SPECIAL NOTICES

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WANTED—MALE HELP.

CANVASSERS TO TAKE ORDERS; NEW LINE of work; no heavy goods to carry, salary or commission. C. F. Adams Co., 524 So. 16th St. B—M297

SALESMEN FOR CIGARS, $125 A MONTH AND expenses; old firm; experience unnecessary; inducements to customers. C. C. Bishop & Co., St. Louis. B—M147

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN SOLICITORS for the National Reserve association, the best, safest and soundest fraternal order in the field today. Address P. A. C. Stevens, No. 2570 Cuming st., tel. 1393, Omaha, Neb. B—956

WANTED, AGENTS IN EVERY COUNTY; good pay weekly to right party. Hawks Nursery Co., Milwaukee, Wis. B—M102 S21*

WANTED—TRAVELING SALESMAN FOR ADvertising calendars, exclusively or as side line. Address with references, also stating business experience. Aug. Gast Bank Note & Litho. Co., St. Louis, Mo. B—M298—31

MAN WITH BICYCLE TO SELL GOODS TO farmers; experience required. Address S 27, Bee. B—M201 29*

WANTED, MEN TO LEARN THE BARBER trade; only eight weeks required; constant practice; expert instructions; wages Saturdays in shops; many openings for graduates; illustrated catalogue mailed free. Moler's Barber School, Clark and Van Buren Sts., Chicago. B—M213 31*

WANTED, FIRST-CLASS STOCK SADDLE hand; steady work. Dodson, Fisher, Brockmann Co., Minneapolis, Minn. B—M211 28

WANTED, A MAN TO CHECK INVOICES FOR a large wholesale mercantile house; must have years of experience in this particular line of work; give age and places employed; good salary to first-class party. Address S 24, Bee. B—M237 29*

WANTED, MAN FOR GENERAL OFFICE work; must understand D. E. bookkeeping in all its branches; state age; references and salary; no experts need apply. Address S 35, Bee. B—M236 29*

WANTED, AGENTS; $20 TO $25 A WEEK SURE to workers; no capital needed; new goods; new plan; sells at sight; every family needs it. H. S. Co., box 424, Cincinnati, Ohio. B—

WANTED, BLACKSMITH FOR HORSESHOEing and wagon work; prospect for steady work. Apply in person at once. A. C. Larson, Elkhorn, Neb. B—M260 29

DETECTIVE, SHREWD, RELIABLE MAN wanted in every locality. Act under orders. No experience needed. Write American Detective Agency, Indianapolis, Ind. B—M257 29*

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

100 GIRLS FOR ALL KINDS WORK; $3 TO $7 week. Canadian Office, 1522 Douglas. C—M398

WANTED, A GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply at once, 1923 Dodge street. C—239 27*

WANTED, COMPETENT NURSE GIRL OVER 16 years of age to look after two little boys. 116 So. 33d ave. C—247 29*

WANTED, GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. 1021 Park avenue. C—M255 29*

NEAT, RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL AS nurse for child during day; German preferred. 1909 Capitol avenue. C—M254 29

WANTED, AT "DIN HOUSE," MITCHELL, S. D., good female cook, laundry and table girls; pleasant home, steady employment; good wages promptly paid. C—M253 30*

WANTED, A NEAT GERMAN GIRL FOR general housework; must be a good cook; no washing; $5.00 a week; only those having the very best of reference need apply. Mrs. J. H. Evans, 3522 Farnam st. C—M262

WANTED, COMPETENT GIRL; MUST BE good cook and laundress. Mrs. Milton Rogers, 334 S. 37th st. C—M265

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

HOUSES IN ALL PARTS OF THE CITY. THE O. F. Davis Company, 1505 Farnam. D—399

HOUSES; BENEWA & CO., 108 N. 15TH ST. D—400

MODERN HOUSES. C. A. STARR, 925 N. Y. Life. D—401

HOUSES, WALLACE, BROWN BLOCK, 16TH and Douglas. D—403

CHOICE HOUSES AND COTTAGES ALL OVER the city, $5 to $50. Fidelity, 1702 Farnam St. D—402

HOUSES, COTTAGES & STORES, ALL PARTS of city. Brennan, Love Co., 450 Paxton block. D—404

LARGE LIST. M'CAGUE, 15TH AND DODGE. D—406

HOUSES, FLATS. GARVIN BROS., 1613 FARN'M D—407

HOUSES FOR RENT. BEMIS, PAXTON BLK. D—408

HOUSES. J. H. SHERWOOD. 423 N. Y. Life. D—409

FOR RENT, ELEVEN ROOM BRICK RESIdence, modern in every respect. Steam heat, electric light. Located at the southwest corner 17th and Douglas Sts. Apply to R. W. Baker, Superintendent Bee bldg. D—632

FOR RENT, MODERN FLAT, BEST IN THE city, in new Davidge building, opposite city hall; also good store in same building. John W. Robbins, agent, 1802 Farnam street. D—157

STANFORD CIRCLE COTTAGES, 6 ROOMS, S. W. cor. 13th and Vinton; finest location in city for business men of Omaha and South Omaha; rents moderate. 204 Bee Building. D—M211

6-ROOM COTTAGE, ALL MODERN, LAWN and shade. 2124 Miami st. D—751

FOR RENT, CHOICE TWELVE ROOM DEtached modern house. Inquire 2548 Capitol Ave. D—941

AN ELEGANT, MODERN, 10-ROOM BRICK dwelling, $30 per month; No. 2414 Cass. 7-rooms modern flat at $17.50; No. 709 So. 16th st. W. B. Meikle, 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg. D—954

EIGHT-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE. INQUIRE 1411 Vinton. D—M129—28*

EIGHT-ROOM COTTAGE, 1208 SOUTH TENTH St. Inquire 1411 Vinton. D—M130—28*

12-ROOM STONE RESIDENCE, HOT WATER heat, modern in every respect. 419 North 25th St. H. T. Clark. D—157

