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CITY NEWS.

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

Mrs. O. A. Johnson left last Thursday evening for Wellsville, Mo., to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCloud.

Mr. Robert Woods one of our well known boys, now of Chicago, Ill., is spending this week in our city visiting his mother.

S. Joe Brown was in Buxton last Friday to attend the emancipation celebration. He was also one of the speakers.

Mrs. Lewis Blagburn who has been visiting in Mobile, Ala., returned home last week. Her visit was cut a little short on account of the yellow fever scare. She is much improved in health.

BARNES MEN'S OUTFITTER

BASE BALL

The Browns vs the Buxton Wonders at the Sunday ball park next Sunday afternoon. Game called at 3:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Wickes of Denver, Colo., who will be remembered as Miss Lizzie Dickens while a resident of this city, will arrive today for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Watkins.

Mrs. A. J. Jackson has several good furnished rooms for rent at reasonable rates, for gentlemen only—1209 Cherry street.

Mr. Wesley Fields, one of our young men who has been out West, returned home last week to visit his parents. He is looking hale and hearty. The West agrees with Wesley. He will soon return to the West.

Mr. Floyd Ross, chief deputy of the Grand Fountain United Order of True Reformers of Richmond, Va., was in our city last Tuesday evening and set up a fountain of about 30 members, with S. Joe Brown at the head of the local order. This is a good insurance society.

A very pleasant and interesting croquet party in honor of Mrs. Bettie Whitfield of St. Louis, was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson at their home, 1304 Eighteenth street. Several interesting games were played. Those out of the city were Mrs. Wm. Jones of Montezuma, and Miss Maguaret Mason of Iowa City.

Mrs. Fred Walker and Mrs. Addie Black of Mobile, Ala., who was visiting in Kansas City, Mo., and took advantage of the excursion to Des Moines and spent a few days in our city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Banks, 1045 Enos street, left Tuesday feeling much impressed with Des Moines.

The chicken pie social given by Mrs. J. T. Blagburn at their beautiful residence last Tuesday evening was well attended. The committee realized \$20. A very nice musical and literary program was rendered. They wish to thank their many friends who attended also those who donated to the supper.

BARNES MEN'S OUTFITTER

There will be a lawn social next Tuesday evening August 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coalsen, 2018 Center street. Every body invited. There will be music and the social will go on if it should rain, as they will have it in the house. A special invitation to all.

Mr. Robert N. Hyde, one of our most successful business men has just received a special invitation from Prof. Boyker T. Washington to attend the meeting of the National Negro Business League, which will be held in New York City next week, and he is asked to appear on program. This is the first and only colored man in Iowa who has been thus honored by the National League. We congratulate Mr. Hyde as he is a deserving man.

Troy Laundry Co

A new laundry just opened. Ladies' Shirts and Skirts a specialty.

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SOCIETY MELANGE.

The summer months are not considered by many people a good time to entertain, unless you are at some summer resort, as it usually is so warm that it makes it unpleasant for house parties, but that idea has been abandoned for this week at least, as there has not been so many parties and receptions given since during holidays as there was this week.

The Misses Gertrude and Lillian Smith, two prominent society bells of Chicago, has been the guests of honor at the following parties and receptions:

Tuesday they were entertained at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Price Alexander, near Highland Park.

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of 844 Sixth avenue gave a reception for them, which was the largest attended of any of the parties given. Their home was decorated with a number of different home grown flowers, and on the table around the frappe bowl were a number of lighted candles, which added beauty to the table. Mrs. Alexander and Miss Olive Smith assisted in serving.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. S. Joe Brown gave a luncheon in honor of the Misses Smith, Miss M. E. Mason and a few other intimate friends.

Wednesday evening Miss Beatrice Hicklin of 702 Tenth street gave a party in honor of the Misses Smith. The evening was spent in dancing and social conversation and a number of vocal solos were rendered by Mr. Geo. I. Holt. The Misses Nina Hamilton, Olive Smith and Mrs. G. I. Holt assisted in receiving and serving.

Mrs. C. S. Ruff gave a card party yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6, complimentary to Mrs. Frank Smith and the Misses Gertrude and Lillian Smith. After the playing was over refreshments were served.

Miss Maggie Mason who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. Gould for the past week will return to her home in Iowa City tomorrow evening. Her visit has been somewhat limited on account of having to report at her school in Charleston, W. Va., on the 18th of this month.

BARNES MEN'S OUTFITTER

Mr. Ralph Conib of St. Joseph, Mo., who was a student in the civil engineering department of Highland Park College two years ago, spent last Sunday in our city. He is now in St. Louis where he has a good position.

A GRAND CONCERT

A concert will be given by Miss V. Wilene Jackson, vocalist of the Geo. R. Smith College of Sedalia, Mo., assisted by the Imperial Orchestra and Mr. O. J. Gauss, violinist, at Burns' M. E. church, Twelfth and Crocker streets, next Thursday night, Aug. 17 at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

A reception will be given August 11 in honor of Miss Lizzie Pate of Galesburg, Ill., Miss Edna Lee and Mrs. A. T. Jordan of St. Joseph, at the home of Mrs. L. J. Courtney, 1011 Crocker.

Mrs. H. Gould will entertain a few friends this evening, complimentary to Miss M. E. Mason of Iowa City.

Mr. E. L. Collins of Shenandoah, Ia., is in our city with a company of the state guards. He took advantage of the opportunity and called at our office and paid one year's subscription.

BROWNIES LOSE.

The Brownies won the game from the Moberly team last Friday in that city, also the one from the Menlo club Wednesday afternoon, but they lost the game that was played against the Woodward team last Sunday afternoon by indifferent playing. It would be well for all the members of the team to play ball during every game. There is no need in losing a game simply because there is some member of the club you do not like, or do not want to play. It is the duty of everyone on any team to play their best at all times after the captain has given them their places on the team.

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CHEAP EXCURSION TO KANSAS CITY VIA WABASH.

On August 19th the Wabash will sell round trip tickets to Kansas City at only \$3.00. Tickets good for two days in Kansas City. Train leave Des Moines at 8:10 p. m. and arrives in Kansas City at 7 a. m. The excursion is first class in every particular. The Wabash does not wish to handle any other class of people. For other information write S. W. Flint, P. & T. A., Des Moines, Ia.

CLUB WOMEN.

(Special to Bystander.)

Organization and united efforts for good are the instruments of progress for women today in elevating humanity. With the enlightenment of a progressive age comes the knowledge to every true woman, a spirit to work for humanity, in ameliorating the condition of others. How deplorable to see women joining clubs simply to be known as a club woman, with no other object than to have their names enrolled, while others try to grasp every thought explained as the object, and the meaning of the motto, "Lifting as we climb." The writer, with the assistance of a number of co-workers, is putting forth every effort to induce the local clubs to unite for good in uplifting—to lay aside prejudice and petty jealousy, for these things hinder the progress. When we look around and see what is so much needed we should forget self, but unite and do our best. The woman's club is a blessing to womankind; it gives an opportunity for her to spend her leisure hours in this profitable work. It is clearly seen that woman's clubs have accomplished much good in the mental development of woman. When the mind is trained the hand is also trained. The clubs are also making better wives and housekeepers, purer homes; the woman is becoming alive to all interests which surround her. Much more in our local clubs could be accomplished if they would unite with a club spirit to progress and not retard. There is the lack of co-operation. Mrs. Helm so beautifully spoke at a reception given by one of the clubs on the home improvement work in the city of St. Louis and the training of the young, and urged co-operation. Miss Gibson of the same club, when speaking of the work at any time, advocates united effort. In the Gate City here is talent lying dormant for the want of encouragement. If many of us could "see through the glass clearly and not darkly!" While the writer is a weak instrument in the hands of so many, she is trying to do all that she can in helping to train the mind to a high level of thought by reading good literature, discussing subjects which will fit them for many avenues in life. As has been above stated, organization and united effort are the instruments of progress for the woman's clubs. Belle Banister.

DELINEATOR FOR SEPTEMBER.

The earliest creation of Autumn are attractively set forth in the September Delineator, along with the fashion comment and prophecies of Helen Berkeley-Loyd, Edouard La Fontaine and other authorities in the world of styles, and there is much in the number of interest from other than the standpoint of fashion. Mrs. Mary Hinman Abel contributes an article on the pure food question. It is the first of a series and opens the discussion by outlining the part of the consumer, the housewife, in procuring safe foods. N. Hudson Moore writes interestingly on English pottery and porcelain in "The Collector's Manual," and Dr. Grace P. Murray has a paper on the child in the nursery which will be read profitably by mothers. The hymn "Nearer My God, to Thee" is the subject of a paper by Allen Sutherland. Weymer Jay Mills concludes his "Romances of Summer Resorts," and there is an enjoyable travel sketch, describing and picturing the beautiful Lake District in England. In the way of fiction the number contains the continuation of Albert Bigelow Paine's serial "The Lucky Piece," and of Helen M. Winslow's New England story, "At Spinnier Farm," and two short stories by Cornelia Atwood Pratt, and Elizabeth McCracken. There are also entertaining pastimes for children, including an animal fairy tale by L. Frank Baum. As usual, many pages are devoted to domestic interests and the particular needs of woman within and without the home.

