



## Tired, Weak, Nervous Could Not Sleep.

Prof. L. D. Edwards, of Preston, Idaho, says: "I was all run down, weak, nervous and irritable through overwork. I suffered from brain fatigue, mental depression, etc. I became so weak and nervous that I could not sleep. I would arise tired, discouraged and blue. I began taking

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## OUT-DOOR ASSEMBLIES

Religious Meetings of Various Denominations in the State.

### SUMMER SCHOOL AT WINONA.

Posey County Counterfeiter Captured. Overcome by Foul Air in a Well—Cade For West Point Appointed—Wholesale Confectioners Fail—Reception to National Commander Lawler.

EAGLE LAKE, Aug. 2.—Yesterday was the greatest day of all at the Winona assembly. The occasion was the formal opening of the summer school, with a fine faculty. Brief addresses were made by John M. Coulter, Doctors Fisher, Lamar, Johnson, Dickey, Hon. W. D. Frazer, John Bartholomew, Mrs. Eliza Blaker and others. The music was furnished by the Assembly orchestra, under the direction of Professor Miles, and it was of the finest kind. This was a great occasion and marks an important epoch in the history of the assembly. In the evening Dr. A. M. Lamar of Galveston, Tex., spoke to a large audience in the auditorium on "Dixie Before the War, as a Boy Saw It." It was a treatment of the theme in four parts, consisting of recreation sports and playmates, religion and ghosts, social custom on the plantation, mingled with pathos and comedy. It was a fine lecture. Today Grand Army day at the assembly. Dr. Lamar delivered an address this afternoon on "Dixie During the War" and a war song concert will be given this evening.

### Acton Campmeeting.

ACTON, Aug. 2.—Yesterday was only one of the many pleasant and profitable days at this meeting, but it marked the end of the three days allotted to the presiding elders of the state, which has been very fruitful for good. Rev. H. J. Talbot of Indianapolis preached in the afternoon to an appreciative audience. Today and tomorrow are Chautauque days, and Rev. Dr. Sims is on the programme for a lecture.

### SOMEWHAT OF A SPENDER.

Lively Two Hours Passed by an Indiana Youth in Louisville.

NEW ALBANY, Aug. 3.—A young man named C. W. Motweiler, 17 years old, is in jail in this city charged with passing forged checks on the First National bank to the amount of \$1,682.25. The checks were made payable to Vincent Barclay, and bearing the signature of Major William Hancock of Fredericksburg, with whom Motweiler had been living. After getting the money Motweiler went to Louisville, and was having a lively time, but was arrested after disposing of nearly \$700 in about two hours. The balance was recovered. He had deceived the bank officials by writing them a letter, signing Major Hancock's name, saying that Motweiler would present the checks for payment.

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## WANT TO BE GOVERNOR

Several Gentlemen Said to Be Willing to Sacrifice Themselves.

### SHANKLIN OF EVANSVILLE.

Tom Taggart is also mentioned by many of his friends—Lieutenant Governor Mortimer Nye recognized as a candidate—Forced to Drink Pink Lemonade—Trolley Accident—State News.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 3.—There is a story abroad here to the effect that Tom Taggart's indecision with regard to entering the mayoralty race on the Democratic ticket is due to a plan, which has for a purpose the springing of his name as a candidate for governor. A good many of Tom's friends believe that his political reputation and services entitle him to recognition outside of and beyond Marion county, and have set their eyes on the gubernatorial chair as a fitting reward. Others think, however, that Mr. Taggart's aspirations are more clearly directed toward the auditor's office in the statehouse.

By way of Louisville comes the information that Gil Shanklin, while visiting Editor Daily of the Jeffersonville News, declared himself as in the race for governor, and this positive announcement is regarded as the signal for the beginning of the fray. Mortimer Nye, lieutenant governor, is also a recognized aspirant. These two gentlemen represent diverse opinions on the financial question. Ex-Congressman Cooper is expected to be among the seekers for this honor, and ex-Congressman Eynum would not surprise many of his admirers by an announcement to the effect that he could be counted among those who would accept the place at the head of the ticket.

