

ACTION OF BOARD MEETS WITH FAVOR

Establishment of Pool and Billiards in Y. M. C. A. Generally Sanctioned.

OBJECTIONS MADE ARE FEW

LOCAL BUSINESS MAN CENSURES THOSE WHO ARE OPPOSING PLAYING OF GAMES IN PUBLIC INSTITUTION.

"What's the use of this contention about pool and billiard tables in the Y. M. C. A.?" asked a business man this morning. "Now don't put my name in print, but I tell you there would be a whole lot more sense in this matter, if some of these folks who are opposing these games would clean up their own yards instead of hunting up other things to raise a fuss about," he continued.

The announcement some time ago that pool and billiard tables would be installed was greeted with disfavor by certain of the donors of funds for the Y. M. C. A., and they have not hesitated to make their positions known to the directors.

But the directors do not see the alleged evil that it was tried to point out to them, and the tables have been ordered. Practically every young man in the city, who displayed any activity whatsoever in the Y. M. C. A., project favors billiards and pool and claim the institution will not fill the required demands unless these games are permitted. These young men gave liberally of their means and were the most aggressive in the campaign for funds. They feel grateful to the directors for their decision in the matter and uphold them against whatever exceptions are taken.

The young men, who play the games are not firm in the opinion that there is no harm in them. At the present time the only pool tables for public use are to be found at the cigar stores or in the rear rooms of saloons. The young men who delight in playing the games can find no other place to play them and have to accept the environment. It is pointed out by those persons, who take exceptions, that young men may learn to play pool and billiards in the Y. M. C. A. and later go to the other places to play and indirectly the Y. M. C. A. is made responsible for the fact.

It was not expected the agitation over the installation of the tables would be made public and that it has been is regretted by the real friends of the game, who will be members of the association.

Brutalities at Sea.
Aval punishment meted out to a brutally severe in the seventeenth century. They marooned—that is, they set a man ashore alone on a desolate coast or island and left him to starve, to be destroyed by savages or wild beasts. They kept him—that is, they dragged a man naked by yardarm whips under the bottom of the ship and drew him up raw and bloody with the harsh wounding of barbed and spikely whips. The only way to be submerged and the unhappy maroon could fetch a full breath. They nailed a man to the mainmast by driving a knife through his hand. For murder (that was often manslaughter) they tied the living to the dead, back to back, and threw them overboard.

The Meanest Ad.
A clerk in the advertising department of a newspaper called a reporter to him.

"Here is the meanest ad.," he said, "in my long experience. It was handed in by a very pretty girl. When I read it I could hardly keep from saying to her, 'Ain't you ashamed?'"

"If the gentleman who lent a brown raincoat to a young lady in the park on Sunday afternoon during the storm will apply to the butler at 2177 Peanut street, he can have the coat back upon payment of the cost of this advertisement."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Best Stomach Remedy Free

