U. P. TIME TABLE.

GOING EAST.

No. 8—Atlantic Express	Dept 12:30	A. M.
No. 6—Chicago Express	" 6:40	A. M.
No. 4—Fast Mail	8 55	A. M.
No. 2—Limited	" 10:40	A. M.
No. 28—Freight	" 7:50	A. M.
No. 18—Freight	" 6:00	P. M.
No. 22—Freight	" 4:05	A. M.

GOING WEST—MOUNTAIN TIME.

No. 7—Pacific Express	Dept 8:55	A. M.
No. 5—Denver Express	" 10:20	P. M.
No. 3—Fast Mail	" 1:00	A. M.
No. 1—Limited	" 10:00	P. M.
No. 21—Freight	" 4:05	P. M.
No. 23—Freight	" 8:10	A. M.

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LAND OFFICE NOTICES.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 20, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on July 8th, 1893, viz: Wilhelm Wendeborn, who made H. E. No. 13,997, for the east half of the southwest quarter and the south half of the southeast quarter of section 24, twp. 13, range 32 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Frederick Koehn, Christopher Haverland, Henry Cordes and Joseph Spies, all of North Platte, Nebr.

A. S. BALDWIN,
Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May, 26th, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on July 7, 1893, viz: Henry Kress, who made H. E. No. 11,376 for the northwest quarter section 20, township 13 north, range 32 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John Fye, of North Platte, Neb.; Jacob H. Fye, of North Platte, Neb.; Robert D. Kneeshaw, of Hershey, Neb.; and Millard McKellips, of Hershey, Neb.

A. S. BALDWIN,
Register.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Christ Rerup, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of William Neville, Judge of the District Court of Lincoln county, Neb., made on the 27th day of May, 1893, for the sale of the real estate hereinafter described, there will be sold at the east front door of the court house, in North Platte, Nebraska, on the 24th day of June, 1893, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, subject to existing liens, the following described real estate to-wit: The south half of the southwest quarter of section 32, in township 13 north of range 29 west and the east half of the southwest quarter and lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, in section 6, in township 12 north of range 29 west; said lands being subject to one first mortgage of $1200.00 given to the Lombard Investment Company and being subject to a second mortgage given to said Company upon which two mortgages there is due and unpaid the sum of $1270.00, also subject to the taxes for the year 1890, 1891, 1892 and 1893. Said sale will remain open one hour.

Dated May 27th, 1893.

JOHN HOLLMAN,
Administrator of the estate of Christ Rerup, deceased. 213

TAKEN UP.

Taken up on the 15th of May, 1893, on section 20, town 14, range 32, in Lincoln county, Nebraska, by the undersigned who there resides, one light bay gelding, four white feet, some white in face, black mane and tail, weight about 800; no brand. The owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

Dated May 18th, 1893. G. H. SISSON.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued by W. C. Elder, clerk of the District court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon decrees rendered by said court in favor of S. G. Hubbard and against Melvin Wood and Lydia S. Wood, I have levied upon the following described real estate as the property of the said Melvin Wood and Lydia S. Wood, to-wit: The north half of the northwest quarter (N. ½ of N. W. ¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Nine (9), Range Thirty (30) west, of Sixth Principal Meridian, in Lincoln county, Nebraska, and I will on the 8th day of July, 1893, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the court house of said county, in North Platte, Nebraska, sell said real estate at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy said order of sale, the amount due thereon in the aggregate being the sum of $63.50 and $19.53 costs and probable increase costs, with interests on said decrees.

Dated at North Platte, Neb., this 29th day of May, 1893.

215 D. A. BAKER, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued by W. C. Elder, clerk of the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon decrees rendered by said court in favor of The Investors Company (a corporation) and against Marion Pollock and Sarah Pollock, I have levied upon the following described real estate as the property of the said Marion Pollock and Sarah Pollock, to-wit: The northeast quarter (N. E. ¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Ten (10) north, of Range Twenty-nine (29) west, of the Sixth Principal Meridian, and I will on the 8th day of July, 1893, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the court house of said county, in North Platte, Nebraska, sell said real estate at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy said order of sale, the amount due thereon in the aggregate being the sum of $180.80, and $33.73 costs, and probable increase costs, with interest, on said decrees.

