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CITY NEWS.

F. G. Goggins is building a house on Arthur street.

The Iowa State Bystander one year for \$1.00 for thirty days only.

Leo Welker of Colfax spent Thanksgiving in the city.

Henry Gaiter left Monday for Ames, where he has secured a good position.

Attorney I. E. Williamson will soon leave for Washington to join his wife.

J. H. Mixon, Jeweler, No. 312 West Third street, tunes pianos and repairs organs.

Miss Gertrude Bogsette of Carbondale was the guest of Miss Zoe Richardson yesterday.

The Thanksgiving dinner served at the A. M. E. church was fairly well attended and much was realized.

The Corinthian Baptist church served Thanksgiving dinner to a goodly number which was a success.

MINERS WANTED—We want good coal miners at the Elks coal mines in South Des Moines. Inquire at the mines.

Mrs. W. M. Reasby of Buxton is visiting with her mother and other relatives this week.

In the foot ball contest Drake vs Grinnell Thursday Drake one to six. It was largely attended.

Frank Johnson of Davenport was in the city Sunday, he says that Mrs. Johnson is improving from her recent illness.

WANTED—A woman for general house work, call at room 28 Rollin's block, Mrs. L. R. Palmer.

Mr. Lewis Blagburn met with a serious misfortune this week of having a stroke of paralysis and is confined to his home on 11th street.

The Beneficial Club will hold its next meeting Wednesday Dec. 3rd at the home of Mrs. H. H. Hooker at 608 8th street.

I have purchased the barber shop formerly owned by J. Frank Blagburn, at 202 West Fourth street and will continue to conduct a first class shop. I earnestly solicit your patronage.

Rollen Weeks an employee in the National Life and Trust Company spent Thanksgiving in Okaloosa, enjoying turkey with his best.

WANTED—A TRUSTWORTHY GENTLEMAN or lady in each county to manage business for an old established house of solid financial standing. A straight home \$100 weekly cash salary of \$100 paid by check each Wednesday with all expenses direct from headquarters. Money advanced for expenses. Manager, 300 Oakwood Bldg., Chicago.

Geo. O. Hudson who spent several days in Chicago returned home last Sunday.

Copper Bull Mining Co.

Capital Stock of \$3,000,000. Headquarters at St. Louis, Missouri. Mine at Pueblo, Colorado. Stock 15 cents a share for a short time.

C. F. JONES, Local Agt. & Stockholder
225 East 4th St., Davenport, Iowa.

All mail orders promptly attended to.

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W. W. Kimball Company Will Sell Organs at Greatly Reduced Prices for Next 30 Days.

A LARGE NUMBER OF SECOND HAND ORGANS

Including the Best Makes at One-Half Value to Make Room for New Goods. One Large Sized Upright Estey Piano, Walnut Case, Only Slightly Used, at a Bargain.

See us when you want good goods at reasonable prices. No clubs. No scheme used to sell our goods. If you want the best and most popular high grade piano on the market today buy the new scale Kimball. They cost only a little more than others and still are cheaper. We also have the old reliable Hallett & Davis piano which has been before the public since 1837 and the same alone is sufficient recommendation to those who have ever used one. Sheet music of all kinds at the lowest prices, etc.

If you cannot come to our store write to us for what you want and we will take pleasure in filling your orders.

W. W. KIMBALL CO.,
520 Walnut St.
C. B. McNeerney, Mgr.

Mrs. H. W. Hughes has been very sick for several days; is convalescent.

Woodson & Brown, attorneys, now have their office at 107 Mulberry street.

Mr. Robt. Webster one of Des Moines old citizens who has lived in this county since 1877 now leaves the Saylorville mines for Muchakinock, Mahaska Co., where he will make his future home. May success be his in the wish of his friends. His family moved this week.

VERY LOW RATES TO INTERNATIONAL LIVE STOCK EXPOSITION, CHICAGO.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold December 1, 2 and 3, with extreme return limit until December 8, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

The Buxton Concert Band will give one of these celebrated concerts at the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening Dec. 26th, under the auspices of the North Star Lodge No. 2 A. F. & A. M. Full particulars and programme will be given in our next issue.

The Negro State Bar Association met Wednesday to make arrangement for its annual anniversary which will be held next week in our city, also to pay a tribute to Attorney I. E. Williamson, the oldest colored practitioner in Iowa, Hon. Judge Josiah Given, recently of the State Supreme Court is to be the guest of honor and will address the association.

For thirty days one month the Bystander Company has agreed to open their \$1.00 holiday rate from Dec. 1st to January 1st, any one can secure the Bystander for one year by sending in \$1.00 payable in advance, or if a regular subscriber should wish to secure the \$1.00 rate he must first pay up his delinquent dues and then he can secure the benefit of the one dollar rate.

SURPRISE PARTY.

Mrs. C. B. Brown of Highland Park was 47 years old last Saturday and a number of her relatives and friends gave a surprise party for her on that evening. Mrs. Brown was somewhat surprised when the guests begin to arrive as it was Saturday evening, she was not expecting any callers, but when she was informed that it was her birthday, the guests were invited to come in and enjoy themselves a number of useful and expensive presents were presented to her. A pleasant time is reported by all.

UNION LABEL SUITS TO ORDER

\$14, \$15, \$16, \$18, \$20 and up

Pressing	Dyeing
Pants..... 15c	Suits..... \$1.00
Suits..... 50c	Coats and Vests..... 1.50
Coats and Vests..... 30c	Overcoats..... .75
Overcoats..... 50c	Pressing..... 50
Cleaned and Pressed	Pressing..... 50
Pants..... 35c to 1.50	Shirts Dyed and Pressed..... 1.00
Suits..... 75c to 1.50	Dresses Suits Cleaned and Pressed..... \$1.00
Coats and Vests..... 50c to 1.00	

Dan Connolly

609 Locust, Two doors west of Equitable

CONCERT.

