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OF SOCIAL INTEREST

Function Given for Faculty at Barnum Residence—Birthday Party at Home of Auditor Greeley.

Last Friday evening the elect of the young society folk of Pine City were out in all their brilliancy on account of the function given at the Barnum residence in honor of the teachers of the Pine City schools.

Miss Kate Barnum was the hostess of the pleasant soiree and Miss Clara Clausen assisted. Miss Portia Huber assisted in receiving.

The rooms had been appropriately arranged for the reception of guests and an abundance of crystalline and carnations completed a truly inviting effect.

About forty guests were present, and as moderate portions of entertainment were administered to all, not a moment dragged and none suffered from ennui. The introduction of various games made the evening pass informally, and much credit was reflected upon those who arranged to make the time fly so happily.

An inspiring musical program was rendered and those who furnished numbers were heartily applauded, making encores almost necessary without exception. Misses Goldie Reed, Iva Graham and Thelma Wing gave some excellent classical interpretations as the piano, and Misses Mullen and Barnum rendered in beautiful instrumental duet.

Those who entertained with vocal numbers were, Miss Wing, Dr. R. W. Knapp and A. B. W. Olsen.

Prizes were given to those who excelled in games. And souvenir cards were distributed, which will serve as pleasant reminders of the occasion.

The luncheon was splendid, and after it had been served more games were brought forth and were participated in until midnight when all hid adieu and went out into the night and to their homes in quest of rest.

Birthday anniversaries come and go and we seldom hear much of them. They pass as doth the wind and in most cases are early forgotten, but not so when a merry party assembles to make the occasion memorable.

Lo! These many years D. Greeley and Jas. H. Wadell have been having one of these annals precisely in the name of Dr. Greeley in the writing of his fellow county official, and last Saturday evening Mr.

Wadell went to the spacious Greeley residence and there applied for admission on the strength of his birthday falling on the same day as Greeley's. Such things seldom occur and Wadell got in.

The affair was prearranged and was everything that a pleasant surprise should be. Auditor Greeley was the victim of the plot and the lady clerks in the court house, we are told, were the arch-plotters.

Mr. Greeley is the president of the school board and members of that body as well as the public school faculty were present.

A very good time was reported, and Messrs. Greeley and Wadell were greeted with wishes of many happy returns of the day.

Coming.

The Georgia Troubadours in a musical satire, "A Trip to the Jungle," will be the attraction at Stekl's hall Monday evening, December 3rd. The company comes well recommended and among the many press notices at hand we present the following from the Weyerhaeuser News.

"Wm McCabe's Georgia Troubadours Co. played here last night to a full house. The two little boys William and Rudolph McCabe are very clever. Rudolph in his down act brought the house down. Mrs. Meddy McCabe, the beautiful Cuban dancer done her work in a very neat and attractive manner. William McCabe, the funny comedian kept the crowd laughing from start to finish. Walter Leroy gave a very clever exhibition of buck and wing dancing and received a great deal of applause. The singing of the Troubadour Trio of their popular selections was indeed fine. Prof. R. Wilson one of the best American pianists in his classic music was very good. The last act, "A Trip to the Jungle," in which Wm. McCabe carries his own special scenery was the best seen in this opera house.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the kind neighbors and friends who tendered us their kind sympathies in the hour of our deep bereavement in the loss of our son.

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RELIEF IN DEATH

John Griffith Passes to the Great Beyond Sunday Morning—Afflicted With Bright's Disease and Dropsy.

It is with keen regret that we are called upon this week to chronicle the death of John Griffith. He passed to the great unknown Sunday morning between the hours of four and five. His demise was not unexpected as the nature of his disease was such as to cause the gravest fears. Mr. Griffith had always been in the best of health up to about two years ago. His ailment, however, did not become serious until a month prior to his death when the doctors pronounced it acute Bright's disease and dropsy. Since that time he had grown gradually weaker and bedded apparently without a struggle, passing peacefully into that last long sleep.

John Griffith was born in South Durham, Quebec, Canada, on the 29th day of April, 1839, and was 67 years old last April. He came to the United States when about 21 years of age and traveled in the west at the time of the great gold fever. He resided in McKendree county, Ill., for about a year and there met Hannah K. Shook whom he married in 1868 at the home of her parents in Janesville, Wis. Prior to settling in Pine City Mr. and Mrs. Griffith resided in Burns, Anoka county, where their present living children were born. They came here 27 years ago and the deceased was therefore one of the pioneer Pine City residents. Besides the widow, the family consists of Mrs. Marilla Gottry, of this place, Mrs. John Kinney, of Hanning, and Charles H. of Los Angeles, Cal. He also is survived by four brothers and three sisters Arthur, of Vancouver, British Columbia; Charles T., a police official in Minneapolis; William, Robert and Mrs. Mary Griffin, of Oakland, Cal.; Mrs. J. J. Coulter, of Robbinsdale; Mrs. John L. Stevens, of South Bend, Wash.

During the past six years Mr. Griffith has been village marshal and made a good trust worthy official. He was a man of sterling worth, honorable and upright. He was a good provider and a kind and loving husband and father. His death is a source of deep regret, and he will be greatly missed by all who were accustomed to see him about.

