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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 so we can let all your local news-people know.)

Mrs. Wilson Hughes is improving slowly.

Mr. Mark Segain of the East Side is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Rollen Weeks of 1307 Twenty-first street is reported quite sick this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanton a bouncing baby boy. Mother and child doing well.

Mr. Calvin Cary of Buxton is in our city this week on business.

Master Enza Morgan is numbered among the sick this week.

The Misses Ora and Cecil Harris left Wednesday to visit with relatives and friends in Keokuk, their former home.

Miss Ruth Phillips of Ottumwa, Ia., arrived in our city last week and is now a student at the Capital City Commercial College.

Go to Mrs. Vina Murrell for good rooms and accommodations, 245 E. 5th street, Davenport, Ia.

Miss Marguerite Fields was in Buxton this week. She gave a concert at the Y. M. C. A., assisted by some local talent of this city Wednesday night.

Mrs. A. L. Adams of Wichita, Kans., arrived in our city last week to remain indefinitely. She is stopping with Mrs. H. H. Hookers on Eighth street.

Mrs. E. C. Elliston returned Monday from Buxton, where she was last week attending the annual conference of the A. M. M. church. Mrs. Elliston rendered some vocal solos at the different sessions during the conference.

Mrs. Christina Richardson who has been visiting with her daughter and grand-children, Mrs. Carrie A. Bledsoe and sons, returned to her home in Kirksville, Mo., last Sunday, after a very pleasant visit of two months.

Mrs. Geo. H. Wade of Minneapolis, Minn., who has been attending the A. M. E. conference in Buxton, stopped over in our city to visit a week, the guest of Mrs. J. L. Thompson and Mrs. Emma Harris.

When in St. Paul, Minn., go to the St. Louis Kitchen, 317 Wabasha street, Mrs. Julia Hinson proprietor. Meals 25 cents and up. For ladies and gentlemen. Phone N. W. 2315-L.

Rev. D. Smith and wife, Rev. O. A. Johnson, D. D., of Des Moines, Ia., Rev. J. J. Cabell, P. E., of independence, Kansas were highly entertained Wednesday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Odell. -Tospeka Plaindealer.

Services at Burn's M. E. church, Twelfth and Crocker streets, Sunday: Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; preaching by pastor 11:00 a. m., subject, "Where is Thy Brother," at 3:00 p. m., subject, "What, When and How You Should Eat." Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:00 p. m., Epworth League Friday at 8:00 p. m.

Married last Monday at the parsonage by Rev. H. W. Porter, Mr. Marion W. Roche of Louisville, Ky., to Miss Lillie B. Waterman of Sedalia, Mo. The wedding was a very quiet one as only a few friends were present to witness the ceremony. The couple are strangers in our community, yet we wish them success in married life.

Callanan Industrial club met with the president, Mrs. G. W. Scott, Wednesday afternoon. After a three weeks' vacation the ladies felt quite refreshed and discussed plans for the future work. Lunch was served and the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Dixon on Day street. The club will be entertained by Mrs. Elliston, paper by Mrs. Dixon.

One of the prettiest and systematic afternoon receptions given in our city was given last Tuesday by Mrs. J. L. Thompson, at her pleasant home, 1304 Eighteenth street. More than fifty ladies were invited to spend the afternoon from two to four o'clock. It was given in honor of Mrs. Geo. H. Wade of Minneapolis, Minn. The house was beautifully decorated in cut flowers and ferns, carnations being the prevailing flower. Music and conversation was the theme. A four course luncheon was elegantly served. Those present report a most enjoyable time.

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Home Cooking. Chicago, Ill.

E. S. Morgan, our Third street barber, is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. A. G. Edwards delivered an address to the Woman's Missionary Society of the Twinte Presbyterian church last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J. R. Erickson left today for Davenport to attend a business session of the Woman's Federation Board.

Mr. Tony Thompson of Chesterfield is agent for the Chicago Globe Co-operative Store Co., and from reports he will make a success. Tony is a good man.

James Wyche recently of St. Joseph, Mo., has become our city solicitor and will call on the Des Moines people for their advertising or subscription. Give him your work.

Our old friend Rev. Samuel Bates, recently of Clarinda has accepted a call to the Baptist church in Colfax, Ia., and will move to that place soon. He will than be near the seat of active work.

Invitations have been sent out which read as follows: "Mrs. Charlotte Davis request your presence at the marriage of her grand-daughter, Bertha Hunt, to C. W. Smith, Wednesday Sept. 19, 1906, at 8 o'clock, 924 14th street, Des Moines, Iowa"

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hyde gave a six o'clock dinner Thursday at their pleasant home on Fourteenth and Grand avenue, in honor of Mrs. Geo. H. Wade of Minneapolis, Minn. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson were also present. A nice time was had by all.

You should not fail to hear Prof. R. S. Lovingsgood, president of the Samuel Huston College, Austin, Texas, at Burns' M. E. church, next Sunday at 3 o'clock. He is one of the most learned Negroes in America. Prof. Lovingsgood comes to our city to deliver an address to the white members of the Des Moines Conference now in session here. An invitation is extended to all by Rev. O. A. Johnson, pastor of Burns' church, to come and hear this distinguished man.

Mrs. Emma Harris gave a six o'clock dinner Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Geo. H. Wade of Minneapolis, Minn. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Birney, Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Blagburn. A very elegant dinner was served and a jolly time was had by all.

When in Oskaloosa, Iowa call on Mrs. Hannah Williams for good meals and rooms, by day or week, 211 A Avenue East.

The Bystander Co. contemplates getting out a special "Des Moines Edition" very soon, illustrated with cuts, biographies, poems and history of Des Moines people in general. This is something never before attempted and we ask every Des Moines citizen to give us their support to make this a representative issue. Call on the company or see their representative at once.

The five Byrons who played at Ingersoll Park last week went to Kansas City Saturday night. Mr. Sumner Byron, the manager, was a caller at our office Saturday afternoon. They expect to sail for Germany next month, and in speaking of his trip Mr. Byron said, "We have already been booked for 46 weeks and my younger brothers are anxious to go. We do not expect to return until 1908"

As we have said before they have a very refined musical act and we wish them continued success

### SPECIAL SERVICES.

Special services at Union Congregational church Sunday Sept. 16. Morning service, topic, "A Trustful Life"

Men's League at 4 p. m. Evening service, a popular meeting; special music. All members and friends are requested to be present at all the services

When in Burlington, Ia. stop at Mrs. A. A. Lamb for good lodging, 421 1/2 Jefferson St. New Phone 1218. 3mo.

Rev. F. C. Lomack, pastor of the African Baptist church of this city, which has for years stood as an independent Baptist church, not being affiliated with the Association, was declared regular last week at the State Baptist Association at Davenport Rev. Lomack was appointed a member of the National Deacons Union, in place of Rev. Bingham of Omaha. He has invited the Executive Committee to meet in Des Moines at his church in November.

The People's Restaurant, Geo. W. Bailey, Manager. A neat and pleasant place where meals and short orders are served in the best of shape at all times. Ice cream, pop on ice and cigars. Everything in season. 401 East Main street, Ottumwa, Ia.

## A SUCCESSFUL SESSION

A Large Attendance and a Royal Reception by Buxton People.

Twenty-fourth Session of the A. M. E. Iowa Annual Conference Held at Buxton, Ia. Sept. 5-11.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 5.

Conference called together by Bishop C. T. Shaffer at 9:30 a. m. The meeting was opened with devotional exercises and scripture reading and remarks by the Bishop, followed by the organization which resulted in the election of the following officers: Chief secretary, Rev. F. J. Peterson of Rock Island; recording secretary, Rev. E. G. Jackson, Buxton; statistical secretary, Rev. J. Brewer, Avondale, Ill.; marshalls, Revs. Stewart Moore, Daluth, and S. L. Birt, Glencoe. The Bar of Conference included the first six rows of seats from the front. Adjournment for dinner.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Devotional. Annual sermon, Dr. D. P. Roberts, Quinn Chapel Chicago, followed by the administration of the Lord's Supper, in which a large number taken part. Report of charges was than taken up and showed a remarked increase from last year.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION.

Informal reception at Y. M. C. A. auditorium given by citizens of Buxton to ministers and visitors.

Johnson acted as master of ceremonies.

Welcome address in behalf of the Iowa District P. E. Geo. W. Gaines.

Welcome address in behalf of citizens, Jas. G. Wiley.

Welcome address in behalf of schools, Prof. M. J. Gilliam.

Welcome address in behalf of the churches, Rev. E. G. Jackson.

Responses: Bishop C. T. Shaffer, Dr. Wm. H. Heard, Revs. Horace S. Graves and H. P. Jones.

The choir of St. James A. M. E. rendered excellent music under the leadership of Prof. Richard Oliver.

