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We have been moving this week into new quarters and have been compelled to leave out many news items and correspondents.

Next week we will be in better position and will give a paper superior to any heretofore published by us.

George E. Taylor, editor of the Negro Solicitor at Oskaloosa, has forsaken the sinking ship of democracy, and has taken passage on the Republican life boat.

He followed the forlorn hopes of the democratic party for three years. He was a Republican prior to that time. We welcome George back to the Republican ranks and hope that the three years he has spent in the democratic wilderness will teach him to stay in good company hereafter.

Items of Interest.

There is a promising field open for young physicians in South Africa. Many ladies endure the fatigue of travel and go to England when they require special care, rather than place themselves in the hands of the doctors available.

A congress of colored women of the United States has been called to meet in Atlanta, Georgia, December 23, 1895. A number of excellent papers will be read.

A prominent New York minister preached upon the duty of men and women making themselves as beautiful and attractive as possible. He believes that many a woman would have more influence for good, over her brothers, sisters and friends, and many a mother would be able more perfectly to hold the admiration and love of her children, and many a wife retain more attention from her husband.

Colored Man for Judge.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 8.—Jas. C. Matthews, colored, recorder of deeds at Washington in President Cleveland's first administration, has been elected judge of the Recorder's court of this city, which office carries with it powers of a Supreme Court judge. His majority is over 2,000. He was nominated and elected on the regular democratic ticket. It is the highest judicial office ever held by a man of his race in this country.

FAIR PLAY.

KEOSAUQUA, Ia., Nov. 8, 1895.

—EDITOR BYSTANDER: I notice in the columns of your paper an article, dated October 29, from Muscatine, written by P. F. Matthews, calling my name in question. Now, I do not wish to plead the presiding elder's case—for he

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GUARDING THE FUNDS.

How Senator Harris Returned State Money After the War.

"Speaking of Harris," said an old Washington man, formerly of Tennessee, to a Washington Post reporter, "it chanced that I was in Parson Brownlow's office—Brownlow was then governor of Tennessee—when Harris came in to give himself up. This was just after the war. Harris was governor of Tennessee when the war broke out and he was a man of vigorous, active honesty. There was a large fund of gold belonging to the school fund, I believe, as I now recall, amounting to some \$90,000.

## CORNER OF ODDITIES.

SOME STRANGE STORIES TOLD BY OUR EXCHANGES.

Strange Death of an Italian—Girl Who Acts Like a Paralytic at a World to the Doctor—The Puppy Fainted Away.

Strong Coffee Responsible.

Wayne, Neb., special: A remarkable case of delirium tremens from the use of strong coffee is interesting to the physicians of Wayne and vicinity. Mrs. W. H. Hanshaw, the patient, is between 45 and 50, and is the wife of a farmer living a short distance from town. For many years she has been addicted to the use of very strong coffee in excessive quantities, frequently taking as many as a dozen cups at a meal. Her nervous system has suffered seriously as the result, and on several occasions she has attempted to break off the habit, but without success.

A few days ago she resolved to make a last desperate effort, and for a time managed to get along without touching the seductive beverage. At the end of the second day, however, her nerves were in a state of almost complete collapse and a few hours later an attack of what closely resembles delirium tremens set in. The physician called was at first deceived by the symptoms, but when the nature of the case was explained to him he said the disease was undoubtedly caused by the sudden breaking off of the habit. Mrs. Hanshaw's recovery is probable, but her physician says she could hardly survive another attack. He pronounces the case one of the most remarkable he has ever seen.

The Lady and the Infant.

A laughable incident occurred on North Eataw street yesterday afternoon which afforded much amusement to the bystanders, but put the lady in a very unpleasant position. At the Lexington Street market there was a sale of small pigs. She bought one and placed it in a reticule. She thought it perfectly secure. In an unguarded moment the little pig with a quick bound jumped clear out of its prison and darted for a side hallway. The lady uttered a slight scream of dismay and started after it, calling to a gentleman to stop it. With his assistance the truant was recaptured and then the fun began. The pig squealed and wriggled its body out of her hands several times, she meanwhile on her knees making heroic efforts to retain possession of her prize. After repeated attempts the rebellious pig was finally secured, and with flushed face and soiled hands the lady emerged a victorious though sorely embarrassed woman.—Baltimore American.

Her Baby Eaten by a Bear.

The Dalles, Ore., special: A few days ago, near Bear Lake, about 30 miles from the city, a bear ate up an Indian child that was left in the brush asleep while its mother was picking berries. The poor woman heard the cries of her infant and thinking that it was being injured picked up a butcher knife and rushed to its assistance. She found a savage bear with the baby in its claws and gnawing the vestrate body. Heroically she began the fight, but the bear was too powerful for her, and, although she fought bravely, when she was rescued by the Indians she was nearly killed, the brute having clawed and mangled the flesh on her body in a fearful manner. The little child was dead, and almost every particle of flesh on its body was devoured by the animal. They managed to kill the bear. The remains of the little child were buried near the place where it met its cruel death, and the bear's mother, in her wounded condition, was cared for as tenderly as possible.

Thoughts That Come Afterward.

Mr. Bezeley was running the machine merrily to and fro, with a strained look and large, moist drops on his countenance, a happy light glinting from his eyes as he noted each added swath of neat, closely cropped grass. Then a stout twig intercepted the whirling knives, and Mr. Bezeley doubled over the handle with a remark that the neighbors looked out of their windows to hear repeated.

"Gash bing the flambusted thing!" he continued, putting both hands about himself and vainly striving to straighten out. "Every time I run a lawn mower I swear I won't run it any more."

He paused and looked reflectively into the heavens.

"B'George, that wasn't so bad, either," he said, running into the house to tell his wife.

The Puppy Fainted Away.

"Speaking of dogs," said Superintendent John Horne, of the Mount Washington railway, "did you ever see a dog faint away?" "No one had," "Well I have," said the veteran railroad official, and he then proceeded to tell of a very young pup which was taken from its mother and remained at the signal station on Mount Washington all winter, several years ago. When taken down the mountain in the spring he met another dog who undertook to make his acquaintance. "You will observe," said Mr. Horne, "the young fellow didn't remember ever having seen a dog, and doubtless thought the one before him was the only other dog in the world; so he keeled over in a dead faint."—Among the Clouds.

Drowned in a Can of Milk.

Jamestown, special: While playing in the barnyard last evening the 4-year-old daughter of Fred E. Rowland, of Farmington, fell into a dairy can of milk, from which she attempted with a cup to dip some milk to drink, and was drowned. No one saw the accident and the child was dead when found.—Burlington Courier.

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Ple socials are the thing with the upper crust in Kansas society.

The "I Told You So" man is getting in his deadly work from Maine to California.

Watch the sultan of Turkey; he is likely to work the straw ball trick on the powers.

The different countries of the world now use 13,400 different kinds of postage stamps.

The butterfly collection belonging to Prof. Neumogen of Brooklyn, N. Y., is worth \$60,000.

It cost Texas \$20,000 to keep Corbett and Fitzsimmons apart. It also cost Mrs. Corbett No. 1 \$100 a week.

It is said that the water in the Ohio river is so low that the catfish have left the stream and have gone to Cincinnati for beer.

Remember that the best burglar in the world is the dead one. If it comes to a question of shoot or to be shot, don't be shot.

