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CITY NEWS.

Mrs. Page Brown of Iowa City is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morton.

See Williams about your foot ills. The Foot Comfort Co., Model Drug Store

Mr. Page of Kansas City, Mo., came to our city to remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shepard and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Anderson, of Clive were in our city Sunday attending the funeral of Elmer Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Coyle of Iowa City and little son, Curtis, were the guests of Mrs. Esther Morton of Memorial day.

Mr. George Jones, the father of Vivian Jones, the undertaker, is very dangerously sick at his home, 519 E. Court avenue. His physicians are alarmed.

Miss Martha Leffler, graduate from Drake university this week from the manual training school, the first colored lady to graduate from said university.

Don't suffer with foot troubles. The Foot Comfort Co.

Rev. E. J. Penney passed through the city last Tuesday from Buxton, en route to Mason City. While in Buxton he was kept busy speaking in the churches and conducting Bible classes in the Y. M. C. A. He speaks in highest terms of Buxton's hospitality to the stranger within her gates.

Mrs. Harry Donaldson of Minneapolis who was visiting in our city, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Buckner. She left Saturday for Lovilia, Ia., for a visit with her mother.

The City Federation will convene at the home of Mrs. Emma Piree on 7th street Monday afternoon, July 6th, at which time the desirability of effecting a permanent organization will be decided. All club workers are urged to be in attendance.

Mrs. Jessye E. McClain, Reporter.

The Young Women's club will give their first musical and literary entertainment next Thursday evening, June 18th, at Union Congregational church at 8 o'clock. A splendid program and the public is urged to come out and help those young ladies. Admission only 10 cents.

Our city and state may soon be honored by having an opportunity to hear a lecture from Prof. Wm. Pickins, the Alabama wonder, who won the Ten Eyck oratorical prize at Yale, the highest honors to be given by that great American university. Watch for the announcement later.

Wanted—Several honest, industrious people to distribute Negro literature. Salary, \$60.00 per month. Prof.

Principal Laurence C. Jones of the Piney Woods school, Braxton, Miss., called at the Bystander office Tuesday accompanied by one of his young men students, Edward L. Young, who is working in Iowa for the summer. They were entertained at dinner by Mrs. Emma Piree, mother of the late Louis Watson, who while an instructor in the Piney Woods school taught the young man in several classes.

At the regular annual meeting of North Star Masonic Temple Association held last Monday evening a number of stockholders were present also a few prospective ones. Good reports were made by the officers and it looks that within a short time that if we will only support this Association it will be an honor and credit to the colored people of the state. Most all the members of the old board were re-elected, which is as follows: John L. Thompson, H. E. Jacobs, Gus Watkins, Lee Holt, W. T. Buckner, J. L. Edwards, Rev. W. L. Lee, E. S. Morgan and Mrs. J. L. Thompson.

LOST RELATIVE

Mrs. Millie Harden of Morris county Kansas would like to find her sister, Mrs. Anna Davis of St. Paul, Minn., who was coming to Des Moines, Iowa. Please call at 125 W. 3rd street. Mrs. Millie Harden.

The regular meeting of the monthly Negro Business League held a very interesting and enthusiastic meeting last Monday night at Asbury church. A large crowd was present and several new members were taken in. Mr. D. G. Patterson, the groceryman, read an interesting paper on "Business Enterprises," after which it was decided to elect a delegate to the National Negro Business League, which meets in Muskogee, Okla., in August. John L. Thompson was elected delegate and S. Joe Brown, alternate.

We will make your feet sound again. The Foot Comfort Co.

UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ORGANIZE.

Taking advantage of the presence in the city of a number of colored alumni of the University of Iowa, a meeting was held last Thursday evening in the cafeteria of the Model drug store, conducted by W. Hampton McCree, and an organization was perfected to be known as the Iowa Colored graduates of the University of Iowa, of which there are about twenty-five to date, and husbands and wives as associates. A dainty luncheonette was served, after which the following officers were elected: S. Joe Brown, liberal arts '98, law '01, president; Miss Letta E. Cary, liberal arts '12, now professor of modern languages in Bishop college, Marshall, Texas, first vice president; Laurence C. Jones, liberal arts '07, founder and principal of the Piney Ridge Normal and Industrial institute at Braxton, Miss., second vice president; Miss Adah F. Hyde, Des Moines, liberal arts '12, recording secretary; Archie A. Alexander, Des Moines, civil engineer '12, corresponding secretary; Wade Hampton McCree, pharmaceutical graduate '13, treasurer.

It is the purpose of the organization to hold the annual meeting some time in June of each year.

THE LYCEUM.

At the meeting of the Des Moines Negro Lyceum on Tuesday evening Miss Georgia Blagburn gave an interesting review of the June Crisis, which was followed by general discussion, and report was heard from the committee on alumni banquet to the effect that they had secured the cooperation of all the churches of the city, also the Capital City corner band to assist in giving a monster demonstration at Corinthian Baptist church Tuesday evening, June 30th, in honor of the 1914 high school and college graduates of our race in the city and state. The meeting next week will be with the president, Mr. Gustavus Durdan, at the residence of Atty. J. B. Rush, 1547 West Twentieth street, at which time the semi-annual election of officers will be held.

O. E. S. CELEBRATE.

On last Sunday afternoon the two chapters of the Order of the Eastern Star of this city observed Esther Day in a most fitting manner with divine services at St. Paul's A. M. E. church. The services were in charge of Mrs. Addie French, grand conductress of the grand chapter and also W. M. of Oziel chapter, No. 9, of which chapter almost the full membership were out in full regalia and were given valuable assistance by the members of Zorah chapter, No. 10. Rev. S. Bates pronounced the invocation. Mrs. Jeella Robinson read the scripture lesson and Rev. T. L. Griffith of the Corinthian Baptist church and a member of Oziel chapter delivered an eloquent and instructive sermon upon the subject, "Following the Eastern Star."

Mrs. J. L. Thompson, W. M. of Zorah chapter, gave a comprehensive history of the order and Mesdames F. P. Johnson and J. H. Reynolds contributed solos, the latter entitled "Star of the East."

Among the distinguished members of the fraternity upon the rostrum were John L. Thompson, grand master of Masons; S. Joe Brown, senior grand warden of Masons and past grand patron of O. E. S.; Rev. J. H. Reynolds, past grand chaplain of O. E. S.; Mrs. Maude M. Wilkerson, grand matron of Jericho and Mrs. S. Joe Brown, grand lecturer of O. E. S.

MORE COLORED ENTERPRISES.

This week we are pleased to announce three more new enterprises conducted by colored people. First, a new restaurant in the city market house was opened this week by S. C. Thompson of 524 S. E. Twenty-fifth street, who has been running the Des Moines Packing house lunch room so successfully for the past two years. This will be a modern, up-to-date restaurant, one where all people can go and enjoy first class service. Mr. Thompson is an experienced caterer and we hope for him success. The second new business is a new grocery store, which will soon be opened by Mr. Geese on the corner of S. E. Twenty-sixth and Murry streets. Mr. Geese is just moved here from Oklahoma and has bought the ground and building on this corner. We bespeak for him success. The third is that of a new hotel of twenty rooms, completely modern, with telephone service, which will be opened next month in the new building on Ninth and Park streets by John L. Thompson, the first hotel that our colored people of Des Moines ever owned.

CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM.

The following program will be given by St. Paul's Sunday school on June 14th: Opening song by school. Invocation by pastor. Scripture reading, Assistant Supt. Mr. Rufus Jackson. Song by school. Address by Mrs. B. U. Taylor. Children's day exercises, four little girls. Our gift class No. 1, Sister Glass. Duet, Mary Morrison and Lilian Hortense Woods. Oration, John Roscoe Brown. Recitation, Carlene Kelly. Solo, Miss Marie Payton. Reading, Miss Dora Newcombe. Recitation, Martha Kennedy. Duet, Miss Beatrice Turner and Miss Vivian Warlick. Reading, Miss Osceola Jones. Recitation, Cecil Roland. Exercises by class No. 3, Miss Margaret Davis. The public is invited to come.

ALBIA NEWS.

Mrs. Julia Postum, aunt of Mrs. Albie Bowman, was brought to Albia from Buxton and buried in Oak View cemetery.

Mesdames Andrew Smith and Burton and their children, were Buxton visitors this week.

Mr. Earl Bowman is employed in Knoxville for the summer.