The funeral services were held in the M. E. church Tuesday afternoon and the church was crowded with the many friends who were there to pay their last respects to the departed. Rev. J. J. Parish offered up the prayer and Rev. F. H. Fostham, of Bush City, delivered the sermon. The three favorite songs of the deceased were rendered by a quartet consisting of Mesdames E. E. Barnum and A. W. Piper, and Dr. Barnum and A. R. W. Olsen. Mrs. Pressnell presided at the organ. The casket was decked with many beautiful flowers. The pall bearers were W. F. Glasow, Jas. E. Neiser, F. E. Smith, Albert Pennington, George Payne and Harrison Taylor.

The remains were interred in Breckwood cemetery. Those from abroad who were here to attend the funeral were Chas. F. Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Ring, Minneapolis; Mrs. J. J. Coulter, Robbinsdale; Mr. and Mrs. John Kinney and children, Hanning.

In Time of Peace.

In the first months of the Russo-Japan war we had a striking example of the necessity for preparation and the early advantage of those who, so to speak, "have shingled their roofs in dry weather." The virtue of preparation has made history and given us our greatest men. The individual as well as the nation should be prepared for any emergency. Are you prepared to successfully combat the first cold you take? A cold can be cured much more quickly when treated as soon as it is here contracted and before it has become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures of colds, and it should be kept at hand ready for instant use. For sale at Breckenridge's Pharmacy.

GLORIOUSLY DEFEATED

The Pine City Foot Ball Team Taken in by a Picked Team From White Bear Lake.

The defeat of the Pine City high school foot ball team Saturday was anything but an inglorious one. The score was 43 to 0, but this is no criterion to show that Pine City was weak. The boys simply played out of their class, as the White Bear eleven outweighed them at least 15 pounds to the man.

When it was announced that the high school team would play their initial game Saturday it was expected that their opponents would be bona fide high school players, with an average weight of 133 pounds. At sight of the White Bear boys and upon investigation it was determined that an aggregation of picked men averaging about 150 pounds were to be pitted against the locals.

The game was started at 2 o'clock and lasted 25 and 20 minutes were played. The Bears soon had possession of the ball, and in just one minute of play scored a touchdown and kicked a goal, making the score 6 to 0. At the close of the half the heavy visitors had made four more touchdowns and kicked another goal, making a total of 27 points to Pine City's nothing—but experience.

During the ten minutes intervening between the two halves Coach Knapp took his proteges to their quarters, and after a few pointers put them again on their mettle, while the White Bearites danced a few hornpipes and gave a few lusty yells over near the last goal.

Shortly after the beginning of the second half Gen. Wadell was injured in a flying tackle and Knapp substituted. From this time to the finish the game was more spirited, the boys gaining much confidence by the presence of their coach in the game. The rushing attacks of their opponents could not be effectively stalled, however, and when time was called, three more touchdowns and one goal had been recorded against them, making a total of 43 points.

The Pine City lads fought with wonderful grit in the face of sure defeat, and each and every one of them can be proud of their efforts in keeping the score as low as they did. Bill McKusick, as fullback, played superbly throughout. He was a sure tackler and blocked many an end run. Quarterback Breckenridge was also into every play and stood the test of his responsibility in a surprising manner. Before his injury, Halback Wadell did the running, and he generally got his punts off before the heavy Bears broke through the light interference. Henricks made some great tackles, and with more weight Lahodny would have been a tower of strength at either end position. Russell Bede probably had the fiercest proposition in the 202-pound center who opposed him. The heavy weight naturally went through him but never strong enough to knock him off his feet. Bede's passing was also very good and he was down the field in a hurry on punts. Capt. Hurley put up a good, steady game.

Time and space forbids going into further detail, but with a year's growth and more fishy Coach Knapp's foot ball pupils can be depended upon to give an account of themselves that will be a credit to the athletic department of their school.

The Rev. I. R. Hicks 1907 Almanac.

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PINE CITY, MINN., Nov. 30, 1906

Some beauty is scarcely pains deep.

HAVE you still that supreme tendency to goggle that you had yesterday?

HAVE you commenced your Xmas shopping. Better get in now and avoid the rush.

WHAT a lonesome world this would be if we should all leave well enough alone.

T. C. PLATT still retains his exalted position, that of U. S. senator from New York.

RENNING for office is a right smart way of determining ones popularity—excepting at the primaries.

The fellow who continually outshines over the other fellow's work to the detriment of his own is bound to be snowed under.

TODAY winds up the deer hunting season, but its gold dust to biscuit crumbs that there'll be many the venison feast out of season.

THE farmers institute, held at Hinckley Tuesday of last week, proved profitable for those who took advantage of the sessions.

A TWO-CENT passenger rate is the cry of the Minnesota people. And the legislators will heed the cry or the populace will know the reason why.

A GLANCE over our dailies remind us that bicycle thieves are still up to their old tricks. They are, however, not necessarily trick riders.

ACCORDING to Mary Mac, in the Duluth News Tribune, winter had not arrived in Duluth up to Tuesday. Wonder if it has hit that particular equatorial zone up to date.

OUT of fairness to this part of the state a northern man should wear the toga of speaker of the House and Hugo of Duluth is the man for the place. There should be no ifs, ands or buts.

THE Minnesota university football team carries the championship belt of the west, but they showed a fearful slump in their play against Indiana last Saturday when they were saved by a mere safety, scoring 8 to 0.

