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IOWA'S LEADING COLORED PAPER.

CITY NEWS.

Mrs. M. J. Breckenridge was able to be out this week.

The Ladies' Afternoon Social Club are holding their annual picnic to-day.

Miss Bertha Golder of St. Joseph is visiting her cousin Miss Selma Stanton.

Mr. John Mayweather has returned from a Colfax feeling much improved in his health.

Ev. T. Reeves made a brief visit to Newton this week to assist Rev. Ford in holding the quarterly meeting.

John Morton, our fast cyclist, is quite sick this week at his home on East Des Moines street.

Mr. Alex. Birney took quite a sudden attack of fever last Monday evening, and at this writing is unable to be out of bed.

Mrs. Robt. Good of Leon and her daughter Mrs. Lucy V. White of Garden Grove are contemplating a visit here this fall.

Mrs. D. Bomer, and her little daughter Ethel, left this week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mason in Mt. Pleasant.

A very pleasant surprise party was given on Mr. and Mrs. George Morton last week by the young people. Quite a number were present.

Emancipation celebrations will be held in Lucrece, Mo., August 16th, also the people of Bethany, Mo., August 17. A good time is anticipated at both places.

The colored people of Cedar Rapids will hold an emancipation celebration September 22. A large crowd is expected to be present.

B. J. Shepard of Okaloosa visited in our city a few days this week; the guest of his brother, J. H. Shepard, and his sister Mrs. Richardson of Clive.

It is reported that some of the Ottumwa people will attend the State Fair, Mrs. Spotts also the Misses Nellie and Edna Fowler and perhaps others.

John L. Thompson will leave Monday for Missouri where he will deliver an address in Putnam county on Wednesday and in Bethany, Harrison county Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Robinson of Chicago is in our city this week visiting Mrs. Robt. Jones. Mrs. Robinson made a short call at our office and ordered the By-stander sent to her home.

LATER—The camp meeting that is published elsewhere will not be held at the Chautauqua park. No place has been secured yet, but it will be announced at the church Sunday.

Mrs. White of Garden Grove who has been visiting in our city for several weeks, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lobblin on West Fifth street, will return home Saturday. She has had a very pleasant visit and likes the capital city.

Rev. Chas. Hunter, the traveling Missionary of the A. M. E. church of St. Louis, Mo., is in our city this week, he assisted Rev. T. Reeves in conducting quarterly meeting. He also delivered one of his lectures at the church bazaar last Thursday, he then left for Gelford, Ia., to preach.

Quite a number of our people took advantage of the cheap rates to St. Joseph last Sunday and visited that city. They all report a good time. Those whom we know went are W. H. Harrison, M. Taylor, K. Hamilton, Fred Stanton, Harry Craven, F. Stanton, Mrs. Lora Reed, Misses Nettie Ferguson and Fannie White.

Moershall and Fotheringham's dry goods firm has announced that they will go out of business as soon as they can dispose of their stock of goods. We are sorry to lose such good business men from the mercantile business.

Mrs. Dr. Lawter had quite an accident last week while washing windows, accidentally broke a glass cutting her hand severely, at this writing she is improving.

Elvira and Daisy two little colored girls from the South will sing next Monday evening at Webster's Hall for the entertainment given by the Victoria Lodge.

Measles Robt. Jones and Denney will leave Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends in Cedar Rapids Ia., Macon, Ill. and other Illinois towns, they expect to be gone several weeks.

There is talk of the By-stander running an excursion down to Muehakinock during the colored fair, which will be held Sept. 6th to the 8th inclusive, will announce definitely next week.

Mr. C. H. Seeley one of our large dry goods men who use to be the firm of Seeley and Munson is all alone now and is giving some bed rock prices this week in order to close out his old stock of goods preparatory for his large new fall goods. Mr. Seeley and his clerks are courteous and gentlemanly to all give them a call. Read his large add elsewhere.

The lecture delivered at the A. M. E. church by Rev. Chas. Hunter of St. Louis, Mo., on "What Shall we do with the Negro," was very attentively listened to by an appreciative audience. The only regret was so few people attended. The lecture was very interesting and the statistics quite instructive to all.

When in Muehakinock, Iowa stop at MRS. ADDIE JOHNSON'S RESTAURANT for good meals or short orders; also Ice Cream. Prompt attention given to all orders.

Last Tuesday the colored men owning bicycles effected an organization. The club is to be known as the "Metropolitan Cycling Club" with headquarters at Des Moines. There were fifty twenty persons present and all enrolled their names. The following officers were elected: A. Rivers, President; A. Pierson, Vice-President; Luther Rivers Secretary; Ed. Miller, Treasurer; F. Bryant, Captain; Rollen Weeks, Bugler. The club will make their first run Sunday morning leaving 5th and Locust St. at 7:00 A. M.

Rev. Chas. Hunter, Rev. Holmes, Mr. Howard of Chicago, Ill., Mrs. C. S. Ruff and Miss Carrie Owens, Mrs. Robt. Jones and Mrs. Ed. Robinson of Chicago made the By-stander office a pleasant call.

Mr. Geo. C. Young, who came here last week with the intention of living here, made a flying trip to Ottumwa last Sunday and brought his wife here to locate permanently. They have secured rooms at Mr. and Mrs. W. Birney residence on 12th Crocker.

Bishop A. Mack the Evangelist of Kansas City, is conducting a revival meeting for the Nebo Baptist church at the city tabernacle, the meeting will go on for two or three weeks his subject for Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock, "I mark you with a Brush." Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock "Death in the Pot" the public are invited to attend these meetings, come one come all.

AGENTS WANTED—FOR "THE LIFE AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF ADMIRAL BOWEN" the world's greatest naval hero. By Murat Halstead, the lifelong friend and admirer of the nation's idol. Biggest and best book; over 500 pages, \$10 inches; nearly 100 pages halftone illustrations. Only \$1.00. Enormous demand. Big commission. Outfit free. Chance of a lifetime. Write quick. The Dominion Comp any, 3rd Floor Caxton Bldg., Chicago.

For Sale Three running horses, bay stallion, six years old by Imp. Abana, dame May Cain by Imp. Tubal Cain. Bay filly, three years old, by the above described stallion. For further information address, J. HAMM, Linville, Ia.

THE PROGRAMME OF THE CHURCH FAIR AT THE A. M. E. CHURCH. MONDAY EVENING.

Piano Solo, Mr. W. Fields; Hamilton's Mandolin Club; Vocal Solo, Mrs. J. T. Blagburn; Piano Solo, Miss Allen; Recitation, Mrs. Erickson; Renix Mandolin Club; Vocal Solo, Mrs. Shepard; Recitation, Miss Allen; Hamilton's Mandolin Club; Vocal Solo, Miss Clegggett; Piano Solo, Miss Hamilton; Vocal Solo, Mrs. J. F. Blagburn; Renix Mandolin Club; Quartet, Williamson, Foster, Mason and Miller; Renix Mandolin Club.

TUESDAY EVENING. Paper, W. H. Hubbard; Paper, Lawyer Bush; Paper C. B. Woods; paper, Harrison Gools; Music, Miss Allen.

WEDNESDAY EVENING. Drama Poping the Question under

the management of Mr. I. E. Williamson.

Camp Meeting by the A. M. Church.

The colored people of Des Moines and Polk county have arranged for an old fashioned religious camp meeting, which will be held in this city under the auspices of the African M. E. church from August 17, continuing ten days. The meeting will be held at Chautauqua park, and several able ministers will preach during the session. There will be good singing at the services and the occasion promises to be one of enjoyment and profit. The local committee of arrangements is at work preparing for this event, and report that it will be the greatest camp meeting ever held in this part of the country. Chautauqua park is a beautiful place to hold a meeting of this character and large access and the public at large is cordially invited to attend.

A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die, I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertising in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. It saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter a great deal of suffering—Yours truly, Mrs. Geo. F. Hudson, Liberty, R. I. For sale by all Druggists.

NEW DAY TRAIN TO ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS

Via the North-Western Line, leaving Des Moines 9:00 a. m., daily except Sunday, arriving St. Paul, via Elmore, 7:45 p. m., Minneapolis 8:15 p. m., and returning leave Minneapolis 7:10 a. m., except Sunday, St. Paul 7:40 a. m., via Elmore, arriving in Des Moines at 6:15 p. m.

Vestibule coaches in both directions will be run through the entire route without change.