On Sunday of last week Messrs. John E. Lewis, Luther Bennings and Earl Bowman and others were Des Moines visitors.

Mrs. Sarah Beasley was a visitor at the home of her mother at No. 3 mines this week.

Mrs. Burt Allen of this city is visiting with her brother in Ottumwa this week.

Mr. J. Jameson was an Ottumwa visitor over Sunday.

Mr. Monroe Davis returned home Tuesday from Wiggins, Colo., where he spent ten months with his daughter, Delia, and son, Wallace, on a claim.

Mr. James Burton has been employed at the Albia electric light and power house.

The little Hayes children are sick at their home with the whooping cough.

Mr. Chas. Davis was a Buxton visitor over Sunday.

Monday evening the Sewing Circle club entertained at the home of Lucinda Jones.

Rev. R. B. Manly was an Ottumwa visitor one day of last week.



The above cut is that of Mrs. Francis Baker of Davenport, Ia., an active club woman and a great church worker. She attended the Iowa State Federation last week.



The above cut is the likeness of Wm. H. Harper of Ft. Madison, Iowa, who received the degree of A. B. from the college of liberal arts and science, Howard University Washington, D. C. Wednesday June 3rd.

Mr. Harper is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Harper Ft. Madison, Ia. He was a graduate of the Ft. Madison High school in 1908.

He is a young man of great ambition and possesses many excellent traits of character. We wish for him much success in this the commencement of his life career.

A GOOD SESSION.

The twenty-fourth session of Grand Court of Heronies of Jericho of Iowa and jurisdiction met Tuesday, June 9, with Mount Olive court, No. 4. They had a very pleasant session this year and are doing good work throughout the jurisdiction. They elected for their grand officers for the ensuing year: Mrs. Maude Wilkerson of Des Moines, worthy grand matron; Mrs. Ella Tarver, Moline, Ill., vice grand matron; Mrs. Bertha Hanger of Des Moines, grand secretary; Mrs. C. B. Wood of Des Moines, grand treasurer; Rev. Searcy of Monmouth, Ill., worthy grand Joshua.

Their next grand session will be held in Davenport, Iowa.

A banquet was held Tuesday night and remarks were made by representatives of Princess Oziel chapter, No. 9, and Princess Zorah chapter, No. 10. The past patron of the grand lodge of Iowa, Mr. S. Joe Brown, made a few remarks, also Mr. Wilson, patron of Princess Oziel chapter, No. 9, and Mrs. Jessie McClain, Princess Zorah chapter, No. 10.

Response by Mrs. Tarver of Moline, Ill. Closing remarks by Rev. Searcy of Monmouth. Every one enjoyed themselves and had a pleasant time.

OBITUARY.

Richardson.

Mr. Elmer Richardson, who was recently brought from Milwaukee, Wis., here died last Friday night at the Methodist hospital, after several months of suffering. He was a Des Moines boy, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Richardson, who died in our city some years ago. Elmer was 30 years old and had been married. He leaves a sister, Miss Zoe Richardson, and many relatives and friends in this city to mourn his loss.

Rev. Bruce U. Taylor conducted the funeral services, assisted by Rev. M. W. Alexander.

Samantha Phillipot.

Mrs. Samantha Phillipot died at the Methodist hospital last week (Wednesday), after undergoing a surgical operation. She was 61 years old. The body was shipped back to her old home in Salsbury, Mo., for interment.

MOBERLY, MO., NOTES.

Mrs. Lula Cook, after spending several weeks at home, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Leila Cook, returned to her home in Des Moines, Iowa, Monday night.

The remains of Mr. Geo. Richerson were tenderly laid to rest Sunday in Oakland cemetery, under the auspices of the U. B. F. lodge.

Mrs. Black and Mrs. Cook spent Sunday and Monday in Booneville. While there they were the guests of Mrs. Bell Tolbert.

Little Miss Myra Pullum left for her home in Fayette. She was accompanied by Miss Idell Whitesell, who will be her guest for several days.

Miss Sofia Athouse is at home, after spending several days in Kansas City, the guest of her friends.

Miss Myra Pullum of Fayette, Mo., was week guest of Mrs. A. C. Black and family.

Master Gerald Meredith spent several hours with Mrs. A. C. Black. A good rain is very much needed now.

Mrs. Mayme Quinn left Sunday for a month's sojourn in Louisiana, Mo. While there she will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leveille.

Mr. A. C. Black has ordered one hundred pair of skates last week for ladies and gentlemen for August 3d. There were nine muttons ordered last week for the celebration. Look out for the advertisement and bills will be out the last of next week.

SIOUX CITY, IOWA.

Naomi chapter, No. 7, O. E. S., observed Esther day as is their annual custom at the A. M. E. church June 7. Rev. J. H. Garrison delivered a splendid sermon for the occasion.

Decatur lodge, No. 14, held their annual election of officers June 1, and the following were elected: W. M., Mr. M. Askew; S. W., Mr. John Shores; J. W., Mr. Ed Askew; treasurer, Mr. T. H. Sturges; secretary, Mr. J. W. Norris.

The Art and Culture club met with Mrs. J. H. Garrison last Friday. After a business session the afternoon was brought to a close by the hostess serving a dainty luncheon.

Naomi chapter, No. 7, O. E. S., will give a benefit entertainment June 30th at the Odd Fellows hall. Admission will be 10 cents.

Mr. Jesse Jackson is in the city visiting with old friends.

Mr. Richard Cowan left Monday evening on a short tour through North and South Dakota.

Rev. J. H. Garrison organized a group of little girls ranging in age from 6 to 12 into a sewing class May 27th, which will meet each Saturday afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock in the church parlors. The club is to be known as the "Sewing Sprout," and the following officers were elected: President, Beulah Wilkerson; vice president, Alice Johnson; secretary, Helen Wright; treasurer, Phyllis Anderson.

Miss Arabelle Dowdy, who is the delegate from the A. M. E. Sunday school, will leave Tuesday morning for Mt. Pleasant to attend the Sunday school convention. Miss Golda Hackley will also attend the sessions.

Sunday was rally day at the Mt. Zion Baptist church.

Mrs. Jas. Washington, one of our old residents, wife of Rev. Washington of Denver, Colo., is in the city for an indefinite stay. She is stopping with Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Garrison.

The A. I. P. club were the guests of Mrs. M. Thompson last Friday. After the program was rendered the afternoon was concluded by the serving of a delightful luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Harper have arrived in the city to take up their residence. Mrs. Harper has been a teacher in the schools of Oklahoma and Mr. Harper hails from Centerville, S. D.

Rev. J. H. Garrison departed Monday morning for Council Bluffs, en route to Mt. Pleasant to attend the district conference, which convenes there.

A lawn fete will be given by the stewardesses of the A. M. E. church at the home of Mrs. R. Cowan, 612 Ninth street, June 15. Let everyone come and help make it a success.

Send in your subscription.

BOONE, IOWA.

Rev. S. W. Stansbury left Monday for the seat of the district conference, which convenes at Mt. Pleasant on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Miss Tillie Moll gave a delightful dinner party. Covers were laid for fourteen and the decorations were pink and green.

We are glad to know that Mr. Will Ruse has fully recovered from a severe illness and is back home again.

Mrs. Lula Dixon has moved in one of Mr. Ruse's beautiful houses, where she will be at home to all of her many friends.

Miss Satie White and Mr. Chas. Colman left for Mt. Pleasant to attend the Sunday school convention.

Mrs. B. F. Taylor entertained Mrs. Stansbury and Mrs. Frank Harding at a three-course dinner Wednesday, June 3, 1914.

Mrs. Mary Clay is still confined to the house.

The A. M. E. Sunday school is preparing an extensive program for Children's day. Those who will render special service are Miss White, Mrs. Milton and Miss Moll.



MRS. GERTRUDE E. DURDEN-RUSH, A. B. elected for the fourth time president of the Iowa State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs.



The above cut is that of Mrs. Maude M. Wilkerson, who was elected last Tuesday as the Ancient Grand Matron of Heronies of Jericho for her fourth consecutive time. Mrs. Wilkerson is one of the leading church, society and club workers in Iowa. She was born in Chillicothe, Mo., and taught school there. She is Grand Treasurer of the Elcta Grand Chapter of O. E. S. of Iowa and a member of Iowa Federation of Colored Women's clubs.

