALLED

Summoned to Washington on Eve of Sailing for China from San Francisco.

San Francisco. — Charles R. Crane, newly-appointed minister from the United States to Peking, was recalled to Washington Monday night by a telegram from Secretary Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Crane were to have sailed on the transport Thomas Tuesday for the Orient.

Mr. Crane stated that the telegram merely requested his return to the capital as there were certain phases of the eastern situation with which the secretary of state did not think he was fully acquainted.

"I will return to Washington day after to-morrow," said Mr. Crane.

He declared he did not know what matters Secretary Knox desired to discuss with him.

Mr. Crane while declaring his summons was for the purpose of discussing important diplomatic questions, refused to give any idea of their purport.

"I did not see Mr. Knox before I left Washington," said Mr. Crane. "He was not in the city. I suppose something has arisen or has been called to his attention which he thinks I should know before I go to my post."

TOTS NEAR DEATH IN FIRE

Although Hemmed in on Three Sides by Flames Children Are Rescued from Home.

Wheeling, W. Va. — The Country children's home at Tacoma, Belmont county, Ohio, was partially destroyed by fire and 15 children narrowly escaped death or serious injury Although hemmed in on three sides by flames all were rescued by Miss Grace Green, a nurse, who succeeded in getting them through a window to safety. The loss is $15,000.

Whisky Goes Down.

Peoria. — A crop of two cents in the basis price of alcohol was announced here by Secretary Lofgren on the local board of trade. The Peoria price to-day is $1.35 instead of $1.37, This decrease is accounted for by a reduction of nine cents in the price of cash corn during the past 30 days.

Mrs. Gould's Decree Filed.

New York.—The formal decree in favor of Mrs. Katherine Clemmons Gould, granting her a separation from Howard Gould, was filed Wednesday. The decree awards Mrs. Gould $3,000 a month permanent alimony and $3,683 costs.

Hearst Nominated for Mayor.

New York.—William Randolph Hearst was nominated for mayor Wednesday by a mass meeting at Cooper Union, called by his admirers, without his authorization.

Secretary Meyer Resumes Duty.

Washington.—Secretary of the Navy Meyer resumed his office duties Tuesday at the navy department after a long vacation in New England, part of which was spent in Canada, salmon fishing.

Strike Fizzles Out.

Omaha, Neb.—According to a statement by the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Car Company the usual number of cars are being operated and practically all of them by permanent employes.

THE BEAM AND THE MOTE

Each to the Other—Goodby, old Man, Take Care of Yourself—You Are Taking Your Life in Your Hands When You Indulge in Your Kind of Sport.

RICHARD U. SHERMAN WEDS

SON OF VICE-PRESIDENT MARRIES UTICA BELLE.

Many Society People in Attendance—Ceremony Takes Place in Calvary Episcopal Church.

Utica, N. Y.—Before a gathering that included about all the society of Utica and many persons from other cities, Richard Updyke Sherman, second son of the vice-president of the United States, and Miss Eleanor Miller, a society belle of this city,

Richard Updyke Sherman.

were united in marriage Tuesday. The ceremony took place in Calvary Episcopal church.

Mr. Sherman is 25 years old and is professor of mathematics in Hamilton college, his father's alma mater. Like his father and brother, he is fond of outdoor sports, and is very popular socially.

DEEP CHANNEL MEN MEET

Upper Mississippi River Improvement Association is Holding Its Eighth Convention in Winona.

Winona, Minn.—The Upper Mississippi River Improvement association, whose object is to secure the early completion of the projecet for a depth of six feet in the channel at low water from Minneapolis to the mouth of the Missouri river, assembled here Wednesday in its eighth annual convention. President Thomas Wilkinson of Burlington, Ia., was in the chair and L. B. Boswell of Quincy, Ill., was secretary. Delegates are present from most of the cities and towns in the upper Mississippi valley.

Following an address of welcome from the mayor of Winona, President Wilkinson delivered his annual address and the other officers made their reports. Committees were appointed and the delegates then heard a number of talks on the deep channel. The convention will close Thursday evening with a banquet given by the citizens of Winona.

Miner Electrocuted.

Wheeling, W. Va. — As a result of a workman being electrocuted at a coal mine, at Elm Grove, five miles from here, a story was circulated to the effect that there had been an explosion and that 200 men were entombed. An investigation disclosed the falsity of the report in time to cancel relief expeditions which were about to start for the scene.

Ray Lamphere Dying.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Ray Lamphere, convicted of arson in connection with the burning of the home of the famous Belle Gunness "murder farm," at Laporte, Ind., is dying in the Michigan State prison of tuberculosis, according to information reaching Gov. Marshall's office.

Famous Mining Suit Settled.

Council Bluffs, Ia.—The famous million-dollar Doyle-Burns mining suit, which has been in the courts several years, has been settled.

University for Croatians.

Calumet, Mich.—The National Croatian society in convention here decided to raise $100,000 in the next three years for the purpose of establishing a national Croatian university at some central point yet to be decided upon, for Croatians only.

Pope is Indisposed.

Rome.—The pope is suffering from a recurrence of the gout. Although the attack is slight, the pope's doctors have insisted upon complete rest, and audiences have been suspended.

