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EVERY college and school should prohibit students from playing foot ball as it is now played. It is worse than prize fighting.

A large number of ladies in New York ask that the burden of voting be not imposed on them. They want to remain women.

The present Democratic administration lacks a great many essentials. It lacks statesmanship, it lacks money, it lacks business ability and lacks sand.

Prize fights are having a hard time of it. Governor Brown, of Kentucky, says he will call out every soldier in the state if necessary to prevent a prize fight. Such universal contempt for the brutal business must make even brutal bulls feel ashamed.

SOUTH CAROLINA is the only State in the Union which has no divorce law, and in the constitutional convention now in session at Columbia, a section to the constitution was adopted, by a vote of 86 to 49, forbidding the granting of divorces for any cause whatever.

REPORTS from Indiana say that the coming winter will be cold because the goose bone is nearly all white. But what has the Hoosier to complain of? With roaring wood fires, apples, cider and pumpkin pies, to say nothing of James Whitcomb Riley, evening spelling schools and rosy checked lassies, winter in Indiana amounts to a positive luxury. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

GOV. CULBERTSON, of Texas, is only 32 years old. He is the youngest man that ever held the office in that state, but he was not so young that he could not knock out the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight. Gov. Culbertson has the right kind of stuff in him, and the better class of Texas citizens are congratulating themselves because they have a governor who stands by what is right.

It seems that the "Tilting Board" has come into general use in American politics. The tendency to "turn down" the party in power has become so common that people will soon know what the results of an election will be before it occurs. Reversals and landslides will become the rule. Independence of party and the general discontent of certain elements of society are the weights which tilt the political board to the one or the other side. It is interesting to observe with what complacency the defeated party takes its defeat, and on the other hand, the successful party is leaving off much of its tin-horn rejoicing, all of which indicates improvement in the condition of our politics. The removal of the "whoop and hurrah" from politics will be hard upon the heeler and ward worker, but it will be good for the people.

CHURCH NOTES.
M. P. CHURCH.
Evening service at the M. P. church C. E. Prayer meeting at 6:30 sermon at 7:30 subject, From Shoe to Shoe.
W. L. MARTIN, Pastor.
Teachers who were present at the teacher's meeting at the M. P. church last Thursday night are in possession of some interesting facts about Gideon and his band, to give to their classes tomorrow.
There will be a called business meeting of all the members of the M. P. church next Monday night to consider the propriety of an advance movement in the near future; let there be a good attendance.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Public services at the Presbyterian church tomorrow as usual. In the morning, subject "Individual Responsibility." In the evening "Successes in Seeming Failures." The evening service to begin at 7 o'clock.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Joseph's Wagons." Evening subject, "Moses the Uncrowned King." The evening sermon is the second of a series on "Men of the Bible." All are cordially invited.
M. E. NETHERCUT, Pastor.
FRIENDS' CHURCH.
Sabbath services at the Friends' church Oct. 13. Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. C. E. Prayer meeting 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject—"Things That Accompany Salvation." Evening Subject—"Treasure of Pearls." Everybody invited.
LINDLEY A. WELLS, Pastor.

The Wind Storm Yesterday.
The wind storm of yesterday played havoc all over the county. We hear of considerable damage from different points. In this city the new Christian church suffered a loss of about \$300. The wind blew over the derrick and knocked a large stone from the tower. The rain also spoiled considerable of the plastering and otherwise damaged the building. The total loss will be something near \$300.

We carry all kinds and grades of slates, tablets, etc. Our lines are of the best quality and we have some that are sold very low. No store in the city sells cheaper than the Leader Drug store. Call and see us. We will take care of you properly W. A. Wilkins. 3912.

THE W. R. C. CONVENTION.
Appropriate Exercises, Many Visitors and A Good Time Generally.

The eighth district convention of the W. R. C. of Indiana met in this city Thursday by invitation of the Dunbar Corps and were entertained by them at the I. O. O. F. hall. There were present one hundred and fourteen visiting members.

