

COLLEGE HAS PLANS FOR PERFECT GIRLS.

Physical Director of Radcliffe Announces a Novel System.

To make Radcliffe college girls the most perfect representatives of womanhood is the plan of Miss Elizabeth Agnes Wright, physical director.

An effort will be made to regulate the amount of exercise taken by each girl daily. Walking will be especially encouraged.

LIVE STOCK SHOW.

Coming Exhibition at Chicago Will Be Greatest Ever Given.

Preparations for the International Live stock exposition to be held at the International amphitheater, Chicago, from Dec. 2 to 9 are rapidly nearing completion.

The premiums to be offered this year will approximate \$100,000. The champion live stock from Canada and Mexico will try for the prizes.

"We are striving to make this the banner year of the International Live Stock exposition," said he, "and from the way things look at present Chicago will have the greatest show of its kind ever given in the world."

Secretary Heide, who has made a tour of the big fairs throughout the United States, said: "Any one who thinks live stock breeding is dying out should pay a visit to the county and state fairs throughout the United States. He will soon see his error."

LIVES IN FOUR STATES.

Ranch Extends Into Utah, Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona.

When Fred Terron, a stockman, went to Kansas City with a herd of cattle he for a time was puzzled as to what state to register for.

Mr. Terron eats his meals in Colorado, sleeps in Utah, has his "best room" in New Mexico, and his kitchen extends into Arizona.

FLAVORING TURKEY FOR TAFT.

Connecticut Farmer Feeding Wine Soaked Fodder to Gobbler.

Connecticut hopes to oust Rhode Island this year from the honor of supplying President Taft's table with a Thanksgiving turkey.

A Waterbury farmer has an especially attractive and supposedly toothsome gobbler which already will take on added weight under the special training of the weeks to come.

This diet is expected to produce a plump taste, something like a combination of Scotch quail and American woodcock.

MADE THEIR OWN COFFINS.

Neighbors Did This Years Ago—One Just Used His.

Several years ago Isaac Good, farmer of Rochester, Ind., and his chum neighbor, Jonas Myers, agreed to make their own coffins.

Accordingly a giant walnut tree which stood on the Good farm and was one of the familiar sights on the place was felled and sawed into lumber.

Mr. Good died recently and was buried in the casket he made.

antine. An epidemic of smallpox is said to have broken out in these two counties, no measures to check its spread having been taken by local authorities.

FINDS A WAY TO CONTROL MENINGITIS.

Dr. Flexner of Rockefeller Institute Announces Successful Experiments.

Before the annual conference of the sanitary officers of the state of New York Dr. Simon Flexner, director of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, declared that as the result of many experiments with serum he was able to say that epidemic spinal meningitis could now be entirely controlled.

"It has taken a large sum of money and a long time to perfect this cure. This is the first time I have announced it, as only very recently have I demonstrated to my own satisfaction that I claim for it. Influenza meningitis in the child, which has caused so many deaths and which spreads so rapidly, will with the application of this new form of treatment that we have discovered be not one-tenth as dangerous as it was before the discovery of this new serum and method of treating such a disease."

The serum, explained Dr. Flexner, they had never been able to get into the blood of a patient infected with meningitis. All experiments were tried to endeavor to get the serum into the blood so that it could overcome the bacilli of the disease.

EXPECT WAR TO BRING CHRIST

Adventists Think Downfall of Turkey Would Mean His Return.

The second coming of Christ and the end of the world are presaged by the war in which Turkey and Italy are engaged. This is the view held by the Seventh Day Adventists, according to the Rev. K. C. Russell of Takoma Park, D. C., an exponent of that faith.

"The Adventists have maintained for many years," said Mr. Russell, "that the refusal of the powers to help the Turk, his dual expulsion from Europe and the scramble for his territory by the nations would be the signal for the second appearance of Christ. The basis for the belief is the prophecies in the Bible. In the book of Daniel is found:

"And he shall plant the tabernacles of his palace between the seas and the glorious holy mountain, yet he shall come to his end, and none shall help him."

"The personage referred to is conceded by commentators to be none other than the Turkish empire. And the text shows that this power shall 'come to his end, and none shall help him.' Then Christ shall come and deliver his people, 'every one that shall be found written in the book.'"

WEIGHED THE ELEPHANT.

A Problem Which a Hindu Prince Was Able to Solve.

There is a story often told in India of Shajee, a Hindu prince, who on a certain occasion showed himself almost as clever as Archimedes.