One of the best concerts that has been rendered for years at the A. M. E. church, was the one given there last night, under the direction of Prof. Geo. I. Holt. It was worthy of a large audience, perhaps the price of admission was one of the causes. Following the program, opening chorus, double quartette and choir; invocation by Rev. Graves; selection by Drury Singing Society; solo, Margurite Fields; Remarks, Geo. I. Holt; Recitation, Miss Martin; solo, Miss Ethel Bowman; song, Drury Singing Society; recitation Miss Margurite LaCour; solo, W. H. Warrick; selection by mixed quartette solo, Miss Marie Mash; selection by mixed quartette; duet, Douglas Miller and G. I. Holt; the closing selection, soldiers' chorus. We have not time nor space to mention each selection separately but suffice to say that they were all well rendered. The numbers which received the most applause was the last selection and the solo sung by Miss Mash and the recitation by little Margurite LaCour and the song entitled the "Auctioneer" by a mixed quartette.

HATS, JUST HATS.

By our system, manufacturing and selling direct, TWO PROFITS ARE SAVED. YOU GET THE BENEFIT. Our HAWKEYE HAT is unsurpassed in quality, style and durability. "Made in Des Moines" "Raised by Gentlemen everywhere" As usual our styles are stylish, and are showing some new ideas that are not fads. The prices are always right at the

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WINTER RESORT TICKETS

are now on sale, Florida, California and a great many other places, full information may be had from any Burlington Route Agent or F. L. Gannaway 400 Locust, Des Moines, Iowa.

EDITORIALS.

WILL TEST CONSTITUTION.

NEGROES OF VIRGINIA WILL NOT SUBMIT TO DISFRANCHISEMENT EASILY

Attorney Wise Describes the Government of Virginia as a Rump Government set up by a Few Men—Is Attorney for the Afro-Americans of Virginia who were Disfranchised by New Constitution—Temporary Order Restrains Canvassing Board From Meeting and Canvassing Returns.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 15.—John S. Wise, attorney, of New York, asked the United States Court here today to take the first step towards interposing the federal power to restore the rights of those negroes disfranchised under the new constitution.

Mr. Wise appeared in court with two negro attorneys to make a set speech in which he described the government of Virginia as a rump institution set up by 47 men.

At the conclusion of Attorney Wise's argument Judge Waddill announced that he would draw an order making the rules returnable at Richmond on Thursday next, which means that the State Board of Canvassers must appear by counsel and show cause why a temporary order should not be issued preventing the board from meeting and canvassing the returns from 10 congressional districts and awarding the certificates of election.—Baltimore Afro-American Ledger.

The Western World is a new journal that has just begun its career in our city, as the organ of the Catholic people of Iowa and the middle west. It is the regular size 8 page 7 column, all original matter. It is a very neat, clean journal, with good and interesting editorials. With 250,000 Catholics in Iowa and only two newspapers with this one of their denomination, we bespeak for their success and welcome to the Western World our sanction. Rev. J. F. Nugent, one of the best friends of our race, is on the editorial staff. Mr. H. F. Brennan is editor and John Connolly business manager.

OBITUARY.

MR. ROY'S DEATH.

Mr. Daniel Roy, one of our well known and highly esteemed citizens, died last Friday morning at the Methodist hospital after having suffered since last June. He was taken to the hospital about four weeks ago to have an operation performed. It was preformed last Wednesday by Drs. L. Scholer and Smouse. He never recovered.

Mr. Roy was born at Lexington, Mo., November 12, 1840. He came to Iowa where he was married to Miss Mary A. Steward August 12, 1869, at Albia, Ia.; moved to Osceola thence to Leon, Iowa, where he spent nearly all his life until about fifteen years ago when he moved to this city to school his children. He was a barber by profession and was well liked by all who knew him. His amiable wife, who is beloved by all who know her, was his true companion and indeed a help-mate. He was a member of the Christian church. He leaves a wife and four children—Mrs. Agnes Jacobs, Mrs. Mary Russ, Messrs. Willie and Charley. The funeral services were held from the Corinthian Baptist church, conducted by Rev. T. L. Griffith, and Dr. Duin, a life long friend. A large crowd attended the funeral. The pall bearers were Messrs. J. H. Shepard, John Walker, R. N. Hyde and Wm. Colson. The remains were laid to rest in Woodland cemetery.

The BYSTANDER with their many friends extend their condolence in this their sad hour of sorrow.

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THIS POSITION IS MADE CLEAR.

President Writes a Letter on the Subject of Colored Men For Office.

FITNESS THE SOLE TEST

Sharp Communication Addressed to a Citizen of Charleston, S. C.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The president has the following communication to a prominent citizen of Charleston, S. C.: Personal.

White House, Washington, Nov. 25, 1902.—My Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of November 10, and of one from you under date of November 22, in reference to the appointment of Dr. Crum as collector of the port of Charleston.

In your letter you make certain specific charges against Dr. Crum, tending to show his unfitness in several respects for the office sought. These charges are entitled to the utmost consideration from me and shall go over the table as they are presented to me. After making these charges you add as a further reason for opposition to him that he is a colored man and after reciting the misdeeds that followed carpetbag rule and negro domination in South Carolina, you say that "we have sworn never again to submit to the rule of African, and such an appointment as that of Dr. Crum to any such office forces us to protest unanimously against his ineligibility to the white race, and you add that you understand me to say that I would never force a negro on such a community as yours."

