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CITY NEWS.

Mrs. Mary Miles of Chicago is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Rhodes.

Miss Florence Gaiter entertained a number of young ladies informly Wednesday evening.

Mr. Branam R. Hyde will soon leave for Ames, to attend the Agricultural College again this year.

Our city is entertaining the Iowa and Nebraska State Baptist Association this week there are some strong men here this week.

A number of young people gave a picnic at Union Park Monday. The afternoon was spent in games after which supper was served.

Miss Jessie Bell entertained a few friends last Friday in honor of Miss Hazel Snaugh, of Atchinson, Kan., a good time was reported.

Miss Lawson of Leavenworth, Kan., is in our city visiting, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Todd, she is a stenographer there and an active young lady.

Miss Lena Williams arrived in the city this week from Keosauqua, to be the guest of Miss Ada Hyde. She was accompanied by Mrs. Allen of Keosauqua.

Mr. Jas. E. Todd, of Estherville, is in the city, visiting his family and old associates. James is looking well and will remain here for a week doing some repair work at his home.

Mr. E. T. Blagburn, who has been very sick for the past several months, took a relapse Sunday but at this writing is resting easy, his friends are much alarmed over his condition yet.

Mrs. J. R. Erickson and Mrs. John Woodson returned Thursday evening from Rock Island, where they enjoyed a very pleasant visit, they are very much impressed with the trip.

Mrs. L. J. Courtney, entertained a few of her friends last Friday in honor of Miss Ida Logan of St. Joe, Mo. A six course luncheon was served; and all the guest reported a pleasant time.

Dr. A. G. Edwards of Omaha came to Des Moines Thursday night and perform an operation at Mercy hospital this morning. He has many patients who would like to keep him here.

Mrs. Lu Burrell and two daughters of Omaha, are in our city attending the State Baptist Association, while here they will be the guest of their brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Burrell at 1055 W. 5th, street.

Mr. R. A. Whittington of London, England, arrived in our city this week to enter the theological department of Drake University. He is a native of England and belongs to the Christian denomination.

A party of young ladies who enjoyed a jolly dinner party Sunday was composed of Mrs. Gertrude Cannaday, Misses Tabitha Mash, Nellie Leftage, Fannie Todd of Topeka, Kan., and Mrs. Lawson of Leavenworth, Kan.

Mr. J. H. Weeks, one of Ottumwa's substantial citizens who is now at Colfax for his health, visited his brother J. R. Weeks of this city a few days this week. Mr. Weeks was quite favorably impressed with our city and is thinking seriously of locating here.

Archie Alexander a graduate of Des Moines, high school who spent a year in Highland Park College, will leave this week for the State University at Iowa City, because the Highland Park school has closed its doors against Colored students.

Mr. Walter Mash, of Spokane, Wash., arrived in our city two weeks ago to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kurtley on east Maple street. She will visit Albany, Mo., the guest of Mollie Watkins, then to Kansas City and return here before leaving for the Northwest.

Married at the residence of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bell of east Maple street, Miss Gertrude Bell to Mr. Leon Harris of Davenport, last Wednesday Sept. 9th., only a few relatives of the contracting parties were present, a 1 o'clock dinner was served and thus the happy parties sat down the matrimonial life with the best wishes of all.

Mr. Clyde Branham, of Fremont, Neb., who has been in the city visiting his sister Mrs. Bell and cousin Mr. Branham Hyde, left for his home Wednesday evening. He is a student

in the high school there and plays in the band of that city.

Miss Tabitha Mash entertained a company of friends Wednesday evening to meet Miss Fannie Todd, of Topeka, Kan., and Miss Lawson of Ft. Leavenworth. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing cards and games and delicious refreshments were served Mr. Clyde Branham of Fremont, Neb., was one of the out of town visitors.

Large crowds are attending Dr. Griffin meetings at the Burnes M. E. church on 12th.; and Crocker street, white and colored are taking part in these union services men and women are rushing forward for prayer. Services all day Sunday, sunrise prayer meeting, preaching at 11 a. m., holy ghost meeting at 3 p. m., Dr. Griffin will preach Sunday night, subject, "Moses leading 300,000 of people out of the land of Egypt." He will lecture on the prodigal girl and the mother's love, everybody is welcome.

On Tuesday evening the 8th, at the home of Miss Zolphia Hockaday on Crocker street, the Des Moines Negro Lyceum met with a large number of members present. After the transaction of business, the program for the evening, which consisted of quotations from William Cullen Bryant; Debate: "Should the American Negro colonize and segregate himself from the white American?" and recitation, Miss Tabitha Mash, was rendered. Owing to the absence of Mr. Dellinger, one of the affirmative speakers, and Mr. Mason Hall, one of the negative speakers, it was decided to have a general discussion of the subject for debate, Atty S. Job Brown speaking on the affirmative side and Mr. George Mason speaking on the negative side; each speaker presenting a strong argument. Original ideas were introduced by various members, which were interesting and instructive.

Resolutions of condolence were unanimously adopted out of respect for the death of Mr. Cary, father of Miss Letta Cary, an esteemed member of the Lyceum.

Mr. Harrison Gauld was present and made a few interesting remarks. The club then adjourned to meet on next Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. Geo. Mason. Quotations from John Greenleaf Whittier; Whittier's biography, Wm. Warricks, writings, Lillian Fields; recitation, one of his poems, Mrs. Mattie Warricks; Whittier's views on the slavery question. Lettie Cary; Whittier's style of writing compared with Longfellow's, Mrs. S. Joe Brown; current events, Mrs. H. W. Hughes; report of critic. All members are requested to be present and visitors are welcome.

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Highland Park College Closed Against Negro.

It was rumored to us last week and confirmed this week that Highland Park Normal College of this city has refused to admit Colored students this fall to the college. Prof. H. O. Longwell stated that as they draw a large number of their students from the south, these students objected to go with Colored students and they lost those southern students. The young Colored man who applied was Archie Alexander, the son of Price Alexander of Highland Park, who is one of our choice young men a graduate of the Des Moines High school and had entered Highland Park College last year in the engineers department and would have been a sophomore this year. We are indeed surprised at the College action. It is perfectly outrageous to have allowed the young man to have spent one year there, and then cut him off without a reason. We have nothing but condemnation for such a so-called College and even less respect for such a so-called president that would for a moment think of such a thing in Iowa, this school ought to be boycotted by the educated of the entire north. It is a blot upon our state a sham to civilization and outrage upon education, the very idea of closing the door of hope the door of liberal education, the door of equal opportunity to a boy, because of color is ridiculous, and the utopian spirit of modern times should laugh this spirit into shame.

"Men who were paid from the money obtained from the pockets of the people of this city to protect life and property; men who were ordered by the heads of departments of police to go out and disperse the mob, not only failed to use a club, handle a pistol or raise a voice against the mob and on the side of law and order, but some are shown to have assisted in doing the work that has wrought destruction to thousands of dollars worth of property and has brought the blush of shame to every law abiding citizen of this city. Men, who, under oath, were bound, and who, had they acted promptly, could have driven back to the obscurity from whence it came, the mob that for a time assumed to hold Springfield in its bloody grasp. "We recommend that the civil service commission of the city of Springfield, without fear or favor and while evidence can easily be obtained, determine, by fair trial, who failed to prove himself a worthy member of the force and deal with him accordingly. "We further recommend that the civil service commission inquire diligently into the so-called 'third degree' or 'sweating' process said to be carried on in various cases at the city prison and if it is found that after an arrest a prisoner is struck by hand or club, or otherwise mistreated the same be stopped."

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SPRINGFIELD RIOTERS WILL SUFFER.