SERIOUS COLLISION ON I. C.

One Person Killed, 35 Injured—Most of the Victims Were State Fair Excursionists.

Springfield, Ill. — One person was killed outright and 35 persons were injured, four probably fatally, in a collision Tuesday between a state fair special taking home several hundred excursionists who had been attending the state fair in this city and a regular passenger train on the Illinois Central at Parnell, three miles south of Farmer City.

The dead:

Miss Clara Watson of Farmer City.

The wreck occurred on a sharp curve while the two trains were running at a high rate of speed and when the two engines came together with terrific force four of the coaches of the special were smashed.

Conductor Duncan of the special, himself seriously injured, limped into Farmer City and told of the wreck. Word was hurriedly sent to Clinton for a special train and in a few minutes five physicians were on the way to the scene of the wreck.

The body of Miss Watson was seen beneath the wreckage, but it was pinned down so that rescue was difficult. The fact that the wreckage did not catch fire is responsible for the number of dead and injured being so small, as many of the injured were pinned down under the debris.

Conductor of the special gives his version of the cause of the wreck. His own watch was being repaired and he was using his son's watch. The dial in his son's watch was not in the same position as on his own, and when he looked at it he thought he had 14 minutes in which to run into Farmer City, whereas he had but one minute in which to make the Farmer City siding, three miles distant from the scene of the accident. Engineer Clark of the special on rounding the curve saw the headlight of the southbound passenger train, shut off steam and reversed his engine.

WOULDN'T ARREST WOOD

Major General Stopped for Speeding Auto—Policeman Fought with Him in Philippines.

New York. — A bicycle policeman who caught up with a speeding automobile after a four-mile chase found that it contained Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, U. S. A., who was carrying to a hospital a man who ran out in front of the machine on Fifth avenue and had been slightly injured.

"I fought under you at Mindanao," said the policeman, saluting Gen. Wood, "and I shouldn't care to arrest you now."

The injured man did not desire to make a complaint, and the policeman departed taking the number of the automobile.

KILLS WIFE AND HIMSELF

Apparently Insane Man Shoots His Life Partner, Fatally Wounds Another Woman, Then Suicides.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Albert Carnahan, 53 years old, shot and killed his wife and fatally wounded Mrs. Ida Galvis and then killed himself last night.

Carnahan had been separated from his wife for five weeks. Apparently he had become insane.

Sunday Ball Unconstitutional.

Indianapolis.—The jury in the case of Charles Carr, manager of the Indianapolis baseball club, charged with having played professional baseball on Sunday, returned a verdict of guilty. The proceeding was brought to test the constitutionality of the law permitting Sunday baseball.

Composer Buck is Dead.

West Orange, N. J.—Dudley Buck, the organist and composer, died suddenly at the home of his son here. He had just returned from Europe.

Aged Journalist Dead.

Paris, Ky.—Hon. F. L. McChesney, aged 80, at one time editor and Washington correspondent of the Louisville Courier, editor of the Western Citizen and war editor of the Educator, died here from heart failure.

Quarrel Ends Fatally.

Duluth, Minn.—William Coija shot and fatally wounded Jacob Leinonen at Tower, and then killed himself with the same weapon. The men quarreled over a bill which Coija owed Leinonen for board.

WHERE THEY LEARN ECONOMY

Matron Knew What She Was About When She Went to Engage Maid.

The manager of the employment agency was used to hearing women in search of maids ask applicants all sorts of queer questions, says the New York Tribune, but this matron made him mildly curious. Of 14 girls in turn she had inquired: "Have you worked in a minister's family?" None of them had. "Too bad," said the matron to the manager. "None of these girls will do."

"May I ask," said the manager, "why you are anxious to know if these girls have worked in ministers' families?"

"Why, the fact is, we're very hard up just now," said the matron, candidly; "I want a girl who knows how to economize, and those who have worked in clergymen's families, I've discovered, have learned that lesson."

Feeding Farm Hands.

Every farmer's wife knows what tremendous appetites farm hands usually have; but while they eat well they work well, too.

Here's a good suggestion about feeding farm hands. Give them plenty of Quaker Oats. A big dish of Quaker Oats porridge with sugar and cream or milk is the greatest breakfast in the world for a man who needs vigor and strength for a long day's work. The man that eats Quaker Oats plentifully and often is the man who does good work without excessive fatigue. There is a sustaining quality in Quaker Oats not found in other foods, and for economy it is at the head of the list. Besides the regular size packages Quaker Oats is packed in large size family packages, with and without china. 5

HEALTH TOO PRECIOUS

"What do you mean by refusing to chop some wood after the good dinner I have give you!"

"Well, lady, de highest medical authorities gree dat workin' on a full stomach is injurious, an' I don't want to run any chances of ruinin' me superb health!"

And He Suffered.

Little Willie, suffering from an attack of toothache, had paid his first visit to the dentist, accompanied by his mother. Father, on his return from the office that evening, was naturally much interested.

"Didn't it hurt?" asked father.

"Sure, it hurt," replied Willie.