NEW LODGE

Colon, Iowa July 24.—The International order of Twelve of Sir Knights and daughters of Tabernacle held their annual installation Monday evening at 8 p. m. Lodges installed as follows:

The Queen of Egypt Tabernacle No. 517, officers as follows: Dt. Patsy Scott, C. P.; Dt. Fannie McDonald, V. P.; Dt. Mattie Brooks, C. E.; Dt. Perala Curtis, C. T.; Dt. Lucy Straughter, C. Pres.; Dt. M. J. Crowley, J. O.; Dt. Nannie Taylor, O. C.; Sir J. B. Straughter, C. Treas.; Sir Emmitt Wood, C. Treas.; Sir Minor Waits, O. Treas.; Dt. Bettie Carp, B. of E.; Dt. Nealy Douglas, B. of E.; Dt. Henrietta Hickman, B. of E.; Dt. Jennie Wood, B. of V.; Dt. Mary Easby, B. of V.; Dt. Hester Douglas, B. of V. Officers of Banner Temple No. 90: Sir Emmitt Wood, C. M.; Sir Henry Bryant, V. M.; Sir J. B. Straughter, C. S.; Sir Minor Waits, C. T.; Sir J. A. Clark, C. D. M.; Sir Ed. Williams, C. C. B.; Sir C. R. Brookins, C. O.; Sir Nelson, Douglas, O. Ct.; Sir David Scott, P. C. M. and other officers appointed. Installation ceremonies were performed by Sir J. B. Straughter, P. P. F. and Sir David Scott, D. G. M. of Iowa and jurisdiction.

There will be a grand picnic and turnout on the 12th day of August. The speakers of the day will be Sir J. B. Straughter, Colon, Sir Rev. Broking of Muehakinock and Hon. G. H. Woodson is expected and Hon. Sir David Scott of Colon. The order of Twelve is prospering in this part of Iowa.

The Polk County Democrat, a new newspaper printed in Valley Junction, just reached our office. Its first appearance is fairly good. The editor is an old acquaintance of the BYSTANDER editor. We hope that Mr. H. M. Bevel may succeed, yet we fear not, because Valley Junction has already an excellent paper, the Express, and the democrats of Polk county are so few that they already have sufficient newspapers—yet we give you permission to try your luck brother Bevel.

It Was Shameful.

The recent humiliating and disgraceful public meetings held by the so called society people of Boston, Mass., are very ridiculous and

shameful, if reports be true. The meeting was called to make arrangements to send some one to Lake City N. C., to get ex-post master Baker's wife and children and bring them to Boston. A white lady who was in sympathy with the colored people has started the movement to raise a fund and to bring the widow of the murdered post master away—hence the colored people called the public meetings and a few broke the meeting up and called another to oppose the idea the next night and it was more turbulent than the other, even officers had to be called out to quiet colored people. We are indeed greatly surprised at the society people of the old historic, far famed and highly cultured Boston. If such actions had occurred out here among us in the far West you would say it was lack of intelligence, but we colored people out here are far above such uncourteous actions. Colored people, we must respect one another more.

THROUGH A WOMAN'S EYES.

Said Rev. Tillman in an emancipation address delivered at Dubuque Aug. 1st. "Of all forms of greatness, there is none so admirable as moral greatness. It is this style of greatness that makes the life of Jesus of Nazareth stand out in sublime grandeur upon the pages of history and we find the same radiance reflected in the life of Paul of Stephen, in the lives of the christian martyrs of a later period and coming down to our own times, we find this greatness in the characters of John Brown, Sumner, Lovejoy, Phillips, Garrison, Greeley, Whittier, Douglass, Daniel Payne, Alexander, Wayman, men of strong convictions and unwavering integrity, men who were not for sale in the market popularity and gain, men who like Daniel in the court of Babylon held fast to their integrity. It was for lack of moral greatness that Napoleon, Byron, Burns, Bun and other great names that appear upon the pages of history, went down to their graves with blots of infamy upon records that should have been stainless. "To thine own self be true" says Shakespeare. "Thou cannot then be false to any man."

There are many tongues and pens that are bidding the Negro stay out of politics while to do so would be sheer madness, what people ever obtained greater rights and privileges by throwing to the winds those already obtained. The commons of England are represented now in that government as a result of centuries of political unrest and intense struggle, the negro for his best interests must not only remain in politics, but must take a more active part in the affairs of state than ever before. In no branch of knowledge should he be more proficient than in the study of civics, every bit legislation should be carefully studied and all bills introduced to deprive him of his rights as an American citizen, fought bitterly in spite of all that is said to the contrary there is only one basis upon which the Negro can dwell safely in this country and that is upon the basis of an equality of rights which Sumner declared was The first of rights.

The organization of the Women's Clubs of Des Moines, Chicago and recently of Keokuk together with the consideration of Women's Clubs soon to meet in the White City are indications of better days for the race with bright intelligent women reigning in Negro homes as virtuous wives and mothers, a crown of joy to the husband an angel of inspiration to the children, nothing can prevent the race from reaching its desired goal.

Among the pulp orators of Iowa none stand higher than Rev. Timothy Reeves pastor of St. Paul A. M. E. church of Des Moines and many of his brethren say that he must represent them at the coming general conference. KATHERINE DAVIS TILLMAN Clinton, Ia.

IOWA CITY BRIEFLETS.

Mrs. Winston is very ill at this writing. An over land excursion party composed Messrs. Dameron, Short, Brown and Thompson, Messames Mason and Dameron and the Misses Dameron, Mason and Brown attended the Union picnic at Coppock the first inst.

Mrs. Mason is visiting in Hedrick. Little Ralph Porter has been quite sick but is much better now.

Mr. Dameron presented his wife with a lovely kodak for a birthday present Sunday. She is very proud of it.

James Jones returned from Cedar Rapids Monday.

Miss Effie Mason will leave Monday evening for a weeks visit with Miss Georgia Crump in Hedrick.

Rev. Porter is not passing the elgirs since the first, because he is a preacher. Its a boy he will answer by the name of Earle Sheridan Porter.

Rev. Porter will preach in Cedar Rapids the 13th.

The young people are planning an over land excursion to Cedar Rapids next Sunday to attend services.

It might be well to remember that the lengthening of the days doesn't mean the coming of a happy day.

C. H. SEELEY

SIXTH AVENUE AND WALNUT ST.

12 HOURS OF HOURLY SALES

An Entire Day of Really Wonderful Selling

The wheels of this establishment will hum and buzz with business Saturday. Every piece and par is perfectly adjusted and completely in touch and with genuine bargains as the motive power we're ready for a December Saturday in August.

Only part of the cut prices are listed here—display cards and salespeople will complete the story at the store. We've fixed the cost side of the question—now supply your wants at less than wholesale figures.

FIRST HOUR—8 to 9 a. m.

We'll start things in the Wash Goods by selling all these fancy light stuffs—the same that others advertising as bargains at 11 and 12 1/2c—
for yard..... 4c
All of those 10c imported organdies and dimities go on a table by themselves—a complete showing of really beautiful fabrics—your choice from 8 to 9 for yard..... 5c
Here's a treat—one lot of the most exquisite of imported, embroidered Swisses, organdies, etc. that have been selling at \$1.00 and \$1.19 a yard, will go, during this hour at—per yard..... 37 1/2c

SECOND HOUR—9 to 10 a. m.

the linen hour—lay in a supply at factory prices.
Fancy patterned, bleached damask Napkins—new patterns, this hour, per dozen..... 48c
Heavy, \$1.25 cream bleached, Damask Napkins—new patterns, this hour, per dozen..... 79c
Full large size, heavy, cotton huck towels, with fancy patterned ends and edges—each..... 5c
Fancy drawn worked Damask and extra heavy, all linen huck towels, 15 and 13c kinds, this hour, each..... 10c
Yard wide, bleached Muslins—extra weight, this hour, per yard..... 5c
Sea Island, unbleached cottons—heavy—yard..... 4c

THIRD HOUR—10 to 11 a. m.

Little things at little prices will make this third chapter one of the most interesting of Saturday's bargain story.
200 yard spools cotton, or 100 yard spool silk thread each..... 1c
500 yard spools of silk substitute thread—heavy and strong—per spool..... 7c
10 papers of first grade hair pins—highly finished goods—per..... 4c
Full paper of pins, each, during this hour..... 1c
Purses and chatelaine bags—the 25 and 35c kind, this hour..... 15c
Transparent Glycerine Soap—this hour, per cake..... 3c

FOURTH HOUR—11 to 12 m.

