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ANNOUNCEMENTS

SATURDAY, September 20.

SUNDAY, September 21.

Soldiers' Reunion!

Saturday special trains 2 p. m., 4:20 p. m., 6:30 p. m., 10 p. m. Return 3 p. m., 6:45 p. m., and 11 p. m.

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Sunday trains 10 a. m., 2 p. m., 6 p. m. Return 10:30, 2:30, 6:15 and 8 p. m. For full particulars see papers and talk with old soldiers.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 28.

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POPULATION OF LINCOLN, 65,000.

SOUTH LINCOLN.

Miss Kate Waters is very sick. W. N. Abbot returned from Schuyler this week.

Miss Maria Lillbridge left last week to visit relatives in Wisconsin.

Mrs. C. H. Gould and daughter left Wednesday for Portland, Oregon.

Mr. Vanderpool and wife left on Monday for Chicago to remain all winter.

Clarence Langton returned Wednesday from a two weeks visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Westburg of Osceola, Neb., spent fair week with her sister, Mrs. Louie Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lippincott and daughter leave next Monday for Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. C. W. Hoxie leaves next week for Boston, Baltimore and other cities in the east.

Miss Hettie Keefe is taking in the exposition in St. Louis. She expects to remain a month.

Mrs. E. L. Savy and children of Omaha, were guests of Chief Newbury during the state fair.

Miss A. B. Corlett, who has been visiting in Lincoln for the past year, has returned to her home in Chicago.

John Love entered the University this week, having just returned with a party of surveyors from Wyoming.

Miss Mae Williams of Denver, Col., who has been visiting Mrs. E. E. Bennett at 1235 A street, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Frank Hitchcock of East Lincoln, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Harris, died Wednesday noon of lingering consumption.

Mrs. Cunningham of Milwaukee, Wis., Mrs. Mrs. Rachel Dobson and Mrs. Dr. Babcock of Chicago, are the guests of Mrs. J. P. Walton, 1707 A street.

There was a surprise party Friday evening at the residence of Detective Pound, 1302 A street, in honor of Miss Irma Mullenix who will leave on Sunday for her home at Rock Rapids, Ia.

AUNT SAMANTHA.

A Forgone Conclusion.
It has caused no little surprise that there should be some doubt existing with regard to the exact date as to when the present charter of the Louisiana State Lottery company expires. This is plainly expressed in the charter of the company which being a public document, is on file and readily accessible. Even the present charter does not terminate until 1895. Moreover, an amendment has been ordered by the legislature of the state to be submitted to the people, by which the charter of the company will be extended up to the year 1919. Charters are necessarily granted for a limited time, and their renewal is a more matter of form. This has been fully provided for, as anyone familiar with the facts of the case must know. Great satisfaction is expressed at the management of Generals Boaregard and Early, who, as superintendents of the drawings, have maintained the high standard to which the Louisiana State Lottery company has always lived up.—Memphis (Tenn.) Ledger, August 27.

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A Close Race.

Gus de Smith—Thinking about intelligent animals, I think the horse is a great deal more intelligent than the dog.

Will Berry Jones—Dogs are certainly more intelligent than horses.

"I don't agree with you. I once had a race horse that displayed a degree of intelligence that was almost human. It occurred on the race course. It was the closest race I ever saw. At the finish it was not only neck and neck, but nose and nose. There was not a quarter of an inch difference between them. Now, what do you think my horse did to win that race?"

"I have no idea."

"Well, sir, it's a fact, and I can prove it by a dozen living witnesses. When my horse saw that it was going to lose the race it stuck out its tongue, and actually won it by a tongue's length."—Texas Siftings.

No Fight.



"If you weren't bigger than I am I'd lick you."

"If you weren't smaller than I am I'd lick you."—Munsey's Weekly.

Old Zimmerhackle's Observations.

The thermometer is no Mason, but it takes some very high degrees.

A dog can make pants cheaper than a tailor because the material costs him nothing.

Matters are evened up pretty well in this world. The father tans the son, and the sun tans the father.

England's drum beat is heard around the world, but Kentucky's hoof beat gets there first.—Texas Siftings.

Yes, but they both find America's dead beat there ahead of them.—Densville Breeze.

John Was So Literal.

Her Girl Chum (sweetly)—What did John get you for a birthday present?

Mrs. Youngwife (mournfully)—Not a thing.

H. G. C. (emphatically)—Why, how did that happen?

Mrs. Y. (weeping)—Well, you see, he asked me (sobs) what he should get for me, and—and—I (more sobs) told him I'd love him just as well (sobs) if he didn't get me anything, and—he—he—didn't.—West Shore.

A Law Abiding Citizen.

Drowning Man—Help! I am drowning!

Stranger (on bank hastily divesting himself of his clothes)—Horrible! Can't you swim?

Drowning Man (rising to the surface and the occasion for the last time)—Of course! But don't you see that notice on the bridge, "Swimming strictly forbidden here!"—Translated Dusseldorf Zeitung in Texas Siftings.

Being His Best.

"Sir," said the young man to his employer, "I thought I might take the liberty of reminding you that you promised to raise my salary this week."

"Certainly. I've got two collectors out now, and am just going over to the bank to try and get my note discounted. Just keep calm, and I'll raise it somehow if I have any sort of luck."—Washington Post.

How Time Increases Values.

Eminent Author—You bought a MS. from me some ten years ago for \$25.