THURSDAY MORNING.

Devotional. Continuation of report of charges.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Devotional. Continuation of report of charges.

THURSDAY EVENING.

Educational meeting, sermon by Rev. Geo. W. Jones of Davenport.

Reading report on education, Rev. W. S. Brooks. Discussion.

Contribution.

Adjournment.

FRIDAY MORNING.

Devotional. Report of committees.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

Continuation of reports.

4:45 the ladies of the Conference Branch Mite Missionary Society rendered a most excellent program, and gave in reports.

Committee on public worship appointed the following pastors to fill the different pulpits on Sunday: A. M. E. 11 a. m., Dr. W. H. Heard; 3 p. m., Rev. L. J. Phillips; 8 p. m., Rev. R. Seymour. Baptist 11 a. m., Rev. W. A. Searey; 8 p. m., Rev. M. I. Gordon. Congregational 11 a. m., Rev. D. E. Butler; 8 p. m., Rev. Geo. H. Wade.

FRIDAY EVENING.

Missionary Meeting. Missionary sermon by Rev. C. H. Thomas of Rockford, Ill. The Presiding Elder's Districts were changed from three to four. Namely, Keokuk, Des Moines, St. Paul and Chicago.

SATURDAY MORNING.

Presiding Elders reports. In the selection of place for next Conference, Wayman Chapel and Quinn Chapel were voted on, Quinn receiving the largest number of votes. Next Conference of Quinn Chapel the last Wednesday in August.

By resolution of Rev. Geo. H. Wade of Minneapolis the Conference will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Iowa annual Conference next year at Quinn during its session.

Dollar money collected \$2,800.00. Educational \$512.00. Missionary Home and Foreign \$108.00. Easter day collections \$305.00. Womans Mite \$444.80.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

Continuation of report of charges. Presiding Elders reports.

SATURDAY EVENING.

Lecture on natives of Africa by Dr. W. H. Heard of Atlanta, Ga., president of Preachers Aid. Continuation of report of committees.

Adjournment.

SUNDAY MORNING.

11:00 a. m. preaching, Dr. W. H. Heard.

The Bishop ordained as Deacons Revs. M. G. Newman, R. H. Hackley, Brice Taylor, B. R. Penn and Timothy Tyler. As Elders, Revs. S. L. Birt, Morgan and Rice.

Communion.

AFTERNOON.

3:00 p. m. sermon, Rev. L. J. Phillips

Chicago District, who was buried at Chicago Friday August 31. The death of Dr. Booth caused universal sorrow and cast a gloom over the Conference of which he was held in high esteem.

EVENING.

8:00 p. m., sermon by Rev. R. Seymour. Invitation for membership extended by Bishop Shaffer, after which seven persons came forward and united with the church. Announcements. Report of committee on Resolutions. Public collection for the entire day 106.51.

APPOINTMENTS.

Transfers, Illinois Conference, Geo. W. Jones; West Kentucky Conference, A. T. Clark; Colorado Conference, J. W. Washington.

St. Paul District--

Geo. W. Gaines, Presiding Elder.

St. Paul, Horace S. Graves.

St. Peters, Minneapolis, R. E. Wilson.

St. James, Minneapolis, Geo. H. Wade.

Evansport, R. Seymour.

Milwaukee, H. P. Jones.

Dubuque, S. B. Moore.

Beloit and Delavan, G. C. Christburg.

Glencoe, S. L. Birt.

Madison, Wis., R. H. Cato.

Lake Forest and Waukegan, R. B. Manly.

Racine, Timothy Tyler.

Chicago District--

M. H. Thompson, Presiding Elder.

Quinn Chapel, D. P. Roberts.

St. Stephens, Chicago, I. N. Daniels.

Wayman Chapel, Chicago, J. C. Anderson.

Aurora, R. H. Lackey.

Elgin, E. R. Edwards.

Rockford, C. H. Thomas.

Trinity Mission, Chicago, Jonathan Brewer.

LaGrange, T. A. Clark.

Princeton and Kewanee, G. B. Pope.

Oak Park, T. C. Devlin.

Avondale, R. E. Allen.

Superior to be supplied.

Keokuk District--

L. J. Phillips, Presiding Elder.

Keokuk, J. W. Lewis.

Ottumwa, J. H. Ferrabee.

Galesburg, D. E. Butler.

Cedar Rapids, P. M. Lewis.

Moline, W. A. Searey.

Davenport, Wm. Williams.

Clinton, Rev. A. Boyd.

Burlington to be supplied.

Des Moines District--

M. I. Gordon, Presiding Elder.

Des Moines, W. S. Brooks.

Buxton, E. G. Jackson.

Clarinda, Bedford and Red Oak, J. D. Peterson.

Sioux City, F. J. Peterson.

Yankton and Sioux Fall, J. W. Dowden.

Albia and Hawkins Valley, A. H. Bell.

Newton and Colfax, L. A. Joplin.

Council Bluffs, M. G. Newman.

Oscaloia and Clarion, Jas. Rice.

Centerville, Nathan Morgan.

Buxton Mission, C. Wright.

visitors was an up-to-date affair, and heartily enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Geo. Walker entertained at tea Sunday evening Mesdames S. Joe Brown and Geo. H. Wade.

A reception was tendered Mrs. M. C. Malone Monday evening Sept. 10, at the home of Mrs. Queen Jackson.

## BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

The Annual Meeting was a Great Success and a large Membership Attended.

The State Baptist Association held at Davenport last week is reported to be one of the best sessions that has been held for years.

The officers elected for the Ladies Home and Foreign Missionary Society are: Mrs. Jackson, Fort Madison, was re-elected President; Mrs. Susie Roy, Des Moines, Vice-President; Mrs. Nora Shelton, Centerville, Corresponding Secretary.

Thursday the Ministerial and Deacons Union elected Rev. Palmer of Mt. Pleasant Moderator; Rev. Bowls of Marshalltown, Vice-Moderator.

Rev. Mendenhall of Buxton was elected Moderator of the Association; Rev. Wimbush, Des Moines, Vice-Moderator; Rev. Griffith, Des Moines, Secretary; Rev. Holmes, Davenport, Corresponding Secretary.

Members of the Board: Rev. Jones, Ottumwa, Treasurer; Rev. Palmer, Mt. Pleasant. Rev. Bates was made an honorary member of the Board. Rev. Burton was made State Missionary.

## Colored Congregationalist

Rev. H. W. Porter, pastor of the Union Congregational church, will leave on Tuesday September 18, to attend the convention of Congregational ministers and teachers of the colored churches and schools in the south.

Little is known of the real work which is being done by the colored Congregationalists, yet he work is having its effect in raising the mental, moral, physical, financial and spiritual standing of the negro in all parts of this country. It is often said that the Congregational church is not known among the negroes. Such a statement is only made by those who are not acquainted with the work being done by the negro Congregationalists.

Agate, the Congregational church has given to the field some of the most prominent men among the negroes, as well as women who are the leading factors in the uplift of the negro race.

Our institutions have been broad in their work in the Baptists, Methodists and all denominations have been and are being educated not as denominational men and woman but as intelligent Christians.

In the south the negroes have six chartered institutions, 64 common and graded schools, 476 instructors and 15,000 pupils, 250 churches, 156 ministers and missionaries, 12,549 church members and 18,956 pupils in Sunday schools. This is the work of the Congregational church among the negroes of the south, a church that stands for an intelligent ministry and mode of worship and a church that recognizes Jesus Christ as its head.

Three hundred or more workers will assemble at Memphis, Tenn., September 26 to 28, to devise plans for the advancement of this work so well begun. We know that the field is the world and there is work for all to do.

We shall labor on with the bright reward in view.

H. W. Porter.

## The Negro in the Congregational Churches of America

(By Rev. Abraham Lincoln DeMond, pastor First Congregational church, Buxton, Iowa.)

Article 5.

While our annual reports show that about half of our church clerks are women, and in many cases they are superintending our Sunday schools with great success, that they contribute more than half of the total membership, we must recognize that much of what we have accomplished as a denomination has been due to their faithful and untiring labors. In most of the states they have state missionary unions that are doing much good.

In the splendid band of women that have helped to make our Zion glorious a few names may be mentioned of those well and widely known as Mrs. Mary Church Terrell, Mrs. B. K. Bruce, Mrs. B. T. Washington, Mrs. G. W. Moore and Mrs. W. A. Campbell, who have rendered loyal and conspicuous service for the race and for Congregationalism.

The recent marriage at Decatur, Ala., of the grandson of Congressman John M. Langston, who represents the third generation of the Langston family to graduate from Oberlin, the famous Congregational college, to the daughter of Hon. H. V. Cashin, by Rev. G. W. Moore, a graduate also of Oberlin, forms a union of two of our strong Congregational families and emphasizes the fact that Congregationalism is the leading faith of some of our leading families.