A high official had made a vow that he would distribute to the poor the weight of his own elephant in silver money. But the great difficulty that at first presented itself was the mode of ascertaining what this weight really was.

Lamps on Baby Carriages.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 7.—Baby carriages in Minnesota must hereafter carry warning lights when used after dark, two white lights in front and a red one in the rear.

Bribery Charged.

Valparaiso, Ind., Nov. 7.—City Engineer C. A. Williston, one of the Gary, Ind., officials charged with accepting

bribes in connection with a heating franchise sought by T. B. Dean, was placed on trial before Judge Van Fleet and seven members of the jury temporarily were accepted. The chief evidence in the case against Williston is a series of dictograph productions which are to show the conversation at which he says the alleged bribes were given and taken.

IS INVITED BY WIRELESS.

That's the Way Kansas University Co-Eds Send Messages Now.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 7.—They do things in an up-to-date way at the University of Kansas.

Miss Ellen Burkhardt decided that she would like to take her co-ed chum, Miss Maria Wetter, to the Kansas-Oklahoma football game on the Lawrence field next Saturday.

American Crew Saved.

London, Nov. 7.—The British steamer Victorian, on her way from Galveston to Liverpool, sent a wireless message saying she had on board the crew of the water-logged American schooner, Stephen G. Loud.

The Stephen G. Loud is a three-masted schooner of 400 tons net, owned by Dun & Elliott and company of Thomaston, Me. She sailed from Savannah on Oct. 23 for Boston.

South Omaha Men Deny. Lincoln, Nov. 7.—John J. Ryan and Joseph Pivonka, fire and police commissioners of South Omaha, filed a motion in the supreme court to quash the ouster suit instituted against them by the attorney general at the direction of Gov. Aldrich.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 7.—Allison MacFarland was arraigned before Chief Justice Gummere and pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with the murder of his wife with cyanide of potassium.

RYAN RELINQUISHES CLAIM.

Washington, Nov. 7.—Richard S. Ryan, alleged author of the famous "Dick-to-Dick" letter, which started the Controller Bay investigation during the extra session of congress last summer, yesterday relinquished all claim to the fifty-six acre tract on Controller Bay, Alaska, known as the Canyon Creek Lane terminal tract.

The claim which he relinquished lies between the claims of J. J. Ryan and A. L. Scheuer, which it is conceded were taken in the interest of the railway and navigation company of which Mr. Ryan is head.

The law requires that all claims adjoining the water front eighty rods shall be reserved from entry.

Mr. Ryan's claim occupied practically all of the eighty rods between the soldiers' additional homestead claims of J. J. Ryan and Scheuers. He contended that the law did not apply in his case because his application was only for right of way over the tract, not for absolute possession and that the expression in the law, "reserved from entry," need not prevent the government from granting the use of the land for railway or navigation terminal purposes.

Secretary Fisher intimated very strongly in a recent address that the government would not take Mr. Ryan's interpretation of the law.

A WOMAN WHO KEEPS STILL.

Mrs. Vermilya Adopts Policy of Silence—Others May Be Indicted.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Mrs. Louise Vermilya, charged with the poisoning of Policeman Arthur Bisonette and suspected of having caused the death of at least half a dozen others, today settled down to a stay in the county jail hospital until her next hearing, Nov. 28.

When the doors of the big lock-up on the north side of the river closed behind her, the woman declared that she wanted to see no one and that she would talk with no one.

Coroner Hoffman planned to go ahead today with the exhumation of the body of Frank Brinkamp, son of the woman prisoner.

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nois Central railway conductor whose death is coupled with that of Bisonette in the charges against Mrs. Vermilya, that he was satisfied Smith had died of arsenic poisoning as charged.

MAY CHARGE PERJURY.

Some Decisive Action May Result in the Lorimer Investigation.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Rumors that the senatorial investigating committee on the Lorimer election would charge certain of the witnesses with perjury on account of contradictory statements that have been made from the witness chair, gave added interest to the hearing when it was resumed today.

Are Against Sky Scrapers.

Milwaukee, Nov. 7.—That the socialist policy for municipal government is to prevent the erection of sky scrapers, was stated by Congressman Victor L. Berger when he said the administration would not change its policy by permitting the erection of a projected sixteen-story structure for the First National bank.

MORMON PATRIARCH IS DEAD.