Venezuela says she "can put 100,000 men into the field." Unless Uncle Sam interferes John Bull can put them into the pottersfield.

Owing to the remarkable drouth in the vicinity of Hazelton, Pa., wild animals from the mountains are invading the villages in search of water.

The duke of Marlborough complains that "New York policemen are pretty rough." Lexow proved that many of the "are pretty smooth" also.

By scanning the advertisements of a theatrical exchange we learn that nineteen of "America's leading emotional actresses" are now "at liberty."

One of the features at a big food exhibit at Chicago recently was a cake of soap weighing 1,000 pounds. Do they eat soap in Chicago?—Nashville Telegram. No, but they probably wash the soap after using.

Some overzealous humanitarians are urging the Republic of Hawaii to turn all her political criminals out of jail during the coming holidays. They are not repentant, and would likely at once begin their old work of treason. Hawaii is much safer with the entire crowd behind barred doors and grated windows.

It appears from a recent statistical report that there are in Germany 31,580 kilometers of trunk lines and 11,072 kilometers of branches. The invested capital of the railroads is reported at 10,724,099,606 marks. Out of this sum 2,745,328,004 marks were raised by state loans. The receipts in 1903-04 are stated at 1,461,714,318 marks; the expenditure, \$58,865,991 marks; surplus, \$48,308,327 marks, of which the government received 615,757,508 marks. The total sum of dividends distributed was about 16,000,000 marks. The funds for repairs are reported at 29,243,044 marks, and the traffic details are given as follows: Passenger traffic—Number of passengers, 521,479,450; receipts, \$34,703,403 marks. Goods traffic, 244,178,613 tons; receipts, \$54,053,910 marks.

Says a contemporary: "One of the first uses to which the current generated at the large Niagara Falls electric plant has been put is the manufacture of aluminum from bauxite by electrolysis. What the value of such a source of electric current may be to factories in the neighborhood of Niagara, is suggested by the fact that, although the present aluminum works are constructed to produce 5,000 pounds of pure aluminum a day, the complete success of the electrolytic process has convinced the management that the doubling of the resources of the factory by its means is a comparatively simple matter. More pots are to be put in as rapidly as possible, until 10,000 pounds of the pure metal, worth in small quantities 50c a pound, is being turned out daily.

The city of Jacksonville is reported to be greatly delighted over the discovery of a bountiful supply of water. Such depravity as this would not be allowed to go uncessured in Kentucky.

Col. Hamm, editor of the Georgia Cracker, says that a snollygoster is a man who is ambitious for office, regardless of party, platform, or principles; and that, if he gets there at all, he does so by "monumental, talkative, and unscrupulous." Thanks to Col. Hamm, we are as last able to classify some interesting characters.

Golden, Ill., has enterprising burglars. While the earthquake was in progress some light-fingered gentlemen blew up a safe and made off with the contents while those who heard the noise were expecting to see the earth open up.

A San Francisco society woman announces that she "will start for Chicago on her wheel just as soon as she can get a divorce." There is no excuse for delay. If she applies for divorce here by telegraph she will find a decree awaiting her on her arrival.

We submit that the same has arrived to make Joe Chamberlain quit pulling feathers out of the tail of the American eagle.

The old Seven Stars tavern in East Vincent township, Chester county, Pa., burned last week. The Seven Stars tavern was one of the oldest landmarks in the country. It was built long before the revolution, and it was a famous stopping place for travelers going from Philadelphia to Baltimore. Washington and his generals often stopped there.

SELECTED HAWKEYE MENTION

THE SCHULTZ MURDER.

Brother of the Murdered Woman Charged With the Crime.

CHEROKEE, November 11.—Another sensation has been sprung in the Schultz murder case. In August 1893, Martin Schultz and wife, an aged couple living in Tilden township, this county, were clubbed to death. The murderer secured several hundred dollars. All efforts of officers and detectives have heretofore proved futile. George Montague, a brother of the murdered woman, has just been arrested for the crime. The information was sworn to by a man named Jones, with whom Montague has been gathering corn.

CHEROKEE, November 13.—George Montague, who was arrested for the murder of the Schultz family, August 16, 1893, was given a hearing before Justice M. L. Marshall at Wausita and was released. E. U. Jones, the man who caused the arrest, was in turn arrested and fined \$15 for disturbing the public peace.

NEARLY BURNED TO DEATH.

Billy Miller, of Fort Dodge, Has a Narrow Escape From Death.

FOUR DODGE, November 13.—Billy Miller is a clerk in Mulrooney Bros.' store and was engaged in cleaning out an old kerosene tank. The tank had not been used for some time and Billy, with a candle to assist him in seeing, opened the tank, and while bending over the opening the escaping gas ignited from the candle and an explosion followed. The unfortunate young man was blown a considerable distance and was injured by the fall, as well as being frightfully burned. His face and left hand caught the bulk of the flames and the left hand was burned so that the skin was nearly all off. He was taken into Sackett & Haire's drug store and his injuries dressed and the pain in part relieved. It is difficult at present to tell the full extent of the injuries received, but it is safe to say that his face will be badly scarred.

LOVED A FARM HAND.

Mrs. Alice Liggett Elopes With Jake Mundell.

LAURENS, November 13.—Mrs. Alice Liggett, wife of Clinton Liggett, a well-to-do farmer living in Booth township, north of here, eloped with a hired hand named Jake Mundell. She eluded her husband by packing her clothes in Mundell's trunk and riding to town with a neighbor. They bought tickets at Marathon for Marshalltown and took the train for that point, but though the wires have been liberally used, no trace of them can be found. She leaves four small children.

SIoux CITY MURDER.

Guilty Parties Sent to Have Confessed.

SIoux CITY, November 13.—Kid Gallagher and Alex Chapin, recently captured at Omaha and taken to Papillion, Neb., are the men who killed Max Noack and Ora Minter in a Sioux City baggino some time ago. They have made a confession. But in order to escape the penalty they have just pleaded guilty to a murderous assault at Papillion, and have been sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

A BAD FIRE AT PANORA.

Three Buildings Burn—Damage Amounts to \$10,000.

PANORA, November 14.—Last night fire destroyed three business houses occupied by C. A. Baughman, harness and buggy; Jennings and Nichols, furniture, and Kramer and Butler, general merchandise. How the fire originated is not known. The loss will amount to about \$10,000.

Schaffer's Sentence Suspended.

DES MOINES, November 13.—Governor Jackson has suspended the six months' sentence of John Schaffer to the penitentiary for grave robbing, pending an appeal for pardon. Schaffer's friends are urgent in his behalf, claiming, although he was present at the robbery, he supposed Overton had a permit, and that it will work a great injustice to send him to the penitentiary because of a technicality of the law.

Drink Made Him Insane.

CLINTON, November 14.—Douglass Darling, a lawyer of Clinton, has been adjudged insane by the commissioners and ordered taken to Independence for treatment. At one time he was a promising young lawyer with a very bright future, but he became addicted to the habit of drink, which caused his downfall. He now thinks his friends has robbed him and that all his friends are his enemies.

Jones Is a Professional Crook.

CEDAR RAPIDS, November 13.—Edward S. Jones, an alleged organizer for the Royal Fraternal Guardians, who skipped from Cedar Rapids after swindling a number of people, and who was captured at Des Moines, was brought back.