Corded and Satin Stripes Taffeta Waist Silks in a full assortment of colors—handsome, rich combinations—regular 75c qualities—this hour..... 48c
A line of light wash silks in pretty plaids and stripes, worth 50c a yard—this hour only..... 19c
Extra heavy, \$1.00 Peau de Soie this hour, per yard..... 75c
Cheney Brothers' 24-inch Foulard silks that sell everywhere at \$1.00 a yard—on sale here, from 11 to 12 at..... 55c

FIFTH HOUR—12 to 1 p. m.

Full 38-inch, all wool, fancy black Dress Goods—rich in designs and fast dye—new things—fine 50c fabrics, this hour, each yard only..... 25c
Full 38-inch, real Sicilian Cloth—sold in every other store at 50c—this hour, of..... 39c
Full 50-inch, rich black, \$1.00 serges, during this hour, cut to..... 69c

SIXTH HOUR—1 to 2 p. m.

Choice, from 1 to 2 Saturday, of twenty-five pieces of fine all wool challises—imported..... 29c
New, 54-inch covert cloths, for skirts and suits—finest 70c qualities—going this hour..... 62 1/2c
38-inch, half wool, broadened Fancies—all ways sell at 35c—this hour, per yard..... 19c

SEVENTH HOUR—2 to 3 p. m.

A big lot of regular 10c Torchon and Oriental Laces, go during this hour..... 5c
Choice of a nice line of 18 and 20c laces in good widths at per yard..... 10c
Two big lots of corded Torchon laces to sell from 2 to 3, at 12 yards for..... 12 1/2c

EIGHTH HOUR—3 to 4 p. m.

Here are some fine business builders from the second floor—
Full cut, crash skirts with five rows of cord decorations running around garments—nicely made, well finished, 50c goods—this hour, each..... 39c
Regular 50c plain crash skirts—this hour—a hummer, at..... 19c
Fancy percale shirt waists, with high standing detached collars to match—our 75 and 90c waists—choice from 3 to 4—for..... 37 1/2c

NINTH HOUR—4 to 5 p. m.

Choice, from 4 to 5—of all the ladies' and children's 25 and 35c underwear, for..... 19c
Men's fine 50c underwear—the best ever offered at that money—going, during this hour..... 25c

TENTH HOUR—5 to 6 p. m.

54-inch Persian Rugs in pleasing patterns—heavy weight—\$1.50 values—each..... 98c
54-inch heavy weight, long nap Smyrna rugs—beautiful patterns—worth every cent of \$2.25 apiece—choice, this hour, for..... 1.79
2.00 Nottingham Lace Curtains, in rich Fall patterns—a pair, only..... 98c
Ruffled net Curtains—full size—pure white—reliable grade—pair..... 69c
20c Japanese Matting at 12 1/2c—a full showing of 35 and 38c Matting in all shades and patterns, a yard..... 19c

ELEVENTH HOUR—7 to 8 p. m.

How's this: One big lot of fine embroideries that are worth up to \$1.00 a yard, to be on sale from 7 to 8 at, per yard..... 12 1/2c
Ladies' embroidered and lace edged Swiss handkerchiefs—beauties—new patterns..... 9c
Ladies' wide lace ties with fancy ends, going after this order—50c ones for 35c and 55c ones for..... 19c

TWELFTH HOUR—8 to 9 p. m.

Ladies' fine 35c silk mitts, got from 8 to 9 at, pair..... 19c
Ladies' fine quality white lin., and silk gloves now so scarce..... 48c
Good 38-inch Selocias—5c grade—for the last hour, per yard, only..... 7 1/2c
Extra quality cambric skirt lining per yard..... 4c

THE SALE OF SALES

A REAL QUITTING BUSINESS SALE

Everything must be closed out on the shortest possible notice—AT COST—IF NOT COST, LESS—Whatever it will bring. Cost cuts no ice in this sale. The object is to sell the goods.

MOERSHELL & FOTHERINGHAM.

621 Walnut Street.

MUEHAKINOCK NEWS.

Rev. T. L. Griffith and wife are away for a two weeks visit among relatives and friends in Albia and other places over the state.

Ennioe Wilson of Burlington is in the city in the interest of her play "The Milk Maids Convention" which will be given Thursday evening by a company consisting of about all the young ladies in the "hollow".

Mrs. Julia Moon gave a very pleasant party at the residence of Mr. Samuel Bryant Thursday evening of last week.

Blanch Henderson of Ottumwa returned to her home Tuesday morning after a week's visit with relatives and friends in the city.

Rev. Burton of Marshalltown is acting pastor of the Union Valley Baptist church

Monday evening by the Brooks Orchestra was postponed since die on account of the rain.

The announcements are out the effect that the military rank of Odd Fellowship known as the "Patriarch" will be established in Muehakinock August 22. This will be the only lodge of the kind in the state. As usual we lead.

F. P. Jones lost his fine delivery horse by his becoming overheated last week.

Announcements are out to the effect that the Great Muehakinock Fair will occur on September the 6, 7 and 8.

Attorney Geo. H. Woodson repeated the lecture which he delivered at Mount Pleasant July 7th on "Our Nation's Danger, before the Mahaska County Normal in session at Okaloosa on Thursday morning at chapel hour.

Okaloosa should have the banner for lady pedestrians, three of her fair damsels having walked to our city last Sunday afternoon a distance of six miles for recreation.

Prof. Jackson's Guitars and Mandolin club will furnish the music for the Y. M. C. A. meeting at the U. V. B. church Sunday afternoon, let every man turn out.

Mrs. Cora Franklin of Colon was calling in the city Tuesday.

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Bystander. "There's poetry in everything," observed the poet. "You're right," replied the editor. "For instance, there's a store full of it."

KILLED HIS ELDEST SON.
Fred Russell Claims Shooting Was Accidental.
Des Moines, August 4.—Fred Russell, a man 48 years of age, a carpenter by occupation, shot and instantly killed his son, Archie, at the residence of the family, a half mile north of Forest avenue and Thirtieth street.

CAN TAKE OUT THE SWITCH.
Railroad Commissioners Decide the Case at Pioneer.
Des Moines, August 7.—The board of railroad commissioners has decided a case for the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern railroad company, which has been pending for almost a year, and which is considered of large importance.

EMPLOY INSTITUTION LABOR.
Judge Kinne, of the Board of Control, Makes a Report.
Des Moines, August 7.—The question of employing the labor of the inmates of the state institutions is one to which the state board of control has directed considerable attention.

OSKALOOSA NEWS.
Mrs. Kate Cheek who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Williams has returned to her home in Peoria.
Miss Nellie Ford entertained about 12 of her friends last Thursday evening in honor of Mr. C. Claude Weeks of Ottumwa.

WESTERN PRESS ASSOCIATION.
Pursuant to the regular appointment under the provisions of the constitution of the Western Press Association of the United States is hereby called to convene in the city of Denver, Colorado in its 4th annual session Monday and Tuesday August 28-29, 1899.

"Honor is Purchased by Deeds We Do."
Deeds, not words, count in battles of peace as well as in war. It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story of its merit.

IOWA BOYS RE-ENLISTING.
Will Join the New Regiment Capt. Warren's Fifth to Command.
Des Moines, August 11.—From letters received from the Philippines it is learned that twenty-four enlisted men of the Fifty-first have already received discharges from the regiment on condition of their joining the new regiment of veteran volunteers to be commanded by Major Bell.

KING HAS ACCEPTED.
He Will Deliver an Address at the State Fair on the Philippines.
Des Moines, August 9.—The negotiations between the officials of the state fair and the managers of General King's lecture tour have been concluded by Secretary Van Houten's acceptance of the bureau's terms.

CHARGED WITH DESEPTION.
Three Members of the Fifty-first Iowa So Marked.
Des Moines, August 10.—Three members of the Fifty-first Iowa regiment appear on the records at the adjutant general's office as deserters, being marked "absent without leave."

DEBATE ON PHILIPPINES.
General Weaver and Governor Shaw Speak Before Epworthians.
Des Moines, August 10.—A joint debate between Governor L. M. Shaw and General J. B. Weaver on the Philippine question was the feature of the Epworth League assembly at Colfax Tuesday.

SIoux CITY ITEMS.
The Sunday School did not have their picnic on the 4th, on account of the rain, they will go to Riverside this Friday.
The Odd Fellows will give their first entertainment at the W. O. W. hall Tuesday evening.

