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Lincoln's Gentle Way.

After Lincoln became president he was besieged by office seekers. One day he told a rather unpromising man this story: "Once upon a time there was a king fond of hunting, and always before starting would send for his magician for a report on the weather. One day when the magician promised fine weather they started off. Soon they met a peasant driving a donkey. The peasant said: 'My great king, turn back, a storm is brewing.' The king replied: 'No my magician says the weather will be fine.' Said the peasant: 'When my donkey turns his ears forward it's going to storm.' The king went on and was caught in a terrific storm. When he returned he removed the magician from office and secured a donkey.' Lincoln added: 'And since that time all the jackasses in the country have been seeking offices.'

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Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lee, formerly of Exeter, Nebraska, now of Los Angeles, California, celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary, June twenty-fifth, with a banquet at the Hotel Angelus, and the following report has been sent to the Journal for publication about the event:

Plates were laid for fifty-five guests. The table was decorated with Shasta daisies and ferns, place cards were in the form of a wedding bell with two hearts, above which were the initials of the couple and the dates, 1849 and 1909.

"During the dinner, held in a private dining room, quotations relative to the celebration were read by the fifty-five guests. The Rev. William Horace Day, pastor of the First Congregational church, responded to the toast, 'The Occasion We Celebrate,' in which he congratulated the couple upon the presence of all their children and grandchildren, an unbroken family. Other toasts were responded to by Judge W. H. Morris, formerly of Crete, Nebraska, and Mrs. Fannie Lowe of Los Angeles.

"After the dinner the guests adjourned to the spacious parlors of the hotel where they were entertained with music, readings and old time reminiscences.

"The Nebraska guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cox, Exeter, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Lee, Omaha, Neb.; Miss Leola Cox, Exeter, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rogers, McCook, Neb.; Miss Ivy May Lee, Omaha, Neb.; Hon. J. W. Dolan and Mr. and Mrs. Lew Robertson, formerly of Exeter, now residing in Los Angeles; Mrs. T. C. McCleery of Exeter; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cleveland, Mogallon, N. M., formerly of Exeter, Neb.

"T. H. Lee was born in Halifax, England, March 20th, 1828, the eldest of eleven children and Carrie Walsh was born in the same town, April 17, 1830, the youngest of eleven children. They became acquainted, June 25th, 1847, and were married June 25th, 1849, in the Episcopal church. The Parish of Halifax was the home of their ancestors as far back as can be traced.

"After their marriage they remained in Halifax two years, Mr. Lee working at his trade of carpenter, and having saved a snug sum they concluded to come to the United States in the fall of 1851, they landed in New Orleans, where Mr. Lee worked in the shipyard during the winter of 1851 and 1852. They left New Orleans on the steamboat Glenora, and landed in St. Louis, April 2, 1852. As the boat was making the landing the boiler exploded killing a large number of people. Mr. and Mrs. Lee with others escaped to shore, Mrs. Lee without shoes and bonnet, and losing all their possessions. By the courtesy of Captain Orrin Smith of the steamer Nominee they were taken to Le Claire, Iowa, on the banks of the Mississippi river. Here Mr. Lee commenced business as contractor and builder, which he followed successfully for twenty-seven years. At Le Claire their four children were born, namely Mrs. Julia W. Cox of Exeter, Neb.; Mrs. Clara Hileman of Denver, Colo.; G. H. Lee of Omaha, Neb.; and Mrs. Fannie L. Lowe of Los Angeles, Calif.

"In the fall of 1879 Mr. Lee engaged in the hardware business in Exeter, Neb., moving his family there in the spring of 1880. His business in Exeter was successful and they continue to consider Exeter their home.

Mr. Lee has two brothers and two sisters, namely Geo. C. Lee and James L. Lee of Pasadena, and Mrs. Lizzie A. Sheldon and Mrs. Fannie L. Elliott of Los Angeles. The combined ages of the three brothers and two sisters is 365 years, average 73 years.—Lincoln Journal.

Who Pays in Advance.