DIPHTHERIA AT THE BLUFFS.

High School and Other Buildings Closed. CORNELL BLUFFS, November 14.—The local board of health has closed the high school on account of the prevalence of diphtheria. Six rooms in other buildings have also been closed for the same reason. There are several cases of the disease in the city, and the parents have failed to observe the board of health's rules. The board ordered the closing of all the infected rooms for the purpose of stamping out the disease.

See City Mill Burned.

SAC CITY, November 12.—The Sac City roller mill, owned by J. E. Robbins, burned, together with 10,000 bushels of wheat stored in it. The mills had been running day and night, producing fifty barrels of flour a day. The loss is \$10,000, without insurance.

Attempt to Rob a Bank.

MASON CITY, November 12.—An attempt was made to loot the Bank of Plymouth, at Plymouth, ten miles north of Mason City. The big door to the safe was blown off and the robbers were at work on the money chest when frightened away. There is no clue.

ONE OF THE ROWES.

Is Now at Montezuma, Where He Will Be Tried.

MONTEZUMA, November 15.—W. F. Forsee, of the Pinkerton agency, arrived from the City of Mexico, bringing with him Richard Rowe, arrested on the charge of complicity in the embossment of his brother, Chester W. Rowe, who stole \$38,000 from Poweshiek county last April, while treasurer of the county. Richard was indicted by the grand jury in September on the charge of complicity and his trial will doubtless occur in January.

DOCTOR COMMITTED SUICIDE.

A Davenport Physician Killed Himself Before Witnesses.

DAVENPORT, November 15.—Dr. Richard Prussing, aged 55 years, took poison in the presence of several witnesses, telling them he had the stomach ache and was taking medicine. He died before a doctor could be secured. The act was caused by poverty.

Big Damage Suit.

WATERLOO, November 15.—As a result of charges made against W. I. Moody, of Waterloo, in a speech opposing his candidacy for secretary of the Iowa Dairyman's association, and which resulted in his defeat by C. L. Gabriel, of New Hampton, Joseph Hutchins, of Manchester, who made the charges, has been sued for \$25,000 for alleged slander.

A Popular Student, a Thief.

CEDAR RAPIDS, November 14.—John R. McClosky, of Toledo, who has been going to school at Mount Vernon, has been bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$600 on two charges of robbery. He is charged with stealing a \$90 watch from a young lady and \$35 in money and a watch and jewelry from a schoolmate. His arrest caused a big sensation.

Is Found Guilty.

DES MOINES, November 13.—In the federal court Samuel Pollock, a gray haired villain, was found guilty of mailing obscene letters to a 14-year-old girl who lives near Verd, Washington county. He was sentenced to the Fort Madison penitentiary for four years at hard labor and to pay a fine of \$1,000.

CONDENSED ITEMS.

Cedar Rapids dispatch: When the Bevers filed their petition in the district court for a change of venue of all the cases connected with the Bever estate matter on the ground that Judge Wolf was so prejudiced that they could not secure a fair trial, they also presented affidavits to the same effect signed by over 200 leading men of the county. The judge has issued an order citing these signers to appear before him and state why they believe him to be prejudiced.

Recently a man giving the name of Edward S. Jones came to Cedar Rapids, and introduced himself as the state organizer of the Fraternal Guardians, a fraternal and beneficial organization. He appointed numerous agents and began the work of organizing a lodge. He collected various sums of money from his agents and those who intended to join the order, and then left very suddenly without paying his board bill and a number of other bills incurred about the city. He is believed to be a professional crook.

At a meeting of the state board of health at Des Moines a few days ago President Guilbert, who was deputized to investigate the Sabula poisoning cases, made a report. Doctor Guilbert stated that on September 11 the Taplin-Gage wedding took place at Sabula. The house was of ordinary size, with rooms about 16 feet square and with a cellar underneath. There were no windows or screens on the cellar, and any gaseous products of the same could easily enter the rooms above. The house was crowded with friends of the couple that were married, and there was scarcely room to go about from one room to another. The wedding supper was served partly within the house and partly on the lawn. The food was chicken, turkey, ham and other articles. The chicken was killed on Tuesday morning and the wedding supper was not given until Wednesday night. The chicken in the manly was placed in an earthen vessel and placed in the cupboard without ice. The turkeys were killed in the afternoon. The ham was thoroughly cooked, so much so, in fact, that it could not be sliced without falling into crumbs. The next morning after cooking the meat, the lady who did the cooking went into the cellar and found the meat covered with flies. She noticed a very offensive smell arising from the meat. She covered it up and left it. The guests on the night of the wedding noticed a very offensive odor about the meats, and noticed that it did not taste exactly right. Twenty-four hours after the supper the first symptoms appeared, and forty-eight hours afterward strong manifestations of disease. One hundred and seven were taken sick, and eight of these have died.

A Burlington dispatch says: William Carver, who has been missing for five weeks, telegraphed from Elmwood, Ill., that he has just come to his senses in a strange town.

At Oskaloosa recently a fire in the basement of the McIntyre Bros. & Wilson dry goods house did \$10,000 worth of damage to their surplus stock. The flames were extinguished before they reached the upper floor, and it is probable that the large store and the Birdsall Hotel would have been burned. The fire caught from the furnace.

Richard Rowe, charged with assisting his brother, Chester Rowe, in embossing \$33,000 from Poweshiek county, Iowa, will be returned to Iowa from Mexico. Chester, having taken out naturalization papers, cannot be extradited.

A Perry dispatch says: The radical step of opposing all images and medallion portraits of any persons on the Iowa soldiers' monument has just been taken by Redfield post No. 26 G. A. R., of Perry, which has just issued a circular calling upon all G. A. R. posts of the department of Iowa to unite with it in this demand.

THE WORLD IN GENERAL.

SOCIETY DUDES FIGHT A DUEL.

New York Young Men Still in Controversy With Pistols.

New York, November 13.—Warren Ralph McVeigh and Paul Tupper Wilkes fought a duel with revolvers at short distance on the Palisades at Fort Lee. They were seconded by Robert Ratcliffe Owens and Frank Butler. Both men were wounded. The four young men engaged in the affair of honor are well known locally, while three of them enjoy reputations that might almost be called national. McVeigh is a newspaper man, a writer of short stories and a leading member of southern society. Wilkes is famous throughout the west as the slayer of George Shepard, one of the leaders of the Kiel rebellion. The wounds received by the two contestants were not serious. The firing of all the cartridges and no actual injuries received terminated the duel, according to arrangements made at the start.

AN EXPRESS OFFICE ROBBED.

Twenty Thousand Dollars Secured by Masked Men.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., November 13.—The express office at the Santa Fe depot was robbed of \$20,000, immediately after the departure of the night express at 9:42. George Krout, express agent, stepped from the platform into the office and was confronted by two masked men, who leveled their revolvers and ordered him to open the safe. This he did, and they helped themselves to two packages of money containing \$8,000 and \$15,000 respectively and made their escape. The money was a part consignment of \$50,000 sent from Denver to Cripple Creek, the remainder of which was in the safe, but not found. Officers are scouring the country in the hope of capturing the holdups.

"MESSIAH" DISAPPEARS.

Denver Wild Over the Disappearance of Schlatter.