Mr. Crum puts the objection of color first, saying that "first, he is a colored man, and of itself ought to bar him from the office." In view of these last statements I think I ought to make clear to you why I am concerned and pained by your making them, and what my attitude is as regards all such appointments. How anyone could have gained the idea that I had said I would not appoint reputable colored men good men to office, when objection was made to them solely on account of their color, I confess I am wholly unable to understand. At the time of your appointment last spring I had made, and since that time I have made a number of such appointments from several states in which there is a considerable colored population. For example, I made one such appointment in Mississippi and another in Alabama shortly before my visit to Charleston. At that time I appointed two colored men as judicial magistrates in the District of Columbia. I have recently announced another such appointment for New Orleans and have just made one from Pennsylvania. The same is true of my appointments in many other states where there are colored men. No one and no state has been my enemy and I do not intend to appoint any unfit man to office. So far as I legitimately can I shall always endeavor to pay regard to the wishes and feelings of the people of each locality; but I can not consent to make the position of a citizen, in the matter of the door of opportunity, to be shut upon any man, no matter how worthy, purely upon the grounds of race or color. Such an attitude would, according to my conviction, be fundamentally wrong. If, as you hold, the great bulk of the colored people are not yet fit in point of character and influence to hold such positions, it seems to me that it is worth while putting a premium upon the effort among them to achieve the character and standing which will fit them.

The question of "negro domination" does not enter into the matter at all. It might as well be asserted that when I was governor of New York I sought to bring about negro domination in that state because I appointed two colored men of good character and standing to responsible positions—one of them to a position paying a salary twice as large as that paid in the office now under consideration—one of them as a director of the Buffalo exposition. The question raised by you is not whether I am in statements to which I refer, is simply whether it is to be declared that under no circumstances shall any man of color, no matter how good a citizen, no matter how fair in his dealings with all his fellows, be permitted to hold any office, whether it be a position of honor, or whether he looks at it from the standpoint of true interest of the white man of the south or of the colored man of the north—not to speak of any other section of the union. It seems to me that it is a good thing from every standpoint to let the colored man know that if he shows in marked degree the qualities of good citizenship—the qualities which in a white man we feel are entitled to reward—then he will not be cut off from all hope of similar reward, as if without regard as to what my decision may be on the merits of this particular case, I feel that I ought to let you know clearly my attitude on the far broader question raised by you and Mr. Crum, an attitude from which I have not varied during my term of office. Faithfully yours, Theodore Roosevelt.

Annual Convention Live Stock Association, Kansas City, Mo., rate one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. Tickets sold January 12th and 13th, good to return January 16th, extension of return limit to January 31st may be obtained.

"WHAT SHALL WE EAT?"

Every day the same old question, "What shall we eat for breakfast, for luncheon, for dinner?" swells with monotonous regularity the patient housewife who seeks to provide good living for the family in agreeable variety at a moderate cost. There is a daily department in THE CHICAGO RECORD-HERALD which is intended to answer this question satisfactorily every day in the year. It is entitled "Meals for a Day" and provides menus for the three meals every day, with the necessary recipes. These menus and the recipes are carefully selected by the Record-Herald's household editor, and cash prizes are awarded to the best that are received. Housewives everywhere are invited to participate in the "Meals for a Day" department in The Chicago Record-Herald.

WITH OUR CHURCHES.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST.

The following rendered selections at the B. Y. F. U. last Sunday:

Mrs. Detwilder, Miss Georgia Morris, Miss Jessie Whitfield, May Washington, Mr. J. W. Johnson.

Mr. Shelton, recently of Keokuk and Mr. Linford Willis of Buxton are very valuable additions to our choir.

The services next Sunday will be as follows:

10:30 a. m. pastor's subject: The last Words of Jesus on the Cross; 11 a. m. S. H. Brown, Supt., 3 p. m. Missionary service, and sermon by Rev. S. Johnson, and collection for missionary work of Iowa Baptist association. 6 p. m. B. Y. F. U., L. J. H. S. Brown, leader. 7:30 pastor's subject: The Widow of Zarephath. Read 1 Kings, 7. A cordial welcome to these services extended to all.

T. L. GRIVITH, Pastor.

ST. PAUL.

The Gideon's army of 300 is the name of the members and friends who are now struggling to raise \$200.00 to pay the special taxes which have been levied for about six years. The membership of church is divided into nine equal parts and each member is expected to pay \$2.00 or solicit \$2.00 and have it by the first Sunday in December.

Sunday is first quarterly meeting day, Presiding Elder Malone will be here all day.

Trustee Aid number 2 met at Mrs. Gould's the president's home Monday with a good attendance.

Mrs. Jack Fisher entertained the Sewing Circle Friday afternoon, Mrs. Anna Hall and Geo. I. Holt are the latest addition.

H. S. GRAYES, Pastor.

SIoux CITY ITEMS.

The Central Churches and West Side churches will hold union meetings on Thanksgiving day. Rev. Newhall White will preach the sermon for the Central churches which will be held at the First Presbyterian church and Rev. E. G. Jackson of the A. M. E. church will preach at the West Side churches which will be held at the Whitfield M. E. church.

The Ladies Art Club met with Mrs. F. A. Hackley Friday afternoon.

News has been received in our city of the death of one of our old pioneer citizens Mrs. Isabelle Garret in her seventy-eight years in Los Angeles, Cal., she leaves three sons and two daughters to mourn her. They have the sympathy of their many friends in our city.