Of our laymen who have been prominent in public life and national affairs were Senator B. K. Bruce and Congressman John M. Langston. We have not been unrepresented in race literature for Rev. G. C. Rowe and Rev. G. M. McLeilen have each published a book of poems. Prof. E. A. Johnson, dean of the law department of Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C., is the author of a school history of the negro race and also a history of the negro in the Spanish-American war and of "Light Ahead for the Negro."

Rev. P. T. Stanford has written and published "The Tragedy of the Negro in America," and others have contributed valuable articles to the press. The Charleston Inquirer, the Mobile Weekly Press and the Iowa State Bystander have been edited by colored Congregationalists. In the legal profession there are such negro Congregationalists as J. C. Napier, Nashville, Tenn.; B. R. Wilson, Boston, Mass.; R. S. Smith and Judge R. H. Terrell of Washington, D. C.; J. L. Thompson and J. B. Rush of Des Moines and C. N. Sellers of Buxton, Iowa.

Colored Congregational churches have the following state organizations: Tennessee association, North Carolina association, South Carolina association, Georgia convention, Texas association, Mississippi association, and Louisiana association. In the other states they are connected with these associations or some other state body.

A number of our men have been delegates to the different meetings of the National Council. At the National Council in Minneapolis in 1892 Rev. G. C. Rowe was elected assistant moderator and at Des Moines, Rev. H. H. Proctor was elected to the same position in 1904. Three colored men have represented the colored Congregational churches in the two International Congregational Councils that have been held. Rev. B. A. Imes was a member of the council in London, England, in 1891, and Rev. F. G. Rasland and Rev. Abraham Lincoln DeMond were members of the council in Boston in 1899.

ECHOES FROM ROCK ISLAND.

Mrs. Henry Hutton, of South Rock Island, has been quite ill for the past few weeks, but is improving nicely at this writing.

The Masonic lodges of the Tri-Cities held a picnic at Prince Hall's home on Labor day.

Watermelons that were raised at the home could be bought for the small sum of 10 cents.

The New Model Sewing circle gave an entertainment at McKinley chapel on last Monday evening for the benefit of the church.

Mrs. C. Lambert has been quite indisposed for a few days.

Mrs. Ida Woods was a caller in So. Rock Island Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Elora Holmes is spending a few weeks in Chicago.

Mr. H. Hingham, one of Rock Island's oldest colored citizens, has been very sick for a month. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Andy Fulton and children arrived from Des Moines, Iowa, today for a few weeks' visit at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. Lambert, South Rock Island.

Club Women.

Will the presidents of the different clubs see that the number of minutes desired and money for the same are sent to the secretary, Mrs. Cyrene Trent, Burlington, Iowa.

GERTRUDE D. CULBERSON.

MT. PLEASANT.

Mrs. Martha Burnhugh left last week for Burlington where she will remain for some time.

Mesdames Rena Logan, Matilda Reed and Sarah Trimbald attended the annual conference at Buxton.

Miss Hester Bartlett left Thursday for Evanston, after spending the summer with her parents.

Mr. George Robinson, Kewanee, spent a few days with his parents last week.

Rev. C. H. Mendenhall, Moderator of the Iowa Baptist association, preached at the Second Baptist church Tuesday.

About two weeks ago while helping at a "fire," Prof. T. L. Burnett had the misfortune to break two fingers of his hand. The injured fingers are mending.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Burnett, of Mt. Pleasant, were called to Burlington August 22 on account of the sudden death of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Tom Wells. About 5 o'clock in the morning Mrs. Wells called her husband and told him to go for a doctor, that she was very sick. After which she lived only one hour, having broken a blood vessel in trying to vomit. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Williams and Rev. Smith at the undertakers apartments. Some very impressive words were spoken by both pastors. The floral tributes were beautiful. She leaves a loving husband, father and many other relatives. The remains were taken to West Point for burial.

CEDAR RAPIDS.

Miss Hattie Perkins was hostess last Monday evening of a merry party of fifteen young people. The evening was spent in dancing and games. All present enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Rev. Boyd, former pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church was in the city on Monday and Tuesday visiting his many friends and acquaintances. While here he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Claybrook.

Thursday evening a pleasant surprise was given to Mr. Ebrige Horn at the home of his brother. The party was lead by the Misses Maybel Price and Iva Martin and all

### STOMACH PAINS

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Brought Relief and Cure for Spitting Headaches as Well.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a remedy which has been before the American people for a generation, is still accomplishing wonderful results as is evidenced by the following interview with Mrs. Richard Gardner, of Wiley, Kans.

"It was very strange," she says, "I never could tell what caused it and neither could anybody else. For a long time I had bed spells with my stomach. The pain would commence, about my heart and was so deadly agonizing that I would have to scream aloud. Sometimes it would last several hours and I would have to take laudanum to stop it. Besides this I had a headache almost constantly, day and night, that nearly crazed me, so you see I suffered a great deal. And when I think of the agony I endured it still makes me shudder.

"Doctors," did you say? Their medicine made me sicker. I couldn't take it and I kept growing worse until a friend advised me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I did. I began to feel better and was soon wholly converted to this wonderful medicine. It did me more good than I had ever hoped for. I kept on with the pills and now I recommend them to all who suffer."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured scores of cases of indigestion, bloodlessness, irascibility, headaches, backaches, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, nervousness and spinal weakness. The genuine Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or any harmful drugs and cannot injure the most delicate system. At all druggists, or from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N.Y., postpaid on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50.

**WHEN THE BED GETS 'ROUND**

But Smith Was Too Wise to Wait on the Procession.

"That was an amusing story about the congressman who caught his bed the fourth time it came around. It reminded me," continued the narrator "of the first time I heard the bed phrase. It happened in Harrisburg, where I was then stationed, and it happened to a legislator whom I shall call Smith.

"At the first session Smith became famous for his ability to comfortably carry more liquor than any other man in the legislature. On the opening of the second session some Philadelphians got together and put up a job on Smith. They arranged relays, so that when one party had enough another should take hold, and thus keep going until they had Smith down and out. Well, they began with Smith one evening, and after two relays had succumbed their successors noted with much satisfaction that Smith was making his beverages—they didn't know that was his custom, and he fooled them all. The bout continued all night and all of the next day, and when the second evening came Smith was the only man able to get away unaided.

"Several days later I asked Smith how he got along after he reached his hotel. "When I got into my room," he replied, "I saw a procession of beds coming in my direction. I grabbed the first one, fell into it, and woke up the next afternoon."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

As a Supplener.

The Maid—Do you think the automobile will ever supplant the horse.

The Man—No; but it may supplant the mule in the course of time. One is fully as unreliable as the other.

### Hasty Nervous Chewing of Food the Cause of Dyspepsia

If your teeth are fit, chew, chew, until the food is liquid and insists on being swallowed.

If teeth are faulty, soften Grape-Nuts with hot milk or cream, or allow to stand a minute soaking in cold cream.

"There's a reason," as follows: Grape-Nuts food is in the form of hard and brittle granules, intended to be ground up by the teeth; that work not only preserves the teeth but brings down the saliva from the gums so necessary in the primary work of digestion.

Many people say (and it is true) that when they eat Grape-Nuts they seem able to digest not only that food but other kinds which formerly made trouble when eaten without Grape-Nuts.

Chew!

"There's a reason" for

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### KEEPSWATCH ON CUBA

ROOSEVELT READY TO INTERVENE IF NECESSARY.

PREPARED TO SEND ARMY

Every Available Soldier Would Be Sent to Island to Quell Rebellion and Maintain a Stable Government.

Washington.—President Roosevelt is keenly alive to the progress of the revolutionary movement in Cuba and the responsibility of the United States in case the conditions grow worse and intervention becomes necessary. It is known that the president will not intervene unless it appears absolutely necessary, yet steps have been taken which would make such intervention effective.

The ships that have been sent to Cuba are there for the purpose only of protecting American interests and furnishing asylum for Americans who may be in danger from the warring factions.

Actual intervention would mean the use of the army and all the available forces would no doubt be needed and will be ready if a serious situation develops.

Under present conditions, the army has been kept in a better state of preparation than ever before, and will be ready if called upon.

Correspondence between the president, the secretary of war and Gen. Bell, chief of staff, has provided for all contingencies. It is recognized that intervention would be no "holiday" matter, but that an army would be necessary and in case of intervention every available man would be used and will be sent to Cuba as fast as possible.

Although no regular transports are available on the Atlantic coast, it is known where transports can be obtained as soon as needed.

Secretary Taft has also been interested in everything that has been going forward, and it is believed that the Cuban situation has been the subject of correspondence between the president and the secretary.