Publisher—Yes, sir; but we haven't printed it yet.

Eminent Author—Well, let me have it back and I'll give you a hundred. I've got a reputation now and don't want to spoil it.—Puck.

A Good Soling Crop.

Farmer Backlot (to agricultural editor, taking his vacation)—What do you think is the best soling crop, sir?

Agricultural Editor—Well, I don't know. It seems to me that potatoes are about as dirty to harvest as anything.—Barrington Free Press.

Not Tested Yet.

Laura—What a quiet young man Mr. Timkins is.

Floza—Have you invited him to dinner?

"No, not yet."

"Before you call him quiet wait until you hear him eat."—Texas Siftings.

Didn't Take Very Well.

De Witt Seadls, Sr.—I must tell you emphatically that your extravagant mode of life must cease! What have you been doing during your last term at college?

Ditto, Jr.—Took a course of lectures on "Social Economy."—Puck.

Heard at the Shore.

Smithers—I've become a yachtsman.

Darnley—Rather an aerobicic move, is it not?

Smithers—Aerobicic?

Darnley—Yes; turned a summer salt, so to speak!—New York Press.

Mad.

"What did your mother say when you told her we were engaged, Mennie?"

"She didn't say anything. She just went over and spanked my little brother till he could hardly stand."—Boston Courier.

Feeling All Gone.

Doctor—How do you feel now, my dear sir?

Patient (feebly)—I can't feel at all, doctor. I've been paralyzed ever since I saw your bill.—Yenowine's News.

The Usual Reward.

"What did you get for your poem?"

"Thanks."

"Well, that was at least something."

"Yes; the editor returned it with thanks."—Boston Courier.

Exact Application of the Instrument.

Barber (executing an artistic swipe down his customer's cheek)—Does it pull?

Customer (with his teeth firmly set)—No—it doesn't pull—it excavates.—Chicago Tribune.

Wonders of the Deep.

"Did you ever see a shad row?"

"No, but I've seen a sword fish."—New York Herald.

AUCTION FOR THE LADIES.

Mrs. Gosper's Stock to be Sacrificed Today and Until Sold.



When the late fire took place at Mrs. Gosper's store the entire new fall stock had been received and the windows and store had been arranged for the fall opening Monday morning. But the fire flend got in his work of destruction and the place that Mrs. Gosper left Saturday night, feeling proud of the showing that she would be able to make for the fair, was on Sunday consumed into smoke, debris and damaged goods. Mrs. Gosper and a corp of assistants has been clearing up the wreck during the week and among the damaged goods has been found many things that have been unharmed and others slightly damaged. These have been moved to 1039 O street, Schwab's old stand, where, beginning today, C. C. Pace will sell to the highest bidder—no matter how low that may be—all the goods left from the fire. In the stock is found a large assortment of trimmed hats, ribbons, laces, tips, plumes, birds, ornaments, etc., nearly all of which are the new goods just received for the fall and winter season. Besides these goods, a choice line of fine cloaks for both ladies and misses together with a lot of baby cloaks, slightly damaged will be sold.

Special provision will be made for the ladies and their bids will receive special attention. It is a sale for the ladies and the ladies are all especially invited to attend. The sale begins this afternoon and will continue afternoon and evening until the stock is closed out.

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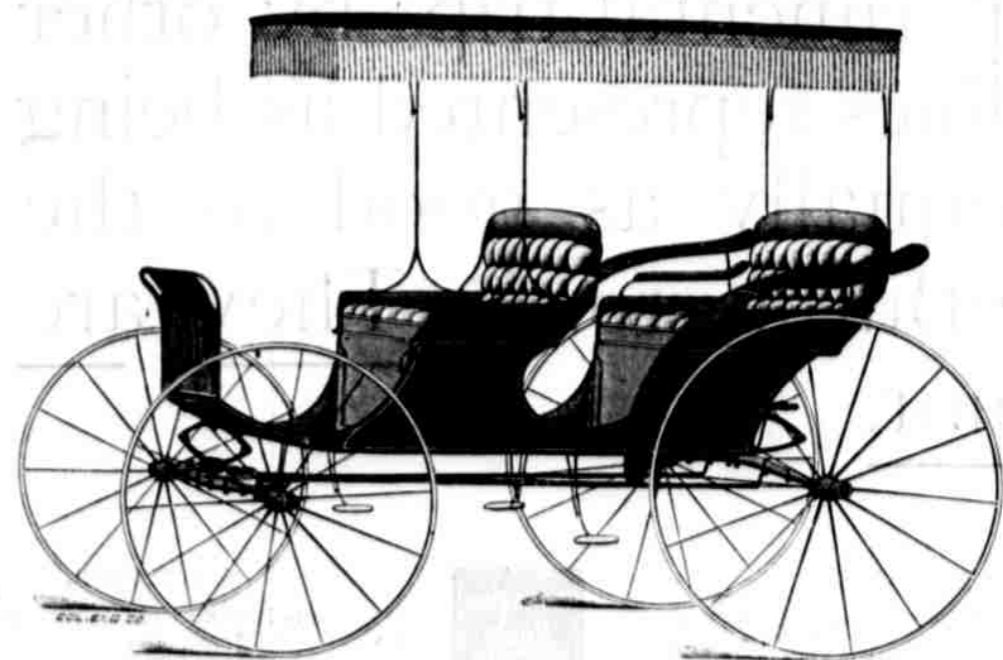


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