Mrs. C. Lewis who is well known here and loved by her many friends died last Monday in Yankton, S. D. with the dropsy, she has a host of relatives in Virginia, her remains were interred at Yankton, S. D.

Mrs. John Morgan under went a successful operation at her home on Eighth street Saturday. She is getting along nicely.

A little turtle was sprang on us about

BURLINGTON ROUTE EXCURSIONS.

Christmas and New Years Holiday Rates. Rate one and one-third fare for round trip to all points on the Burlington System within a radius of 300 miles from selling station. Tickets sold Dec. 24th, 25th and 31st, also January 1st.

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Every day good to return until and including January 2nd. The Burlington Route will sell excursion tickets to students and teachers of educational institutions on dates such institutions closes and day after, but earlier than December 13th or later than December 30th, upon presentation of certificate, signed by proper officer of the institution with which applicant is connected such tickets good to return date institution opens, but not later than January 8th.

CLINTON ITEMS.

Jas. Williams, Jr., is seriously ill at his home in Oak Lawn his friends hope for speedy recovery.

Rev. W. W. Russell has received the sad news of the serious illness of his mother in Covington, Ky., he expects to leave soon for her bedside.

Little Anna daughter of J. T. Culber, son is around again after an attack of measles.

We are glad to welcome several new families who have recently moved here.

K. D. Smith has accepted the position of janitor of the McKittie club room.

RECEIVED.

Rebecca Williams who has been here for several months the guest of her brother H. G. Williams has returned to her home in Dixon, Ill.

Mrs. W. A. Richardson is better.

F. M. McNeil purchased Christmas goods in Chicago last week.

The social given by the ladies of the Second Baptist church Friday night was a success.

Miss Deesy Jones of Peoria arrived Monday night called here by the illness of her brother-in-law Jas. Williams.

Mrs. J. N. Hancock arrived home a few days ago after a two months visit with friends in the East.

The Harmony Club of Bethel church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Henderson.

Mrs. Geo. Martin will entertain the ladies sewing circle of the Second Baptist church Thursday afternoon December 4th at her home.

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THE DATE OF THE MARRIAGE OF MISS FRANKEL

Bankston to Mr. Wm. Young they were married on the 24th instead of the 27th, but never the less they have our hearty congratulations and may their married life be long and happy.

Mr. Chas. Carter came down from Yankton, S. B. Wednesday to join his family after being absent for three months.

The Bazaar and entertainment given by the members of the Mt. Zion Baptist church opened Monday evening to be continued for four nights, the prospects for a grand success is bright. The fair attendants at the booths which is distributed about over the large hall is kept busy from early in the evening until late at night dispensing various articles and fancy work, Miss F. Meredith has charge of the ice cream and cake table, Miss L. Askew has the apron booth, Miss Courtney has the booth for fancy work and other articles, Mrs. A. L. Morgan has the utensils and broom booth and Madame F. Baker, C. Harris and Miss Jordan the supper.

Mrs. Mattie Wenzler is seriously ill at home.

The Watkins-Corset Band concert held last Wednesday night was grand success a good programme was rendered by the band to a large and appreciative audience.

NEWTON NOTES.

(Special to Bystander.)

The Mt. Missionary society met with Mrs. Mary Moore Saturday afternoon. A very interesting program was rendered consisting of quartets, solos, addresses and papers.

Mrs. Green is quite sick at her home.

The literary congress of the A. M. E. church is the liveliest thing in Newton. The young people show themselves to be efficient in debating deep questions.

Mrs. Hanksing will be celebrated at the church in the evening. The young people will give an entertainment and the ladies will serve supper.

Services were well attended at the church both Sunday morning and evening. Sermons by the pastor were very instructive. Too much credit can not be given to the choir for the interest taken in the welfare of the church.

Many thanks to the ladies for reorganizing the church. Comagala.

Cottage prayer meetings are well attended. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Ramsey's.

TUSKEGEE NOTES.

The excavation for the foundation of the Collins F. Huntington Memorial building is nearly completed and the brick-masons are preparing to work on the foundation.

The landscape department is beautifying the school grounds. They are repairing roads, making side-walks and arranging flower beds.

The brick-masons are now at work on the saw mill. It is directly behind the Slater Armstrong Memorial Trades building.

ALBIA NOTES.

Mr. Perkins and little son from Buxton were in town one day this week.

Mr. Lou Franklin who has been working out to Buxton for the past few months has returned to Albia.

The M. M. society entertained at the home of Mrs. Moss Johnson Friday evening. The program was different names of flowers placed on cards, and then you were to place the words in order so as to spell the name of the flowers. Mrs. H. Snoddy received the first prize, a large lemon pie, and Miss Maddy Snoddy, second prize, a small lemon pie. The repast consisted of peaches and cake, candies, grapes, and nuts served by Madam Lewis and Mrs. Johnson. The number present was fourteen.

Mr. Moss from Hooking was in town one day this week.

Mrs. Marling who has been visiting for several weeks with her two sisters, Mrs. M. Parker and Mrs. A. Stevens, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. H. Jones went over to Buxton Sunday to hear the boy preacher.

Messrs. Bennings were in last Sunday. They have been plastering in Buxton the past week.

H. C. HAVEMEYER'S GENEROSITY.

Until a few days ago Henry C. Havemeyer had a claim of \$15,000 against the First Presbyterian church of Greenwich, Conn. The church was built ten years ago, at which time Mr. Havemeyer contributed \$20,000 toward a residence for the pastor. In 1900 he remitted \$5,000 and last spring notified the pastor that if the congregation would raise \$5,000 more he would cancel the remainder. The required amount has just been subscribed and the church is now free from debt.