### Assembled at Bethany Park.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 3.—Yesterday at Bethany park the main event was the Chase memorial services, the principal address being made by W. C. Brewer of Danville, followed by short talks from the many friends of the dead ex-governor. In the afternoon the State Ministerial association began its sessions. President Joseph Franklin delivered the annual address, followed by the appointment of committees, short talks on pertinent subjects and a sermon by W. W. Witmer. At night S. H. Creighton of Crawfordsville preached. Today Professor McGarvey concluded his series of lectures and several addresses were made at the ministerial meeting. Tonight the Bethany College Pierians will give another concert.

### Under the Trees at Acton.

ACTON, Aug. 3.—Yesterday Dr. Sims lectured in the morning, and in the afternoon addressed an audience on "The Typical American." The annual march of the Chautauque graduates in the afternoon was a beautiful spectacle, many little girls striding the path with oak leaves and flowers. They marched to the tabernacle, where those entitled to the honor passed through the "golden gate." Mrs. Dr. Gatch, president of the assembly, addressed the audience, and a round table talk was led by Mrs. R. P. Adams. Degrees were conferred and all the work of the programme originally outlined for two days was finished in one.

### Skull Crushed.

WARASH, Aug. 3.—John Ellis, a farmer residing near Somerset, this county, was found lying unconscious by the roadside, near the bridge over Pipe creek. His skull was crushed in and there was a wound in his head apparently inflicted by striking a nail. Ellis was last seen in Somerset when he started toward home. Whether he was assaulted or fell from the wagon is not known. It is said his recovery is impossible.

### Mrs. Stapleton's Troubles.

BRAZIL, Aug. 3.—At Harmony yesterday the physician attending William Johnson, who was shot by his sister, Mrs. Cora Stapleton, last Tuesday, announced that the wounded man was in a dangerous condition and may die. At the time of the shooting it was supposed to be only a painful flesh wound and would soon heal. Mrs. Stapleton, who is but 16 years old, is still in jail awaiting the result of her brother's injury.

### Damage Suits For \$20,000.

BEDFORD, Aug. 3.—Goldie Parker, 7 years old, who was injured by a defective sidewalk, is suing the city of Bedford, through her father, Samuel H. Parker, for \$20,000 damages. At the time of the accident the child was thought to be fatally hurt. She has only partially recovered, and her eyesight is permanently injured. Her father brings suit for \$10,000 additional.

### Forced to Drink Pink Lemonade.

OSGOOD, Aug. 3.—Several thousand people attending the Osgood fair were deprived of drinking water, all of the wells having been polluted with kerosene. It is believed to be the work of lemonade vendors. Tacks were distributed over the racetrack, and many pneumatic sulkies were ruined.

### Should Have Taken the Bible.

BLUFFTON, Aug. 3.—The cornerstone of the Snoky Row church, west of this city, has been robbed of its contents. The robbers cut through six inches of stone to the hollow portion and removed the money and valuable papers. A Bible and a Testament were not taken.

### Fatal Trolley Car.

EVANSVILLE, Aug. 3.—William McQuarry intended to board an electric car while it was in motion and was killed. He fell under the front end of the car and his head was cut off and the body dragged 60 feet.

### An Old Settler Dead.

VALPARAISO, Aug. 3.—Amos Homer, the first white settler of Cedar Lake, is dead, aged 82. Three weeks ago he decided that he was going to die on a certain day, and he came within two days of guessing the time.

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## CONDITION OF TRADE.

Perceptible Halt in Some Lines of Business Noted.

### LATE SPRING RESPONSIBLE.

General Advances in Prices For Many Products Also Causes a Halt in Purchasing—Volume of Trade For the Week Larger Than the Previous One. Failures For the Week.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Dun & Co.'s review of trade says: There is a perceptible halt in business which may be attributed to wrong causes. Trade was two months late in the spring, which pushed forward into July a large share of business belonging to April or May. Seeing a rush of orders out of time, many imagined it would continue and hurried to give other orders. The jam of two months business into one lifted prices. Then other orders came to anticipate a further rise. But the midsummer halt was inevitable, and it is yet somewhat uncertain how much improvement will appear after it.