DENVER, November 15.—"Messiah" Schlatter has disappeared. When a member of the Fox family went to call him for breakfast he had mysteriously departed and left this note behind: "Mr. Fox, my mission is finished. The Father takes me away. F. Schlatter." Schlatter has been effecting some wonderful cures and the crowds who have come to receive the healing touch have been growing larger and larger, until thousands have been in line every day. Schlatter was a witness in the case against some "blessed" handkerchief fakirs, and the commissioner has issued a subpoena for his arrest. He took no money with him.

BRAZIL'S MONARCHIAL PARTY.

Twenty-seven of Its Officers Are Executed.

RIO JANEIRO, November 15.—Persons just arrived from Niteroiy announce the shooting of twenty-seven political prisoners, among whom there were two colonels. This has caused the greatest excitement in all circles and nothing else is talked of. The executed men are known to have been in sympathy with the monarchial cause, which daily is gaining ground. It is stated that many of the officers of the army now operating in the south against the rebellion also favor it. It is stated also that both England and Germany will favor the movement, and the plan is to place a German prince on the throne of Brazil, probably Prince Henry, of Prussia.

JAPAN'S PLANS FOR THE NAVY.

Japan Will Spend \$300,000,000 on War Ships.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 15.—Although Japanese officials have denied that the mikado will spend \$300,000,000 in war ships, it is reported by advices from the steamer Coptic that ten vessels are to be built abroad, and that possibly the orders for them will be equally divided among the ship builders of England, France, Germany, Italy and the United States.

CUBA.

HAVANA, November 13.—Official advices received here indicate that 20,000 more troops will leave Spain for Cuba during the month of January.

LONDON, November 13.—A dispatch to the Times from Madrid says that advices received from Havana indicate that the situation in Cuba at the present time is very critical, and that general alarm over the existing state of affairs is felt.

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LORA BOBS UP AGAIN.

She Sues an Insurance Company et al. for \$50,000 for Causing Her Arrest.

ST. PAUL, November 15.—The papers in the damage suit of Lora M. Perkins against the Fidelity and Casualty Life Insurance company, of New York, have been filed with State Insurance Commissioner Smith. She asks for \$50,000 damages, on allegations to the effect that the company, through its agent, W. N. Todd, of St. Paul, caused her arrest on the charge of having murdered Mrs. Hawkins.

The New Pronoun.

An effort is being made by some learned professor to introduce a new pronoun in the English language to supply the place of he or she, him or her, himself or herself, etc., when we use the masculine and feminine gender together. The new word is to be thou, and if oddity has anything to do with it its introduction ought to be successful. But will it not sound odd to say: "The boy or girl who is diligent in school is laying up riches for himself that cannot be stolen?"

ERYSIPILAS AT 81.

PHYSICIANS FAVORED AMPUTATION OF THE LIMB.

It was not done, and the Patient was Cured by Internal Remedies.

From the Republican Register, Galesburg, Ill. Biggsville, twenty-five miles west of Galesburg, Ill., on the line of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, is an odd, quiet little town. In earlier days, it was noted as a good business point. It was here that a representative of the State of Iowa, who told him, in the presence of her grateful daughter, Mrs. E. Sloan, the following story, which is given as nearly as possible in her own language: "Yes, it is with great pleasure that I can give my testimony to the great value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I was taken with a chill and erysipelas set in. For several weeks I was not able to walk step. The physicians proposed to take off my leg, but I finally decided not to do so. It mortified in spots, which had to be cut or burnt out. After I was able to get about the use of crutches, every two or three months erysipelas would set in again, and I suffered intensely from it. 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LOCAL NEWS.

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Advertisers Can Reach

The Colored People of Des Moines and Iowa Only Through the Iowa State Bystander.

Anderson Monice was indisposed this week.

Edith Stanton is suffering with bronchitis.

Mrs. C. S. Stewart is reported quite ill this week.

Miss Eva Robinson has been suffering with the gripe.

Louis Austin was detained from work several days this week.

Take dinner with East Side Baptist church on Thanksgiving day. Only 25c.

You and your girl at the Cake Walk next Friday evening, East Side Baptist church.

Mr. T. E. Barton, who was in Chicago several days this week returned home Wednesday.

C. S. Stewart was indisposed this week, which necessitated his absence from official duty, a few days.

Grand entertainment and Cake Walk at East Side Baptist church, next Friday evening, November 22. Admission 10c.

The ladies of Burris Chapel will give a grand dinner on Thanksgiving day. Everything good to eat. Come and join us.

A donation party was given Rev. T. A. Clark, Monday evening. About twenty were present and they replenished the cupboard with choice viands and articles of use. A good time is reported.

Rev. Timothy Reeves preached a very interesting and instructive sermon last Sunday evening, on "Conversation; Why Imperative." The bright and advanced thoughts presented were especially good.

"The Bible on Dancing" was the theme discussed by Rev. Williams of the Baptist Church last Sunday evening. The reverend is an able man and greatly endeared himself to the congregation by his able effort.

The sad news is received of the death of Mrs. Kizzie Scofield Barnett at Albia. She was well and favorably known in this city and was an honest and energetic lady. Sympathy is extended to the family in their hour of bereavement.

Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Blagburn occurred a very enjoyable party in honor of the Fish Jubilee Singers. The guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. Blagburn and their daughters, Mesdames Joe La Cour and John Carpet of this city, and Mrs. P. C. Hudlin of Phillipsburg, Kansas. The evening was spent in dancing, and instrumental and vocal music. The company kindly consented to render "Steal Away to Jesus" and "Good Night," to the delight of every one present. Dainty refreshments were served, and after each one had expressed thanks to the entertainers for their unlimited hospitality, wended their way homeward.

The Pathfinders entertainment promises to eclipse anything that has been given in the city for some time. The number of guests from outside the city will be very large. We understand it will display the latest fashions.

The Ladies' Afternoon Social club met in regular session at 2 p. m. Thursday at the home of Mrs. Austin. There was a goodly number present and a good time was had by all, and a repast was served in Mrs. Austin's charming style. The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. B. J. Homes, on Park street.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church, on Second and Center, T. Reeves, pastor—Sunday school at 3 p. m., J. Hardy, Superintendent. Class meeting at 12 m.—Subject of sermon at 10:30 a. m.: "The Light of the Lord; What It Is and What We Have by Walking in It." At 7:30 p. m.: Subject, "God Give Him Another Heart." (Do you need one?) Good singing by a trained choir. You are welcome.

The H. B. S. R. C. met at the home of Mrs. C. S. Stewart. The circle was highly entertained. Program November 21st:

Longfellow, Mrs. Cleggitt, History, Mrs. Cleary, Paper on "What to Read and How," Mrs. Palmer.

To be discussed by the members, Biographical Sketch of Francis Harper, Mrs. Barton.

Adjourned to meet with Mrs. Weeks, 763 Tenth street.

The circle was visited by Mrs. Pete Hudley, of Phillipsburg, Kas.