The following marked "Stolen" is published in a Missouri paper: "How dear to my heart is the steady subscriber, who pays in advance at the birth of the year; who lays down his money, and does it quite gladly, and casts around the office a halo of cheer. He never says 'Stop it, I cannot afford it' nor 'I'm getting more papers now than I can read,' but always says, 'Send it, the family likes it; in fact we all think it a real household need.' How welcome he is when he steps in the sanctum, how he makes our heart throb, how he makes our heart dance. We outwardly thank him we inwardly bless him, the steady subscriber who pays in advance."

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CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CHRISTIAN—Bible-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. All are welcome. R. M. AINSWORTH, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at St Alban's church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are welcome to these services. E. R. EARLE, Rector.

CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:00 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday. Wm. J. KIRWIN, O. M. L.

METHODIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sermons by pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Junior League at 3. Epworth League at 6:45. Prayer meeting, Wednesday night at 7:45. M. B. CARMAN, Pastor.

BAPTIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 8:00. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us. E. BURTON, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—Regular German preaching services in frame building of East Ward every Sunday morning at 10:00. All Germans cordially invited. Rev. Wm. BRUBGEMAN, 607 5th st. East.

CHRISTIAN SCIENOK—219 Main Ave.—Services, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Reading Room open all the time. Science literature on sale. Subject for next Sunday—"God."

CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services. G. B. HAWKES, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 1:30 p. m. Senior C. E. at 4:00 p. m. Prayer meetings every Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 7:30. All Germans cordially invited to these services. REV. GUSTAV HENKELMANN, 505 3rd street West.

Lax Discipline a Great Crime.

The national educational association is in session in Denver, this week. "Spiritless Teaching" was discussed by Sup't McNeill of the Memphis city schools, early in the session. While he charged that sort of teaching as being sufficient and calculated to drive most any child to delinquency, he delivered himself of the following paragraph, which is of special interest to parents: "A failure on the part of the home to exercise even and forceful discipline is a sin which has put the curse of Cain and the stamp of Satan upon many a promising boy or girl."

"When we realize the baneful working of uneven discipline, growing out of weak-willed, inefficient parental government, we stand in the presence of a great problem. How can we impress fathers and mothers and teachers with the idea that weak and vacillating government of children blights their lives and make them candidates for the ranks of the ignoble."

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

Annual report of the McCook public library for the year ending June 1, 1909: The library has been open every day of the year during library hours, except on six legal holidays.

There are now in the library 3,849 volumes. During the year 308 volumes have been added, of which number 72 volumes have been rebound. 54 volumes have been rebound. 71 volumes of magazines have been put in patent binders and placed on the shelves. 27 newspapers and periodicals have been subscribed for, and three have been donated.

The number of visitors for the year, 24,937; number of books loaned, 14,019; new borrower's cards issued, 295.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The finances have been administered as follows:
New books.....\$242 19 8
Books rebound..... 25 05
Newspapers and periodicals..... 69 35
Total expended for reading matter..... 337 19
Librarian..... 412 50
Janitor..... 181 20
Coal..... 154 40
Water..... 30 21
Electric lights..... 34 45
Gas..... 26 27
50 chairs..... 100 00
H. P. Waite & Co..... 67 28
H. N. Rosebush..... 40 00
Miscellaneous expenses..... 225 75
Total expended..... 1609 25
From building fund..... 423 15

General fund..... 1186 10
Paid bills of previous year..... 243 24

From general fund for expenses current year..... 942 56
All bills paid up to June 1, 1909, leaving a credit of \$127.68.

Respectfully submitted,
CARRIE BUDLONG,
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MISS ANNE MORGAN.

The Daughter of J. P. Morgan and Her Success as a Speaker.

It is not often that the public gets a glimpse of Miss Anne Morgan, daughter of the great financier and art patron, J. P. Morgan. Her appearance recently at the opening of the restaurant in the Brooklyn navy yard started by the woman's branch of the National Civic federation was notable not merely because it afforded the public a chance to see the daughter of a king of finance, but also because Miss Morgan made a speech, a very exceptional thing for her. It was before a rather unruly crowd of some 6,000 persons. Preceding speakers had not received the Cold Water Cure.