FOR RENT, LARGE BRICK RESIDENCE, corner 24th and Landon Court, formerly occupied by General Brooke; all modern improvements. Inquire at 2244 Landon Court. D—M217 29*

SIX-ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN; NICE shade; large lot and barn, on 21st street, between Lake and Spruce. Garvin Bros., 1613 Farnam. D—M220 30

MOVING HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND PIANOS. Om. Van & Storage Co., 1511½ Farnam. Tel. 1559. D—405

FOR RENT, HOUSE, 6 LARGE ROOMS, SOUTH front. No. 2424 Seward St. D—244 29*

7-ROOM COTTAGE AND BATH ROOM. EXcellent condition, newly papered and painted, corner Charles and North 25th. Inquire W. H. Griffith, Karbach hotel. D—M259 28*

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

ROOMS, 1906 CAPITOL AVE. E—M136 28*

NEWLY FURNISHED, STEAM HEATED rooms, with or without board. 604 S. 13th St. E—957—S 20

3 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING for man and wife. Rent taken in board. 319 N. 17th. E—174

3 ROOMS, HOUSEKEEPING. 1112 SO. 11TH. E—173 29*

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR GENTLEMEN AND light housekeeping. 2603 Dodge street. E—M194 28*

FURNISHED ROOMS, SINGLE AND EN SUITE. 2224 Burt. E—M231 29*

PLEASANT ROOMS ON PARLOR FLOOR, modern, steam heat; light housekeeping allowed. 213 S. 24th st. E—M250 29*

FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD.

FIRST-CLASS BOARD AND ROOMS; HOT water, heat; best location in city. 212 S. 25th St. F—784

ROOMS AND BOARD, STEAM HEATED. 1909 Capitol ave. F—M145 28*

MISS McAUSLAND, 2615 DOUGLAS STREET. F—M220 29*

FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD.

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THE ALBANY, ROOMS FUR. OR UNFUR.; 2d floor front and east exposure; table board; fine location. 2101 Douglas. F—M263 S4*

GOOD ROOMS; BOARD, $3.00; MODERN brick; central. 514 North 19th. F—190 29*

THE GEORGIA, SELECT FAMILY HOTEL, near Hanscom Park. 1042 So. 29th St. F—846 S19*

NICE ROOMS AND BOARD, 1824 BINNEY. F—M222 30*

LARGE FRONT ROOM FURNISHED OR UNfurnished. Utopia, 1721 Davenport. F—210—29*

TWO GENTLEMEN, TWO FRONT ROOMS with board, private family, reasonable. 513 N. 23d. F—209—30*

THE MERRIAM, FIRST CLASS FAMILY hotel. 25th & Dodge Sts. F—207—7*

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOMS WITH board. 2015 Douglas. F—M227 29*

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

FOUR ROOMS, 724 SO. 26TH AVE. G—950—27*

2 FRONT ROOMS. 1609 LEAVENWORTH ST. G—163 27*

FOR RENT, 2 NICE UNFURNISHED PARlors. 2021 California. G—M218 29*

FOR RENT—STORES AND OFFICES.

FOR RENT—DESK ROOM IN GROUND FLOOR office, Bee building; water, steam heat, electric light and janitor service. Apply to R. W. Baker, superintendent Bee Building. I—197

FOR RENT—IN THE BEE BUILDING:
One large corner room, 2nd floor, with vault and private office, water, etc.
One large front room, 2nd floor, divided into two rooms by partition, water, etc.
One large corner room, 2nd floor, with vault, water, etc.
One front room, divided by partition, third floor.
One corner room with vault, third floor.
One large room, third floor, with partition dividing it into one large room and two smaller private rooms, water, etc.
Two large ground floor rooms with vaults.
Several small rooms on fourth floor, with vaults.
All these rooms are heated with steam, electric lights, supplied with first class janitor service. Elevators run day and all night. Building strictly fireproof. Apply to R. W. Baker, Superintendent. Room 104, Bee Building. I—198

FOR RENT—THE 4-STORY BRICK BUILDING at 916 Farnam St. This building has a fireproof cement basement, complete steam heating fixtures; water on all floors, gas, etc. Apply at the office of The Bee. I—910

STEAM HEATED STORES AND FLATS. Howard Ranck, Agent, 1610 Chicago. I—223 S8

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED, AGENTS TO SELL MECHANICS the only perfect self-feeding drilling attachment for bit braces. Write quick to secure good territory. A. L. Smith & Co., 1705 Arch st., Philadelphia. J—M232 28*

WANTED—TO RENT.

MODERN HOUSE WITH ABOUT TEN ROOMS, near Hanscom park. Address P 19, Bee office. K—M588

WANTED TO RENT—MODERATELY FURnished house of 8 or 9 rooms, bath and modern conveniences, in desirable location for winter. Good care taken of premises. Enquire at office of Western Envelope Co. K—248

WANTED, BY YOUNG PROFESSIONAL MAN, refined home in strictly private family; prefers walking distance from Bee; replies confidential; references exchanged. S 36, Bee. K—245 29*

STORAGE.

PACIFIC STORAGE AND WAREHOUSE CO., 908-910 Jones. General storage and forwarding. M—411

FRANK EWERS; BEST STORAGE. 1214 HARney. M—792 S14

OM.VAN & STORAGE 1511½ FARNAM. TEL 1559 M—412

WANTED—TO BUY.

BEST PRICE PAID FOR OMAHA SAVINGS bank accounts at room 506 N. Y. Life Building. N—201

50 SECOND-HAND WHEELS, $5 TO $10. Omaha Bicycle Co., 323 N. 16th st. N—752-S11

WE HAVE CASH CUSTOMERS FOR RESIdence lots all over the city. Send us your list and we will do the rest. O'Neil Real Estate Agency, South Omaha. N—915 27

WANTED, A CLEAN, OPEN GAITED speedy driver; weight about 950 pounds. Address S 31, Bee. N—M219 29*

FOR SALE—HORSES AND WAGONS.