Under Platt Amendment.

Authority for the intervention in Cuban affairs is contained in the third article of the Platt amendment, adopted by congress in the army appropriation bill of 1902, which reads: "That the government of Cuba consents that the United States may exercise the right to intervene for the preservation of Cuban independence, the maintenance of government adequate for the protection of life, property and individual liberty, and for discharging the obligations with respect to Cuba imposed by the treaty of Paris on the United States now to be assumed and undertaken by the government of Cuba.

"This, with the other provisions of the Platt amendment, were incorporated in the constitution of Cuba.

Soldiers Ordered Home.

Some weeks ago the Sixth and Twenty-first regiments of infantry were ordered home from the Philippines, it being stated that their tour of service in the Pacific islands was completed. The return of these regiments upon three transports which sailed last winter for the Philippines will bring available troops to the Atlantic coast and also the transports which would be necessary if the Platt amendment is invoked.

Warships for Cuban Waters.

Washington.—President Roosevelt's policy of preparedness for any emergency in Cuba, so far as the immediate operation of war vessels is concerned, was announced at the state department Wednesday. It includes the arrival at Havana by night of the protected cruiser Denver and the gunboat Marietta at Cienfuegos some time Thursday. The cruiser Des Moines will remain at Key West until further orders.

No Plans for Demonstration.

In making public these acts Acting Secretary Bacon of the state department said that there "was no disposition on the part of this government to make a demonstration in Cuban waters, but the insurrection when attained such proportions it had become necessary to take steps for the protection of American interests in Cuba.

The department believes that for the present the Denver will be sufficient for all needs along the northern coast of Cuba and the Marietta for the southern coast.

Independents Nominate Hearst.

New York.—In a harmonious and enthusiastic final session in Carnegie hall Wednesday night the state convention of the Independence league put into the field a straight ticket of state officers, headed by W. R. Hearst, to be voted for at the coming election. The delegates cheered for 23 minutes when Mr. Hearst appeared on the platform to make a brief speech of acceptance. His address aroused much enthusiasm.

Split in Presbyterian Union.

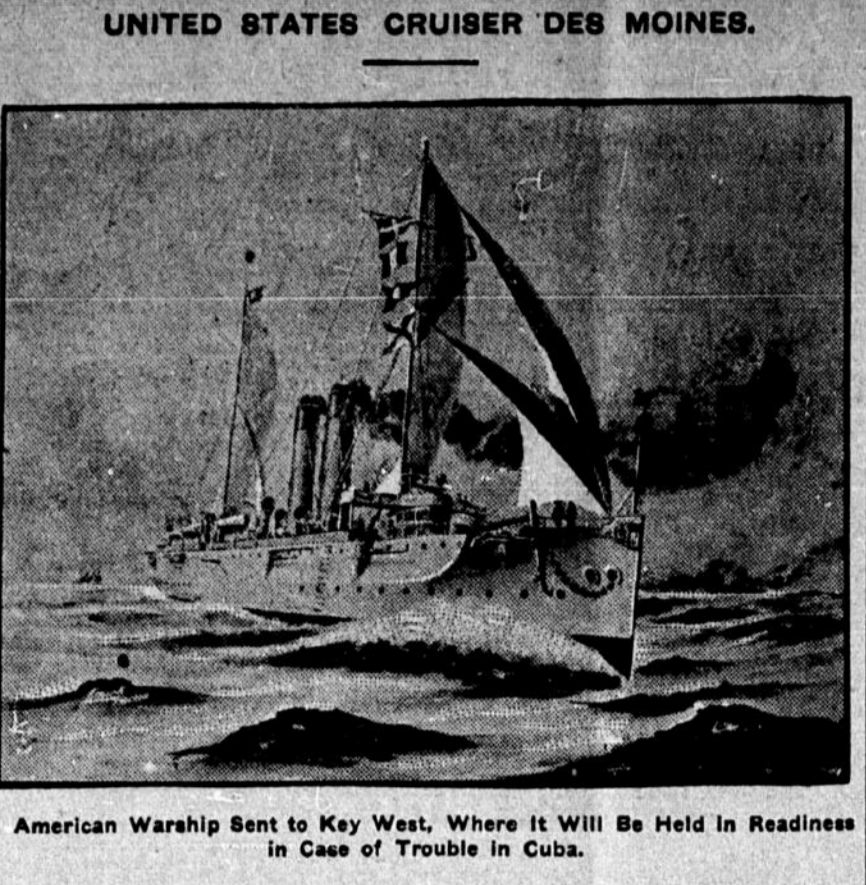
Bloomington, Ill.—A proposed three days' session of the Lincoln presbytery of the former Cumberland Presbyterian church at Stanford came to a sudden end when nearly one-half of the delegates repudiated the union.

Shut 43 from Country.

San Francisco.—Quarantine officers refused landing to 43 persons on the steamer Iberia, which just arrived from the orient, who had unmistakable evidence of trachoma. Of these 27 were Japanese and 16 Hindus.

Fraternal Union Meets.

Denver, Col.—The supreme lodge of the Fraternal Union of America convened here Tuesday for its third quadrennial session. F. P. Rose, of Denver, is supreme president and its headquarters are in this city.



UNITED STATES CRUISER DES MOINES. American Warship Sent to Key West, Where It Will Be Held in Readiness in Case of Trouble in Cuba.

### PULAJANES ATTACK TROOPS

RUSH CAMP ON ISLAND OF LEYTE BUT ARE ROUTED.

Assault Planned as Revenge for Punishment for Slaying of a Lieutenant.

Manila.—In revenge for the punishment inflicted upon them by the regular troops for the killing of Lieut. Roscoe Treadwell, of the Philippine scouts, the Pulajanes attacked a detachment of the Twenty-fourth infantry (colored) on the night of the 10th, and before they could be driven back they killed two and wounded eight of the colored soldiers. Early on the evening of the 10th the bandits rushed the camp of Treadwell and succeeded in killing the officer. The colored troops came to the rescue and drove the fanatics from the field, killing and capturing a large number. The Twenty-fourth then went into camp near Bara, Leyte, near the scene of the engagement. The band returned during the night, booted the outposts and rushed the camp. In the confusion of the darkness the regulars were badly cut up before they realized that the Pulajanes were upon them. The colored troops were attacked in their tents, the natives slashing the canvas with bolos and falling upon the sleeping soldiers.

The men of the Twenty-fourth were aroused by the shouts of their comrades, and went into the fight with their pistols and bayonets, and finally routed the Pulajanes, killing and wounding many of them.

In the darkness a few of the Pulajanes escaped.

CAMBRIDGE WINS BOAT RACE.

Harvard Oarsmen Defeated in International Contest.

Putney, England.—By the decisive distance of two lengths Cambridge won the great international boat race Saturday, stalling off by a steady, powerful stroke all Harvard's desperate spurs.

The light blues had the advantage of the choice of stations, which gave them at least a length to the good. In consequence of the wind sheltered water on the Surrey side of the river. They got away ahead at the start, and were enabled to maintain their lead, and even increase it as soon as they reached the wind roughened water at Chiswick Ecyot. It was a pretty race throughout.

Big Anti-Trust Suit.

New York.—A suit involving damages of \$5,000,000 which the United Fruit company is named as the defendant and which is based upon the alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, was filed in the United States circuit court Wednesday. The plaintiff is the American Banana company, a corporation organized under the laws of Alabama several years ago. The American Banana company charges that it has been damaged to the extent of \$2,000,000 through the acts of the United Fruit company. The Sherman anti-trust law provides that an injured party may collect triple damages.

New Paymaster General.

Washington.—The president has appointed Col. Culver C. Sniffin to be paymaster general of the army, to succeed Gen. Francis S. Dodge, who retired Tuesday. The new paymaster general has been in the service since March 3, 1877. Gen. Sniffin had been private secretary for Gen. Grant for several years, and few men now living have a more intimate knowledge of everything pertaining to the Grant administration than Gen. Sniffin.

St. Louis Police Chief on Trial.

St. Louis.—After several months of delay the trial of suspended Chief of Police Kely was finally begun before the board of police commissioners Wednesday. The charges are neglecting his official duty.

Lightning Strikes a Schoolhouse.

Marquette, Mich.—The schoolhouse at Three Lakes, Mich., was struck by lightning and completely wrecked. School was in session, but none of the pupils was killed. Several were made unconscious.

To Extradite Alleged Slayer.

Denver, Col.—On request of District Attorney Stidger, Gov. McDonald issued requisition papers asking Gov. Gooding of Idaho for the extradition of Stephen Adams, to stand trial on the charge of murder.

Veteran Insurance Man Dead.