The crop of corn promises to be the largest ever grown, and is almost out of harm's way. The crop of wheat appears from later accounts perhaps 20,000,000 smaller than was expected a month ago.

The general advance in many products also causes reluctance to purchase, and the distribution of the past half year has been in part to make up for stocks and individual supplies depleted during two years of economy. On the other hand, there has been enormous increases in the working force and a considerable increase in wages paid, which enables people to buy more freely. Strikes of some importance appear, but do not yet threaten to last long.

For the first time since the rise in prices of iron products began, there have been some concessions to retain business and the efforts of new works to get orders tend to check the advance. In spite of this the general advance of prices is a shade higher, but iron having risen relatively more than mill iron has declined. Finished products are generally strong, with more demand than can at present be met for plates and for bar.

Failures for the week have been 261 in the United States against 230 last year, and 28 in Canada, against 44 last year.

### Bradstreet's View of Trade.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Bradstreet's says: The week presents a larger volume of trade in many lines than in the weeks before and one year ago. The rush of orders for steel and iron leads in interest, showing remarkable strength. Western manufacturers have been obliged to purchase eastern billets to meet their orders. Another conspicuous feature of the week is the evidence of reviving confidence on the part of western and northwestern interior merchants now that the corn and spring wheat crops promise well. This is shown plainest at Chicago, St. Louis, Milwaukee and St. Paul, where order demand and sales to buyers in person have increased to a striking extent. Exports of wheat (four included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States and from Montreal show a moderate increase over a week ago, the total being 1,460,000 bushels, a gain of 200,000 bushels. This is due to increased exports of flour.

### PETRIFIED CAT.

Mystery of a Century and a Quarter Ago Solved at Last.

WHITE HOUSE STATION, N. J., Aug. 3.—The mystery of the disappearance of Peter Simmerson's pet Maltese cat has at last been solved. About 125 years ago Farmer Simmerson erected the first house at White House Station. Mr. Simmerson was the owner of the finest Maltese cat in the neighborhood, and was very much attached to it. Strange to say, he named it "Tom." While the building was being erected "Tom" suddenly disappeared and no trace of him could be found. Owing to the traditions of bygone days, the story of "Tom's" disappearance never left the minds of the household. Yesterday the mystery was solved. While workmen were repairing the roof they discovered the petrified body of the favorite. "Tom" had evidently crawled under the roof 125 years ago and there met his fate. He lay between the rafters and the roof and looked as natural as life. His eyes were partly opened and he appeared as though he had just awakened.

### Outlaws Wear Steel Armor.

HENNESSEY, O. T., Aug. 3.—Jack Ward, a member of the posse fighting Zip Wyatt's gang in the Gloss mountains, claims that he was within 20 yards of the outlaw leader and fired three shots, each time knocking him down. He says he heard the shots strike metal each time and thinks Wyatt wore a steel armor. Wyatt escaped in the heavy timber.

### Defeat Caused by a Broken Gaff.

NEWPORT, E. I., Aug. 3.—The Vigilant won the Golet gun for sloops yesterday because the Defender was forced to withdraw from the race within half a dozen miles of the finish on account of a broken gaff. But for this accident the Vigilant would probably have been nine minutes or more behind the Defender.

### Texas Killings.

DANGERFIELD, Tex., Aug. 3.—Seven men called James Mason, a negro, from his house and shot him dead. His wife escaped, ran into the house and got in the bed with her children. They shot her through a crack in the house, wounding her and one child. The child will get well, but the woman will die.

### Costly Amusement.

NASHVILLE, Aug. 3.—Several incendiary fires have been started in the southern part of the city lately and considerable damage done. A 10-year-old negro boy, Burke Bell, is under arrest and confesses he started one of the fires to see the engines come out.

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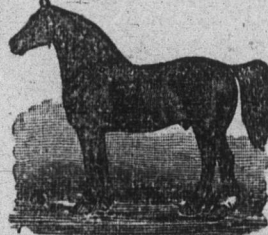
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