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CONGREGATIONAL—Preaching services every Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and evening at 7 o'clock. Sunday School at 9:30 o'clock, A. M., all mountain time. JOEL S. KELSEY, Pastor.

METHODIST—Services every Sunday at 10:30 A. M. and 7 P. M., mountain time. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. All are cordially invited. Seats free. REV. RADEBAUGH, Pastor.

LUTHERAN—Services the second and fourth Sundays of each month at 10:30 A. M., and 8:00 P. M., central time, at the School House. J. W. KIMMEL, Pastor.

CATHOLIC—Divine services will be held as follows: October, . . . 10; November, . . . 7; December, . . . 25. November, . . . 1; December, . . . 5. THOS. CULLEN, Pastor.

A. O. U. W.—McCook Lodge No. 61, will meet the first and third Mondays of each month in the Masonic Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited. Dr. E. B. DAVIS, M. W. W. H. DAVIS, Recorder.

McCOOK LODGE NO. 7, SELECT KNIGHTS, A. O. OF U. W.—Meets every second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month in Masonic Hall. All visiting comrades cordially invited to assemble with us. S. D. HUNT, Commander. A. H. DAVIS, Recorder.

McCOOK LODGE A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings on the first and third Tuesday evenings of each month. S. L. GREEN, W. M. W. S. WEBSTER, Secretary.

McCOOK CHAPTER, U. D.—Meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month, at Masonic Hall. Visiting companions cordially invited. E. E. LOWMAN, E. C. T. G. REES, Secretary.

CONSTANTINE COMMANDERY, U. D.—Meets every second and fourth Thursday nights in each month. Visiting Sir Knights courteously invited. E. E. LOWMAN, E. C. S. CORDELL, Recorder.

WILLOW GROVE LODGE K. OF P., No. 45, Meets every Wednesday evening at Masonic Hall. J. W. CAMPBELL, C. C. C. H. BOYLE, R. B. S.

I. O. O. F.—McCook Lodge No. 137, I. O. O. F., meets every Friday evening, at 7 o'clock, in Masonic Hall. All visiting brothers are invited to meet with us. C. T. BREWER, N. G. R. C. FISHER, Permanent Secretary.

B. of L. E.—Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Meet first and fourth Saturdays of each month. S. E. HOGE, Chief. J. C. ANDERSON, F. A. E.

J. K. BARNES POST G. A. R.—Regular meetings second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at Masonic Hall. J. A. WILCOX, Commander. J. H. YARGER, Adjutant.

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JUDGE GRESHAM, if the example made of the illustrious Allen G. Thurman be repeated, will pay dearly, to the corporate powers of the land for his fearless, manly views recently expressed in the Wabash case.

It may not be a matter of momentous issue to you, gentle peruser, but we thought we would tell you about it anyway. The sun weighs just the neat little sum of 1,910,278,070,000,000,000,000,000 tons!

The governor has appointed Dr. William M. Knapp, of York, the successor of Dr. Matthewson, as superintendent of the state asylum for the insane. The appointment is a good one, and will give general satisfaction.

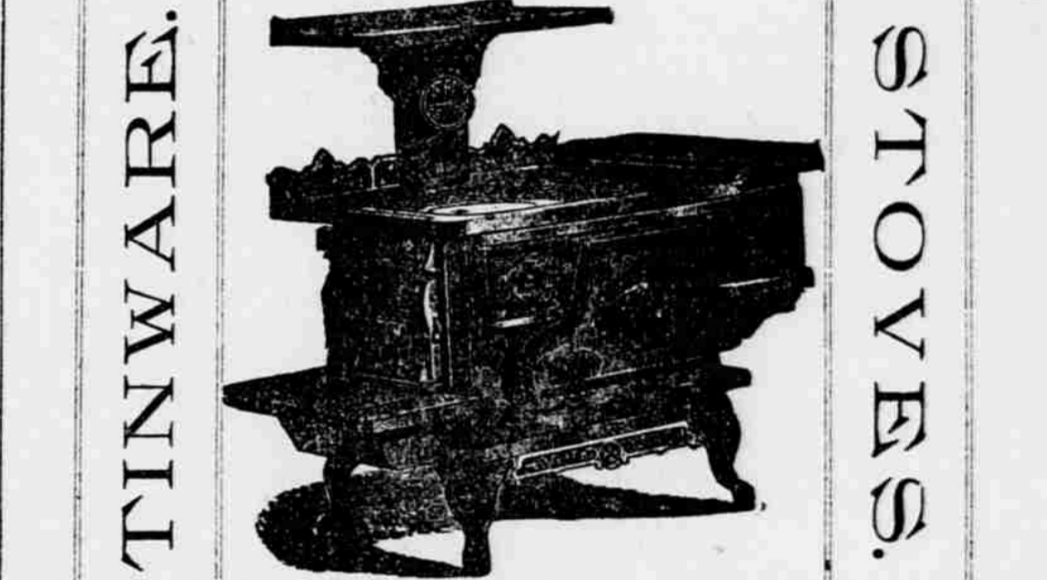
"Such is life: We swing like a pendulum between pleasure and pain, hope and fear, laughs and tears—and they are never far apart. Extremes meet every hour. Height and depth are correlative; given one, you have the other. Can a man laugh loud? Then turn around, touch a different nerve, pronounce a woman's name, and lo! His sobs are as sincere and deep as his laughter."

The decision of Judge Gresham, in the United States District Court, in the matter of the Wabash receivership, is considered the most important opinion ever delivered in America respecting railroad interests, and is reported as having made Jay Gould and the other railroad ghouls feel as though there is a "God in Israel." The nation commends the Judge's splendid exhibition of verterbre.

SEVERAL arrests have recently been made of persons engaged in sending through the mails and otherwise circulating obscene pictures and books. The devil has no meaner and more despicable agents on earth than those engaged in such work, and when caught the ears of justice should be closed to any appeal for mercy. The penalties of the law are meager punishment for such criminals who would debauch the minds of the young. The society engaged in hunting down such miscreants is doing a valuable work for the race. —Inter-Ocean.

BILL NYE has some acquaintance with the Kansas drug store. In the course of some remarks to an inquiring correspondent he advises him to stick to the profitable drug business in preference to going into literature for a living, and tells him to go to Kansas if he wants "to sell the tincture of Damnation," a mixture "that will burn great holes in nature's heart and make the cemetery blossom as the rose." This Kansas drug store juice, according to Bill's theory is made of "stump water and future punishment," and is a "compound which holds crime in solution and rum in bulk," and that "shrivels up man's gastric economy and sears great holes in his immortal soul."

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