FOR SALE—GODDARD PHAETON, HAMMOND typewriter; both good as new. R. C. Patterson, Patterson Block. P—521

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

SAWDUST, BULK OR SACKED—CRIBBING and hog fence. C. R. Lee, 901 Douglas. Q—413

FOR SALE, SPRING LAKE AND RESERvoir ice. Gilbert Bros., Council Bluffs, Ia. Q—M711 S9

NEED MONEY; WILL SACRIFICE ALMOST new high-grade upright piano. 1518 North 20th st. Q—M895

STEAM HOISTING MACHINE, CHEAP. 2068 St. Mary's Ave. Q—963

KLONDIKE, ALASKA. SEND $1.00 FOR MAP of the Alaska gold fields; how and when to go; what to take, cost, etc. G. W. Clinton, Williams, Arizona Territory. Q—M176 S12*

VIOLINS, GOOD VIOLIN CHEAP FOR CASH; one week only. 1116 Farnam street. Q—M191 31

ONE HIGH GRADE SINGER SEWING MAchine, cheap. Nebraska Cycle Co., 15th and Harney. Q—241—28

FOR SALE, 6 HEAD GOOD FRESH COWS. Call afternoon, Elkhorn yard, 25th and Burst st. Q—246 2*

FOR SALE OR TRADE, COOKING AND eating tents, sidewall gasoline lamps. J. Sievers, jr., Ames, Neb. Q—M261 31*

FINE UPRIGHT PIANO CHEAP; CASH OR Omaha Savings bank accts. 2007 Cass st. Q—M250 S14

MISCELLANEOUS.

ANTI-MONOPOLY GARBAGE CO. CLEANS cesspools and privy vaults at reduced prices. 621 N 16th. Tel. 1779. R—930—S-18

SAWED, NATURAL STONE, ARTIFICIAL, brick. Tel. 1689. W. J. Welshans, 209 S. 17th St. 429—

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MADAM PAUL, 205 NORTH 16TH ST., THE wonderful trance medium, tells your past, present and future; unites the separated; removes evil influences, etc.; satisfaction guaranteed; letters with stamp enclosed promptly answered; hours, 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. S—M258 28*

MASSAGE, BATHS, ETC.

MADAM SMITH, 1315 DOUGLAS, MASSAGE steam baths. T—959-27*

MRS. DR. LEON, ELECTRIC MASSAGE BATH parlors, restful and curative. 417 S. 11th, upstairs. T—M168 29*

PERSONAL.

VIAVI FOR UTERINE TROUBLES, 346-8 BEE Bldg.; physician, consultation or health book free. U—414

$25, RUPTURE CURED FOR $25; UNTIL SEPtember 1; no pain; no detention from business; refer to thousands of patients cured; call or write. O. E. Miller Co., 932-3 N. Y. L., Omaha. U—M-415

EVERY PRACTICAL BRICKLAYER IN Omaha is invited to join the Omaha Bricklayers' Benevolent local union; the charter is open until the 15th of September; meets every Monday night at 16th and William st. U—M264 29*

MONEY TO LOAN—REAL ESTATE.

ANTHONY LOAN & TRUST CO., 315 N. Y. L.; quick money at low rates for choice farm lands in Iowa, northern Missouri, eastern Nebraska. W—416

LOANS ON IMPROVED & UNIMPROVED CITY property. W. Farnam Smith & Co., 1320 Farnam. W—417

6 PER CENT MONEY ON NEB. & IA. FARMS. W. B. Meikle, 1st National Bank Bldg., Omaha. W—418

MONEY TO LOAN AT LOW RATES. THE O. F. Davis Co., 1505 Farnam St. W—419

MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED OMAHA property. Pusey & Thomas, 207 1st Nat. Bk bldg. W—421

ON OMAHA PROPERTY; LOWEST RATES; building loans wanted. Fidelity Trust Co. W—422

CITY AND FARM LOANS, LOW RATES. Garvin Bros., 1613 Farnam st. W—M583 S6

MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED OMAHA real estate. Brennan, Love Co., Paxton Blk. W—420

MONEY TO LOAN. BEMIS, PAXTON BLOCK. W—M900

MONEY TO LOAN—CHATTLES.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FURNITURE, PIANOS, horses, wagons, etc., at lowest rates in city; no removal of goods; strictly confidential; you can pay the loan off at any time or in any amount. OMAHA MORTGAGE LOAN CO. 306 So. 16th St. X—423

BUSINESS CHANCES.

A. B. ALPIRN, OMAHA JUNK HOUSE, PAYS highest prices. 101-5-7 South 10th st., Omaha. Y—M177 S22*

PRODUCE, HAY AND GRAIN COMMISSION, well established, $125.00 cash. J. J. Gibson, 514 First Nat'l Bank. Y—M200 S3

TO GET IN OR OUT OF BUSINESS GO TO J. J. Gibson, 514 First National bank. Y—M148

FOR SALE, HOTEL FURNITURE AND LEASE of a thirty-five room house; the only hotel in town. Must sell; best of reasons; good location, good trade. Come and see or write C. W. Hatfield, Cedar Rapids, Neb. Y—M228 29*

FOR SALE, DAIRY SELLING TEN CANS OF milk, all belongings goes with same. Address S 37, Bee. Y—243 27*

FOR EXCHANGE.