Egg Shells as Flower Pots.

Egg shells may be used to advantage in starting delicate plants for transplanting. The half shells are filled with earth and set in a box also containing the dampened earth. A hole is made in the point of the shell to allow drainage. A single seed is then planted in each shell, which is easily broken when transplanting is done, without the slightest disturbance of roots. This use of egg shells is the discovery of a French gardener, who claims they are vastly superior to the little pots generally used for the purpose by florists.

A PASTOR WHO WAS BEFRIENDED BY AN EMPEROR SAVED BY PE-RU-NA.



Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Elkhorst, Wis., is pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church of that place. Rev. Stubenvoll is the possessor of two bibles presented to him by Emperor William of Germany. Upon the fly leaf of one of the bibles the Emperor has written in his own handwriting a text. This honored pastor, in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, says concerning their famous catarrh remedy, Peruna:

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PEACE PLANS HAVE FAILED

Operators Refuse to Hold Conference With Mitchell as Proposed.

WILL BE NO SETTLEMENT

Commission Must Again Take Up Trouble Between the Strikers and Operators, as They Have Utterly Failed to Come to an Understanding.

Washington, Nov. 26.—All prospects for an understanding between the United Mine Workers and the coal operators outside the Anthracite Coal Strike commission came to a sudden termination last yesterday afternoon through the receipt of a dispatch to Mr. Wayne Mac Veagh, representing the Pennsylvania Coal company and the Hillside Coal and Iron company, notifying him that at a meeting of the anthracite coal road men in New York yesterday it had been decided not to grant an interview to Mr. Mitchell and his associates which had been suggested for Friday next.

The announcement, coming as it did after an all day's conference in this city between Mr. Mac Veagh and Mr. Mitchell and his associates, attended part of the time by Carroll D. Wright, in an endeavor to adjust some of the details of the proposed agreement between the operators and the miners, completely surprised everyone here. From reliable source it is learned that the proposition that the operators meet Mr. Mitchell on Friday next was made at the instance of Mr. Mac Veagh, who was no less surprised than Mr. Mitchell himself at the turn affairs took yesterday. From statements made by Mr. Darrow early in the day the impression had spread that a complete agreement would be effected at yesterday's conference, but when the meeting broke up Mr. Darrow read to the newspaper men in the corridor outside his room in Willard's hotel a statement which made it clear that no final agreement had been reached and that no further conferences were likely. The statement was as follows:

"The conference today was simply a continuation of the conference held at Scranton and with precisely the same object—that of trying to reach a basis of hopeful discussion for an amicable settlement. Mr. Mac Veagh had not been in Scranton since Thursday and some matters have since developed as to whether a further conference might be useful before either the operators or the representatives of the miners approach the serious task of forming a definite agreement for their signatures.

Mr. Mitchell, when shown the dispatch from New York telling of the action of the operators, simply smiled and said that he had not asked for this conference and that he had suggested to him if it would be agreeable to meet the operators, he said it would. Mr. Darrow and Mr. Lloyd, however, were outspoken regarding the action of the operators. Mr. Darrow said it was "now up to the operators" that he would return at once to Scranton and on Tuesday next would appear before the commission ready to go on with the hearing. Mr. Lloyd, holding in his hand the Associated Press dispatch, referred to the fact that Friday's conference had been suggested in order to adjust some matters on which there was still some disagreement. "Yet," said Mr. Lloyd, "the same men who only last week wired the commission their assent to the general proposition, and who have just questioned and on the strength of which the commission adjourned for a week in order to give the parties time to get together, now go completely back on their former action and call it all off. We are satisfied to go before the commission and continue the hearing."

ATROCITIES UNPARALLELED.

Ambassador White Writes of Latest Roumanian Order as to Jews.

Berlin, Nov. 26.—A private letter written by Ambassador White to Henry Seligman of Frankfurt-on-the-Maine regarding the treatment of Hebrews in Roumania appears in the Frankfurter Zeitung yesterday. The letter, which was not intended for present publication, is in part as follows:

"The Roumanian atrocities are simply monstrous and startle the civilized world. I have just received the Roumanian bulletin. No document equals it in cruelty since the series of laws with which Louis XIV. persecuted the Huguenots. But even these, which have hitherto been regarded as the acme of cruelty, are exceeded by those in the bulletin. I cannot believe that right thinking Roumanians or the civilized powers can allow this condition of things to continue. It appears to be open defiance of law, justice and common decency."

Mr. White will present his letters of recall to Emperor William Thursday at noon, and afterwards, with his wife, will take luncheon with the emperor and empress.

Valuable Goods Found.

Ottumwa, Nov. 26.—The police believe that they have solved the mystery of a large number of robberies of southern Iowa stores during the last few months. The house of William Boxell, a negro of Cleveland, was searched and a large amount of valuable silks and clothing discovered. An organized gang is known to have been at work in this section of the state and Boxell is charged with having acted as a "fence."

Foul Slaughter of Children.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 25.—The report of the principal of the Foundling hospital at Batu shows that all the children die, not one reaching the age of two years. The cause of death, it is apparent, is hunger, the town providing no means for procuring milk and other nourishment for the infants. Of seventy babies admitted to the hospital last year forty-two were blinded by being washed in filthy water.

Minister's Son Shoots a Man.

Washington, Nov. 22.—The state department has been informed that Godfrey Hunter, Jr., son of the United States minister at Guatemala City, yesterday shot and killed one Fitzgerald of Grand Rapids, Mich. Hunter has taken refuge in the legation and an interesting question has arisen as to his exemption from arrest.