\$12 ROUND TRIP ST. PAUL, \$16 ROUND TRIP DULUTH, \$12.65, ROUND TRIP LAKE MINNETONKA.

From June 1st to Sept. 30, every day good to return until Oct. 31 via Minneapolis and St. Louis Ry. also special round trips to all Northern resorts, call at City ticket office 513 Walnut street. W. S. Mathews, D. P. A.; W. K. Adams, C. P. A.

DUBUGUE NOTES.

The Eagles' street carnival is in progress and the Parker Amusement company are furnishing the attractions. They employ a large force of colored help. Mr. and Mrs. L. Franklin from Ottumwa have come to make their home with us for a while. Mrs. Bettis of Keokuk and Mrs. Sarah fined to her home here is again able to resume her practice. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Smith have improved and are able to be up and around. Mrs. J. M. Logan of Galena, Ill., is visiting her husband and superintending the furnishing of her future home. Mrs. Maurlee Bostwick, wife of the Bro. Paul bandmaster, has returned to Chicago and will remain. Mrs. Ruth Matthews is suffering with her eyes again. She has completely lost one but is now making strenuous efforts to save the other. Ed. Martin is also on the sick list. Still able to attend to work. George Williams, cook of the N. S. Fisher's steamer Curlew, will leave tomorrow for Bellevue and the lower river.

Minnesota Federation.

FEDERATION OF AFRO-AMERICAN WOMEN OF MINNESOTA MEET IN FIRST ANNUAL CONVENTION

Minneapolis, Minn., July 27.—(Special to the Bystander.)—The first session of the Afro-American women's state federation of Minnesota was held yesterday at Bethesda Baptist church, Twelfth avenue south and Eighth street, Minneapolis. Ninety-five delegates from different parts of the state and from Superior, Wis., were in attendance, which for the first annual convention speaks well for the work of the state.

Mayor D. P. Jones gave the address of welcome and assured the women of a cordial feeling that all felt for them and their endeavors from both an official and a personal standpoint.

Miss Lizzie Hardin gave the address of welcome on behalf of the colored citizens of Minneapolis; response by Mrs. Geo. H. Wade of Superior, Wis. After which the appointing of committees and routine of business were taken up.

The federation had as their honored guests Mrs. Carrie W. Clifford of Cleveland Ohio, honorary president of the Ohio federation, and Mrs. Lucy Thurman of Jackson, Michigan, chairman of the ways and means committee of the national association.

Addresses were read from Mrs. Yates, national president, and Mrs. Carter, national secretary. Several representatives of the Anglo-Saxon clubs were present and gave short addresses. One of the most noted of their race present was Henry D. Blackwell of Boston, who addressed the audience. Mr. Blackwell was the noted anti-slavery lecturer and advocate for woman's rights.

Addresses were also made by Rev. Wilson of the A. M. E. church and Lawyer W. R. Morris. An interesting feature of the convention was the exhibit of art and handicrafts, the work of the colored women of the twin cities. Many exquisite pieces of needle work, china painting and wood carving were displayed. It was said by those who viewed the exhibit that it surpassed even the national exhibit.

The convention adopted the name of Afro-American as a specific race name. Several receptions and outings were enjoyed during and after the sessions. The Minnesota federation will hereafter have as their object the establishment of an old folks' home, and will establish an exchange in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth to raise means for the building of this home.

At the adjournment of the convention those who had been in attendance expressed themselves as being highly entertained as well as being greatly benefited. The following are the state officers: President—Mrs. Ione E. Gibbs, Minneapolis. Vice President—Mrs. Kittie Terrel, St. Paul. Second Vice President—Mrs. Alice Johnson, Duluth. Recording Secretary—Mrs. Nellie Taylor, St. Paul. Treasurer—Mrs. Mary Durant, St. Paul. Editor—Miss Fannie Dodd, St. Paul. First Associate Editor, Mrs. Mattie Wade, Superior, Wisconsin. Second Associate Editor—Mrs. Hattie Sherwood, St. Paul. State Organizer—Mrs. L. D. Hickman, St. Paul. Historian—Mrs. Sarah Kirtley, St. Paul.

\$13.00 DENVER DENVER \$1.60 AND RETURN.

Kinsman Post G. A. R. has selected the C. & N. W. Railway as official route to Denver Encampment. Their special train will leave Des Moines at 7:15 a. m., Saturday September 2nd and arrive in Denver Sunday 7:00 a. m. Train will consist of standard and tourist sleepers and free chair cars. Would suggest early application for berths in order to secure best accommodations. Full information, etc. at 401 Walnut street or C. & N. W. Passenger Station.

KEOKUK NOTES.

A marriage license was issued last Wednesday to Joseph Costella and Miss Ida South. The Twenty-second convalescence of the Knights Templar for the states of Illinois and Iowa will convene at Rock Island on Tuesday, August 8, at 10 o'clock a. m. A. A. Eland, past eminent commander, will attend. A. J. Fields will represent the home lodge, being the present eminent commander. John Bland, George Snoddy, Homer Jones and French D. Bland will also attend. F. D. Fields, George Kellis and Charles Tebeau were Quincy visitors last week. Miss Katie Owens is remodeling the old homestead at Thirteenth and Morgan streets. J. L. Thompson of Des Moines was in the city last week looking after the interests of the Bystander. Mrs. M. Frazier and Mrs. Mattie Case will give their annual picnic Friday afternoon, August 11, at Grand park. A good time is very ill with Mr. Emery Johnson is anticipated. Friends hope for his speedy recovery. Invitations are out for a party at the home of M. Frazier on North Thirteenth street. The guests of honor are little Miss Hortense White of Denver, Colorado, and Miss Crystal Bell of Hamilton, Illinois. Miss Isabella Case is the hostess. Mrs. James of California, Mo., is visiting her son, B. Jones, on North Thirteenth street. Mrs. Ella Hally is attending the grand convocation of the order of S. M. T. which convenes at Springfield, Ill., this week.

J. B. Alden of Milwaukee, Wis., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alden. A. J. Starns left last night for Lanark, Oklahoma, where he has accepted a position to teach.

Cleave circle delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. M. J. Doves Wednesday evening, August 2. A very interesting program was rendered. Mrs. Helam of St. Louis spoke beautifully on the club work. Lena Porter of Cincinnati, Ohio, gave us a very interesting talk which was greatly appreciated. Miss Etta Evans sang a very beautiful solo which was most liberally applauded. Miss Letha Johnson also rendered a piano solo.

DAVENPORT NEWS.

(Special to the Bystander.)

Mrs. French Bland and Mrs. Bettis of Keokuk are guests at the home of Mrs. Ben Bright.

Mrs. William Shepard entertained at supper Mrs. _____ of Council Bluffs.

Mrs. C. A. Moss and Mrs. D. S. Johnson have returned home after an extended visit through Iowa and Missouri.

Mrs. Hattie Winfrey has been a guest at the home of Mrs. W. L. Baker, 1720 Iowa street.

Miss Flora Callaway contemplates a visit from Mrs. Gross and Mrs. Owens of Keokuk this week.

Mrs. D. S. Johnson and Mrs. C. A. Moss served a three-course luncheon complimentary to Mrs. F. Bland and Mrs. Bettis of Keokuk and Mrs. Sarah Bean of Washington, Mo. Covers were laid for ten and the afternoon was pleasantly spent, one feature being the most excellent recitation by Mrs. Bland.

Mrs. Sarah Bean of Washington, Mo., is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. H. E. Marshall.

HIGH NOON WEDDING.

Fairfield, Ia.—(Special to the Bystander.)—Today at high noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sykes, on East Washington street, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alberta, to Mr. Cecil Carter of Davenport. The ceremony was witnessed by about fifty friends and relatives of the contracting parties. A few minutes before the appointed hour Miss Jessie Printess took her place at the organ and commenced playing the wedding march, and as the clock pointed to the hour of twelve the bridal couple, preceded by Rev. Pease Pinch of the Congregational church, entered the parlor and took their places beneath a beautiful arch of ferns and nasturtiums, where Rev. Pinch spoke the words which united the happy couple for life. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal couple led the way to the dining room where an elaborate wedding breakfast was served. The bride looked the picture of happiness upon this occasion. She wore an elegant white Swiss gown and carried bride's roses. The bride is the daughter of one of our most prominent colored families and has grown to womanhood in this city. She attended our public schools where she won the esteem of both teachers and classmates. She has friends by the score who will extend best wishes for her future happiness and prosperity.

The groom, while not very well known here, is said to be a most excellent young man. It is said that he is one of the most popular cooks on the Rock Island road. He is to be congratulated on his choice of a life companion.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter were the recipients of a large number of beautiful and expensive presents, among which was a large amount of silverware and table linen, which testify to the esteem of many friends. The happy couple departed this afternoon on Rock Island No. 30, for a wedding trip to Chicago and Milwaukee, where they will spend their honeymoon.