"Weren't you scared when the dentist put you in that big chair and started all those zizz-zizz-zizz things?"

"Oh, not so much."

"That was a brave boy. But, surely, you suffered?"

"Of course I suffered. But I just kept repeating over and over the golden text we had in Sunday school last Sunday."

"The golden text? What was it?"

"Why, 'Suffer little children to come unto me,'" replied Willie, glibly. "I kept saying that over and over to myself, and the first thing I knew it didn't hurt any more."

Poker Finance.

Mose Coonley (a winner)—Guess I'll cash in, boys.

Abe Mokeby (also to the good) — Guess I'll do de same.

Jefferson Yallerby—Me too!

Bill Bingy (the banker, a big loser) —Well, I guess yo' each done got anuddeh guess a-comin', gen'lemen! Ownin' to dis heah attempted an' uncalled-fo' run on de bank, de instertootion am now suspended an' won't resume oppyrations till de panicky feelin' hab fully subsided an' de foolish depositahs continues doin' business as fohmahly. And it's youah deal, Mose Coonley!"—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Mail Bags Spread Tuberculosis.

Letters and mail bags are carriers of tuberculosis. According to testimony recently given before the postal commission of the British empire, during the last 20 years 80 per cent. of the deaths among letter sorters had been due to consumption, contracted by the men after they had entered the service.

CHILDREN SHOWED IT

Effect of Their Warm Drink in the Morning.

A year ago I was a wreck from coffee drinking and was on the point of giving up my position in the school room because of nervousness.

"I was telling a friend about it and she said, 'We drink nothing at meal time but Postum, and it is such a comfort to have something we can enjoy drinking with the children.'

"I was astonished that she would allow the children to drink any kind of coffee, but she said Postum was the most healthful drink in the world for children as well as for older ones, and that the condition of both the children and adults showed that to be a fact.

"My first trial was a failure. The cook boiled it four or five minutes and it tasted so flat that I was in despair but determined to give it one more trial. This time we followed the directions and boiled it fifteen minutes after the boiling began. It was a decided success and I was completely won by its rich delicious flavour. In a short time I noticed a decided improvement in my condition and kept growing better month after month, until now I am perfectly healthy, and do my work in the school room with ease and pleasure. I would not return to the nerve-destroying regular coffee for any money."

Read the famous little "Health Classic," "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

WRIGHT DEFIES THE WIND

SOARS HIGH ABOVE THE INTERNATIONAL NAVY SHIPS.

Spectacular Flight Made at New York in Spite of a Perilous Breeze.

New York.—Circling the air 100 feet above the ships of the international navy, Wilbur Wright Tuesday flew up the Hudson river in his aeroplane from Governors island, passing Grant's tomb, in the most spectacular flight the world has ever seen.

Wright had his machine under perfect control, and thousands along the route stood in astonishment or cheered the daring aviator.

It is estimated that Wright made approximately 15 miles. He covered the distance in 33 minutes and 33 seconds.

Wright made the trip in what he declared was an 18-mile wind, in spite of his assertion that an 11-mile wind was the limit of safety.

He started by circling over the battleship fleet on the Hudson river and then struck out in the direction of Grant's tomb at a heigth of about 100 feet.

As he went toward the Battery he rose higher, reaching probably 200 feet. The machine dipped like a launch in a swell as it proceeded.

As the aeroplane approached the city, flying steadily, but bucking the wind, the roofs of all the buildings became crowded and pleasure craft started up the river in an effort to keep up with the remarkable craft that flew above them. They were soon compelled to give up the chase, for Wright outstripped the fastest of them.

TAFT SEES THE BIG TREES

Clad in Khaki, the President Views World's Wonders in the Yosemite Valley.

El Portal, Cal.—In this remote little settlement near the gateway of the Yosemite valley, one of the garden spots of the world and at the foot of the Sierras, President Taft spent Wednesday night in quiet sleep.

Clad in khaki riding breeches, soft shirt, khaki coat, boots and cap, President Taft Thursday started out of El Portal on a three-days' trip of sightseeing. By stage and on foot he will visit the giant Sequoias in the Mariposa big tree grove, will follow the roads and trails leading into the valley and will walk about the floor of that park to admire its imposing scenic splendor.

The visit to the big trees, said to be the oldest and the biggest of livin things, came first in Mr. Taft's itinerary. Leaving by coach early he and his party were driven to Wawona at the edge of the grove where real monarchs of the forest grow to an altitude of more than 300 feet and more than 100 in circumference at the base.

Mr. Taft was driven through a tunnel cut through the base of one of the old trees which is said to have been standing from 3,000 to 5,000 years. The forenoon of Friday will be given over to the big trees, the president spending Thursday night at the hotel in Wawona.

THAW KEEPS UP THE FIGHT

Appeals from Order Denying Writ of Habeas Corpus and Refusing to Release Him.

Albany, N. Y. — Former Gov. Frank S. Black appeared before the court of appeals for Harry K. Thaw and attacked the constitutionality of the act under which Thaw was committed to the Matteawan State Hospital for the Criminal Insane, and the law under which Thaw is being detained in that institution.

Mrs. Thaw and her daughter, the former Countess of Yarmouth, listened to the arguments.

