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### SOMETHING THAT WILL INTEREST THE TOPER

The most efficient factor in temperance evolution is the development of individual total abstinence from stimulant beverages. This abstinence is most surely attained when the taste for liquor is eradicated. The object of the Keeley cure, the gold cure, or any other of the advertised cures for inebriety is to create an aversion to liquor through associating it with some disagreeable drug, whose presence is known only by its resulting nausea. Sometimes these cures are permanently effective, but more often they are not. The morbid appetite is liable to return. There is, however, a surer method to allay or prevent the morbid craving for stimulants. It is easy, inexpensive, wholesome and effective. It is simply to eat plenty of fruit. It has been remarked that no hearty fruit eater ever became a drunkard. The juices and acids of ripe fruit furnish a wholesome excitant to the secretions, they are grateful to the taste and helpful to nutrition. When Aggaziz was once appealed to for a contribution to aid a temperance movement, he replied that if the money was to be expended in vineyards and orchards he would give liberally, but he had little faith in exhortations against appetite. A practical lesson can be drawn from these hygienic facts. Make the diet largely of fruit. Let the fruit dish be on the table at every meal, loaded

with ripe, uncooked fruit—whether of tropical or temperate growth matters not so much. Eat it, and encourage children to eat it, not sparingly, but abundantly. It will prevent the formation of a morbid appetite craving for stimulants. Less meat and more vegetables are also advantageous. Not only does the plentiful use of fruit guard against the craving for stimulants, but it wards off constipation. Certainly apples, grapes and oranges are more pleasant to take than calomel, salts or castor oil. Therefore, eat fruit.

—South Bend Times.

Carl France, our regular paper carrier, took sick yesterday and was unable to pass papers, but will be on again tonight and every one will receive their paper the same as usual.

### HE COMES MONDAY

Redkey Man Will Train Horses at Steele's Park

HE HAS SIX  
Already Which Will Be Given Training—Hard Task

Earl Phillips, well known over this section of the country as a race horse man, will arrive in the city Monday morning to begin training race horses at Steele's park. Mr. Phillips has had much experience in this line of work and as an evidence of his ability he has already secured six horses, which he will train. Mr. Thomas Bazzell has ordered the track put into condition and the same will be in good trim when the Redkey man arrives. The training of race horses is no easy task, and no doubt many people will visit the park during the exhibitions. It is understood that several young horses will be given thorough tryouts by the trainer, and in all probability some very fast horses will be uncovered. Mr. Phillips will remain here all summer, and he will be kept busy until the races begin.

### THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Men's Club of the Presbyterian Church to Hold Meeting

THE HOLY GRAIL  
Boys to Have Banquet—Other Society Notes of Interest

The final meeting of the Gleaners will occur in the near future. The exact date has not yet been set. Exact date has not yet been set.

There will be an excellent program prepared. A special course of study will be planned out for next year. Mrs. James Fristoe, the leader of the club, has received letters from Mrs. Fox, a missionary, and wife of Rev. Fox of the Third Presbyterian church of Fort Wayne, concerning their plans for next year, and the girls of the club are looking forward to something interesting in the way of stories and sketches of missionary life in India, Persia, Africa, China and other foreign countries.

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### NO RING FIGHTERS INDICTED

Jury Could Not Determine That Boxing Contests Were Held.

South Bend, Ind., May 7.—The St. Joseph circuit grand jury returned five indictments in its report today, but none of them was for alleged prize fighting. The case in which the names of Mark Thistlethwaite figured so extensively because of the action of Prosecutor Cyrus E. Pattee in having subpoenas issued for the governor and his secretary, is at an end as far as the local authorities are concerned. Pattee will make a report on the outcome of the investigation direct to the governor. It is said the grand jury had no trouble in finding that boxing bouts were held, but that it could not be determined whether purses were offered. It is also said there was much effort to ascertain whether the bouts were ever called "prize fights."

### COURTHOUSE NEWS

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