

Miss Willa Cather is spending a few days of her vacation in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gere and daughters. She will spend a part of the summer with her family in Red Cloud.

Mrs. F. M. Hall and Miss Cora Parker were at home on Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Hall's home to the friends of Art. These illustrated conversations have been a great success. Mrs. Hall and Miss Parker are glad to explain and locate the photographs of the works of the new and the old masters and the summer afternoons in the shaded rooms are filled with interested groups of friends.

Miss Marie Marshall left Tuesday, for Vermont where she will spend the summer.

Miss Rose Carson expects to drive overland to Brownville, this week.

Mrs. Putman and Miss Putman expect to leave the last of July for the east, where they will remain until Miss Putman's school reopens.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blish expect to spend several weeks at Lake Oaakie, this summer.

Married at high noon on Wednesday, Mr. Clement E. Frey to Miss Lovie E. Ferguson, at the home of the bride's parents at 1613 O street, Rev. Dunning officiating. The bride's gown was of white silk and she carried white roses. The maid of honor was Miss Scott gowned in white organdie and pink roses. The groom's brother, Ray Frey was best man. The guests were received by a little maid in blue and pink—Miss Florence Tylee. The rooms were filled with palms and roses. After the wedding luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Frey took the Denver train to Denver, where they will spend the honeymoon. Everybody's best wishes follow and return with them.

Ward Hildreth is spending the summer in Montana.

The general exodus to the resorts begins about now. Lincoln people are divided in their pleasure-seeking between the mountains of Colorado, and the lakes of Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota. This year many took advantage of the rates to California and some few will make the Atlantic watering places. A very few are in Europe and one lone individual is making the trip to Alaska. A great many who cannot spare but a few days are resting at the Crete Chautauqua these two weeks. The large majority, however, have resorted to the home cellar in the day time, the trolley or the wheel in the evening, right here in Lincoln.

Miss Edna Polk is spending the summer at Quincy, Illinois.

Notwithstanding the weather, several wheeling parties have been given the past week.

The Capitol lawn is a more attractive spot this summer than it has been for years. It is quite a resort for families in the cool of the evening.

Jesse P. Rowe left this week to spend the summer at his home at Elkhart, Indiana.

There is quite a smattering of Lincoln people around the university every morning taking work in special branches.

M. D. Welch returned from Colorado, Wednesday some improved in health.

Rev. Willard Scott of Chicago, formerly of Omaha, passed through Lincoln Wednesday, on his way to the Crete Chautauqua.

Dr. MacKensie, the great preacher and lecturer, was in the city a few moments this (Saturday) morning enroute to the Crete Chautauqua where he has been secured for the coming week.

Miss Addie Whiting returned from the Beatrice Chautauqua Tuesday evening.

Miss Bessie Hayden who has been in New York for two years past studying art, is spending the summer in this city.

Miss Florence Putman is spending the vacation at home in this city.

Many picnic parties have been arranged to spend the fourth at the Crete Chautauqua grounds.

It is noticeable how many children there are on the ground and they seem to be having the best time of all the campers.

Superintendent of Grounds Norris reported the attendance for the first two days as much better than for years previous. Already there are nearly a thousand people on the ground and more coming constantly. Many Lincoln people are here and seem to make President Welch's cottage their headquarters. The chautauqua, unlike so many assemblies of the kind does not depend on "catch" attractions or a sort of "transient" attendance, but has a regular constituency, as it were, which comes year after year. And much of this regular patronage comes from Lincoln, due to Lincoln's nearness to Crete, the courtesy of the Burlington in regard to rates and passenger accommodations, and the financial interest of Lincoln parties in the enterprises.

President Perry, of Doane college was in the city Thursday.

Mrs. A. Raymond is expected home from the east the first part of next week.

Supt. Saylor of the Lincoln schools is spending the vacation at Marquisville, Iowa. Just at present he is working on the new course of study for next year.