WASHINGTON, IOWA, NOTES.

Friends in the city were sorry to learn of the death of Walter Birney at Des Moines. Walter was a resident barber here at one time, being in the employ of Geo. W. Black.

We read with interest the synopsis of the patriotic speech of the Rev. D. W. Brown of Muscatine, which he delivered to the high school at that place. The daily press spoke very highly of it.

Rev. Bell left Tuesday morning for Mt. Pleasant to attend the district conference of the Des Moines district of the A. M. E. church. Mrs. Minola Bell, district Sunday school superintendent, the Misses Lula Gwinn, Helen Motts and Marie Whaley and Mr. T. L. Burnett left Wednesday night for the same place to attend the district Sunday school convention.

James Turner's son, who has been quite sick with whooping cough, is much better at this writing.

Mrs. N. L. Black and Walter Williams have returned from a Chicago visit.

Miss Marie Whaley graduated from the high school June 4th with high honors. She was a member of the largest class ever graduated from our high school.

Leon Motts of Chicago visited at the parental F. D. Motts home last week. Howard Motts is expected this week from East St. Louis for a visit at the Motts home.

Mesdames Jas. Redd and Annie Cecile are home from the Federation of Women's clubs, held at Des Moines, and speaks in highest terms of the entertainment accorded them while there.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron

Howard passed away Wednesday night of last week and was buried Friday afternoon. The sympathy of friends is extended to the bereaved ones.

Mrs. Sarah Armstrong, who went to Tram, Tenn., about two months ago for her health, died at that place on Sabbath, May 31. The remains arrived here June 2 and the funeral was held from the James Turner home on Wednesday. She is survived by Robt. Armstrong, the pugilist, who is in England, and the brother at whose home she died, and a host of distant relatives. Mrs. Armstrong had been a resident here for over forty years. Rev. Bell officiated at the funeral services.

Mrs. Wm. Taylor of Rock Island, Ill., spent Decoration day in this city. Rev. Thorne of the M. E. church filled the pulpit of Rev. Bell at the A. M. E. church last Sabbath evening. A powerful discourse it was, too. It was rally day for the church and very successful.

OTTUMWA, IOWA.

Rev. S. B. Moore has been the guest of Ottumwa a week. He held his third quarterly meeting Sunday and left Tuesday morning in company with Rev. A. N. Webb and Rev. N. R. Morgan of Clarinda, who visited his daughter, Mrs. Barnett.

A number of families enjoyed a supper and moonlight picnic Tuesday evening at Caldwell park.

Earl Wagoner will represent Mt. Zion A. M. E. church at Mt. Pleasant at district conference.

Sewing Circle met with Mrs. Cleo Thompson on Friday afternoon.

The Silver Thimble club met with Mrs. H. Robinson on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Green, superintendent of Mt. Zion A. M. E. Sunday school; Mrs. Ruth Black, delegate; Miss Zella Clark and Mrs. H. Owens, sub-district superintendent, will attend the Sunday school convention in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Lillie Bailey of Omaha is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elliott.

The Benevolent club met with Mrs. O. Strothers on the South Side. Mrs. Emma Smith brought in an excellent report from the Federation. She also was elected second vice president and appointed on the board of national convention of colored women.

Mrs. G. Bailey was taken seriously ill Sunday afternoon and is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Q. B. Taylor is very sick. She had to take her bed again. She had been slowly improving, but took a relapse.

The members of the Second Baptist church and friend gave a surprise on Mrs. T. J. Carr on Thursday afternoon.

A number of friends surprised Mrs. Ella Greaver on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mae McGill has been slightly indisposed, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Abbie Campbell has been sick for a few days.

Rev. B. R. Manley of Albia was an over Sunday visitor. He assisted Rev. S. B. Moore in the quarterly meeting services. While in the city he was the guest of Mr. O. Williams.

Rev. N. B. Lowery of Fairfield was in the city a few hours last Tuesday on his way to Keosauqua to hold his quarterly meeting.

Stomach Troubles.

Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all dealers.

DAVENPORT NOTES.

Mrs. H. Hoskins returned home from Fort Madison, after spending three weeks in that city.

Mrs. Jacoby has returned home, after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Perkins.

The Third Baptist church celebrated their rally success last Sunday with a very elaborate program.

Sunday was the windup of the grand rally at Bethel A. M. E. church. Rev. T. B. Stovall told his congregation that if they raised \$200 he would raise \$100. Three hundred and thirty-two dollars and forty cents was the total collected, of which the elder raised \$125. Marmaduke Hare, dean of Grace cathedral, Episcopal, delivered a very able sermon at the evening service. Everyone was much pleased with the success.

Miss N. Morris of Keokuk, Iowa, who has been visiting at the residence of the late Mrs. L. Holmes for several weeks, returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. Harper, a sister of the late Mrs. L. Holmes, left for Minneapolis on Tuesday evening, where she will make her future home with her brother.

Mr. Bacon of Paducah, Ky., is visiting his brother, Mr. Bacon, of East Locust street and his sister, Mrs. Hawke, who he has not seen for twenty-five years.

The Allen Leagues of the tri-cities met in union last Wednesday night at Bethel A. M. E. church. Rev. Butler of Oskaloosa delivered an eloquent lecture upon the "Origin of the African A. M. E. Church and the Good It Has Done." Those present were P. E. I. N. Daniels of Keokuk district, Rev. Geo. Slater of Clinton, Iowa, Dr. Saunders of Rock Island and Rev. A. Boyd of Moline, Ill., and Dist. Deputy Mrs. Ruth Bright. Devotional exercises were led by the pastor, Rev. T.

B. Stovall. Welcome address was made by the president of Allen League of Davenport, Mrs. C. H. Marshall.

Rev. T. B. Stovall is doing great work in Davenport. Three times we have been honored by the Rt. Rev. B. F. Lee, bishop of the Fourth Episcopal district. It shows that the church is in a progressive state.

QUINCY, ILL.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Draper Lee, who died Sunday evening at 6 o'clock p. m., occurred at the home of her mother, Mrs. Maggie Draper. Ours heartfelt sympathy is extended through the Bystander to the bereft.

Mrs. Mamie Harris is confined to her home with a sprained foot.

Mrs. Emma J. Caldwell, D. G. M. N. G., of Eden district, H. H. of R., of Illinois and jurisdiction, made her annual visit to 213 H. H. of Quincy on June 2nd and the members were delighted over the lecture and hopes to have her return again.

The annual sermon of the U. B. of F's and S. M. T's was held Sunday at Bethel A. M. E. church. Rev. T. L. Smith preached the sermon, which was an able one. Both lodges had a goodly number of new members.

Miss R. M. Johnson is home from Kansas City, Kans., where she taught school last year.

BURLINGTON, IOWA.

St. John's A. M. E. church is undergoing great repair, under the auspices of Mrs. John Trent.

The Sunday school convention of the Keokuk district will convene in this city June 17th and 18th and the committees are working hard to make this event a great success.

The Industrial Art club gave a bazaar at the home of Mrs. J. Bland on South Sixth street Thursday evening, which was a success both financially and spiritually.

Blind Boone Concert company rendered an excellent program to a large audience at St. John's A. M. E. church Monday evening. Everybody present was well pleased. Refreshments were served after the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kenely were called to Fort Madison last week on account of the serious illness of Mr. Kenely's mother and sister.

Mr. Herman Griggs of Clarinda, Iowa, is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Clarence Baker, at 217 S. Ninth street.

A great number of strangers from nearby cities attended the concert in this city Monday evening.

Mrs. Clarence Baker, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is improving nicely.

For An Impaired Appetite.

To improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion try a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets. Mr. J. H. Seitz, of Detroit, Mich., says: "They restored my appetite when impaired, relieved me of a bloated feeling and caused a pleasant and satisfactory movement of the bowels." For sale by all dealers.

GALESBURG, ILL.

Rev. S. L. Birt, one of the trustees of Wilberforce college, leaves Thursday to attend the commencement exercises and business meetings.

The Thimble Circle met with Mrs. James Wagner on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. E. Roberts of Minneapolis is visiting relatives and friends here. Mrs. Rogers of Moline spent Thursday and Friday here, the guest of Mrs. Ella Delward.

Mrs. Lillie Wilder is attending the Sunday school convention at Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Jessie Winston and daughter, Thelma Scott, of Omaha are in the city

ALASKA'S BOUNDARY

Line Is Marked by Approximately 200 Monuments.

