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**PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.**

Mr. Fred C. Victor is making a tour of the New England States.  
Miss Ella Shortridge has gone to Greenwood to spend a fortnight.  
Mr. Charles F. Smith is quite ill at his home on North Merion place.  
Mrs. Herman Lieber, who has been very ill for six months, is able to ride out.  
Mr. Richard Lieber, who returned from Clark's lake, where he left his family.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Treat have gone to the Atlantic coast to spend a fortnight.  
Mr. George B. Morgan left yesterday for Atlantic City for a visit of a few weeks.  
J. J. Harrison, of North Pennsylvania street, has gone to French Lick for ten days.  
Mrs. Frank A. Morrison and daughter will leave to-day for Cape Cod to spend a month.  
Mr. Carl Lieber has arrived in New York and is expected home to-day from his European trip.  
Mrs. William Poor, of Columbus, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Brenneke, at the Charleston.  
Miss Mary Edith Dean has returned from an extended visit to relatives since leaving school in June.  
Miss Lydia Stark and Miss Anna Guenther leave to-day for Lakeside, O., for their summer outing.  
Mrs. Harriet B. Hall went to Milwaukee yesterday to visit her son, Mr. George B. Hall, and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Reagan have returned from New York, where they have been for a few days.  
Mr. and Mrs. John L. Griffiths have returned from New York, where they have been for several weeks.  
Miss Elizabeth Atkins, who was the guest of Miss Frances Woodward, has returned to her home in Cincinnati.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wiley, of Buffalo, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Cooper, will return home to-morrow.  
Mrs. W. M. Herriott gave a card company yesterday morning for the visitor, Mrs. W. M. Herriott, of Philadelphia.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Dougherty and daughter, Aveline, left yesterday for New York and the coast for a few weeks' stay.  
Miss Marie Farmer, of Benton Harbor, Mich., is visiting Miss Hazel Kirke Woodward at her home in Merion place.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Annan, who have been residing at the Charleston for a year, have gone to Chicago to visit their daughter.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Brenneke have returned from Hutchinson, Kan., where they have been two months with Mrs. Brenneke's sister.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus H. Snow will soon sail for Yokohama, Japan. They are expected to arrive at Ancon, B. C., in a few days.  
Mrs. G. E. Hunt entertained a few young people for her home at Lakeside, O., with Miss Skidmore, of Charleston, Ill., who is the guest of Mrs. Catterson.  
Mrs. Arthur Fletcher Hall and niece, Miss Anna E. Hall, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Annan, of New York, who is visiting her sister at that place.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Williams will leave to-day for a visit in the Thousand Islands, N. Y., for a few days.  
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The lawn fete for the benefit of the Kindergarten Society announced for Wednesday night and night, has been postponed until Monday night, when it will be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burbanks.  
Mrs. A. Y. Lowe, of Maryville, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, at her home in Merion place. Mrs. Lowe will leave for Maryville to spend a few days and will then go to Mackinac for several weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. Junius B. Roberts will receive informally to-morrow evening at their home, No. 2027 Park avenue, for their son, Mr. John Gilbert Roberts, and his bride, who are their guests for a few days before going to their home in Washington.  
The Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution cleared \$60 at their last week's meeting, and with what they have already sent to Washington, will make their contribution to the Continental Hall fund \$100. The hall is to be erected in Washington.  
The fourth section of the Ladies' Society of the Maennerchor gave a lawn euchre party yesterday evening at the home of Mrs. Alois Geiger, on Madison avenue. Mrs. Estel Johnson, of Union City, was the guest of honor. The evening was a success and a supper was served. The next entertainment will be given the second Friday in September, and will be followed by the annual reception, Sept. 25, at Maennerchor for several weeks.  
**HILLS-CRAMER.**  
Special to the Indianapolis Journal.  
**MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 10.**—Miss Lillian Cramer, daughter of Lewis P. Cramer, a well-known contractor of this city, and Mr. Benjamin Hill were married last evening in the presence of immediate relatives and friends. Rev. N. M. Metzger officiated.  
**TAYLOR-JOHNSON.**  
**WINCHESTER, Ind., Aug. 10.**—John Taylor, of Richmond, Va., and Elizabeth Adelaide Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Johnson, of this city, were united in marriage at noon to-day at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. J. W. Cain, of the M. E. Church, officiated. Among the out-of-town guests were Lela Harward, of Hamilton, O.; Rosemond O'Donnell, of Montpelier, O.; Ethel Julian, of Union City; Margaret Bly, of Farmland, and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Shaw, of Indianapolis. They will