Dated at North Platte, Neb., this 29th day of May, 1893.

215 D. A. BAKER, Sheriff.

TAKEN UP.

Taken up on the 18th day of May 1893, on section 22, town 13, range 30, Lincoln county, Nebraska, by the undersigned who there resides, one bay mare marked ——, left hind foot white, scar on left shoulder, about ten years old, weight about 1,000.

The owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges.

Dated May 17, 1893.

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The attentions and entertainments lavished upon the Infanta are out of all proportion to the strength of the Spanish vote in this country. If Eulalie were an Irish Princess we could understand it all much better.—Ex.

Karl's Clover Root, the new Blood Purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures Constipation. 25c., 50c. and $1.00. Sold by North Platte Pharmacy.

In order to keep faith with the Louisiana planters the republicans in congress probably will vote against the repeal of the sugar bounty, but as the democrats have a majority in both branches the bounty may have to go.—Globe-Democrat.

Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for Dyspepsia, Torpid Liver, Yellow Skin or Kidney Trouble. It is guaranteed to give you satisfaction. Price 75c. Sold by North Platte Pharmacy.

The city council of Fremont has decided that bicycles must be taxed. As a large part of the wealth of the the country is being invested in "wheels" there seems to be no good reason why they should not be taxed the same as sewing machines and other fixtures.

Fifty cents is a small doctor bill, but that is all it will cost you to cure any ordinary case of rheumatism if you use Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Try it and you will be surprised at the prompt relief it affords. The first application will quiet the pain. 50 cent bottles for sale by A. F. Streitz, Druggist.

What a Prominent Insurance Man Says

H. M. Blossom, senior member of H. M. Blossom & Co., 217 N. 3d St., St. Louis, writes: I had been left with a very distressing cough, the result of influenza, which nothing seemed to relieve, until I took *Ballard's Horehound Syrup*. One bottle completely cured me. I sent one bottle to my sister, who had a severe cough, and she experienced immediate relief. I always recommend this syrup to my friends.

John Cranston, 903 Hampshire street, Quincy, Illinois, writes: I have found *Ballard's Horehound Syrup* superior to any other cough medicine I have ever known. It never disappoints. Price 50c. Sold be A. F. Streitz. 2 1

Omaha has procured for her electrician a photometer, which enables him to measure the power of the electric lights furnished by the electric light company. Tests made so far show that the so called 2,000 candle lights are equal in power only to from 700 to 1,100 candles. There probably will be some high kicking done in Omaha.

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

This Liniment is different in composition from any other liniment on the market. It is a scientific discovery which results in it being the most penetrating Liniment ever known. There are numerous white imitations, which may be recommended because they pay the seller a greater profit. Beware of these and demand *Ballard's Snow Liniment*. It positively cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises, Wounds, Cuts, Sciatic and Inflammatory Rheumatism, Burns Scalds, Sore Feet, Contracted Muscles, Stiff Joints, Old Sores, Pain in Back, Barb Wire Cuts, Sore Chest or Throat, and is especially beneficial in Paralysis. Sold y A. F. Streitz. 2 2

The keen Norwegian explorer, Dr. Nansen, who is soon to start on another expedition to the North pole, has been preparing himself for coming hardships by sleeping as often as possible during the winter in a tent on his place near Christiania. Several members of his expedition have endeavored to to harden themselves by passing the nights in the open air with only wolf skins as coverings.

At the international sanitary conference held last March in Dresden the representatives of ten nations signed an agreement by which the governments are bound to make public announcement of the appearance of cholera in any place under their jurisdiction with statistics of mortality. Among the countries whose representatives signed this paper are Germany, France, and Russia.

Are you insured? If not, now is the time to provide yourself and family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy as an insurance against any serious results from an attack of bowel complaint during the summer months. It is almost certain to be needed and should be procured at once. No other remedy can take its place or do its work. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. F. Streitz, Druggist.

W. J. Frey put a want advertisement in a Chicago paper (The Inter Ocean) for rooms while attending the world's fair. In two mails yesterday he received about eight hundred answers to his advertisement, and the letters continued to pour in. This shows that there is a considerable competition in the boarding-house business in Chicago. The offers to rent rooms to Mr. Frey were all at reasonable rates.—Findlay (Ohio) Republican.