"IT MAY be a good thing to pray for things you want, but your faith will be more likely to be rewarded if you follow up your prayer by getting out and hustling for what you want," says Elbert Hede in the North Branch Review.

INSPECTOR Aron has sent out his annual report of the State high

school and the PIONEER acknowledges a copy of the same. Boards of education and others interested in our higher educational work need some of the inspiration contained in the booklet.

IT is far too early to "put in nomination" republican gubernatorial candidates. Even a suggestion in that direction must cause a smothering of pain to the luckless victim and an assenting smile from the largely endorsed Johnson.

DURING the month of December fifteen prisoners are to be released from the penitentiary at Stillwater. It is likely that most of them have already formed New Year resolutions and they can celebrate the Yuletide with a general Thanksgiving.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT has returned to Washington from his trip to Panama and Porto Rico. The President will say nothing in regard to his views on the canal question but he must have views galore, for the ditch will be the subject of a special message.

MAYOR CULUM of Duluth is leading a strenuous life these days with the better element in the city clamoring for a "closed lid" and the saloon element opposing it. The mayor's duty can be best fulfilled by a strict observance of his oath of office, which would put the lid on and hold it there.—Barum Gazette.

THE lid is due to close on Sabbath desecration in Duluth. Prominent men in all parts of the city headed by A. S. Merrill and members of different denominations are making a rigorous campaign for the closing of riotous places, and the reformers will not let up, although Mayor Culum and a majority of the council oppose the lid. The agitation is creating considerable interest among church workers, and reform leaders all over the state have an eye on Duluth.

THE Rush City Post is undoubtedly guilty of having changed its sentiments between two weeks and the Poker jumped on it therefor. Then the North Branch Review published the Poker's views of the change together with the opinion of Charles Wilcox, of Sunrise, who commended the Post editor. The whole thing is enough to cause a clay pitcher to lose its yellow paint in a fit of laughter. Post or no Post—the result would have been practically the same although we cannot commend Stone for his "before and after" stunts. Before election the tone was to elect Cole on the fallacy of Johnson's claims and after Johnson's glorious personal achievement it was to show the absurdity of Cole's campaign issues. Talk about acrobatic stunts of a politician's nature and it is not necessary to go farther than Rush City to gain an argument that would stall a Pierpont Rockefeller combination. We appreciate the fact that it's dreadfully absurd to hang onto a fool notion and that no man was ever hypnotized into conversion who shut his eyes to all things good, but it's time for the worm to squirm when the antidote is administered by one who appar-

ently chances to luck and pats on the back he who is the victor. The good book says, "Judge not that ye be not judged," and we pray fervently now in saying that the Poker's views are right while Wilcox was wrong in overlooking the Post's foretold and considering only what was said after the Johnson landslide. The cigar signs are still smoldering.

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News of the Week.

Clips Picked up Around Town and Vicinity.

Agent Sweet went to Superior Saturday for a brief visit.

John Armstrong was up from St. Paul Saturday last.

Editor Warren was down from Hinckley Wednesday.

Dr. H. W. Frosdick went to Minneapolis yesterday. He will return tonight.

Mrs. Nick Asfalg went to St. Paul Wednesday to eat turkey with her sister.

Paul Perkins arrived from Ashwa Wednesday to eat turkey with relatives.

Dr. R. W. Knapp went to Taylors Falls Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

John Etin, of LaSueur, spent Thanksgiving day with Pine City relatives and friends.

Miss Theobald Wing went to St. Cloud Wednesday to spend her vacation with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dohney arrived Wednesday for a few days visit with Jonas Gray and family.

The White Bear foot ball squad were guests at the Wandel home during the dinner hour Saturday.

O. F. Foreman, of Minneapolis, visited with friends in this place during the fore part of the week.

Misses Orr, Mullen and Hinckley are a trio of Pine City teachers who are spending their vacation in Minneapolis.

Miss Alice Wickstrom returned to her home in Minneapolis Wednesday after a few days visit among friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stocumb partook of Thanksgiving turkey with relatives in Minneapolis. They will return today.

Union services were held in the Presbyterian church yesterday at 10:30 a. m. Rev. J. J. Parish delivered the address.

M. Shorish went to St. Paul yesterday for a few days. His brother, Abe, will arrive here today to attend to the store.

Mrs. A. Cranton and daughter, Myrtle, and Margaret Hurley went to Rush City yesterday to visit with Mrs. Cranton's parents.

Misses Sadie Pennington, Annie Dosey and Mayme Stochl arrived home Wednesday from the state normal school to spend their Thanksgiving vacation.

Misses May Hurley and Lillian Perkins accompanied by Messrs. Robert Harie and John Mullen attended a social hop at Rush City Wednesday evening.

A big Thanksgiving ball was given in Stochl's hall last night. Snapper was served, and a joyful time was reported. The Rush Lake band furnished the inspiration.

Mrs. H. H. Orme, of Merriam Park, visited with relatives in this place over Sunday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Laura, who will remain here until tomorrow.

Miss Clover, who is teacher in the Aasmus school house at Pokegama lake, is spending her Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Harris. She was accompanied there Wednesday by Miss Clara Claussen who will be the guest of friends.