The case came up on an appeal from an order of the appellate division, affirming an order of Supreme Court Justice Mills of White Plains in dismissing a writ of habeas corpus and refusing to order Thaw's release.

Mr. Black contended that that section of the code under which Supreme Court Justice Dowling ordered Thaw committed was unconstitutional because the commitment was ordered without due process of law. He held that there was no proof that Thaw was insane at the time of his acquittal.

"When the verdict of that jury," said Mr. Black in referring to Thaw's acquittal, "was brought in, Thaw stood in that court a free and innocent man."

Beats World's Records.

Lexington, Ky. — In winning the futurity for two-year-olds, which was the feature of the second day of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association, fall meeting, the bay filly, Native Belle, driven by Thomas W. Murphy, trotted the second mile in 2:07¾, and established a new world's record for horses of her age and gait. The time is likewise equal to the world's two-year-old pacing record.

Miner is Murdered.

Pittsburg, Kan.—With his skull fractured and three long, knife wounds on his face, Harry Dougherty, a well-known miner, was found dead in front of the home of another miner in North Frontenac, near here.

Dickinson Will Not Resign.

Nashville, Tenn.—Secretary of War J. M. Dickinson denied a report that he contemplates resigning from the cabinet because of illness in his family and the recent death of his daughter-in-law.

Great Hebrew Scholar Dead.

New York.—Falk Vidaver, one of the world's foremost Hebrew scholars, known for his commentaries on the Bible and his poems, died at his home here Tuesday. Dr. Vidaver was 65 years old.

Earthquake in Utah.

Salt Lake City.—Three sharp and distinct earth shocks were felt here Tuesday night. The first occurred at 7:42 and the last at 7:45. All three were felt at points in Idaho.

A NURSE'S EXPERIENCE.

Backache, Pains in the Kidneys, Bloating, Etc., Overcome.

A nurse is expected to know what to do for common ailments, and women who suffer backache, constant languor, and other common symptoms of kidney complaint, should be grateful to Mrs. Minnie Turner, of E. B. St., Anadarko, Okla., for pointing out the way to find quick relief. Mrs. Turner used Doan's Kidney Pills for a run-down condition, backache, pains in the sides and kidneys, bloated limbs, etc. "The way they have built me up is simply marvelous," says Mrs. Turner, who is a nurse. "My health improved rapidly. Five boxes did so much for me I am telling everybody about it."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

HAVING FUN WITH A BANKER

Practical Joke That Doubtless Was More Appreciated by the Player Than the Victim.

Councilman F. A. Drew is fond of playing practical jokes on William H. Lee, president of the Merchants-Laclede National bank. Mr. Drew was for years a director in Mr. Lee's bank.

While the bankers were waging their recent war upon prohibition, Mr. Drew late one night rang up Mr. Lee at his home and represented that he was a reporter assigned to get Mr. Lee's views on the situation.

Mr. Lee complained somewhat bitterly on being called out of bed at that hour of night to give an interview, but finally got warmed up to the subject and for 30 minutes pictured the desolation that would result in St. Louis if Missouri went dry.

"Let me see," said Mr. Drew at the conclusion of the interview, "you are Mr. William H. Lee, whisky man, aren't you?"

"No," snapped Mr. Lee, "I am Mr. William H. Lee, the banker."

"Oh," said Mr. Drew, apologetically, "I am very sorry, but I wanted to talk to Mr. Lee the whisky expert, and not Mr. Lee the financier."

Mr. Drew hung up the receiver before the explosion occurred on the other end of the wire.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

She Buried Her Face in Her Hans.

The extraordinary popularity of fine white goods this summer makes the choice of Starch a matter of great importance. Defiance Starch, being free from all injurious chemicals, is the only one which is safe to use on fine fabrics. It great strength as a stiffener makes half the usual quantity of Starch necessary, with the result of perfect finish, equal to that when the goods were new.

Reasons Enough.

Father—You seem to look at things in a very different light since your marriage.

Mrs. Newly-Married Daughter—Well, I ought to after receiving 14 lamps and nine candelabra for wedding presents.—Tit-Bits.

When a man begins to tell a woman about his past love affairs he is planning to add another to the list.

Neglected Colds and Coughs

are the cause of many cases of Pneumonia and Consumption. No matter how slight your Cough or Cold may be, cure it before it has a chance to do any harm.

DR. D. JAYNE'S Expectorant

is the oldest and best known medicine in the world for relieving and curing Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Pleurisy, Croup, Whooping-Cough, and diseases of this class. Your druggist will supply you. In three size bottles, $1.00, 50c. and 25c.

Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge is an excellent tonic for both adults and children. It is also a safe worm medicine.

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PISO'S CURE

THE BEST MEDICINE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

For the baby often means rest for both mother and child. Little ones like it too—it's so palatable to take. Free from opiates.

All Druggists, 25 cents.

HER PHYSICIAN ADVISED

Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Columbus, Ohio.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound during change of life. My doctor told me it was good, and since taking it I feel so much better that I can do all my work again. I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fine remedy for all woman's troubles, and I never forget to tell my friends what it has done for me."—MRS. E. HANSON, 304 East Long St., Columbus, Ohio.