A VISIT TO THE ORIENT

Picturesque Street Scene From Cairo at Chicago.

THE WILY ARAB AS A SHOWMAN.

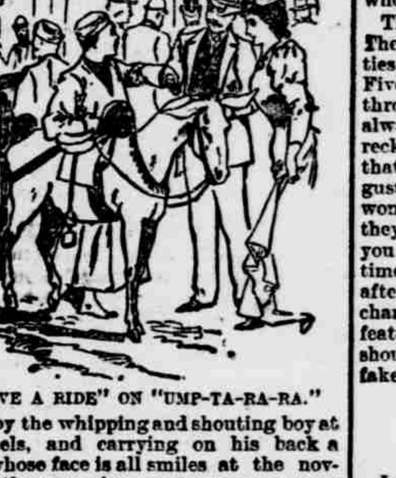
He Knows How to Charm Quarters and Dollars From the Pockets of American Visitors—Fun Along the Street—The Donkeys, Dromedaries, Dancing Girls and Faked Mummies.

WORLD'S FAIR, June 14.—[Special.]—One of the great successes of the side-show department of the exposition is the street in Cairo. There is no other place within the vast enclosure where so much genuine fun may be had and where such strange sights may be witnessed. Here it is difficult for the visitor to imagine himself in Chicago, or in America. So skillfully is the very atmosphere of the Egyptian metropolis counterfeited, so realistic is the reproduction of the quaint scenes of Arab life, that one has now and then to pinch himself in order to recall the fact that he is at the World's fair and not traveling in the orient. It doesn't cost much to get into this street of Cairo. A dime is the charge. But it costs a good deal to get out. I do not mean to say you are compelled to spend more money, but you will be a queer sort of American if your curiosity can resist the temptations which the wily Arabs place before your eyes. Talk about Yankee ingenuity, American showmen, New England smartness—you should see the Arabs charm dimes and quarters and dollars from the pockets of their visitors. They are the real artists in that line.

On entering the gate you are at once plunged from Chicago into an ancient oriental city. A winding street lies before you, flanked on either side by rows of houses or shops of certain Arab architecture. There is no mistaking the fidelity with which the originals have been reproduced. The quaint windows of the upper stories are closed with decorated blinds, but on the street level each house has one or more little shops. The shops are not more than twelve or fifteen feet deep, and everything that they contain is displayed before the eye. There are in all forty or more of these bazaars, and in most cases they are attended by native salesmen, who speak enough English to get along very nicely and who are very shrewd in trade. In each shop is a young American woman, and her business it is to handle the cash and keep a record thereof to make sure the exposition management gets its fair per cent. of all receipts. These bazaars display no end of oriental jewelry, much of which was manufactured in America, to save customs duties; handkerchiefs, perfumery, slippers which are made on the spot by native workmen, candy, flowers (by a very bold fiction claimed to be of Arab culture), toys, cigarettes, dried snakes and lizards from the Soudan, curio of all sorts. As a rule the prices are reasonable, too, though you can never be certain the wares are of actual importation.

But it is not to the bazaars your attention is first directed. The street scene itself at once entrances you with its picturesque novelty and pleases you with its grotesque gaiety. Near the entrance you come upon a lot of Cairo donkeys, little animals not much bigger than Newfoundland dogs, attended by Cairo donkey boys. Very amusing are the animals, and more amusing are the boys, in their bare feet and native costume, cracking a stock lot of jokes in queer English and humming ta-ra-ra-boom-de-ay with many a grimace and laugh. There is an old tradition about the solemnity of the Arabs, but you find no evidence of it here. The wily orientals have discovered that it does not pay to be solemn. Gaiety and frolic catch the popular fancy, and the dimes roll in the faster the more laughter there is along the street.

A great crowd of visitors is in the thoroughfare, which is as long as two or three city blocks. Every few moments you hear a clatter of feet on the brick pavement—there is no sidewalk in Cairo—and one of the little donkeys patters by, urged to



"HAVE A RIDE" ON "UMP-TA-RA-RA."

speed by the whipping and shouting boy at his heels, and carrying on his back a child whose face is all smiles at the novelty of the excursion, or a grown man or woman whose feet all but drag along the surface of the street. How the little donkeys carry some of the riders who mount their backs is a mystery, but they do, and the journey finished they go to sleep standing on their four legs and wait with excessive patience for the coming of the next customer.