WANTED TO TRADE, GOOD LOT FOR PIANO. Address O 48, Bee. Z—266

WANTED, STOCK GROCERIES FOR CLEAR lots in Omaha and Pierre, S. D. Call at room 429 Paxton block from 2 to 3 o'clock p. m. Z—M214

CLEAR LOT IN CREIGHTON HEIGHTS TO trade for upright piano. Address S 38, Bee. Z—242—S2

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR GENTS' BIcycle, a No. 2 Remington typewriter, in first-class condition. Call at 2819 N. 18th st. Z—M251 30*

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

HOUSES, LOTS, FARMS, LANDS, LOANS, Geo. P. Bemis Real Estate Co., Paxton Block. RE—424

FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE, FULL LOT, SOUTH Omaha, $500; easy terms. R. C. Patterson, Patterson Block. RE—520

CHAS. E. WILLIAMSON, 601 BEE BLDG. Tel 717 RE—M850

CASH FOR OMAHA SAVINGS BANK ACcounts. G. G. Wallace, 312 Brown blk. RE—199

KOUNTZE PLACE BARGAINS, $2,500, $3,750 TO $6,500; see photos at 16th and Farnam, Morse Bldg. J. J. Gibson, 514 First Nat. Bank Bldg. RE—425

BARGAINS IN ALL PARTS OF THE CITY; come and consult with us. O'Neil's Real Estate Agency, South Omaha. RE—915 27

DON'T WAIT UNTIL VALUES HAVE DOUBled; get in on the ground floor while there is yet time; come and see us. O'Neil's Real Estate Agency, South Omaha. RE—915 27

IF YOU WANT QUICK RETURNS ON YOUR South Omaha real estate list it with the O'Neil Real Estate Agency, South Omaha. RE—915 27

CHEAP, NEAT COTTAGE, LOT 55X127½, EAST front; must be sold at once; call and let me show you. James Stockdale, room 4, Frenzer Block. —RE120

FARM FOR SALE, 250 ACRES; ONE OF THE best improved farms in Burt Co.; send for a description and price to the owner. Thomas Walkinson, Blair, Neb. RE—171 29*

SNAP, 66x140 FEET NEAR 22D AND CLARK, $1,200. J. N. Frenzer, Opp. P. O. RE—222

HALF LOT NEAR HIGH SCHOOL, ONLY $650. Five-room cottage, corner lot, only $975. Fine residence lot, splendid location, $1,500. Five acres near Omaha and South Omaha, $1,250. Handsome modern residence, only $4,500. Hicks Real Estate Agency, 219 S. 16th St. RE—240—27*

SNAP; $1,750 FOR TWO LARGE HOUSES, AT 2716 and 2718 N. 28th St.; lot, 84x96. J. N. Frenzer, opposite P. O. RE—249—27

COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.

OMAHA BUSINESS INSTITUTE, BOYD'S theater bldg.; fall term opens Sept. 1, write catalogue. 206-S-24*

SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING.

A. C. VAN SANT'S SCHOOL, 513 N. Y. LIFE. 426

AT OMAHA BUS. COLLEGE, 16TH & DOUGLAS. 427

PAWNBROKERS.

H. MAROWITZ LOANS MONEY. 418 N. 16 St. 431—

SIDEWALKS.

SAWED, NATURAL STONE, ARTIFICIAL brick. Tel. 1689. W. J. Welshan's, 209 S. 17th St. 429—

MATTRESS RENOVATING WORKS.

MATTRESSES, COUCHES, PARLOR FURNIture to order; repaired 1603 Leavenw'h; Tel. 1595. 188

TYPEWRITERS.

TONS OF ENERGY WOULD BE SAVED DAILY if every operator used the light running Densmore. 1612 Farnam St., Omaha. —852

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M. S WALKLIN, 2111 CUMING; TEL 1331. 430—

DANCING.

MORAND'S, 1510 HARNEY ST., PRIVATE LESsons, society or stage; now open. 452—A-30

STAMMERING.

SCHOOL FOR STAMMERERS AND STUTTERers. Julia E. Vaughan, 803 N. Y. Life bldg. Method by graded vocal exercises. Hours, 10 to 12 and 2 to 4. 843—S14*

PATENTS.

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OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER—Omaha, Neb., Aug. 27, 1897. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 12 o'clock m., central standard time, Sept. 27, 1897, and then opened, for constructing a 50,000 gallon steel tank with trestle at Fort Robinson, Neb., U. S. reserves right to reject or accept any or all proposals, or any part thereof. Plans and specifications can be seen, and all information had here. Envelopes containing proposals to be marked "Proposals for Steel Tank," and addressed J. M. MARSHALL, C. Q. M. A 28 d4t s24-25

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids will be received until 5 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, September 1st, at No. 635 Paxton block, for laying water pipe, setting hydrants, etc., on grounds of Transmississippi Exposition. Plans and specifications on file in superintendent's office.

F. P. KIRKENDALL,
Manager Grounds and Building Dept.
A-26-d-6-t

POSTOFFICE NOTICE.

(Should be read DAILY by all interested, as changes may occur at any time.)

Foreign mails for the week ending August 28, 1897, will close (PROMPTLY in all cases) at the General Postoffice as follows: PARCELS POST MAILS CLOSE ONE HOUR EARLIER than closing time shown below.

Trans-Atlantic Mails.

SATURDAY—At 7 a. m. for FRANCE, SWITZERLAND, ITALY, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, TURKEY, EGYPT and BRITISH INDIA, per s. s. La Gascogne*, via Havre (letters for other parts of Europe must be directed "per La Gascogne"); at 8 a. m. for NETHERLANDS direct, per s. s. Spaarndam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Spaarndam"); at 10 a. m. for SCOTLAND direct, per s. s. Circassia, via Glasgow (letters must be directed "per Circassia"); at 11 a. m. for NORWAY direct, per s. s. Island (letters must be directed "per Island"); at 12 m. (supplementary 1:30 p. m.) for EUROPE, per s. s. Umbria*, via Queenstown.

* PRINTED MATTER, ETC.—German steamers sailing on Tuesdays take Printed Matter, etc., for Germany, and Specially Addressed Printed Matter etc., for other parts of Europe. American and White Star steamers on Wednesdays, German steamers on Thursdays, and Cunard, French and German steamers on Saturdays take Printed Matter, etc., for all countries for which they are advertised to carry mail.

After closing of the Supplementary Trans-Atlantic Mails named above, additional supplementary mails are opened on the piers of the American, English, French and German steamers, and remain open until within Ten Minutes of the hour of sailing of steamer.

Mails for South and Central America, West Indies, Etc.