They will return to Davenport some time next week, where they will be at home to their many friends. The Journal wishes to extend most hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Carter.

Among the out of town guests at this wedding were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Swisher of Ottumwa; Mrs. D. S. Johnson and Mrs. Charles Moss of Davenport.

GO WEST NOW.

Now is the time to leave and make your arrangements at M. & St. L. City Ticket Office, 512 Walnut St. Tickets via all Northern Lines on going trip and choice of Southern or Northern routes returning, call or address W. S. Mathews, D. P. A., Des Moines, Ia., or W. K. Adams, C. P. A.

SUPERIOR, WIS., BUDGETARIAN.

The trolley party given by Rev. Geo. H. Wade and his members on August 1 was a grand success. Every one seemed to have a good time. Mesdames Mattie Wade and Lydia Gross returned last week from the Afro-American women's federation of Minnesota, which was held in Minneapolis July 26 and 27. They report a grand time. There were ninety-five delegates in attendance. Mrs. Wade read a paper on "Philanthropy." She was also elected first associate editor for the federation. The next convention will probably be held in Duluth. Miss Mallinda Fogg of St. Paul is expected in the city this week to visit at the A. M. E. parsonage.

Only four weeks now until conference. Rev. Wade is busy looking after his conference claims.

Geo. Pierce expects to visit the twin cities very soon.

Quite a number of our people expect to attend conference.

MT. PLEASANT.

The I. K. S. club met at the home of the Misses Mason Thursday evening. After the regular meeting the club adjourned for a social hour, during which time Misses Agnes and Ione Mason served the ladies to ice cream, cake and fudge.

Mr. Charles Watson of Kewanee spent last week in the city with his family.

Mr. Wm. Burnaugh of Creston is spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. J. J. A. Carter has been quite ill for the past week. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Messrs. Thomas Cicio and James Poindexter of Fairfield were in Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Rev. John Smith preached at the Second Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

The A. M. E. Sunday School will give picnic at Beckwitha park next week.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Clarissa Grant Talley was held at the St. John's A. M. E. church Monday at 10 a. m. The services were conducted by Rev. A. T. Clark, assisted by Rev. John Smith. The remains were brought here from Chicago early Monday morning, accompanied by the husband Mr. Jefferson Talley and daughter, Miss Alma, and brother Rev. Eyll Grant of Knoxville.

Mrs. Mary Clarissa Grant Talley was born in Henry County, Iowa May 19, 1864; came to Mt. Pleasant with her parents in September, 1878. She was married to Mr. Jefferson Talley June 21, 1883. Three children were born to them, two of whom died in infancy.

Mrs. Talley united with the St. John's A. M. E. church of this city when quite young and was a faithful and earnest worker in the church as a teacher in the Sunday School until October 1900, when she with her family moved to Chicago and united with Quinn Chapel church there, and was a member of the Stewardess Board—working faithfully in the church until April of this year, when she was stricken with paralysis, afterwards developing dropsy and heart trouble which caused her death Aug. 4th. Short services were held at the home in Chicago by Rev. James Higgins and the remains afterwards brought here for burial.

She leaves a husband, one daughter, one brother and hosts of other relatives and friends.

And thus another one has gone from us, another form has been placed in God's acre, and heaven has been made richer by the admission of another member to swell the numbers of the spirit world.

SIoux CITY ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shores returned home Saturday evening after a few days visit with relatives in Clarinda.

Mrs. Mary Coburn is very feeble at this writing.

Presiding Elder Gaines arrived here Friday to conduct the quarterly meeting services of the A. M. church, which were held Sunday.

There will be a private picnic Friday at Riverside Park.

Mrs. Leathie Williams is on the sick list.

Mrs. M. J. Burton and children expect to leave this very soon to make their permanent home in Keokuk.

Mrs. Anna Jordan is expected to leave Tuesday for a two weeks visit in Ft. Scott Kansas.

The Silver Leaf club will give a concert on the 16th inst.

Why not have a grand literary and musical entertainment by our talent for the benefit of both churches, and have more union in this little village.

Mrs. C. E. Stubblefield was calling on the West Side Monday.

ALBIA NEWS.

Miss Jessie Martin of Garden Grove spent Sunday in Albia with Mrs. Della Martin.

An excursion to Moberly, Mo., took a number of our people down there Friday morning. Among the number were Mr. and Mrs. H. Snoddy, Mrs. Hollingworth, Mrs. Grayson, Miss Tena Tolson Mr. and Mrs. Gaines and others.

Albia held a celebration on Aug. 1st to which a number of people from Ottumwa, Buxton and Hocking were in. Among the speakers were Rev. Mendenhall of Buxton and Rev. Phillips of Ottumwa.

Roy Grayson and Endell Lewis were in Buxton Aug. 4th to a celebration.

On Sunday evening at the church the people were entertained by music and singing and other exercises by some of our young people.

Madam Phinks and Grayson of Hite-man was in Albia Sunday.

CEdAR RAPIDS NOTES.

The barbecue was a rousing success. Hundreds of people thronged the park during the day and evening. No unpleasant events happened. Everybody was out for a good time, even the Mayor helped put up stands and policemen laid aside their stars and bills and helped the ladies in the kitchen. 'Twas a barbecue long to be remembered.

Mrs. Charles Putkins who has been visiting her father Mr. R. Broody for the past two weeks, returned to Chicago Thursday evening accompanied by her friend, Mrs. L. J. Sandler.

A number of visitors from Iowa City attended the barbecue Thursday. Among them were Mrs. Mason and daughters.

Mrs. M. F. Lowery and Mrs. H. Worthington spent Sunday in Iowa City, guests of Mrs. A. Sheet.

The Misses Ione, Ora and Lena Green who or the past few weeks have been visiting at the home of their grand parents Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Thomas, returned to the home in Toledo Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. D. Claybrook had the great misfortune of losing \$20 Friday morning,

but after some diligent search the money was finally recovered.

Mrs. Harry Marshall and Miss Agnes Marshall of Belle Plaine, Iowa came to this city last Friday July 28th to visit their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lewis, who has made it very pleasant for them. They gave a party in honor of them at which they had a very delightful time with their young friends. They amused themselves with different kinds of games, and was furnished with music by Mr. George Francis and Mr. Harry Greene. They returned to their home August the 6th.

The many friends of Mrs. A. Green are glad to again welcome her to the city after a few weeks visit in Keokuk and Shelbino, Mo.

THE WESTERN NEGRO PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Colorado Springs, Colo., May 27, '05. Western Negro Press Association meeting in the ninth annual session at Muskogee, I. T., September 20, 21 and 22, 1905.

Pursuant to the regular appointment under the constitution, the Western Negro Press Association is hereby called to convene at Muskogee, I. T., in its ninth annual session, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 20, 21 and 22, 1905.

All proprietors, editors, managers and correspondents west of the Mississippi river are eligible to membership in said association and are urged to be present.

We cordially extend an invitation to the members of the fraternity and the friends of the newspapers in general throughout the country to meet with us at Muskogee to consider those questions so vital to the welfare of the race in the United States of America.

We also extend and expect all ministers and college professors, business men, professional men and women to join us in this meeting.

Recent developments show the need of action on the part of the intelligent and thoughtful members of the race and the press with the aid of the pulpit must undoubtedly take the lead. The official program that will be published later will be up to the usual high standard.

We would again urge upon every paper and its entire staff to make this meeting a personal matter in order to secure a large and enthusiastic gathering.

The executive committee: C. S. Muse, chairman. Joseph D. D. Rivers, Denver, Colo.; J. C. Trimble, Boley, I. T.; W. W. Taylor, Salt Lake City, Utah; S. Ridley, Guthrie, Okla.; W. R. Carter, Topeka, Kan.; Albert Ross, Kansas City, Kan.

The secretary is ordered to apprise the railroads of the convention and will request them to extend courtesies to the members and publishers of the craft.

All communications should be addressed to the secretary at Colorado Springs, Colo. Nick Chiles, President. C. Muse, Chm. Executive Committee. W. H. Duncan, Sec.

IOWA STATE FAIR.

The Iowa Fair is emerging from the old style into the modern exposition class. The wooden buildings are giving way to permanent structures and the old methods are being supplanted by the scientific methods of today, with respect both to the educational and entertaining features of the exhibition. The state has \$500,000 invested in grounds and improvements here and the present management of the department of agriculture under whose auspices the annual exhibition is given, is appreciative of the opportunity to make the State Fair of real value to the people, taking the place of the world's exposition which they have been attending in recent years. W. W. Morrow of Afton is president and John Simpson of Knoxville is secretary of the State Department of Agriculture.

NOTICE.

To those who have made inquiry in regards to the address of W. H. Milligan, G. M. of Grand Lodge of Iowa and Jurisdiction, we would state that a letter addressed, R. F. D. No. 3, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, will reach him.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS IN WESTERN LEAGUE.

