

The Fashionable Dinner Table.

The fashionable dinner table is square. It should be large enough to accommodate comfortably the number of people to be seated. No more guests should be invited than will serve to make twelve people in all, on account of the number of pieces of china in each course of dinner service. Heavy white damask is used for the tablecloth, and this should be hemstitched all around. The fashionable patterns in damask are small figures, and these mostly in the form of fine ferns, fine flowers, single rose-buds, pinks, chrysanthemums, carnations and long grasses. In the center of the table is placed the piece of dainty linen beautifully embroidered in colored silks, representing national flowers in all their brilliancy.

Upon this centerpiece is placed the bouquet or flowers, or the large candleabra. The smaller embroidered pieces, which are used under separate dishes and condiment jars, should be exact imitations of the centerpiece, and if that is square, all the small pieces should be square; if round, the same rule holds, and if the edges are serrated the edges of all must be cut in the same shape.—Fashion Journal.

Submarine Telephony.

The difficulty of submarine telephony over great distances is the fact of considerable electrostatic capacity in the cable, the result of this being retardation and deformation of the electrical impulses transmitted. If a line could be made of very, very low resistance, so that the electric current would have the freest possible discharge, the evil effect of this capacity would be in part done away with. The relation between these two things has been determined in a somewhat empirical way. Calling the total resistance of a telephone wire R and its total capacity in microfarads K, successful speaking, with our present instrument, is really an impossibility when the product KR of the resistance of the line in ohms by its capacity in microfarads is greater than about 10,000. In the very best Atlantic cable KR equals somewhere near 3,000,000, so that unless there should be some totally new developments in telephony we can see at once that successful telephoning across the Atlantic is very improbable on account of the enormous cost of a conductor of low resistance and capacity, if for no other reason.—Electrical Engineer.

A New Use for the Ring.

Whatever the measures adopted, the principle of isolation is the essence of all genuine disinfection. Its efficiency for this purpose was well shown at Epsom common. One of the children in a gypsy encampment having been taken ill with scarlet fever, was, along with his mother, very successfully separated from the rest of the community by the simple expedient of a ring fence made of rope drawn around the infected tent and regularly watched.

The result was that the slow progress of convalescence was passed through and disinfection completed without further extension of the disease. The surveyor, Mr. Harding, is to be congratulated on the success of his novel and effectual maneuver. The satisfactory result thus easily attained is of obvious importance, and the simple method employed deserves to be remembered in case of emergencies of a similar kind.—London Lancet.

When to See an Oculist.

Should any of the following symptoms be experienced, an oculist of repute should be consulted. Spots or sparks of light floating before the eyes; quivering of the lids or sensation of sand in the eye; perceptible fatigue or the requirement of strong light in reading; the holding of objects at arm's length or close to the eye; squinting one eye or seeing objects double; dizziness or darting pains in the eyeballs or over the temple; perceiving a colored circle around the lamp; sensitiveness of the eyeballs or contraction of the visual field; blurring of the vision or being unable to see objects distinctly at a distance; watering or redness of the eyes or lids; running together of the letters when reading; or seeing the vertical better than the horizontal lines.—Exchange.

The First Born.

Young Father—I am amazed, shocked, my dear, to hear you say you intend to give the baby some paregoric. Don't you know paregoric is opium and opium stunts the growth, enfeebles the constitution, weakens the brain, destroys the nerves, and produces rickets, marasmus, consumption, insanity and death?

Young Mother—Horror! I never heard a word about that. I won't give the little ducky darling a drop, no, indeed. But something must be done to stop his yelling. You can carry him awhile.

Father (after an hour's steady stamping with the qualling infant)—Where in thunder is that paregoric?—New York Weekly.

The Duty of Every Teacher.

A teacher of science ought also to be an investigator, were it only for the inspiration that his example might give to the pupils in his charge. To impart knowledge is a good thing, but to reveal the sources of knowledge is better; and in that revelation is found the educational value of research regarded as a part of the teacher's essential duty.—F. W. Clarke in Popular Science Monthly.

Paint Instead of Clothing.

The arnotta plant has seeds coated with a red, waxy pulp, which is dried and made into cakes. It is much employed by the South American Caribes for painting their bodies, paint being almost their only article of clothing. As a commercial article it is mainly utilized as a coloring for cheese, butter and inferior chocolates.—Washington Star.

Way Or.

Dullpate (who prides himself on his abstracted air)—Did you ever notice what a faraway look I have sometimes?

Miss Spirituelle—Yes. Is that because you are a little off?—Good News.

Harvest Excursions.

As has formerly been announced in this paper, three harvest excursions at reduced rates to points in Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Wyoming and South Dakota have been arranged for.

These excursions will be made up on August 25, September 15 and 26, from all points as far east as Chicago and Peoria.

The railroads are aware that many of these excursionists are home-seekers, and are offering this inducement to encourage a great number to avail themselves of the opportunity. They doubtless will distribute printed matter setting forth the advantages of the country thro' which their road runs—the agricultural capabilities of the country and the business enterprise of the people; but such advertising must necessarily be general in its results, and therefore, in order to benefit a particular locality, these efforts must be supplemented by advertising more special in its character.

Each community, desiring to lay its advantages before, and to offer inducements to these home-seekers, should inaugurate some system by which it might be benefited. A good plan would be to send some good man east, one who is interested in the welfare of the community, for the purpose of distributing matter extolling the merits of its resources, and to personally work up an interest in his particular section. Doubtless our railroad authorities would furnish free transportation to such an individual, for their interests as well as ours will be greatly enhanced by the attraction of capital.