Revival services began in the M. E. church last Sunday evening and have continued throughout the week. Next week a conference revival will be here to assist Rev. Parish, who has been handicapped in the work owing to a severe cold. The meetings are gradually drawing better attendances and they will be red hot ere long. Everybody is most cordially invited to attend.

Prof. and Mrs. John Hovorka celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home in Beroun last Saturday. A large number of friends availed themselves of the opportunity to pay their respects to the professor and his worthy wife, and presented them with some very nice silverware. Mr. and Mrs. Hovorka are the parents of ten children, eight of whom reside at Beroun. A big dance was given in the evening and a bounteous luncheon was served. The guests had a splendid time and wished the couple many happy returns of the day. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Korbel and children, of this place, were in attendance.

Oscar Noreen was here from Harris yesterday.

Joe Chalupsky made a business trip to St. Paul Monday.

Roy Wiseman went to Superior Saturday for a brief visit.

Mrs. Peter Olsen is entertaining her father from Waterville.

Albert Rybak, of New Prague, is visiting with his brother, Frank.

A. F. Brackott came down from Duluth Monday to visit with his family.

Miss Josephine Sletto is spending her holidays at her home in Minneapolis.

Ernest Holler, who is in the lively business at Sandstone, is reported seriously ill.

Fred Nortin returned Monday morning from a trip to the northern part of the county.

Col. and Mrs. J. F. Stone, of Rush City, dined with J. Y. Breckenridge and family yesterday.

Misses Hattie Pennington and Lillian Perkins are home from their schools at Sturgeon Lake.

Rose Cronlon and Katharine Hurley went to Hinckley Wednesday to spend their Thanksgiving vacation.

Melzer Brackett, who has just recovered from a severe case of typhoid fever, is expected home today from Superior.

Rubert Neslso, of Rush Lake, was seriously injured Monday morning in falling down a flight of stairs in his house. His condition is very grave.

Miss Portia Huber leaves today for Northfield to visit for a couple of days with friends whom she greeted while attending her alma mater in that place.

Miss Nellie Greeley accompanied by her friend, Miss Vivian Borden, arrived from Stillwater to spend their Thanksgiving vacation at the home of the former.

John Axtell, who is now a resident of North Branch, spent Thanksgiving day with his parents, Mr. and J. W. Axtell. He was accompanied by his wife, baby and sister-in-law.

Miss Retta Bede entertained the members of the Sophomore class of the high school at her home yesterday. The pupils partook of dinner and supper with their class-mates and passed the afternoon pleasantly.

John Breckenridge, jr., returned last Saturday morning from Des Moines, Ia., where he attended the department of pharmacy of Highland Park College. After the Thanksgiving vacation he will attend the State "U."

While attempting to cross the tracks just north of the depot Monday night a fast north-bound freight collided with a horse that was being driven by Aug. Anderson, of West Rock. Luckily the train remained on the track, but the horse suffered a broken proboscis. Anderson drove too close to the flying freight, and the hind step of the caboose struck the animal. It was taken to the livery for repairs.

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Revival services began in the M. E. church last Sunday evening and have continued throughout the week. Next week a conference revival will be here to assist Rev. Parish, who has been handicapped in the work owing to a severe cold. The meetings are gradually drawing better attendances and they will be red hot ere long. Everybody is most cordially invited to attend.

Prof. and Mrs. John Hovorka celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home in Beroun last Saturday. A large number of friends availed themselves of the opportunity to pay their respects to the professor and his worthy wife, and presented them with some very nice silverware. Mr. and Mrs. Hovorka are the parents of ten children, eight of whom reside at Beroun. A big dance was given in the evening and a bounteous luncheon was served. The guests had a splendid time and wished the couple many happy returns of the day. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Korbel and children, of this place, were in attendance.

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BEATRICE AND BENEDICK

By Clayton Hamilton.

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"Hal," said Mona, merrily, "I'm afraid that you're a failure. You can't converse—really you can't."

"Of course, since you prohibit cigarettes—"

"They're nasty things indoors. My hair smells of smoke an hour after wards."

"What's a fellow to do? Either I have to sit still and fidget with my hands, or else pass the room—and that makes you nervous. No wonder I can't converse."

"And you sit stiff-necked in an uncomfortable chair and soliloquize about uninteresting things. What do I care about soliloquies, wags or otherwise? Oh, those soliloquies! Your name might be Hamlet instead of Hal. You're impossible. Go home. It's 11, and you're late."

"Two hours since I smoked—"

"Good-night, then!" He extended a formal hand.

"No, I can't let you go, after all," she replied; "not like that. Why do we always end up like Beatrice and Benedick?"

"We don't," retorted Hal. "They ended up by marrying each other. Yet we are fond of each other, Mona, aren't we?"

"In a way." Then she added audaciously: "Hal, I have an idea. I think that I could stand you better out of doors. Take me for a walk."

"When?"

"Will Saturday do?"

"At three o'clock?"

"At night? Compensate me in Old clothes, and take me out of the New York that bothers us. I'm good for a real tramp, you know."

"You won't get tired and wish that you were home?"

"Do I look like that?"

The question answered itself. She was tall, well-made and strong.

"How about the Pallades?" said Hal.

"Fine! I've never been there. And oh, the joy of it!" she added. "We shan't have to talk at all."