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Iowa State Bystander

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DES MOINES, IOWA

China has become so civilized that it has gone to picking quarrels with other powers.

When automobiles are sold on the installment plan, everybody may ride for a few weeks, at least.

In view of the usefulness of linseed oil in suspending pigments the hogliness of cornering it is apparent.

The conjecture that Miss Lillian Russell fractured her rib as an advertisement may be dismissed as unfounded.

Premier Balfour appears to be one of those stubborn persons who decline to quit before the third man is out in the ninth.

Miner Scotty pronounces New York a "dum town." New York doubtless appreciates the implied but unintended compliment.

New York cops are amusing themselves and getting more fattening food by pie-eating matches. No wonder the police can't run.

A Chicago newspaper remarks: "After all, we are a simple people." Now we wonder if that could have been meant for "sinful."

"The high prices of meat in Germany are causing a general popular agitation." Shake, Germany! That's the way we feel over here.

The ancients believed that kissing a pretty girl was a sure cure for headache. After all there's nothing like the old-fashioned remedies.

Not all Darbys and Joans lived in the age of fables as witnesses the Pittsburgh man who will not exchange his wife for half a million dollars.

The Kalamazoo philanthropist who left \$10,000 to provide tramps with meals must want the fund to accumulate. A bath goes with each feed.

Somebody who says he knows asserts that whiskers grow faster in hot weather than they do in cold. The man who has to shave himself is sure of it.

The New York man who dropped dead just as a physician pronounced him physically sound showed small regard for the exactness of medical science.

The people who suffer from hay fever have the consolation of thinking that during the hay fever season they are never without a good excuse for a vacation.

If the United States could drive yellow fever out of Havana, why can't she drive it out of New Orleans? There seems to be sanitation work for Gen. Wood down there.

That story of a man's being kept twenty-two years in the Joliet penitentiary because the authorities forgot to hang him was not true. Otherwise it was a perfect gem.

The importation of diamonds into the United States has increased 50 per cent during the last ten years. And still we seem to have plenty of money left to buy automobiles with.

It's the height of bad form in Japan for a wife to express any opinion contrary to her husband's. What chance had Russia against men who have their wives bluffed like that?

A California man claims that he can electrify eggs so that people who eat them will live forever, but it isn't likely that he will succeed in becoming anywhere near as notorious as Scotty is.

Algernon Charles Swinburne must feel that his reputation is pretty well established, as he would never have ventured to publish that novel written in the bright days of his early manhood.

That Montana man who has found a way to raise 30,000 bushels of potatoes to the acre has a fortune if he can only insure a proportionate increase of the potato-consuming population.

Correspondents of the New York Sun are carrying on a discussion as to who was the father of the United States navy, but there is no question that Admiral Dewey is its most distinguished son.

If you can catch the man who rocks the boat, hold his head under water until he is pretty sure that he is going to drown. If you happen by accident to hold it a few seconds too long, he never will be missed.

A Porto Rican lady with an apparent propensity for asking uncomfortable questions wants somebody to define the nationality of a Porto Rican. The easiest way to get out of it seems to be to refer it to the state department.

The editor of Town Topics says he has enough scandals locked in his safe to completely overturn New York society. Let us hope he will not consider it necessary to prove what he says by bringing his scandals out and airing them.

"The Americans, in spite of their reputed shrewdness," says London Truth, "are the most easily gulled of any people on earth." We fear that Truth is judging by some of the supposed bargains which our herdsmen have been securing in England.

A New Rochelle man has been left several hundred thousand dollars on condition that he does not drink any alcoholic liquors for three years. This will awake thousands of men to the privilege they enjoy of drinking any old thing they like at any old time.

DENNISON MAY NOT BE TRIED

The Harrison County Board Refuses to Pay Costs.

CANNOT STAND THE EXPENSE

County Attorney Fallon Is Directed to Collect Costs of First Trial From Omaha Civic Federation and Jewelers' Association.

Des Moines, Aug. 10.—If Tom Dennison is brought to trial again at Red Oak in October on the Pollock diamond robbery charge the Omaha Civic Federation and the Jewelers' Protective Union will have to stand the expenses of the prosecution. The Harrison county board of supervisors has just passed a resolution notifying County Attorney Fallon that it will not approve of any more bills in the Dennison case, and directing him to collect the costs for the first trial of the Omaha Civic Federation. The former trial of Dennison, which resulted in his acquittal of the charge of receiving the stolen Pollock diamonds, cost the state \$1,600 for witnesses, fees, mileage, jury and court reporter. Harrison county has already paid \$800 of this amount. County Attorney Fallon had led the Harrison county officials to believe that the Omaha Civic Federation and the National Jewelers' union would stand the expenses of the prosecution of Dennison, which was instituted at their request. However, those organizations have not as yet paid any of the court costs except for the additional attorneys employed by them to assist County Fallon in the trial and for the extra court reporters' fees.

Congressman Walter I. Smith was employed by the Jewelers' Protection Union to assist in the first trial of Dennison, and as far as known that organization has not yet signified its intention to participate in the further prosecution of Dennison. Elmer E. Thomsen represented the Omaha Civic Federation in his official capacity as attorney for that organization. He is anxious for a second trial of Dennison and when in Des Moines recently was confident that the case would be pushed, saying that County Attorney Fallon had advised him that there would be no trouble in Harrison county about the court costs. The action of the board of supervisors puts a new phase on the matter, however.

TWO HELD FOR MURDER.

Coroner's Jury Gave Its Verdict in Muscatine Case.

Muscatine, Aug. 11.—William Nagel and Josephine Collette have been held jointly responsible for the murder of Carl Brady on May 9, 1905. The exhumed body of Brady showed that he had been killed by the skull being crushed from a heavy blow. Since the arrest of Nagel and Collette, the woman they have taken turns accusing each other of the killing of Brady, who was their neighbor on Island B in the Mississippi river.

Brady owned a house-boat and it is charged that Nagel or the woman killed him to get possession of the boat. After the murder Brady's body was hid in a cave near the Nagel shack. The long disappearance of Brady recently aroused the suspicions of his Muscatine friends.

COUNTY REFUSES TO PAY.

Will Not Stand Second Law Suit Against Dennison.

Logan, Aug. 9.—The Harrison county board of supervisors yesterday passed a resolution refusing to pay the expense of a second trial for Tom Dennison. They also requested County Attorney Fallon to collect from the Omaha Civic Federation and the Jewelers' Protective Association the portion of the costs of the first trial to be borne by them, but which has not been paid as yet.

Attempts to Blow Off Head.

Iowa City, Aug. 10.—In an effort to blow off the top of his head with a stick of dynamite, William Cronshaw, a prominent young farmer residing near here, destroyed the sight of one eye which had to be removed in order to save the sight of the other. He will recover. He was despondent.

Fell From a Load of Hay.

Clinton, Aug. 10.—After falling from the top of a high load of hay, striking his head and shoulders and causing concussion of the brain, Frank Thurston, a prominent farmer of near Lost Nation, died at Mercy hospital in this city from his injuries. Thurston was 38 years old. The remains were taken to Lost Nation for burial.

Clinton Aeronaut Meets Death.

Horton, Kan., Aug. 8.—Prof. L. P. Tillman, aged 28, an aeronaut of Clinton, Iowa, fell from a balloon and was killed here yesterday. His parachute failed to open properly and he fell on a building and was killed before his body struck the ground.

Wreck on Milwaukee.

Mason City, Aug. 10.—Passenger train No. 3 and a freight train came together in a head on collision near Austin. One hundred passengers were on board. There were no fatalities. Both engine crews jumped for their lives.

SHOW HAS A DOUBLE PARADE.

Cavalcades With Pawnee Bill From Both East and West.

Des Moines, Aug. 9.—Promptly at 10 o'clock (barring accidents or unavoidable delays) upon the morning of August 14, the two distinct street cavalcades presented by "Pawnee Bill's Wild West and Great Far East Exhibition" will traverse the principal streets. The first of the street displays will be typical of the "Wild West," including Indians, Cowboys, Mexicans, etc., together with prairie schooners, overland mail coaches, Rocky mountain burros and everything useful to present a comprehensive and truly realistic frontier display.

The second cavalcade will consist of a racial representation from the far east, including Chinese and Japanese Cavalry, Singalese, from far away Ceylon, and other interesting types. The formation will be as follows: Mounted Heralds, Major Gordon W. Little, "Pawnee Bill," Miss May Little, Indian Squaws and Paposes, Band No. 1 in chariot, Princess Winona, Western Cow Girls, Mexicans, Tableau Wagon, Jubilee Singers on Tableau Wagon, Sioux Indians, Minuteman Stage Coach, Prairie Schooners, etc., all drawn by Shetland Ponies, Cowboys, Fire and Drum Corps, U. S. Cavalry Detachment, U. S. Artillery Detachment, Band No. 2, Ceylonese Indians, Prairie Schooners, Overland Mail Coach, Rocky Mountain Burros, etc.