In this matter Plattsmouth should not remain inactive, but should grasp this opportunity and, as other towns are doing, should subscribe liberally toward a move of this kind. Nebraska City has raised \$500 toward a move of this kind. Let us over-reach the efforts of our neighbor and receive a relatively greater benefit.

Program

For union service of the young people's societies at the M. E. church to-morrow evening:

- Song.
- Prayer, by Rev. Baird.
- Song.
- Opening of meeting by leader, Mr. Halsey.
- Subject, "The Harvest": a, "The Field," by Olive Gass; b, "The Laborer," by Bird Critchfield; c, "The Harvest," by Cliff Wescott.
- Grand testimony meeting or discussion of topic.
- Song.
- Benediction.

Just as we go to press word is received that Frank Maupin, catcher for the Lincoln Giants, broke his thumb at Beatrice this afternoon while playing ball. This being true he will not be able to accompany the boys on their trip.

Come One! Come All!

To the M. E. church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock and hear the Deaconesses.

Miss Pirimmer, recently from Chicago, now of the M. E. Hospital and Deaconesses' Home at Omaha, will tell of the evangelical part of their noble work, and one of the other deaconesses will tell of the hospitals—the nurses and their work.

The Deaconesses' work is the grandest work of the day, and all interested in a good cause should avail themselves of this opportunity to learn of it, and its blessed results.

Messrs. Oliver & Ramage, our enterprising Main street meat market men, have an exhibition at their shop, several stalks of corn that beat anything on record, as far as we have been able to ascertain from the numerous exchanges that reach this office. The longest stalk measures 14 feet and the shortest 12; both are well eared and fully developed. Mr. Ramage informs us they are fair specimens of the field, from which they were taken, consisting of 75 acres. We shall claim the belt for Cass county on corn raising until we hear of something better.

We are under obligations to Mr. Eli Sampson for a basket of fine apples from his farm near Rock Bluffs. Mr. Sampson has some trees on his farm of the pound pipin; the apples are a winter variety and they are now as large around as a saucer.

Bank of Cass County and Myron Raapka took possession this morning at 9 o'clock of Philip Kraus' store, by virtue of a chattle mortgage amount to \$1300. Since the above step was taken, other creditors became alarmed, and claims to the amount of \$300 more have been filed to date.

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TIME TABLE

OF DAILY PASSENGER TRAINS

GOING EAST		GOING WEST	
No. 2	5:05 P. M.	No. 1	3:30 A. M.
No. 4	10:30 A. M.	No. 3	5:30 P. M.
No. 6	7:44 P. M.	No. 5	9:25 A. M.
No. 10	9:45 A. M.	No. 7	7:15 A. M.
No. 12	10:14 A. M.	No. 9	6:25 P. M.
No. 20	8:30 A. M.	No. 11	5:25 P. M.
		No. 13	11:35 A. M.

SECRET SOCIETIES

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS. Gaudin Lodge No. 47. Meets every Wednesday evening at their hall in Parmele & Craig block. All visiting knights are cordially invited to attend. C. C. Marshall, C. C.; Otis Dovey, K. R. S.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION. Waterman block Main Street. Rooms open from 8:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. For men only Gospel meeting every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A. O. U. W., S. Meets first and third Friday evenings of each month at G. A. R. Hall in Rockwood block. Frank Vermylyea, M. W. D. E. Eversole, Recorder.

A. O. U. W. No. 84—Meets second and fourth Friday evenings in the month at G. A. R. Hall in Rockwood block. J. E. Morgan, M. W. F. P. Brown, Recorder.

ROYAL ARCANUM—Cass Council No. 1021. Mett at the K. of P. hall in the Parmele & Craig block over Bennett & Tutts, visiting brethren invited. Henry Herold, Regent; Thos Wailing, Secretary.

CASS LODGE, No. 146, I. O. O. F. meets every Tuesday night at their hall in Fitzgerald block. All Odd Fellows are cordially invited to attend when visiting in the city. J. Cory, N. G. S. W. Bridge, Secretary.

PLACES OF WORSHIP.

CATHOLIC.—St. Paul's Church, Oak, between Fifth and Sixth. Father Garney, Pastor. Services: Mass at 8 and 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 2:30, with benediction.

CHRISTIAN.—Corner Locust and Eighth Sts. Services morning and evening. Elder J. K. Reed, pastor. Sunday School 10 A. M.

EPISCOPAL.—St. Luke's Church, corner Third and V. Sts. Rev. H. B. Burgess, pastor. Services: 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 2:30 P. M.

GERMAN METHODIST.—Corner Sixth St. and Granite. Rev. H. R. Pastor. Services: 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School 10:30 A. M.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services in new church, corner Sixth and Granite sts. Rev. J. T. Baird, pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30; Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

The Y. R. S. C. E. of this church meets every Sabbath evening at 7:15 in the basement of the church. All are invited to attend these meetings.

FIRST METHODIST.—Sixth St., between Main and Pearl. Rev. J. D. M. Buckner, pastor. Services: 11 A. M., 8:00 P. M. Sunday School 9:30 A. M. Praymer meeting Wednesday evening.

GERMAN PRESBYTERIAN.—Corner Main and Ninth. Rev. W. H. pastor. Services usual hours. Sunday School 9:30 A. M.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL.—Granite, between Fifth and Sixth.

COLORED BAPTIST.—Mt. Olive, Oak, between Tenth and Eleventh, Rev. A. Powell, pastor. Services 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Praymer meeting Wednesday evening.

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SOUTH PARK TABERNACLE.—Rev. J. M. Wood, Pastor. Services: Sunday School 10 a. m.; Preaching 11 a. m. and p. m.; prayer meeting Tuesday night; choir practice Friday night. All are welcome.

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