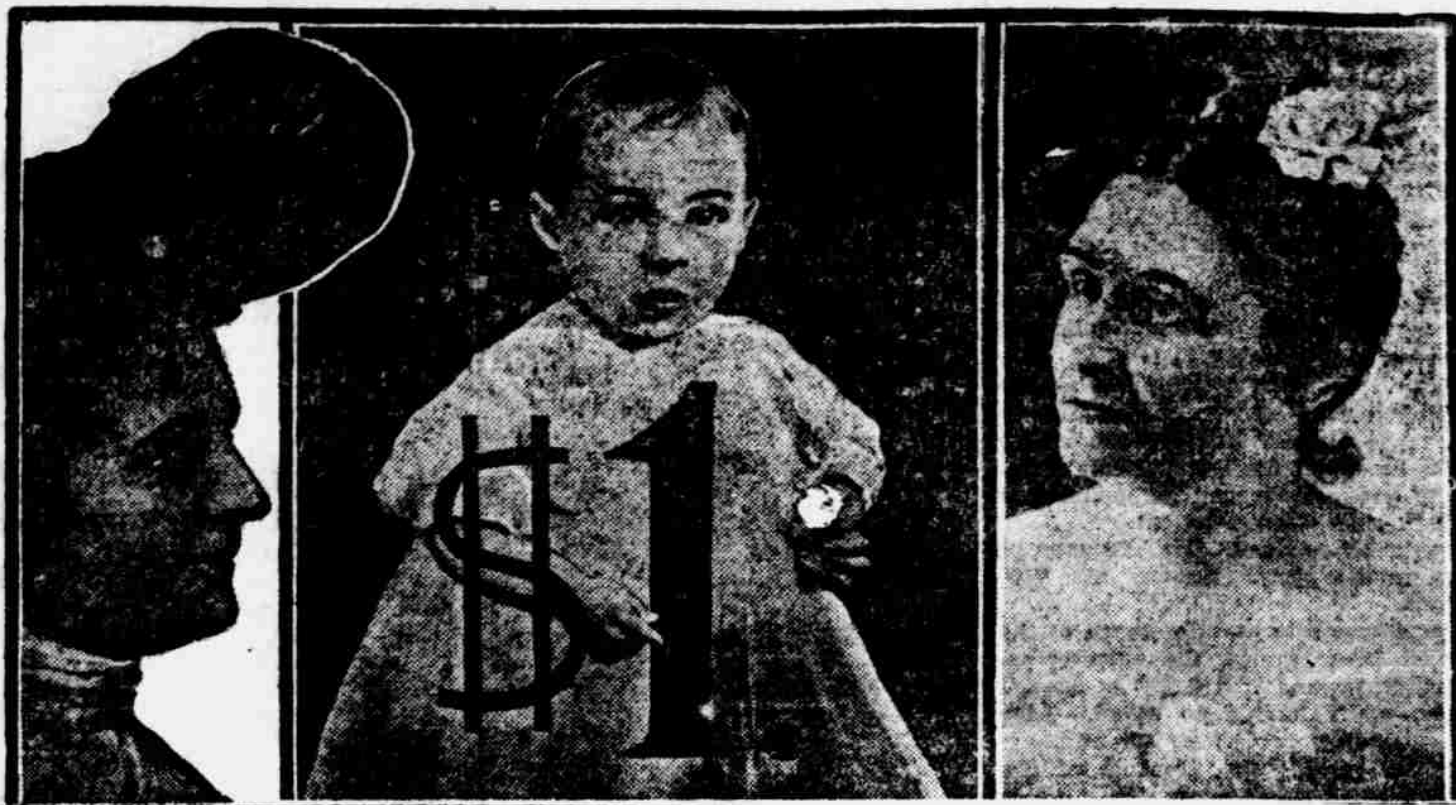
It is an old saying that if the stomach is sound the whole body is safe, because so much depends upon the proper working of the stomach. Many persons find themselves with a disorder of the stomach which produces dyspepsia or a peculiar state of biliousness.

If you suffer from both stomach trouble and constipation you are on the way to a very serious disease. From such conditions come appendicitis, rheumatism, skin diseases and similar disorders. Because the waste matter that should have been expelled from the system through the bowels has found its way into the blood and vitiated it. What is needed at this point is not simply a violent cathartic tablet or salt, which usually does more harm than good, but a gentle laxative, one like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which people have used for these ailments for nearly a quarter of a century. It cures J. C. Latham of Kansas, Mo., of stomach trouble of long standing, also William Voll, of 903 Ellis-st., Louisville, Ky., who had the trouble for fifteen years.

However, if you have stomach trouble you want to know from personal experience what Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do for you. If so, send your name to the doctor and a free trial bottle will be sent you. You are urged to send for the free bottle, the reason from it will be the best recommendation of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Then you will do as over two million people did last year—go to your druggist and buy a regular bottle at 50 cents or \$1. according to the size you prefer. We could mention hundreds and hundreds of families who are never without it. You can never tell when some member of the family will need a laxative, and then no time should be lost taking Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 504 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.

MOTHER THOUGHT BABE WORTH NO MORE THAN ONE DOLLAR.