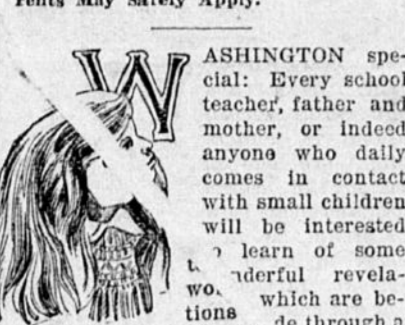
Through Tourist Car. An upholstered Pullman tourist car will leave Des Moines every Tuesday evening at 10 p. m. and run direct to Los Angeles, Calif., without change via the Chicago Great Western (Maple Leaf) and Santa Fe lines. For rates, reservations or other information, write or call on:

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WASHINGTON special: Every school teacher, father and mother, or indeed anyone who daily comes in contact with small children will be interested to learn of some wonderful revelations which are being made through a new science known as "paidiology," or more literally, child study.

All of the large colleges and universities in the United States have now provided courses in what is known as "new psychology." Connected with these are completely equipped laboratories for studying the minutest details of the great mental system. The principal investigations in these workshops are made upon children. This is for the reason that most college students are undertaking psychological courses are preparing to be pedagogues, that is to say, teachers of the young. The child-study laboratories in colleges bear to the department of education much the same relationship which the agricultural experiment stations connected with various universities bear to the department of agriculture—so far as is concerned the collection and diffusion of the knowledge obtained. Instead of practicing with plants to learn the most desirable processes for their cultivation, the former experiment stations study the budding infant mind.

Reports upon the work done thus far in all of these laboratories have lately been collected at the bureau of education by Miss E. Tolman Smith, an educational specialist, to whom the writer is indebted.

It would appear that the child of the very near future is to enjoy an ideal school life. Every effort is being made by these expert paidiologists to detect weaknesses in all of the State school systems. Although the youth of the present generation fares many hundreds per cent better than did his grandfather, made to sit almost all day on a hard-seated stool, in constant fear of the nervous-shattering switch, the pupil of the twentieth century will be relieved of many discomforts at present existing.

It is the opinion of most child-students that our boys and girls are educated too much according to the average child's ability. The average boy can sit still a certain length of time, he can hear common conversation so many feet away, his nerves are sensitive to a certain degree, he can endure a certain amount of pain and exposure, he can work in a certain amount of light, he can study so many hours in a certain night, he can remember so much of his yesterday's lesson, and so on. But what is to become of him who is below the average? If below the average in hearing, eight, memory, nerve, strength, endurance, etc., must he be put back in a lower grade or given a chance to go ahead, provision being made for his weaknesses until cured?

In the model experimental laboratory for child-study is found apparatus for studying the motor abilities, rapidity of action, powers of attention, perception, memory, will, sensitiveness to fatigue, pain, and hundreds of other conditions both of children and matured persons. They are made to sleep on balances graduated to such fine points that the slightest irregularity of pulse, respiration, circulation, temperature, etc., may be detected. Mild doses of narcotics and nervines are given. The patient is put under an air pump and the effect of varying pressures of atmosphere against the entire surface of the body is observed. Certain muscles are worked, the effects of the effects of hypnosis, electricity, varying degrees of light, heat and sound, and also of chemicals, both tasted and smelt, are also tested. All of these investigations are made without pain or discomfort to anyone.

Bicycles, Women, Insurance.

The Wheel More Eligible to Policies than Their Brave Riders.

The bicycle club has let down the bars of conventionality in attire for women has superseded her. I believe, in eligibility to insurance. You can insure your bicycle and collect indemnity that will pay for repairs, and in case of wreckage the wheel will be replaced, writes Hargot Caboon. "This is more than can be said for women as far as accident insurance is concerned. The accident insurance company looks with disfavor upon the female applicant for insurance to the extent that it agrees to no indemnity in case of accident, but pays up quite cordially to the heirs in the case of a woman being killed. They have their own reasons for this. We are a nervous kind, we women, and are not only in greater danger of getting under the wheels than men, on account of our excitable temperaments, but they also say of us that if we should get hurt we would never get well, but keep the company paying up till time immemorial. We like to know in just what estimation we are held. It makes a new woman write and smart to happen on to facts like this one.

However, the reputable insurance companies, or one of them, at least, has recently dropped the extra rate they have always claimed from women, thereby placing them on the same level as the male risk. The new woman will regard this as interesting news.

His Idea of Distance. A Windham county, Conn., man, who rounded out 75 years of his life without ever going more than 20 miles from his birthplace, was one day answering the questions of a distinguished western visitor, who had come on to the old town from far beyond the Mississippi valley to learn of the childhood of his father and mother, who were born in Windham county. The old native gave the westerner just the details the latter was seeking.

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, January term, 1913.

Stephen J. Loughran, Frances S. Loughran, F. A. Percival, John M. Owens and City of Des Moines, versus the unknown claimants of lot six (6) of the official plat of the southeast quarter (1/4) of Section four (4), Township twenty-four (24), Range twenty-four (24), west of the Fifth (5) P. M., Polk County, Iowa.

You and each of you are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, the petition of Stephen J. Loughran, Frances S. Loughran, F. A. Percival, John M. Owens and the City of Des Moines, in which they state that they are the true and lawful owners of simple and claiming title to lot six (6) of the official plat of the southeast quarter (1/4) of Section four (4), Township twenty-four (24), Range twenty-four (24), west of the Fifth (5) P. M., Polk County, Iowa, by virtue of an oral agreement entered into August 5th, 1884, between Stephen J. Loughran, one of the plaintiffs herein, and one Edwin Hall, the then owner in fee simple of said lot six (6), above described, and that he and the other parties named herein have paid the taxes on said lot six (6) since the 6th day of August, 1884, and have been in unexcused open, continuous, notorious and uninterrupted possession of the same ever since.

That the said Edwin Hall died on or about September 17th, 1884, without devising said lot six (6) to the City of Des Moines for any purposes or deeding the same, by written instrument, to plaintiff herein, Stephen J. Loughran, as agreed.

That he left certain heirs whose names and residences are to these plaintiffs unknown.

Said petition prays that the title to said lot six (6) be quieted in plaintiff, and that he be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any right or title thereto adverse to plaintiff, and that unless you appear thereto and defend on or before noon of the second day of the January Term, A. D. 1913, of said Court, which commences on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1913, at the Court House in Des Moines, Iowa, default will be entered against you and decrees rendered thereon.

Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

The above notice was hereby approved, this 14th day of September, A. D. 1913, and the same is hereby ordered published for statutory period in The Iowa State Bystander.

THOS. F. STEVENSON, Judge.

Notice of Assignment.

Notice is hereby given that the A. C. Mount Broom Company, a corporation duly organized and acting under the laws of the State of Iowa, having its principal place of business at Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, did on the 31st day of October, 1913, as provided in the statutes of Iowa, make unto the undersigned a general assignment for the benefit of its creditors. The creditors of said assignor are hereby notified to present their claims under oath to the undersigned assignee at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, within three (3) months from this date.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, October 14, 1913.

G. C. STEWART, Assignee.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Des Moines, Iowa. Hours: 9 to 11 a. m.; 1 to 3 p. m.; 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.; Sundays, 10 to 11 a. m. Office, Corner State and Locust Sts. Residence, 723 Ninth St. Phone 129.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Iowa, in and for Polk County, November Term, 1913. Lulu E. Sweeton, plaintiff, vs. Samuel E. Sweeton, defendant.

To said defendant, Samuel E. Sweeton: You are hereby notified that the petition of plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, claiming from you an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony, on the grounds of habitual drunkenness and for cruel and inhuman treatment to such an extent as to endanger the life of plaintiff; and for such other and different relief as by the court may seem equitable. And that unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the November term, A. D. 1913, of the said Court, which will commence at Des Moines, Iowa, on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1913, default will be entered against you and judgment and decrees rendered thereon, as provided by law.

