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Happy is the individual who has no grievances to redress.

Japan will first make war on that large and overshadowing deficit.

Billy Lush has resigned from the Yale football team. But lushing will continue in the same old way.

Bigheart, who died the other day, was the richest Indian in America. An Indian doesn't have to live up to his name, any more than a white man.

New York women may have tableaux vivants as interesting as Chicago's, but it will be everlastingly remembered in the smart set that Chicago got there first.

The man with the hammer doesn't always hit the nail right on the head," says the Washington Post. This is very true; he is engaged most of the time knocking his fellow-man.

A bigamist in Britain is said to have married 500 times. And yet, so stubborn is tradition, they will probably continue, in England, to give the palm of bravery to Nelson and Gordon.

Another well-known French writer on international politics declares that war between the United States and Japan is inevitable. Couldn't we get the French to let us have peace if we paid them well for it?

The World almanac gives the standing army of Japan as 220,000, figures indicating that a great part of it is in the United States acting as spies and getting arrested to help out the poor, but deserving, newspaper correspondents.

According to a St. Louis physician no scientific practitioner of medicine recognizes any such disease as the grippe. But it is pretty safe to suppose that they get rather angry if their bill for its treatment is not recognized.

Gertrude Atherton has announced that if "New York never makes up its mind about anything." After all, remarks the Baltimore American, it is really interesting to discover that New York has a mind. The general impression is that it is entirely pocketbook.

The Mont Cenis route, the oldest of the Alpine through lines, is to follow the lead of the St. Gothard and Simplon routes and employ electric traction on its mountain division. Under the stress of competition of the more recent lines, the French government has also double-tracked the approach to the tunnel on its side of the mountain, and the Italian government will carry this double-tracking to Turin.

One of the English "suffragettes," who tried, but vainly, to start the doctrine of force in this country, has been telling London that suffrage is checked in this country by the gallantry of the men, who say the women can have anything they ask for, and by the folly of the women, who reply that they have already everything they want. She seems, with true British denseness, to be utterly oblivious of the excellent showing she is making for us all around.

Cable lines look straight enough as seen on the maps, but they are anything but straight as they lie on the ocean floor. Dr. Klotz of Canada said in a recent lecture that the great Pacific cable, 3,000 miles long, between Vancouver and New Zealand was time and again deflected from a straight line between the island stations at which it touched in order to avoid towering submarine mountains or craters or ground that was hard or otherwise undesirable as a resting place for the cable.

The Ohio state fire marshal has been looking up the records and makes the announcement that last year in the United States parlor matches caused a loss of $2,000,000 and 500 lives. That is a serious and tragic matter. But it is not fair to lay the blame wholly on the matches. They may be dangerous, but as a rule they do not start fires spontaneously. It is the human factor that must be reckoned with, and unfortunately, there is a great deal of carelessness, thoughtlessness and stupidity in the world.

According to a table contained in the annual report of the Carnegie Foundation showing the annual incomes of nearly 500 colleges and universities in this country, there are only four with incomes above a million dollars. These four are not specified by name, but the Boston Herald suggests that presumably they are Harvard, Columbia, the University of Chicago and the Stanford university. The incomes of half of the whole 500 range all the way from $10,000 to $50,000 only.

Woman's ingenuity with a hairpin, and her invincibility when armed with a hatpin, are well known. A new implement has now been added to the feminine equipment—a pair of rubber shoes. Four persons were entangled in the coils of a live wire in New York. No one dared to help them, says the Youth's Companion in telling the story, until a young girl came along, took off her rubbers, and using them as gloves, handled the wire skillfully and safely, tied it round a telegraph pole, and walked quietly away, after having refused to give her name.

Illinois State News

Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities and Towns.

ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR.

Illinois Farmers' Grain Dealers Choose Their Officers.

Bloomington.—The following officers were elected by the Illinois Farmers' Grain Dealers' association:

President—Thomas Lamb, Dement.

First Vice-President—L. C. McCabe, Ludlow.

Second Vice-President — C. H. Knight, Anchor.

Secretary—J. A. McCreery, Mason City.

Assistant Secretary—John Miller, Galva.

Treasurer—J. P. Abbott, Mason City.

Directors—J. C. Waldine, Putnam, and Henry Shafer, Illiopolis.

Resolutions were passed condemning the legislators who voted against the passage of the reciprocal demurrage bill; indorsing a non-partisan tariff with two commissioners, one representing agriculture and one manufacturing; asking federal grain inspection, and indorsing the deep waterway movement.

The dues of each company belonging to the association were raised from $10 to $20. A traveling representative will be employed to organize new companies and to strengthen weak ones.