A little further along we come upon a scene which pleases us very much. Eight or ten great dromedaries lie upon the ground, with their trappings or saddles upon their backs. They are asleep, too. Around them is gathered an enormous crowd of visitors. They are not so much interested in the dromedaries as they are in the fun which is to follow. The fun comes quickly enough. A party of gay American girls, attended by their brothers or other escorts, arrive. The American girl at the fair is out for fun. She wants to see everything in sight. No timidity or false pride deters her from having a real good time. There are a few giggles, a whispered consultation, the passing of a few pieces of silver from brother's hand to the eager paw of the dromedary attendant, and the boldest girl in the party seats herself on the saddle of the recumbent animal. The crowd cranes its neck in anticipation of sport.

Mr. Dromedary humps himself a little, shows the teeth in his frightfully ugly mouth, moves his long legs and elevates one end of himself in the air. It is a great elevation, and it is so suddenly attained that the young woman knows she is going to slide down over the animals neck. Frantically she grasps the straps which have been placed in her hand, and shrilly she shrieks. Through the crowd runs a loud guffaw. The fun has commenced. Then Mr. Dromedary elevates the other end of his being. This also comes up with the suddenness of a shock, and the young woman on his back this time feels sure she is going to roll over backwards. Again a frantic grasping of the straps, more feminine squeals, another round of laughter in the crowd. Now the hump-backed courier of the desert starts on his journey up the street. His saddle sways from side to side, shuffles with more motions than any other animal is capable of producing. Every lope of his long legs, every side-wise lurch of his awkward frame, and his rider giggles or squeals.

Up the middle of the narrow and crowded street go the camel and his fair rider. The crowd falls to either side. There is much shouting and laughter. A wave of merriment follows the party as it proceeds. By this time the young American woman has recovered her spirits and her confidence. She finds it not so very difficult a creature to ride, after all. The fun, she perceives, is all good-natured fun, and she likes it. If her feet are pretty and neatly shod she doesn't worry about them, and a peculiar thing it is that you rarely see a woman with awkward feet on the back of a dromedary. Now other young women, and young men, and occasionally

MR. DROMEDARY ARISES.

older men and women, and no end of children, mount the backs of the camels and are sent weaving and lurching up the oriental thoroughfare. It is great sport for all concerned, and it brings many a good American dollar into the till of the wily Arabs who run the show.

Here is another crowd. It stands in a circle about a group of three or four Arabs. They make the strangest music you ever heard on the quaintest musical instruments you ever saw. When the noise ceases a monkey with a muzzle over his nose jumps down from the back of the donkey where he has been riding and seizes a stick with which he carries on a mimic but spirited warfare with one of the Arabs. This is all done to attract the people and to gain their attention, and the scheme succeeds. The crowd around is as thick as it can pack itself. Then Khalil Hada, the great Egyptian conjuror, steps forward. He has in one of his eyes a monocle which looks much like an egg. In a moment he causes this to disappear down his throat and then picks it off the top of the monkey's head. Or he thrusts it into one of his ears and picks it out the other. When the crowd murmurs in appreciation Khalil Hada ejaculates, with a broad grin on his intelligent face, "gallah, gallah." He performs some more clever tricks, and just as the throng is getting interested the conjuror announces that the performance will be continued in his tent a little way up the street. Then the orchestra strikes up, and the march toward the conjuror's tent is begun. Of course a large number of people follow this strange cavalcade, and give up their silver quarters for the privilege of seeing the great Khalil Hada perform his tricks. This is a sample of the manner in which these smart Arabs get out in the street and hustle for trade. They can give the Yankees points in this business.

Those who enter the tent of the conjuror do not regret it. He is a very skillful prestidigitateur. Without any elaborate accessories he sits down upon a dias only four or five feet from the heads of his nearest spectators and performs feats which are really marvelous. They are common enough feats in the orient, and most of our professional performers are able to do them, but the Egyptian has a style and a charm all his own. He, too, appreciates the value of good humor. He is always smiling and joking, never fails to mutter "gallah, gallah," when the crowd applauds, characterizes his own work as "very clever," makes no pretensions to be anything but a trickster, and is evidently happiest when he most successfully fools those who assist him in his work by holding the rings and the coins and the handkerchiefs.