The President Mrs. Maggie Webb introduced Mrs. Miller, of Chapman Corps, of Indianapolis, who presided during the day. Mrs. Agnes Heitt, National Inspector was present and entertained the convention with a short talk, Mrs. Nettie Ramsford, of Indianapolis, in a very eloquent plea for assistance towards furnishing the cottages at the new Soldiers' and Sailors' Home which is to be built at Lafayette. This home will be a pleasant refuge for all indigent soldiers and sailors. Several of the corps present obligated themselves to each provide everything necessary to comfortably furnish a cottage. Dunbar Corps of this city has but a small body of members but will do all in its power to help along with an able enterprise. Later on an entertainment will doubtless be given for this purpose which should be encouraged by every local citizen of Greenfield and surrounding country. Mrs. Elbert Tyler, of Walnut street, this city, was selected to represent the S. A. district at the National convention to be held at St. Paul, Minn., next September. At 7 o'clock p. m. a camp fire was held at the hall which proved very entertaining and stirring room was at a premium. Captain Harris read a very beautiful original poem. Little Miss Helen Scott and Anna Garrison pleasantly entertained those present with a whistling solo and a recitation. Mrs. Eugene Woods and Mrs. Manning gave recitations in pantomime which were highly enjoyed. George Knott, of Indianapolis, being present and called upon for remarks responded in a very cheerful and happy manner. Curry's Orchestra furnished some excellent music. The convention adjourned for an hour in the afternoon to attend the laying of the corner stone of the Masonic Temple.

The visiting ladies warmly expressed themselves as having been delightfully entertained throughout the entire day and were enthusiastic in their praise of our beautiful little city and the excellent menu served them by M. K. Cummins. After an enjoyable day they left on the 9:25 train for the west.

Improve Your Chance, Girls.
Girls will please bear in mind that next year will be the last leap year of the century, and another will not occur until 1904. The year 1900 will not be a leap year. This unusual occurrence is due to the fact that the addition of one day to each fourth year more than makes the presumed deficiency in the calendar year, and consequently the world is constantly losing time, as a watch loses it, and therefore there was danger that in the course of a few thousand years the Fourth of July would come on Christmas.

Deaths.
As reported by A. H. Rottman undertaker.
Mrs. Onstott, at Central Insane hospital at Indianapolis Thursday night, Oct. 10th. Remains were brought to Maxwell Friday evening. Service held by Rev. W. A. Love Saturday at 10 a. m. at residence of her father, Wm. Bradley in Maxwell; interment at Curry's chapel.

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FOR LITTLE FOLKS.
A LITTLE HEROINE.

What She Was Doing When She Was Too Busy to Call Her Mother.

In a small town not far from New York lives a young girl who is quite a heroine, although she does not know it. One night lately she bade her father and mother good night and went up stairs. The hall was lighted, but her own room was dark. On her dressing case, near the window, stood her small hand lamp, which she was accustomed to light for herself. She struck the match—it was one of the kind called parlor matches—and having put on the chimney carefully blew out the match that was still burning in her hand.

She then busied herself folding and smoothing the pretty blue ribbons that had been used to tie her long brown braids, when suddenly she saw a great stream of light flash up in the mirror, and turning quickly discovered the muslin curtains all on fire. Part of the head of the treacherous match had flown off unnoticed by her and set fire to the light drapery. Did she scream? Oh, no. Her face was very white and she looked frightened, but she rushed across the room and got the pitcher of water from the toilet stand and dashed its contents on the flames. Then she ran in the next chamber and seized another pitcher standing there and poured the water on as high as she could lift the pitcher, and grasping the curtains with shaking fingers tore them down and threw them into a smoldering heap on the floor. She ran for yet more water, and quenching the last bit of flame she lifted the sudden mass and dropped it out of the window.

"What in the world are you running about for, May?" called her mother at this time from the foot of the stairs. "Oh, mamma, mamma, do come here!" answered a faint little voice. "I—oh, my curtains are all burned!" sobbed May, whom her mother found huddled white on the bed.

The ragged ends of drapery, the open window and the blackened heap beneath, which her mother saw when she looked out in answer to the girl's pointing, told the story, and the mother's face was as white as the daughter's as she excitedly asked, "Why didn't you call me at once?"

"I don't know," replied the plucky child. "I hadn't time, I guess; I was too busy."—New York Times.

America's Smallest Tandem.
We illustrate herewith the smallest and lightest tandem ever made. It is the property of Lewis and John Benner of Philadelphia, aged 4 and 6 respectively. This wheel, a marvel of cycle construction, was made to order. Its weight is but 15 pounds, it has 16 inch wheels and is named "Crimson." It is without doubt the smallest tandem ever built and made for the smallest racers in the world.—American Cyclist.