SHOULD ENDORSE THE ADMINISTRATION.
Washington, July.—Giles B. Jackson, a colored lawyer of Richmond, Va., and one of the strong men of his race, who represents the depositors of the Freedman's bank in their claims against the government, said yesterday in reference to the suggestion of Edward Atkinson to organize colored volunteers to oppose the administration:

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints.
The largest dairy in the world is located fourteen miles from Newark, N. J., the minimum number of cows kept being 1,000. The proprietor runs a ranch in Iowa, says the New York Telegraph, for the special purpose of supplying his dairy with cows.

Don't marry a girl with the expectation that her father will set you up in business. The father-in-law of today not only wants all he has, but has awake nights scheming how to acquire more.

IN HIS STEPS.
Sheldon's Great Story to Appear in a Des Moines Paper.
Des Moines, August 7.—The Des Moines Daily News has purchased and will publish serially, Rev. Charles M. Sheldon's remarkably successful story, "In His Steps," of which over half a million copies have been sold.

BOERS PREPARE FOR WAR.
Mr. Chamberlain's Proposals Rejected by Volksraad.
Cape Town, August 9.—A dispatch from Pretoria, capital of the South African republic, says the Volksraad has declined to agree to the suggestion of Joseph Chamberlain, British secretary of state for the colonies, that the effect which the Transvaal franchise reforms will have on the outlandish should be inquired into by a joint commission.

OSKALOOSA NEWS.
A Miner Killed at Art. Gettys was killed by a fall of slate in the American Coal Company's mines at Evans. Gettys was about 20 years old and had been at work but a few days.

BOONE DOINGS.
Mr. John Starks is at Lake Okibjo. Mr. J. Dixon of Ida Grove is visiting old friends in the city.
Rev. and Mrs. Basfield are over from Fraser this week.

Chicago Great Western Increases.
The earnings of Chicago Great Western Ry. "Maple Leaf Route," for the third week of July, 1899, show an increase of \$15,413.91. Total increase since beginning of fiscal year (July 1st) to date \$79,769.34.

Beauty is Blood Bred.
Not skin deep—blue body Pure healthy blood means pure healthy complexion. Castor Oil, the blood purifier and healthy. Druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Spain smites through her fears. Having no longer any distant islands to protect, she can get on very well without her lost navy. Having no insurrections to put down, she can reduce her army to the footing of a home police. The twenty millions paid her by the United States, and the four or five millions from Germany, may not go so far toward paying her big debt, but the flinging of the guinea helps the hurt that honor feels.

IOWANS WOUNDED.
Five Members of the Fifty-first Wounded at San Fernando.
Des Moines, August 11.—In a special dispatch to the Daily News Col. Loper reports the following casualties in the Fifty-first regiment in the fighting near San Fernando: Habrenholz, Company M, shot in the leg, severe; Lieut. Williams, Company E, both thighs, moderate; Peter Harif, Company C, chest, severe; A. M. Slaters, leg, moderate; J. F. Stewart, hand, side, slight.

OSKALOOSA NEWS.
Charles E. Hill Settles East.
Cedar Rapids, August 11.—Charles E. Hill, son of General Superintendent Hill, of the Rock Island, who has been with the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern railway for a number of years, met with an accident which will probably result in the loss of both feet.

OSKALOOSA NEWS.
Mrs. Wm. Humbel returned to her home in Muckakinoek last Saturday.
Mrs. D. Bomer and daughter Ethel of Des Moines are visiting Mrs. Bomer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mason.

OSKALOOSA NEWS.
Mrs. Ida Godfrey who has spent the past year in Kansas City, Mo., has arrived in the city. She was accompanied by her cousin, Montrose Beckley. Miss Godfrey and Mr. Beckley left yesterday for Keokuk the home of the latter where Miss Godfrey will spend one week visiting.

OSKALOOSA NEWS.
Mrs. J. Thompson received a telegram last Saturday that her son James Watson of Des Moines was lying very low.
On account of the bad weather last Friday evening the social at the church convention will not be a success as it otherwise would have been.

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NO REMEDY EQUALS AYER'S, SO THE WOMEN ALL SAY.

Miss Susan Wymar, teacher in the Richmond school, Chicago, Ill., writes to the following letter to Dr. Hartman, care of Pe-ru-na. She says: "Only one who has suffered as I have can know what a blessing it is to be able to



find relief in Pe-ru-na. This has been my experience. A friend in need is a friend indeed, and every bottle of Pe-ru-na I ever bought proved a good friend to me."—Susan Wymar.

Mrs. Margaretta Deuben, 1214 North Superior St., Racine, Wis., writes: "I feel so well and good and happy now that pen cannot describe it. Pe-ru-na is everything to me. I have taken several bottles of Pe-ru-na for female complaint. I am in the change of life and it does me good." Pe-ru-na has no equal in all of the irregularities and emergencies peculiar to women caused by pelvic catarrh.

Address: Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O., for a free book for women only.

Remember that cholera morbus, cholera infantum, summer complaint, bilious colic, diarrhoea and dysentery are all curable with Pe-ru-na. Pe-ru-na is the only correct name for these affections. Pe-ru-na is an absolute specific for these ailments, which are so common in summer. Dr. Hartman, in a practice of over forty years, never lost a single case of cholera morbus, infantum, diarrhoea, or cholera morbus, and his only remedy was Pe-ru-na. Those desiring further particulars should send for a free copy of "Summer Catarrh." Address: Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.

That which is known as the Higher Life is nearly all hypocrisy.

For disobedience the small boy frequently takes the palm.

The completion of the million and a half dollar terminals of the Burlington Railroad at Quincy, Ill., marks an important stage in the development of that system. It was only five years ago that the road built into St. Louis, and established there an enormous freight yard, with a capacity of 3,000 cars. Elsewhere, at Chicago, St. Paul, Kansas City and Denver, the Burlington has facilities for handling freight and passengers that are unequalled.

You can't always tell the amount of gas a coal consumes by its meter.

Dewey Bought a Ticket.

When Commodore Dewey left Washington in November, 1897, to take command of the fleet in the Pacific ocean, he did not ride on a pass or a half-rate ticket. Being a personal friend of S. B. Hoge, General Agent of the Baltimore & Ohio passenger department in Washington, the now famous sea fighter bought two first-class tickets from Washington to San Francisco via the B. & O., Chicago and North Western, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific lines. Lieut. Brumby accompanied the admiral and they departed on November 27. Some time ago, Manager of Passenger Traffic D. B. Martin of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, set out to collect the coupons of the ticket and only recently secured all of them. He has had the ticket, containing Dewey's signature, lithographed, and is issuing facsimiles as souvenirs.

The man who goes through life alone, generally has poor company.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

What does it do?
It causes the oil glands in the skin to become more active, making the hair soft and glossy, precisely as nature intended.
It cleanses the scalp from dandruff and thus removes one of the great causes of baldness.
It makes a better circulation in the scalp and stops the hair from coming out.
It prevents and cures baldness.

Ayer's Hair Vigor will surely make hair grow on bald heads, provided only there is any life remaining in the hair bulbs.
It restores color to gray or white hair. It does not do this in a moment, as will a hair dye; but in a short time the gray color of age gradually disappears and the darker color of youth takes its place.
Would you like a copy of our book on the Hair and Scalp? It is free.

DICK RODNEY;

or The Adventures of An Eton Boy...

BY JAMES GRANT.

CHAPTER XXXII.—(Continued.)
I looked keenly and cautiously about me on every side, but saw only the slender and countless stems of the tall bananas, whose broad leaves, as they spread under or over each other, interrupted the rays of the sun, and formed a shade that was pleasing and gloomy.

Now, when about to cross what seemed a hole or hollow in the jungle, by stepping from the strong tangle of one creeper to another, a naked arm and great human hand came up from amid the mass of leaves.
I was seized by the right foot, and in an instant found myself dragged down through the foliage and intertwined plants—down—I knew not where; and before I had time or breath to cry or resist, I lay prostrate on my back in a hole—a lair under the matted jungle—with a man above me, his knees planted on my breast, his strong hands upon my bare throat, and his fierce wild eyes glaring like those of a hyena into mine.

Then, how terrible were my emotions on recognizing in the light that fell through the mass of foliage above, as through a vine-covered trellis—now overpiled with hair, as beard and whiskers were all matted into a mass—the dark and ferocious face of Antonio, whom I believed to be drowned and lying at the bottom of the sea—Antonio of Cuba!