Another Woman Helped.

Graniteville, Vt.—"I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from nervousness and other annoying symptoms. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health and strength, and proved worth mountains of gold to me. For the sake of other suffering women I am willing you should publish my letter."—MRS. CHARLES BARCLAY, R.F.D., Graniteville, Vt.

Women who are passing through this critical period or who are suffering from any of those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of the fact that for thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills. In almost every community you will find women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

VERY ENCOURAGING

Old Lady—Is there any danger?

Boatman—Well, mum, it don't matter much—the boat's insured.

Would Find Use for It.

After a day and a night spent in answering telephone calls from people who wanted the latest news from Peary and Dr. Cook, the secretary of one of the arctic clubs had retired for a well-earned rest, when the persistent 'phone bell rang again. A voice at the other end said:

"Do you want the ambulance sent right over?"

"What ambulance?" roared the irate secretary.

"Why, the one you sent for."

"I sent for no ambulance."

"You lie!"

The secretary gasped, then he screamed into the 'phone:

"Send it as soen as possible, and you come over, too, and I'll send you back in it!"

Guess Where She Is From.

The head of the house had been ill for many months, and had lost his appetite entirely.

"I can't seem to fix anything that he'll enjoy and he hardly eats anything," the mistress was saying to the maid, who was a new arrival from the old country.

"That's always the way," returned the girl. "They're all the same, them invalids. All they want is nothing at all, and then when you bring it to them they don't eat it."

The Way of It.

"But I don't love you," objected the young woman.

"Then why," howled the indignant youth, referring hastily to divers memoranda in his pocket diary, "did you eat up a total of 65 boxes of chocolates I bought you during the past year if you didn't love me?"

"Because," she said, with a rapt expression on her lovely features, "I do love chocolate."

Physicians Everywhere Use Resinol With Very Great and Unvarying Success.

During the last six months I have prescribed Resinol in numerous cases of acute and chronic skin diseases and chronic ulcerations with very great and unvarying success. It is a reliable preparation, and its action is prompt and pleasing.

A. F. Volkman, Baltimore, Md.

A Distinction.

Tommy—What is the difference between vision and sight?

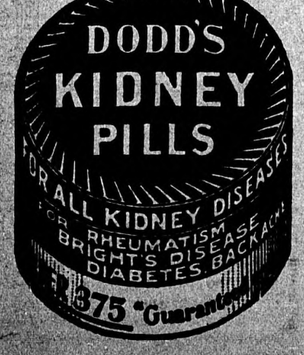
Tommy's Pop—Well, my son, you can flatter a girl by calling her a vision, but don't call her a sight.

No matter how long your neck may be or how sore your throat, Hamlins Wizard Oil will cure it surely and quickly. It drives out all soreness and inflammation.

You can't tell by the size of the gravestone how big the man was who lies in the grave.

Constipation causes and seriously aggravates many diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Dr. Pierce's Pellets. Tiny sugar-coated granules.

Gossip has a thousand tongues—and they all work overtime.



YOUNG WIFE TO PEN

Anna Lind Sentenced at Logan Under Pathetic Circumstances

HUSBAND HAD DESERTED HER

Prisoner Broke Into a Store at Woodbine to Secure the Necessities of Life for Herself and Little Son.

Logan, Ia., Oct. 8.—Mrs. Anna Lind, the young woman who broke into the W. D. Cromie store at Woodbine early Saturday morning, July 24, and plead guilty in district court here was given an indeterminate sentence of ten years in the penitentiary and will be taken to Anamosa.

Mrs. Lind's mother came to Logan, and after a touching farewell between daughter and mother, and a long parting embrace of the little baby boy the erring mother handed him to his grandmother, and for the first time gave way to tears and convulsive sobs.

There is much said for and against Mrs. Anna Lind, but from a reliable source it seems that the circumstances which led up to the commission of the deed are, in part as follows: About the middle of July last, Fred Lind, the husband of Anna Lind, made the necessary purchases to make a presentable appearance for himself and when he reached home, it is alleged that his wife called his attention to the omitted necessities due her, whereupon the husband informed her to go to town and make her own purchases. Being a determined woman, very poor, without available funds or credits, and smarting under the reply of her husband, and knowing that he was going away from home to be gone some time, and keenly realizing her humiliating and helpless condition, both as to herself, and little boy, she nerved herself to the desperate act of smashing in the rear store window that barred her from what her heart most desired, the raid resulting in her capture, detention, and being sentenced for an indeterminate period of ten years in the penitentiary.

Fred Lind, the husband of the erring girl, is generally censured, and in a measure held responsible for the wrong act in that he neglected to provide his wife with the necessities of life, and instead of doing all in his power to mitigate the offense and lessen the sentence, he cleared himself by an alibi, and without one kind act or consoling word deserted his young wife in her misfortune.

When Anna Lind was brought into the court room filled with curious spectators, there was a determined look upon her pale face and a fixed purpose in her dark blue eyes. A hush fell over the spectators as her case was called, and when she entered a plea of guilty, in answering to the charge of breaking and entering a store in the night, a deathlike stillness prevailed in the room, as the court officials and spectators full well knew the penalty of such a plea.