Little Harry LeDeaf, the 22 mo. old year old baby, whose mother, shown to the left, sold him to his grandmother, Mrs. Grisel La Ricard, of New York, for \$1.

SOCIAL NEWS

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A dinner party was given last evening by Mr. S. S. Stratton, Jr., at his home on North Fifteenth street. The affair was complimentary to Mr. Frank Braffett, the ushers and other attendants at the Braffett-Parrow wedding which takes place tomorrow evening at the Reid Memorial church. The guests were: Mr. Milton Craighead, Mr. Earl Gaar, Mr. Elmer Eggeneyer, Mr. Robert Stinson, Mr. E. B. Needham, of Charleston, W. Va., Mr. J. Y. Poundstone. The dining-room was attractively decorated, the color scheme red and white being carried out in all the table appointments. A large number of Richmond roses added to the beauty of the embellishments. Cards of a dainty design designated the places for each guest.

Mrs. Claude Addleman and Mrs. Charles Kuhlman entertained in a charming manner last evening at the home of Mrs. Addleman, West Pearl street. The affair was in honor of Miss Clara Faumann, whose engagement to Mr. Fred Erk has been announced. The dining room was attractively decorated with pink carnations. Ferns and festoons of smilax added to the beauty of this apartment. About twenty guests were present. Music and social conversation were features of the evening. Later a luncheon in three courses was served. Carnations were given as favors.

Miss Edith Stanton Brown will go to Richmond the latter part of the week, where she will play for the opening meeting of the matinee musicale of that place.—Indianapolis Star.

The musical will be given Friday evening in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church by the Music Study club. This will be the initial meeting of the club. A number of guests will attend.

The Spring Grove Sewing circle is meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Mary Stevens at her home in Spring Grove.

Mrs. William L. Morgan, who has been in Baxter Springs, Kans. since last April, has returned home.

Mrs. Alice Mendenhall, of Indianapolis, who has been spending a few days in this city has returned home.

Mr. William Macy and Miss Macy have returned to their home in Lewisville, Ind., after a few days' visit here.

The following clipping from the Indianapolis Star is of interest, as several of the guests are well known locally:

"A surprise birthday party was given Saturday evening by a number of friends of Miss Nellie O'Connell, who returned home last week from Chicago, after a stay of several weeks. The house was prettily decorated with garlands of green and white and fragrant flowers were used in vases in the various rooms. On the mantels and tables brass candlesticks held green tapers. The guests included Miss Bertha Kirkhoff, Miss Helen Colbert, Miss Marie Colbert, Miss Julia Colbert, Miss Mary Senneloff, Miss Irene Oshime, Miss Edith Powers, Miss Anna Lavery, Miss Josephine Kirkhoff, and Miss Helen Keblor.

The card party which was to have been given this morning at the Country club house, was postponed on account of the Fall festival. The party will be given Tuesday morning, October thirteenth.

Mrs. W. W. Gaar who has been spending the summer in Chicago, will attend the convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution which is to be held at Muncie next week. Mrs. Gaar is regent of the Richmond Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The October meeting of the Young ladies' Mission circle of the First Christian church was not held last evening. A meeting will be held Monday evening, October twelfth, with Mrs. T. H. Kuhn at her home, 30 South Thirteenth street.

Miss Rachel Wright of Indianapolis will come today to be the guest of Miss Ruth Mashmeyer of South Fourteenth street during the Fall Festival.

Miss Mary Taggart is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and family

of Central avenue, Indianapolis, for a few days.

Mr. William Weeks of Richmond will come the latter part of the week to remain for a short time with friends here.—Indianapolis Star.

Miss Mabel Culbertson of North Sixth street gave a small dinner party Sunday evening at the Country club house.