"Silenzio!" said he, in a low voice, like the hiss of a serpent in my ear; but the injunction was unnecessary, for so completely was I taken by surprise—so utterly at his mercy, and so destitute alike of breath or weapon—that resistance was impossible.

Perceiving that I was almost strangled he relaxed his fierce grasp a little, but still kept the sharply pricking point of his knife at my throat, as a hint to remain quiet.

It would be impossible for me to describe the emotions of my soul during this time; which seemed an eternity to me! Utter fear was one, for I thought the fellow had something abnormal—something truly demonic—about him; that he could neither be drowned nor destroyed; and I lay still in that dark hollow, panting in his fierce clutch without a thought of resistance.

Now I heard my name shouted repeatedly.
"Rodney—Mr. Rodney—Dick Rodney—where are you?"
It was Tom Lambourne and others, my companions, who had now attained the summit of the rock, and were scrambling over the jungle, and pushing between the stems of the bananas, searching for me, rather than for the first object of such mystery.

My disappearance alarmed them.
"Can he have gone adrift over the blue?" I heard Tom Lambourne say, "or is he only having a game with us by hiding himself."
"No, yes—that is it," replied Probart, the carpenter; "he can't have gone aloft into one of these bananas, for they are as clear of branches as a spare topmast; so let us sheer off to the mate, and Mr. Rodney will soon come down after us."

"Well, my lads, there are neither wild men nor wild beasts here," said Lambourne; "so we shall return back to Master Hislop, who is hanging in the wind half-way down, and then be off to the hut. We've earned a stiff glass of grog by this bout, anyhow."
My emotions became almost suffocating when I heard them turn away to descend and rejoin Hislop without me. I saw and heard them pass and re-pass over us; their weight, the leg and foot of one, named Hearty Warren, came down through the green network of leaves and actually touched me.

I drew a long, gasping breath, and the atrocious Cubano, believing I was about to cry aloud, compressed my throat so tightly with his muscular hands, that a thousand lights seemed to flash before my eyes, and I must have become senseless for some minutes, as the next instant that dwells in my memory is seeing him sitting in a crouching attitude, with his elbows on his knees; his black-bearded chin resting in the hollow of his right hand, and with his knife—his murderous Albacete cuchillo—clenched in his white teeth, while he surveyed me with a strange and sardonic smile in his deeply-set black eyes, which glittered like those of a snake in the rays of sunlight that struggled through the woven roof of leaves about us.

Yet how was it, we all asked, that there was not a breath of wind with us?
"Perhaps she brings it with her," suggested Hislop.
"And how it came to pass that she appeared right in the offing and outside the bay all at once?" asked Tom Lambourne.
"She must have rounded the high bluff while we were all palavering," said Probart.

Nothing more was said for a time, but whether it was the effect of imagination or of an overstrained eyesight I know not, she seemed to melt as it were in the brightness of the moonshine—to become so indistinct that we could see the line of the horizon through her topmasts; and next it seemed as if her hull, her spars and rigging were edged with bright prismatic hues.

It is impossible for me to describe the blank astonishment, or rather the intense consternation, of our men on the disappearance of this vessel, which was the object of so many hopes and wishes.
Some time elapsed before the poor fellows rallied sufficiently to speak on the subject; and meanwhile, there flashed upon my memory some strange and weird old Celtic tales, which a Highland boy at Eton was wont to tell us, of ships which in the days of Ossian traversed the steep hills and the salt lochs of Morven with equal facility.

"It is a ship—or rather the representation of a veritable ship—which cannot be far off the island, and is making for it at this moment," said Hislop, emphatically.
"How far do you think she is, sir?" asked Hugh Shute, mockingly.
"Perhaps twenty miles—perhaps a hundred—it is impossible to say."

So thoroughly were our companions scared by the recent spectral appearance of the vessel, which they connected with the dreadful character of Antonio el Cubano, that they at once commenced with alacrity the preparations for putting to sea.

It may be that somewhat of the professional restlessness of sailors confirmed their resolution.
They were already tired of their sojourn on the island, and inspired by the desire of reaching Tristan da Cunha, which is inhabited by about eighty families of Portuguese, English and mulattoes, among whom Hislop assured them they might linger long enough before they were taken off by a passing ship—quite as long as if they remained on the Isle of Alphonso—and where for subsistence they would be forced to work as day laborers in the savanna, and for the Island of Diego Alvarez, our Scotch mate, who seemed to know everything, assured them that it produced only moss and sea grass, and that if cast there they would die of starvation. Moreover, without chart or compass, how could they hope to steer with certainty in any direction?

They all might perish in detail by the most dreadful deaths in their open boat, gasping with unquenched thirst under the blaze of a tropical sun. He said much more; but they would listen to nothing save their own fears and restless impulses.
I, too, was weary of the island; and though feeling all the despondency that follows a severe disappointment on the disappearance of the illusory ship, I in no way shared the wild and ill-regulated wishes of the crew, though assured that I would be compelled to follow their desperate fortunes.

Hislop and I still lingered; so we were told peremptorily that if we did not come on board at once they would shove off without us. Thus compelled, we stepped in most reluctantly and seated ourselves in the stern, and he assumed the tiller. The oars were run through the rowlocks, and Lambourne was about to shove off, when Probart, who had the bow oar, suddenly remembered that he had left his hatchet near our wigwam, and asked me to get it.

I jumped ashore, and was proceeding along the beach for it, when suddenly I was confronted by Antonio, who from a thicket had been watching our operations and departure.
His wary aim for he was naked to the waist—his ferocious aspect, his head of matted hair, his colossal strength and atrocious character were not without a due effect upon the boat's crew at this crisis.
"Shove off—shove off!" I heard several voices cry in the boat; "here comes that dog of a Cubano."
I struggled with Antonio; but he laughed loudly, and drew his pistol with the air of one who would enforce obedience; besides, his eyes, which the tangled masses of his hair overhung, were flashing with malignant fire, as all the slumbering devil was roused within him.

CHAPTER XXXIII.
It might have been about the hour of ten, and we were still loitering on the moonlit beach, when the cry of "A sail in sight!" made every heart leap wildly and with hope.
"Was Tom Lambourne who spoke, but every eye caught the ship at once, and even those who had been doing on the warm sand or within the hut were awake and on the beach in a moment, stretching their hands toward her with joy and exultation, but the aspect of the ship gradually changed all this into suspense and utter bewilderment.
She was a large, square-rigged vessel—a ship running close-hauled on the port-tack to use a man-of-war phrase), and with nearly all her sails set.
She was about four miles off the reef at the entrance of the bay, and was bearing directly toward it. Her canvas glistened and showed in the moonlight, and we could see the red lights of her cable windows flash at times upon the sea stern, and the whiteness of her long hull, as she advanced before the breeze.

would have swam after the boat; for, desperate though the fortunes of those who were there, I would rather have shared it than live on the island of Alphonso with such a companion.
His fierce, mocking laugh grated harshly in my ear, but I heeded him not, and continued to gaze after the boat and the lessening forms of those who had abandoned me, not without a fond and desperate hope that they would return for me. Every moment I expected to see her put about; but not she held steadily on till hull and sail and crew were blended into one little dark spot, which ere long could scarcely be discerned on the moonlit morning sea.

Her course was trimmed northeast, for where they supposed the Isle of Tristan da Cunha lay. She had caught a breeze and, before four o'clock in the morning, the last vestige of her had disappeared.
Still I did not entirely despair!
The idea of swimming to one of the adjacent isles occurred to me; but the straits between were full of foaming breakers and sharks; the rocks, moreover, were inaccessible, and wherever I might go Antonio could easily follow.

The sun was now setting beyond the sea, and in the shadow of a great mountain was falling eastward over the island as we began to descend from the bluff where I had lingered so long by one of the narrow and winding tracks made through the gorge by the wild goats.
As it was all dark and gloomy and uncomfortable to sleep under the dew that descended after sunset, for two nights after the departure of the boat I was compelled to share the wigwam with Antonio, but did so with dread and loathing, and kept as far away from him as possible.

His dreams, which were full of oaths and ejaculations and frequently cries of "El aparciano! El aparciano!" came on him as of old; and as sleep to him became an impossibility, I resolved to leave him to his own devices. Certainly the island was large enough for us both.
Moreover he had become so sparing of his ten charges of powder that he would not fire a single shot at either bird or goat or wild boar. I have since believed that he saved them with the resolution of defending himself to the last, if Hislop ever returned to arrest him; and now, being lord and master of the whole island, and of me, too, he exhibited a new phase of character. He became too lazy to procure food, and forced me to find it for him, under threats of shooting me. Thus for two days after the departure of the boat, being totally incapable of catching any one of the fleet goats alone, and being in no way disposed to encounter singly one of the wild boars, I had to climb the steep rocks above the breakers and steal the sea birds' eggs.