United States and Canada Have Been Jealously Working on Project Since 1907—Distance Over 600 Miles—Markers Massive.

Washington.—Scarring a broad line across 600 miles of wilderness in the far North, in order that the possessions of the United States and Canada may have a distinct separation at every point, will be completed during the coming open season. The work has been in progress since 1907, under the direction of Thomas Riggs, Jr., civil engineer, representing the United States Alaskan boundary commission, and T. D. Craig, representing a similar commission of Canada.

Although the United States and Canada have been neighbors in the far North for over a half century, the exact dividing line between their possessions, especially as to the northern portion, was, previous to this survey, indefinite and conflicting. Many disputes arising, the two governments decided finally, through their commissions, that an absolute survey, clearly established and marked for all time, should be made along the 141st meridian, from the St. Elias mountains, on the Pacific, to the Arctic ocean, a distance of approximately 600 miles.

The United States surveying party consisted of from 60 to 80 men each season since the work was undertaken. Chief Engineer Riggs, himself a young college man, selected his aids from the hardest classes—cowboys, forest rangers, prospectors, timber cruisers and frontiersmen, with a liberal sprinkling of engineers. New expeditions were organized each spring, although many of the men who started at the beginning have remained in the service up to now. It was the custom, too, to leave a few men in the North each winter to care for equipment and supplies.

The actual visible result of the six or seven years of efforts is a 20-foot vista cut, like a gigantic avenue, or lane, through all timber and brush districts, together with monuments set at intervals of points, from three to four miles apart.

The monuments erected are of two types, depending upon the importance of the locality. At prominent stream crossings and main points of travel the line marker consists of a five-foot aluminum-bronze shaft, weighing 300 pounds, set in 2,000 pounds of concrete. At less important points the monument is smaller, being designated as a cone, cast of the same metal, and weighing only 500 pounds of concrete for the base. There are approximately 200 of these monuments along the 600 miles of boundary. The work of conveying the heavy materials for their construction, mostly on pack animals, sometimes on the shoulders of the men themselves, was very slow and laborious.

This survey is declared by engineers to be the straightest of the world for the length encompassed.

In speaking of it one of the engineers said:

"The start was made from one of the desolate peaks of the St. Elias mountains, on the southern extremity. There we laid our course straight for the Northern Lights, and thereafter averaged not so much as a hair breadth—peaks, gulches, bottomless swamps—wherever the needle pointed there we went, one day cutting our way through brush across marshes, another day crawling over rocks and through crevasses."

Small steamers plying the Yukon and Porcupine rivers co-operated with the expedition, but they were able to reach with supplies only a small portion of the actual route. South of the Yukon is a vast region, over 250 miles in extent, over which all supplies had to be transported, for the most part, on the backs of horses and mules, the commissary wagons being rendered useless by the terrible mud which follows the escape of frost from the soil in that region.

A preliminary report of the investigation into the methods of marketing American wool, now being conducted by the United States department of agriculture, indicates that from 10 to 20 per cent of the value of the crop is lost annually through the neglect of a few simple measures. Under existing conditions, when American and Australian wools lie side by side in the warehouse, the poor handling of American wools is so noticeable that the price is inevitably affected. This handicap would be removed to a great extent if all growers would agree to do four things:

To Improve Wool Handling

Sack ewe, lamb, and buck fleeces in separate bags. Shear black sheep separately and keep the fleeces separate. Tie the fleeces with paper twine, which does not adhere to the wool. Remove the tags or dung locks and put them in separate sacks marked to show their contents.

Figures prepared by the bureau of statistics, and based on reports from 283 growers who sheared in 1913 a total of 2,269,000 sheep, show that at the present time about one-half of the flock owners sack ewe, lamb and buck wool separately, about 60 per cent separate the black fleeces and tie with paper twine, and less than one-half put tags in separate sacks. It is pointed out, however, that the cor-

respondents who took the trouble to answer the inquiries of the investigators and from whose replies these statistics are compiled, presumably represent the more progressive element in the industry, and that if it were possible to obtain the facts from every wool grower in the country, the percentage of those using the improved methods would be found to be much lower.

It is pointed out also that although, on the face of them, these returns do not seem so unsatisfactory, the value of wools produced in a given locality is set by the general reputation already established. Buyers will not alter their prices for small individual clips, though they may be better handled than the average, and in consequence those who do put up their wool properly are made to suffer for the sins of their neighbors.

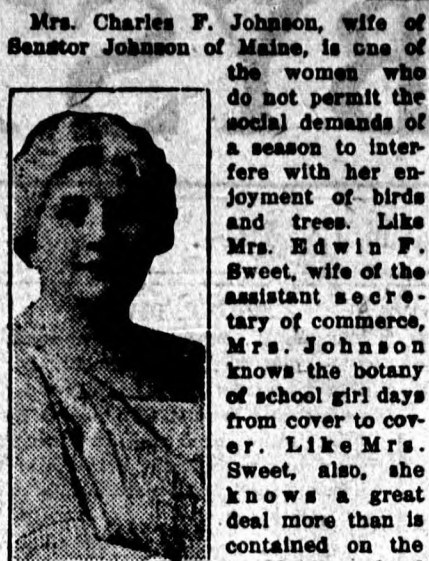
Buying concerns can, and may, however, allow their representatives more latitude in discriminating between individual clips. But even should they do so, prices could be altered only for clips of sufficient size to yield around 10,000 pounds of each grade contained.

Fifty-nine cases were reported in which dockage for tags was made upon the whole clip, although the tags had been separately sacked.

The remedy, the investigators declare, is to raise the reputation of a locality by an agreement among the growers not to permit any poorly handled wool to leave the community.

MRS. JOHNSON HAS GREAT LOVE FOR BIRDS

Mrs. Charles F. Johnson, wife of Senator Johnson of Maine, is one of the women who do not permit the social demands of a season to interfere with her enjoyment of birds and trees. Like Mrs. Edwin F. Sweet, wife of the assistant secretary of commerce, Mrs. Johnson knows the botany of school girl days from cover to cover. Like Mrs. Sweet, also, she knows a great deal more than is contained on the well-thumbed



pages of this text book on botany, for during 25 years or more of intimate acquaintance with outdoor life she has learned many nature truths for herself.

At Mrs. Johnson's summer home at Belgrade Lakes, Me., she and Senator Johnson have for years played hosts to their friends of the feathered tribes. Food and drink for the birds are put

daily in the trees on their place, and are every day consumed with evident relish by their little guests. Mrs. Johnson knows all the birds and wild flowers of her home state, and during the three years that she spent in Washington since her husband was elected to the senate, she has not relinquished her outdoor interests and activities.

"It is appalling to think," says Mrs. Johnson, "what a meager knowledge of American history many of the younger generation have. I suppose they learn the dates and names of revolutionary war battles when they are at school, but these can mean nothing very vital to them, else they would not be forgotten so soon. If every American mother presented her child in a vivid and picturesque way the story of the founding of the American republic; if she made Washington, Jefferson, Hamilton, Webster, Clay and other statesmen real heroes to her boy and girl, instead of so many names, why she would endow her children with the priceless heritage. The daughters of the Revolution have done a great work in founding also the Children of the Revolution, but every American mother should feel it part of the duty of motherhood to teach her child American history."

MISS BOAS ON THE GYMNASICS OF BREATHING

The act of respiration being done unconsciously for the most part, people are generally surprised when told that they do not know how to breathe correctly, and that to this ignorance may be attributed the predisposition to take colds of all sorts and the celebrated national nasal twang of Americans.

"Is it not extraordinary that a woman will spend a fortune on her clothes, her hair, her complexion and her figure, and neglect entirely to care for her voice?" asks Miss Franziska Boas, an alert young German who is teaching New York women how to overcome the effects of the neglect of voice hygiene.

"The whole effect of smart clothes and a beautiful face and figure is lost when such a woman opens her mouth to speak. And the cure is a comparatively simple thing—just a matter of correct breathing and voice placing. 'You Americans speak so far back in your throat! Of course it is partly due to the language, which has, few

rich vowel sounds, but the English speak the same language and nasal speech is much rarer with them, probably because they give the vowels a deeper value than Americans do. But this habit of using chiefly the muscles in the back of the throat for speaking makes for nasal tones and overstrains those muscles so that hoarseness and colds result.