Milwaukee.—Joseph Phillips, aged 81 years, well known in fire insurance circles throughout the country, at one time mayor of Milwaukee, died Monday of general debility after a long illness.

### MAINE ELECTION VERY CLOSE

Republican Plurality Is Cut into by the Democratic Vote.

Portland, Me.—Gov. William T. Cobb, of Rockland, Republican, standing on a platform devoted almost exclusively to a continuance of the prohibitory law of the state, was re-elected Monday by a plurality of less than 8,000, with but few exceptions the smallest margin of votes ever given a Republican governor in the state of Maine.

Cyrus W. Davis, of Waterville, the Democratic candidate for governor, polled one of the largest votes in the history of the party in this state. His issue in the campaign was the resubmission of the liquor question which was incorporated in the state legislature four years ago.

More interesting from a certain standpoint was the reelection of Congressman Charles E. Littlefield, Republican, in the Second district by a greatly reduced plurality.

Congressman Littlefield's candidacy was the subject of bitter opposition on the part of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who asked for his defeat on the grounds that he had voted against certain labor measures at the last session of congress.

The issue between Gompers and Littlefield was taken up by the Republican congressional committee, and for three weeks the district has been the scene of a hard fight in which Secretary of War William H. Taft, Senator Lodge and Senator Beveridge and several congressmen were pitted against the head of the Federation of Labor.

WINDSTORM SWEEPS ESCANABA.

Northern Michigan City Suffers Heavy Damage About Docks.

Escanaba, Mich.—In one of the most severe windstorms that ever swept this district, damage amounting to several thousand dollars was done late Tuesday afternoon about the docks and factories of the city. Two tramways, each 300 feet in length, connecting the northwestern ore docks were blown down and completely demolished. Two giant coal hoisting towers, each weighing 400 tons, on the docks of the Reiss coal company, broke from their fastenings and were forced down the track for 300 feet, where they crashed into two stationary towers, badly damaging both runway hoists.

Two sides of the brick boiler house of the Escanaba woodenware plant were blown in, damaging machinery and making it necessary to close down the plant until repairs can be made.

Plea of "Not Guilty" for John D. Findlay, O.—A plea of "not guilty" has been entered in the probate court here by John D. Rockefeller on the charge of violating the anti-trust law through the Standard Oil company. Mr. Rockefeller was not personally in court. He pleaded through an attorney. The defendants in the cases against the pipe lines also pleaded not guilty in the same way and each demanded a separate trial by jury. Judge Banker adjourned until the first Monday in October in order to make this possible. The trials are not to be started on that day, but it is expected that they will.

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Marquette, Mich.—The schoolhouse at Three Lakes, Mich., was struck by lightning and completely wrecked. School was in session, but none of the pupils was killed. Several were made unconscious, and Miss Irene Anderson, the teacher, was badly shocked. Her shoes were torn from her feet by the bolt of lightning.

Banquet to Speaker Cannon.

St. Joseph, Mich.—Eight hundred Republicans attended a banquet given in honor of Speaker Joseph G. Cannon here Wednesday evening. All of the Republican candidates for state offices were in attendance.

Liberty Given the Humberts.

Paris.—The council of ministers authorized M. Clemenceau, minister of the interior, to issue an order for the immediate release of Frederic and Theresa Humbert, under the conditional liberation law.

Fatal Auto Accident.

New York.—Mrs. Michael Kane and Mrs. James Quinn, crossing a street in Far Rockaway, were struck by an automobile. Mrs. Quinn died soon after being taken to a hospital. Her companion was slightly bruised.

Kills Wife and Self.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y.—Raymond C. Rossman, aged 45 years, Monday night shot his wife at Hyde Park, killing her instantly. He then killed himself. Rossman had not been living with his wife for some time.

### U. S. SAILORS ARE LANDED

One Hundred Marines Camp near President's Palace at Havana

JUT ARE SOON RECALLED

Action Was Not Authorized by Washington Officials—Almost Certain That American Power Will Have to Be Increased on the Island

Tampa, Fla., Sept. 14.—A private cablegram received here last night from Cienfuegos, Cuba, states that 100 marines from the United States gunboat Marietta were landed at that place yesterday to protect American interests.

Havana, Sept. 14.—Commander Collwell late last night was shown an Associated Press dispatch from Washington stating that the sailors from the cruiser Denver had been ordered to return. He expressed great astonishment and said he had received no such order; that such action was in violation of the department had not deciphered his code message explaining the situation.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 14.—It was officially announced here late last night that the 120 sailors who were landed at Havana from the American cruiser Denver have been ordered to immediately return to their vessel, save for a small guard which will be left at the American legation. This action followed the receipt of an official report by Acting Secretary Bacon from Mr. Sleeper, the American charge d'affaires at Havana, regarding the landing of men. The report was not made public, but it was announced officially afterward that the sailors were landed from the Denver solely and simply for the protection of the lives and property of American citizens; that such action was in pursuance of a discussion between Mr. Sleeper, the charge, and the naval commander with the belief that it was a wise precaution looking to the protection of the lives and property of the Americans. There was no intention, it is stated, to do otherwise than to safeguard American interests and the services of the sailors were to be utilized only in case of disorders within the city which threatened such interests. That the landing in any way contemplated the protection of either the Cuban government or the insurrectionary government, of President Palma or any other persons than American citizens was disclaimed officially and it was pointed out that this fact could not be emphasized, too strongly.

CAMP NEAR PALACE.

American Sailors Well Prepared for Trouble.

Havana, Sept. 14.—There are 120 sailors from the United States protected cruiser Denver camped in front of the old La Fuerza castle, facing the Plaza de Armas, the little park in front of the presidential palace, which is the seat of the Cuban government. The American flag is planted just inside of the low stone coping separating the castle grounds from O'Reilly street, which thoroughfare passes between the camp and the Plaza de Armas. The American sailors are armed with regulation rifles, with the exception of a few who carry revolvers or carbines. Two field howitzers and two rapid fire guns were sent ashore with the sailors and now point across the pretty little park, a significant warning to any one approaching the executive headquarters of the Cuban government with hostile intent.

The Denver, which originally anchored in the bay, dropped down last evening to a position abreast of the foot of O'Reilly street and in front of the offices of the captain of the port, so as to be conveniently near the detachment sent ashore, and close at hand in case of need.

The whole business was done so quietly and quickly that it caused the greatest surprise. The reason for the sudden landing of the American sailors was a conference between President Palma, Charge Sleeper, and Commander Collwell yesterday afternoon. On the occasion of the latter's formal call upon President Palma, Mr. Sleeper asked the president the direct question whether he considered that the government was able to protect all American interests in Havana unaided. The president replied that he hoped that the government would be able to do so, but himself suggested that it might be advisable as a measure of precaution in the interests of Americans as well as for the maintenance of order in general to land marines at some convenient point, suggesting the Plaza de Armas as the place.

Mr. Sleeper and Commander Collwell, after a brief conference, decided that the landing should be made last evening, and at 5:30 o'clock the detachment, under command of Executive Officer Miller, began coming ashore with arms, ammunition and camp paraphernalia and took up a position commanding the approaches to the palace. Two hours later the commissary outfit followed with supper for the officers and men.

OFFER TO SURRENDER.

Leaders of Rebellion Make Overtures to Americans.

Havana, Sept. 14.—A very extraordinary incident in connection with the presence of an American force in Havana happened late last evening when Commander Collwell was approached by an accredited emissary of Alfredo Zayas, president of the liberal party, and Gen. Loynez del Castillo, commander of the insurgent forces in Havana province, with a signed offer from each of the men named to surrender their commands and hand over their arms to Commander Collwell on the sole condition that the United States government, through him, guarantee them fair and judicial trials.

Commander Collwell immediately carried the proposition to President Palma. The president was immensely pleased and asked Commander Collwell if he would accept the surrenders. Commander Collwell replied in the negative, but advised the president to communicate with the Washington government on the subject, which was done accordingly.

### PUTNAM FADELESS DYES

Color Silk, Wool and Cotton as One Being, Fast, Beautiful Colors. 10c per package.

Patience true is typifying, but it is also empowering. It does a work in us—a perfect worth.—Dr. McEivven.

Facial.

"Don't you think her face too thin?" "Well, I don't know. I can't see any place where it's worn through. Can you?"—Puck.

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Creditor—So you've come around at last to pay me what you owe me, have you?

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With a smooth iron and Defiance Starch, you can launder your shirtwaist just as well at home as the steam laundry can; it will have the proper stiffness and finish, there will be less wear and tear of the goods, and it will be a positive pleasure to use a Starch that does not stick to the iron.

Twelve Good Rules.