Fined for Using Profane Language.

Mount Ayr.—When Mayor E. B. Marshall of this city stepped from a train here he was promptly arrested and taken before Justice of the Peace J. W. Lineburd, where he was fined $11.85 on a charge of having used profane and indecent language in the postoffice here recently. The charge was filed by Sheriff Henry W. Tirrell during which the mayor is said to have used some rather strong language. Mayor Marshall pleaded guilty to the charge sentence being pronounced immediately afterwards. Sheriff Tirrell declares he will seek to have the mayor removed from office, under the Cosson law, following the mayor's plea of guilty. Sheriff Tirrell is serving his second term and is an announced candidate for re-election. Mayor Marshall was elected a year ago last March. The incident has caused a stir in the city.

Knoxville's Home Coming Week.

Knoxville.—The people of Knoxville stood with outstretched arms to receive its former citizens who gathered to celebrate the annual home coming known as "Old Home Week." With "Uncle Joe" Cannon, speaker of the lower house of congress, as the main attraction a monster farmers' parade and a carnival with its many diversified forms of amusement as the side shows, the largest crowd that ever assembled in Marion county was in Knoxville on the opening day and another big crowd was present on the second day to hear Senator Cummins.

Sentence Mrs. Swearingen.

Sidney.—Mrs. D. B. Swearingen, who was recently convicted of trying to shoot R. S. Williams, has been sentenced to pay a $500 fine or go to jail for three months. She is 70 years old. She claims that William had defrauded her out of her home.

Weds Another Man.

Colfax.—Miss Ida Penquite was secretly married to C. B. Mulcachy a drug clerk. Miss Fenquite's marriage to G. Dietz had been announced for Oct. 14. Mr. Dietz is a prosperous attorney at Rock Island, Ill.

Wedded in West.

Marshalltown, Iowa.—S. W. Huffford and Miss Grace Sullivan were married a short time ago in Seattle. Both are former Des Moines people. Miss Sullivan was formerly a school teacher in Des Moines.

Iowa Falls Women's Clubs.

Iowa Falls.—Mrs. Charles F. Wilbur has been elected president of the city federation of women's clubs, Mrs. H. F. Anders, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Patten, secretary, and Miss Mary Bliss corresponding secretary.

Bigamist Goes to Prison.

Logan.—S. E. Tidd, the Omaha man with two wives, but no divorce, indicted and convicted of bigamy this term of court, will be taken to the penitentiary to begin his indeterminate sentence of five years.

Assures College for Harlan.

Harlan.—There is great rejoicing in Harlan over the success of the "boosters" in securing the sale of 200 scholarships in the new Inter-State College to be established here. The taking of these 200 scholarships insures the establishment of the school of correspondence of this college, which has more than 1,000 students, and also insures the erection next year of a fine college building on the 200-acre campus hereafter to be known as "College Heights." Harlan has a number of determined citizens who are bound that the city shall go forward in every laudable way.

Loco Weed Sent Into Iowa.

Burlington.—A discovery was made here which has given much concern to stockmen hereabouts. A horse was brought to a local veterinarian which showed every evidence of insanity, butting into the stalls and trying to kill itself. An expert was called, who pronounced the case one of loco caused by eating the loco weed. An investigation showed the hay fed to the horse full of the weed. The hay came from Kansas in large quantities and has been distributed generally throughout this locality. There is fear that some fine stock may become affected.

New Gift to Wesleyan.

Centerville.—A cash gift of $1,000 for the endowment fund of Wesleyan university, of Mount Pleasant, was made by J. W. Williams, of this city, to President E. A. Schell, of the college. Mr. Williams is one of the most liberal Methodists in the Iowa conference, having been the largest contributor when the $50,000 church was built here three years ago. His son, Carl Williams of Chicago, has recently given $5,000 to the same college of which he is an alumnus.

Iowan Commits Suicide.

Lake Mills.—In a livery barn at Crookston, Minn., A. H. Bjoin, a well known resident of this place, committed suicide by shooting. Bjoin was wealthy and several years ago moved with his family to Zion City, Ill., where he resided for a short time, a captive of Dowie, but later returned, when he filed a suit for divorce against his wife, but this was later dismissed.

Professor Fears Blindness.

Iowa City.—With the awful threat of blindness hanging over him, Prof. Isaac A. Loos, head of the department of economics at the state university, has resigned his work temporarily. A leave of absence has been granted Prof. Loos by the university authorities, and after twenty years of continuous service he will soon leave on an extended vacation for California.

Inebriate Tried by Jury.

Mason City.—The first instance of a trial by jury of an inebriate known in this judicial district was finished here when the jury brought in a verdict that William Ash, an old resident of this city, once a soldier of the English army, was a fit candidate for Knoxville. It is thought that no trial by jury of a case of this kind ever occurred in the state before.

Held on Murder Charge.

Leon.—Francis Hamilton, in jail here for the killing of his cousin, Samuel Hamilton, at Davis City, Sept. 27, was given a preliminary hearing before a justice of the peace and held to the grand jury. The killing followed a quarrel over a poker game in which the two Hamilton boys were engaged with a number of others.