Mona met him at the door on Saturday. She was dressed in a short skirt, a plain waist, and a little comfortable jacket. "I suppose I'll have to wear a hat and gloves," she said, "until we get across the river. But once really out of doors—hello for comfort!"

It was a great day for a tramp. They crossed the Hudson on the Fort Lee ferry boat. The domes of Morningside stood bright above the city they were leaving; the clouds were but a few clouds gathered low along the west; otherwise the sky was clear, and scarcely moist; and it dwindled away in smoky mist far down the river.

Mona was light-hearted and light-minded when they reached the other shore, she seemed to climb the cliff by the serpentine road, and struck up over a little pathway between rocks instead. She was not the sort of a girl whose arm a man would take to help her over nothing at all. Hal followed mutely, in delight at her agility. It was he who was breathless when they reached the top; he had grown a little heavy since his football days.

There was a road to the west in sight, with a flagging of suburban sidewalk; but they were seeking a cure for civilization, and set out north and west almost at once.

The sunlight sifted through tangled branches and splashed here and there upon the ground. There was a lace of slender trunks and ferns.

At last these pedestrians broke out upon a falling valley, with a little river far below. They paused. The Hudson sat upon the ground, with her head propped against a tree trunk, while Hal sprawled cumbersome a yard away.

"Light your pipe."

"Really?"

Between puffs a sentence came from Hal: "This beats your drawing-room all out, doesn't it? We're really comfortable at last!"

"Quite," said Mona, digging weeds with a little stick. "I thought I should like you out of doors."

"New York makes a deuced difference, doesn't it?"

"Yes, we don't live in towns; we go through forms in a hurry."

"They didn't talk much after that, but sat listening to things and seeing them."

After awhile they started up again—eastward this time, vaguely in search of the heights of the Hudson. They had a pleasant sense of being lost and steering by the sun until it went under clouds and beneath them of all guidance but that of mere instinct.

There was a low mutter of thunder out of the west. It rolled nearer and nearer to them until it seemed about to break behind them. They had just reached the brow of the Pallades when the storm-clouds overtook them. A few big drops pelted down upon the leaves, then a wind-blown sheet of rain flung itself flatwise upon the forest.

"Are you very wet?" asked Hal.

"Yes, are you?"

"Soaking! Do you mind?"

"Not a bit," she said.

"You're a brick, Mona; any other girl would bother about her clothes."

"And any other man would be shivering all fussy—I guess we're all right."

By the time the storm had spent its fury, the two were as wet as they

could be. "I suppose we ought to get dry, somehow," Hal suggested. His arm was around her now to keep her from stumbling. And Mona—who never stumbled—leaned toward him and was glad.

The cliff footed on a little meadow, over which came a homely gleam of yellow light. "There's a house," Hal remarked. And now, although there was no reason for it, he lay his arm around her shoulders and steered her for the light. A healthy clatter on the back porch brought a woman to the door. The lamp-light fell outward on the two dripping figures.

"We came over from New York," he explained. "Do you happen to have a kitchen fire?"

"Of course. Come right in."

They stepped into a cheery little kitchen, containing three children and six kittens. It was warm, lamp-light and homely.

"We haven't any visiting cards," Hal said, drolly. "But my name's Stuart—Hal Stuart; and this is my friend Mr. West; the woman across the street with you, you are wet. I'll get some more wood for the range. Do sit down, Mrs. Stuart."

"Do be quiet," Mona murmured when Mrs. West had gone in search of wood. "Perhaps it will be better to let her think of you as a wack."

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The New England Girl.

Daughter of the Puritans Touches High Water Mark, Both Mentally and Morally—Worthy of Stock They Sprang From.

By MARGARET E. BANGSTER.

A New England girl in her first youth is the prettiest thing on which the sun ever shines. There is an exquisite moment when she is slipping out of the husk of her childhood years into the beautiful blossoming of girlhood when the supreme loveliness of her 18 or 19 summers arrests the eye and enchants the heart. At 20 she is a little, to lose something of the soft coloring and dainty charm that made her a picture, and a little later she is in some degree becoming severe and angular.

Of course, every rule has its exceptions. I have seen New England women who attained their full flowering beauty at 30 or 35, and I know at least three who are peerless and queenly at 70 and who have been beautiful all their lives.

But this is not a talk about old women. It has to do with girls in the very morning of their days. It has to do rather more with the country than with city girls and it has reference to the daughter of the Puritans as we find her today in the farmhouse, the seashore hamlet and the mountain village. When the summer boarders have gone home and the autumn fires are lighted what sort of girl is it that we discover in New England homes?

First of all, in her early bloom, as I have said, she is radiantly pretty and a creature of rare promise. She is young and graceful and her beauty, longer if she had a better appetite, but unfortunately the New England girl outside of the great towns, thinks but little about her diet. She eats hot fried cakes swimming in butter and maple syrup and drinks strong coffee and bitter tea. Creamed cod fish, cold biscuits, pies and hake take for her the place of juicy beefsteaks and nutritious soups. She does not eat food that makes good red blood, and she is equally in danger of growing too fat or too lean. A certain amount of adipose tissue is essential to girlish beauty. A certain amount of color in the cheeks and the brightness in the eyes, a fine erect bearing and a free and buoyant movement on the road are absolutely necessary to make and keep a woman beautiful. Our New England girls start well, but they too soon lose the advantage of their start. One reason is found in their indifference to cleanliness about eating the right food at the right time. The other and the more dangerous cause of their too early fading must be attributed to something else.