Speaking of rules: Do you remember or can you recollect the "Twelve Good Rules" of King Charles I? They are worth pasting in your hat for daily perusal, in case you do not care to memorize them:

1. Uprose no healths.
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8. Keep no bad company.
9. Encourage no vice.
10. Make no long meals.
11. Repeat no grievances.
12. Lay no wagers.—New York Press.

### SICK FOR TEN YEARS.

Constant Backache, Dropsy and Severe Bladder Trouble.

Fred W. Harris, of Chestnut St., Jefferson, Ohio, says: "For over ten years I suffered from kidney disease. The third year my feet and hands would swell and remain puffed up for days at a time. I seemed to have a constant backache. Finally I got so bad that I was laid up in bed with several doctors in attendance. I thought surely I would die. I changed medicine and began using Doan's Kidney Pills when I was still in bed. The relief I found was so great that I kept on until I had taken about ten boxes. The kidney secretions became natural and after years of misery I was cured. I have increased in weight, and show no symptoms of my former trouble."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

But the defeated candidate doesn't care much what else happens.

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Nothing Succeeds Like "EGG-O-SEE"

The man who preaches the best sermon; the man who tells the best stories; the man who keeps the best store; or the man who makes the best goods, soon finds that people come to him. Merit is the best advertisement in the world. People speak well of things they know well of. They pass the good word along.

The best breakfast food is "EGG-O-SEE," for it contains all the life-giving properties of nature's best food, which is wheat.

EGG-O-SEE is deeply in debt to the thousands of wives and mothers who use it in their homes, for these good women tell their neighbors about this great food.

Children and aged persons alike are friends of EGG-O-SEE.

Merit and common sense are things that advertise EGG-O-SEE most. EGG-O-SEE is cheap. A 10-cent package contains ten liberal breakfasts. EGG-O-SEE is sold everywhere. Grocers must keep it if they want to keep their good customers, for good customers insist on buying EGG-O-SEE.

The fact that no preparation, no cooking, is required, makes EGG-O-SEE very popular. Open the package; put in as much as you like in a dish; pour on milk or cream and eat. It is delicious. It is wholesome. It makes you strong.

A lot of interesting facts about EGG-O-SEE have been published in book form entitled, "Back to Nature." This book also has a course of physical culture—fully illustrated. Any one wishing this book will receive it free by addressing EGG-O-SEE Company, 10 First St., Quincy, Ill.

No Fear.

"Bridget," said Mrs. Hiram Osterly, "on my way home just now I saw that policeman who was in the kitchen with you so long last evening, and I took occasion to speak to him."

"Oh! shure, that's all right, ma'am," interrupted Bridget, "O'm not jealous. O! hov him chided."

Sheer white goods, in fact, any wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

Anything but Friendly.

"You astonish me. Your engagement with Miss Welpho is broken, is it?" "Are the relations between you still friendly?"

"I should say not! The relations between us are her relations, and they're my bitter enemies."—Chicago Tribune.

"Cut out hot cream of tartar biscuit" used to be a common, everyday remark among physicians when discussing items of diet for their patients. But alum baking powder biscuits are never mentioned in this respect. Why? Because it's the cream of tartar that is objectionable and injurious, and yet there are some people who to-day continue to use the old cream of tartar baking powder, and wonder why they are always ailing.

Differences.

"You haven't the old buildings nor the development of the drama that we have," said the European.

"No," answered the American. "I suppose it's due to the fact that our building inspectors and police look at things differently."

### STOP, WOMAN!

AND CONSIDER THE ALL-IMPORTANT FACT

That in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private life to a woman—a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers twenty-five years. The present Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, and for many years under her direction, and since her decease, her advice has been freely given to sick women.

Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing full well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty impels them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probable examinations of even their family physician. It is unnecessary. Without money or price you can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation:

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established the eternal confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Out of the vast volume of experience which she has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good-will, and her advice has relieved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.—Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Following we publish two letters from a woman who accepted this invitation. Note the result:

First letter.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—

"For eight years I have suffered something terrible every month. The pains are excruciating and I can hardly stand them. My doctor says I have a severe female trouble, and I must go through an operation if I want to get well. I do not want to submit to it if I can possibly help it. Please tell me what to do. I hope you can relieve me."—Mrs. Mary Dimmock, 52th and E. Capitol Streets, Washington, D. C.

Second letter.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—

"After following carefully your advice, and taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I am very anxious to send you my testimonial, so others may know the same and what you have done for me."

"As you know, I wrote you that my doctor said I must have an operation or I could not live. I then wrote you, telling you my ailments. I followed your advice and am entirely well. I can walk miles without an ache or a pain, and I love my life to you and to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I wish every suffering woman would read this testimonial and realize the value of writing to you and your remedy."—Mrs. Mary Dimmock, 52th and E. Capitol Streets, Washington, D. C.

When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health so many women whose testimony is so unquestionable, you cannot well say, without trying it, "I do not believe it will help me." You are ill, don't hesitate to get a box of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free and always helpful.

# HAY FEVER

"Having used Peruna for catarrh and hay fever, I can recommend it to all who are suffering with the above diseases. I am happy to be able to say it has helped me wonderfully."  
—Mayne E. Smith.



MISS MAYNE SMITH.

HAY FEVER is endemic catarrh. It is caused by some irritating substance in the atmosphere during the late summer months. It is generally thought that the pollen of certain weeds and flowers is the cause of it. Change of locality seems to be the only rational cure. The use of Peruna, however, stimulates the nervous system to resist the effect of the poisonous emanations and sometimes carries the victim through the hay fever season without an attack of the disease. A large number of people rely upon Peruna for this purpose. Those who do not find it convenient to change their location to avoid Hay Fever would do well to give Peruna a trial. It has proven of priceless value to many people.

**Lincoln as a Lawyer.**  
A leader of the Lincoln party told the other day in Philadelphia a story of the astuteness of Lincoln as a lawyer.

"When Lincoln was practicing law," he said, "he had a case involving a disputed will. The opposition claimed the will was genuine and for several hours adduced proof of this. For Lincoln, who had to prove the will a forgery, things looked bleak.

"Lincoln, however, only called one witness, a retired paper manufacturer, renowned the country over for his wealth and probity.

"Mr. Dash," Lincoln said to this witness, handing him the disputed will, "please hold that paper up to the light and tell us what is the watermark on it."

"The water mark of my own firm Blank & Co.," the witness answered.

"When did your firm begin to manufacture paper?"

"In 1841."

"And what's the date of the document in your hands?"

"August 11, 1836."

"That is enough. Gentlemen of the jury our case is closed."

**When Woman Isn't Young.**  
The report is that a local religious institution which is for "young women" has drawn the deadline of youth at 35. Every woman over that age will be marked 23 and requested to skidoo. This is painful. It is unkind. What is worse, it is impracticable. We are glad the task is to be performed by women. No man nor set of men would ever have dared tackle such a problem—not they. This is simply another example of woman's inhumanity to woman.

We have been told for many ages that a woman is as old as she looks and a man is as old as he feels. Just now, we say it with regret, most women look like 60 and most men feel like Methuselah. But the general rule seems a good one. It is a plain, unpalatable fact that women will deceive as to their age as long as possible and then openly lie about it. There are many women who were born during the ravages of the civil war who still claim sweetly to be in the thirties.

The natives of the Malay peninsula have in use the smallest current coin in the world. It is a sort of wafer, made from the resinous juice of a tree, and is worth about one-twenty thousandth of a cent.

## HOW MANY OF US?

**Fail to Select Food Nature Demands to Ward Off Ailments.**

A Ky. lady, speaking about food, says: "I was accustomed to eating all kinds of ordinary food until, for some reason, indigestion and nervous prostration set in.

"After I had run down seriously my attention was called to the necessity of some change in my diet, and I discontinued my ordinary breakfast and began using Grape-Nuts with a good quantity of rich cream.

"In a few days my condition changed in a remarkable way, and I began to have a strength that I had never before possessed, and a vigor of body and a poise of mind that amazed me. It was entirely new to my experience.

"My former attacks of indigestion had been accompanied by heat flashes, and many times my condition was distressing, with blind spots of dizziness, rush of blood to the head and neuralgic pains in the chest.

"Since using Grape-Nuts alone for breakfast I have been free from these troubles, except at times when I have indulged in rich, greasy foods. In quantity, then, I would be warned by a pain under the left shoulder blade, and unless I heeded the warning the old trouble would come back, but when I finally got to know where those troubles originated I returned to my Grape-Nuts and cream and the pain and disturbance left very quickly.

"I am now in prime health as a result of my use of Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

# IOWA STATE NEWS

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

## MYSTERY IN GIRL'S DEATH.

**Telephone Girl From Eldora Passes Away at Des Moines.**

Des Moines—Mystery that carries with it reminders of the famous Schofield murder case surrounds the death of Miss Irene Blydenburg, a handsome telephone operator of Eldora, which occurred in Des Moines under an assumed name, at the residence of M. Hillias, 1907 Clark street.