To his sovereign's question wherein their religion really differed, William Penn is said to have replied: "The difference is the same as between thy hat and mine; mine has no ornaments."

HAVANA RIOTS CAUSE DEATH.

Two Killed and Eighty-two Wounded in Street Conflicts.

Havana, Nov. 25.—As the result of conflicts of a serious nature yesterday between the police and the men on strike here, two strikers are dead and eighty-two other persons are wounded. Five of the wounded, one a lieutenant of police whose throat was cut by a striker, have very severe injuries. Eight other policemen are wounded. The police have the rioters well under control, but every precaution is being taken to prevent a further outbreak of disorder, and all the police and rural guards in the suburbs have been summoned to concentrate in Havana.

The strike, which at first only concerned the sign painters, became general yesterday morning by the calling out of all trades in sympathy with the cigar makers. All the trades people closed their doors this morning, clerks, cooks and every class of workmen being obeyed. The only exception of the union except the motormen and conductors of the electric cars, who refused to join in the general strike.

Trouble began early by the holding up of the electric cars by the strikers, who were naturally very directed against the street railroad employees. Several cars were wrecked and some motormen and conductors were injured during these occurrences. The car men, however, continued running their cars, but the superintendent of the streetcar line ordered a suspension of traffic.

The mayor of Havana and the secretary of government, Diego Tamayo, have for the past week openly sympathized with the strikers and have ordered the police not to use force in dispersing the crowds, and, under these conditions, the police were unable to cope with the strikers.

The situation was approaching a critical point at noon yesterday in front of the palace itself, in which a police officer named Maso and a number of policemen and strikers received injuries, when President Palma sent word to the mayor that unless the city authorities took necessary measures to protect the railroad company the state would intervene. The mayor then took drastic measures and issued an edict prohibiting crowds from gathering on the streets and authorizing the chief of police to use force where necessary to preserve order.

A similar notice of force early in the morning undoubtedly would have prevented the trouble, but now the strikers had become emboldened and frequent clashes between them and the police occurred in all parts of the city. The police were obliged to charge a mob of rioters at the slaughter house and several among the latter were injured. The vigorous attitude of the police now made itself felt, and only suspended for a brief period, resumed and was continued from this time forth with only occasional interruptions. Most of the injuries sustained by the strikers were caused by the police.

Havana, Nov. 26.—The Central Labor union last night decided to call off the strike, and committees were appointed to inform the various unions of this decision. There probably will be a complete resumption of work today.

Much of the credit of the settlement of the strike is due to General Gomez, who headed the committee which consulted yesterday the officers of the Havana Commercial company against whom the strike was first directed. Gomez afterwards met the Central Labor union and the old warrior did not spare words in his condemnation of the action of the union in calling out the workmen. He said that a revolution and not a strike and that the war veterans stood ready to take up arms in support of the government in order to maintain order.

PORTO RICO VERY PROSPEROUS.

Substantial Progress Being Made in the Island.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The annual report of W. H. Elliott, commissioner of the interior for Porto Rico, contains a glowing account of the progress along all governmental lines in the island. Much attention is being paid to road building and bridge construction in order to assure to labor the means of reaching the markets with the products of the island. Porto Rico is being instructed what to plant and how to cultivate most economically and profitably. Sanitary rules and regulations have been introduced and the people encouraged in habits of cleanliness and correct living and all sorts of vices are being eradicated.

Concerning public lands, the report says the various departments of the federal government will be asked to make known their wishes concerning properties now occupied by the government for their accommodation. The bulk of the property involved consists of lands of little present value, but which may, if the island continues to develop and prosper as conditions now promise, be of great value in the future. They need to be located and their boundaries determined. It is hoped that all questions will be settled in a presidential action secured in time for the legislative assembly of Porto Rico to provide for the disposition of the public property at the session to be held during January and February 1903.

Hearst to Invade Washington.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 25.—In a personal card, Frank Munsey announced the discontinuing of the morning edition of the Washington Times, beginning December 1. He says his energies will be centered in making a great paper of the evening edition, which will be enlarged and improved. It is stated upon trustworthy authority that Hearst relinquishes the morning field as a result of negotiations with Hearst of the New York American. The statement is made that Hearst pays Munsey \$60,000 to quit the morning field. It is understood Hearst will start a morning paper in January, to be called the Washington American, and conducted on the same lines as his other papers.

Child Lacerated by a Dog.

Muscatine, Nov. 25.—A child, the five-year-old daughter of Fred Kinder, was attacked by a mad dog this morning. Her face was lacerated in a terrible manner. The dog escaped, and it is not known whether it had rabies.

Cholera is Subsiding.

Washington, Nov. 25.—A cablegram has been received from the Philippines commission stating that the number of cases of cholera had gone down to five a day instead of 24 a day a week ago. The message says that the commission feel much relieved and it is believed that Marquina watershed, which furnishes the water supply for Manila will not be contaminated. Up to a short time ago grave fears were entertained that cholera might be introduced in the Marquina region although great precaution has been taken to prevent such a result.

SUBSTITUTION.

Please listen to a short talk upon a most vitally important subject—one which is greatly disturbing the business world to-day.

You have doubtless heard of the word "substitution." You have probably read that "substitution is fraud." Tack that saying firmly in your mind and keep it there. It is worth something. It is true—almost invariably.

You call at a store and ask for an article of a certain brand or manufacturer, one which has been thoroughly advertised for years, and which has earned an excellent reputation. The dealer says "here's something just as good for less money." That dealer thereby usually tells a direct falsehood. He knows that the article which he offers you at a lower price is inferior, but the point is that it yields him a greater profit; hence his desire to substitute.

