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Did Not Do the Business of Former Years—Not Many Left From This City.

Lack of summer weather has made this season's excursion business to Michigan and northern Indiana resorts from Richmond probably the poorest in recent years, excepting that of three years ago. Railroads and the summer hotel men have suffered alike. Reports from points all along the G. R. & I. road which feeds great summer resort territory are all to the same effect, that hotels have been only partly filled, and that the guests were only those who had the "lake habit" of long years' standing.

Three years ago this summer the cool weather kept at home many who had been in the habit of spending the summer at the lake resorts. Passenger traffic of all the north and south roads suffered as a consequence, and special and Sunday excursions were poorly patronized. This summer has seen practically a repetition of the same thing, although the St. Louis Exposition has been blamed in part for this year's conditions.

At Lake Wawasee, on the line of the Baltimore & Ohio, in northeast Indiana, one large hotel reported not more than half the usual number of guests, and campers were chiefly conspicuous for the lack of their tents and camp fires. At Lake Maxinkuckee, on the line of the Terre Haute & Logansport (Vandalia), the same condition was reported while at all Michigan points the cool weather had its effect in keeping down the numbers of summer visitors. Both of these resorts have always been well patronized by Richmond people.

Same Reports from All Roads.

The effects on the passenger traffic of all roads that feed this territory have been marked. Without exception they report poor excursion business. Even the special Niagara Falls and Canada excursions have lacked of the patronage upon which railroads usually depend.

The cause is not far to seek when it is remembered that few cities in the middle West have fared any better than Richmond in the way of real summer weather. There have been not more than half a dozen days at the most in which the temperature has gone over 90.

Only Did His Duty as He Saw it.
"I deem it my duty to add a word of praise for Chamberlain's Colic, Chloëra and Diarrhoea Remedy," says J. Wiley Park, the well known merchant and postmaster at Wiley, Ky. "I have been selling it for three or four years, and it gives complete satisfaction. Several of my customers tell me they would not be without it for anything. Very often, to my knowledge, one single dose has cured a severe attack of diarrhoea, and I positively know that it will cure the flux (dysentery). You are at liberty to use this testimonial as you please," Sold by A. G. Luken & Co. and W. H. Sudhoff, Fifth and Main street.

World's Fair excursion tickets to St. Louis will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines at approximately one cent per mile each Tuesday and Thursday until September 29th, valid in coaches of through trains, good returning within seven days. These are the lowest fares at which Word's Fair excursion tickets to St. Louis are sold. Fifteen day tickets, sixty day tickets and season tickets sold daily at reduced fares, good in sleeping or parlor cars with required Pullman tickets. For full information consult C. W. Elmer, ticket agent.

Through Car Service via Hamilton to Cincinnati.

The C. C. & L. have arranged for through car service from Richmond via Cottage Grove and C. H. & D. to Cincinnati—this in addition to their own through service via C. C. & L. direct. Through car leaves Richmond 4:05 p. m. daily except Sunday running via College Corner, Oxford and Hamilton arriving Cincinnati 6:10 p. m. This service greatly reduces the present running time into Cincinnati, the run now being made in two hours and five minutes.

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YEARLY MEETING

To Celebrate the One Hundredth Anniversary.

One interesting thing in connection with this year's session of the Indiana yearly meeting is that it will mark the one hundredth anniversary of the establishing of Quaker meetings within the boundaries of the present Indiana meeting.

The first settlement of Friends in the limits of what was afterward Indiana Yearly Meeting was near Waynesville, Warren county, Ohio. This was in 1800, but there were no regular quarterly meetings on an established footing until four years afterward. In 1804 the Miami monthly meeting was established, and the growth of the body began at that time. From 1804 to 1807, according to the records of the meeting, the Miami body grew rapidly.

There were nearly 2,000 members before the "setting off" of any other monthly meetings. At this period the Miami meeting was bounded on the east by the Hocking river and on the south by the Ohio. North and West there were no limits established and in consequence the Quakers living in this county and in other Indiana counties along the Ohio line affiliated with Miami. In 1807, 1808 and 1809 many monthly meetings were established, including Whitewater, in Wayne county, in the later years. Quarterly meetings followed, the first being Miami at Waynesville in 1809, from which West Branch meeting was "set off" in 1812. Both were established by the authority of the Baltimore (Md.) Yearly Meeting. Ohio Yearly Meeting was formed in 1812 by taking off a part of the territory previously belonging to the Baltimore body. All Friends in Indiana and Ohio were members of the Ohio meeting, and this continued until 1821, when the growth of the Friends became so great that the Indiana Meeting was established.