SATURDAY—At 10 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for FORTUNE ISLAND, JAMAICA and SVANILLA, per s. s. Adirondack (letters for Costa Rica must be directed "per Adirondack"); at 10 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for PORT AU PRINCE, PETIT GOAVE, JEREMIE, CARTHAGENA and SANTA MARTHA, per s. s. Andes; at 10:30 a. m. for CAMPECHE, CHIAPAS, TABASCO and YUCATAN, per s. s. Orizaba (letters for other parts of Mexico and for Cuba must be directed "per Orizaba"); at 10:30 a. m. for PORT AU PRINCE, AUX-CAYES, JACMEL, CUMANA and CARUPANO, per s. s. Prins Willem IV (letters for other parts of Venezuela, Curacao, Trinidad, British and Dutch Guiana must be directed "per Prins Willem IV"); at 11 a. m. for NEWFOUNDLAND, per s. s. Portia.

Mails for Newfoundland, by rail to Halifax, and thence by steamer, close at this office daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for Miquelon, by rail to Boston and thence by steamer, close at this office, daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for Cuba close at this office daily at 7:00 a. m., for forwarding by steamers sailing (Mondays and Thursdays) from Port Tampa, Fla. Mails for Mexico City, overland, unless specially addressed for dispatch by steamer, close at this office daily at 2:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. ** Registered mail closes at 6:00 p. m. previous day.

Transpacific Mails.

Mails for the Society Islands, per ship Galilee (from San Francisco), close here daily up to August 25 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for China, Japan and Hawaii, per s. s. Coptic (from San Francisco), close here daily up to August 27th at 6:30 p. m. Mails for China and Japan, per s. s. Columbia (from Tacoma) close here daily up to August **29th at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Hawaii, per s. s. Australia (from San Francisco) close here daily up to September 1st at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Australia (except West Australia), Hawaii and Fiji Islands, per s. s. Aorangi (from Vancouver), close here daily after August **14th and up to September 1st at 6:30 p. m. Mails for China and Japan (specially addressed only), per s. s. Empress of Japan (from Vancouver), close here daily up to September **6th at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Australia (except those for West Australia), which are forwarded via Europe, New Zealand, Hawaii, Fiji and Samoan Islands, per s. s. Mariposa (from San Francisco), close here daily up to September **10th at 7:30 a. m., 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. (or on arrival at New York of s. s. Campania with British mails for Australia.)

Trans-Pacific mails are forwarded to port of sailing daily and the schedule of closing is arranged on the presumption of their uninterrupted overland transit. ** Registered mail closes at 6:00 p. m. previous day.

Postoffice, New York, N. Y., August 20, 1897.
CORNELIUS VANCOTT, Postmaster.

RAILROADS.

BURLINGTON & MISSOURI River Railroad—"The Burlington Route"—General offices, N. W. Corner Tenth and Farnam Streets. Ticket office, 1502 Farnam Street. Telephone, 250. Depot, Tenth and Mason streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Lincoln, Denver and west	* 8:35 am	* 9:35 am
Lincoln, Denver, Colorado, Utah, California, Black Hills, Montana and Puget Sound......	* 4:35 pm	* 4:05 pm
Lincoln Local	** 7:05 pm	** 7:45 pm
Lincoln Fast Mail.......	** 2:55 pm	**11:30 am

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON AND Quincy Railroad—"The Burlington Route"—Ticket office, 1502 Farnam Street. Telephone, 250. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Chicago Vestibuled Ex..	* 5:05 pm	* 7:55 am
Chicago Express	* 9:48 am	* 4:15 pm
Chicago & St. Louis Ex	* 7:50 pm	* 7:55 am
Pacific Junction Local..	**11:40 am	* 6:10 pm
Fast Mail		* 2:50 pm

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. Paul Railway—City Ticket Office, 1504 Farnam Street. Telephone, 284. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Chicago Limited Ex.....	* 6:30 pm	* 8:05 am
Chicago & Sioux City Ex	**11:00 am	** 3:25 pm

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY—City Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone, 561. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Missouri Valley, Sioux City, St. Paul and Minneapolis	* 5:40 am	*10:45 pm
Missouri Valley, Sioux City	* 7:30 am	* 9:05 pm
Denison, Carroll, Wall Lake	** 7:30 am	** 9:05 pm
Eastern Express, Des Moines, Marshalltown, Cedar Rapids, Chicago	**10:45 am	* 4:10 pm
Atlantic Flyer, Chicago and East	* 4:45 pm	* 4:10 pm
Fast Mail, Chicago to Omaha		* 3:10 pm
Missouri Valley, Sioux City, St. Paul, Minneapolis Limited	* 5:55 pm	* 9:25 am
Omaha-Chicago Special...	* 6:30 pm	* 8:10 am

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILroad—"The Great Rock Island Route"—City Ticket Office, 1323 Farnam Street. Telephone, 428. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Chicago and St. Paul Vestibuled Express....	* 4:50 pm	* 1:20 pm
Lincoln, Colorado Spgs, Pueblo, Denver and west	* 1:25 pm	* 4:05 pm
Chicago, Des Moines and Rock Island	* 7:00 am	* 8:15 am
Atlantic Express, for Des Moines and eastern points	** 7:00 am	** 5:35 pm

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS AND Omaha Railway—General Offices, Nebraska Division, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone, 561. Depot, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. Telephone, 1458.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Sioux City Accommoda.	** 8:50 am	** 8:25 pm
Sioux City Accommoda.	*** 9:50 am	*** 8:25 pm
Blair, Emerson, Sioux City, Ponca, Hartington and Bloomfield....	** 1:00 pm	**11:55 am
Sioux City, Mankato, St. Paul, Minneapolis	* 6:15 pm	* 9:10 am

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday. *** Sunday only.

FREMONT, ELKHORN & MISSOURI VALLEY Railway—General Offices, United States National Bank Building, Southwest Corner Twelfth and Farnam Streets. Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone, 561. Depot, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. Telephone, 1458.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Black Hills, Deadwood and Hot Springs.......	* 3:00 pm	* 5:00 pm
Wyoming, Casper and Douglas	**** 3:00 pm	***** 5:00 pm
Hastings, York, David City, Superior, Geneva, Exeter and Seward	** 3:00 pm	** 5:00 pm
Norfolk, West Point	** 7:50 am	**10:25 am
and Fremont............	* 3:00 pm	* 5:00 pm
Lincoln, Wahoo and	** 7:50 am	**10:25 am
Fremont	* 3:00 pm	* 5:00 pm
Fremont Local	*** 7:50 am	

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday. *** Sunday only. **** Daily except Saturday. ***** Daily except Monday.