MISS ANNE MORGAN.

ceived very polite attention, and Miss Morgan's friends were disturbed lest she might not, either. But their fear was unavailing. Though there were some whistles and catcalls when she began to talk, when she sat down it was with the crowd all on her side and amid a perfect roar of applause.

The navy yard restaurant was planned by a committee of the Woman's Civic federation, headed by Miss Morgan, and carried through entirely on the responsibility of the committee itself by permission of the government. Its object is to show that men in the government employ can be provided with good food at a moderate price. The committee of women intends to prove this by running the restaurant so that it pays expenses for one year. Then if they succeed the government will take it over.

Whether it was that Miss Morgan spoke at her own suggestion, realizing that this was a critical juncture, or not could not be learned. She was not down on the program to speak, and she followed Mrs. Archibald Alexander, whose voice could hardly be heard at all for the noise of what was almost a hostile crowd.

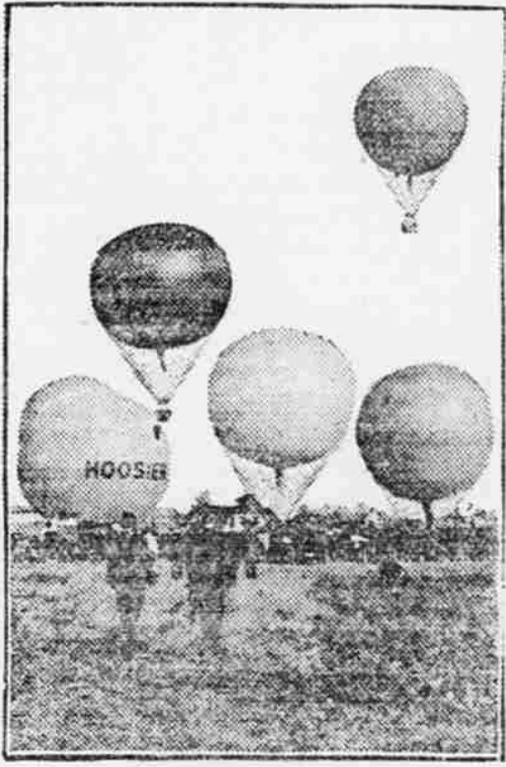
But Miss Morgan's speech turned the tide from skepticism, to put it mildly, to real enthusiasm. She spoke with determination to be heard clearly and directly.

She told the audience that if the plan failed it must shut down; that it could not succeed without their help, and if it did succeed it might have unlimited results in reaching the government to take up similar plans all over the country. She was followed by John Mitchell, and the efforts of the two reversed the sentiments of the crowd and perhaps may result in saving the institution from failure.

CHAMPION BALLOONIST NOW

A. Holland Forbes and the Big Indianapolis Race.

Navigation of the air as a science has received quite a stimulus from the first national balloon race for the title of championship balloonist of the Aero Club of America. The race started from Indianapolis on June 5, and the trophy offered was a \$1,000 cup given by the Aero club. It was won by A. Holland Forbes of New York in the balloon New York. He landed at Corinth, Miss., and he and his aid, Clifford B. Harmon, had an enjoyable trip despite the fact that at the outset they



START OF INDIANAPOLIS BALLOON RACE. suffered from the heat and glare of the sun and later from extreme cold. The greatest altitude they attained was about 13,500 feet. There were a large number of entries in the race, and the start, which is shown in the accompanying picture, was a spectacular one.

Colombia.

The means of communication in Colombia are inadequate. There are twelve short railways, none of them over seventy miles in length, and all were planned without regard to coal export, although it happens that several of them traverse coal fields. The navigable rivers are suitable only for vessels of light draft.