The good people of Springfield, Ill., are going to make some of those drunken rioters suffer for their acts of a few weeks ago. Already the woman who led the mob in destroying Mr. Loper's cafe and in killing innocent colored men has killed herself. This last week the special grand jury that was summoned has indicted

117 of those guilty parties, and among them are 4 police officers who disobeyed orders and failed to do their sworn duty. Below we print a part of the jury's report. It is good and we indorse every word:

Sheriff Warner, Chief of Police Wilbur Morris, Captain Charles Walsh of Troop D, Springfield, and other officers are commended by the grand jury.

The report condemns alleged "cowards" among the officers and says: After the most diligent inquiry we condemn in unmeasured terms the cowardly, contemptuous action of those members of the police force who, having taken the oath of office, failed to do their duty.

"Men who were paid from the money obtained from the pockets of the people of this city to protect life and property; men who were ordered by the heads of departments of police to go out and disperse the mob, not only failed to use a club, handle a pistol or raise a voice against the mob and on the side of law and order, but some are shown to have assisted in doing the work that has wrought destruction to thousands of dollars worth of property and has brought the blush of shame to every law abiding citizen of this city. Men, who, under oath, were bound, and who, had they acted promptly, could have driven back to the obscurity from whence it came, the mob that for a time assumed to hold Springfield in its bloody grasp. "We recommend that the civil service commission of the city of Springfield, without fear or favor and while evidence can easily be obtained, determine, by fair trial, who failed to prove himself a worthy member of the force and deal with him accordingly. "We further recommend that the civil service commission inquire diligently into the so-called 'third degree' or 'sweating' process said to be carried on in various cases at the city prison and if it is found that after an arrest a prisoner is struck by hand or club, or otherwise mistreated the same be stopped."

ALBIA NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler and son Lawrence of Buxton spent Sunday in Albia.

The Sewing Circle held their last meeting for this conference year at the home of Mrs. Ester.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Bell and Miss Dorecia spent Friday in Hocking.

Mr. Ross of Missouri returned home after making a few weeks visit Mrs. Hogan.

Rev. J. H. Bell held his last services Sunday evening, a special song services was given by the young people.

Quite a number of strangers were in town last week.

The Albia high school begins Monday with a number of our girls enrolled as pupils if they will only continue until graduation.

Mr. Chas. Parker has treated his house to a new coat of paint which adds to its looks.

Uncle Doc Brummer has been quite ill for the past few weeks.

MOLINE (ILL.) GREETINGS

The St. Paul's church held its farewell reception Monday evening. The reports for the year were made after which refreshments were served.

Rev. and Mrs. Lewis departed Tuesday morning for Keokuk to attend the annual conference.

Rev. Wilkison from Council Bluffs, Ia., arrived in the city last week and held his first service at the Tabernacle Baptist church Sunday.

Messrs Joseph Payton from Oska-loosa, and Udell Tomlin from Muscatine spent a few days with Miss Mayota E. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Buckner entertained at a dinner party Sunday, the honored guests were, Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Delward and Misses Mable Hall and Lydia Crawford.

Mrs. Marion Scott assisted by her husband chaperoned her Sunday school class at a picnic Labor Day. The merry party went to the I. and I park, after an elaborate dinner, games were played and at a late hour they departed for home, each one declared they had had the time of their lives and wished that Labor Day would return next week.

Miss Mildred Davis from Palmyra, Miss, is visiting her sisters Mrs. Bis-hop and Miss Sarah Davis.

Messdames George Scott and Pater-

son and Messrs James Colquh and C. R. Walkup departed Tuesday evening for Keokuk where they will attend the annual conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Colquh entertained at a dinner party Sunday, the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bright, of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood, Mr. Bailey and Miss Mayota E. Wood.

Mrs. Edward Robinson departed for her home in Chicago Saturday.

Mr. Robert Bradley of Michigan is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rufus Pheonix and son Mr. Earl Bradley.

GALESBURG (ILL.) NEWS.

Miss Bertha Bates, of Davenport, is visiting Miss Mattie Mason.

Miss Minnie Berry left this week for Pontiac to visit her brother.

Mr. Ralph Burnage and Ernest Bates of Kewanee were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Gertude Lucas of Bedford, Ia., spent a few days visiting her brother Roy Lucas. Miss Lucas left Tuesday for Wilberforce to attend school.

Miss Rhoda Show of Peoria is visiting her sister Mrs. Anna Worthington.

Miss Hattie Kimbrow and Miss Clara Blackwell have returned to Springfield after a visit with Mrs. Geo. Kimbrow.

Miss Dimple Christberg has returned from a visit in Lincoln, Ill.

Mrs. Geo. Fletcher Sr. and Mrs. Ella Brown left last week for a visit in Keokuk and Council Bluffs.

Miss Alice Berry and sister of Louisiana, Mo., are the guest of their brother on east Berrien street.

Mrs. H. Wells entertained in honor of Miss Madeline Callender of Peoria Miss Callender returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Lyons died Wednesday at her home on east North street, after an illness of eight months. The funeral was held Friday afternoon at the residence in charge of the Rev. S. B. Moore of the A. M. E. church assisted by Rev. N. Alexander, Mrs. Logan was a member of the A. M. E. church and the Eastern Star Lodge. The remains were taken to Hannibal, Mo., accompanied by her husband and son.

Mrs. Maggie Catlett, of Aurora, Andrew and James Turpin of LaGrange, Mo., Miss Turpin, and Mrs. Hazelwood of Peoria and Mr. Frank Turpin of LaGrange have returned to their respective homes after attending the funeral of their father and brother Mr. Harry Turpin.

MONMOUTH NEWS.

Mrs. Harry Ashby, of Keokuk was the guest of Mrs. J. G. Johnson last week.

Miss Nettie Neri left Sunday for Joplin, where she will teach in the public schools.

Rev. E. L. Scruggs returned Saturday from Alton, where he attended the Wood River Baptist Association.

The Misses Pearl Tracy, Susie Williams Nettie and Essie Nell and Messrs. Eliga and Preston Wallace were visitors in Galesburg Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Wallace of Galesburg, spent Monday in Monmouth.

Mr. Elmer Richardson of Galesburg, was seeing the sights here Labor Day. Rev. S. McDowell, pastor of the A. M. E. church, left Wednesday for Keokuk to attend the annual conference.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Johnson and Mrs. Harry Ashby spent Sunday in Galesburg.

Monday evening with a grand ball. A splendid time is reported.

Little Freddie McDavis has returned from Keokuk where he has spent several weeks visiting his grandma. His little sister Greta will remain awhile longer.

Mrs. W. L. Warren who has been ill for a few days is still improving and hopes to be among her friends again soon.

DAVENPORT ITEMS.

The ladies of the A. M. E. church gave a farewell reception to the pastor Rev. W. W. Williams Tuesday night.

Mrs. Meadock and family of Bloomington, Ill., have come to Davenport to make their home at 332 West Tenth street.

Edward Sample of 935 Brown street returned home after spending several weeks in Chicago learning the automobile trade.

Mrs. C. Carter of 636 Samuel street, left this morning to visit her mother in Fairfield, Ia.

Mrs. F. M. Lewis of West 412 Tenth street after spending a week in St. Paul and Minneapolis, returned home this morning reporting a very nice trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert of South Rock Island attended the last quarterly meeting of this conference year Sunday.

Mrs. Leslie's son of 321 West Tenth street left this morning for Ottumwa to make his future home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Johnson have removed to their home, 636 Laurel street. Mrs. Brown who recently moved to St. Louis has returned to Davenport to make her home.

Mrs. W. W. Ballard of 439 West Tenth street, entertained the Autumn Leaf club last week. After the routine of business light refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Bavode of Chicago has been in the city for the past week visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bertie Bavode on West Thirteenth street.

The Odd Fellows picnic at northwest Davenport Turner Hall Monday evening was a grand success. Speeches were made by some of the prominent citizens of the tri cities.

Rev. W. W. Williams of Bethel A. M. E. church bid farewell to his congregation Tuesday night at the reception and left Wednesday morning for Conference.