KANSAS CITY, ST. JOSEPH & Council Bluffs Railroad—"The Burlington Route"—Ticket Office, 1502 Farnam Street. Telephone, 250. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Kansas City Day Ex....	* 9:05 am	* 6:10 pm
Kansas City Night Ex..	*10:00 pm	* 6:30 am

* Daily.

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD—General Offices and Ticket Office, Merchants National Bank Building, 1224 Farnam Street. Telephone, 104. Depot, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. Telephone, 1458.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Kansas City, St. Louis and southern points...	* 3:05 pm	*12:55 pm
Kansas City Express..	* 9:30 pm	* 6:20 am
Ft. Crook & Union Ld..	* 9:00 pm	* 7:00 am

* Daily.

OMAHA, KANSAS CITY & EASTERN RAILroad—Omaha & St. Louis Railroad—"The O. K. Route"—Ticket Office, 1415 Farnam Street. Telephone, 322. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Pattonsburg, Kirksville, Quincy Local............	*5:40 am	*10:45 pm
St. Louis, New York Limited	*4:30 pm	*11:30 am

*Daily.

SIOUX CITY & PACIFIC RAILROAD—General Offices, United States National Bank Building, S. W. Corner Twelfth and Farnam Streets. Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone, 561. Depot, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. Telephone, 1458.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Sioux City, Mankato, St. Paul, Minneapolis.	* 6:15 pm	* 9:10 am

* Daily.

UNION PACIFIC—"THE OVERland Route"—General Offices, N. E. Corner Ninth and Farnam Streets. City Ticket Office, 1302 Farnam Street. Telephone, 316. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
"The Overland Limited" for Denver, Salt Lake, Pacific coast, and all western points	* 8:20 am	* 4:45 pm
Fast Mail train for Denver, Salt Lake, Pacific coast and all western points	* 4:05 pm	*10:20 am
Lincoln, Beatrice and Stromsburg Express...	** 4:05 pm	** 3:50 pm
Grand Island Express...	** 5:35 pm	** 3:50 pm

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

Council Bluffs Local—Leaves, 5:40 a. m.; 6:50 a. m.; 7:30 a. m.; 8:25 a. m.; 10:45 a. m.; 2:15 p. m.; 4:30 p. m.; 5:55 p. m. Arrives, 6:30 a. m.; 7:20 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 9:35 a. m.; 11:30 a. m.; 2:15 p. m.; 5:10 p. m.; 9:05 p. m.; 10:15 p. m.

WABASH RAILROAD—TICKET OFFICE, 1415 Farnam Street. Telephone, 322. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
St. Louis "Cannon Ball" Express	*4:30 pm	*11:30 am

*Daily.

ADVICE TO STAY-AT-HOMES.

A Doctor's Gratuitous Tips to Hay Fever Victims.

"This is the season upon which victims of hay fever look with dread," says a doctor in the St. Louis Republic. "They know by bitter experience that between about the middle of August and the middle of September they have an ordeal to pass through which is truly terrible. Of course, there are degrees in severity, but the average sufferer from hay fever (or more correctly speaking, autumnal catarrh—for the hay-making season is over long before hay fever sets in) when in his asthmatic paroxysm, endures untold agonies.

"Did you ever see a patient in the act of going through his fight for breath? It is painful to witness, even for a physician, whose sympathies have been blunted by years of association with disease and its miseries. The patient, about the middle of August, experiences an intolerable itching and burning of eyes and throat, which is soon accompanied by an inordinate and provoking desire to sneeze. This sneezing and irritation of the eyes and throat becomes intensified as the days go by, and merges into a second stage, i. e., of bronchial irritation which manifests itself by a dry, tickling cough with little or no expectoration. The continual coughing and sneezing brings about a soreness of the chest, such as you would expect when contracting an ordinary cold.

"About August 25 the first asthmatic symptoms appear. You may think it strange that I should specify a certain date for its onset, but I think nearly every doctor's record book will show that just about that time his patients grow suddenly worse. Nothing in the whole category of human ills is so certain as the exactness with which attacks of hay fever recur. It is almost ludicrous in its exactness. It is as prompt and unfailing as the monthly gas bill. Whether the season be wet or dry, intensely hot or fairly cool, it will often recur in an individual on the very same day and even the very same hour that it appeared the previous year. Even in different individuals there is seldom a variation of more than two or three days. Change in locality (unless upon the high seas or in a mountain region, makes very little difference. So that if a man who has gone to the Klondike gold fields is attacked by the annual enemy, he may derive consolation from the fact that his hay fever friends in St. Louis are suffering with him at that very hour.

"About August 25, I say, the first asthmatic symptoms manifest themselves. The difficulty of breathing is increased; the chest becomes more tight; there is a whistling, cooing sound in the chest, which becomes louder and louder until a few moments before the paroxysm, when it can be heard across the room. The patient becomes nervous and restless. He cannot lie down upon the bed, or even lean back in the rocker. The sonorous chest sounds in a jerking rhythm. Sitting well forward or standing, the patient will seek a convenient place to plant his elbows, and vainly gasp for breath. The neck swells, the eyes and face become suffused with blood, tears trickle down the cheeks and the expression is that of yearning, anxiety and despair. The collar is unbuttoned, the clothing loosened, the windows and doors thrown open, but to no avail. All the muscles of the shoulders, arms and chest are brought into play to assist respiration. The chest heaves and tosses like a ship in a gale, but the breath will not come. The patient feels as if he were breathing in a vacuum, and his anxious friends, unless experienced, will suppose that actual suffocation is impending. Unless there is some radical interference these paroxysms may last from a few minutes to several hours. Gradually the whistling noises return, the breathing becomes less shallow, the patient breaks out in a copious perspiration and the worst is over.