"You speak with your breath instead of on it, that is, you use your breath to help to enunciate words instead of letting the words float out on the breath.

"Every one who has studied singing with a reputable teacher knows that the placing of the voice and its very quality, almost, depend upon correct breathing. But the great majority of just average people go about speaking nasally or otherwise unpleasantly and attributing the fact, if indeed they pay any attention to it at all, upon the way God made them. But it is really due to the way they made themselves by breathing incorrectly.

"Of course if there are obstructions in the upper air passages, such as adenoids and other growths, these must be removed, but their removal is not enough. People who have had these afflictions have grown so accustomed to breathing in a certain way while the passages were obstructed that even after they are cleared they keep the same bad breathing habits."

MRS. OSBORNE IS A CHARMING HOSTESS

When royalty deigns to visit this land, the first assistant secretary of state becomes a national hero, as witness the popularity of David Jayne Hill following the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia. But even when royalty stays at home the first assistant secretary occupies a pleasant post as to social considerations and a vastly important one in the political sense.

The present assistant, Mr. Osborne, formerly member of congress from Wyoming, and later governor of the same state, has stepped into the inherited traditions of the office and may be described as one of the more forceful influences of the administration.

The officials of the state department and the ladies of their families dwell in peace and unity together. Mrs. Bryan habitually has Mrs. Osborne

as her chief aid on Wednesday afternoons, and whenever tradition sanctions a general entertainment of the foreign corps.

Apart from her aid to Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. Osborne has some imposing duties of her own. Usually she receives on Tuesday and her drawing rooms are crowded to their capacity. Diplomats, like others, prefer to have duty lie along a primrose path, as it does when the wife of an exalted official of the foreign office is so charming, young and vivacious.

Mrs. Osborne is rather a unique person in that she has never joined any sort of club here or at home. She claims membership in only one organization and that is the Presbyterian church.

"Not that everything going on does not interest me," she explained; "far from that, I delight in knowing what is happening, but I never felt that I could materially aid any good cause except by encouragement and approval. I find myself rather perplexed to pronounce final judgment and I like to await developments. Perhaps later on, I may give actual expression to my approval of various good causes by joining the ranks of workers."

WHERE THE CRADLE IS IN THE CURRICULUM

The Kansas State Agricultural college, located at Manhattan, Kan., is the finest maternal home in that state. Dean (Mrs.) Van Flee is teaching girls how to be wives and mothers. There are 8,000 students attending this college and 1,100 of them are young women. Now just figure out for yourself the excellent chances for matrimony this affords any enterprising young woman who wishes to choose matrimony and motherhood for her career.

If a girl graduates from Manhattan without at least one proposal, it is her own fault. Most of them return home with an engagement to their credit. Nearly every senior girl in the graduating class of 1914 is engaged to be married and is pursuing her classes in home economics with the laudable ambition to learn how to make her own home happy and enduring.

Statistics prove that the Manhattan girls are successful home-makers. Of the 891 living graduates of the school during the past ten years, 416 are happy wives and mothers—the majority of them living on farms.

In the last ten years there have been graduated from this college 1,473 men and 329 women. Of these 229 women, 36 are dead. Of the remaining 891, 416, as I said, are housewives. There are 118 still unmarried—as yet—and living at home with their parents; 290 are teaching in high schools and colleges of the different states. We might say right here that a Manhattan graduate is always in demand, according to the scads and scads of letters that pour into the college in the spring asking about possible teachers for other schools.

The physician's profession has claimed six young women from Manhattan, while there are six nurses, five journalists and nine stenographers. Only one has taken up dressmaking for a livelihood, but four were brave enough to operate farms of their own. And that isn't all of the story. The most vital significance of these statistics lies in the fact that in 50 years there have been but three divorces among the Manhattan graduates!

Of these divorces, two of the husbands repented and reformed and were forgiven and remarried by the wives. The third divorce stands—for excellent reasons.

was a broken bottle. On the face of Rastus was an expression of great sadness.

"What in the world has happened, Uncle Rastus?" solicitously asked one of the party. "Have you broken your bottle of gin?"

"Yes, sah, boss! & Yea, sah!" was mournful reply of Uncle Rastus, as he pointed to the broken bottle. "Dar's Easter come an' gone."

Even when two hearts beat as one they sometimes make a discord.

SANDWICHES THAT ARE FINE

With a Little Preparation They May Be Made Choice Morsels Fit for Any Afternoon Tea.

An ingenious woman who prides herself on her sandwiches bakes the bread in round tin cans from which she has removed vegetables. When she wants an especially small and dainty sandwich she uses large-sized baking powder cans. The slices from the round loaves make dainty sandwiches.

To make perfumed butter sandwiches, both the bread and butter must be scented. The butter pats, wrapped in thin cheesecloth, or the thinnest of cotton, are put in a china bowl lined with blossoms of flowers. More blossoms are then heaped over the butter. Then the cover is put on securely, that it may be airtight, and the bowl is put in a cool place. The loaves of bread are also treated in the same fashion.

Take crisp new potatoes, slice evenly, and spread over them finely minced celery and mayonnaise dressing. Place this mixture between triangles of homemade bread.

Prepare a French dressing and dip into it slices of cucumber peeled. Lay these between slices of thin white bread, buttered. Prepare these sandwiches only a short while before they are to be eaten or they will become soggy.

A sweet pepper sandwich is a delicate bit to serve for luncheon, and is made by spreading between slices of bread a filling made of peppers and Neuchatel or cream cheese. Chop the peppers very fine and mix them with cheese and a few drops of olive oil or with a little rich sweet cream. Use in the proportion of one-third pepper to two-thirds cheese.

Use thin slices of wheat bread, buttered, cut in heart shape. Between each two slices place a layer of Neuchatel cheese mixed to a paste with equal quantities of cream and salad dressing, and cover with chopped olives.

Take the left-over bit of potato salad, add to it some minced cold boiled ham and spread it between slices of buttered bread.

Letture with a layer of horseradish on either side and placed on well buttered bread makes an excellent sandwich.

USE FOR FIRELESS COOKER

Breakfast May Be Prepared the Night Before and Enjoyed in the Morning.

Nobody appreciates better than the man or woman forced by circumstances to make an early start of mornings, the convenience and comfort of a fireless cooker. It is disheartening to most folks to go out in the morning—say at seven or even at six—and snatch breakfast en route. With the aid of a fireless cooker—a very small one will do—and a percolator, a breakfast may be enjoyed luxuriously in one's bathroom.

Oatmeal, brought to a simmer the night before and tucked cozily to bed in the fireless cooker, will emerge in the morning steaming and deliciously cooked. Coffee and water placed in the percolator before retiring need only the touch of match to alcohol wick during the morning process of dressing, to be ready, hot and steaming, when the oatmeal is placed on the table. Rolls and a bottle of cream, left by baker and milkman outside the door, will complete a breakfast—with perhaps an orange thrown in—that will sustain the average worker comfortably until the luncheon hour comes around.

To Destroy Ants. The warm, damp days always bring ants. The only way to get rid of these insects is to destroy their nests. But it is often difficult to locate them. A good plan is to place little mounds of coarse ground sugar around. The ants will each take up a grain and make their nest with it, so should be watched. When the nest is found, drench it with kerosene or a strong solution of carbolic acid. Ants dislike the smell of camphor. This scattered around will keep them away, but as they are usually around food, camphor is scarcely practical, because of its strong odor, which the foods may absorb. In such a case try sprinkling with red pepper.

Linen Closet.

Linen stored in a closet warm and poorly ventilated will become yellow and will crack earlier than if stored otherwise. The properly constructed linen closet should be in a cool, dry place. Each shelf should be covered with linen slips fastened up with drawing pins. Have the linen slips broad enough to fold back and cover the contents of the shelves. Old sheets may be used for this purpose.

Glazed Carrots With Peas. Wash and scrape carrots, then cut in strips. There should be four cups. Cook in salted boiling water to cover fifteen minutes; drain and return to the saucepan with one-half cupful butter and one-half tablespoonful sugar. Cover and cook very slowly until tender. Add one can French peas, drained and cooked in boiling water ten minutes, then seasoned with butter, salt and pepper.

Curried Egg Sandwiches. Mash the yolks of four hard boiled eggs and finely chop the whites; add two tablespoonfuls of curry powder, a pinch or two of salt, a teaspoonful of Worcester sauce, a teaspoonful of tomato sauce or chutney, a small quantity of paprika, and a squeeze of lemon juice. Mix these ingredients thoroughly and spread between thin slices of bread or butter. Serve with radishes or watercress.