Mounted Heralds, Types from the Orient, Arabian Band, Arab Horsemen, Electric Wagon, Shetland Ponies, Cavalry Detachment, South Sea Islanders, Singalese with Carrels, Tableau Wagon, Japanese Cavalry, Boom-crang throwers, Filipinos, Steam Calliope.

All railroads will give reduced rates to Des Moines on the 14th.

INTERURBAN MAY PASS PERRY BY

Des Moines, Aug. 10.—The Interurban Railway company of Des Moines is threatening to abandon its line from Woodward Junction to Perry, and instead build north from Woodward to Boone, via The Ledges. Difficulty in securing right of way west of Woodward Junction is the reason. The grading gang, which had gone to Perry, has been recalled, and is working on this end of the line.

A. P. Chamberlin, agent of way agent for the company, stated yesterday that unless the right of way could be secured on terms more satisfactory than those now offered within the next ten days, the company would not build to Perry. He said the route to Boone had been surveyed and that the possibilities for business were just as encouraging through that territory as west to Perry. The distance from Woodward Junction to Perry and from Woodward to Boone is about the same.

In going to Boone the route contemplated is directly through The Ledges, which is rapidly growing in favor with Des Moines people as an outing place. It would be the plan of the company to still further popularize this place and increase the travel between Des Moines and The Ledges.

The survey to Boone also contemplates taking in the loop abandoned by the Northwestern line, which runs southwest from Boone to Moline, and thence northwest to Ogden, where it connects again with the main line of the Northwestern. This would open up a good territory to the Des Moines promoters.

BREWERY PETITION IS MUCH IN DOUBT

Des Moines, August 10.—While neither the brewery promoters nor the temperance people are making any claims regarding the success or failure of the movement to establish a brewery in Des Moines, there is much to indicate that the project is not succeeding. The sentiment against it appears to be too strong to give assurance of financial success.

After some ten days of soliciting for signers there seems to be something of a letting up on the part of the promoters and less aggressiveness and enthusiasm is shown than at the start. The offices which the promoters opened in the Iowa Loan and Trust building have not been required to transact the business as was anticipated and they are not being used. For the past few days only the best solicitors have been out with the petitions. In the places where it was expected the most signers might be secured, inquiry has developed the fact that fewer men signed than the brewery forces had counted on.

SAYS DYE IS NOT TRUE.

Stuck Bravely to Dye Through Famous Poison Candy Case.

Boone, Aug. 11.—Mrs. Sherman Dye the woman who stood bravely by her husband through all the trouble incident to the poisoning of Miss Rena Nelson of Pierre, S. D., by "poison candy," has publicly denounced the man and filed damaging charges in the district court. Spice is added to the case from the fact that Mrs. Dye alleges that Dye has been in the habit of spending his money on other women and engaging himself with young girls and women instead of his wife and daughter. These are practically the same charges which were made against Dye at the time the Rena Nelson poisoning came up, and at that time Mrs. Dye indignantly denied that she had any misgivings whatever regarding her husband or his affiliations with other women.

Friends of Mrs. Dye say that she has suffered terribly since the death of Miss Rena Nelson at Pierre.

FEAR FOR NIAGARA

IMMENSE VOLUME OF WATER DIVERTED FROM FALLS.

Commercial Enterprises are Making Heavy Drains on This Famous Show-Place—It's Tremendous Electrical Power the Inducement.

Niagara Falls, August 7.—The volume of water being diverted from the historic Niagara Falls is reaching such proportions that the people of the State are trying to find a way which will prevent the possibility of a practical wiping out of this sublime natural spectacle.

Water sufficient to develop nearly five hundred thousand horse-power continuously, twenty-four hours per day, for industrial purposes, is now being taken from the river above the Falls, and further developments requiring more water are contemplated.

Probably the largest user of the electricity produced by the waters of the mighty river is the concern which by the five or six thousand degree heat of the electric furnace brings lime and coke into unwilling briquets, thereby producing what is known as Calcium Carbide.

Dry calcium carbide is lifeless as so much broken rock, but in contact with water it springs into activity and begets abundantly the gas Acetylene. The light resulting from the ignition of acetylene is the nearest approach to sunlight known.

These facts, though of comparative recent discovery, were soon seized by men with an eye to the commercial possibilities and to-day calcium carbide is being shipped everywhere and used for dispelling darkness in buildings of all descriptions.

Wigwag—Man cannot serve two masters. Henpeck—I don't know about that. I live with my wife and my mother-in-law.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Wm. A. Potter* in Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Many a homely seed holds a heavenly blossom.

Every person thinking of visiting the United States should be sure to visit the city of Denver, Colorado.

When the Hawaiian planters begin fighting Claus Spreckels in California there will be plenty of cane raised.

An extremely unintelligent Philadelphia "repeater" was arrested at the election in the Quaker City. He asked what crime was laid at his door, and the policeman replied: "You are charged with voting twice."

"Charged, am I?" muttered the dazed prisoner, "why, I expected to be paid for it."

When in New York, F. Marion Crawford has his barbering done and his boots blacked at his office. He always has the same men, and both are Italians. In engaging the boot black, Mr. Crawford asked him where he was born. "In Genoa," was the answer. "And what is your name?"

"Patrick Murphy," was the astonished reply. "Where in the world did you get that name?" asked the novel list. "I take a name after I come here, so people think I'm American," said the bootblack.

A Connecticut congregation wanted a minister, and demanded that he have a classical education. A Welshman, whose education was not up to requirements, but whose wit was quick, applied for the vacant pulpit, and was invited to preach a trial sermon.

He was getting on well with it, when, recollecting that he was supposed to show his learning, he said: "My friends, I will now quote you a passage in Greek." Solemnly he repeated a verse of scripture in Welsh. The effect was good, so he announced that his next version would be in Latin. "Where in the world did you get in his native tongue, with even better effect than before. It happened that there was a Welshman in the congregation, and he was almost choking with laughter. The preacher saw this, so, announcing that his next version would be in Hebrew, he caught his compatriot's eye and called out in his broadest Welsh: "My dear fellow, stop laughing, or they will find it out. The other un derstood, stined his laughter, and saved the day for the resourceful minister.

Sound as a Dollar.

Monticello, Minn., Aug. 7th.—Mr. J. W. Moore of this place stands as a living proof of the fact that Bright's Disease, even in the last stages, may be perfectly and permanently cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. Moore says: "In 1888 three reputable physicians after a careful examination told me that I would die with Bright's Disease inside of a year. My feet and ankles and legs were badly swollen; I could hardly stand on my feet and had given up all hopes of getting cured when a traveling salesman told me that he himself had been cured of Bright's Disease two years before."

"He said he had taken to his bed and expected to die with it, but that he had been cured by a remedy called Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"I commenced taking them at once and I am thankful to say that they saved my life. After a short treatment I was completely restored to good health and I am now as sound as a dollar."

Visiting reporter—"There's nothing like the spit-ball to kill a pitcher's arm." Transcript reporter—"Get pardon, but here in Boston we speak of it as the Saliva Sphere."—Puck.

JAPS AND RUSS GLASP HANDS

Representatives of the Warring Powers Meet.

IS AN HISTORIC OCCASION

President Roosevelt Extends Formal Greetings—Meeting is Marked by Greatest Cordiality Between Plenipotentiaries—No Unpleasant Incident

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 6.—History was made yesterday in Oyster Bay, Russians and Japanese clasped hands and greeted one another with all extended cordiality and for the first time since nations began to have relations one with another, an executive of a great power received the envoys of two belligerent countries on a mission of peace.

President Roosevelt, on behalf of the United States and its people, extended formal greetings to the plenipotentiaries of Russia and Japan, introduced the plenipotentiaries to one another, and entertained them at an elaborate luncheon, at which Russian and Japanese fraternized with one another as comrades rather than as enemies.

During the luncheon President Roosevelt proposed a notable toast in which he expressed the "earnest hope and prayer, in the interest not only of these two great powers, but of all civilized mankind, that a just and lasting peace may speedily be concluded between them."

The occasion was impressive. It was attended not by pomp and ceremony, but by a simplicity and frankness characteristic of the president and the people of America.

Due honor was paid the distinguished guests of the president and the country, and the guests received with all the dignity to which their exalted rank entitled them. The day was ideal. After the sun had burned away the haze of the morning, the weather was glorious. A brisk breeze just tipped the waves of Long Island sound with silver, tempering at the same time the heat of the sun's rays.

The handsome war yacht Mayflower, one of the most beautiful vessels of the United States navy, on which the formal reception of the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries took place, was easily at anchor just at the entrance of Oyster Bay from Long Island sound, and it was upon this vessel that the reception and luncheon took place. At its conclusion the commissioners left for Portsmouth, N. H., where the commission will sit.

PEACE COMMISSIONERS ARRIVE AT PORTSMOUTH

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 8.—The Russian and Japanese peace missions have submitted themselves to introduction and likewise to all of the ceremonies of welcome and reception on the part of the United States government and the state of New Hampshire, and are on the eve of facing each other for the purpose of ending the war in the far east and if possible consummating a permanent peace between the two great nations.