DORIS & PARISH, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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(Signed) GLENWOOD PEEBLE, W. N. SHERWY.

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THE REVIEW OF REVIEWS Edited by ALBERT SHAW. I WAS in April, 1911, that the first number of the American Review of Reviews was printed. The new idea of giving the best that was in the other magazines in addition to its own brilliant, original articles, took America by storm, as it had taken England—though the magazine itself was not at all a reprint of the English edition. It deals most largely with American affairs, and is edited with perfect independence, in its own office.

THE REGULAR DEPARTMENTS. Besides the special articles and character sketches of thrilling interest and has the regular departments: THE PROGRESS OF THE WORLD—An illustrated editorial review of the month's events in the principal places of business in Des Moines, Iowa; and its principal place of business is Des Moines, Iowa; the general nature of the business to be transacted by the company is to manufacture, buy and sell bicycles and bicycle supplies and to engage in a general mercantile business; the amount of the capital stock authorized is \$100,000, fully issued and divided into shares of \$100 each and to be paid in at such times and upon such conditions as the stockholders may determine; the corporation shall begin October 1st, 1913, and terminate at the expiration of twenty (20) years from that date, unless sooner dissolved by a majority vote of the stockholders, and its affairs shall be managed by a board of directors, who shall elect a president, vice-president, secretary or cashier, and treasurer, and such other officers, including an executive committee, as it may see fit; the officers and directors shall be elected annually on the last Tuesday of January of each year, and until the annual meeting in 1916, the following persons shall be the directors and officers: Frances Shoyer, president and treasurer; Chas. H. Van Cott, vice-president, and Gerritt W. Madison, secretary; the highest amount of indebtedness to which the corporation is at any time to subject itself shall not exceed two-thirds (2/3) of its capital stock. The private property of the stockholders is to be exempt from corporate debts. (Signed) FRANCES SHOYER, GERRITT W. MADISON, CHAS. H. VAN COTT.

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ROOM 9, HAWKEYE BLOCK, 4TH ST. MONEY LOANED ON JEWELRY.

Governor Culberson of Texas, is only 32 years old. He is the youngest man that ever held the office in that state.

One advantage of football is that the fight always comes off.

Ple socials are the thing with the upper crust in Kansas society.

The "I Told You So" man is getting in his headwork from Maine to California.

Watch the sultan of Turkey; he is likely to work the straw ball trick on the powers.

The different countries of the world now use 13,400 different kinds of postage stamps.

The butterfly collection belonging to Prof. Neumegen of Brooklyn, N. Y., is worth \$60,000.

It cost Texas \$20,000 to keep Corbett and Fitzsimmons apart. It also cost Mrs. Corbett No. 1 \$100 a week.

It is said that the water in the Ohio river is so low that the catfish have left the stream and have gone to Cincinnati for beer.

Remember that the best burglar in the world is the dead one. If it comes to a question of shoot or to be shot, don't be shot.

Venezuela says she "can put 100,000 men into the field." Unless Uncle Sam interferes John Bull can put them into the potterfield.

Owing to the remarkable drought in the vicinity of Hazelton, Pa., wild animals from the mountains are invading the villages in search of water.

The duke of Marlborough complains that "New York policemen are pretty rough." Lexow proved that many of the "are pretty smooth" also.

By scanning the advertisements of a theatrical exchange we learn that nineteen of "America's leading emotional actresses" are now "at liberty."

One of the features at a big food exhibit at Chicago recently was a cake of soap weighing 1,000 pounds. Do they eat soap in Chicago?—Nashville Telegraph. No, but they probably wash the pots after using.

Some overzealous humanitarians are urging the Republic of Hawaii to turn all her political criminals out of jail during the coming holidays. They are not repentant, and would likely at once begin their old work of treason. Hawaii is much safer with the entire crowd behind barred doors and grated windows.

It appears from a recent statistical report that there are in Germany 31,639 kilometers of trunk lines and 11,676 kilometers of branch lines. The invested capital of the railroads is reported at 10,724,099,696 marks. Out of this sum 2,745,328,004 marks were raised by state loans. The receipts in 1893-94 are stated at 1,401,714,318 marks; the expenditure, 858,865,991 marks; surplus, 548,208,327 marks, of which the government received 515,757,598 marks. The total sum of dividends distributed was about 16,000,000 marks. The funds for repairs are reported at 29,243,044 marks, and the traffic details are given as follows: Passenger traffic—Number of passengers, 521,470,450; receipts, 284,173,403 marks. Goods traffic, 244,178,513 tons; receipts, 954,053,910 marks.

Says a contemporary: "One of the first uses to which the current generated at the large Niagara Falls electric plant has been put is the manufacture of aluminum from bauxite by electrolysis. What the value of such a source of electric current may be to factories in the neighborhood of Niagara, is suggested by the fact that, although the present aluminum works are constructed to produce 5,000 pounds of pure aluminum a day, the complete success of the electrolytic process has convinced the management that the doubling of the resources of the factory by its means is a comparatively simple matter. More pots are to be put in as rapidly as possible, until 10,000 pounds of the pure metal, worth in small quantities 50c a pound, is being turned out daily.

The city of Jacksonville is reported to be greatly delighted over the discovery of a bountiful supply of water. Such depravity as this would not be allowed to go uncensured in Kentucky.

Col. Hamm, editor of the Georgia Cracker, says that a snollygoster is a man who is ambitious for office, regardless of party, platform, or principles; and that, if he gets there at all, he does so by "monumental, talkholical assumption." Thanks to Col. Hamm, we are as last able to classify some interesting characters.

Golden, Ill., has enterprising burglar-factories. While the earthquake was in progress some light-fingered gentlemen blew up a safe and made off with the contents while those who heard the noise were expecting to see the earth open up.

A San Francisco society woman announces that she "will start for Chicago on her wheel just as soon as she can get a divorce." There is no excuse for delay. If she applies for divorce here by telegraph she will find a decree awaiting her on her arrival.

We submit that the time has arrived to make Joe Chamberlain quit pulling feathers out of the tail of the American eagle.

The old Seven Stars tavern in East Vincent township, Chester county, Pa., burned last week. The Seven Stars tavern was one of the oldest landmarks in the country. It was built long before the revolution, and it was a famous stopping place for travelers going from Philadelphia to Baltimore. Washington and his generals often stopped there.

SELECTED HAWKEYE MENTION

THE SCHULTZ MURDER

Brother of the Murdered Woman Charged With the Crime.

CHEROKEE, November 11.—Another sensation has been sprung in the Schultz murder case. In August 1893, Martin Schultz and wife, an aged couple living in Tilden township, this county, were clubbed to death. The murderer secured several hundred dollars. All efforts of officers and detectives have heretofore proved futile. George Montague, a brother of the murdered woman, has just been arrested for the crime. The information was sworn to by a man named Jones, with whom Montague has been gathering corn.

CHEROKEE, November 13.—George Montague, who was arrested for the murder of the Schultz family, August 16, 1893, was given a hearing before Justice M. L. Marshall at Washta and was released. E. U. Jones, the man who caused the arrest, was in turn arrested and fined \$15 for disturbing the public peace.