There are a good many people attending the carnival here this week.

The last quarterly conference of this year was held at Bethel A. M. E. church Sunday. Presiding Elder Phillips preached morning and evening.

Mr. E. Green left Saturday for Keokuk to attend the conference. He will return home Monday.

The lawn social to have been given by Mrs. Shelton's club was postponed on account of so much going on.

Don't be afraid to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to your children. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. It always cures. For sale by all druggists.

WASHINGTON, IOWA, NOTES.

(Last Week.)

The Misses Cordelia and Marie Whaley are home from their visit in Missouri.

Mrs. Geo. W. Black and daughter Ruth enjoyed ten days visit in Oska-loosa with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Grayson of Superior, Wis., Mrs. Dickson and Miss Strothers of Beloit, Wis., visited the past fortnight with the Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Stovall. Last Sunday Mrs. Dickson gave a very interesting talk during the services at the church in the evening. She is a very enthusiastic church worker.

Mrs. Anna Rushing is home from a visit with relatives at Moine and Rock Island, Ill.

Mrs. Grayson of Superior, Wis., and Mrs. Stovall visited at Fairfield Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Shelton and children have returned to their home in Chicago after a two weeks visit with relatives and friends.

Hayes Crayton entertained the Misses Blanch and Hattie Shelton at a 5 o'clock dinner at his home three miles east of the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Marie Redd will make a visit to Chicago in the near future to be a guest of the miles Shelton home.

Nettie Campbell is home from a visit with friends at Oska-loosa.

The social at the parsonage Wednesday evening was a success financially and socially.

Rev. Stovall leaves next week for conference at Keokuk.

For a Sprained Ankle.

A sprained ankle may be cured in about one-third the time usually required, by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely, and giving it absolute rest. For sale by all druggists.

Devices of Defense.

Who could be more perfect defense than the device of the moon-hen? She sinks herself in the water beneath an overhanging root or bank, leaving only her bill in sight. And that looks like a fallen leaf. You may stand within six feet of her and she will not move, so sure is she that her ruse will succeed.—London Evening Standard.

Boiled Down.

What of hearing my 'sugary words,' are you, Pulsatilla Corkins? howled the indignant Orlando. "Perhaps you will be kind enough to tell me, Miss Corkins, what a sugary word is? What is it made of?"

"It is made, Mr. Spoonamore," answered the fair Pulsatilla, "of verbum sap."

Without another word of any description Orlando Spoonamore grabbed his hat and hopped his way out into the darkness night. The blow had crushed him.

Clinched His Statement.

They were cross-examining. In a Chicago court recently, a bookmaker who had been caught in the toils for playing some other game than his own. The third sub-assistant district attorney was intent upon a conviction, however, and was doing his best, none too successfully, to shake the testimony of the defendant. "You're sure of that?" he yelled, as the bookmaker stuck to an assertion that did not suit the case of the state. "Sure, I am certain," came the answer. "You remember that you are under oath?"

"I do that." And you'd swear to this statement of yours?" "Swear to it? Why, Sir Lawyer, and judge, your honor, I'd bet a hundred on it any day."

How Coal Grows.

It takes a prodigious amount of vegetable matter to form a layer of coal. It being estimated that the present growth of the world would make a layer less than one-eighth of an inch in thickness, and that it would take a million years of vegetable growths to form a coal-bed ten feet in thickness.

The United States has an area of more than 440,000 square miles of coal-fields, and more than 100,000,000 tons of coal were mined in this country last year—enough to run a ring around the earth at the center 5 1/2 feet wide and 5 1/2 feet thick. Competent scientists say that there is enough coal in the United States to supply the world for the next 2,000 years.

In the Same Boat.

An old couple in Glasgow were in a very depressed state owing to dull trade.

Thinking their son in America would help them, they wrote stating their trouble, and that if he did not help them they would have to go to the poorhouse.

Three weeks passed, and then came a letter from their son, saying: "Dear Mither and Faither—just wait another fortnight an' I'll come home an' gang wi' ye. Your affectionate son."

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MURDER CHARGED

HEARING WILL BE GIVEN IN A FEW DAYS.

CHARLES E. DAVIS IS ACCUSED

Dr. Lord Met a Man near the Rustin Home Soon after the Shooting.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 11.—Late yesterday afternoon County Attorney English filed a complaint against Charles E. Davis, charging him with murder in the first degree in connection with the shooting of Dr. Frederick Rustin. The time of the hearing was not set, but probably will be before the end of the week. An important development was brought to the attention of the county attorney yesterday afternoon when Dr. J. P. Lord, the physician called by Mrs. Rustin to attend her husband immediately following the shooting, told the police that on his way to the Rustin home the morning of the shooting he met a man answering the description of Davis two blocks from where Dr. Rustin was shot and coming from the direction of the dying physician's home. This feature was not brought out at the inquest, although Dr. Lord was one of the witnesses. Chief Donahue declared it was the most significant bit of evidence thus far secured. Dr. Lord gave a very minute description of the man, which follows very closely in detail that of Charles E. Davis.

LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS.

Primary Law Perfected and a Senator Will be Elected Nov. 24.

Des Moines, Sept. 11.—In pursuance of an agreement signed by nearly all of the republicans of the general assembly, the legislature adjourned until Nov. 24 to reconvene for a single day without expense to the state for the purpose of electing the republican who is nominated for United States senator at a special primary on Nov. 3.

This action was taken following a second ballot on senator in the joint session of the house at noon yesterday and in which Governor Cummins was again defeated.

By an almost unanimous vote in the house and by a party vote in the senate the programme was carried out, and at 5 o'clock last night the extra session came to a close.

The net result of the extra session was the passage of an act which gives the republican voters of the state an opportunity to vote for their choice for United States senator to succeed Senator Allison and an agreement among republicans to abide by the result of the primary in the state at large.

Japan Poor, Says Katsura.

Tokyo, Sept. 11.—Marquis Katsura, the new premier and minister of finance, outlined a policy of rigid economy for Japan in an address before the Bankers' club. He declared that the patriotism of the people of Japan was as necessary now, when economy was necessary to restore credit and confidence as during the Russian-Japanese war, when he was foreign minister. Upon returning to office the marquis declared that he had found the economic and financial condition of the government as yet unrestored, and it was therefore absolutely necessary that the government and people unite in a common effort in the national interest.

Omaha Banquets Harriman.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 11.—President E. H. Harriman of the Union Pacific and other western railroad properties, was banqueted by the Omaha Commercial club at the field club. Informal speeches were made at the banquet. Harriman's special train came through Nebraska, but no effort was made to make a record run. Leisure marks the course of the magnate across his greatest railroad, and he is inspecting the road bed, depot properties and terminals as he comes east.

Fitzgerald is Discharged.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—George W. Fitzgerald, accused by the state authorities of the theft of \$173,000 from the United States sub-treasury here, was freed by Judge Chetlain yesterday. United States Sub-treasurer Borden, acting on instruction not to disclose evidence gathered by the federal authorities, took the stand and refused to testify. Judge Chetlain thereupon dismissed the case.

Locomotive Dividend.

New York, Sept. 11.—The directors of the American Locomotive company passed the quarterly dividend on the common stock. The last quarterly dividend was 10 1/2 per cent. The regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent on preferred stock was declared as usual.

Davis Once Insane.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 11.—Charles Edward Davis, who was arrested in connection with the Rustin murder case in Omaha, was a resident of this city from 1900 to 1902, and for several months in 1902 was an inmate of the McLean hospital for the insane at Waverly. He tried to commit suicide but was prevented by watchman. An investigation was then made of his sanity, and he was committed to the McLean hospital Feb. 18, 1902. He was discharged as cured on Oct. 31 of the same year.

Pittsburg Exposition Opens.

Pittsburg, Pa.—The twentieth annual season of the Pittsburg exposition, the only industrial exhibit of its kind in the United States, opened here Wednesday night.