Today they will meet in the naval stores building of the Portsmouth navy yard. The Russian plenipotentiary will examine the credentials and powers which the emperor of Japan has delegated to Baron Komura and Minister Takahira, and in turn the Japanese plenipotentiaries will scrutinize the powers which the Russian emperor has conferred upon Mr. Witte and Baron Rosen.

The second day's session, to take place Thursday or Friday, it is expected will be devoted either to a consideration of Japanese peace terms or to a proposition for an armistice by the Russian plenipotentiaries. It has been estimated that if a basis of negotiations for peace is found, the actual negotiations will consume something like five weeks' time before a treaty can be perfected and signed.

The landing and reception of the envoys yesterday was a function replete with ceremony. The dignity of the nation's sentiment was contrasted with the hearty exclamations of good will on the part of thousands of people who thronged the streets of Portsmouth and surrounded the court house where Governor McLane pronounced his cordial words of welcome.

PEACE ENVOYS ARE READY FOR BUSINESS

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 10.—The first session of the peace conference between the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries has been concluded. The meeting lasted about one hour during which time the credentials of each commission were examined respectively by the other. The credentials were found to be entirely satisfactory. The only other business was an agreement on a program for future sessions.

A correspondent of the Associated Press received by one of the plenipotentiaries within ten minutes after the missions returned to Newcastle and in reply to questions about the conference he said: "You can say that this morning's meeting was entirely satisfactory as far as it went. Our next meeting will be held tomorrow morning. Provided all goes well we will get down to business then."

"Terms were not discussed at today's meeting."

On behalf of Baron Komura and Mr. Takahira, Mr. Sato handed the following official communication to the Associated Press regarding this morning's meeting: "This morning was informal for the purpose of settling method of procedure and at that meeting it was decided that formal meetings will commence tomorrow morning at half past nine. Meetings will be held twice a day, one from 9:30 to 12:30 and the other from 3 to 5:30 or 6 o'clock in the afternoon subject to modifications as may be agreed upon later. No serious business was transacted at this morning's session."

DEFIANCE STARCH

Emaciated by Diabetes; Tortured with Gravel and Kidney Pains.

Henry Soule, cobbler, of Hammondsport, N. Y., says: "Since Doan's Kidney Pills cured me eight years ago, I've reached 70 and hope to live many years longer."

But twenty years ago I had kidney trouble so bad I could not work. Backache was a persistent ailment and it was agony to lift anything. Gravel, whirling headaches, dizziness and terrible urinary disorders ran me down from 168 to 100 pounds. Doctors told me I had diabetes and could not live. I was wretched and hopeless when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, but they cured me eight years ago and I've been well ever since."

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents per box.

There would be more great poets if there were fewer great critics.

All Up-to-Date Housekeepers use Defiance Cold Water Starch, because it is better, and 4 oz. more of it for same money.

Opinions held by the average man are of the second hand variety.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease. It cures Swollen Feet, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25 cents. Accept no substitutes. Sample mailed Free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

"I understand Skinner has lost all his money." "Yes, by his speculation." "But how did he get his money in the first place?" "By his speculations."—Philadelphia Press.

Rownds—"Of course, it was business that detained me last night." Mrs. Rownds—"Yes?" Rownds—"Yes. You know I wouldn't deceive you." Mrs. Rownds—"No, George, you wouldn't deceive me, no matter what you said."—Philadelphia Ledger.

"Are you in favor of the whipping post for wife-beaters?" "No," replied Mrs. Henpeck; "I'm afraid it would encourage them. If men could be assured that a few lashes in public would be the only penalty there is for knowing what our home life would come to, I think we should be permitted to keep on dealing with our husbands in the sanctity of our homes, without public interference."—Chicago Record-Herald.

One of the quaint characters well known to old-timers of Portland, Or., was Robert E. Bybee, familiarly known as "Bob" Bybee. He was a justice of the peace in Portland for many years, and tales innumerable are told of him. On one occasion, when a jury was being empaneled, one of the jurors, a well-known attorney, asked to be excused because he was a lawyer. "Well, said Bybee, "I guess that all the law you know isn't going to disqualify you from serving."

President Roosevelt, in a recent conversation with Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, asked the senator what he thought of his appointment to the Cabinet. "You have heard of the man Bonaparte," replied Mr. Knox, "who kept a saloon and lived with his family; up over the saloon. One day his bartender shouted up the stairs: 'McGinnis, shall I trust Tim O'Leary for a drink?' 'Has he had the drink,' called out McGinnis. 'He has.' 'Thin trust him.'"

Edwin Stevens, when he made up his mind to tackle vaudeville, for the first round selected Manager Meyerfeldt, founder of the Orpheum circuit. The manager had a gruff manner and a German accent, and was, moreover, very busy. Turning on Mr. Stevens, brusquely, he exclaimed: "Well, what do you want?" "I would like to go into vaudeville," responded the candidate, meekly. "What do you do—what is your line?" "I am a comedian," was the modest but very general answer. "A komiker, hein?" and the manager faced him, sternly; "well, make me laugh."

The late John W. Mackay was attending to business at the great Comstock Mine one day when a party of tourists approached and asked if he knew of a guide who would take them around. Mackay offered to escort them, and in explaining the whole mystery of gold and silver quartz mining. When they emerged the visitors clubbed together and made up a small sum for the guide. Among them was Andrew D. White, recently ambassador to Germany, and at that time president of Cornell University. "Here, my man, take this," he said; "your explanation of the workings of the mine has been singularly clear and informing." "Well, it ought to be," replied the guide, as he slipped the half dollar in his overalls pocket; "I dug 'em and I own 'em."

BABY'S INSTINCT

Shows He Knew What Food to Stick To.

Forwarding a photo of a splendidly handsome and healthy young boy, a happy mother writes from an Ohio town: "The enclosed picture shows my 4-year-old Grape-Nuts boy."

"Since he was 2 years old he has eaten nothing but Grape-Nuts. He demands and gets this food three times a day. This may seem rather unusual, but he does not care for anything else after he has eaten his Grape-Nuts, which he uses with milk or cream, and then he is through with his meal. Even on Thanksgiving day he refused turkey and all the good things that make up that great dinner, and ate his dish of Grape-Nuts and cream with the best results and none of the evils that the other foolish members of the family experienced."

"He is never sick, has a beautiful complexion, and is considered a very handsome boy. May the Postum Company prosper and long continue to furnish their wholesome food!" Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in every drug store.

Defiance Starch should be in every household, none so good, besides 4 oz. more for 10 cents than any other brand of cold water starch.

Do a man an injury and he will never forget it. Do him a favor and his memory will not be so good.

FAIRMS FOR RENT OR SALE ON CROP

A woman fears nothing if she knows she is well dressed.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in ½-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 oz." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

Cannibals and politicians live off other people.

Borrow trouble, and it will take a lifetime to pay it back.

A WOMAN'S ORDEAL

DREADS DOCTOR'S QUESTIONS

Thousands Write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and Receive Valuable Advice Absolutely Confidential and Free

There can be no more terrible ordeal to a delicate, sensitive, refined woman than to be obliged to answer certain questions in regard to her private life, even when those questions are asked by her family physician, and many

continue to suffer rather than submit to examinations which so many physicians propose in order to intelligently treat the disease; and this is the reason why so many physicians fail to cure female disease.

This is also the reason why thousands upon thousands of women are corresponding with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. To her they can confide every detail of their illness, and from her great knowledge, obtained from years of experience in treating female ills, Mrs. Pinkham can advise women more wisely than the local physician.



Read how Mrs. Pinkham helped Mrs. T. C. Willadsen, of Manning, Ia. She writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham— I can truly say that you have saved my life, and I cannot express my gratitude in words. Before I wrote to you telling you how I felt, I had doctored for over two years steadily, and spent lots of money in medicines besides, but it all failed to do me any good. I had female trouble and would daily have fainting spells, backache, bearing-down pains, and my monthly periods were very irregular and finally ceased. I wrote to you for your advice and received a letter full of instructions just what to do, and also commenced to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I have been restored to perfect health. Had it not been for you I would have been in my grave long ago."

Mountains of proof establish the fact that no medicine in the world equals Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for restoring women's health.