NEARLY BURNED TO DEATH.

Billy Miller, of Fort Dodge, Has a Narrow Escape From Death.

FORT DODGE, November 15.—Billy Miller is a clerk in Mulrooney Bros. store and was engaged in cleaning out an old kerosene tank. The tank had not been used for some time, and Billy, with a candle to assist him in seeing, opened the tank, and while bending over the opening the escaping gas ignited from the candle and an explosion followed. The unfortunate young man was blown a considerable distance and was injured by the fall, as well as being frightfully burned. His face and left hand caught the bulk of the flames and the left hand was burned so that the skin was nearly all off. He was taken into Sackett & Haire's drug store and his injuries dressed and the pain in part relieved. It is difficult at present to tell the full extent of the injuries received, but it is safe to say that his face will be badly scarred.

LOVED A FARM HAND.

Mrs. Alice Liggett Elopes With Jake Mundell.

LAURENS, November 13.—Mrs. Alice Liggett, wife of Clinton Liggett, a well-to-do farmer living in Booth township, north of here, eloped with a hired hand named Jake Mundell. She eloped her husband by packing her clothes in Mundell's trunk and riding to town with a neighbor. They bought tickets at Marathon for Marshalltown and took the train for that point, but though the wires had been liberally used, no trace of them can be found. She leaves four small children.

SIoux CITY MURDER.

Gulley Parties Said to Have Confessed.

SIoux CITY, November 13.—Kid Gallagher and Alex Chapin, recently captured at Omaha and taken to Papillion, Neb., are the men who killed Max Nonck and Ora Minter in a Sioux City hotel some time ago. They have made a confession. But in order to escape the penalty they have just pleaded guilty to a murderous assault at Papillion, and have been sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

A BAD FIRE AT PANORA.

Three Buildings Burned—Damage Amounts to \$10,000.

PANORA, November 14.—Last night fire destroyed three business houses occupied by C. A. Baughman, harness and buggy; Jennings and Nichols, furniture, and Kramer and Butler, general merchandise. How the fire originated is not known. The loss will amount to about \$10,000.

Schaffer's Sentence Suspended.

DES MOINES, November 13.—Governor Jackson has suspended the six months' sentence of John Schaffer to the penitentiary for grave robbing, pending an appeal for pardon. Schaffer's friends are urgent in his behalf, claiming, although he was present at the robbery, he supposed Orvorton had a permit, and that it will work a great injustice to send him to the penitentiary because of a technicality of the law.

Drink Made Him Insane.

CLINTON, November 14.—Douglass Darling, a lawyer of Clinton, has been adjudged insane by the commissioners and ordered taken to Independence for treatment. At one time he was a promising young lawyer with a very bright future, but he became addicted to the habit of drink, which caused his downfall. He now thinks his father has robbed him and that all his friends are his enemies.

Jones Is a Professional Crook.

CEDAR RAPIDS, November 13.—Edward S. Jones, an alleged organizer for the Royal Fraternal Guardians, who skipped from Cedar Rapids after swindling a number of people, and who was captured at Des Moines, was brought back.

DIPHTHERIA AT THE BLUFFS.

High School and Other Buildings Closed.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, November 14.—The local board of health has closed the high school on account of the prevalence of diphtheria. Six rooms in other buildings have also been closed for the same reason. There are several cases of the disease in the city, and the parents have failed to observe the board of health's rules. The board ordered the closing of all the infected rooms for the purpose of stamping out the disease.

Sac City Mill Burned.

SAC CITY, November 12.—The Sac City roller mill, owned by J. E. Robbins, burned, together with 10,000 bushels of wheat stored in it. The mills had been running day and night, producing fifty barrels of flour a day. The loss is \$10,000, without insurance.

Attempt to Rob a Bank.

MASON CITY, November 12.—An attempt was made to loot the Bank of Plymouth, at Plymouth, ten miles north of Mason City. The big door to the safe was blown off by the robbers, who were at work on the money chest when frightened away. There is no clue.

ONE OF THE ROWES.

Is Now at Montezuma, Where His Will Be Filled.

MONTZUMA, November 15.—W. F. Forsee, of the Pinkerton agency, arrived from the City of Mexico, bringing with him Richard Rowe, arrested on the charge of complicity in the embroilment of his brother, Chester W. Rowe, who stole \$28,000 from Poweshiek county last April, while treasurer of the county. Richard was indicted by the grand jury in September on the charge of complicity and his trial will doubtless occur in January.

DOCTOR COMMITTED SUICIDE.

A Davenport Physician Killed Himself Before Witnesses.

DAVEYPORT, November 15.—Dr. Richard Pruessing, aged 55 years, took poison in the presence of several witnesses, telling them he had the stomach ache and was taking medicine. He died before a doctor could be secured. The act was caused by poverty.

Big Damage Suit.

WATERLOO, November 15.—As a result of charges made against W. I. Moody, of Waterloo, in a speech opposing his candidacy for secretary of the Iowa Dairywomen's association, and which resulted in his defeat by C. L. Gabriel, of New Hampton, Joseph Hutchins, of Manchester, who made the charges, has been sued for \$25,000 for alleged slander.

A Popular Student, a Thief.

CEDAR RAPIDS, November 14.—John R. McClosky, of Toledo, who has been going to school at Mount Vernon, has been bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$600 on two charges of robbery. He is charged with stealing a \$50 watch from a young lady and \$25 in money and a watch and jewelry from a schoolmate. His arrest caused a big sensation.

Is Found Guilty.

DES MOINES, November 13.—In the federal court Samuel Pollock, a gray haired villain, was found guilty of mailing obscene letters to a 14-year-old girl who lives near Verd, Washington county. He was sentenced to the Fort Madison penitentiary for four years at hard labor and to pay a fine of \$1,000.

CONDENSED ITEMS.

Cedar Rapids dispatch: When the Bevers filed their petition in the district court for a change of venue of all the cases connected with the Bever estate matter on the ground that Judge Wolf was so prejudiced that they could not secure a fair trial, they also presented affidavits to the same effect signed by over 200 leading men of the county. The judge has issued an order citing these signers to appear before him and state why they believe him to be prejudiced.

Brazil's Monarchical Party.

Twenty-seven of Its Officers Are Executed.

RIO JANEIRO, November 15.—Persons just arrived from Niteroy announced the shooting of twenty-seven political prisoners, among whom there were two colonels. This has caused the greatest excitement in all circles and nothing else is talked of. The executed men are known to have been in sympathy with the monarchical cause, which daily is gaining ground. It is stated that many of the officers of the army now operating in the south against the rebellion also favor it. It is stated also that both England and Germany will favor the movement, and the plan is to place a German prince on the throne of Brazil, probably Prince Henry, of Prussia.

JAPAN'S PLANS FOR THE NAVY.

Japan Will Spend \$200,000,000 on War Ships.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 15.—Although Japanese officials have denied that the mikado will spend \$200,000,000 on war ships, it is reported by advices from the steamer Coptic that ten vessels are to be built abroad, and that possibly the orders for them will be equally divided among the ship builders of England, France, Germany, Italy and the United States.

CUBA.

HAVANA, November 13.—Official advices received here indicate that 20,000 more troops will leave Spain for Cuba during the month of January.