Separating Honey.

To obtain strained honey by separating the honey from the wax as it comes in the frame, place the frame in a bowl in the oven just warm enough to melt the honey and wax; then remove the frame and let the honey stand until cold, when the wax may be skimmed off the top without any trouble.

FACTS ABOUT KOREA IS STILL UNSOLVED

Country Had Ironclads Three Centuries Ago.

Hermit Kingdom Anticipated Europe in Use of Movable Type and Astronomical Instruments—Decline Due to Invasion.

George Kennan, explorer and lecturer, recently communicated to the National Geographic society the information that Korea built steel-clad battleships 250 years before the Monitor and Merrimack. The Hermit Kingdom was using movable type and astronomical instruments from the twelfth to the fifteenth centuries and employing explosive bombs long before they were known in Europe. He points out that the famous Japanese Satsuma pottery was made originally by Korean workmen who were imported into the mikado's kingdom.

These facts are cited by Mr. Kennan to show the terrific downfall experienced by Korea. He traces its course from its pinnacle of civilization to the depths of degeneracy, and expresses great hopes for its future under the guidance of Japan.

"While Korea was sinking, Japan was rising, until the island kingdom, all by its own efforts, became such a world power as to defeat a great European nation," he says. "The Koreans were a mainland people. They had taught the medieval Japs all the civilization they had. But, by reason of their geographical location, they were invaded by vastly inferior people, the Mongols, and the Manchus.

"Korea was influenced to establish democracy as its religion, its blood was weakened by being crossed with that of people vastly beneath it and its spirit was broken by the indignities heaped upon it by the more powerful invaders. It was under the influence of China, which adopted the semi-sacred books of Confucius as its national system of education 2,000 years ago. The knowledge of his works and the ability to recite long chapters of his writings were made the chief requirement of the aspirant for honors.

"As a result, the only study of the sciences, mathematics and the phenomena of nature was dropped; the memory was overcultivated and the reasoning power stultified. The habits of the Koreans became uncivilized; they grew indifferent to dirt and smells.

"Japan, on the other hand, was never invaded in its history; its blood was never intermingled and its stock was allowed to remain pure. Its national character was developed without outside influence. The Shinto religion of the empire has as its cardinal principles purity of body, spirit and environment. Japan was not exposed to the scourges and plagues that Korea's dirt and filth brought upon it. The feudal system sprang up in Japan, causing authority to be respected and discipline to be developed.

"In 1910 Japan annexed Korea. Prior to that time as many deaths as 900 a day had occurred in Seoul alone; shortly afterward not as many people died from the plague in the whole kingdom in one year. Japan forcibly vaccinated 5,000,000 people in one year. Courts were established, giving authority to 13,000 gendarmes. Hundreds of miles of roads are being built. Afforestation on an extensive scale is being carried on. To encourage the silk industry 13,000,000 mulberry tree seedlings were set out in one year.

"State and private banks were established. The postal system was installed and one in every six families has a savings account. The people, at first suspicious, have learned that they will get their money back whenever they ask for it. In the first year after the Japanese occupancy the rice crop was doubled and the wheat and barley crops grew from 14,000,000 to 38,000,000 bushels. The Japanese have built a model village in every province, and are encouraging the people to build similar villages throughout the kingdom."

Mr. Kennan points out that Korea has the same geographical advantages as a great part of the eastern part of the United States. "It is just as well fitted to be the home of healthy, prosperous and happy people," he says. "It is located similarly to the territory bordering on the Atlantic coast, from Portland, Me., to Charleston, S. C., and extends inward to Albany, N. Y.; Harrisburg, Pa.; Lynchburg, Va., and Columbia, S. C."

A Century Ago.

One hundred years ago the British fleet on Lake Ontario, having partially succeeded in the expedition against Oswego, set sail for Sackett's Harbor, in command of Sir James Lucas Yeo. The purpose of the British was to establish a strict blockade of Sackett's Harbor, where Commodore Chauncey was fitting out a new American squadron. The appearance of the British annoyed the Americans, for their new vessels were just ready for their guns and cables, which could not be brought overland, and the arrival of which by water was now seemingly blocked. In this emergency the Americans conceived and successfully carried out a plan for transporting the great cable for the flagship Niagara overland, on the backs of men. A few weeks later the British ships raised the blockade, and disappeared down the lake.

Kind to the Butcher.

The proprietor of the local paper at Eberswalde, a small Prussian town not far from Berlin, does his best to make that organ useful as well as instructive. Two days a week he has the General Anzeiger printed on only one side of the paper, so that it can be used for wrapping up provisions without any danger of contamination from printers' ink. On these days the paper is twice as large as on ordinary days, so that the public loses nothing in the way of reading matter.—London Chronicle.

Commission Fails to Solve Mystery of Hoarded Gold.

What Becomes of the Precious Metal Poured into India Remains a Puzzle—Continually Flowing Into That Country.

The report of the British royal commission on Indian finance and currency, which has just been issued, settles some controversies and starts others, but it does not clear up the mystery of the hoarded gold of India.

From time immemorial India has absorbed gold as a sponge absorbs water. The flow of gold to India has always continued. In the last 12 years she has received £136,000,000 in gold, partly in sovereigns and partly in bullion, in addition to enormous quantities of silver. It all goes into the country, but very little ever comes out. Lord Rothchild observed some years ago that he had noticed that none of the smooth gold bars sent to India from this country ever came back. What happens to this great stream of precious metal, which continuously disappears like those rivers in desert lands which lose themselves underground?

The testimony of experts is most conflicting. Some say it is hoarded, while a few are ready to prove by a formidable array of statistics that it cannot be extensively hoarded. Those who believe that India possesses a vast store of hoarded treasure make the wildest guesses at its probable total. The most popular estimate of the hoarded wealth of India puts the total at £300,000,000, which would amount to £1 per head of the population; but some credible estimates are far higher. The experts quarrel, again, about the probable effect of India's absorption of gold upon the world's money markets and the prices of commodities. Some say that all gold-using countries benefit thereby, while others, such as Sir Edward Holden, appear to hold that "the drain of gold to India" is a potential menace. The commission, while declining to endorse either of these mutually destructive contentions, has declared in effect that an increased use of gold in India should not in future be encouraged by the government, but India already seems disposed to resent this recommendation.

Whether gold is hoarded in India is really a question of terms. All nations hoard gold upon occasion. If England were threatened with a great war tomorrow we may depend upon it that there would be a rush for gold on the part of those people who possessed both foresight and a balance at the bank. It is estimated that during the Balkan crisis the peoples of central Europe obtained and hoarded £60,000,000 in gold. India has been subjected to repeated invasions and innumerable internal wars, and her people have never lost their hereditary sense of insecurity. Banking facilities are still sparse, and it would be surprising if Indians did not hoard.

But hoarding does not necessarily mean burying in the ground or concealment in the roofs of houses, though those practices are doubtless extensive. Mr. J. M. Keynes, a member of the commission, tells a story of a Brahmin in eastern Bengal who even hoards currency notes in his roof. Once a week he retires privily and spreads them out in the sun to remove the damp. A very large proportion of the hoarded wealth of India is, however, in the form of gold and silver ornaments. It is into these ornaments that the bulk of the bullion and sovereigns, as well as much of the silver, disappears.

Kaiser's Sumptuary Decree.

It is ill to stand between a hungry man and his dinner, but the Kaiser is to do his best to moderate that appetite for a good, square, and increasingly expensive meal in the evening which his subjects have been developing of late in the recognized English fashion. He has ordained that in no circumstance should the time occupied in the repeat exceed three quarters of an hour, and a ban is put on the custom of the male dinner at 11 o'clock, which has been a regular feature of the Kaiser's life. There is, indeed, to be no repetition of the sexes. Coffee is to be taken together, and the gentlemen are to be allowed to smoke a cigarette while sitting in the drawing-room. But, woe betide, which has of late been priding itself on its gargantuan feasts, has been taken rather aback at this sumptuary decree, but the Kaiser is determined to do all he can to have it carried out. It will prove harder, we fear, than banishing the tango or the "toothbrush" mountaineers.

Preserving a Famous Flag.