You may ask if an article is superior just because it is advertised. Yes, it is, and here's why. The many well-known houses which spend millions of dollars every year in the good publications of the country are managed by men of brains and wide business experience, and these men know only too well that unless an article has merit there is absolutely no business sense in spending good money to advertise it. It does not pay to advertise any article of general use for a short time only. Every advertiser must wait some time before his advertising has created the desired impression and while he is waiting his goods must have time to prove whether or not they are good. If they are good, they stick; if not, they do not, and if they were not good and did not stick, would this experienced business man continue to spend good money advertising the goods—throw good money after bad as it were? Never! He has too much business sense.

The average article which you see advertised month after month in good publications is itself good. Buy an advertised article. It is the true safe way.

When you are buying ask for what you want and get what you ask for. Remember! "Substitution is Fraud."—Pearson's Magazine.

Faint heart never won a fat jackpot.

Mrs. Hildebrandt's Discovery.

Lake Sarah, Minn., Nov. 24th.—Mrs. Hildebrandt of this place claims to have discovered a complete cure for Rheumatism and numerous people can testify that as Mrs. Hildebrandt had the terrible affliction and is now a well woman, she appears to have good grounds for her claim. Mrs. Hildebrandt speaks of her cure as follows:

"I had the Rheumatism in my arms so bad that I could not sleep at night. I was induced to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and before I had taken two boxes I was much better. When I had taken four boxes I was completely cured."

It is only fair to state that others have made the same discovery as Mrs. Hildebrandt and that for Rheumatism and other diseases arising from the Kidneys, Dodd's Kidney Pills are recognized as the one sure and permanent cure.

A woman in pursuit of a late summer gown stood in front of a counter heaped with foulards in a big store. A blue ground with a white polka dot seemed to please her best, but she paused irresolutely. "It looks just like the old indigo blue calicoes they used to wear when I was a little girl in the country," she said, discontentedly.

"Madame," said the portly salesman, "long after you and I are dead and gone women will be wearing blue and white polka dots, and they have worn them since the race emerged from barbarism. They will wear them until it sinks into it again." After that portentous gravity and heavy philosophy the woman bought the dress in a dashed silence.

The word "cholera" and "pestilence" are unheard of in Constantinople, for Nischen Effendi, the Turkish censor, has ordered that they must not be uttered or printed. Formerly he invented for these words the term "suspicious diseases." At the outbreak of the pestilence in Constantinople, recently, five cases of "an odd disease" had been officially established. An English correspondent reported these five cases by telegraph to his paper. The censor, however, ordered him to make two telegrams out of the one. The first dispatch had to report only three cases of pestilence; the second, to be sent twelve hours later, was to mention the other two cases. "After all, you have all you wanted; the sum total is correct," said the censor, smilingly, to the correspondent, who could not, however, understand this strange proceeding.

I am sure Mrs. Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Robbins, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

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RACE ECHOES.

T. Thomas Fortune, editor of the New York Age, has been appointed special agent of the U. S. Treasury Department to investigate industrial conditions in Hawaii and the Philip pines.

New Orleans.—President H. H. Pearson of the New Orleans Railways Company and his officials, charged with violating the separate car law, were discharged. Counsel for the company had demurred to the affidavits on the ground that the law was unconstitutional. The judge sustained the demurrers. The case will probably go to the state Supreme Court.

George Forster Peabody has generously furnished the means—two thousand dollars—with which to equip the colored college at Savannah, Ga., with a dairy. A small but well selected lot of cows will be purchased and cheese making and dairying will be taught in all its branches. Mr. Peabody, in the days of his greatness, does not forget his native state and his noble nature remembers the humblest of American citizens. He is an honor to his nation. May his end be happy and long removed. The school is to be congratulated on this renewed evidence of confidence.

Captain Charles Young, the colored officer of the Ninth Cavalry, who in future will be stationed at the Presidio, was a great favorite on the Sheridan coming from Manila, and so completely has the color line been obliterated where a member of the colored race displays ability and character, that Captain Young was in great demand. His skin is of the darkest hue of the race, but he is exceedingly clever, a West Point graduate, and a pianist of rare ability.

EVERY LETTER DOES NOT BEING JOY.

As I stood watching the mail man Trudging along his way With his sack just full of Letters, papers and magazines, It filled my heart with wonder And my thoughts began to range As I watched him go on his journey From where I stood under the trees.

He stops first to leave a letter And then a magazine, Looks anxiously at his mail bag And then moves on again. At one house he takes out a letter With flowers all nicely arranged, Steps to the door and gives a wrap For he knows he'll be well received.

At the next house he leaves a package That has come from over the sea, He does not look in askance Or even, try, to think what it might be.

His sack now begins to get lighter And a happy man is he, Although he loves his duty He loves also to be free. And now he takes out a letter Trimmed all around in black, He heaves a sigh as he hears the en- trance.

His steps begin to slacken And then I think of a story I heard when only a boy, But before he'd never noticed That all letters do not bring joy. L. H. S. Brown.

USE OF CAVALRY IN WAR.

Military Authorities Agree on Value of This Arm.

All military authorities on the continent are of one mind as to the immense advantage which will accrue to the power which, at the outset of a war, can most quickly place in the field a superior force of efficient mounted troops. One result of this belief is the extreme care with which each of the great military powers of the continent watches the strength and distribution of the cavalry of its neighbors. At the present moment some disquietude exists in the Triple Alliance, because the cavalry of the Double Alliance has become superior, numerically, to their own. In the event of war, France could place in the field 327 squadrons and Russia 711; or the two allies together 1,038 squadrons, while the Triple Alliance could only muster 746 squadrons, or 292 squadrons less than the Double Alliance.