TEENY FARMERS, come, get rich in this protected timbered farming country. Farms free. Write, R. A. BURRIS, Port Arthur, Ontario. (Illustrated with Thompson's Eye Water)

PIMPLES BLACKHEADS

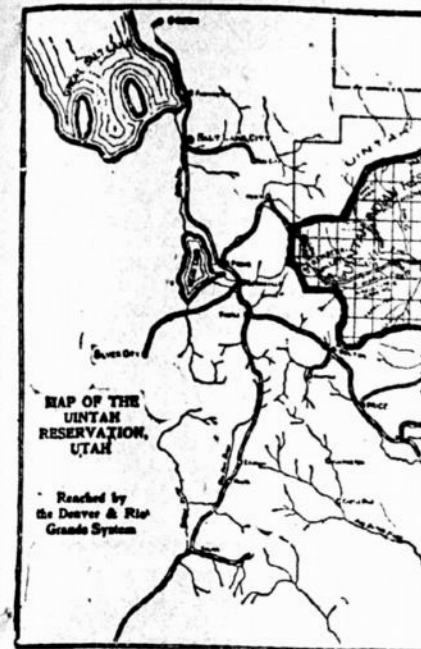
Cuticura SOAP

To treat Pimples and Blackheads, Red, Rough, Oily Complexions, gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, but do not rub. Wash off the Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water, and bathe freely for some minutes. Repeat morning and evening. At other times use Cuticura Soap for bathing the face as often as agreeable. No other Skin Soap so pure, so sweet, so speedily effective.

Cuticura Soap combines delicate medicinal and emollient properties with the purest of cleansing ingredients and its most remarkable feature is that it does not irritate the skin. It is a Medical and Toilet Soap for Men, Women, Children, and Infants. Sold Everywhere. "How to Preserve, Purify, and Beautify."

Opening of the Great Vintah Indian Reservation

President Roosevelt on July 15 signed the proclamation providing for the opening to homesteaders and the entry of the unallotted lands in the great Vintah Reservation in Utah.



MAP OF THE VINTAH RESERVATION, UTAH.

The Reservation contains 2,445,000 acres, but the Military and Forestry Reserves and such Mineral lands as have to be withdrawn under existing laws will leave 1,069,000 acres available for entry.

Registration for the land will commence August 1st and close August 12th. Registration may be made at Grand Junction, Colo., and Vernal, Price and Provo, Utah. Prospective settlers may register at any one of these places from 9:00 a. m., Tuesday, August 1st, until 6:00 p. m., Saturday, August 12th.

To obtain registration, each applicant must appear at one of the registration places and show himself duly qualified to make homestead entry. "She told him she stily could not make up her mind to be the wife of a poor man." "He isn't a poor man, though." "No; but he soon would be if she married him."—Brooklyn Life.

(160 acres) by written application to be made only on a blank form provided by the Commissioner of the General Land Office. Registration cannot be effected through the mails or by an agent, except in the case of honorably discharged soldiers or sailors, who may present their applications and due proofs of their qualifications through an agent of their

own selection, having a duly executed power of attorney, on a blank form for purpose provided by the Commissioner. No person will be permitted to act as agent for more than one soldier or sailor, and no one will be allowed to register more than once in any other than his true name.

The procedure necessary to secure reservations is outlined in detail in a pamphlet just issued by the Passenger Department Denver & Rio Grande Railroad. Write to S. K. Hooper, Gen'l P. & T. A., Denver, Colo.

"Why don't you make some ringing speeches against the trusts?" "Nothing to gain," answered Senator Sorghum; "the public wouldn't believe I meant 'em and the trusts might."

Mary—"I was pouring myself out a glass of sherry in the dining-room when the butler pounced on me and says: 'Hallo! I'll have none of that.'" Jane—"And what did you say?" Mary—"I said I hadn't intended to offer 'im any of it."—Pick-me-up.

"Is Tim Simmers still paying attention to Mandy Tompkins?" asked the man who had been away from home for some time. "No," answered Fern Coratossel; "they don't either of 'em pay any 'tention to the other. They're married."—Washington Star.

JAPAN'S DEMANDS ARE HARD ONES

Power of Russian Navy in the East is Touched.

MUST GET OUT OF MANCHURIA

"Open Door" Must Be Recognized By Russia—Believed Demands Will Be Regarded Too Great By Russia and Mean a Dishonorable Peace.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 11.—Reimbursement for the expenses sustained in the prosecution of the war, and the cession of the island of Sakhalin constitute the main features of the peace conditions handed by Baron Komura to Mr. Witte at the conclusion of the yesterday morning's session of the plenipotentiaries in the general store building of the Portsmouth navy yard. The word "indemnity" is carefully avoided, the term employed being "reimbursement" for the cost of the war. No sum is fixed, the amount being distinctly adjourned for mutual adjustment between the two countries after the Japanese expenditure has been ascertained. These are the two all important conditions and those which the Russian plenipotentiaries find absolutely unacceptable. Inacceptable as they are, however, it can be stated that these two principal conditions did not come as a surprise to the Russian plenipotentiaries. The friendly fashion in which Baron Komura explained the conditions before handing them to Mr. Witte and the avoidance of the use of the word "indemnity" in the presentation of Japan's bill for the cost of the war without fixing a sum leaves the way open for negotiation and constitutes the main hope that a final agreement is possible. Certainly the danger of sudden rupture, no matter what the ultimate result may be, is precluded by yesterday's developments. The other terms are substantially what the world expected and with one or perhaps two exceptions could probably be entertained as bases of negotiations.

The Japanese terms are summed up as follows: The cession of the Russian leases to the Liaotung peninsula, comprising Port Arthur and Dalny. The evacuation of the entire province of Manchuria, the retrocession to China of all privileges Russia has in the province, and the recognition by Russia of the principle of the "open door." The cession to Japan of the Chinese Eastern railroad below Harbin, the main line through northern Manchuria to Vladivostok to remain Russian property. The recognition of the Japanese protectorate over Korea in the waters of the Siberian littoral northward from Vladivostok to the Bering sea. The relinquishment to Japan of the Russian warships interned in neutral ports. Finally a limit upon the naval strength of Russia in far eastern waters.

As a whole, the terms are regarded as exceedingly hard by the Russians. In addition to the two principal conditions which cannot be accepted under M. Witte's instructions, those relating to the limiting of Russia's naval power in the far east and the granting of fishing rights upon the Russian littoral are considered particularly offensive to the amour propre of their country and of such a humiliating character as to be inadmissible. The Japanese, on the contrary, as Baron Komura announced at the conference yesterday, considered them moderate, contending that they only represent a fair compensation for the expenses of the war and the victories they have achieved on land and sea, their sole purpose being to attain the objects for which they have fought, the spoils claimed being only such as they are legitimately entitled to as the result of their military and naval successes. The Russian plenipotentiaries, as soon as the Japanese terms were in their hands, called in the expert delegates attached to the mission and spent the whole afternoon in the consideration of the terms. Meantime the conditions had been placed in cipher and cabled to Emperor Nicholas, with M. Witte's personal recommendations.

Jap Squadrons to Siberia. Tokyo, Aug. 11.—Rear Admiral Kataoka reports that he has dispatched one naval squadron to Kamchatka and another to Ohtskok and that they are now engaged in carrying out their instructions in regard to the work to be performed at their respective destinations.

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President Roosevelt is quoted as having said to the committee that he is very much in favor of federal supervision of insurance companies. The committee would require reports to a governmental department, showing the amount of money collected, for what purpose used; showing honest management and the protection of policy holders.

WORKING GIRLS BURIED IN RUINS

A Big Department Store in Albany, N. Y., Collapses.

OVER A HUNDRED ARE CAUGHT

Beneath Mass of Crumbled Brick, Wood and Plaster—Toil Amid the Ruins is Difficult and the Progress Made is Slow.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 9.—The middle section of the department store of the John G. Myers company on North Pearl street, collapsed yesterday, carrying down with it over 100 persons.

Caught in a chaos of brick, plaster and wooden beams, between twenty and thirty men, women and children met death. Twelve hours of frantic work on the part of an army of rescuers disentangled fifty people, six of them dead and many of the rest badly injured. Three bodies were in sight at a late hour last night, but many hours' work will be required to get them out. Anything like a complete list of the killed and injured will be unobtainable until the workers have made their way to the very bottom of the mass of wreckage. With few exceptions those caught in the ruins were employees, a large majority of them girls. The collapse occurred shortly after the opening hour when barely a score of shoppers were in the store. A clock found in the debris had stopped at 12 minutes past 9, showing when the crash came.

The best account of the event that probably caused the ruin is given by the head of the crockery, glass and drug departments, which occupies the basement. "The workmen were sawing at a wooden beam," said he, "which runs under the northern end of the central pillars in the middle of the store. Excavation for the cellar was going on about the base of this pillar and I believe that jarring of the beam beneath it displaced the foundation of the pillar. The first thing I knew, two of the counters near the place where the men were working began to sag, and several pieces of glassware slid off onto the floor with a crash. I yelled to my clerks to run for the front of the store. The words were not out of my mouth when there came a creaking and everything around us began to fall. The wreck came slowly, however, and I think everyone in my department escaped, as well as the workmen."

Better Days in Sight for Russia. St. Petersburg, Aug. 9.—The Russian national assembly, the first gathering together of the representatives of the Muscovite people since Emperor Alexis Michaelovitch, the second of the Romanoffs, summoned the last semsky sobor in the seventeenth century, will be proclaimed on Saturday next. The final session of the special committee which has been considering the project as drafted by the minister of the interior, Boulgin, and elaborated by the council of ministers was held at Peterhof today. Its verdict upon the project as a whole was favorable and at the conclusion of session, before the assembled grand dukes, ministers, senators and other members of the committee, Emperor Nicholas set the seal of his approval thereto. Though the project has undergone a number of changes during the various conferences at Peterhof, it is understood that its main outlines are substantially in accord with the project as it emerged from the council of ministers and has been described in the dispatches from time to time.