IOWA NEWS

Henry E. Hopper, the owner of the celebrated stallions, "Alberion" and "Expedition," and many other famous horses, has bought the fair grounds at Indianola and will make his headquarters at that place hereafter. Mr. Hopper will have fifty-four head of blooded horses. This new industry will be an important acquisition for the town of Indianola.

For resisting an officer, Peter Vander Zalm, Herman Fischer and Herman Palls, all three prominent business men of Meservey were placed under arrest through the action of the county attorney. The cause of the trouble grew out of an attempt of Justice J. J. Stauffer of this place to quell a small riot, prompted by a lonesome bootlegger who had sold liquor to a number of men getting drunk and following with a free for all fight.

I. M. Van Arsdale, representing the Apollo club, of Des Moines, has filed a petition in district court asking that the court order R. A. Higginbotham, formerly head of the club, to make an accounting as to the receipts of concerts given at Ingersoll park in May. While Mr. Higginbotham has made part settlement with the club it is claimed that he has not yet paid over the entire amount due to various members of the organization.

The relay race planned by the Y. M. C. A. boys of Marshalltown, Oskaloosa and Ottumwa will be run on the 11th, but will start from Oskaloosa instead of Ottumwa, the latter city being out of the contest. Failure of the Ottumwa boys to get away from school on that date is the reason for the change. The Oskaloosa boys will carry a message from the mayor to Mayor Ingledue of Marshalltown. Oskaloosa will cover the distance as far north as Grinnell, where the Marshalltown contingent will receive the message.

The W. C. T. U. of Iowa Falls is camping on the trail of the city council all because of a little curfew ordinance that was quietly put to sleep on July 17. For months past the W. C. T. U. has been urging the council to adopt and put into effect a curfew ordinance that will regulate the perambulations of the youth under 17 years of age after sundown. The matter came up under a revision of the ordinances in July and after some deliberation the test vote came with seven members present. Four of these members voted nay, three voted aye, resulting in an edict to the effect that "curfew shall not ring tonight!"

The various church and civic societies of Iowa Falls having already demonstrated their ability on the baseball diamond in behalf of charity, the matter is now under consideration of offering a spectacular attraction on the diamond in following the example of the social leaders at Correstonville, Iowa, where the wives and daughters of the Masons and Odd Fellows are to give exhibitions of their ability in the national game. While the details of the program are not completed or the dates set for the big event, the indications are that the demonstrations of petticoat ability with ball and bat will be the big event of the season in this city.

Is a railroad train traveling at the rate of thirty miles an hour being operated in a reckless, dangerous and extremely reprehensible manner? James Smith avers that it is, if it is on the Great Western road, and he has started suit for \$1,250 against the railway company for damages he avers he sustained as the result of such gross negligence, recklessness and excessive speed on the part of the Great Western Railway company. He avers that thirty miles an hour is a dangerous speed on the Great Western line, and for proof claims that he was thrown from a train while it was traveling at that frightful pace. He was severely injured, he says, and it will cost him \$1,250 to recuperate. And he wants the railway company to pay.

None of the romance which attaches to the honeymoon of the Indiana hero and heroine of the popular songs marked the wedding journey of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stavelar, Indians, who came to Sioux City from the Omaha reservation to celebrate their honeymoon. The festivities got the better of the dusky bride and groom and the police found them asleep in the rear of a building at Third and Douglas street. The bride was the drunker of the two and it took four men to carry her to the patrol wagon. Both of them were carted to the police station. The husband had about \$12 cash, which will cover the fine which will likely be placed against them in the police court.

Nannie M. Canfield, of Waterloo, has brought suit against her husband, Lee Canfield, for divorce and alimony. She asks for a decree of separation and alimony in the sum of \$10,500. The couple were wedded last October in Washington, D. C. The complainant says they lived together until March 11, this year. Her allegations are rather unusual. She avers that while they were on their wedding trip in the east the defendant complained about the expenses, and she alleges that his love for her has grown cold.

Mrs. Victor L. Long, an assistant in the office of Dr. J. H. Crippen, Waterloo, was attacked by a stranger while she was in the office alone, and received two severe gashes with a razor on her arm while she was struggling with him.

News has been received at Burlington from Quincy, Ill., that Robert Johnson, aged about 60, a well known Burlington river man, is held in Quincy charged with fatally shooting George Milligan, a logger. The shooting took place at a camp between here and Quincy, and Johnson claims self-defense.

William Saunders, who stabbed Andrew Lundeen with a knife at Foot Dodge, nearly killing him, waived a preliminary hearing. Under bonds of \$1,000 he was remanded to the grand jury. His victim is holding his own, but the result of his injuries will not be known for two days or more.

Dr. Barthel, a physician of Pocahontas with a large practice, is testing the merits of the starvation theory for stomach trouble. Dr. Barthel has not partaken of solid food for thirty days, and appears to be thriving. He looks after his patients, mows his lawn and goes about his business as a man would with a full stomach and good digestion.

Unable to find unemployed men in Des Moines, Contractor Charles Christy hired laborers out of the city jail so he could continue work on the sewer contract on Terrace Drive. Christy says the unemployed in Des Moines are scarce and he had to get Judge Stewart hold the mittimi on some laborers in order to give Christy the men he needed for his contract.

The Rev. Francis Westey Evans, one of the oldest pioneer Methodist ministers in the state, died at his home, 1319 East Ninth street, Des Moines, on Sept. 3rd, aged 79 years, following a severe attack of appendicitis. The Rev. Mr. Evans was not only one of the oldest members of the Methodist conference but was a charter member in the Odd Fellow lodge in the state and a pioneer Mason.

The annual old settlers' picnic occurred at Mason City on the 3rd with a big dinner and a programme of pioneer reminiscences. Several hundred people participated. Among the guests of honor were three survivors of the first settlers in the county, Mrs. Patrick Hughes, Mrs. Thompson and their brother Mark Owen, who was the first white child born in the county. The next meet will be held in Clear Lake.

R. A. Elzy, the Marshalltown contractor, has been awarded the contract for building drainage ditch No. 5 near Iowa Falls. The proposed improvement starts on the north side of the J. B. Parmlee farm just east of town, and runs northwest two and one-half miles to the Fred Raske place. It is to be a tile ditch commencing with ten inch tile and ending with eighteen inch. The contract price for the ditch is \$4,700, and work on the improvement will commence at once.

Gen. Grenville M. Dodge, whose residence is in Council Bluffs, but who is known and loved throughout Iowa, led the Hawkeye veterans in the great parade of the Grand Army of the Republic in Toledo. The Iowans were proud to march behind the distinguished soldier and all the state will be proud to learn that General Dodge's health would permit of the long march. Unmounted, he walked three miles at the head of the Iowa column and as fresh at the end as when he started.

Mrs. May Hartzinger of Lincoln, Neb., who claims to be the common law wife of J. H. Peters, a telephone lineman who recently came to Story City with another and a younger bride, attempted to shoot him here. She arrived on an early train from her Nebraska home and immediately hunted him up and asked to speak with him. Upon his refusal to have anything to do with her the woman fired on him, one of the bullets grazing his arm as he ran. The others he escaped entirely by dodging into a nearby alley. When the woman was arrested she gave her name as Mrs. Mary Hartzinger and her home as Lincoln, Neb., where she picks a heading house. She says she killed Peters up when he was down and out, staked him for \$300 of her hard earned money and lived with him for three years as his wife though she had neglected going through the legal ceremonies.