be at home after Oct. 1 at the old Lisburn family homestead in the suburbs of Richmond, Va.  
**CITY NEWS NOTES.**  
Adjutant General Gore returned yesterday from Martinsville, where he mustered in an infantry company the night before.  
The new floor of the Kentucky-avenue bridge over White river was completed yesterday and the bridge put in service again.  
The joint gas committee of the Commercial Club and the Board of Trade will start today a visit to the gas fields of Delaware county.  
W. N. Vance, chief electrician of the flagship Philadelphia, is in the city visiting his cousin, Mr. Andrew Grayson, 422 North Alabama street.  
The gross receipts of the postoffice here for the month of August were \$1,000, an increase over the receipts for the same month last year of \$114.  
The lawn fete which was to have been given on Dr. Cox's lawn in North Indianapolis on Wednesday evening was postponed to this evening on account of rain.  
Brother Xavier, a member of the Order of the Sacred Heart, and who has taught the "baby room" in St. John's boys' school for the twenty years, has been given what is called the "white horse," a term meaning a transfer to some other charge.

**PERU CITIZENS ANGRY**

**SHERIFF DUNN CRITICISED FOR CALLING FOR TROOPS.**  
**Jail Fully Protected—Jones Calls Mob "Cowards and Bluffers," and Says the Girl was "Romantic."**  
The citizens of Miami county are highly incensed over Sheriff Dunn's action in calling for troops Wednesday, according to Charles Lockwood, of Peru, who called at Governor Mount's office yesterday. None of the other county officers knew this action had been taken until word to that effect was received from this city, and the telegram was sent by the sheriff without consulting any one. Mr. Lockwood said, he stated that there is not and has not been any necessity for troops at any time, as the jail is in the basement of the courthouse and there is but one entrance to it. Mr. Lockwood says the arrangement is such that three men with a good supply of bricks could hold any mob at bay. He further said there is a military company in Peru which is organized and equipped, and which would have served in case of necessity. The citizens of Peru and the county, he said, deplore greatly the notoriety which has been given to the community through the hasty action of the sheriff.

**JONES LAUGHS AT MOBS.**

**Says the Girl Went with Him from Choice, Calling Herself His Wife.**  
KOKOMO, Ind., Aug. 10.—A rural hackman here, who has been called to the mob that gathered in Miami county yesterday to lynch William Jones, the alleged abductor of Nellie Berger, had not dispersed, but remained together for an attack on the jail here to-night; that he had seen them camped in the woods and knew they would be there this morning. He stated that he had seen the mob and that he had seen the girl with them. He said that he had seen the girl with them and that she had called herself his wife. He said that he had seen the girl with them and that she had called herself his wife.

**INDIANA OBITUARY.**

**Rev. Everett B. Thomson, Well-Known Presbyterian Minister.**  
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**CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 10.**—Rev. Everett B. Thomson, son of the aged Alexander Thomson, died suddenly this morning at his home here. He was 72 years of age and had been in failing health for some time. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church here. He was born in Scotland and came to this country in 1840. He was a well-known minister and a devoted man.

**Lightning Strikes the Workhouse.**

A bolt of lightning, which, apparently, came out of a clear sky, struck the chimney of the workhouse at the city jail yesterday morning and ranging downward, knocked a ventilator out in the guard's room and fired the building with white light. That part of the chimney extending through into the attic. The prisoners were frightened and the guards thought an attack had been made to dynamite the cell-house. The loss is \$100.

**Bell Boy Set Free.**

James Hamilton, colored, a bellboy at the Denison House, was discharged by Acting Police Judge Remster yesterday morning after he told the court that the articles he was charged with stealing from Federal Judge Baker's room had been given to him by a "hall girl," who had told him to throw away the articles. He was released on a large number of friends.

**10,000 Old Settlers Meet.**

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**SULLIVAN, Ind., Aug. 10.**—The fourth annual meeting of the old settlers of Sullivan and Vigo counties was held at Farmington to-day. Fully ten thousand people were in attendance. Mrs. Liston, aged 104, of Curry township, was the feature of the gathering. Addresses were delivered by Hon. John L. Griffiths, of Indianapolis; Congressman Robert W. Meyers, of Bloomington; Colonel Michael and James Evans, of Terre Haute. Many family reunions were held and a great variety of relics of pioneer days in the Wabash valley were exhibited.