Mrs. Charles Kolp and daughter, Elizabeth have returned from a two weeks' stay in New York. Mrs. Kolp has been taking a special course in dancing and has learned a number of beautiful dances. Mrs. Kolp was under the instruction of Carl Marwig, the finest ballet dancer in this country. Mr. Marwig goes to Washington once each week to give lessons to the Roosevelt children.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Swift at her home on South Twelfth street. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Thomas Clark and children of Parker City were entertained in a delightful manner Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Turman, at their home on North Sixteenth street. The function was in the nature of a dinner party. An elegant dinner in six courses was served to the following guests: Misses Margaret Henshaw, Anna Otto, Elizabeth Sieber, Mary Jurgens, Mrs. Jennie Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Mutchner, and family, Mrs. Margaret Turman, Mr. and Mrs. Kleihofer and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Turman and family.

Mrs. Clark and children left this morning for Seattle, Washington, which place they will make their future home.

The wedding of Miss Clara Faumann and Mr. Fred Erk will take place Wednesday, October 21.

Mrs. Daisy Barr of Fairmount, Indiana, who has been attending the Yearly Meeting has returned home.

The Domestic Science association will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the lecture room of the Reid Memorial church. All members of the organization and guests who are in the city attending the fall festival are cordially invited to attend this meeting. Dr. J. A. Rondthaler will be the speaker for the afternoon.

There will be an ice cream festival at school No. 1, Washington township Friday evening, October 9. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the school library. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Alice Markley entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Markley Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Markley will leave soon for Omaha, Neb., where they will probably make their future home.

The Way They Do in Holland.
Holland is not a poor country. As a matter of fact, it is the third richest proportionately of all Europe. Its wealth is forcibly spread over its tiny surface. For lawmaking has prevented undue accumulation and quashed the small capitalist. When the father or mother dies, the farm, business, whatever the little property may happen to be, is at once cut up, smashed to pieces, flung on the market at any price. The proceeds are compulsorily divided among the children. Therefore the country contains many an idle household with just enough to live upon, unwilling to earn more. It contains, however, a far greater number with a little, insufficient capital of their own.—Argonaut.

Sassenach Humorist (amusing him self at expense of highland caddies)—Hoits, ye ken, na wee bit laddie, you was nae so muckle bad a shot the noo. What think ye?

The Bli Laddie—Eh! Ah'm thinkin' ye'll learn Scotch quicker's ye'll ever learn golf.—

"What ails me, doc?" asked the general clinician.

"You need a job. You're suffering from overrest."—Kansas City Journal.

HASKELL GETS BUSY

Oklahoma Governor Asks the President to Explain Grant Of Indian Land.

DESIRES AN EXPLANATION.

Guthrie, Okla., Oct. 6.—In an open letter addressed to President Roosevelt today Governor C. N. Haskell asks the President to explain certain transactions in connection with the granting of a lease on 680,000 acres of Osage Indian lands to the Prairie Oil and Gas Company in July, 1906. Governor Haskell says, in part:

"In a recent communication I requested of you information concerning the granting of a lease in July, 1906, to the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil Company, a Standard Oil Company subordinate, on 680,000 acres of land belonging to the Osage Indian tribe in this state. In otherwise answering that communication you entirely omitted this important question. From careful investigation, however, the facts as they appear to me are as follows:

"In 1896 a lease was made by the Washington authorities to one Edwin B. Foster, covering practically the entire Osage nation. At that time there was no oil production or development, probably nearer than the State of Indiana so that the lease was made for so long a period as ten years in order to give time for development. Foster transferred his rights to the above named company."

Traces Oil Land Leases.
Continuing, Governor Haskell traces the development of the oil land leasing industry as affected by regulations promulgated by Congress with the intention of showing how the granting of a lease on such an immense area of land as 680,000 acres was virtually the creation of a monopoly.

In regard to the passage in 1905 of a rider on the general appropriation bill, authorizing the President to make a new or extended lease, the letter relates that a number of conferences were held between President Roosevelt and Messrs. Guffey and Barnsdale, of Pennsylvania. Standard Oil agents, Governor Haskell charges the President with refusing to grant Osage Indian representatives with a consultation while negotiating at length with Standard Oil agents. The letter continues:

"It is a low estimate, Mr. President to say that you should have obtained for them a one-sixth royalty of the production and in addition to that a very moderate estimate, at least \$70,000 cash bonus, or a greater equivalent royalty and then their subleasing to actual operators in small tracts would have left the Standard Oil Company a handsome profit. Instead a fabulous sum beyond the comprehension of ordinary minds. Did you get them any such sum. No. You got them only a bare one-eighth royalty."