DIRECTORS HELD NOT LIABLE.

Clear Cut Decision Made by Judge Thompson at Charleston.

Charleston.—The only federal jurist ever under indictment in a criminal case, Peter S. Grosscup, was freed from that position when Judge Thompson denounced the action of the Coles county grand jury in holding the directors of the Mattoon City railway liable for the deaths of 18 persons in a wreck on their line as unjustified and unwarranted.

In a sweeping oral opinion, based upon broad and general grounds as well as upon legal faults, he quashed all the indictments against the officers and directors of the corporation.

Because of technical errors Judge Thompson also discharged the two motormen who were in control of the ill-fated cars; but because of the public standing of the directors and the legal issues as to their responsibility their release is regarded as the most important phase of the decision.

Landlady Will Sue Evangelist.

Kewanee.—Because he cut scriptural passages on the windows of his boarding place with a diamond-pointed instrument, Evangelist Layfield, who has just closed meetings at Neponset, will receive a bill for the cost of new panes by Mrs. Morse, his landlady. The evangelist sought permission to cut texts on the post office windows, but was refused by Postmaster Carpenter. Mrs. Morse protested against the damage to her property, but the evangelist insisted he had done good. Neponset church people disapprove of his action.

Douglas Indorses All Around.

Tuscola.—The Republican central committee of Douglas county met here and passed resolutions indorsing the Roosevelt administration. The candidacy of Cannon and the administration and candidacy of Gov. Deneen, the policies of both of Illinois' senators, and the candidacy of Senator Hopkins and Congressman McKinley were also indorsed.

Says Store Coal Under Water.

Urbana.—Experiments by Prof. S. W. Parr of the University of Illinois on the keeping of soft coal from mines of the state, show that contrary to popular opinion and practice, there is no advantage in storing such coal under cover. In fact, Illinois coal keeps best, according to Prof. Parr's report, when stored under water.

Asks $10,000 for Miner's Death.

Taylorville.—J. N. Malhoit, administrator of the estate of Stephen Mariotti, who was killed by falling coal in the Assumption Coal Mining company's mine on July 22, 1907, commenced suit for $10,000 against the coal company, alleging that the man's death was due to their negligence.

Life Term Given to Maniac.

Peoria.—A maniac, Henry N. Hatchett at Linlon, Ill., was found guilty of murder and sentenced to life imprisonment in the Chester penitentiary. Hatchell, who had escaped from the Bartonville asylum, shot and killed William B. Hagenbeck at Chestnut on January 17.

Children Must Keep Off Streets.

Virden.—A circular signed by Mayor E. R. Motley and the pastors of the different churches were distributed about the city, notifying some parents that their sons and daughters must be kept off the streets at night.

Educator Goes to Porto Rico.

Champaign.—Prof. George D. Haddock has resigned his position as superintendent of the Champaign city schools to become assistant commissioner of education of Porto Rico, at a salary of $3,000 per year.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Mount Vernon.—Gov. Charles S. Deneen received the indorsement of the Republican county central committee of Jefferson county without a dissenting vote. The Deneen resolution also indorsed Cannon for president, Hopkins for senator, John J. Brown for secretary of state, and A. C. Millspaugh for appellate clerk, Fourth district.

Pontiac.—The Livingston county Republican central committee met here and called a county convention to be held here March 18 for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state and congressional conventions. The caucuses will be held March 14.

Effingham.—The Republican county committee of Effingham county, in naming delegates to the district and state conventions, indorsed Cannon for the presidency and Gov. Deneen for re-election.

Carlyle. — The Republican central committee of Clinton county indorsed Speaker Cannon for the presidency and Gov. Deneen for re-election, but did not instruct the delegates chosen.

Jacksonville.—The Twentieth district congressional committee indorsed Speaker Cannon for the presidency, as was also Gov. Deneen's administration.

Mount Carmel. — The Republican county committee of Wabash county indorsed Secretary Taft for the presidency in selecting delegates to the district convention.

Freeport.—The Republican congressional convention of the Thirteenth district was called to meet in Freeport on April 16 to elect two delegates and alternates to the national convention. The county central committees were authorized to select delegates. The representation of the counties is: Carroll, 10; Jo Daviess, 11; Lee, 15; Ogle, 17; Stephenson, 16; Whiteside, 19; Stephenson county selected state and congressional delegations. Cannon's friends control both.

TRIPLE WEDDING AT STERLING.

Remarkable Circumstances Connected with Each Ceremony.

Sterling.—A triple wedding, in which two brothers married two sisters and in which the third couple were friends from the cradle, took place at Lanark.