Physicians who performed a hurried post-mortem at the request of County Attorney E. C. Seaton of Hardin county and Coroner Beck declare positively that "the examination reveals no signs of criminality and that death was the result of peritonitis," but Frank Blydenburg, her brother, who reached the city five minutes after the examination was completed, declares he will investigate reports that his sister died as the result of a criminal operation or from other unnatural causes prior to her being placed in charge of physicians.

The young woman is the daughter of Ebenezer F. Blydenburg, who is now in the state penitentiary serving sentence for killing his wife about three years ago. The girl has borne a good reputation in Eldora. Strange facts and reports combine to make the case mystifying and startling. On the afternoon of the 7th the young woman, under the name of Irene Edwards, was taken from the Cook boarding house, 827 Sixth avenue, and was driven in a carriage, accompanied by Dr. E. G. Gadd, to the Hillias residence on Clark street. She was very sick, the disease being of a private nature, Dr. Gadd states, and the physician carried her from the cab to the Hillias home. Dr. W. W. Maple was called into consultation. Confined in this house the young woman grew worse until her death occurred shortly after noon of the 11th. She was cared for during this time by Dr. Gadd.

Mystery entered the case when the police were notified by unknown persons late in the forenoon that an abortion was about to be performed in the Hillias home, and this mystery was deepened a few minutes later by another report from the same source that the operation had been performed and that the girl was dead. More mystery developed when Coroner Beck, until then unaware of the death, was informed over long distance telephone by County Attorney Seaton of Eldora that Miss Irene Blydenburg had died in Des Moines and that a thorough investigation was desired.

Des Moines—H. B. Dickinson, 1154 Twenty-third street, insurance solicitor for the American Life, was arrested at 10 o'clock on the 13th in answer for the murder of Irene Blydenburg, the handsome telephone operator of Eldora, whose dead body was found under mysterious circumstances at the home of M. Hillias, 1907 Clark street, on the 11th.

Dickinson, it is alleged, met the girl in Eldora; there got out with her in a carriage and what with drinking and with solicitation accomplished her ruin. He discovered her plight, so the girl claimed in her ante-mortem statement, and brought her to this city. Here she was under the care of E. G. Gadd, hired, so Gadd claims, by Dickinson, taken to the room in the Mrs. Cook boarding house, the rent of which was paid by Dickinson, so Mrs. Cook claims, and was then after an effort was made to save her life taken to the M. Hillias home, for a reason not yet divulged satisfactorily by the reticent physician.

Des Moines—Not satisfied with the arrest of H. B. Dickinson, charged with the murder of Irene Blydenburg of Eldora, the Des Moines authorities are taking up further clues and will carry their investigations to the point where further arrests may be made.

It was testified to before the grand jury on the 13th by Dr. E. G. Gadd, who has been sensationally mixed in the murder case, that H. B. Dickinson came to his office with another man who aided in arranging with Dr. Gadd for the care of the murdered girl. Who this man is has been disclosed to the police, and his connection with the case will be determined without delay. It is claimed he is a prominent lawyer in Des Moines, and to have been Dickinson's adviser in the entire Blydenburg matter.

Dickinson was arraigned on the 13th. He was taken to the justice court of Justice Duncan and there was met by his attorneys. He pleaded not guilty and when told that his bonds had been fixed at \$5,000 he turned pale.

"My God, I can never raise that much," he said.

Upon default he was taken to the Polk county jail and there incarcerated in the St. Louis cell, a cell set apart for alleged murderers and for criminals charged with the most serious crimes. His preliminary hearing will be held Sept. 24.

## ROCKER FOUND GUILTY.

**Verdict of Conviction in First Degree Returned.**

Sibley.—The jury in the Rocker murder case, after deliberating fifteen hours, found Charles Rocker of murderer in the first degree and recommended that he be imprisoned for life.

The jury on the first ballot stood six for acquittal and six for conviction. For fifty or more ballots thereafter they were nine for conviction and three for acquittal, finally returning an agreement as above.

Rocker was charged with the murder of August Schroeder in Lyon county in 1900. He afterwards married Schroeder's widow, who testified that she first learned of the crime by hearing Rocker talking in his sleep.

Rocker was tried in Rock Rapids and was convicted May 1, 1904, and sentenced to hang, but a new trial was granted by the supreme court, this being the second hearing of the case.

**Lovesick Youth Commits Suicide.**  
Council Bluffs.—Returning to his Council Bluffs, to his home from the carnival grounds, a brief meeting with aged twenty-two, John W. Dolson, into his body just fired two bullets, and is expected to die of the heart, and is expected to die of the heart, and is expected to die of the heart.

**Tetanus Ends Girl's Life.**  
Clinton.—Mary Schurchard, a 12-year-old girl, died of tetanus caused by stepping on a rusty nail some time ago and blood poison resulted.

## HAMMERY IS NAMED.

**But Says He Will Not Run For Gov. error on Populist Ticket.**

Des Moines—Alderman J. L. Hammetry of Des Moines was nominated for governor by the people's party of Iowa at the state convention of that organization held at the Iowa hotel on the 11th. The alderman insists, however, that he will not be the party's candidate.

The convention was well attended. A large number of representatives of organized labor and members of the Independence league co-operated with the populists in the gathering. The achievements of Mr. Hammetry in fighting to purify the city of Des Moines had appealed strongly to the delegates and when his name was proposed it was greeted with genuine enthusiasm.

The people's party congratulates itself upon the allegation that many of its tenets are rapidly being adopted in our governmental activities by the old parties in power. The populists, on the other hand, have no use for socialism and challenge the advocates of that doctrine to debate on the relative tenets of the two faiths. One of the features of the convention was the absence of the Hon. L. H. Weller of Nashua, dubbed by the republicans many years ago as "Calamity" Weller. Mr. Weller is very sick at his home in Nashua. His populist compatriots sent him a message of good cheer in the form of a nomination for supreme judge. He is still on his 340 acre farm near Nashua, in Chickasaw county. He has expended more than \$27,000 in the cause of populism in the last twelve years and in other ways has shown his faith in the principles of that organization.

J. R. Norman of Albia, who was re-elected state chairman, presided over the convention. S. M. Harvey of Des Moines was secretary.

## BIG RAILROAD SCHEME.

**Line From Alberta to Gulf is Projected at Des Moines.**

Des Moines—One of the most ambitious railroad projects of the twentieth century is being projected in Des Moines. A steam road connecting the great Canadian northwest by direct route with the Gulf of Mexico ports is being projected by E. A. Harris and his associates in the Des Moines & Northern Railroad company and by Philadelphia capitalists now in the city. Alberta at the north and Port Royal, Texas, at the south are the two objective points in the gigantic railroad scheme. The road as projected would pass through Minneapolis, St. Paul, Des Moines, St. Louis, Louisville, Ky., and through the richest of the Mississippi valley country.

None of the promoters of the line is willing to give much information concerning it, but it is known the eastern capitalists are much interested in the project. Their agents are now at work in cities along the proposed route. J. W. Keneval and W. H. Cogswell are now in Des Moines on this matter.

## DELTA FIRE LOSS \$25,000.

**Principal Buildings and Stores Wiped Out.**

Oskaloosa.—Delta suffered a \$25,000 loss in the business section at 2 o'clock on the morning of the 11th by fire originating in Hunt's restaurant. The only means of fighting the flames was a volunteer bucket brigade, but the building burned so rapidly little could be saved. The principal losses are: Hunt's restaurant, \$1,000; J. B. Randall, building, \$1,500; Reid & Son, clothing store, \$5,000; Reid & Son, building, \$1,500; Wharton, building and stock, \$4,000; Whistler, building, \$1,500; B. A. Johnson, building, \$1,200; damage to east side of street, \$3,000.

The amount of insurance carried is not known.

## Drowned in Snallow Water.

Iowa City.—Two boys, Glenn and Wayne Flynn, aged ten and twelve years, were drowned in Hovels creek near Riverside.

The boys were in wading when one slipped into a deep hole. In attempting to rescue him the other was dragged in. In the struggle both were drowned.

The bodies were recovered some hours later. The parents are prostrated.

## Marsh to Succeed Walsh.

Waterloo.—Information from a private source, but known to be authentic, is to the effect that W. W. Marsh of Waterloo will be appointed national committeeman to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Charles A. Walsh.

## Oil at Maquoketa.

Maquoketa.—Great excitement prevails in Maquoketa over the alleged discovery of oil on the farm of Samuel Earle. Samples of the oil are being exhibited in the stores and it is said to be of an excellent quality.