The Cold Water Cure. If you feel a cold coming on, drink a glass of cold water, not tea, and repeat at half hour intervals until relief is felt. If hot water is easier to take, it can be substituted for the cold, particularly in the morning and at night. Taking an abundance of liquid matters more than its temperature. It is there where the patients fall short. They will drink a glass or two of water, then declare they can take no more and, ceasing, decide water cannot drive out a cold. This water cure is not so modern as the most of us think it. In an old prescription book of a famous physician of more than a hundred years ago this curious remedy for a cold is found: "Let ye patient who feels a cold coming on eat of a fine, big salt herring just before going to bed. This will make ye patient drink plenty of water." If you have not strength of purpose to drink freely of water for the cold's sake, make yourself thirsty as best you can—only take all the water possible.—Philadelphia Press.

Hanged For Violating Smoke Law. Curious and little known facts about the house fire were mentioned by E. H. Blake, addressing the surveyors' institution on warning and ventilation. Fires were at one time a great luxury, he said, and even the right to use the fire had been bequeathed. Thus the will of one Richard Byrnett (1516) read: "I will ye sayd Nell my wyfo shal have ye chamber she lyes in a d lyberte at ye fyre in the house; all yese thyngs shal she have so long as she ys wido."

Coal, continued Mr. Blake, was first imported into London at the end of the thirteenth century, but the smoke produced by burning it in improperly constructed grates caused such a prejudice against it that in 1306 a law was passed making it a capital offense to burn coal in the city. The Tower records give details of a man's trial and execution for the offense.—London Graphic.

Not the Kind He Wanted. Professed politicians who have reduced public office to an exact science find the independent voter a sad stumbling block, a fact which is amusingly disclosed by a story found in the life of the late George Monro Grant, the eminent Canadian educator and clergyman. Toward the end of Sir John Macdonald's life he and Principal Grant, then the head of Queen's college, met at a dinner at the house of the premier's brother-in-law, Professor Williamson. "How I wish," the premier said to the principal, "that you would be a steady friend of mine."

"My dear Sir John," the principal replied, "I have always supported you when you were right."

The premier's eyes twinkled, and he laid his hand upon the shoulder of the principal. "My dear man," said he, "I have no use for that species of friendship!"

Greatness Not Free From Shame. The transcendent power and fame with which great genius has at different periods endowed various men do not always insure them from after misery and shame. This was strikingly exemplified in the cases of the four greatest of military conquerors—Alexander, Hannibal, Caesar and Napoleon. The general judgment of mankind has conceded them the first place in the lines of action for which they were severally distinguished. Yet they all met with melancholy deaths. Two of them suffered for years the keenest humiliations which a total destruction of their hopes could bring. Two perished at the zenith of their power, just as they might have expected a long enjoyment of the fruits of their tremendous achievements.—Exchange.

The Greatest Wealth. Is there any compensation in money for a starved, stunted, dwarfed mind? Can lands and houses, stocks and bonds, pay a man for living a narrow, rutty, sordid life? How much money would match the wealth of a trained mind, of unfolded possibilities? Is the capacity for the appreciation of the meaning of life, of the lessons of civilization, worth no more than one's bread and butter and roof? Can any one conceive of greater possessions than an intellect well trained and disciplined, than a broad, deep, full orbed mind responsive to all beauty, all good?—Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine.

Optimistic. "My wife is a very optimistic woman." "Indeed she is." "Noticed it, have you?" "Yes; when I was talking with her yesterday she said that if you ever died she would marry again because she felt sure that she could do better next time."—Houston Post.

Triumphs of Travel. "Now he's bragging about how he did Venice." "What do you mean?" "Most tourists spend a week in Venice. He did it in a day."—Kansas City Journal.

No Excuse. "Is that horse you bought a kicker?" "A kicker?" answered Mr. Sirius Barker. "I am the fellow who paid twice his value and who is buying the feed. What has the horse got to kick about?"—Washington Star.

His Misfortune. The Poet—Poets are born, not made. The Girl—I know. I wasn't blaming you.—Boston Transcript.

There are certain flowers the perfume of which, it is said, is produced by microbes.

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