

READING THAT DOES HARM

Light Literature of Present Day Not Liked by Dr. Patterson.

PREACHER'S ESTIMATE OF FICTION

Reasons Why Young Women Stay Away from Church—The Dress Question—Presbyterian Church Girls Organize a Club—Its Objects.

At the First Presbyterian church, last evening, J. M. Patterson concluded the discussions of the reasons assigned by young men for non-attendance at church, and commenced the discussion of reasons assigned by young women.

Some of the young men ascribe their absence from church to the fact of Sunday work. They declare that, against their will, they are often compelled to work on the Sabbath or lose their position.

The prevailing immorality of young men is assigned by some young men as the reason for the absence of multitudes of this class from the church.

Another reason assigned for the absence of young men was the fact that they were afraid of meeting with a change of mind and of heart should they frequent the house of God.

WHAT YOUNG WOMEN SAY. The reasons assigned by young women for not attending church in many cases are the same as those assigned by young men.

"I'll Live as Long as I Can." Is the burden of an old song. If you want to live long, you must be content with the life you are given.

"What are you?" asked the missionary. "I am a log of earth," she replied.

"Some young women do not go to church because they find no interest in the preacher," in reading novels. I do not undervalue the habit of reading.

TO CALIFORNIA. Via Denver and Salt Lake City. Patrons of the Great Central route weekly excursions to California via the Union Pacific can have their tickets read via Denver and Salt Lake City without additional expense.

STUMBLING BLOCK OF DRESS. "Some young ladies are kept away from church because of their inability to dress as they would like to dress."

World's fair souvenir coins of 1893 for sale at Chase & Eddy's, 1518 Farnam st., Omaha.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Citizens Talking of Putting an Independent City Ticket in the Field.

NAMES OF PROSPECTIVE CANDIDATES

Quarrel Over Heyman Clothing Stock Likely to Be Amicably Settled—Officer Harding Worsted in a Fight—Other News.

There is now considerable talk of holding a mass convention of citizens, regardless of political parties, to nominate a city ticket for the spring election.

JUDGE DUNDY NOT ALARMED. He Talks About the Several Threatening Letters Recently Received by Him.

"No, but my family is much worried. The only thing that causes me any trouble whatever is that my residence may be dynamited, and this, of course, would be a considerable worry on my mind."

"As to the man who called at my residence, I was away at the time, but from the description I don't think I could recognize him nor do I ever remember having seen such a man."

ANNOUNCEMENTS. The children, as well as their parents, have a treat in store for them, for the best of all fairy spectacular plays, the Hanlon Bros.

Obituary. The death of Miss Ella O'Donnell occurred at the residence of her sister, Mrs. P. McMahon, Twentieth street and Missouri avenue, on January 27, at 8 p. m.

Litigation Over Heyman Clothing Stock. All sorts of attachment and replevin suits have been plastered on the Heyman stock of clothing within the last forty-eight hours.

Magie City Gospel. Mayor Walker is confined to his home by sickness.

Four Trains a Day Leave Omaha for Lincoln via the Burlington route.

For interrupting you, but you may possibly be going east. If so, there are a couple of trains you should really know in mind.

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Marital Scheme of Montana Girl and Hotel Dishwasher Slightly Wrecked.

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