Subscribe for Bystander.

A Diplomatic Error. At a diplomatic reception in London recently the wife of the Chinese ambassador was, upon her arrival, greeted in the cloak room reserved for gentlemen. The mistake is easily accounted for, because Chinese women of rank do not, as a rule, attend public functions in London. However, the fact was of normal occurrence, and it is a pity that the Chinese ambassador's wife should have been treated in this manner.

BUXTON NEWS. Church Social and Business.

The reason no letter appeared in the Bystander from Buxton last week, the humble scribbler who writes it up, was sick and unable to write the regular letter. However something happened, for the better we hope and this week the readers of the Bystander can read the church, social and business doings in Buxton.

Several big dinners are to be served in our Buxton homes Thanksgiving day. Nearly every body in the city have attended the meetings at St. John's church.

Readers of the Bystander remember reading in the columns of Mr. Shortridge being seriously hurt in the mines here some time ago. He was recently taken to Des Moines to a hospital. All that was in the power of man to do was done. Death came to him last Friday while on his way to the city. His remains were shipped to St. John's A. M. E. church, Rev. R. H. Williamson officiating, and was laid to rest in Buxton cemetery.

Deceased was a member of Buxton lodge K. of P. and that order attended in a body. He leaves besides some relatives in this city, a sister and brother in Missouri and three children who have no mother. They will sadly miss the loved parent. They with the rest of the sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of a host of friends in this sad hour of grief and mourning.

Miss Cora Thomas and Mrs. Miller, two of Albia's young ladies, made Buxton a pleasant call Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Albia were attendants at the Lonia Dennis meetings here Sunday.

Albia has some good Afro-Americans in it, and that's a fact. Whenever you visit Albia you are always sure of the hospitality of some of the good homes there.

Wedding bells will ring Christmas and teamsters will haul furniture. Little Lonnie L. Dennis, the boy preacher at St. John's church, is certainly a wonderful servant of the Lord. He preaches with the ease of a minister of twice his years of experience. At every service the church is packed with people, eager and careful listeners. There has already been a number of conversions, a number reclaimed and a great inpouring into the church.

The Willing Fourteen of St. John's church has bought a beautiful book case and presented it to the church. The book case is something that has been badly needed by the church and indeed the officers are very grateful to its sister helpers and donors.

We will again remind our Buxton readers that the year is fast drawing to a close and your subscription remains unpaid. Now we have an easy way for nearly every subscriber in Buxton who is behind to nearly square himself before the first of the year. Now the Buxton agent will certainly call upon you and tell you of his simple plan. Why the Buxton agent people at the home office are good people. Only once a year do they call to collect and then if a misfortune has befallen you, you are not intimidated. Now Buxton is as bright and they will certainly fall in with the agent's little plan.

Mr. W. A. Wells, our popular merchant here, has moved his family from the city of Oklaheesa to Buxton into his beautiful new residence just completed here. Mr. Wells has a modern up-to-date home, beautifully lighted with electricity heated with steam and everything is handy, in short Mr. Wells has a place to live in.

Died at his home in Buxton, Mr. Perry Welch an old and respected citizen. His funeral occurred from Mt. Zion church Monday Nov. 24, Rev. C. H. Menderhall officiating.

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Writer in the Cosmopolitan Gives Some Good Advice.

My young friend, Jimmy Banks, was married a little over a year ago. He had previously spent twelve months in the most furious courtship. The girl at first had not cottoned to Jimmy very much, but he moved heaven and earth so vigorously that she at last consented. Now, the other day who appears before me but Jimmy, with a long face and makes a complaint that the baby keeps him awake nights. "Good gracious! Jimmy," I said, "didn't you know that babies all ways do that? A baby has to have some relaxation. Go home and be thankful that it isn't twins." There is the reverse side to every joy. You can't have the advantages of baby-hood and married life at the same time. You buy everything with a price—leisure, family, office, learning, wealth, fame, position. Nothing is free. Be sure you want the article, pay the current price and enjoy your possession.—Cosmopolitan.

Prophet on Home Search.—A prophet has discovered that the average business walk in New York is a mile in twenty minutes, and the church-going walk is a mile in twenty-five minutes. The fastest walk in the city is the home-going walk. Home-going is the best of all walks.—New York Times.

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ORIGINAL NOTICE. In the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County. January 1903 Term. The Plano Manufacturing Co., Plaintiff, vs. J. E. Lowe Defendant.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT. The Corinthian Baptist Church—situated on 11th St., between Crocker and School, six o'clock; at 11 a. m.; Sunday School; at 10 o'clock. Preaching at 7 p. m.

SECRET ORDERS. North Star Lodge, No. 2 A. F. & A. M.—Meets First Thursday in each month at Masonic Hall—North-west corner of Tenth and Center streets. Sec. H. Clegggett, W. M.; D. S. Butt, secretary.

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NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To S. Harvey, (in whose name the same is taxed): You are hereby notified that on the fourth day of December A. D. 1899, the following described real estate to-wit: Lot Four (4) Block Six (6) Town of Corydon, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1898, to J. L. Sands that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

ANNIE E. HAHN, Owner and holder of certificate.

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To Hannah Clouton (in whose name the same is taxed): You are hereby notified that on the fourth day of December A. D. 1899, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 1 wa (2) Block Six (6), Town of Corydon, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1898, to J. L. Sands, that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

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