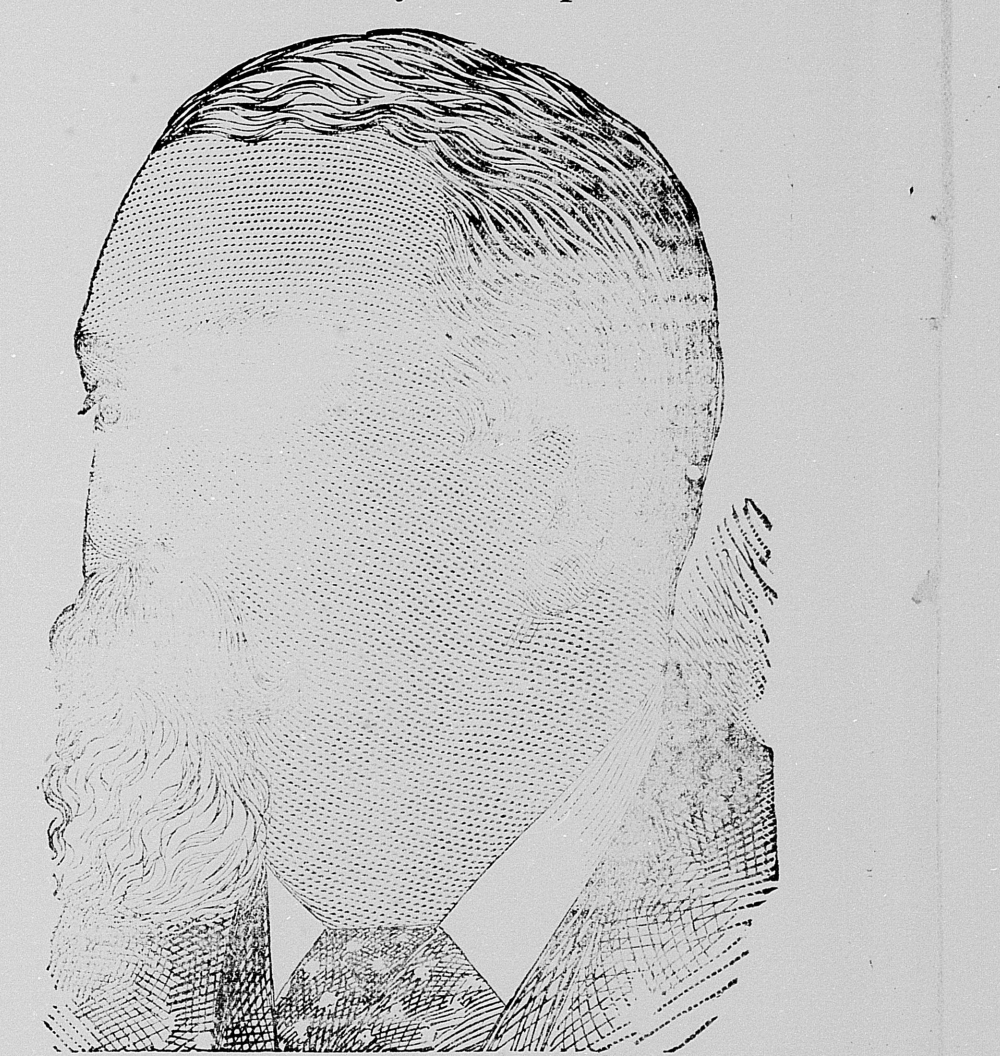
To Be Read Aloud Quickly.
As I was going down the street I saw two bootblacks. One was a black bootblack and the other a white bootblack, and both had black boots, as well as blacking and brushes. The black bootblack asked the white bootblack to black his, the black bootblack's, black boots with blacking. The white bootblack consented to black the black boots of the black bootblack with blacking, but when he, the white bootblack, had blacked one black boot of the black bootblack with blacking, he, the white bootblack, refused to black his, the black bootblack's, other black boot with blacking unless he, the black bootblack, paid him, the white bootblack, the same as what he, the white bootblack, got for blacking other people's black boots, whereupon the black bootblack grew still blacker in the face, called the white bootblack a blackguard, at the same time hitting the white bootblack with the black boot that he, the white bootblack, had already blacked with blacking.—Philadelphia Press.

Game of Grace Hoops.
One of the prettiest outdoor games of this season is the revival of the old fashioned game of grace hoops. One way of playing it is for each player to have two sticks, one in each hand, and throw the hoop from one to the other, catching them on the stick. This is graceful sport and excellent exercise. Another way is with a center pole. A tall pine tree is used to good advantage. It should be cut off about five feet from the ground so that its top is stocky. The side branches are then trimmed a little, and the hoops will fall on them easily. The grace hoops are made of light wood, are about 2 feet across and are covered or wound with flowers, each hoop being decorated with a different flower. After all the players have thrown the floral hoops upon the pine tree they let them hang until the score has been counted, then the prizes are given to those whose hoops hang highest on the pine pole.

Quality, Not Place.
Said A, "Where'er I stand between the letters B and D, I'm in the midst of all that's bad, As you may plainly see."
"How strange!" said merry, laughing B. "When I between them am, I'm tucked up comfortably in B-D And happy as a clam."
"It's quality within ourselves," Then mused the letter A. "And not the place we occupy That makes us sad or gay."
—Mrs. H. M. Greenleaf in St. Nicholas.

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