**REAL ABDUCTION CASE**

**LITTLE GIRL CLAIMS TO HAVE BEEN FORCED INTO MARRIAGE.**  
**Sister Put Numbers in Her Shoes So She Could Make Oath the Girl Was "Over Eighteen."**

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**TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 10.**—Justice of the Peace Newburger has bound William Sassiné over to the higher courts on a surety of peace warrant sworn out by his newly married girl. She said she was forced into marriage. Her sister, Mrs. Sassiné, who was a Clara Hoffman, of Fayette township, stated that her sister, who had married Sassiné's brother, together with Sassiné and his brother, took her riding, telling her that they were going to pray meeting. They took her to the house of a justice of the peace and, when she asked why they were going there, she said Sassiné threatened to kill her if she would not marry him. She says she was frightened, and when they took her before the justice she consented. When the justice asked her age she told him she was only fifteen, but her sister swore that her age was "over eighteen," because the sisters placed the figures "18" in her shoes during the afternoon. As soon as they were married the girl went home. When Sassiné came after her she refused to go with him. He drew a revolver and threatened to kill her and her family. She had the revolver sworn out. In the trial here she again stated that she was only fifteen and her brother had threatened to kill her if she did not marry him. The sister insists that she is over eighteen.

**OIL IN A NEW FIELD.**

**Well in Wabash County Expected to Show 100 Barrels Daily.**  
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**WABASH, Ind., Aug. 10.**—Great enthusiasm prevailed to-day in the southern part of this county over the discovery of oil between Lafontaine and Vernon, in Wabash township, by the same party who had drilled last night, at 300 feet, the drill penetrated Trenton rock thirty feet and a flow of forty barrels a day followed. It is the intention to shoot the well, and the drillers expect it to develop into a hundred-barrel well. Other wells will be put down in the vicinity and experts think that the pool will eclipse that at Rich Valley.

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**Mistreated His Adopted Daughter.**

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**PATRIOT, Ind., Aug. 10.**—A warrant for Percy North, a prominent farmer residing near Quercus Grove, adopted a sensation here yesterday. His adopted daughter, a handsome girl of seventeen years, made oath to the warrant charging him with being the father of her child and claiming that she had been compelled to live with him in the North's home. North is a member of the Senate, of Rising Sun, and stands high in social and religious circles. Just after the warrant was issued North had two insurance solicitors approaching. Thinking they were officers after him, he fled to Kentucky, where he formerly resided.

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**WEATHER WAS "DIRTY"**

**AND OLD DEFENDER MADE A GOOD SHOWING AGAINST COLUMBIA.**  
Practically Beat the New Yacht in a Thirty-Seven-Mile Run if Time Allowance Was Given.

**VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Aug. 10.**—The old defender practically won a race against Columbia to-day, if time allowance was given, in the dirtiest sort of weather for a yacht club cruise. But the victory, it must be admitted, was more than well earned, and the yachtman of the New York Club and their guests never saw before, and may not see again for years, such a sailing event. The margin between the famous sloops was fourteen seconds over a minute in the thirty-seven-mile run from Brenton's reef lightship, off Newport, to the West Chop buoy, in Vineyard sound lightship.

The race between Columbia and Defender was fairly southerly. After both got away over the starting line it was nip and tuck with eared shells for almost an hour. Defender just a hair's breadth, comparatively speaking, in the lead, with Columbia ahead. Even after Columbia made a gain so that Defender could cross under her stern, Columbia did not walk away, as the heavy breeze hove the latter down and made her lose distance on repeated tacks.

Best of all was the fact that Defender, with miserable weather prospects and rain fell behind her, while Columbia, with a fifteen-knot wind brought in a wringing mist from seaward. Defender crossed the finish line first, but Columbia, with a strong breeze, was able to catch up and beat her. Defender crossed the finish line first, but Columbia, with a strong breeze, was able to catch up and beat her.

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**German Sail for Home.**  
**NEW YORK, Aug. 10.**—High Privity Councilor von Knebel-Doeberitz and Councilor Marschal von Nieberstein, who have been in this country for several months representing the Prussian government in the insurance troubles between the United States and Germany, sailed for home on the Augusta Victoria to-day. Their examination of the acts of several of the large insurance companies has given them a high opinion of the Prussian government and its policy in the insurance matter.

**Government Takes Fish Hatchery.**  
**GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Aug. 10.**—President Horace Davis, of the Michigan Fish Commission, was notified to-day that negotiations have been closed for assumption of the control of the comprehensive fish-hatchery of Michigan by the United States government.

**Bryan Spreading His Gospel.**  
**PANA, Ill., Aug. 10.**—At Litch Springs this afternoon Col. William J. Bryan delivered his lecture on "Fading Problems" to an audience of fully 2,000 citizens of Shelby county. His remarks were principally in condemnation of imperialism and the gold standard. Bryan, in his talk, stated he would prefer not being President if any other man the people might select would enforce the principles and precepts of Lincoln more effectively than himself.

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