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RICHMOND, INDIANA
"PANIC PROOF CITY"

Has a population of 23,000 and is
growing. It is the county
seat of Wayne county, and the
trading center of a rich agricul-
tural community. Located due east from Indianapolis
69 miles and 4 miles from the
state line.
Richmond is a city of homes
and of industry. Primarily a
manufacturing city, it is also the
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This Is My 57th Birthday

ANDREW LANG.

Andrew Lang, famous as a poet,
critic, classicist and anthropologist,
was born at Selkirk, Scotland, March
31, 1844. He got his academic educa-
tion at Edinburgh and after that at
attended St. Andrew's university. He
finished his work at Balliol college,
Oxford, where he won high honors. In
1868 he was elected a fellow of Mer-
ton college, Oxford, and in 1888 he was
appointed Gifford lecturer at St. An-
drews university on natural religion.
Mr. Lang has not written novels (ex-
cepting part of the writing of "The
World's Desire," in which he collabor-
ated with Rider Haggard), but he has
contributed a small library to critical
literature and his studies in verse
are also regarded as of the highest or-
der. He has made excellent prose
translations of the "Iliad," the "Odys-
sey," and of "Theocritus." Much of
his best work has been published ori-
ginally in daily newspapers. The first
edition of his works are in big demand
among collectors and command very
high prices. Mr. Lang is a noted fish-
erman and has written interesting es-
says on old Izaak Walton.

Four totally different birds in as
many countries are known by the
name of "robin redbreast."

Backing Water

As an instance of the Item's futile trying to appear as bravely following
up the attack of its foreign advertising representative, Mr. Watson, on
the Palladium's circulation, the following article is reproduced:

"LET'S HAVE SOME ACTION!"
To the Editor of the Palladium:—
You say the Item offered \$500 to anyone who could prove the Palladium's
circulation to be within 2,000 of what it claimed and you declare
that you enter the lists for this \$500. Why don't you make your words
good? Why don't you prove it and then sue for it? If you can substan-
tiate all your statements, the remedy is in your hands. The testimony
will be under the sanction of an oath, under the penalty of perjury, and
subject to wholesome cross-examination.

"LET'S HAVE SOME ACTION."
The Palladium acknowledges authorship of the line "Let's Have Some
Action!" and regrets that just such characteristic tactics as the above
are being used by the Item to stave off any action tending to bring about
a circulation investigation.

What craven argument the Item uses! It wants the Palladium by a
suit at law to force the Item management to make good the proposition
attributed to it by that paper's foreign advertising representative, Mr.
Watson, who said in the letter to a foreign advertiser, which the Palladium
printed, that "the publishers of the Item * * offer \$500 in gold
to anyone demonstrating that the Palladium has within 2,000 gross of
what they claim."

The Palladium, rightfully resenting such an imputation of perjury in
its sworn circulation statements, accorded the Item management the privi-
lege of investigating the circulation of this paper, with free and uninter-
fered access to all records and books necessary, only stipulating that, in
event the Item could not prove its claim the "\$500 in gold" should go to
some charity designated by the Palladium. And later even this stipula-
tion was withdrawn, leaving the Item management free to make the in-
vestigation without the necessity of forfeiting the "\$500 in gold."

The Palladium, furthermore, to test just how sincerely the Item
would be for a thorough investigation of the circulation of both papers
made this offer:

If the Item will agree to a full and searching circula-
tion investigation of the Palladium and the Item by a com-
mittee composed of local merchants and a representa-
tive of each newspaper, the results of this investigation to
be published in both papers, and if as a result the Pal-
ladium does not have 2,000 more net paid circulation than
the Item, the Palladium will agree to donate \$500.00 in
gold to any charitable institution, the hospital or the Y.
M. C. A., the members of the investigating committee
designate.

The Item has not only shamefully refused to back up the proposi-
tion imputed to its publishers by Mr. Watson in his letter, but it has also,
by every means under the sun, sought to evade the direct invitation to a
circulation investigation, embodying very stiff conditions for the Palladium,
in the latter paper's proposal.

In a way the Item's attitude in this entire affair reminds one of the
predicament of a certain small-town newspaper publisher. He noticed a
good sized line of foreign advertising appearing and wrote to the agent
handling the account to try and get the business for his paper. The agent
concluded that the rates asked by the publisher were pretty steep, so
wrote asking what the circulation was. This staggered the publisher,
who didn't have much of any circulation, but after scratching about for a
while the following letter was sent back to the agent:

Dear Sir:—The Podunk Bugle circulates in Asia, Africa, Europe and
North and South America, and most of the time I have great difficulty in
keeping it from going to Hades.