LONDON, November 13.—A dispatch to the Times from Madrid says that advices received from Havana indicate that the situation in Cuba at the present time is very critical, and that general alarm over the existing state of affairs is felt.

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LORA BOBS UP AGAIN.

She Sues an Insurance Company et al. for \$50,000 for Causing Her Arrest.

ST. PAUL, November 15.—The papers in the damage suit of Lora M. Perkins against the Fidelity and Casualty Life Insurance company, of New York, have been filed with State Insurance Commissioner Smith. She asks for \$50,000 damages, on allegations to the effect that the company, through its agent, W. N. Todd, of St. Paul, caused her arrest on the charge of having murdered Mrs. Hawkins.

The New Pronouns.

An effort is being made by some learned professor to introduce a new pronoun in the English language to supply the place of he or she, him or her, himself or herself, etc., when we use the masculine and feminine gender together.

The New Word to Be Used.

The new word to be used, and if oddity has anything to do with it its introduction ought to be successful. But will it not sound odd to say: "The boy or girl who is diligent in school is laying up riches for himself. The boy or girl who is diligent in school is laying up riches for himself and herself that cannot be stolen?"

THE WORLD IN GENERAL.

PHYSICIANS FAVORED AMPUTATION OF THE LIMB.

It was not done, and the Patient was Cured by External Remedies.

Biggsville, twenty-nine miles west of Galeburg, Ill., on the line of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, is an old quiet little town. In earlier days, it was noted as a good steam point.

It was here that a representative of the Republican Register found Mrs. Rhoda Talbot, 81 years of age, who told him in the presence of her husband, Mr. E. Sloan, the following story, which is given as nearly as possible in her own language: "Yes, it is with great pleasure that I can give my testimony to the great value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Over thirty years ago I was taken with a chill and erysipelas in my left arm and leg. I was unable to walk a step. The physicians proposed to take off one of my limbs but finally decided not to do so. I mortified in spots, which had to be cut or burst out. After I was able to get about, with the use of crutches, every two or three months erysipelas would visit me, and I suffered immensely from it. I had a good many different doctors. Dr. Fitch, of Sheridan, Iowa; Dr. Brown, of Chicago, Kansas; Dr. Scratt, of Burlington, Iowa; Dr. Searle, of Oakland, California; Dr. Searle, of Galeburg, Illinois, and a doctor in Kansas City, but obtained no relief, and after treatment from all these doctors, instead of getting better, began to get very much worse. The other limb broke out in two places with sores about the size of a silver dollar. I could not sleep night without the aid of morphia. My limbs were so badly swollen that I could not put on my shoes or walk a step without either the aid of a heavy bandage or a silk or rubber stocking. About a year ago I read of and was told by a neighbor about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I concluded, as a last resort, to try them. As I felt certain I could find no other relief. From the very first after I commenced to take them, I began to improve, and since that time I have not been troubled at all. I would not have done without the Pink Pills for anything, as they have most certainly prolonged my life, and they most health is much better than it has been for a good many years, and I am now 81 years of age. I have not only used the Pink Pills with success, but have recommended them to my friends whom I thought needed such treatment, and several have tried them and are cured."

AN EXPRESS OFFICE ROBBERED.

Twenty Thousand Dollars Secured by Masked Men.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., November 15.—The express office at the Santa Fe depot was robbed of \$20,000. Immediately after the departure of the night express at 9:42, George Krout, express agent, stepped from the platform into the office and was confronted by two masked men, who leveled their revolvers and ordered him to open the safe. This he did, and they helped themselves to two packages of money containing \$5,000 and \$15,000 respectively and made their escape. The money was a part consignment of \$50,000 sent from Denver to Cripple Creek, the remainder of which was in the safe, but not found. Officers are scouring the country in the hope of capturing the holdups.

"MESSIAH" DISAPPEARS.

Denver Will Over the Disappearance of Schlatter.

DENVER, November 15.—"Messiah" Schlatter has disappeared. As a member of the Fox family went to call him for breakfast he had mysteriously departed and left this note behind: "Mr. Fox, my mission is finished. The Father takes me away. F. Schlatter." Schlatter has been effecting some wonderful cures and the crowds who have come to receive the healing touch have been growing larger and larger, until thousands have been in line every day. Schlatter was a witness in the case against some "blessed" handkerchief fakirs, and the commissioner has issued a subpoena for his arrest. He took no money with him.

FASHION'S FANCIES.

A quaint little costume for a child of four years is made of white cashmere.

The skirt is plain, save for three bands of satin ribbon. The waist is close-fitting, and a yoke is outlined by ribbon bands matching the skirt. From shoulder to elbows the sleeves are trimmed with the ribbon. Over the sleeve tops and across the front and back is set a very deep fall of open-work, cut ribbon on either shoulder and a ribbon sash are worn with it. A child of five years has a dress with skirt made of cambric elaborately embroidered. The waist is gathered into a yoke and belt, the sleeves are full puffs to the elbows with wide ruffles of embroidery below. An Eton jacket of velvet and a very wide velvet sash with long loops and ends, make an appropriate and dressy finish.

WISDOM.

A woman can look thoroughly satisfied when she is not. A man can't do it.

Too many people in the church would rather be comets than stars of Bethlehem.

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Just as you are pleased at finding faults you are displeased at finding perfections.

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MURDEROUS TURKS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 12.—As a result of the exchange of numerous telegrams with their governments, the representatives of the powers held an important meeting and decided to send a fresh strong representation to Turkey, insisting on being informed without delay what measures Turkey intends to make to restore order in Armenia, reiterating the notice of the powers in concert, who will take necessary measures unless Turkey does so.

LONDON, November 13.—Mr. Dickson, the British consul at Jerusalem, has informed the government that a mob has attacked the mission at Nabulus, thirty-three miles north of Jerusalem. The missionaries escaped, but some of their servants were killed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 13.—Official advices state that the Armenians at Zeitoun are in rebellion and have killed thirty-five Mussulmans and carried off the arms and cattle of the people of that neighborhood.

PARIS, November 13.—Three iron-clads have been dispatched from Athens to Constantinople. They are prepared for action if necessary.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 14.—Every day news of fresh massacres is received. It is clear that if the powers waste additional time in negotiations the need for these negotiations will be passed. If the rumors should be confirmed that French and American missionaries have been injured in any of these outrages it is believed these powers will no longer confine themselves to protests. The American fleet, it is believed, is only too anxious to commence active operations. It is generally agreed that the end is not far distant.

BERLIN, November 14.—A dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from its correspondent in Constantinople says that all of the Christian and American teachers between Erzerum and Trebizonde have been massacred.

NAPLES, November 15.—The Italian squadron, ordered to co-operate with the British squadron in Turkish waters, has left for the east.

ST. PETERSBURG, November 15.—Five Russian war ships have been ordered to start immediately for the Mediterranean to join the proposed naval demonstration against Turkey in favor of the Armenians.

ROBBERED AND MURDERED.

Awful Fate of a Rich Young Man of Detroit.

DETROIT, November 15.—The terribly mangled remains of Luther H. Beecher, 22 years of age and a member of one of the most prominent families in the city were brought to his home at a late hour. The body had been run over by a Michigan Central train three miles from Lapeer. It is believed that Mr. Beecher was murdered and robbed and the body laid on the track to cover up the crime. His watch, shoes, and \$30, the contents of his purse, are missing.

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