Ruth Hoover, 50 years old, trained nurse and companion to Mrs. S. Davidson, 1625 Oak and avenue, Des Moines, tried three times to kill herself and was finally taken screaming out of the water on the south bank of the river at the foot of Fourth street at 2 o'clock in the morning. For two hours the woman had been arousing people by her shrill screams. Seemingly, she had tried to drown herself in the old Zoo lake. She had taken most of a two ounce bottle of chloroform. And she had finally waded into the river, fully clothed, and struggled down stream for 200 feet before her clothes caught on the brush at the edge of the river and kept her head out of water. She declared that she was tired of living and resents the efforts of the police to save her. Miss Hoover has been a housekeeper and companion for Mrs. S. Davidson for nine years. She has suffered from stomach and nervous troubles for several weeks, and Mrs. Davidson believes that her sufferings alone were responsible for her attempts to kill herself. Miss Hoover left the house early in the evening and she was next seen by the men who pulled her from the river.

Several of the participants of the fight were arrested, tried and fined. Among the number overlooked at the first haul of the officers were Mr. Vander Zalm, formerly justice of the peace. On the 2nd he was arraigned and fined \$5, which he refused to pay into the hands of Justice Stauffer, intimating he would pay it to some other person. Mr. Stauffer insisted and in an attempt to get Mr. Vander Zalm from the office of the justice, a second encounter ensued in which Marshal Peters was roughly handled and Mr. Vander Zalm injured as several of his friends were pulling him from the grasp of the officer.

Walking on the tracks of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad company in her sleep, it is believed, Mrs. Peter Schmidt of Clinton, received wounds which are hourly expected to result in her death. The woman's left arm and leg were cut off and her right foot crushed. Mrs. Schmidt, who had been ill for several days, arose in the early morning and walked down the railroad tracks which run beside her home on Front street. In the darkness the crew of the train did not see the woman on the track ahead, and ran her down.

A SIMPLE SAFEGUARD IN BUYING PAINT.

Everybody should know how simple and easy it is to avoid all uncertainty in buying paint materials. There are many so-called white leads on the market, which contain chalk, zinc, barytes, and other cheap adulterants. Unless the property owner takes advantage of the simple means of protection afforded him by reliable white lead manufacturers, he runs great risk of getting an inferior and adulterated white lead.

It is to protect the paint-buyer against fraud and adulteration that National Lead Company, the largest makers of genuine Pure White Lead, place their famous "Dutch Boy Paint" trademark on every keg of their product, an absolute guarantee of its purity and quality. Anyone who wants to make a practical test of white lead, and who wants a valuable free book about painting, should address National Lead Company, Woodbridge Bldg., New York, and ask for test equipment.

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AND SHE LEFT HIM GUESSING.

Woman's Directions of Little Help to Traveling Lawyer.

A New York lawyer was called recently to a hamlet in Berks county, Pennsylvania, in the interest of a large coal corporation, and now he is telling this story on himself:

He was driving on a country road and feared he might have lost his bearings. The village he wanted to reach seemed elusive, so he halted in front of a farmhouse to make inquiries.

"Madam," he called out to a broad German woman, who stood looking at him from beneath a "poke" bonnet, "can you tell me how far it is to the next village?"

"Oh, just a leedle ways," came the response.

"But, my good woman, how far is it? Is it two, four, six or eight miles? That's what I want to know."

"Yah, I think so."

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"Then the pickpocket looked at the diamond. He said the screw attachment wouldn't stop a good thief from getting the diamond, but he could fix it."

"Now," he said, "they can only get your stone by biting it off."

GRASSVILLE SUMMER TOURISTS.



First Mountain Climber—Come on, fellows; we're above the timber line and will soon be on the summit.

Ethergram. Language grows apace with the victories of applied science.

"B'pose the old man don't get the office he's a runnin' for?" "Well, he says that'll be a calamity to the state, but of the state won't let him save it, it'll only have its fool self to blame."

HOUSE WORK



Thousands of American women in our homes are daily sacrificing their lives to duty.

In order to keep the home neat and pretty, the children well dressed and tidy, women overdo. A female weakness or displacement is often brought on and they suffer in silence, drifting along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have help to overcome the pains and aches which daily make life a burden.

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Sometimes my little woe is lulled to rest, Its clamor shamed by some old poet's page— Tumult of hurrying hoof, and battle rage, And dying knight, and trampled warrior crest. Stern faces, old heroic souls unblest. Eye me with scorn, as they my grief would gauge, A mere child, schooled to weep upon the stage, Tricked for a part of woe and somber drest. "Lo, who art thou," they ask, "that thou shouldst fret To find, forsooth, one single heart undone? The page thou turnest there is purple wet With blood that gushed from Caesar's overthrown! Lo, who art thou to pry of sorrow? Yet This little woe it is my own, my own!" —Charlotte Wilson, in McClure's.

THE MAN WHO DID THINGS TWICE

By DON MARK LEMON

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Of commanding figure and soldierly bearing, with deep-set eyes, hollow, cadaverous cheeks, and mustache and hair an intense blue black, his singular personality alone had anywhere and at all times attracted special attention to the man; but coupled with this distinguished personality, and singling him out as remarkable in the highest degree, was the fact that he lived in duplicate.

Thus—if on Monday he arose early, breakfasted on coffee, toast and eggs, afterwards retired to his rooms to occupy himself until noon at his desk; then, after partaking of lunch, quit his rooms to ramble about the city, giving aims to the old blind organ woman, going up and down particular streets and through particular quarters, thence back to his hotel, to his dinner, to his desk after dinner, and finally to bed—on Tuesday he would go through precisely the same regime.

On Wednesday he perhaps would spend the day quite differently, arising late, going out on horseback for the entire day, attending the theater at night, and to bed at midnight or later; but however he spent Wednesday, Thursday—or the day following—was sure to be a repetition down to the smallest detail.

Friday would see commenced a new series of action for Saturday to duplicate.

He was the echo—as it were—of himself, and a consummate echo at that, for time and time again he had been watched to see whether he would not make some mistake or fall in his series of duplication, but whenever it was possible for an act to be duplicated he never had been known to fail in its duplication; and, indeed, he had grown so shrewd in the matter that he never did on one day what could not reasonably be duplicated upon the next—if that succeeding day was to be a duplication of the preceding one, and not the beginning of a new series of action.

Living his own life in his own reserved way, cultured and studious, troubling no one, offending none; doubly liberal in his expenditures and never pressed for means, steadfast in his chosen eccentricity—if such it were—and in his face and manner no questioning doubt of himself, perhaps in time Henry Hobart had been accepted like any other man, the curious had ceased to be curious, and his mysterious character, without any further or deeper scrutiny, had become one of the mysteries of human life, had not the man been suddenly struck down as by an invisible hand and the appalling mystery of his death heightened tenfold the mystery of his life.

On a Tuesday morning, at 15 minutes of ten o'clock, an attendant was summoned by the call-bell to room 63 of the Sumner house, and upon obeying the call found Henry Hobart struggling in the throes of a strange and unnatural death.

The Man Who Did Things Twice, half dressed, standing in the center of his outer room, was battling with the invisible air about him for breath, or, as the attendant put it later, "Like he was fightin' with something that weren't there."

The hotel was aroused, Dr. Thiel was hastily summoned from his office on the next floor, and everything was done that science could suggest or despair persuade, yet in less than ten minutes Henry Hobart lay dead on the floor, within his stilled brain hidden the profound mystery of his life, and still echoing in the death room his one strangled cry ere death sealed his blue lips—"To-morrow!"

It was a strange case, but a questionable case, a frightful case, but beyond all it proved a baffling case, for the police came, removed the body to the morgue, inquiring death by poison or other foul play, and examined the rooms and overhauled the possessions of the dead man, but who the deceased was, who his kindred or what his former residence, or the cause of his death, they could not discover.

The scholarly tomes that filled his shelves bore no signatures or bookmarks, and private papers of any kind there were none. The autopsy made the same day—afternoon—upon the body of the deceased failed to discover any poison, and Dr. Thiel's belief that the man had been strangled seemed without support, as no foreign substance or growth of any kind was found in the windpipe or air passages.