Now if the Item can not get up sufficient nerve to back up its for-
eign advertising representative, Mr. Watson, and the statements he made
concerning the Palladium, and, furthermore, to come to the front and agree
to a thorough investigation of the circulations of both papers, it is our ad-
vice that they take a nickel from their "profitable" circulation money
and buy a little red fighting blood to replenish that of imitation nature
which at present appears to be flowing in the Item's veins. If the Item
wants some real fighting blood to raise its courage to the sticking point
for a circulation investigation the Palladium will gladly stand for transfu-
sion to bring about that satisfying result. In other words our circulation is
so good that we don't suffer from cold feet.

HE BROKE HIS LEG
BUT NOT THE EGGS

Though Albert Reber fell and
broke his right leg, a half dozen eggs
he carried in his pockets were unbrok-
en when the man was picked up. Reber
is a baker at Zwissler's, and 45 years
old. The accident happened early this
morning when he slipped on the icy
sidewalk near Eighth and Main streets.

IS ADMINISTRATOR
OF NELSON ESTATE

John Randolph Nelson, son of the
late Freeman Burrows Nelson, who
died on March 19, has been named ad-
ministrator of the estate and has qual-
ified by giving \$3,000 bond, twice the
value of the personal property.

"THIS DATE IN HISTORY"

MARCH 31.
1744—Beginning of a four years war between Great Britain and France.
1811—Robert W. E. Bunsen, inventor of the Bunsen burner, born in Goet-
tingen, Germany. Died in Heidelberg, August 16, 1899.
1833—The treasury building at Washington was destroyed by fire.
1837—First city election held in Chicago.
1838—The French demanded reparation of Mexico for injuries inflicted on
French citizens.
1847—Samuel V. Merrick elected first president of the Pennsylvania rail-
road company.
1850—John C. Calhoun, statesman, died in Washington, D. C. Born in
Abbeville, N. C., March 18, 1782.
1855—Charlotte Bronte, author of "Jane Eyre," died. Born April 21, 1816.
1856—Mexico sequestered the property of the clergy.
1861—Great Britain recognized the new kingdom of Italy.
1865—First day of the battle of Five Forks, Va.
1880—Wabash, Ind., installed as lights, being the first city in America to
adopt electric light for general illumination.
1909—The last American troops evacuated Cuba.
1910—A new Italian cabinet was formed with Luigi Luzzatti as premier.

Food is More Easily Digested
When Rumford is Used

There are two reasons why Rumford Baking Powder
makes food that digests—first, leavens perfectly—it
raises at just the right time and in just the right
manner—second, has a food value itself, adding to
the food the nutritious element necessary to health.
Does not contain Alum.

If you would have palatable, light, delicious and
wholesome food, use

RUMFORD — The —
Wholesome
BAKING POWDER.

MOST CERTAIN WAY TO
END A COLD

It is a positive fact that a dose of
Pape's Cold Compound taken every
two hours until three consecutive
doses are taken will cure Grippe or
break up the most severe cold, either
in the head, chest, back, stomach or
limbs.

You distinctly feel the cold break-
ing and all the disagreeable gripe
symptoms leaving after the very first
dose. It promptly ends the most mis-
erable headache, dullness, head
and nose stuffed up, feverishness,
sneezing, sore throat, running of
the nose, mucous catarrhal discharges,
soreness, stiffness and rheumatic
twinges.

Pape's Cold Compound is the result
of three years' research at a cost of
more than fifty thousand dollars and
contains no quinine, which we have
conclusively demonstrated is not ef-
fective in the treatment of colds or
grippe.

Take this harmless Compound as
directed, with the knowledge that
there is no other medicine made
where else in the world, which will
cure your cold or Grippe misery
as promptly and without any other
assistance or bad after-effects as a
25-cent package of Pape's Cold Com-
pound, which any druggist in the
world can supply.

GATH FREEMAN IS
PAUPER ATTORNEY

Gath Freeman will succeed Will
Reller as pauper attorney of the
Wayne circuit court next Monday. The
appointment was made on Friday by
Judge Fox, in whom this power was
vested by the county commissioners
the first of the year.

The appointment of Mr. Freeman
will be for the April term, which com-
prises six months and will carry with
it a salary of \$150. The pauper at-
torney has charge of the defense of
all criminals who are arraigned in the
circuit court and who are too poor to
engage counsel for their defense. The
office was created for the purpose of
giving every one the benefit of his or
her inherited rights under the con-
stitution.