The climate of New England is uncertain in its temper, and when winter frosts and chills and biting days and freezing nights are to be taken for granted. Now and then a springlike day steals in among the frosts and chills and biting days, and pins a rosette on the lapel of Winter's coat. These days are infrequent. For the most part the weather is cold and raw, with the peculiar dampness that strikes a chill to the marrow of the bones. New Englanders are prone to keep their homes very hot, and many a young girl is cheated of her beauty and her bloom because she continually breathes heated air from furnace or stove or steam pipes until the blood within her veins is dried up and she has not a particle of the vigor which gives her Canadian sisters their brilliant coloring and vivid brightness of aspect.

Regarding mentally and morally, the daughter of the Puritans touches the high water mark of womanhood. Intellectually she has few equals and no superiors. From her babyhood she has been trained to be thorough, and the famous New England conscientiousness which does not permit in its possessor any trifling with accepted values, she inherits and carries to the goal by resolute fighting, expensive battles. Once you penetrate her citadel and know her as she is known to her kindred and friends, you find that you are in the presence of one who is strong to meet calamities with fortitude and grief with resignation, and who conquers her way to the goal by resolute fighting.

Whatever the New England girl undertakes, she carries through with dauntless pluck and tireless energy. She is candid and pure to the point of evasion and similes of any sort. Truth with her is truth, ever abiding, ever white. She walks on a straight road, she speaks candidly and without circumlocution. She is reticent and reserved and to strangers, on the surface she is a little like a prickly pear. You may not be her friend to know how tender, compassionate, lovable and loving she can be.

The fact is that Priscilla and Rose and the other fair girls who long ago were transplanted from the shores of old England to the coasts of the New World, brought with them the traditions and the qualities of the fine brave people from whom they sprang. Our New England girl is a flower from the stock that blooms in old England, in Massachusetts, in Connecticut, and in many ways like her English cousin across the sea. But there is a difference.

A New England girl does not take the world by storm. On the contrary, the world is obliged to woo her; and to do so patiently and chivalrously. All over New England, society is permeated and stamped by femininity. In a thousand villages young men are at a premium, so few of them remain on the ancestral acres. The girls, too, fly away when they can. They, too, flock to the cities where they engage in business and professional life, and where they take hold of tough propositions with a courage akin to that of their forebears who came across the sea to found another civilization in this land of the west. Some of them, however, stay at home, and in the long winter evenings, the club meetings and the societies and the neighborhood clubs, are given over to girls and women almost exclusively.

The New England girl, the sweet, gentle, strong, well-bred and fearless daughter of the Puritans is contented with her lot when she elects to stay at home, minister to old age, care for invalids and look after little children. Largely, the ranks of the educators are recruited from New England women, and as teachers they have attained success that is worthy of all praise.

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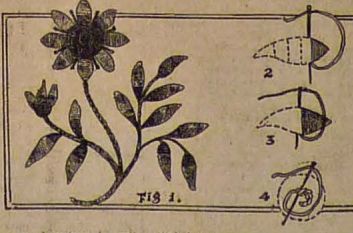
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WORKING SATIN STITCH.



A new departure in satin stitch, seen in Fig. 1, shows how successful it is in obtaining good effects of shading.

Usually satin stitch when used for petals and leaves is all of one shade or of two shades of color decided upon. Here, however, four shades are used, both in the orange flower petals and in the green leaves.

Regarding the shading must be borne in mind and never deviated from. Shade always from dark centers and use four shades consecutively. The flower before you the center is composed of the same shades used in the petals, with the same result.

The method of working is seen in Figs. 2 and 3. The center of the needle is left in as the tip, worked in the lightest shade, is being done. The way in which the center is done is seen in Fig. 4, where rope stitch is observed in the working.

This embroidery is suited to all sorts of materials, night-dress cases, work bags, tea-cloths, tea or coffee pot covers, etc. On serge and non-washable stuffs it is well adapted to table-covers, etc.

By the time the storm had spent its fury, the two were as wet as they

NOVEMBER AILMENTS

THEIR PREVENTION AND CURE.

November is the month of falling temperatures. Over all the temperate regions the hot weather has passed and the first rigors of winter have appeared. As the bulk of civilization is located in the Temperate Zones, the effect of changing seasons is a question of the high-importance. When the weather begins to change from warm to cold, when cool nights succeed hot nights, when clear, cold days follow hot, sultry days, the human body must adjust itself to this changed condition or perish.

The perspiration incident to warm weather has been checked. This defect within the system poisonous materials which have heretofore found escape through the perspiration.

Most of the poisonous materials retained in the system by the checked perspiration find their way out of the body, it is at this time that the human body is most susceptible to disease. This throws upon the kidneys extra labor. They become charged and overloaded with the poisonous secretions. This has a tendency to inflame the kidneys, producing functional diseases of the kidneys and sometimes Bright's Disease.

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HUMMING BIRD CHASED BEE.

Movements of Couple Resembled Flashes of Lightning.

Here is a story as told by a gentleman who spends the greater portion of his time studying the habits of birds.