(To be continued.)

OLD YOUNG WOMEN.

Root of the Evil Is in Parental Indulgence.
One of the saddest features of present-day life is the condition of ennuil in which often the very young women settle soon after their school days are finished, says the Philadelphia Times. At 18 or 19 they have been everywhere, seen everything, possessed whatever their desires have prompted, and just when life should be most filled with beautiful promises they are hopelessly stranded on the barren shores of indifference. The root of this evil is to be found in paternal indulgence. The American father and mother work hard, saving all they can, denying themselves luxuries and oftentimes necessities as well, that their daughter may revel in that which they have never taken the time or the means to enjoy. From her earliest infancy the girl finds that her lightest wish is to be gratified if it is possible, regardless of the fact that what she desires may not be becoming to her age or to her condition of life. That she wants it is all that the parents consider, so that when the time comes that such gratification would have some significance she is past enjoying it. She has nothing to look forward to, she is surfeited, and should she marry, her husband will find this ennuil the greatest bar to their domestic happiness. A little more denial in early youth, plain food, plain frocks, simple pleasures up to the time of her debut, should be the rule, when the delight of new sensations will more than compensate for the doing without that which has marked her pathway up to that time.

Her Parting Thrust.
In the course of a call at a very jolly place the other afternoon a girl was inspired to relate a good story. It met with such success that she was inspired to tell another, and yet another, all the other callers keeping up their appreciation—all the other callers but one, that is to say. The exception was a woman who looked as though she hoped her rigidity would be mistaken for austerity, and who was evidently of very conservative notions. With visage grim and never a smile did she listen to the young woman's anecdotes, until it flashed through the latter's mind that she had somewhere heard that among the antediluvian races it wasn't considered good form for a woman to tell good stories. At last this woman rose to go. To every body but the girl she bowed and said: "Very glad to have met you." To the girl she observed, and in precisely the tone she would have complimented a poodle for its parlor tricks: "I've enjoyed your stories so much."—New York Evening Sun.

Teach Your Children to Play Alone.
I believe that every child should be encouraged, if not required, to play alone during some part of the day. Any close observer of children will note an unexplained tendency to silliness when a number of them are at play together. There are likewise dangers in an over-supply of adult society. Children are more influenced by indirect suggestion than we are apt to realize, and we may keep them by our side, and thus affect unfavorably their will power and their independent development.—Elsie Goodale Eastman in the May Woman's Home Companion.

It was not until the day of the island of Great Britain, being 600 miles long and from 10 to 300 miles wide.

IT COSTS \$5 MILLIONS.

An Enormous Sum Spent in Rebuilding and Re-equipping the B. & O. E. R. M. R. The receivership of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, which has just come to a close, was conducted in many ways. Messrs. Cowen and Murray did not follow precedent, but went ahead and placed the property in first-class shape, instead of attempting to maintain it in the condition that they found it. Of course the receivers were upheld by a majority of the security holders and the court, but the Baltimore and Ohio receivership marked an epoch in such affairs that will be historical. The vast sums expended were put out in '96 and '97, when trade was at a low ebb and money scarce. During their administration the receivers purchased 15,850 box cars, 6,751 wooden gondola cars, 6,000 pressed steel cars, 310 miscellaneous freight cars, postal, express and dining car equipment, at a total cost of \$17,000,000. The 216 locomotives purchased cost \$1,100,000. The steel rail purchased amounted to 123,010 tons, costing \$2,142,152, and there were bought over 3,000,000 cross ties, costing \$1,200,000, and 750,000 cubic yards of ballast amounting to \$525,000. The new steel bridges aggregated in value \$750,000, and fully as much more was spent in improving the several terminals, erecting new buildings, reducing grades and changing the alignment. The maintenance of way payrolls, or the amount paid directly to men employed in making improvements on the tracks, etc., in three years was nearly twelve millions of dollars. The total amounts to about \$35,000,000, of which about \$15,000,000 were secured by the issuance of receivers' certificates and the balance through car trusts, earnings from the property and the sale of organizational managers. Most of the purchases of equipment and rail were made when material was low in price and manufacturing concerns were in great need of orders to keep their plants in operation. Steel rails are worth now from \$8 to \$9 a ton more than when the receivers made their purchases, and locomotives have advanced from \$2,000 to \$3,000 in price. The equipment alone, if purchased today, would cost \$5,000,000 more and the other improvements \$1,000,000 more. President Cowen is in authority for the statement that the new company intends spending \$10,000,000 more in improvements in the next year or two.

An Atchison girl named "Virginia" is known among her friends as "Va." A few years ago her time was spent in the Western States, and she herself was a very young girl, and she had a very good education. She was born in 1877 and with it a story. A Nebraska farmer carried a mortgage of \$4,200 on his property and it was a burden hard to contend with. The wheat crop in '97 was enormous and prices were high. He appeared at the bank shortly thereafter and pulled out \$4,000 and asked for a loan of \$200 to enable him to cancel the mortgage note. The banker, who held the note, urged him not to bother about it, but to go and buy cattle with his \$4,000, feed his corn crop and in that way get the maximum for his product. "No, sir," replied the farmer, "I don't want to pay the note now. Then when I harvest the corn crop I'll go in to pay back that \$200 I just borrowed, and then do you know what I'm going to do?" and his honest face beamed all over with pleasure. "I'm going to buy a buggy!" This little incident tells the story of thousands of others, out in Nebraska, and the fact that during the past six months one concern (The Stover Carriage Company of Chicago) have shipped to one firm in Omaha alone one hundred and thirty carloads of buggies and carriages, averaging about \$22 to the car, makes it very evident that prosperity is with Nebraska. It is a wonderful state with great resources, and the crops of the past few years have put Nebraska farmers in an enviable position.

A pretty girl is like a musical favorite.

The Battle of Manila.
The veterans of '61 and '65 and their friends who are going to attend the thirty-third G. A. R. annual encampment at Philadelphia in September could not select a better nor more historic route than the Big Four and Chesapeake & Ohio, with splendid service from Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis on the Big Four, all connecting in Indianapolis, Cincinnati, and thence over the picturesque Chesapeake & Ohio, along the Ohio river to Huntington, W. Va.; thence through the foothills of the Alleghenies over the mountains, through the famous springs region of Virginia, Staunton, Shenandoah, and the great Potomac valley, to Washington, D. C., where they will find many of the most prominent battlefields—Waynesboro, Gordonsville, Cedar Mountain, Rappahannock, Kettle Run, Manassas, Bull Run, Fairfax and a score of others never as prominent. Washington is next, and thence to the Pennsylvania Line direct to Philadelphia. There will be three rates in effect for this business-first, continuous passage, with no stop-over privilege; second, going and coming same route, with one stop-over in each direction; third, circuitous route, going one way and back another, with stop-overs in each direction. For full information call at routes, rates, etc., address J. C. Tucker, G. N. A., 234 Clark street, Chicago.

The only nice feature about the Fourth of July is that it is a holiday.

Annual Encampment Union Veterans.
For the above encampment, to be held at Des Moines, Ia., August 22-25, 1899, the Chicago Great Western Railroad, the "Maple Leaf Route," the friends of the old soldiers, will sell excursion tickets from all points on this line at greatly reduced rates. Tickets on sale Aug. 21 to 24, good to return until Aug. 28.

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Daniel Frohman, the theatrical manager, was a newspaper man, when, in 1871, he was employed to manage a walking match. The receipts from this undertaking were more than \$10,000, and this success since Mr. Frohman is in the theatrical line. Mr. Frohman has amassed a fortune since then. Mr. Fyler is a leading dramatic critic, playwright, and Mr. Weston, as young an actor of his old time friends, is a

DEFEAT FOR THE FILIPINOS.

Americans Lost Twenty in the Latest Engagement.
MANILA, August 9.—General MacArthur's force, consisting of 4,000 men, advanced five miles beyond San Fernando yesterday and encountered and defeated a Filipino force of 6,000 men. The enemy retreated, leaving many dead and wounded. The American loss in killed and wounded is twenty.