Work on the restoration of the original Star Spangled Banner, which floated from the flagstaff at Fort Mifflin when Key wrote the national anthem, was started recently at the Smithsonian Institution. The work will be in charge of Mrs. Fowler of Boston, who is the most widely known expert in this line, having had charge of the restoration of the 18 trophy flag of the War of 1812, now at the Naval academy, for which work Congress appropriated \$50,000.

The matter of a souvenir program for the national Star Spangled Banner centennial celebration in September was finally decided upon at a meeting of the managing directors. It was agreed to issue an artistic publication entirely free from advertising.

Sleep Better Than Sermon.

"Mrs. Gladstone and her famous husband went to Cadzow one January, and on Sunday morning, of course, they repaired to the English church. "But when the sermon began, Mr. Gladstone frowned and squirmed, then whispered to Mrs. Gladstone fretfully: "I can't hear him."

"But Mrs. Gladstone, whose ears were better, said to her husband with a reassuring smile: "Never mind, dear. Go to sleep. It will do you ever so much more good."

Man May Have Mange. The study of comparative pathology has opened the eyes of the medical profession to the fact of the close relationship that may exist between all members of the animal kingdom, including man himself, in regard to the extension of various diseases beyond their original sphere of influence. Glanders and anthrax have long been known to be communicable from animal to man. That some intertransmission may exist in tuberculosis has been more lately established. Aphthe,

tapeworm, sleeping sickness and other diseases transmissible from animal to man by biting insects come to mind. The transmission of mange from dogs to human beings is shown in a well-attested instance, in which two Pomeranian puppies suffering from sarcoptic mange infected first the maid who cared for them, and later two neighbors, each of whom took charge of one of the puppies during the absence of their owners. The irritation in the affected human beings was very severe and demanded medical attention

AFRO-AMERICAN CULLINGS

USES FOR PRESERVE JUICE

May Be Made the Basis for Many Dainty Desserts and Cooling Beverages.

Many housekeepers find at this time of the year that they have a certain amount of canned fruit and fruit juices left from the winter's supply. These make the basis for many dainty desserts and cooling beverages for the warmer weather.

There are many ways in which fruit juices can be used. A delicious blanc mange can be made with the fruit juice used as flavoring. The juices can be boiled and used as pudding sauce. They can also be used in ice cream. One very delicious pudding sauce is made by boiling any kind of fruit juice, and when thick, adding a few chopped nuts and small bits of candied orange peel.

To make a cooling and delightful spring dessert take a pint of fruit juice or the blended juices of various fruits. When heated to boiling thicken with cornstarch wet in a little cold water. Mold the fruit pudding and serve with a little whipped cream.

The housekeeper who has plenty of jam left over from winter, and who desires a pleasant variation for desserts can utilize some of it in making jam ice cream. To make this delicious ice cream add one tumbler of fruit jam and one tablespoonful of sugar to one quart of cream. After this is thoroughly incorporated in the cream, strain through a wire sieve to take out the seeds. In this way strawberry, raspberry and blackberry jam may be used, and the result is delicious.



Wrap out bread in waxed paper if you would keep it fresh.

Hang very dusty skirts out on the clothesline in a high wind.

Try scrambled eggs with minced green peppers for a change.

Carrots and spinach are among the best of tonics in the spring.

Dry lamp chimneys on the radiator and on the back of the stove.

The smoke from burning sugar is one of the very best disinfectants.

Discarded inner auto tires can be cut up into the best of rubber bands.

Dip matches in hot, melted paraffin. If you wish to make them waterproof.

Good nets for dresses can frequently be bought in the upholstery stores.

Keep a pair of ordinary pliers in the kitchen for lifting intensely hot pans.

Keep an egg timer near the telephone to gauge your long-distance calls.

Cut the invalid's toast into inch squares; it can be eaten much more easily.

Sweeping Compound.

The old standby for sweeping, tea leaves, still has its many users, and newspaper soaked and torn in bits is another favorite for keeping down the dust that will rise to a certain extent even with the most carefully handled broom. Salt is used, too, for this purpose. In the shops are various sweeping compounds sold under fancy names. A preparation that can be mixed at home is composed of the following: five pounds of sawdust, three ounces of salt, about two and a half pounds of sand. Mix these with an ounce of paraffin dissolved in a quart of paraffin oil. The oil can be heated in a double boiler, and the paraffin wax will dissolve readily.

Wood Restored.

Woodwork which has grown dull with time and the accumulation of dust may be restored by first cleaning thoroughly with kerosene on a flannel cloth. It should then be polished with a mixture of two parts of turpentine to one of linseed oil. Apply this with a soft cloth and rug with flannel until every trace of the liquid seems to have disappeared. Repeated applications and continued rubbing will give a fresh gloss to wood trim or mahogany furniture.

Uses of Salt.

Salt sprinkled on parsley when chopping will make it chop much finer and easier.

Salt rubbed on the handles of knives will remove all stains.

A pinch of salt added to a glass of hot milk will improve the flavor.

A pinch of salt added to the water when boiling a cracked egg will prevent it boiling out.

When washing colored articles a little salt put into the water will prevent the colors running.

Russian Salad is Delicious.

Heart lettuce with Russian dressing is adequate for a light meal, and frequently ordered by food connoisseurs who want a delectable vegetable dish. The dressing has a mayonnaise foundation. To half a cupful of it add one teaspoonful each of chopped sweet red peppers, chives, and chili sauce. Add a gill of whipped cream. Cover the heart of crisp lettuce with the dressing.

Oxford Salad.

Small leaves of lettuce, three to each guest. On each a slice of orange, cut not too thin. On each slice of orange place a strip of canned red sweet pepper. Over all pour a dressing made of the juice from ends of oranges, a little of the pepper liquor and plenty of salt. Very pretty and so good.

Wonders.

Beat one egg, a little salt and enough flour to make stiff. Roll out very thin, cut with a biscuit cutter and fry in hot fat one minute. Serve with strup, cream and jelly, or a delicate pudding sauce.

Sewing Hint.

Try sewing paper on the back of goods that you are to put tatted or other insertions in; it will help to keep the fabric even, and neither insertion nor goods will stretch while sewing or when laundered.



Dick Egan is doing well at short for the Dodgers.

Manager Fred Clarke has but 24 Pirates on his roster.

Johnny Evers has been elevated to second for Boston.

Mowrey is doing great stickwork for the Pirates these days.

Carrigan is having a tough time of it with his pitching staff.

Christy Mathewson is back in form and pitching wonderful ball.

Ray Caldwell is twirling some beautiful games for the Yankees.

Red Doolin has an outfield that is hitting for an average of .448.

The St. Joseph club has secured Pitcher Barney Duffy from the Pittsburgh National club.

Hank Robinson of the Cardinals has a half-bait motion to first that is as good as the one Ed Walsh has.

Harry Williams, the Yanks' first-sacker, is a close student of Frank Chance's style around first base.

Fred Clarke is sure one lucky guy. The experts picked his team to get a bad start and worse finish this year.

Several major league managers declare they are going to use McGraw methods this year. Well, there's one—Connie Mack—who won't.

The Senators have signed Douglas Neff, captain of the University of Virginia baseball team, and conceded to be the best shortstop in the East.

Wilbert Robinson promises to become one of the most popular managers Brooklyn ever had. The fans of the Church City are all rooting for him.

One of the most improved young players in the U. S. A. is Captain Peckinpah, of the New Yorks. This once awkward performer is a master at shortstop now.

"Ham" Hyatt is kept in the limelight by his successful pinch-hitting. Hyatt's timely wallop has placed more than one game on ice for the Pirates so far this season.

Colonel Hedges threatens to put an end to gambling on the Browns. This causes a New York contemporary to remark: "But why should anybody gamble on the Browns?"

Pitcher Douglas, the Pittsburghs' big right-handed recruit from Spokane, is an image of Cy Barger, of the Pittsburgh Feds. He works about the same as the ex-Dodger.

Twenty-five years ago, John J. McGraw, now manager of the New York Giants, was drawing down a salary of \$360 per year as a ball player. And now—aw, what's the use?

Says the New York American: It is hard to dope the race in the American league this season. For the life of us, we can't tell which team will finish next to the Athletics.

Turk Leary, Brown first baseman, is playing a fast game around the initial sack. He has filled a long-felt want, as first base has been the Browns' weak spot for years.