The three couples were Miss Ola Hepser and Bert Tallman, Miss Grace Hepser and Harry Tallman, and Earl Roland and Miss Etta Stevens.

The wedding was attended by four mammas, four papas and 34 brothers and sisters.

Beauty Spoiled; Gets Damages.

Chicago.—Beauty attendant upon a perfect Grecian nose was valued at $2,500 by a jury in the superior court. Dr. Bessie M. Andrus, a handsome young physician with an office at 824 West North avenue, suffered injury to her nose on a North avenue street car some time ago and sued for $20,000 damages. She said she was satisfied with the jury's decision, though the disaster to her nose has been considerable.

Farmers Outbid Horse Market.

Assumption.—Of the twenty or thirty farm sales held in this vicinity since January 1 none has been a failure. Live stock has brought exceptionally good prices. J. D. Anderson received $450 for a team of mules. Other teams and single animals are selling in proportion. It is said that the market men cannot afford to buy at farm sales, as the farmers outbid them.

Falls Dead in Corn Crib.

Kewanee.—When Charles Cartune entered a corn crib he stumbled over the lifeless body of his father, George Cartune, 56 years old, who had dropped dead while getting feed for stock.

Scarlet Fever Closes Schools.

Bloomington.—The scarlet fever epidemic at Chenoa has reached such proportions that the churches and the schools have been closed and all public meetings forbidden.

Threatens Wife; Kills Self.

Mendota.—Edward Palmer, a restaurant man, after threatening to kill his wife, shot and killed himself. Domestic troubles are said to have been the cause.

Defense Will Be Insanity.

Lincoln.—Insanity will be the only plea offered by the attorneys for Henry Hatchett, whose trial for the murder of William Hasenbach at Chestnut on January 17 last began in the Logan county circuit court here.

Noted Clergyman Dies.

Bloomington.—Rev. Robert Conover, one of the best-known Presbyterian clergymen in central Illinois, died, aged 85. His wife died the day before. The couple founded here in 1856 the first seminary for girls in the state.

DIFFERENT EFFECT.

Mrs. Goodsole—My boy, it makes me sick at heart to see you smoking.

Kid—Dat's funny. It seems to ketch meright in the stummick.

Hog Cholera.

The greatest drawback to the hog industry which breeders in this country have to contend with is what is known as "hog cholera" and "swine plague."

Hog cholera is a highly contagious disease and unless checked is liable to carry off a great number of hogs in a very short time.

Mr. A. P. Williams, of Burnetts Creek, Ind., tells of an experience which he had with some hogs that had the cholera. "Five years ago," says Mr. Williams, "I was in the employ of Mr. J. D. Richardson, Lafayette, Ind., as his barn foreman. Some fine hogs that I was feeding took the cholera. I gave them Sloan's Liniment and did not lose a hog. Some were so bad they would not drink sweet milk and I was compelled to drench them. I have tried it at every opportunity since and always find it O. K."

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The "Patrolium" Wagon.

The telephone in police headquarters rang.

"Is this the police station?" inquired a woman's voice.

"It is," said C. E. McVey, the desk sergeant.

"Well, I wish you all'd send the patrolium wagon over to Fourth and Oak streets right away. Ole Bill's got drunk again and he's just raising Cain. And say," the voice added, "if you all don't send that wagon mighty quick you all might as well send a hearse, 'cause I'm goin' to hit that fool nigger in a minute."

The wagon made a "hurry" run, but returned empty a few minutes later. The driver reported that he could find no trouble.—Kansas City Star.

In Demand.

"I hear you have a new automobile, old man," said the motor-car fiend. "What does it look like?"

"Well, to tell you the truth," replied the amateur motorist, "it is as ugly as a steam roller, makes as much noise as a traction engine, knocks over as many people as a freight engine and raises as much dust as a street sweeping machine.

The motor-car fiend was wild with enthusiasm:

"You don't say!" he blurted eagerly. "Tell me where I can buy the same make and I'll give you my old machine as a present."

How the Governor Felt.

Gov. Hughes recently addressed the West End Woman's Republican club of New York and remarked in the course of his talk: "My happiness on this occasion may be compared with the young lady on her first visit to Venice. I believe she wrote her intimate friend as follows: 'I am here on the Grand Canal, drinking it all in.' She added: 'Life's never seemed so full before.'"

OLD SURGEON

Found Coffee Caused Hands to Tremble.

The surgeon's duties require clear judgment and a steady hand. A slip or an unnecessary incision may do irreparable damage to the patient.

When he found that coffee drinking caused his hands to tremble, an Ills. surgeon conscientiously gave it up and this is his story.

"For years I was a coffee drinker until my nervous system was nearly broken down, my hands trembled so I could hardly write, and insomnia tortured me at night.