MANILA, August 10.—The forces at San Fernando consisted of the Iowans, Seventeenth, Ninth and Twelfth regiments, Peil's new Thirty-sixth, a battalion of the Sixteenth, troop E, Fourth Cavalry, and fifteen guns. The American loss in the fighting about San Fernando, at 3 o'clock yesterday, was known to be eight killed and twenty-five wounded. The loss may possibly exceed these figures, as the line is five miles long and it is impossible at this hour to hear from every point. Our troops are now about Angeles, waiting for the artillery, which has the greatest difficulty in moving owing to the wet ground.

WASHINGTON, August 10.—General Otis confirms the report of the battle at San Fernando in the following: "MacArthur, with 4,000 men, attacked the insurgent army, 6,000 strong, concentrated around San Fernando, at 5:15 Wednesday morning. At 10 o'clock he had driven it five miles in the direction of Angeles. The casual loss was as follows: The attack was ordered for the 7th inst, but rain did not permit of the movement. The railway from Angeles north is badly washed out by the unprecedented floods of the last six weeks and is beyond the ability of the insurgents to repair."

WILL BE NO WAR.
Choate Is Interviewed on Laurier's War Speech.
LONDON, August 9.—Joseph H. Choate, United States minister to Great Britain, was interviewed by a representative of the Associated Press in regard to the recent war or arbitration speech delivered by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian premier. He said: "There will be no war. It is safe to say no amount of politics or politicians in either country could occasion war in this connection." The ambassador, continuing, said that the Canadian parliament was on the eve of dissolution of the leaders and both parties had to speak. Choate seemed to think that the latter circumstance explained Laurier's position and he was inclined to attach small importance to the premier's remarks. Choate added that negotiations were progressing. "But," he explained, "they are always slow and I can say nothing at present as to the status."

LEFT THEIR COMMANDER.
Dominican Troops Desert Their Flag Under Fire.
CAPE HAITIEN, Hayti, August 10.—General Francisco Liriano was sent from Monte Christi by the Dominican government to attack General Ramon Pacheco at Dajabon, headquarters of the revolutionists. When he arrived in front of the enemy he was abandoned by his troops, who, without firing a shot, deserted him and entered Pacheco's camp at the advanced outposts of the latter. At Las Arguas the revolutionists forded across the river Yague, thus cutting off communication between Monte Christi and the interior. The forces of Don Juan Isidro Jimenez, leader of the revolution, are being augmented every day. News from all parts of the Dominican republic favors him.

PLUNGED TO DEATH.
Twenty Killed and Forty Injured in a Mad Rush for a Bar Harbor Steamer.
BAR HARBOR, Me., August 8.—Twenty persons were killed and forty were more or less severely injured as the result of the breaking down of a ferry slip at Mount Desert Ferry village Sunday morning.

Spanish Generals Acquitted.
MADRID, August 8.—The supreme court-martial, before whom Generals Toral and Parejo have been on trial, charged with surrendering Santiago de Cuba to the United States without having exhausted all means of defense, has acquitted both officers on the ground that they acted upon orders from their superiors and only surrendered when it was impossible to do otherwise.

Aguinado's App'l.
MANILA, August 9.—Aguinado has appealed to the powers for recognition of Filipino independence, in a document dated from Tarlac, July 27th, and signed by Buencamino. It has been received by all the foreign consuls at Manila with the request that they forward it to their respective governments.

Campaign Against Religious Orders.
ST. SEBASTIAN, Spain, August 10.—The republican and socialist parties have agreed to organize a campaign demanding the expulsion from Spain of all religious orders.

A \$1,000,000 Tidal Wave.
VALPARAISO, Chile, August 10.—A tidal wave burst into the bay, tearing down the embankment and sweeping off a number of cars, locomotives and tons of merchandise. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000.

U. S. PATENT OFFICE BUSINESS.
DES MOINES, Aug. 8.—G. A. Carpenter, of Ft. Morgan, Colo., has been allowed a patent for a fly exterminator. A frame made of a single piece of wire with the ends of the wire twisted together and extended at an angle is covered with bibulous paper and the extension inserted in the top of a bottle in such a manner that the frame will be retained in a horizontal position and poisonous liquid will, by capillary attraction, keep the paper moist and flies taking the liquid will die.

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Mrs. Johnson Saved from Insanity by Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was advised by a friend to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and before I had taken all of the first bottle my neighbors noticed the change in me. I have now taken five bottles and I cannot find words sufficient to praise it. I advise every woman who is suffering from any female weakness to give it a fair trial. I thank you for your good medicine. —Mrs. GERTHA M. JOHNSON, JOHNSBORO, TEXAS.

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GRANT AND McINLEY.

Des Moines, July.—Last week William Grant, of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, President McKinley in his affairs in Liberia, and reasons for extending the term of this Government to the black republic. The views of the President by Grant on that question published by the "Ledger's" After the Liberator was disposed of there was a discussion between the President and the Bishop in regard to the attitude of leading colored men towards the Administration, in the course of which Bishop Grant informed the President of his silence in relation to the lynchings of colored men in the South was the primary cause of the prevailing dissatisfaction with him. From a source that is entitled to full credence the following report of what was said upon the occasion of Bishop Grant's visit to the White House has been received. Referring to the terms of his Administration certain newspapers the President remarked:

"There seems to be considerable dissatisfaction with my Administration on the part of many colored people."

"I am exactly dissatisfied, for the President, but political union replied the Bishop.

"I cannot understand your people," said the President: "I have commissioned more colored men to office than any of my predecessors, and the records will show it; yet—"

"It's not that," interrupted the Bishop, "but protection in their rights that they demand. They know that you cannot, under the Constitution, enter a State and the administration of justice in your own hands, but they do expect you to speak out in denunciation of the crime of lynching its barbarities as practiced in the South. The colored people have been loyal to you, Mr. President. If it had not been for the wavering support of the colored delegates at St. Louis your nomination would have been doubtful. Without the support of the colored men in the pivotal States you could not have been elected. At the beginning of your Administration the colored people never trusted any President more implicitly. Judged by your record as Governor of Ohio and the brave words contained in your inaugural address, they were prepared to yield you a devotion equal to their gratitude in Lincoln, from whom they had received the boon of freedom. To-day the colored people of New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois are in a state of political unrest. A similar feeling was manifested seven years ago, and President Harrison was appraised of it; but certain colored politicians who had his ear assured him that it didn't amount to anything—they would fix matters at the proper time. They did not fix them, and they are unable to do so now. This Mr. President is a condition that you alone can change. Unless the word is spoken by you to show your disapproval of these outrages that stain the American name, you will be as much disappointed next year as was General Harrison after the Presidential election of 1892."

At this juncture Secretary Long and Attorney General Grigg entered, closing a very significant interview. Bishop Grant is without exception a most forceful, most eloquent and most influential personality, who enjoys the respect of both races from Florida to Texas, and destined to exert a powerful influence on the masses of his people. His words, therefore carry with them unusual weight.—Philadelphia Ledger.

COLFAX NEWS.

It has been some time since any news was sent from Colfax and there is no doubt that this is the last that will be sent in by the writer for quite a spell. When we last received George Chapman had his eye knocked out while driving a mill and Tommy Boyd had his left leg

broken in the wheel.
Mr. George Terrell went to the grand lodge of the G. O. O. F. at Davenport. L. H. Brown who has been in Des Moines for several weeks moved his family to Des Moines where they are located on 5th and New York.
Mr. Lindsay Robinson has been on the sick list.

Clearence Brown was in Des Moines July 10th visiting parents and relatives. Mrs. Lottie Oliver after a week or so visiting friends in Maquokette and Des Moines returned Tuesday.

Joe James and Sylvester Bass went to the Capital City Sunday returning Monday.

Mr. John Topor has resigned the post-office to accept a position with the Jasper county coal company in place of Geo. Goodrich a horse falling health compelled him to resign.

The restaurant has changed hands and the new people are working everything pleasant as possible.

Wiles Turner has secured the house vacated by L. H. S. Brown and will get Mrs. Ben Scott of Maquokette who has been around Colfax sometime to keep house for him.

On Sunday July 3rd the members of Bethel Baptist church dedicated their new church, those who were present and taken prominent parts were Rev. C. E. Brooks pastor, Rev. J. H. Bell Rev. Robinson, father Wm. Wood and Mrs. Edna Wood of Des Moines and Miss Fannie Oliver of this place. The choir was at its best, many people were present from the Capital City. The collection for the day was \$99.50.

Will Oliver and Price Hunter who went to Omaha some time ago is back again and from all reports they do not deny that Omaha is not the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edgar are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl.