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IN THE WOMAN'S WORLD.

What They Are Doing—Little Things of Interest.

MRS. EGERTON CASTLE.

How This Favorite Author and Her Husband Plan Their Stories.

Although a favorite author nowadays has to submit to almost as much cross questioning as to his life and habits and haunts as a favorite actor, there is comparatively little known about the wives of many successful writers. Quite different is the life of the help-mates of the literary stars from that of the wives of the stage, who so often are in the same profession as their husbands, acting in the same or rival companies, and who so often find their paths unduly rough. As a rule, the wives of authors live on terms of the most delightful comradeship with their husbands and, while interested and indirectly assisting in their work, are not in the majority of cases rivals in the trade. In some few cases, notably

may be worked in MacMillan effect throughout the entire space.

Sometimes the lace squares are inset instead of having the work done in the linen itself. This is an attractive way to accomplish a good effect, and the work can be done at home. Medallion pieces of almost any shape, size and pattern can be found in the shops ready to use. Very often the prettiest are picked up in the furnishing department where materials for lace curtains and draperies are kept. Odds and ends of lace found in this department will often work in well for table pieces or for dining room furnishings. It is sometimes possible to gather together enough medallions and strips of lace to fashion a table runner or a side-board cover that is really handsome and far from costly.

All lace pieces are frequently seen and are attractive when used on a polished mahogany table with the gleam of the wood showing through. Just under the center of the decoration where the bowl of flowers rests a pad can be placed to keep the table from being marred or stained.

Circular pieces with radiating lines of darning or drawn work are quickly made and are useful for ordinary purposes.

Fine white linen runners or scarfs for buffet and sideboard, with a band of cluny insertion and a wider edging to match, are decorative and have quite an elaborate air, yet they can be made very simply and are sometimes half or a third the price of circular pieces which have the lace insets designed to suit the piece.

Toast to Women.

There has always been plenty of clever repartee in toast giving at large functions between men and women, but it is not always that there are two wits so easily matched that one can give the retort discourteous to the other in so quick a manner as to bring out applause.

The way in which this was done at a recent dinner is worth repeating, so the toasts are given in drink. They were both uncomplimentary, but it goes without saying that they will be used again and again in a laughing spirit by those who love to play with such lore.

A man who avowed himself a woman hater was asked to give a toast to "lovely women." He responded with these lines:

Here's to the women who are tender!
Here's to the women who are slender!
Here's to the women who have married!
Here's to the women who are married!
Here's to the women who are married!
Here's to the women who are married!

Without a moment's hesitation a girl at the other end of the table got up and gave this toast:

Our sex, you know, was after your designation.
The last perfection of the Maker's mind.
Heaven drew out all the gold for us and left your dress behind.

A Motto.

There is an old saying that should be illuminated and hung in every schoolroom and nursery—"Drive not a second nail till the first is clinched."

If children and girls and boys would get that into their understandings they would not fear examination times, and their brains would be less susceptible.

It may take more trouble to make a thing at first, but it pays in the end. Mastery does not mean learning for a day, but forever. It would not be much of a builder who puts in his nails so fast or so indifferently that the old ones fell out as soon as a new one went in.

Make that motto your own as you start back into a new year of school and see if it does not make study easier and more interesting and reports better.

Salmon Sandwiches.

If a housekeeper has grown tired of the conventional sandwich she should try those made of salmon. They are most palatable.

The salmon is flaked and moistened with mayonnaise and then put as a filling between two extra thin slices of brown bread with the crust cut off.

Sweet sandwiches are also in fashion for luncheons and after theater parties.

The newest ones served by a clever housewife have a filling of candied cherries chopped fine and moistened with orange juice.

Woman Who Compiled a Dictionary.