One thing only seemed certain, one thing only was undisputed—The Man Who Did Things Twice, with severed windpipe and autopsy-marred body, would not duplicate his own death upon the morrow. He had come to his death on a Tuesday, a Tuesday which had begun a new course of action to be duplicated on Wednesday. But he had died, and now for once The Man Who Did Things Twice would fall in his eccentricity. Perhaps for that his spirit would be troubled.

Next morning, while the attendant who had been first on the death scene of the previous day was holding forth at length on the tragedy with certain servant-chronicles, the call-bell suddenly rang and the hand of the call dial spun around and pointed to number 63.

The man hastened to obey the summons, not noticing that the hands of the hall clock pointed to 15 minutes of ten, nor delaying to recollect what guest occupied room 63. The tragedy of the preceding day had been the event of his life, and he had not as yet descended to the trifles of his daily routine.

As he tapped briskly at the door of room 63 and put his hand upon the knob to enter, it suddenly came over him that he had done precisely such a thing before. That at about that time of some other morning he had been summoned by the call-bell to room 63—had knocked, turned the knob, entered—and a loud cry, a shout thick with horror, broke from the man's lips, and he reeled back into the hallway.

There before him, in the center of the fatal room, half-dressed, battling with the invisible air, with blue lips and protruding eyes, stood The Man Who Did Things Twice.

The ominous, ghostly hush that followed the frightened attendant's cry was quickly broken by the hurry of many feet, and soon again the hotel was aroused and again Dr. Thiel bent over the prostrate and dying Henry Hobart.

Outside and distinctly could be heard the clang of the fire-bells, but in the room of death all was sudden silence, all were hushed by the frightful, ghostly thought that the scene before them had been enacted before—the dying man with his discolored face and struggling hands, the physician bending over him, the alarmed, pitying faces of the gathered guests, and the frightened servants huddled in the background. And the man must die as he had died!

They looked on, and waited. Then the end came, and Dr. Thiel, arising, said: "He is dead!" He had uttered those words once before and under like conditions. And the guests and the servants spoke together in horrified whispers, as they had done before; then the assembly broke up and the hall way was cleared as before!

There was something immeasurably painful about it all, to live a thing over in that frightful way, to be, as it were, mere puppets at a show, and one day to be to another day as a reflection in a mirror.

For a time those who had witnessed both tragedies seemed to live in a kind of trance, and moved about and whispered together like beings in a dream; but finally the natural reasserted itself, and then curiosity seized them.

What was the meaning of it? Henry Hobart had died and his body had been mutilated by the surgeon's knife. How,



There in the Middle of the Room Was the Man Who Did Things Twice.

then, had he died a second time and his body shown no marks of the knife? Had they been deceived by a ghost? No; there in room 63 lay the dead man—dead and blood—and seven blocks away, resting on a marble slab, with the water dripping continually on it, lay the other body of Henry Hobart—The Man Who Did Things Twice.

A sudden doubt came into the mind of Dr. Thiel, a misgiving that frightened him. Was that other body—that autopsy-marred body—still resting quietly on its slab at the morgue? Or—

Hastily quitting the hotel, he hurried towards the morgue, and suddenly came up against an insurmountable blank wall of mystery. The morgue was a heap of charred ruin and smoldering, steaming ashes, and if the autopsy-marred body of Henry Hobart had been lying on its slab during the period of the fire, then it had been totally consumed, and that other body up at the hotel was that of a second Henry Hobart; but, if the autopsy-marred body of Henry Hobart had not been lying quietly on its slab during the raging of the fire, then, in God's name, who and what was he who had died up at the Sumner house that morning?

The Attractions of Pearl

"Occasionally I have run across girls like Pearl in the pages of the comic weekly," wrote the girl tourist to her girl friend, "but I honestly never dreamed they really existed until this living representative of the type burst upon the colony at the hotel."

"Pearl came to California from the east. I never chanced to meet anything like her in Chicago, for the very good reason that she would not last long there among lake breezes and the conversational jolts which certainly would come her way. The first evening I met her. The next morning I gathered the interesting facts that she had attended boarding school, that her father was in constant terror lest she marry some of the young men who were always hovering around her and that she had traveled in Europe and had been offered a live prince in marriage, and, moreover, that she was in society."

"When she came down the following morning dressed for church and confided with a bored air as she flicked a speck of dust from her velvet suit that it really was quite impossible to wear velvet without one's maid and she should never again be so foolish as to travel without hers, it was the finishing blow."

"I looked as impressed as I could. 'It must be lovely to have a maid,' I said."

"Pearl regarded me in gentle condescension. 'Really, one cannot be properly gowned without one,' she said, looking me over critically. 'I don't wonder that most girls look so—so unfinished! Who is the man at the writing desk?'"

"A great joy stole into my soul as I followed her glance and saw Mr. Hamilton Neill scowling over a letter. I really owed Mr. Neill a blow or two anyhow and besides I instantly saw that Pearl would be the precise infliction good for the development of his character. What he needed most was meekness of spirit and a subduing of that assertiveness which during my brief acquaintance with him I have tried to overcome, with results which, while varied, have always been entertaining."

"He glanced up for a moment and my meditative expression must have worried him, for he hastily ended his letter and came across to us."

"Did you want me?" he inquired. I never saw a man his equal for saying what he meant regardless of tact and all rules of the game.

"Always," I assured him, sweetly, at which he looked furious.

"Then I presented him to Pearl and escaped. I say her gaze up into his face in a way which I knew meant that she had her clutches on him for the next hour or two and that nothing could save him unless help came from outside."

After dinner that night he cornered me.

"Look here," he began, "I didn't deserve it! She had her hat on and I kept thinking she would go until she said she was afraid church might make her head ache worse and then she talked one hour and 54 minutes!"

"I know because I kept watching the clock! Do you realize that Pearl is a belle at home and has been out two years and is so popular that she actually has not had time yet to pay up all her debutante calls? Are you aware that she refused a dozen or so letters of introduction for herself, because her mother out here simply, because they came away to escape from society, and there really is no use of their plunging right into it again? Was it apparent to you that she is a sad flirt and that father often says: 'Pearl! Pearl! Be careful, my child, for men have hearts?' There is a lot more, too!"

"Was it as bad as all that?" I murmured, interestedly. "I had no idea she seemed a rather pretty girl and I thought—"

"Yes, I know you thought," growled Mr. Hamilton Neill. "You are apt to be taken with those happy thoughts at almost any minute, I have learned. I'll pay you up for it, too! If you see much as dare leave me sitting here all alone when Pearl is artistically draped across one corner of that divan waiting to catch my eye and holding on to the vacant seat beside her, determinedly expecting me to come. I'm lost. I'm only a helpless creature anyhow and since you got me into this it is your duty to see me through! Please don't leave me!"

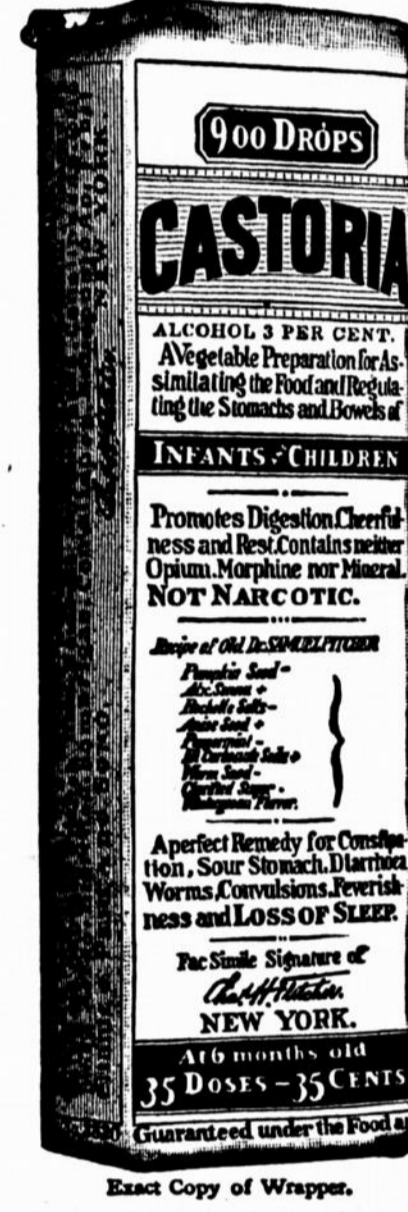
"He really was abject, and as that phase in him was quite new to me, of course I stayed."