MASONIC CALENDAR

April 1, 1911. Loyal Chapter, No.
49, O. E. S. Stated meeting; work in
Floral degree.

Blow of a Whale's Tail.
Ask ten persons what is the strongest
animal force in the world and nine will
reply that it is the blow of a lion's
paw. The tenth man may express the
belief, based on experience, that it is
the kick of a Missouri mule. As a
matter of fact the blow of a whale's
tail is incomparably the strongest an-
imal force. A blow delivered by a full
grown whale placed at just the right
distance would smash in the side of a
wooden ship as though it were an egg-
shell. The second strongest force is
the kick of a giraffe, and this terrible
kick is adequate protection to these
otherwise helpless animals. The stroke
of the lion's paw comes third on the
list.—Harper's Weekly.

"The Liver Pills act
So Naturally and
Easily."

Such a statement, coming from
the cashier of a bank, shows what
confidence responsible people have
in these pills. Mr. A. L. Wilson
after trying them wrote:

"I have used Dr. Miles' Nerve
and Liver Pills and also your
Anti-Pain Pills, on myself, with
good results. The Liver Pills
act so naturally and so easily
that I scarcely know that I
have taken a pill. Frequently
being troubled with headache I
take an Anti-Pain Pill and get
immediate relief in every case."
A. L. Wilson, Sparta, Ill.
Mr. Wilson was for a number
of years cashier of the First
National Bank of Sparta.

Dr. Miles'
Nerve and Liver Pills

are different from others. Many
kinds of liver pills are "impossible"
after one trial on account of their
harshness. Dr. Miles' Nerve and
Liver Pills do not act by sheer force
but in an easy, natural way, with-
out griping or undue irritation.
They are not habit forming.

If the first bottle fails to benefit, your
druggist will return the price. Ask him.
MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

BUY A
WAVERLY Electric

Harry Wood
AGENT—Phone 3044

Heart to Heart
Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

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WAIT!

These are real life stories:
A young man, the youngest and favor-
ite son of an old mother, wanted to go
to China as a missionary—a laudable
ambition.

His mother was infirm and needed
his care and attention. She begged
him to wait until she was gone. "Then
you will be free," she said. And his
answer was:

"I belong to God."
He acted as if he did not belong to
any one. He stepped over his moth-
er's prayers and went to the mission
field. Shortly after his departure his
mother died in an insane asylum.

Another:
Two daughters of a feeble old moth-
er announced to her that they intended
to change their religion, which they
had a right to do.

But the mother could not see the
matter from their viewpoint. She was
too old to change her religious feelings.
She entreated her girls to wait until
she passed away.

The daughters did not wait. They
disregarded the plea of the old mother.
She was prostrated and is on the verge
of death.

One more:
A worthy old man of eighty years
lived in an Iowa village. His daughter,
who was a widow, determined to move
to California. The father pleaded that
she wait the short time he might have
to live.

The daughter was obdurate. She
offered to take the old man with her,
but he said he could not leave his
friends of a lifetime.

The daughter went to the coast.
Two weeks afterward the father died.
These are not pretty stories.

How many heathen will that boy
have to convert before he feels that
he did right in sending his mother to
the insane asylum? Will the comfort
of the new religion compensate the
daughters for sending a dagger to
mother's heart? And will that daugh-
ter in California enjoy the flowers
when she remembers that she sent her
father prematurely to his grave?

Ah, child of some one, can you not
accompany the rest of the way those
who have come so far with you?

Wait!
You need not wait long.
Wait, I pray you.

STOCKHOLDERS ASK
FOR A NEW TRIAL

Florence Bowmaster and a number
of other stockholders in the defunct
Wayne Oil company, now in the hands
of a receiver, and who were ordered
recently to pay up in full their stock
subscriptions, in order that the mon-
ey might be distributed among the

creditors of the company, have peti-
tioned Judge Fox of the circuit court
for a new trial. The previous trial
held several years ago, but which was
not finally determined until about a
month ago, resulted in a decision con-
trary to law and the evidence, accord-
ing to the motion for a new trial. If
another trial is denied, it is probable
an appeal to the appellate court will
be taken.

Spring Debility

Is due to the debilitating weather of the season,
and to the impure, impoverished, devitalized
condition of the blood caused by too close con-
finement, too little outdoor air and exercise, too
heavy diet during the winter.
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