John Smith, Thirty Years Presiding Patriarch, Dies at 79.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 7.—John Smith, for thirty years the presiding patriarch of the Mormon church and nephew of its founder and first president, Joseph Smith, is dead here after three days' illness of pneumonia.

Patriarch Smith was the sixth to be chosen to his office, the only hereditary one within the church.

Maine Is Dry.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 7.—Maine retains constitutional prohibition. Gov. Planted and his council last night decided to accept the corrections from four towns cast in the special election in September, thus removing the result as indicated in the first official returns.

Texas Negro Lynched.

Clarksville, Tex., Nov. 7.—Within three hours yesterday after Riley Johnson, a negro, attacked a young woman at a farmhouse near Clarksville and clubbed her mother into insensibility when she responded to her daughter's appeals for assistance, he was captured by a sheriff's posse and shot to death by bystanders when, terrified by threats of lynching, he made a break for liberty.

9-Year-Old Boy Killed.

Herrick, S. D., Nov. 7.—Special to The News: James Hauri, the 9-year-old son of Jacob Hauri, a farmer living four miles north of Herrick, was killed Sunday. His father is a widower and he and the boy were out after a load of fodder.

Both on the ground when, in some manner, the load upset, falling on the boy and killing him instantly. The body was shipped to Rhoades, Ia., for burial.

Herrick Wins Road Race.

Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 7.—Harvey Herrick, holder of the American road race record, yesterday won the annual Los Angeles-Phoenix road race with his National car. Herrick's running time was 21 hours 5 1/2 minutes for the 524 miles. Herrick was the winner of last year's race, also.

Pushes Babe Into Hot Water.

Royal, Neb., Nov. 7.—Special to The News: While scrubbing the floor, Mrs. William Rafft, of Mars, Neb., left a pail of scalding water on the floor. Her 4-year-old boy pushed the 2-year-old baby into the pail, upsetting the water over the child, scalding the little one so badly that death will probably result.

Scribner Man Seriously Hurt.

Fremont, Neb., Nov. 7.—Postmaster James Beaver of Scribner, was probably fatally hurt in the streets of Scribner when run down by an automobile driven by August Kurtz of West Point. Beaver's leg was broken and he suffered concussion of the brain and internal injuries. He has not regained consciousness. A surgeon operated yesterday to remove pressure from the brain.

Will Pension Old Employees.

Omaha, Nov. 7.—A comprehensive plan for the pensioning of employees who have been in the service twenty years or more was announced yesterday by R. C. Howe, general manager of Armour & Co. in this city. The plan appropriates \$1,000,000 as a pension fund, and takes in employees of the company over the entire country.

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the date of entering the service. This gives the employe from 40 to 50 per cent of his salary on retirement, for the remainder of his life. The only distinction made between men and women is that women may be retired when they are 50, after having served the twenty years.

Provision is also made for employes who are incapacitated by sickness after fifteen years of service.

For widows and orphans provision also is made by which they receive benefits after an employe has served fifteen years. Women who marry before their retirement and employes who resign are paid the amount they have paid into the pension fund.

The management of the pension plan and fund is in the hands of a board of trustees consisting of A. Watson Armour, Alfred R. Urion and Frederick W. Cross, officers and employes of long standing with the company.

Neligh Girls Win.

Neligh, Neb., Nov. 7.—Special to The News: The basketball girls of the Oakdale high school came up yesterday afternoon to play the return game with the high school girls of this city.

Russia Sends Ultimatum. Tehran, Persia, Nov. 7.—The Russian minister presented an ultimatum to the Persian government setting forth that unless the Persian minister of foreign affairs apologize for the insult to the Russian Vice Consul M. Petroff on the occasion of the seizure of the property of Shau Es Sultaneh removed the treasury godemare and reinstated the Persian Consacks formerly there, Russia would occupy the provinces of Shilan and Mazanderan, in the north of Persia.

The government had decided not to comply with the Russian demand.

Neligh Firemen's Dance.

Neligh, Neb., Nov. 7.—Special to The News: The twenty-second annual ball of the Neligh volunteer fire department will be held this year on Thanksgiving night.

Omaha, Nov. 8.—Dr. W. M. Davidson, superintendent of schools of Washington, D. C., who for several years held a similar position in Omaha, and J. W. Crabtree, president of the Wisconsin state normal school, formerly state superintendent of public instruction, were guests of honor at a banquet at the Nebraska Schoolmasters club, of which both are former members, last night.

MILLIONAIRE GOES FREE.