"Everybody is particularly lovely to me these days. They are afraid if they aren't I will introduce them to Pearl!"—Chicago Daily News.

Squirrel Weather Prophets. John Lynch of Oil City has a pair of squirrels which he brought home from the Oklahoma oil fields a year or two ago, which he declares are infallible weather prophets. The other morning he went to feed the animals and they refused to be coaxed into the open. He notified his wife that there would be a storm later in the day and was ridiculed, as there was then no outward indication of any bad weather. The downpour which followed convinced the incredulous Mrs. Lynch that the squirrels were real weather prophets.—Philadelphia Record.

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Shortest Line to Rosebud Reservation. The opening of the Rosebud Reservation, October 5 to 17, next, will give over 5000 people each a choice farm in Tripp County, South Dakota, for a small sum per acre. 838,000 acres will be opened. People drawing one of these farms must pay \$5.00 an acre one-fifth down, balance in 5 years. Chamberlain and Fresno, South Dakota, are places of registration. Both are located on the shortest line to the reservation from Chicago—the

CHICAGO MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RAILWAY. The best of these lands are located in the northern part of Tripp County, easily reached from both Chamberlain and Fresno. All persons, except certain soldiers, must be present in one of these towns for registration. Presence at the drawing is not required. Those who draw one of these farms will be notified by mail. Rosebud folder, containing map, and giving full particulars free on request.

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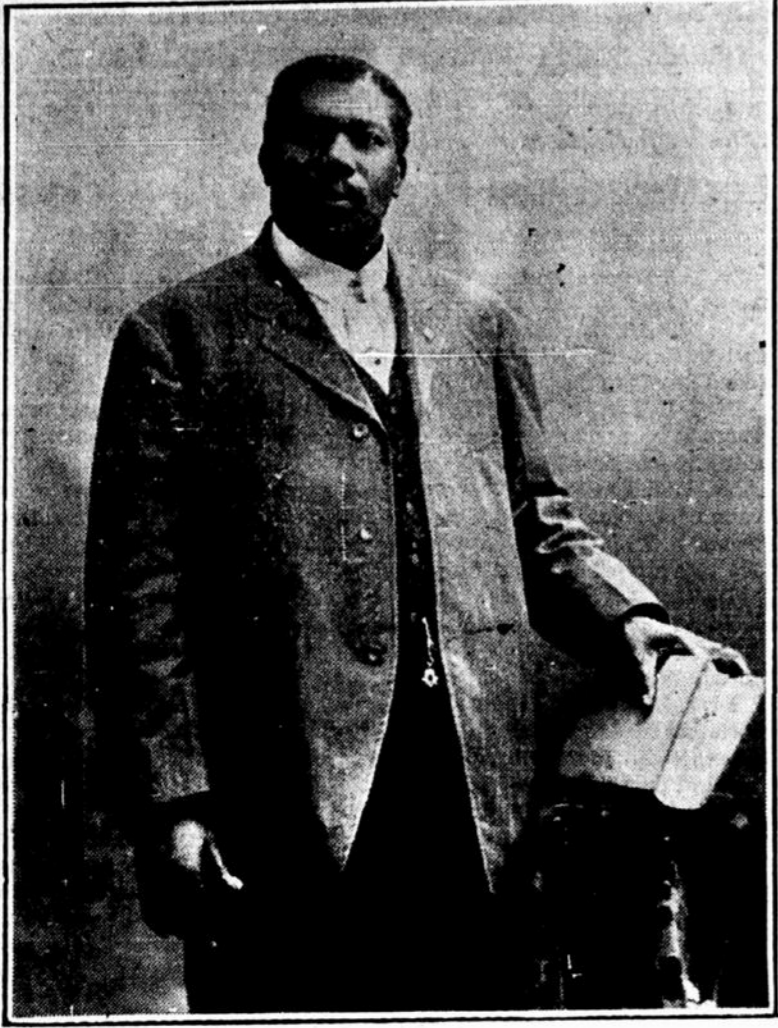
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RESCUE ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED

Dr. Griffin has organized the Rescue Association in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, with 60 members. They will do charitable work among the poor, blind, and decrepit, and orphan children. The home for fallen girls will be opened up Monday the 14th. Mrs. Sarah Webb, 929 W. Twelfth street, has been appointed President of the Ladies Cabinet; Miss N. Courtney secretary. Banking committee, Mrs. L. J. Courtney chairman, assisted by Mrs. Annie Lewis, Mrs. E. S. Morgan matron, Mrs. T. C. Brown, Mrs. Mack president of the Children Rescue Band and Sewing

couragement, and signed his name endorsing the work. Rev. Patterson of the Baptist church said it was a great work; he also joined. Rev. E. P. Geiger, pastor of the M. E. church, made a speech endorsing the work, signed his name and gave a dollar. We haven't space to print all the names of the business men who endorse the work, in this issue. Hon. A. J. Mathis, Mayor of Des Moines, signed his name endorsing the work, also C. C. Dowell, T. W. Carpenter, A. K. Steele, A. M. Miller, W. J. Ivory, Mathan E. Coffin, F. W. McCann



RER. J. L. GRIFFIN, D. D.

Circle. Executive Board, Mrs. C. A. Garth chairman. We have several clubs organized and the name of each president will appear in the next issue. The Rescue Association has three departments: The Ladies' Rescue Band, The Children's Rescue Band and the Men's Department. A good number of men have sent in

on, J. M. Parsons, Frank Moran, Walter McHenry, H. E. Kabrick, John B. Hammond, Edwin Hunt, W. G. Hamline, W. G. Bonnie, Atwater Cook, W. H. McPeary, W. V. Cavan, Ira L. Brunk, Miss Belle Hammond, J. L. Callanan, Worthington E. Boynton, C. A. Wells, C. A. Dudley, R. L. Parrish, F. L. Groesbeck, F. S. Shankland, W. M. McLaughlin, Thode and Company,



one dollar each. We soon will enroll 100 names. The sermon will be preached on the 3rd Sunday inst., at 3 p. m. Come over and help us. The good white people of this city have signed their own names endorsing this charitable work. We have been offered several houses and lots in the suburbs of the city, already improved with fruit trees of all kinds on them. Rev. W. S. Brooks, pastor of St. Paul's A. M. E. church, spoke words of en-

S. Saucerman, J. B. Weede, Geo. F. Walker, E. P. Giger, pastor M. E. church. Enterprise Coal Co., W. Sampson Brooks, pastor of St. Paul's A. M. E. church. Rev. R. H. Boyd, D. D. Secretary of Nashville Publishing Board, Nashville, Tenn. says he has known Rev. Dr. J. L. Griffin for over twenty five years as a regular ordained minister and a christian gentleman.

What They Say About Dr. J. L. Griffin.