It has developed that during the session of the yearly meeting decisive action of some sort will be taken relative to the suggestion made a year ago that the churches of Indiana unite in calling on the coming session of the legislature to make the divorce laws more stringent. A committee appointed at last year's session of the Indiana Yearly Meeting will report that numerous other church denominations will co-operate with the Friends in the work, and a proposition will be made to have the friends call a meeting in Indianapolis early in December to take formal action. The Lutherans, Presbyterians, United Presbyterians and the Baptists have signified their intentions to send delegates to the meeting. Judge Henry C. Fox, of the Wayne Circuit Court, recently wrote an opinion as to his ideas of what the divorce laws of Indiana should be, and the Friends unite in commanding the step he has taken. It is expected that the features embodied in Judge Fox's suggestion as to a new divorce law will be included in the recommendation that will be made to the legislature.

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Heavy Blankets, 10-4 size, this week, 60c.

Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits, \$1.25 kind, \$1.00; \$1.00 value, 80c.

Men's heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers, others get 40c and 50c for them—we sell 'em this week for 30c.

Men's and boys' heavy fleeced Shirts, worth 40c, this week 25c.

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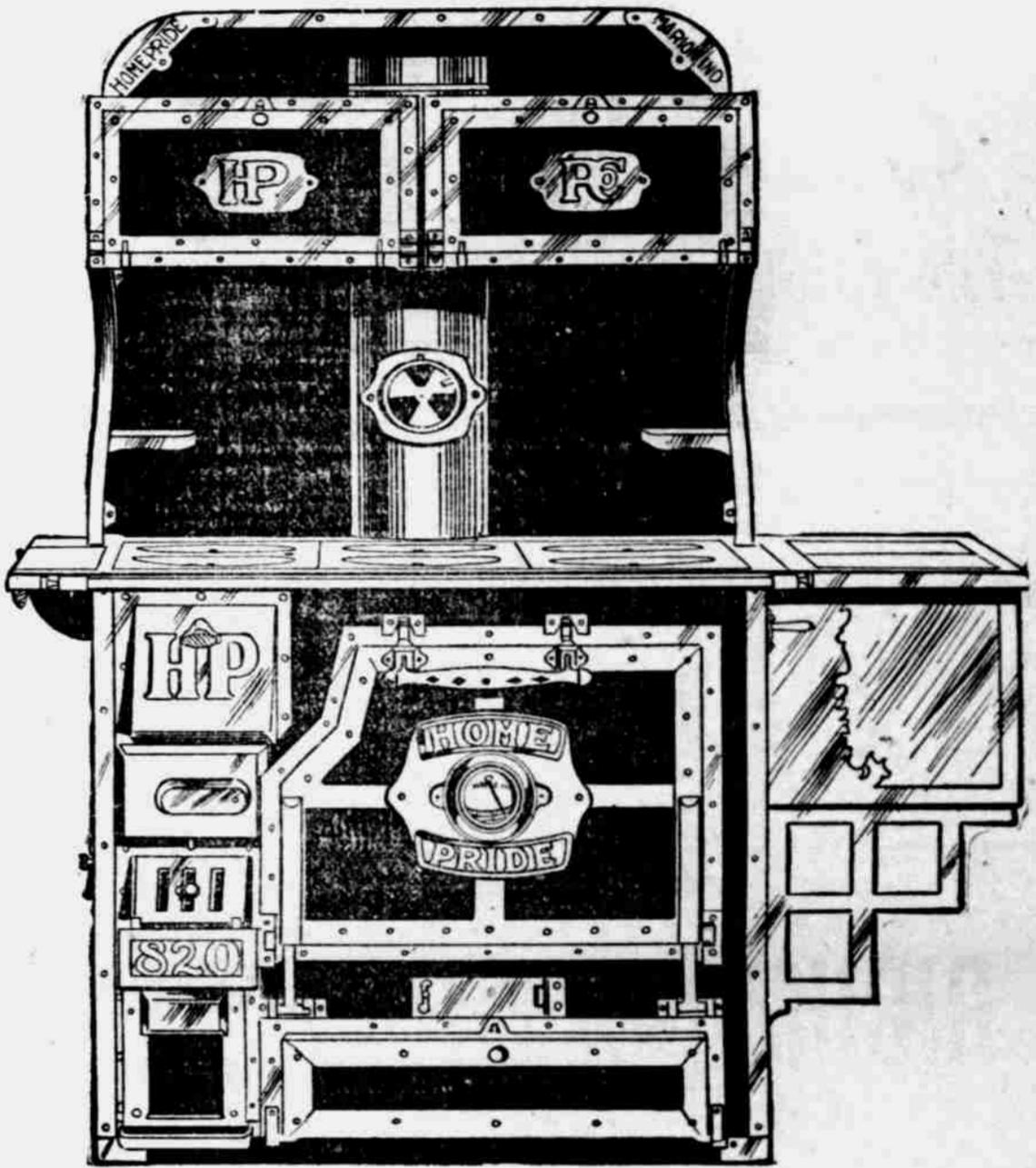
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