Though the compiling of a dictionary is a task that even a corps of trained editors undertake with no slight hesitation, a Washington woman, Mrs. George H. Gorham, has just finished the remarkable feat of writing an idiomatic French-English, English-French dictionary entirely unaided.

A Cinnamon Mouth Wash.

A healthful and refreshing mouth wash is made by boiling cinnamon bark in water and mixing it with equal parts of the purest alcohol. This is good both for the gums and teeth and makes the breath more fragrant.

Exactly.

In the parlor there were three—
Girl, the parlor lamp and he.
Two is company, no doubt.
That is why the lamp is out.
—Trinceton Tiger

The Other Guy's Fault.

Mother I hear you were at the foot of the class last week. Tommy Jones—
"Twain's my fault. Johnny Smith, who's always at the foot, was sick at home."—

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OLD VILLAGE LOCKUP.

Quaint Structures For Confinement of Rogues and Vagabonds.

Several villages in the midlands possess in more or less ruined state their old parish lockups, commonly known as roundhouses.

Bredon, a Leicestershire village, close to the South Derbyshire border, possesses its "lockup," a quaint stone building eighteen feet high and eight feet six inches diameter inside. The walls are fifteen inches thick. The door is of stout oak, studded with many large iron nails.

The lock is very strong, and the keyhole is covered with an iron plate, which itself has to be unlocked by a spanner before the door key can be inserted. Ventilation is afforded by small holes punched in an iron plate, six inches by seven, fixed in the center of the door. There is no window.

At Worthington, the next village to Bredon, the old lockup is a seven sided brick building, badly in need of restoration, an opportunity for archaeologists which it is hoped will not be missed. Both at Bredon and Worthington these diminutive disused prisons are on the roadside adjacent to the pound, or pinfold, so that the constable had conveniently side by side the strayed cattle and any human rogues or vagabonds he had charge of. There are similar old lockups at Smeby and Ticknall, two villages close to Leicestershire.—Sheffield (England) Telegraph.

BLUSH IF YOU CAN.

It is a Sign of an Active Brain, Declares a Scientist.

Sir Arthur Mitchell, K. C. B., of Edinburgh, who knows much that is strange about dreams, laughter and other commonplace human characteristics, has advanced the convincing theory that blushing is an achievement of which every one who can blush should be proud.

He says it requires brains to blush. Idiots cannot blush; neither can animals. Sir Arthur calls attention to the fact that tiny infants do not blush, although they learn to do so at an early age—just as soon, in fact, as the brain begins to exercise its functions. In blushing, he says, the mind always must be affected. It is always and only a bodily expression of a mental state.

It is a natural thing for a blusher to say that he had tried not to blush. No individual blusher of his own free will. The blush arises without call instantaneously and vanishes almost as quickly. Neither for its coming nor its going is there any exercise of volition. It is, he declares, Sir Arthur says, solely the brain and is a positive sign that there is an active brain there.—New York World.

Boissier's High Priced Autograph.

A good Boissier-Renan anecdote is told by a French paper. One day Boissier arrived at Renan's home with a beaming face, saying: "Now I'll tell you a piece of news that will humiliate you. My autograph has fetched a higher price than yours." "That does not surprise me," Renan said serenely. "And where did you hear this?" It then turned out that at an auction a day or two before a Renan autograph had been sold for 3 francs and a Boissier for 5. "Well," Renan went on, "now let me tell you the reason. There were three fanes in the spelling of your letter, which is now lying here on my writing table. A friend of mine was at the auction and made a higher bid for the letter after noticing the artificial gems that adorned your prose. He brought it to me in order that I might return it to you instead of reaching the public, which might get a bad impression of the accomplishments of members of the French academy."

The Flight of Birds.

To the average observer of the flight of birds everything is deceptive. To compare the flight of a large bird with a smaller one is especially so. The cormorant of the seacoast seems to be a slow flier, yet he does a mile in one minute and ten seconds. The honeybee seems to travel like a bullet, yet it takes him two minutes to fly one mile. The humming bird does not fly as fast as many slow flapping birds of ungainly bulk. The quail appears to get away more rapidly than does the mallard, but he does not do it.

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