"Besides, how could I safely perform operations with unsteady hands, using knives and instruments of precision? When I saw plainly the bad effects of coffee, I decided to stop it, and three years ago I prepared some Postum, of which I had received a sample.

"The first cupful surprised me. It was mild, soothing, delicious. At this time I gave some Postum to a friend who was in a similar condition to mine, from the use of coffee.

"A few days after, I met him and he was full of praise for Postum, declaring he would never return to coffee but stick to Postum. We then ordered a full supply and within a short time my nervousness and consequent trembling, as well as insomnia, disappeared, blood circulation became normal, no dizziness nor heat flashes.

"My friend became a Postum enthusiast, his whole family using it exclusively.

"It would be the fault of the one who brewed the Postum, if it did not taste good when served.

"The best food may be spoiled if not properly made. Postum should be boiled according to directions on the pkg. Then it is all right, anyone can rely on it. It ought to become the national drink." "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs.

RESOLVED TO SNUB EVE.

Mrs. Intheswim Intended to Draw Social Line in Heaven.

The minister had dropped in to tea, and the conversation had drifted through various channels to the question of whether or not we should know each other in heaven. Presuming that our physical beings would be perpetuated, and that recognition would be assured, the minister had asked various ones at the table among whom the Biblical characters they would be most interested in recognizing.

Some mentioned one prophet and some another, but one lady, noted for her social exclusiveness, had not spoken. Turning to her the minister said: "And who would you like to meet in heaven, Mrs. Intheswim?"

Mrs. Intheswim pursed her lips. "I really don't know," she said, "but there is one thing I do know, and that is that I shouldn't care to meet Eve. In fact, I don't know that I would speak to her if I did!"

HIS LECTURE ON JOB.

Brother Dickey Thinks He Was Overrated as Patient Man.

"I dunno what dey call Job a patient man fer," said Brother Dickey, "kaze of all de growlers I ever hearn tell on he sho' wuz de growlinest. But he sho' did have enough ter make him growl—dat he did. De devil say: 'Looky yere, Job, you in my power, now, an' I gwine ter 'flict you wid a few biles.' An' Job say: 'All right; I kin stan' it ef you kin.' But de biles commence ter break out so thick an' fas' dat Job say: 'Looky yere, man, dese ain't no biles—dis de smallpox, sho' ez you bo'n.' An' he eetch and eetch so dat he had ter scratch hiself wid a goat's head. Den de devil git in a high win' and blow down Job's house; an' dat wuz too much. So ol' Job lif' up his voice an' he say: 'Looky yere, I bargain fer biles, but I didn't want no hurricane th'owed in fer good measure.'"—Atlanta Constitution.

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The Other One—My dear fellow, the dollar I lend is out at present, and I've several names down for it when it comes back.—Harper's Weekly.

Sudden Changes of the Weather

often cause Bronchial and Lung troubles. "Brown's Bronchial Troches" allay throat irritation and coughs.

The best acting at an amateur performance is always done by the people who sit down in front and act as though they enjoyed it.

WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE.

From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause. E. W. Grove on box 25c

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For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

It is possible to smile and smile and be a hypocrite still.

HER GOOD FORTUNE.

After Years Spent in Vain Effort.

Mrs. Mary E. H. Rouse, of Cambridge, N. Y., says: "Five years ago I had a bad fall and it affected my kidneys. Severe pains in my back and hips became constant, and sharp twinges followed any exertion. The kidney secretions were badly discolored. I lost flesh and grew too weak to work. Though constantly using medicine I despaired of being cured until I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills. Then relief came quickly, and in a short time I was completely cured. I am now in excellent health."

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Similar Result.

There are certain delicate shades of expression of which a Frenchman is, as a rule, past master. One member of that fluent nation, stranded in New York, was setting forth his troubles to a lawyer.

"I understand from what you say that you are convinced your friend Lecomte has stolen your purse," said the lawyer.

"No, no, monsieur, not so fast!" cried his client. "I only say that if Lecomte had not assisted me to hunt for it I should have found it again."—Youth's Companion.

The Difference.

"Grafton calls himself a 'professional man' and yet he takes no part in anything but politics. Is politics a profession or a business?"

"Well, when his side is in power it's a business; otherwise it's merely a profession."—Philadelphia Press.

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should take advantage of the offer the Jerome H. Remick Co. of New York make in the advertising columns of this paper to send for 25 cents the words and music of nine of the best pieces of the Merry Widow Opera, all the rage at present in London, Paris and New York.

The Wicked Husband.

"Why does a man lie to his wife?" asks a woman writer. Dear me; does he?—Duluth Herald.

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