Los Angeles, Cal. To all people, white or colored: He who causes two blades of grass to grow where only had formerly grown is a public benefactor. The life work of Rev. J. L. Griffin is an object lesson for all. For more than twenty-five years he has rendered aid to the sick and afflicted. He has baptized thousands who were saved. Dr. Griffin is a clean, honest, good man, and is worthy of the aid and confidence of the public. Very truly, TOM C. THORNTON. American National Bank, Austin, Texas. To whom it may concern: I take pleasure in recommending Dr. J. L. Griffin as an eloquent speaker, Evangelist of the U. S. A. and Supreme President of the Rescue Association. He has visited our city and I believe Dr. Griffin's efforts are worthy of the aid of all the people and any assistance you may render him will be fully appreciated. You will help a good man in a good cause. Yours truly, GEO. W. LITTLEFIELD, Pres. I cheerfully concur in the above statement I know the Rev. Mr. Griffin personally, and believe he is doing much good in the behalf of his race, and for the cause he represents. Yours truly, S. W. T. LANHAM, Ex-Governor of Texas. R. E. WELLS, President W. O. WELLS, Secretary INDUSTRIAL MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION (Incorporated.) Home Office 206 1/2 South Broadway. Los Angeles, Cal. To the Christian People of Los Angeles: I have known Dr. J. L. Griffin for the past seven years and have known of his work for a much longer time. No one person can give any idea of the amount of good he has done in this world of ours by his teachings, both to the people of his own race and to the white people as well. He is to my personal knowledge an honest, straightforward man in every sense of the word, and sincere in his teachings as well as in his actions. Any person contributing to aid him in his work may feel assured that the amount so given will be applied where it will do the most good. Yours respectfully, R. E. WELLS.

AT LEAST HONORS WERE EVEN

Rejected Sulfur Found Words That Let Their Sting. She had refused him, and he stood with his music and looking quite until she was in a tearing temper. "What are you standing there for?" she demanded, stamping her foot. "Well, I am wondering," he said, slowly, "whom are you going to marry, since you won't marry me?" "It's none of your business," she flamed angrily. "Oh, yes, it is," he drawled. "At any rate, I'm interested. I shouldn't like you to marry a fellow I didn't think well of, you know, since I came near marrying you myself." It seemed to her that she would faint with indignation. "You never came near marrying me," she at length managed to rasp. "I didn't think even of marrying you, and as to whom I do marry, you have nothing to do with it. I shall marry anybody I please!" "That's just it," he returned, thoughtfully, "suppose you don't please anybody?" Then there was nothing left to her but raving hysterics.

That most animals have some specific function to perform is well known. Now, scientists claim that a species of fish exists in Australian waters which feeds on the larvae of mosquitoes and so reduces the prospects of malaria. It belongs to a family of carnivorous, of flesh-eating, fish which is frequently found in the temperate and tropic zone, and usually in shallow water. Very small in size, being only about 1 1/2 or two inches in length, it has, in the male, yellow and black-striped fins, while the eye is of a bright blue. The fins during certain seasons of the year acquire great brilliancy.—London Answers.

FISH A FRIEND OF HUMANITY.

Australian Species That Feeds on Larvae of Mosquitoes.

Cartridges as Small Change. Cartridges are taken as change all over Abyssinia, at a rate usually of ten to the dollar. The cap must be undamaged, the case in no way misshapen and the paper round the bullet must be in a state of perfect preservation. One day the visitor was making the rounds of the place, being in charge of the friend's young daughter of ten, who acted as guide. "This tree seems to be loaded with apples," observed the Washingtonian, indicating a particularly fine specimen. "Yes, sir," assented the little girl; "father says this is a good year for apples." "I am glad to hear that," said the visitor. "Are all your trees as full of apples as this one?" "No, sir," explained the girl, "only the apple trees"—Harper's Weekly.

Glasgow for His.

"This orange marmalade comes from Scotland," said a grocer. "Nice—on the Riviera, you know—also turns out a marmalade. I visited the Riviera last winter. The sewage of Nice runs into the blue Mediterranean, and you can see it floating on the sunlit water, with gulls swarming about it like great flies. "Sometimes it is washed ashore. You study it from the Promenade des Anglais—cabbage tops, bottle-wrappers of straw, orange skins, lemon skins, soft green masses of vegetable refuse. "And day by day Nice men patrol the shore, selecting from the garbage all the orange skins, which they thrust into large burlap bags. "Will you have the Nice or the Glasgow marmalade? The Glasgow? Thank you, sir."

Bringing Out the Best. Do you know those people who always bring out your best? You should not be ungenerous of spiteful in their presence. That is a beautiful effect for a woman to have on her home. Thousands of men produce their finest work in the world through the influence of a wife, mother or sister, who brings out the best that is in them. On the other hand, many men have perpetrated wholesale cruelties, have committed great crimes and left a lasting bad mark on history because some woman, or an unhappy homo has brought out their worst.

After the Honey-moon. "Boo-hoo!" sobbed Cynthia under her blue bonnet. "I don't believe you love me any more." "Well, I do declare," laughed Jason as he washed the milk pails, "what put that idea into your head, little girl?" "Why, before our marriage you used to honey me up and say I was as sweet as sweet cider and now you say I am sour." "Oh, don't worry, pet. Even the sweetest of sweet cider turns to vinegar after a time."

Dorothy's Views. "Mamma," said little Dorothy, "what makes Uncle Ben look so funny?" "Hush, child," hastened the mother. "Uncle Ben is what they call a 'wise old saw'." Dorothy looked at the myriad of frowns on the old gentleman's face. "Dacious, mamma!" she whispered. "He looks so cross he must be one of those cross-cut saws like they say big logs with."

To Maintain Health. There is an erroneous idea in the minds of many as to what constitutes a strong physique. A man can be strong physically without great stature and huge muscles. If he has a wiry frame, a body that resists disease, he can indulge in many hours of severe brain work. He will make it a rule, however, to take sufficient physical exercise to keep his system in good working order.

Mental Struggle. "A great struggle takes place in a woman's mind when another woman asks what her new gown cost," remarked the thoughtful thinker. "What's the answer?" queried the unsophisticated youth. "She's in doubt whether to cut the price in half and make the other woman envy her bargain, or double it and make her envy her affluence," replied the t. t.

Ingenuity in Stealing. "What's all the row about?" the hungry man queried as the manager of the city restaurant was seen to rush excitedly to the cashier's desk and detain a departing individual. The waiter explained. For a month past some of the numbered checks had been missing, and it had been discovered that certain patrons were economizing at the expense of the management. A man would order 15 cents' worth and receive a check for the amount. Then he would secrete the check when the waiter wasn't looking and order a quarter's worth more of eatables. The waiter would then give a check for 40 cents, but when it came time to pay the customer would use the 15-cent ticket to get by the door. "H'm," muttered the hungry man; "fine scheme," and in the excitement he passed a Canadian dime on the cashier.

Examples of Medieval Art. Fine Stained Glass Windows Recently Received at New York. The two German windows of stained glass among the recent acquisitions belong in period to the early sixteenth century, at the time when medievalism passes over into renaissance. The color is lighter and paler than that of the preceding century and is secondary in importance to the design. In the examples at the museum are certain tints of yellow that began to be used in the middle of the fifteenth century, as taste changed in favor of lighter rooms. The subjects of the windows are St. John and St. Maximine against a background of tapestry and architecture treated so as to appear on the same plane as the figures. The author of the note on the windows in the Museum Bulletin says the work of a painter—and a very good one—of the Ober-Rhein school, and that as St. Maximine was bishop of Trier, the supposition that the glass is from that source is probably correct. Very fine examples of the same period are those in the nave of Cologne cathedral.—New York Times.

Apples Only on Apple Trees. Small Girl a Humorist, Though Probably Unconscious. A Washington man, while visiting a friend's place in Virginia, became much interested in his experiments in fruit culture. One day the visitor was making the rounds of the place, being in charge of the friend's young daughter of ten, who acted as guide. "This tree seems to be loaded with apples," observed the Washingtonian, indicating a particularly fine specimen. "Yes, sir," assented the little girl; "father says this is a good year for apples." "I am glad to hear that," said the visitor. "Are all your trees as full of apples as this one?" "No, sir," explained the girl, "only the apple trees"—Harper's Weekly.

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