Halsey Yates returned last week from West Point. The eight weeks allowed at present is the only vacation he gets in the full four years at the military academy.

J. W. Crabtree, high school inspector for the state university, has already begun his work, and is now attending the various county institutes throughout the state in the interests of the institution.

Chancellor McLean leaves today for Milwaukee to attend the National Educational convention. He will then return to Lincoln, where he will remain until August 1st when he goes to the Atlantic for a well earned vacation.

Several of the university professors have planned long bicycle trips to the Black Hills and Colorado during July and August.

Miss Daisy Hargreaves left Wednesday to spend the summer in and near Chicago. Mrs. A. E. Hargreaves accompanied her daughter as far as Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dorgan will leave for Lake Okiboji next Tuesday.

Mrs. I. S. P. Weeks and daughter, Emily, leave next week to spend the summer at Salem, Boston and Nantucket.

Mrs. Winger is attending the Crete Chautauqua, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Welch.

Clinton S. Norton, of this year's class of the state university, has been elected instructor in the Ashland high school.

Edgar H. Clark of Wahoo was visiting friends in the city this week.

The Burlington people sold over sixty excursion tickets to California this week.

A large party of young people held a picnic at the state farm Tuesday evening. There was also a trolley party and a coaching party at Ensign's the same evening.

The university summer school closes

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this week, and many teachers have already departed, some to California, but the large majority to the National Teachers' association at Milwaukee.

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Terrors of Childhood,

A child rarely, if ever, speaks of its fantastic fears. We must fall back upon our own memories if we would study this aspect of the childish mind. And, so encouraged by the example of the good ladies in "Cranford," who whisperingly confessed, the one a secret horror of Eyes, the other a life long dread of being caught by her "last leg" as she got into bed, I recount some of the vividly remembered terrors under which I myself once trembled in silence. For, I repeat, the child does not speak of these things, which to his own soberer judgment seem unreasonable and even preposterous.

Once, as a very little child, I was for some reason alone in a wide treeless place in the country. I suppose I was in reality not far from the house, but there seemed to be an endless expanse around. As I looked about me I suddenly became conscious of the overpowering immensity of the sky and its awful unbroken blueness. A crushing horror and dread seemed to pin me to the ground. I stood a shuddering mite of a girl, alone under that stupendous weight of blue, feeling that it might descend and swallow me up. I have forgotten everything but that,—how I came there, how I got away; but I know now the precise shade of the terrible intense blue that seemed to be engulfing me.—*Annie Steger Winston in July Lippincott's.*

A Haunted Burglar,

When quiet was restored, the lawyer handed the photograph to the jury and quietly remarked:

"You may see for yourselves that the choking was done with the left hand, and you have observed that my client has no such member."

He was unmistakably right. The imprint of the thumb and finger, forced into the flesh in a singularly ferocious, sprawling, and awkward manner, was shown in the photograph with absolute clearness. The prosecution, taken wholly by surprise, blustered and made attempts to assail the evidence, but without success. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Meanwhile the prisoner had fainted, and his gag and bonds had been removed; but he recovered at the moment when the verdict was announced. He staggered to his feet, and his eyes rolled; then with a thick tongue he exclaimed:

LADIES

THAT OLD FUR GARMENT is worth almost as much today as the day you bought it; but you don't know it. As long as the hair is on the skin it is GOOD. Moth eaten or worn

spots can be taken out without even showing a seam. The only question is what can be done with it? Its out of style and worn. Maybe it needs a new lining, or should be stylishly trimmed. That old coat would make a beautiful cape, and capes are just the thing this season. There's that old fur garment you haven't worn for years, because it is all "fagged out." Why, that will make a beautiful collarette; just the thing for fall and spring wear. Then just look at that garment. It is entirely "gone up," the hair stands the wrong way on it, and it is worn and matted. "Its no earthly use." Well, it does look bad, but by the process of glazing the fur is brought out and cleaned and then, when remodeled, it is like new.

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