"Although several theories have been advanced to explain the causation of hay asthma, there is none which is universally accepted. I consider it a nervous affection; a disorder of the sympathetic system (the vasomotor fibers), by which persons so predisposed became influenced by an external irritant, such as dust, heat, electrical conditions of the atmosphere, or the pollen from flowers or plants, as is most generally believed. As would naturally be supposed, there has also been found a germ for hay asthma, but I have not seen him as yet and will cling to the nervous theory until I find something better.

"There are two classes of patients who apply for treatment, those who can afford to move to another climate and those who must remain at home. Patients of the first class are usually told to go where there is no dust and no pollen. This means a life in the mountains or upon the ocean. A proper change of location is very often curative as long as the patient remains, but as soon as he returns to his familiar haunts his sibilant old enemy is there to meet him. Experience has proven that immunity from hay fever is enjoyed in the Catskill mountains, the Rocky mopuntains, at some places in the Adirondacks, at Beach Haven, N. J., and at Fire Island, N. Y. Autumnal catarrh is also escaped at Whitefield, Franconia, Fabyan's, Mount Washington and many other places in the White mountain region. This all argues against the pollen theory, because there is at least some vegetation in all these places.

"For the other class of patients the treatment must of necessity be only palliative. The patient should lead a very quiet life from the time he expects the annual attack until the period has been well passed. He should avoid as much as possible any exposure to draughts and the direct rays of the sun, and refrain from any exertion which would cause the respiration and circulation to be unduly quickened. He should watch religiously his digestion and eat nothing but the most readily assimilable food. He should spare his stomach as much as possible and he will be wize if he eats no food at all after 3 or 4 o'clock in the afternoon, at least not more than a very light lunch. An old-fashioned flaxseed tea with brandy and sugar will alleviate this bronchial distress and overcome the necessity for using opium and other narcotic medicines which are much too loosely handled at present by inexperienced persons.

"For the soreness, redness and irritability of the eyes a weak solution of borax in clean water, or a mild solution of sugar of lead and hamamelis water will prove comforting. Blue or smoked glasses are indispensable if the patient is obliged to go about in the sunlight and should always be used. Stimulating gargles, such as vinegar and salt, are sometimes exceedingly useful by allaying the intense dryness and itching in the throat and at the roof of the mouth.

"The asthmatic symptoms demand treatment by a physician, but they may often be palliated by inhaling a few drops of chloroform or ether sprinkled upon a handkerchief. Inunctions of a 5 per cent ointment of oil of eucalyptus rubbed well around the chest and neck seem at times to be very beneficial. Cocaine application to the mucous membrane of the nose has of late become very popular, and is, I believe, the most efficacious remedy known; but outside of the danger of contracting the cocaine habit, it is a dangerous remedy and should not be employed except by a skillful physician.

"There is a substitute, however, which does nearly as well as the cocaine solution and gives almost instant relief, and that is a 10 to 20 per cent solution of menthol in almond or olive oil. It should be applied by means of a coarse spray, or camel's hair brush.

"Attention to this little detail will enable a victim of hay fever to exist with a minimum of discomfort at home without having to be exiled on top of some mountain, or in some seashore town, which would be worse to many than invalidism. Sensible living, sensible clothing, sensible diet, avoidance of undue exertion, and rational medical treatment for grave symptoms, should they arrive, will make life bearable, even in the severest of stay-at-home cases, although there is no hope for absolute recovery."

The "Bicyclist's Best Friend" is a familiar name for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, always ready for emergencies. While a specific for piles, it also instantly relieves and cures cuts, bruizes, salt rheum, eczema and all affections of the skin. It never fails.

BITS OF FEMININE GOSSIP.

A VISITING COSTUME FROM HARPER'S BAZAR

Autumn visiting costumes this season are particularly smart and effective. Our illustration shows a gown from Harper's Bazar, made of gray crepe de Chine, trimmed elaborately with entre-deux of white lace, edged with narrow white satin ribbon. The waist has ruffles and jabot of mousseline de soie with a satin edge, while the yoke has bands of gold and silver braid. A charming touch of color is given by the belt of green velvet, with rhinestone buckle.

The hat with this gown is from Lewis, and is a toque made of gray tulle and trimmed with black and white feathers. The brim is covered with tulle embroidered in gold, and caught up at the side with a rosette of turquoise blue satin.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, who is not well known to New Yorkers by sight, was frequently seen on the streets last week when she was in that city in connection with the preparations for the production of one of her plays. Mrs. Burnett is a striking looking woman with blond hair, which for several years she wore rather short. She has grown stouter during recent years and her appearance in the style of dress she adopts would lead one to believe that she was English rather than American, although most of her life has been spent in this country. Although Mrs. Burnett makes a large income from her writings, she is anxious for the greater emoluments of the dramatist, and she sticks assiduously to play writing, although it is doubtful if any of her plays except "Little Lord Fauntleroy" has ever proved very profitable to her. She is a woman of very pronounced opinions as to the interpretation that her plays should receive, and it was a disagreement about a matter of this kind with her managers that postponed the production of her latest drama for a whole year. Then Mrs. Burnett was convinced that so long as plays were written to make money, they could accomplish that end more readily when they were intrusted to persons who were adapted to them. But she only half gave up her contention that the woman she had selected was the best for her play, and in England it will be handed over to the American actress who was her first choice.

A honeymoon trip by proxy is the latest novelty which was brought to the attention of visitors and natives at Atlantic City by the advent of four jolly old people, husbands and wives. They knew nobody at the hotels, they did not want to make acquaintances, and insisted on being seated at a table by themselves. It was a caution to see how much fun they got out of their visit. They bathed and they boated and they fished. They visited every show in Atlantic City. Fancy the excitement among the women in the hotel when they were overheard bantering each other one evening and one of them said: "Enjoy yourself as much as you can. Folks of our age can only have a honeymoon trip once in our lives."