The Arabs have here about a thousand devices for charming money out of the pockets of the crowd. Most of these are worthy devices, but a few are not. The so-called "Cairo by Moonlight," to which an admission fee of a quarter is charged, is a mere revolving stereopticon fake, most of the pictures being of Jerusalem rather than Cairo, and uninteresting. Another fake is the so-called "Temple of Luksor," 3,500 years old. The advertisements, and the glib-tongued young man who stands in front of the temple shouting to the passers-by, say one may see within the mummies of Pharoah, of Rameses II, oppressor of Israelites, of Sethi I, whose daughter found Moses, of Hirhor I, father-in-law of King Solomon and of Nessi-ta-neb-asser, Solomon's sister-in-law. But these mummies are mere reproductions. There is not a genuine mummy in the building. The so-called sacred dance of the ancient Egyptians is a flippant bit of mummery gone through with a good deal of laughter and awkwardness by a party of young Arabs who are evidently new at the business.

The Cairo theater is rather sensational. There is some talk of having the authorities stop the dancing which goes on in it. Five or six dancing girls from Egypt go through such strange contortions here, always before large audiences, with such reckless abandon and indecent exposure, that Americans deem the performance disgusting. Women, and good and proper women at that, do go to see this show, but they go unconscious of its character; and you may be sure they do not go a second time, or permit their daughters to see it after them. The street in Cairo is a charming addition to the international feature of the fair, but its dancing girls should be squelched and one or two of its fakes be closed up by the authorities.

ROBERT GRAVES.

A Preposterous Objection.

In a certain district in Derbyshire a Methodist lady is a candidate for the board of guardians. We are greatly surprised to learn that some objection has been offered to her candidature on the ground that, while personally eminently suitable for the position, there is no need to have a lady on the board of guardians. That argument fairly takes our breath away. Surely those who use it have forgotten that the great majority of paupers are women and children. Does anybody seriously argue at this time of day that a pack of men are the most suitable persons to make arrangements for women and children?

As a matter of fact, we could, if necessary, mention most ridiculous incidents that have occurred when unhappy boards of guardians have had to deal with feminine and infantile questions. No, no! Let us admit the superiority of man in his own sphere, but when it comes to feeding, clothing and otherwise ministering to women and children man is decidedly out of it. If there is any public body in the land of which women ought to be members, it is the board of guardians.—London Methodist Times.

Glass Cups For Tea.

The old adage that history repeats itself is again illustrated in the latest fad of having glass cups on the tables of those who desire to be in the fashion. We understand that the proper thing now at the tea table is to have the cups made of glass of different bright colors, with plain white saucers. This certainly does brighten up the table and adds greatly to its attractiveness.—House Furnishing Review.

The Up to Date Kiss.

It is no longer the custom to kiss upon the mouth. The proper method is to lay your left cheeks together, young women. You may succeed in kissing each other's cheeks, or you may unexpectedly make the noise in the open air, having failed of the mark entirely, but in either case you will have filled the requirement of fashion at the present time, and you may therefore rest happy.—Exchange.

A Club of Bright Amateur Authors.

A dozen bright college girls in London have started a truly educative club. It is called the "School of Fiction," and each member is supposed to write a story a month. These creations are read at the fortnightly meetings and are then bound in a precious volume, which becomes the joint property of the club members.

WOMAN'S WORLD.

A RECENT REMINDER OF INJUSTICE IN THE LAW.

Mrs. Lease as a Peacemaker—Small Pay In Chicago—The Spoon Fad In Washington—Jenness Miller on Hoops—Items of Interest About Well Known Women.

A decision was rendered by Judge Giegerich in the court of common pleas in this city on Friday last which discloses the fact that the underlying thought of our New York code still discriminates against women. The English common law was once the established law of this state, and it still rules except where it has been especially set aside by statute. Under this system in inheritance the female line was always at a disadvantage, and the married woman had no legal rights whatsoever. The most cruel bearings of these rulings have, however, been so entirely set aside by the married women's property law and many other intelligent enactments that we forget that outside of the cases covered by these special provisions the old law is still in full force until we are reminded of the fact by some such instance as this.