The Giants' midget third baseman, Milton Stock, has so far more than made good McGraw's confidence in him by billing the shoes of Shafer and Herzog at the difficult corner.

Connie Mack has released Brick Mullins, a brother of Stuffy, the first sacker of the world's champions. Evidently Connie does not believe that baseball talent runs in families.

The Boston Braves are planning a keener strategic game, says Bill Phelan. Evers, always a little fox, will keep on scheming at second, and he has been reinforced by Kraft at first.

It is expected that Cincinnati will show more speed on the bases this year than ever before. Manager Herzog has been drilling the men in this and he is a star base runner himself.

Southern league teams will play off postponed games at the first opportunity. It is figured that the schedule so crowded games that it is advisable to let postponements pile up until late in the season.

"What have the Pirates got to make any pennant fight with?" queries an exchange. Nobody in the world—but Wagner, Koney, Viox, Mowrey, Carey, Gibson, Adams and three or four more.

Lloyd Bishop, the big right-handed pitcher of Kansas University, just signed by Cleveland, was also one of the university's star football players. Catcher Billings, of the Naps, was also secured from Kansas University.

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Young actresses that Ethel knew envied her. More experienced women in her profession shook their heads and—sighed. Ethel cried a little, but she had chosen. She loved Richie, and she was ready to give up the thing that had been the breath of life to her to be—his wife.

"Sweetheart, you were very slow tonight," he said, as he kissed her tenderly and, with one arm about her, ordered the chauffeur to drive to the hotel.

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Mrs. Alice Battle received the sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Brandon, of Toledo, Ohio, who died at that place May 26, 1914. Mrs. Battle left for that place to be present at the funeral.

Mrs. J. J. Beasley spent Sunday at the Capital City.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Terrell were calling in the Capital City on Saturday.

Mr. Enoch Shaw of the Capital City was visiting his brother, Mr. Geo. Shaw, and family in the spring city Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Vandever and Earl Vaughn went to Waterloo one day last week on business.

Mrs. Ethel Terrell Westly has been sick the past week and unable to be on duty, but at this writing is some better.

Mrs. Frank Brown was in our city Thursday of last week visiting friends and in the evening attended the lodge, returning home the same day.

Mr. J. W. Holmes was in Newton on Decoration day between trains.

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Mrs. F. B. Cooper of Buxton visited several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Terrell, returning home the latter part of the week.

Invitations are out announcing a birthday party of Mr. Horace Cole to be given at the Odd Fellows hall June 1st. A good time is anticipated.

Mr. Isaac Brown from Mitchell, Iowa, spent Tuesday in our city, the guest of Miss Johnston, and was present at the birthday party of Mr. Horace Cole.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA.

Rev. Ervin filled the pulpit Sunday evening at the A. M. E. church, at which time Mr. Ackins joined church.

Mrs. Charley Brown has been ill the past week, but is some better at this writing.

Mr. A. G. Clark, brother of Mrs. S. V. Hollis, was in the city on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavell visited in Iowa City on Monday.

A large number of ladies attended the Iowa State Federation at Des Moines.

Mr. Luther Lowery was in Keokuk last week attending the grand sessions of the Eastern Star. He reports a fine time. Mr. Lowery is the only colored mail carrier in the city and we are sure most of Iowa's young ladies know of his ambition.

Mrs. Lulu Horne visited Sunday in Marshalltown, the guest of Mrs. Wilda Warren.

Mrs. Horne of Ottumwa, Iowa, visited last week with her children.

The Culture club met at the home of Mrs. John Jackson.

Indigestion and Constipation.

"About five years ago I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets after suffering from indigestion and constipation for years without finding anything to relieve me. Chamberlain's Tablets helped me at once and by using them for several weeks I was cured of the complaint," writes Mrs. Mary E. McMullen, Phelps, N. Y. For sale by all dealers.

KEOKUK NEWS.

Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Miss Myrtle Bland and Mr. Clifton Ashby.

Miss Jeanette Lewis of Kewanee, Ill., was a recent house guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bailly. Miss Lewis is a niece of Mr. Bailly.

Miss Iona Young of Quincy spent a few days last week as guest of Mrs. Alma Taylor.

Chas. Lackey died last Saturday evening, after a short, severe illness, he having been in poor health since last October. He was born in Clark county, Mo., September 26, 1876, and had lived in this city for several years and possessed many friends. He is survived by his wife and one son and a mother, Mrs. Mima Dickson, to whom are extended much sympathy.

Another death that has occasioned much sorrow is that of Mr. Benj. Dennis, who has been ill for some time. He left for Colorado a few weeks ago, thinking it would improve his health, but to no avail. He died last Sunday in that state. During his residence here he was employed as a barber at the tontorial parlors of Prof. W. H. Jones. The news of his death was received with much sorrow by his many friends. Deceased is survived by his wife, Bertha Alden Dennis. The funeral was held in Colorado.

Children's day exercises at Bethel church next Sunday promises to be a novel feature from the fact of the many special invitations issued by the children and Sunday school teachers. We hope they may have a large attendance.

Mrs. Lena Porter, the Sunday school superintendent, has been elected delegate to the Sunday school convention.

Miss Ruth Bland, Arthur Robbins and McKinley Brooks, our three graduates, are receiving many compliments from admiring friends. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bland will entertain at a reception at Hawkes hall in honor of their daughter, Ruth, on next Monday evening. A reception will be tendered McKinley Brooks at Hawkes hall by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Watkins. McKinley is a brother of Mrs. Watkins.

On next Tuesday night the alumni banquet will be held at Masonic hall in honor of the three graduates. All graduates in the city are eligible to membership. Mrs. Rita Ashby is president of the alumni and Miss Myrtle Bland, secretary.

The Pilgrim's Rest Baptist church will have a picnic in Kilbourne park on July 4th.

Mrs. Sarah South is reported to be seriously ill. Friends deeply sympathize with her.

Friends of Mrs. Maggie Johnson regret to know of her serious illness.

Mrs. Agnes Johnson entertained her children at a family reunion dinner last Sunday. It was a feast that was highly enjoyed.

Miss Etta Wilkins, Miss Hattie Kirby and several others whose names we failed to get spent last Monday in Quincy.

Mr. Henry Barlow of Argyle was a guest at the home of Mrs. Henrietta Buckner last Sunday.

The wedding bells have been ringing. They are still ringing and they are going to ring more.

Mr. Ralph Tebeau was a Quincy visitor one evening last week.

Miss Thelma Smith entertained a company of her friends last Sunday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Cora Holt. Thelma has been staying with her aunt attending school here, but will leave soon to spend her vacation in Kansas City.

HEALTH HINTS.

A. J. Booker, M. D.

The last number of the Journal of the American Medical Association had some interesting and valuable statistics regarding the death rates of large cities. It is pointed out that in most of the southern cities the death rate is nearly twice as high for the colored people, and in very few instances is there any decrease over years preceding.

This is not a matter of prejudice, but rather of cold facts. As a race we put too much stress on the ability of the doctor to cure, rather than on taking care of ourselves and trying to keep well. The highest function of the physician is to prevent disease and a man's advice is worth more than his medicine if he is onto his job.

This being an age of preventive medicine, the wide-awake editor of The Iowa State Bystander has attempted to serve the people in a practical way by maintaining a health column. This is not done to fill the paper, but to keep the people awake to the care of themselves. The space taken by this column is worth money if given to advertisement. When a man is willing not only to forego that but to pay for articles he deserves credit. The Bystander is a progressive paper. It is constructive; it is altruistic. If you will remember, we took up the work of the conservation of the babies last year before the press of the city and state. This was at the instance of the editor. The babies must be saved all the year as well as in summer, so the column is maintained. As was suggested last year, the subscribers have the right to ask general questions and have them answered in the column or by sending a self-addressed envelope get private replies.

Babies need to be fed less in hot weather and be dressed cooler in summer. Plenty of good cool water, a cool bath and a care in diet is essential for good health. It is better to have a baby want something indigestible than it is for him to have it and then get sick. Babies do not know what is good for them and it is a risky experiment to try things. It is better to be safe than sorry.

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Impoverished nerves destroy many people before their time. Often before a sufferer realizes what the trouble is, he is on the verge of a complete nervous breakdown. It is of the utmost importance to keep your nervous system in good condition, as the nerves are the source of all bodily power. Mrs. Rosa Bonner, 825 N. 18th St., Birmingham, Ala., says:

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