None of the four could be under 60 years of age. Just married and on a honeymoon trip when they ought to be preparing for their graves. Thus the tongues wagged until a clergyman arrived who knew them. Among the other guests was one of his former parishioners, and to her he explained the situation. The old people were the happy parents of a young couple married ten days ago. The bride and groom wanted to enjoy each other's society in peace and quiet. Hurry and bustle of travel and the publicity which always smiles on the newly married were averse to them. Therefore, they hit upon the happy expedient of sending the old folks off on a bridal tour and stayed at home to keep house with nobody around to interfere in any way with their solitude.

Women are branching out further and further since the bicycle period began, and now another step is taken owing to the riding of the silent steed. It is astonishing to find how many women of all ages and sizes travel in their bicycle suits, not merely when journeying by rail to some good place for biking, but in regions where it isn't even worth while to take their wheels along, and often upon trips where it is just plain traveling, with no intention of settling down anywhere. So common has the attire become for tourists that it hardly causes a stare.

Looks of envy from the long-skirted women are about the only demonstration that it calls forth. In a short skirt the traveler can defy rain, weariness, warmth, heavy satchels and pretty nearly every other ill that tourist flesh is heir to. There need be no question about the elegance of the garb. A few inches less of skirt in no way interferes with fit or finish, and as a matter of fact most such suits are the smartest of the smart, bearing the irreproachable tailor stamp. It is noticeable that the wearers are invariably women distinguished by an expression of great good sense. They are not the strong-minded or radical sort at all, but they are plainly women with minds of their own, and pretty contented minds too.

The Mohammedan women of Bosnia, who are not allowed to see a male doctor, are to be provided with women physicians, and the first of these, Dr. Theodora Krayewska, has recently been appointed. She is a Pole by birth, and as she is included by the terms of her appointment in the list of army surgeons, she is compelled to wear a uniform. In the discharge of her duties she travels through a large district, instructing in sanitation and enforcing compliance with sanitary laws.

London hotels now have women's smoking rooms, and they were provided to meet the demand that came from the daily increasing number of English women who smoke. It will be recalled that several of the women's clubs in London were recently very much disturbed over the question as to whether or not it was best for the interests of the organizations to have smoking rooms for the members. In some of the clubs they were abolished, but in the majority they were retained. The London hotels that established smoking rooms for women—and they are of the highest class—had to choose whether the women guests should be alowed to smoke in the dining room with the men of their parties or in the hallways, and it was decided that the smoking room was the only solution of the question, as many of the guests hesitated about indulging themselves in a public part of the hotel. Men are admitted with women, but they are not allowed to come in alone. As another instance of the growth of cigarette smoking among women in England, it might be cited the case of the titled Austrian at the duchess of Devonshire's recent ball who smoked a cigarette in the dining room after supper.

Neither coeducation of the sexes nor the new woman seems to worry Dr. Lyman Abbott. In a recent speech to the Oberlin college alumni he said the main argument against the mingling of the sexes at college "is that they are apt to fall in love and get married, and that is a thing of which I heartily approve. I fell in love and got married myself, and I think it was the best thing I ever did. Indeed, if I were addressing undergraduates I am not sure but that I would advise to elect the study of human nature with one tutor each.

"While I do not care to see women rushing into the professions," the doctor added, "and becoming stenographers, lawyers, doctors, reporters and what not, yet I would by no means debar them from that privilege if they so desire. I would have them free to choose for themselves. The idea of forcing them into the home is absurd. If men must corral women in order to marry them then they'd better be old bachelors. But I believe that social problems will be so worked out before many years that men will be the sole breadwinners and women will take that place for which they are so well suited and in which they are happy—that of home-makers and home-keepers."

There is no woman in the United States who is entitled to write D. V. S. after her name, although some have taken preparatory courses at the veterinary school connected with Cornell university. The only one who has matriculated with the intention of entering the profession is Miss Jennie Revert, who attended the New York veterinary college during two sessions. Miss Revert is the owner of Robindale farm, Glen Head, L. I., where she raises blooded horses and fine bulldogs. She does not approve of the new woman, though she is fearless and passionately fond of animals. Miss Revert treats the horses and dogs on her own farm, and the horses are always shod under her personal supervision.

The dean of the American Veterinary college, Dr. Liautard, said that but one woman had ever applied for admission to that institution. That was some years ago. Now, he said, a woman would be welcome in any of the schools. He added there was a great opening for women in the profession, particularly in the treatment of pet dogs and cats. The wealthy women who owned dogs would certainly take them to a woman veterinarian, if there was one.

"Dr. Ottonlenghi reports," says the Medical Record, "the tests made with Edelmann's faradimeter of the sensitiveness to pain and the endurance of pain in 682 women. He finds that women are less sensitive to pain than men and that this sensitiveness is less in early life, increases to the twenty-fourth year and decreases after that. The higher classes are most sensitive and the degenerate least. He found the latter class very obtuse to the sensation of pain. Endurance of pain varies between much broader limits in women than in men, reaching a maximum far beyond the masculine limits, possibly due to the 'greater suggestibility' of the female sex. General sensibility reaches the highest point in the nineteenth year. He * * * considers woman's comparative insensibility to pain as a sign of her inferiority to man, as the uncivilized and degenerate are least sensitive. He attempts to prove a connection between this characteristic and her longevity."

The solitary woman solicitor of patents in New York City, and probably the only one in the United States, is Miss Edith J. Griswold, who carries on her business in a room on the fifteenth floor of one of the big downtown office buildings. Although Miss Griswold is youthful in appearance, she has been in her present business for twelve years. After being graduated from the Normal college in 1883, she took a special course in mathematics and patent-office drawing, taught mathematics for a year, and studied patent-soliciting. Since she started out in business for herself she has been very successful. Miss Griswold not only obtains patents for people all over the United States and in foreign countries, but gives opinions on patents and trademarks, and in what leisure she secures is studying law, with the intention of passing the New York bar examination. With all her work, Miss Griswold finds plenty of time for exercise. She rides a wheel, is a fine swimmer, and practices several other branches of athletics.