It was a claim for inheritance. James J. Bradley died August, 1891. He left no widow, children, parents, brothers or sisters, nieces or nephews. Eleven claimants appeared for the estate, which consisted of a house in West Thirteenth street. These claimants were two grandaunts of the deceased, sisters of his paternal grandmother, eight children of deceased grandaunts, also sisters of his paternal grandmother, and Edward J. McGough, a son of a deceased granduncle, who was a brother of the same paternal grandmother.

Judge Giegerich decided that the estate must go entirely to Edward J. McGough, because under the statute of descent of real estate the common law comes in, though it does not rule with regard to personal property, and under the common law in cases of remote descent the real estate must go to heirs male to the exclusion of heirs female. The judge regretted that this should be the case, but until the law was amended he could give no other decision. He said, "Although the common law rule that males shall be admitted before females has been superseded in certain cases in this state, yet it still obtains in cases of remote collateral kinship, of which the case under consideration presents a remarkable example."—Lillie Devereux Blake's New York Letter.

Mrs. Lease as a Peacemaker.

Mrs. Lease has appeared in a new role—that of peacemaker. Recently the Populists commenced the organization of the "loyal legion," a military organization, so that their members would be trained for battle should armed forces again be needed, as was the case during the recent legislative imbroglio. Following up on the heels of this the Republicans have organized in many of the towns and cities councils of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, which opposes foreign immigration and the tendencies of the radical Populists. Mrs. Lease held a meeting here and addressed a large audience of women and organized a peace association, which she proposes to follow up in all the towns and cities of the state.

She said these associations were not only to prevent war, but to resolutely frown down any attempt to form organizations whose object was bloodshed. Kansas, which has long since ceased to execute murderers, she declared was the very ground where men should be compelled to refrain from killing each other for any offense against the law. A pledge was written by her in which the 100 women who signed it pledged themselves to work against any attempt at military preparation of any description. A number of women signed it, many of them mothers whose boys had been pressed into the late quarrel at the state capitol.—Topeka Letter.

Small Pay For Expert Women In Chicago.

The women who are building high hopes on temporary positions about the Woman's building of the Chicago fair, either as an advertisement of their work or as a partial defrayment of their expenses while taking in the fair, should correspond with some of the ladies on the New York committee.

One of the members of the committee, who is now in Chicago, writes discouragingly to well known artists who have offered their services on the Woman's building. She says that there are 40 applicants for every place, and the remuneration is so beggarly that she is ashamed to offer it to good workwomen. For instance, in the decoration of a 17-foot room, the stenciling to be effective has to be 3 feet high. It is simply impossible for one woman to hold the stencil—it would require two men—and yet for this work experts are allowed but $6 a week. It won't pay their board. Charges in Chicago are already exorbitant.

In consequence of such a state of affairs, the ladies getting ready for the woman's exhibit are having a hard time of it. Because they showed a disposition to be economical they have been required to be niggardly—to offset the extravagance in other buildings. Mrs. Potter Palmer has had to fight every inch of the way that has been accomplished, and the best work cannot be represented because of lack of funds.—New York Recorder.

Girl Students Strike.

The graduating class of the Woman's Medical college, on Hoffman street and Druid Hill avenue, retired in a body from the presence of one of the lecturers Wednesday morning. In a series of resolutions handed to the dean of the college they peremptorily refused to attend the lecturer's instructions for the remainder of the season, alleging as the cause ungentlemanly deportment and the unsatisfactory handling of the subject. The lecturer in question is not a professor on the faculty. It is said that the "ungentlemanly deportment" consisted of what the students considered unnecessarily harsh reproof of what the lecturer deemed was inattention on the part of the class, and that the pupils, being grown women, object to being reproved as if they were children; hence the strike.—Baltimore Sun.

The Day Is Coming.

The day of the adjustable moral code, of a sliding scale in moral valuations, has passed, and the time is coming and is at hand when cleanliness of hand and heart will be demanded of men as it has always been of women. There will be as its accompaniment forgiveness for women who have transgressed, and one misstep will not force them to continue on that downward path which culminates in ruin and despair. It is a reform which women must themselves ordain, and where they chiefly are empowered to act.

The first step must be financial independence for themselves and for all women, which will do away with that helplessness which seals the lip and stays the hand in the performance of work that should be done.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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