## Found Dead in Bed.

Cedar Rapids.—Joseph Penderleek, a young man twenty-five years of age, was found dead in bed by his roommate with two bullet holes in his right temple. No cause is known for the rash act.

## Rifle Ball Cuts Oesophagus.

Davenport.—Harry Pohlmann, a sixteen-year-old lad, accidentally shot himself with a rifle while in the barn shooting rats. The bullet penetrated the oesophagus, barely missing the windpipe.

## Shoe Thief Captured.

Muscatine.—Frank Hoff, the robber who broke into the North Star shoe store in Davenport, was caught by Muscatine. He was peddling the shoes which he had stolen.

## Crazed By Drink.

Council Bluffs.—Crazed by the effects of too much drink, John Ward fired two shots from a revolver into a crowd of children playing on the street, but hit no one.

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## The Age of Lead.

We are wont to speak of this era as the "age of iron," and there is no gainsaying that, industrially speaking, iron is a "precious metal."

Nevertheless, few people realize how useful, if not absolutely necessary, to modern civilization, is that other metal, lead. Soft, yielding, malleable, it is not much like its sister metal, but those distinguishing qualities are what give it such a prominent place in the arts and industries.

Modern plumbing, requiring many turnings and twistings, but with tight joints, would be almost impossible without lead pipe. The greatest civilizing agent in the world—the printing art—is absolutely dependent on lead. Hand-set type, linotype "slugs," monotype type—all are made of compositions of which lead is the chief component—to say nothing of the bearings in the presses as well as all other kinds of machinery in which "babblit" metal is used.

Solder is another lead product—what a field of usefulness that one form opens up. Then there is the most important use of all to which lead is put—paint, that necessary material which keeps our houses looking pretty—inside and out—and preserves them from decay.

How many of us thank metallic lead for the comforts of paint? Yet the best house paint is nothing but metallic lead corroded by acid to a white powder known as "white lead." Of course, there are many imitations of "white lead," some of which are sold as white lead and some which are offered by the name of ready-prepared paint under the familiar pretense that they are "just as good" as white lead. But all good paint is made of the metal, lead, corroded and ground to a fine white powder and mixed with linseed oil.

White lead is also used in the coating of fine oil cloths and for many purposes besides paint. "Red lead" is another product of metallic lead and is what is known as an oxide of lead, being produced by burning the metal. Red lead is the best paint known to preserve iron, steel or tin, and is used largely in painting metal structures, such as skyscraper skeletons, mills and bridges.

There are many other products of the metal lead, such as litharge, orange mineral, etc., which are essential to many of the arts in which we never imagine that lead would be of the least use.

Verily, we live in an age of lead as well as of iron.

**States of Brazil.**  
Politically, Brazil is divided into 21 states (including the federal district), but so unequal in the division that three of these embrace practically her entire lowlands, as well as a portion of the western uplands, and exceed in area the remaining 18, which lie within the highland region, except for their narrow margins upon the coast. These latter, however, contain more than 96 per cent. of the population.

## TERRIBLE SCALY ECZEMA.

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"I had an eruption appear on my chest and body and extend upwards and downwards, so that my neck and face were all broken out; also my arms and the lower limbs as far as the knees. I at first thought it was pruritus, but soon scales or crusts formed where the breaking out was. Instead of going to a physician I purchased a complete treatment of the Cuticura Remedies, in which I had great faith, and all was satisfactory. A year or two later the eruption appeared again, only a little lower; but before it had time to spread I procured another supply of the Cuticura Remedies, and continued their use until the cure was complete. It is now five years since the last attack, and have not seen any signs of a return. I have more faith in Cuticura Remedies for skin diseases than anything I know of. Emma E. Wilson, Liscomb, Iowa, Oct. 1, 1905."

**Subject for Another Lecture.**  
"Oh, dear," exclaimed Mrs. Slapdash, when they were finally seated in the carriage. "I've only got one of my earrings on. I left the other on my dressing table."

"Huh!" grunted her husband, "just like my lectures on your carelessness—in one ear and out the other."

**Dodd's Kidney Pills.**  
He had crossed her and she was in a dangerous mood. "See!" she hissed, pointing her finger at him, "see how you have worked up my feelings. Why, I am purple with rage."

But the young man only smiled. "So becoming," he mused, softly. "What is becoming, sir?"

"Why, the purple. It just matches that purple waist you have on." And the next moment she was all smiles and telling her girl friends that George was the cleverest chap in the world.

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**Parasols for Parisian Horses.**  
The Paris jehu, not noted for the mercy he shows his horse, is of the opinion that the sunburnt is too hot for the beast. Therefore, some of the drivers have provided their animal with parasols, strapped to their heads.

**War on Liquor and Tobacco.**  
The Kansas Anti-Liquor Society has adopted a new plan to fight the liquor traffic. It is making free a recipe for the cure of the liquor habit. It can be given secretly in coffee or food. Also one for the tobacco habit that can be given secretly. The only request they make is that you do not sell the recipe, but give it to those who need it. Their address is John B. Gray Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

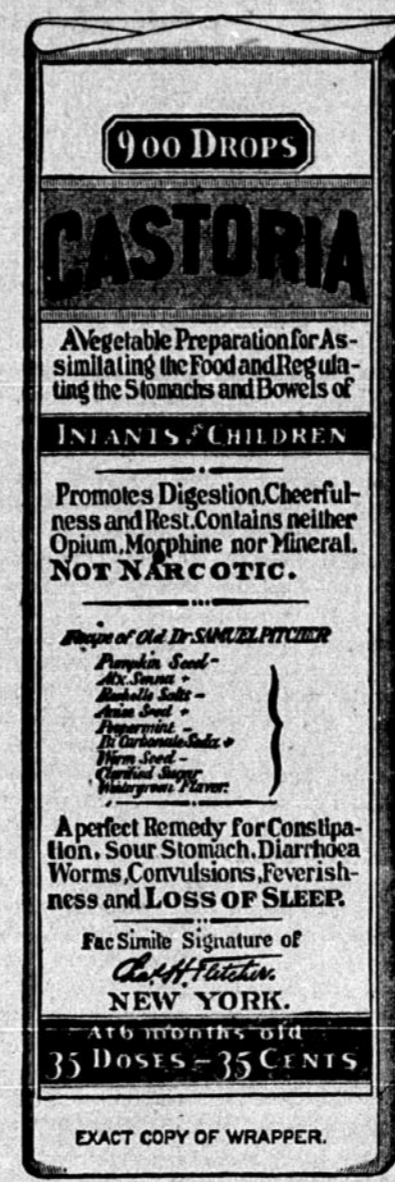
**Charged for Using French.**  
For speaking French to him, a janitor of a fashionable hotel was charged with using French in his bill.

**Wanted for Kissing Sprung.**  
A man who was charged with kissing a woman was wanted for kissing sprung.

**Wanted for Finding a Friend.**  
A man who was wanted for finding a friend was wanted for finding a friend.

# Physicians Recommend Castoria

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## Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. B. Halstead Scott, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria often for infants during my practice, and find it very satisfactory."

Dr. William Belmont, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "Your Castoria stands first in its class. In my thirty years of practice I can say I never have found anything that so filled the place."

Dr. J. H. Taft, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria and found it an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. The formula is excellent."

Dr. R. J. Hamlen, of Detroit, Mich., says: "I prescribe your Castoria extensively, as I have never found anything to equal it for children's troubles. I am aware that there are imitations in the field, but I always see that my patients get Fletcher's."

Dr. Wm. J. McCran, of Omaha, Neb., says: "As the father of thirteen children I certainly know something about your great medicine, and aside from my own family experience I have in my years of practice found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

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Dr. R. M. Ward, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Physicians generally do not prescribe proprietary preparations, but in the case of Castoria my experience, like that of many other physicians, has taught me to make an exception. I prescribe your Castoria in my practice because I have found it to be a thoroughly reliable remedy for children's complaints. Any physician who has raised a family, as I have, will join me in heartiest recommendation of Castoria."

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OSKALOOSA.

Mrs. Susan Allen and Miss Stella Ringo spent Sunday in Buxton.

Misses Ethel Buckner and Mamie Kimbrough returned home with the young ladies after visiting for several days.

Mrs. Cora Franklin and daughters, Misses Jessie and Luella, after having spent three weeks in Missouri, returned to the city.

Henry Baker, of Bronville, Mo., passed through the city recently, en route to Buxton.

CLINTON HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Chas. Cason and children who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson for the past four weeks returned to their home in Ottumwa Monday.

Jas. W. Cooper of Morrison spent Sunday with his mother in Clinton.

Frank P. Chisholm, representing the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute of which Booker T. Washington is principal, is in the city.

One of the important events to take place during the past week in Clinton, was the formation of a Womans society to be known as the Loyal Club.

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