In principal the national assembly will be a deliberative and consultative body for the discussion of measures delivered before it by the emperor or his ministers. It will have the power to force the withdrawal of ministerial propositions by a two-thirds vote, which gives it almost a negative control over the legislation. It will be a large body, probably of over 500 members chosen by a system of indirect elections, and the first session it is understood, will be held in November. The elections will take place in October.

A Thousand Socialists Held. Lodz, Russia Poland, Aug. 11.—A thousand socialists, who were holding a meeting in a forest near here, yesterday were surrounded by soldiers. The majority of the socialists were arrested and many of them wounded while attempting to escape. The military commander has sentenced the chief of police and the burgomaster to one week's imprisonment for disobedience of orders.

Russians Are Active. Tokyo, Aug. 8.—It is reported that the Russians are vigorously fortifying the mouth of the Amur river. A mixed division has been dispatched from Habarovsk to Nicolaisk to reinforce the garrisons in the vicinity. It is understood that the channels approaching the river have been mined.

Opportunities for New Settlers. TULSA, I. T.: The building of the Midland Valley railroad between Arkansas City, Tulsa, Muskogee and Fort Smith opens up the rich agricultural lands along the Arkansas valley. Eighteen thousand acres of coal lands have been located along the line. Many new towns are being platted, which perhaps offer better opportunities to the new settler than any other locality in the United States to-day. G. H. McConnell, assistant general passenger agent at Fort Smith, Arkansas, will gladly furnish information to homeseekers or investors.

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Mrs. Pancake (to a fourth-floor lodger)—"Anything the matter with your steak, Mr. Hardup?" Hardup—"A trifle overinflated, maybe, madam; but, really, I never saw a firmer muscle!"—London "Tit-Bits."

Knicker—"I see the government is investigating the cotton scandal." Mrs. Knicker—"It's high time. My lovely bargain that I bought for all wool is half cotton. You needn't laugh, it's so."—New York Sun.

She—"Well, supposing she did throw you overboard, how do you lose your money, there are as good fish in the sea as ever came out of it." He—"I know, but that's poor consolation for a fellow who has lost his bait."—New York Mail.

Elecker—"The chap across the hall has a photograph, hasn't he?" Baxter—"No, but a dentist, and is filling Mrs. Gabbit's teeth. She is trying to talk with two rubber bands, a napkin, a mirror, and a drill in her mouth, that's all!"—Puck.

"Is Mr. Scaads a man of scientific distinction?" "Yes, indeed," answered Miss Cayenne; "he has so many college degrees that when he sends in his card you can't be sure whether it is his name or a problem in algebra."—Philadelphia Press.

At his summer home in New York, Mark Twain had an aged negro servant, who some time ago celebrated his wedding anniversary by inviting twelve friends to a 'possum dinner, the delicacy having been supplied by relatives in the South. Twelve by no means marks the extent of the servant's friends, and those unbidden to the feast concluded that after all they did not think much of it. One of the more progressive started the report that instead of 'possum the host served plain corns. The next day, with great severity, Mr. Clemens said to the servant "Jim, I've known you a long time and found you a truthful fellow. I want you to tell me honestly which you had for dinner last night 'possum or corns?" The old servant hesitated, but in an instant said: "Which do you mean, Mr. Clemens, on the table or under the table?"

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CONSUMPTION

ENTERPRISE NOTES.

St. Olive Baptist church held its regular communion Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. Green preached an eloquent sermon.

At 3 o'clock the covenant meeting was opened by singing, after which prayer was offered by deacon Tom Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Topson and Mrs. Thra. Raleigh spent Saturday in Des Moines.

Mr. George Jackson of Marshalltown is visiting relatives in Enterprise. Mr. Jackson is the son of deacon E. M. Jackson of Marshalltown, a noted deacon of the First Colored Baptist church of that city.

Rev. Green preached an able sermon Sunday evening.

A grand rally and basket meeting will be given on the 13th inst. at Enterprise Park, given by the members of St. Olive Baptist church. Every body courteously invited to come and enjoy themselves.

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. W. J. Bliskey; preaching at 11:30 a. m. by Rev. J. S. Holland; collection; adjourn. Services again at 1:45 p. m. conducted by the Deacon Board, covenant will last until 2:30 p. m., Preaching by the pastor, subject, "The World's Fair."

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CLINTON HAPPENINGS.

Sunday July 30th was quarterly meeting and Presiding Elder Gaines was with us. On Monday evening he delivered a lecture to a small but appreciative audience, more of our people should be present on occasions of that kind, as no doubt they would hear something that would do them good.

Mrs. F. E. McNeil and Mrs. Scott have returned from Savannah, Ga., where they laid the remains of the late F. E. McNeil in their last resting place on July 28th.

Bethel A. M. E. S. picniced at Eagle Point Park last Friday, a goodly number being in attendance.

Rev. G. H. McDaniel, D. D., president of Amherst Institute of Springfield, Ill. is in the city in the interest of his school while here he has delivered a number of pleasing addresses in several of our city churches.

Mr. John Sayles and daughter Arleia spent Sunday in the tri cities.

Miss Anna Bryant of Chicago is the guest of P. P. Taylor and family for an indefinite period at their 6th avenue home.

Wednesday evening July 29 at 9 o'clock marked the passing of the life of another of Clinton's well known colored citizens. Jeremiah Taylor departed this life on the above date at his home on Elm street, aged 76 years. Deceased had been ill for some time with tuberculosis. His funeral was held on Friday, July 28 at 2:30 from his late home Elm street; interment taking place in Springdale.

Rev. Boyd feels very much gratified over his success financially, he having received some liberal subscriptions for his church from Clinton people.

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Philippine Exhibit. The perfume woods and plants of the Philippine islands will be shown at the world's fair in a special collection.

Pines in Egyptian Tombs. Pines have been found among the Egyptian mummies and in the prehistoric caves of Switzerland.

African Possessions. France and England each own in Africa an area as large as the United States.

The Home of the Tiger. At a recent meeting of the Zoological Society in London Maj. Steward expressed the opinion that tigers are not indigenous to India, but came there from more northern regions. The old Sanskrit language has a name for the lion, but none for the tiger.

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St. Paul A. M. E. Corner of Second and Center streets. Preaching at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday School at 9 o'clock; Epworth League at 8 p. m. Horace S. Graves, pastor.

First African Baptist Church—Corner School and Fourth streets. Rev. F. Lomack pastor. Preaching 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school 4:30 p. m.; Epworth League 7 p. m.; Prayer and Class meeting every Wednesday 8 p. m. O. A. Johnson, pastor, 56 1/2 11th St.

Maple Street Baptist Church—Situated on E. Maple between Ninth and Tenth streets. Preaching 11 a. m.; Sunday School 9:30 a. m.; preaching at 8 p. m. Rev. J. O. Wimbush, pastor.

Union Congregational Church—Corner Tenth and Park streets. Preaching 10:45 a. m.; Sunday School 10 a. m.; evening service 7:30 p. m.; preaching at 8 p. m. Wednesday evening 8 p. m. Porter, pastor.

SECRET ORDERS.

North Star Lodge, No. 2 A. F. & A. M.—Meets First Thursday in each month at Masonic Hall—North side of Center and Center streets. H. E. Jacobs, W. M.; Harrison Gould, secretary.

King Solomon Commandery, No. 4—Meets Second and Fourth Thursdays in each month at Masonic hall, W. Humboldt E. C.; Geo. H. Cleghat, Recorder.

Naom Court—Meets Second Monday in each month at Masonic hall, Mrs. L. V. Donny, Matron; Mrs. J. H. Shepard, Secretary.

St. Olive Court, No. 4—Meets the First Friday of each month at Masonic hall, Mrs. A. A. Wilburn, matron; Mrs. Georgia Aldgett, secretary.

Charity Lodge, No. 3192, G. U. O. of O. F. Meets First, Second and Third Tuesdays in each month at Odd Fellows hall on West 31st and Walnut streets. Harry McCraven N. G.; M. W. Jones, P. S.

H. H. R. No. 339 of G. U. O. of O. F. Meets the second and fourth Thursday in each month, promptly at 8 o'clock. Mrs. A. M. Davis, P. S.; Mrs. Nettie Davis, W. R.

Artic Tabernacle No. 473—Meets first and third Thursdays in each month at the Odd Fellows Hall, Sixth and Walnut streets. Mrs. Nettie Davis, P. S.; Mrs. Lizzie Bush, O. R.; Nettie Weldon, Assistant, past.

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Average Journey of Freight. The average journey of a ton of freight is 128 miles.

There are always two parties to a contract, and yet in a majority of cases but one is expected to carry it out.

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ORIGINAL NOTICE.

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

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