Mrs. O. H. Brainerd Elected.

Iowa City.—A meeting of the Elder Daughters of the state university resulted in the election of Mrs. O. H. Brainerd as president. Other officers are: Vice president, Mrs. Guy Johnson; recording secretary, Mrs. Will Reed; historian, Mrs. J. W. Sterling; custodian, Mrs. T. C. Carson; treasurer, Mrs. George Koontz.

Boy Dies on a Train.

St. Anthony.—Before Albert Mahlow, the 14-year-old son of Martin Mahlow, a prominent German farmer living near here, could reach Rochester, Minn., for an operation for tumor of the brain, he died at a Rochester hotel, and his body was brought back here for burial.

Restrains Telephone Merger.

Des Moines.—The transfer of the Mutual Telephone company to the Iowa company was held up by a temporary restraining order issued by Judge McHenry of the district court upon application of seven of the minority stockholders in the Mutual company.

Cute Down Verdict.

Newton.—Judge Wilconson cut the verdict in the case of Hughes against the Rock Island from $15,000 to $10,000. He held that the original verdict was too much. Hughes was injured by a Rock Island train while in Newton on business.

Building Burns at Earlham.

The main building of the Earlham stone quarry, the property of S. A. Robertson of Des Moines, was destroyed by fire. Valuable machinery was housed in the building and it is a total loss. There was no insurance.

Sloan Farmer Train Victim.

Sioux City.—On his return home from an excursion to Ames, Edward Anderson, a farmer living near Sloan, Ia., stepped in front of the excursion train which had carried his as a passenger and was instantly killed.

Prepare for Fruit Men.

Council Bluffs.—Arrangements for the entertainment of large crowds during the horticultural congress and exposition, November 15 to 20 are being made. Prizes worth $35,000 have been hung up for the show.

Move to Des Moines.

Osage.—Col. and Mrs. Alzona Abernethy, have decided to move to Des Moines. They have purchased a home there. For more than thirty years Col. Abernethy has been connected with the Cedar Valley seminary.

TWO MORE KILLED

John Ervin Shoots Divorced Wife and Then Himself.

JEALOUSY GIVEN AS THE CAUSE

Roy Smith Wounded by Slayer, But Will Live—Harry Erwin Tells Sad Story of Estrangement—Father's Warning.

Des Moines, Oct. 8—John D. Ervin, aged 40 years, last evening entered the home of his divorced wife, Mrs. Mattie Ervin, 1714 South Fifth street, fired two bullets at Roy Smith, a boarder who was in the house, then shot his wife dead and sent a bullet crashing through his own brain.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ervin died almost instantly. Smith, wounded slightly, ran across the street and gave the alarm. Neighbors rushed into the Ervin home and found the corpses of the murderer and his victim. The police were notified immediately and took Smith to the Mercy hospital where his wounds were dressed. He will recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin were divorced last spring after almost twenty years of married life. The divorce, according to the statement of their son, Harry, last night, was secured by the mother on charges of cruel and inhuman treatment. The decree gave her the possession of the family home, a substantial residence property located at 1714 South Fifth street, where the murder and suicide occurred last night.

Harry Ervin, aged 19, a hack driver, told the story of the estrangement of his father and mother. He declared that their home had been happy until about two years ago, but after that time they had frequent quarrels and he had been the go-between who prevented a separation for some time. Finally, last spring, he was powerless to continue the relations longer, and his mother secured a divorce.

Last night, about 8 o'clock Harry Ervin was at the union station with his hack, when his father came to him and bade him goodby, saying he was going away. The son thought little of the occurence then, as he was busy, and although he knew his father did not intend to leave the city he had no premonition of the tragedy that was soon to take place.

MAYOR AND POLICE IN BAD

Officials Arrested by Marshal Clark to Answer Charge of Interfering With an Officer.

Marshalltown, Ia., Oct. 8.—A sensation was caused here by the arrest by United States Marshal Clark of Mayor O. L. Ingledue, Deputy Chief of Police Michael Clark, Desk Sergeant R. G. Goodale, Officer Frank Haas, all of the police force, and Deputy Sheriff C. B. Nason, on an indictment of the federal court at Davenport.

The indictment is the result of the action by the police September 25, when E. E. Vanwert, special deputy of the interior department, R. G. Smith and W. A. Talbert, of Tama, and R. G. Holt, the Sioux Indian were arrested and confined in jail while trying to secure evidence against a saloon when Holt attempted to buy liquor and was ejected.

The officers were taken to Davenport.

The government officers were kept in jail over twenty-four hours and it is claimed the mayor refused a release on bonds.

Four other arrests also were made later of Fritz and Sam Wenger, saloonists, Leo McNamara, bartender, and Scott Jones, who was in the saloon at the time.

All will be arraigned in Davenport and tried in Des Moines.

The charge is conspiracy to prevent a federal officer from performing his duty.

Murrow Released on $10,000 Bond.