Returns from France After Ten Years, All Witnesses Are Gone.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 7.—The charge of attempted bribery against Ellis Wainwright, a millionaire, was dismissed in the circuit court here after a nolle proesse had been entered. Wainwright lived for ten years in France and only recently returned to face the charges. All witnesses for the prosecution have either left the city or died.

Still No Hyde Jury.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 7.—The Hyde murder trial dragged into its fifteenth day today with but twenty-five of the forty-seven required talesmen accepted. A new panel of forty veniremen reported for examination today, making more than 600 names that have been drawn from the jury wheel, but services have not been obtained on all of them.

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Turks Make a Capture.

Constantinople, Nov. 7.—The recent news of the recapture of Derna, Tripoli, by the Turks, purports to come from Enver Bryand, the sheik of the Sunnisi tribesmen.

Constantinople, Nov. 7.—An Italian cruiser bombarded the town of Akadab, Arabia, on Sunday, sinking the Turkish gunboat Italdj, which was lying in port. The second officer of the gunboat was killed, but the others escaped. Subsequently the cruiser shelled the hilly portion of the town. The extent of the damage is not stated.

South Norfolk News.

Mrs. C. E. Walstrom and son Clarence, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Walstrom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kummer, at Long Pine.

John Holtzclaw has returned to his home in Pierce, having worked here all summer.

Albion.

E. Herman of Albion will wrestle Charles Anderson, "the Swede," from O'Neill at Spalding on Thursday evening, Nov. 9.

C. Mabray is interceding with the officers of the district court in an effort to secure a reduction in the bond demanded of her husband, at present confined in the Polk county jail, pending his arraignment in district court here for trial on twenty-three charges of a violation of the law in connection with the operation of the Mabray "swindles syndicate."

Mabray is nominally held on a bond of \$10,000 in two cases and the aggregate bond that may be exacted of him should he demand his release with a surety, is \$115,000.

Mabray recently turned state's evidence in connection with the local police and county officials than formerly.

Mabray was indicted under his own name in the state court in ten different swindles, with a double indictment for larceny and conspiracy in each case.

SPRAINS ANKLE, SHOWS NERVE.

Mrs. Pankhurst, Woman Suffragist, Stands on Ankle an Hour.

Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 8.—Although suffering from a sprained ankle, Emmeline Pankhurst, one of the leading women suffragists of England, stood for more than an hour during her lecture. The accident occurred as she was alighting from a carriage.

Bryan Is Pleased. Lincoln, Nov. 8.—William J. Bryan expressed his satisfaction over what he interpreted from the limited victory he had received, to be a general victory for the democrats of the country.

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Mr. Steiner with a jewelry store. The upper floors will be rented as a rooming house.

The Genoa high school basketball team came to Albion yesterday to play the high school here. Genoa lost the game. Score, 25 to 30.

Company M, Nebraska National guard will undergo an inspection by head officers on Wednesday, Dec. 6.

Girl Attempts Suicide.

Royal, Neb., Nov. 7.—Special to The News: Miss Annie Ickler, the 18-year-old daughter of Rudolph Ickler of Logan township, undertook to commit suicide Saturday evening by taking strychnine. Dr. Johnson of Creighton was summoned, and at last reports the girl was still alive but very low. No motive is known for her actions.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

Mrs. R. B. Hanks of Creighton was a visitor in the city.

B. T. Reid went to Farrell, Wyo., to spend a few days on his ranch.

L. H. Hinds, who has been here visiting with friends, has returned to Canada.

John Lynde returned last night from a summer's surveying trip on the Union Pacific.

G. W. Patterson, member of the Minnesota state board of agriculture, was in the city transacting business with G. L. Carlson.

Miss Anna Boehmke, who has been substituting for her sister in Lincoln, has returned. Her sister, Miss Katherine Boehmke, is now entirely recovered from an attack of pneumonia. She has returned to Lincoln.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor, a daughter.

A regular meeting of Mosaic lodge No. 55 will be held this evening.

It required two officers to eject two undesirable from the Calumet restaurant last night.

On account of the death in the family of Albert Degner, the school board did not hold a meeting Monday night.

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R. N. Zimmerman, a local traveling salesman, and A. T. Gorman, a jeweler, have rented the Hagey building and expect to open a restaurant within a few weeks.

Mrs. W. R. Hoffman was called to Omaha in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of her father, Rev. R. M. Henderson. Mr. Henderson is about 80 years old.

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