A hummingbird with an angry dash expressed its displeasure of the presence of a big bumblebee in the same tree. The usually graceful bird, who continually flew but he did not leave the tree. He darted back and forth among the branches and white blossoms, the hummingbird attacked all over his suit. Where will you find another pair that could dodge and dart equal to these? They were like flashes of light, yet the pursued followed the track of the pursued, turning when the bee turned.

In short, the bird and the bee controlled the movements of their bodies more quickly and more accurately than he could control the movements of his eyes. He saw that all over in half the time it takes to tell it, but the excitement of a pack of hounds after a fox was no greater. The bee escaped, the bird giving up the chase and alighting on a twig. It couldn't have been chasing the bee for food, and there is no possible explanation of its unpurposed attack, except that it wanted all the honey itself.

Reception Was Costly.

Mrs. Augustus Heaton of Washington, some time ago changed from the Episcopal to the Roman Catholic church and by way of celebrating the event decided to give a reception in honor of the bishop of her diocese. She decided, however, that her already famous drawing-room was not so very recently resplendent to serve as a place of reception for the bishop who was to come and congratulate her. There was yet time in which to make the room more attractive and Mrs. Heaton, with true artistic taste, had everything taken out of the room except the old furniture and a few art objects. The walls before had been covered with tapestry, but that was not enough for a reception for the bishop. After much thought she finally decided on drab silk wall covering. What with this and other extensive changes in the room without the purchase of furniture Mrs. Heaton got rid of \$9,000.

North Carolina a Woodworking State.

"North Carolina," said C. J. Field, of High Point, "is rapidly becoming the greatest woodworking state in the country. We are now second only to Michigan in this particular industry and at the present rate of increase will soon pass that state. In the city of High Point we have 40 furniture factories and make everything from a hall rack to the finest bedroom suite."

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Artists Delight Solitude.

Mrs. Bernhardt and Signora Duan have mutual horror of being alone while traveling. Mrs. Bernhardt, the lady of the same temperament, always avoiding solitude. He is always accompanied by some friend, or even a servant traveling and other details for him, gives the singer advice and takes all similar responsibility from the artist's shoulders.

HORTICULTURE

MELONS IN GINSENG SHED.

Use to Which One Grewer Put an Un-used Shed.

The accompanying picture suggests a good use to which such growers may put their ginseng plantations. The owner of this particular patch caught the ginseng fever when the boom was at its height, and spent all his leisure hours that summer in collecting wild roots. They were given a favorable



Cantaloupes in a Ginseng Shed.

location, and provided, at considerable expense, with good drainage, leaf mold and shade. In a short time the boom collapsed and "the will" struck the patch. Then he dug up the roots in disgust and went out of the business. For two years the enclosure, denuded of its leaf covering, has been planted to muskmelons, which flourish mightily in that rich, loose soil. Last year the light spoiled the melons, but this year, so, in order to get ahead of it this season, we sprayed early and often.

ROOT PRUNING TREES.

Should Not Be Done Unless Growth of Trees Is to Be Checked.

Root pruning of trees is to be advised against unless the checking of the growth of the trees is desired. Many of our farmers have unwittingly root pruned their trees every year by deep plowing or deep spading. To cut off the ends of the roots is to greatly interfere with the growth of the trees. To put a plow into an old orchard and plow between the trees is to do much of the work of root pruning. A young orchard would begin to recover more quickly, but even a young orchard should not receive that kind of treatment. Deep plowing in the orchard is allowable only when the trees are so small that their roots have not yet reached into the area plowed.

It must be remembered, says the Farmers' Review, that the root hairs that collect the plant food from the soil are mostly on the outer ends of the roots. They were abundant on the roots when the trees were young, but have ceased to grow there as the roots elongated. If these are cut off, it is evident that the power of the root system to gather food will be greatly curtailed. While the after-effects of root pruning are sometimes to increase fruitfulness for a time, it is doubtful if the aggregate fruitfulness is increased.

In the case of old orchards the upper six inches of soil has become filled with roots, if plowing has not been done while the fruit trees were growing. To plow such an orchard is to render it so good for some years, and it is doubtful if old trees will ever recover from the shock.

Aerate the Milk.

New milk should be aerated as soon as possible after it is drawn, but this should never be done in the barn. A simple way is to pour the milk slowly from one pail to another several times. Bad odors are thus driven off and a fine butter flavor is preserved.

A Safe Debt.

Do not be afraid to go in debt for the better than to go in debt for the rent and you will soon have your own home. That is what counts.

Home Prepared Fruit.—

The housewife can much easier make her own fruit preparations than she can depend on the concoctions that are purchasable in the markets. These goods have been adulterated with chemicals so long that no one is now certain of getting pure goods. In the line of preserves, jams and marmalades. The home-made also applies to pickles. The home-made is also better preserved in his daylight, and there is no doubt that in many localities, where a good local trade could be built up, it would help in disposing of by-products of the orchard, such as the small apples and inferior qualities of other fruit.

Head Trees Low.—

As a rule all kinds of trees, and especially postons, should be headed low. All branches that grow out long and slim should be cut back to a proper length.

Cover with Straw.—

A sprinkling of straw manure over kale and spinach will keep the plants in better condition than if left uncovered.

Landscape Gardening.—

Landscape gardening is now coming to be a very important part of the work of making the farm home beautiful.

"THE MARRYING SQUIRE"

Justice Geo. E. Law, of Brazil, Ind., Has Married 1,450 Couples.