Des Moines, Oct. 8—Ben Murrow, charged by the coroner's jury with murdering his brother, Charles E. Murrow, and who was incarcerated in the county jail early yesterday morning with a first degree murder charge against him, is at liberty under bonds. He gave bonds of $10,000 before Justice of the Peace F. A. Cope last night, formally waived preliminary hearing and had his case sent direct to the grand jury for action. His father, J. S. Murrow, and his cousin, Charles H. Murrow, are his sureties.

Horack in Byer's Place.

Iowa City, Oct. 8.—H. Claude Horack, professor in the college of law, has been appointed to the University of Iowa in control of athletics, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Prof. L. M. Byers last summer.

Girl Caught Under Car Wheels.

Washington, Ia., Oct. 8.—Edith Bailey, an academy student, 18 years old, was run over by the "firefly" at the Milwaukee station crossing, and may die from her injuries. Her skull is badly crushed and cut and her left hand mangled.

Missing Omaha Man Is Found.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 8.—George W. Bowers, general manager for Armour & Co., who disappeared more than a month ago, has been located at Ft. Francis, Ont.

Killed by Rifle Ball.

LeMars, Oct. 8.—Playing with a rifle was fatal to the 5-year-old son of Frank Wolf. As the child picked up the weapon, the trigger caught in a weed and the rifle was discharged, the bullet piercing the child's heart.

Boy Killed by Auto.

George, Oct. 8.—While attempting to flag an automobile by running before it and waving his hands, Reinhard, 6-year-old son of Richard Schmidt, was struck by the lamp of the machine and instantly killed.

CHEAP LANDS OFFERED BY THE STATE OF COLORADO.

Land for 50c an acre is offered by the State of Colorado in the Little Snake River Valley, Routt County, Colorado, under the Carey Land Act. The perpetual water right to irrigate the land is sold under State authority for $35, under annual assessments extending over ten years.

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The land now under cultivation under this canal system pays an average profit of $20.00 per acre.

Both the Moffat Road and the Union Pacific are building into the district and spending large amounts of money in developing the country.

The Routt County Colonization Company, 1734 Welton Street, Denver, Colorado, is sole agent for the sale of the land and water. There will be no drawing for this land; those desiring to select may make application and select in the order in which they apply.

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Recital of Wrong Calculated to Draw Tears from the Eyes of a Graven Image.

Some miscreant, unresponsive to the beauties of nature and of the sweet charm evoked by the combination of two friends, a starry sky and a broad expanse of moonlit water, some rank materialist whose phlegmatic disposition was never stirred at a philanthropic act, some petty seeker after gain, some rogue, has stolen the broad, comfortable bench so fittingly placed on the Mulberry street wharf by Harry J. Arnold and Robert King. At least the bench has disappeared, and all that meets one's eyes upon the green sward are the two upright posts that supported the back of the seat. No more can lovesick youth stray to its soothing recesses and gaze upon the silvery moon, regent of the night, likening her in his ecstasy to his lady fair. No more, alas, can betrothed pair seek its secrecy and drink the lovelight from each other's eyes, silent but for the words their souls speak through their optics. Again, alas, no more can melancholy philosopher, disgusted with the ways of men, meander to its sequestered place and find companionship only in the placid, smooth running stream and the limitless universe above. In short, all the pleasures derived from this convenience are gone, and we will hereafter be forced to stand or to sit on the edge of the wharf and let our feet dangle.—Bristol Correspondent Doylestown Republican.

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On a Time Limitation.

In spite of the reputation for latitudinarianism he gained from his early trial for heresy, the late Prof. Jowett of Oxford was intolerant of pretentiousness and shallow conceit. One self-satisfied undergraduate met the master one day. "Master," he said, "I have searched everywhere in all philosophies, ancient and modern, and nowhere do I find the evidence of a God." "Mr. ——," replied the master, after a shorter pause than usual, "If you don't find a God by five o'clock this afternoon you must leave this college."

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The Concord Baptist Sunday school of Brooklyn observes the last Sunday in September as "rally day" for the purpose of getting the teachers and scholars together after the vacation season for the fall and winter work of the school. It is not hard, however, to rally the forces, as the school is thoroughly graded and well equipped with the best methods and systems of the most advanced Sunday schools. The exercises this year were interesting, and there was much enthusiasm among the officers, teachers and scholars. In the absence of Superintendent N. B. Dodson, Assistant Superintendent W. E. Tyler presided. The beautiful flag decorations, welcome sign and inspiring music lent an air of cheerfulness to the occasion. The attendance was 500 and the contribution $35.88. The present superintendent has been in charge of the school for seventeen years. He is also president of the New England Baptist Sunday school convention.

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DR. F. S. HARGRAVES.

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Chester Dennie versus Mollie Dennie.

To the above named defendant.

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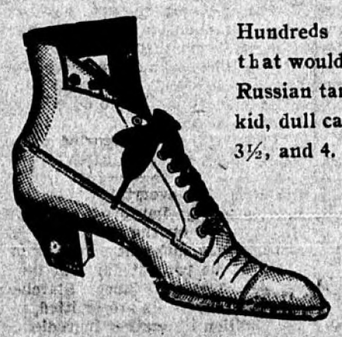

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