We do not say the news of this week is all of late happenings but a few of it many since our last writing but we always try and let the Bystander hear from us.

LATHROP, MO., ITEMS.

Miss Katie Tuman, formerly of this place, but now of Kansas City, Kan., is spending a few days with her many Lathrop friends.

Mr. David Ross of Hannibal, Mo., was in our city last week.

Mrs. A. Young and Mrs. J. I. Morton of Plattsburg were the guest of Mrs. Wm. Austin on Saturday last.

Edith the bright little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hicks departed this life Aug. 3rd. The funeral services were held at the A. M. E. church Aug. 4th at 3:00 P. M. Mr. and Mrs. Hicks have the heart-felt sympathy of the entire community in this their time of sorrow.

Mrs. Mary Washington and daughter Frankie of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. John Finley attended the funeral of little Edith Hicks.

A large number of our Lathrop people attended Stewartville picnic on Aug. the 4th., and report a pleasant time.

Mrs. Edward Barrett is quite ill at this writing, we hope for her recovery soon.

Rev. G. W. Jackson our worthy pastor of the Baptist church assisted Rev. Golins in his rally at Lawson Mo. on Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Hartwell of Kansas City Kan. is spending a few days with relatives in this city.

Miss Norma Staughter and Miss Katie Tharman were Lawson visitors Sunday.

There will be a picnic given at this place in the near future.

KEOKUK NOTES.

A large number of persons went to Quincy Thursday on the Silver Crescent. The excursion was given by the Odd Fellows and was the largest of the season.

Mrs. Harrison Gould of Des Moines is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. Lena King.

Mrs. John Craig and children are visiting in Shelby, Mo.

Wm. Steward of LaHarpe is in the city. Sunday was quarterly meeting at the A. M. E. church, the services were conducted by Presiding Elder, Rev. J. Bundy and were well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kellis and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Martin spent Sunday in Hamilton, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bland and Mr. D. Fields and daughter Tisha attended services Sunday at Moor, Ia.

Little Frankie Robinson was quite sick last week.

Mrs. Emma Teabeau left Monday for Cairo, Ill., as a delegate to the State Grand Lodge of S. M. T. She was accompanied by her son Ralph and on their return they will visit in St. Louis, Hannibal and Quincy.

Mrs. Stephen Harris and children of St. Paul are expected to arrive in the city soon to visit relatives.

Saturday is the day for the celebration and a large number of visitors to the city are expected.

guest of Mrs. John Davis of South Ottumwa.
The Sunday School of the A. M. E. church will picnic at Franklin Park Aug. the tenth.

Miss Blanche Henderson who has been visiting at Maquokette is expected home this week.

BURLINGTON BRIEFLETS.
Miss Bell Graham of Keokuk is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Beulah Washington of Dubuque is visiting her mother.

Quite a nice surprise was given on Miss Dawsey Friday at Mrs. Tyson's home. Music, whist and games were participated in.

Mrs. J. Cooper and Mrs. M. Milburn left Wednesday to make an extended visit in Alton, Ill. and St. Louis.

Miss Dawsey returned to her home in Quincy Ill. Saturday after a pleasant visit.

WHAT OF THE COLONIZATION PLAN.

Mr. Editor: This is a great factor that is to be solved by the people of this Union both white and black, it has been for years on the lips and longer, of the many well educated people, but to all, it has not yet been worked out in a plain and simple way Bishop Turner of Georgia has for years advocated the transfer to Africa of the colored people of the south, telling them that this was the only way that the great Negro problem would come to a standstill in this union, but Mr. Editor this has expanded so in the last two or three years that it is no longer the Negro problem, but the problem of the union, it will take us all of the seventy million to solve this great problem and it will not take seventy-seven million to solve it by going to Africa.

Recently the Episcopal Council of the Bishops and Elders of the African Methodist church which was in session at Birmingham, Ala. The Turner plan has been officially inclosed by the adoption of a resolution suggesting to the general conference to be held at Columbus, Ohio next May that it petition the congress of the United States to appropriate one hundred million to defray the expenses of deporting the colored people of the south to some other country where they would be by themselves, that such ask for that assembly of colored giants would build one of the greatest and finest monuments to those colored soldiers who died on the battlefield in the wars of 1860 and 1898 and after grazed the republic.

Bishop Turner's plan is exceptional in other than that of cost. The race problem now confronting the south and United States cannot be solved in any such wholesale manner. We see that a large number have gone to Liberia but the records that have come back as to the success of the experiment have not been encouraging. It has been so stated that Cuba would offer an excellent field of colonization of the colored people of this union, it may be but to a limited extent for to attempt to colonize the Negro would be a disastrous to his own future welfare for it has been all to clearly proved that whenever left to himself the Negro has degenerated to a condition of primitive savagery it being naturally easier to retrograde to advance, of this fact the present moral condition of Haiti and of Liberia are glaring examples and let all American Negro who are true and loyal to the old genuine and patient ways of the Negro stay just where they were brought to by those who oppose him.

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CEDAR RAPIDS BUDGETARIAN.
Sometimes we find ourselves greatly surprised, occasionally it is a pleasant one while again it is not. There never was a more complete surprise then on last Friday evening when the friends of Mrs. Marshall Perkins assembled at the restaurant through an invitation of "Marshall" to celebrate her birthday anniversary. There were about thirty present and it is useless to say we had a most exquisite time, as such is always the case when we go to "Marshall's." Mrs. Perkins also entertained the Ladies Industrial Circle, of which she is a member, in the afternoon. She received many nice presents.

Rev. Porter of Iowa City, a most popular young man, will fill the pulpit at the A. M. E. church Sunday morning and evening. Don't be absent from church on that day for fear you might miss a treat.

Effie Wade is entertaining Miss Oglena Baldrige of Chicago.

Miss Eva Brady was hostess at a reception on the 31 of July given in honor of Mrs. T. J. Sadler, prior to her departure in Texas on a visit to her mother. A large number accepted Miss Brady's invitation to meet Mrs. Sadler and but one or two regrets were received. All present repaired to their homes highly elated over the evening's enjoyment.

We have recently organized among us a society know as the Afro-American club.

The celebration bids fair to be a decided success. J. L. Thompson of Des Moines will be one of the orators of the day.

Rev. Rhineheart will leave Monday for Ottumwa on business.

ALBIA NEWS.
Mr. E. Martin of Garden Grove visited over Sunday with friends in Albion. Mr. and Mrs. Parker are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl at their home.

The ladies of the A. M. E. Church will give a social next Saturday evening for the benefit of their pastor. All are invited to attend.

Mr. D. M. Burke of Hocken left Albion for Ottumwa and Oskaloosa on a business trip, returning Friday.

A few of our people attended the Holiness meeting at the Grove on last Sunday.

Miss Hollisworth has been visiting for the last few weeks with her sister Mrs. Thomas in Maquokette.



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ORIGINAL NOTICE.
In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county:
William Kelley vs. Anna Kelley, September term A. D. 1899. To-William Kelley: You are hereby notified that a petition of Anna Kelley, plaintiff in the above entitled cause, is now filed in the District court of Polk county, Iowa, asking that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved and held for naught, and that plaintiff be divorced from defendant and that unless you appear thereon and defend before noon of the second day of the September term A. D. 1899 of said court, which commences on the 18th day of September 1899, default will be entered against you and judgement rendered thereon.

J. B. RUSH,
Attorney for plaintiff.

ORIGINAL NOTICE.
In the district court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county: Norah Hill vs. Samuel M. Hill. To Samuel Hill: You are hereby notified that on the Seventh day of August A. D. 1899, there was put on file in the District Court of Polk county, Iowa, a petition subscribed and sworn to by Mrs. Norah Hill asking to be divorced absolutely from you and have the sole custody of Lester W. Hill, and if you fail to appear on the 18th day of September, 1899, it being the first day of said term of court and make defense, a judgement will be entered against you by default.

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To Ernest Andrew Jackson: You are hereby notified that the petition of plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk county, claiming of you that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant may be dissolved and held for naught and that plaintiff may be divorced from defendant and for cause the plaintiff alleges that you, said defendant have willfully deserted her and absented yourself without a reasonable cause for the space of two years.

Plaintiff also prays that she may be awarded the custody of the child born to plaintiff and defendant named Alice Marie Jackson and for general relief. And that unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the September term, A. D. 1899 of the said Court, which commences at Des Moines Iowa on the 18th day of September A. D. 1899 default will be entered against you and judgment rendered thereon.

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