Justice Geo. E. Law, of Brazil, Ind., has fairly earned the title of "The Marrying Squire," by which he is known far and wide, having already married some 1,450 couples. Ten years ago he was deputy county treasurer. "At that time," said Justice Law, "I was suffering from an annoying kidney trouble. My back ached, my rest was broken at night, and the passages of the kidney secretions were too frequent and contained sediment. Three Boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills cured me in 1897, and for the past nine years I have been free from kidney complaint and backache."

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Sweet Thoughts.

An Athol father is very much delighted to have recently bought his daughter a \$75 gold watch, and she isn't as pleased with it as she was with a box of chocolates a young man sent her. The watch, however, means nothing, but the chocolates seem to mean enough to cause her to sit and look out into the dark and think, and think, hours at a time.—Athol Globe.

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Cactus as a Timepiece.

Mexico has a cactus which grows cylindrical, another ribbed and thickly set with teethlike spines, which furnishes the natives with combs; there is another cactus, the long, curved spines of which resemble fishhooks; there is another which is an almost perfect imitation of the sea urchin; there is another resembling a porcupine; there is another covered with long, red hair, which is nicknamed the red-headed cactus.

There are several varieties which serve as timepieces. One of these, the Cereus nycticalus, opens its blossoms at seven o'clock in the evening and closes them at seven o'clock in the morning; another opens at eight o'clock and closes at eight o'clock the next morning; another opens at nine o'clock in the morning and closes at noon.

American Expert Leads World.

Gardner P. Williams, the American mining engineer who directs the diamond output of the world, was born in Michigan, but became a resident of California at 15 and a student at California College in Oakland, afterward the state university. He perfected his education at the Mining Academy of Freiberg, among the lead mines of Saxony. He was assayer in the mine at San Francisco two years and spent some time in practical work in the mines of Nevada and northern California. He then went on an exploring expedition for the Rothschilds to Mashonaland and made the acquaintance of Cecil Rhodes, chief manager of the mines of the De Beers company in 1888, through the influence of Rhodes and has been at his head un-til recently, when he returned to America, leaving his son, Alpheus Williams in his place.

A DOCTOR'S TRIALS.

He Sometimes Gets Sick Like Other People.

Even doing good to people is hard work if you have too much of it to do. No one knows this better than the hard-working, conscientious family doctor. He has troubles of his own—often gets caught in the rain or snow, or loses so much sleep he cannot get out of sorts. An overworked Ohio doctor tells his experience:

"About three years ago as the result of doing two men's work, attending a large practice and looking after the details of another business, my health broke down completely, and I was little better than a physical wreck. I suffered from indigestion and constipation, loss of weight and appetite, bloating and pain after meals, loss of memory and lack of nerve force for continued mental application. I became irritable, easily angered and despondent without cause. The heart's action became irregular and weak, with frequent attacks of palpitation during the first hour or two after retiring."

"Some Grape-Nuts and oat bananas came for my lunch one day, and pleased me particularly with the result. I got more satisfaction from it than from anything I had eaten for months, and on the following day and use, adopted Grape-Nuts for my morning and evening meals, served usually with cream and a sprinkle of salt or sugar."

"My improvement was rapid and permanent in weight as well as in physical and mental endurance. In a week I am filled with vigor of living again, and continue the daily use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and often for the evening meal."

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WORST CASE OF ECZEMA.

Spread Rapidly Over Body—Limbs and Neck Had to Be Bandaged—Marvelous Cure by Cuticura.

"My son, who is now twenty-two years of age, when he was four months old began to have eczema on his face, spreading quite rapidly until he was nearly covered. We had all the doctors around us, and some from larger places, but no one helped him a particle. The eczema was something terrible, and the doctors said it was the worst case they ever saw. At times his whole body and face were covered, all but his feet. I had to bandage his limbs and arms, his scalp was just dreadful. The eczema teased me to try Cuticura, and I began to use all three of the Cuticura Remedies. He was better in two months, and in six months he was cured. Mrs. B. J. Riley, Piermont, N. H., Oct. 24, 1905."

Disobedience Brought Death.

An Italian prince had strictly forbidden one of his daughters to smoke, but so great a hold had the habit obtained over her that she secretly engaged in the practice at every opportunity. One day she was indulging in a cigarette as she reclined on a balcony attired in a dress of the lightest material. Her father happened on the scene. In the hurry to hide the evidence of her disobedience the princess placed her hand with the burning cigarette being held. The result was startling and tragic—her frock was immediately in a blaze, and she was fearfully burned from head to foot, dying after suffering intensely.

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Reynard's Hiding Place.

During a run of the Essex Union Hounds at Great Burstead, England, the fox took refuge in a brewhouse, and seated itself on the copper of boiling water. Finding his position too warm, and being hard pressed by the bounds, it fed to the roof and sought safety among the rafters.

The Scotsman's Diet.

For centuries the chief diet of the Scotch people has been oats in some form or other. As a result they are today the strongest, both mentally and physically, of any nation in the world. The best rolled oats made by Quaker Oats, and our readers can now get a large family package for 25c, and with each package, free, a beautiful piece of imported china. Ask your grocer to-day for a family package of Quaker Oats.

He who comes up to his own idea of greatness must always have had a very low standard of it in his mind.—Hallitt.

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