

### CHILDREN OF SCHOOL AGE

Often Need a Safe Tonic for the Nerves.

Overstudy May Otherwise Bring on Some Severe Nervous Disorder as This Case Shows.

School children, who become restless, cannot sit still, drop things, are confused in their speech and otherwise show nervousness, need a tonic and, at their age, it must be a safe one.

Miss Stella Coffield, a farmer's daughter, whose address is R. F. D. No. 2, Centerburg, Ohio, was a helpless cripple when she started taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and the wonderful benefit she received from them has led her to give an account of her case for the benefit of other sufferers.

"About twelve years ago," she says, "I was taken sick at school and had to be carried home. I vomited blood and was very low. The physicians, who attended me, did not know what ailed me but called it Bright's disease. I was blinded and had severe pains in my limbs. I was sick for six months and in bed for ten weeks. I doctored faithfully for two months and kept getting worse and finally had a stroke of paralysis which affected my right leg and arm and my speech. I could not talk for two weeks and I had no use whatever of my leg and arm. My illness affected my head and I was very nervous. My people thought I would never be anything but a helpless cripple.

"It was through my father that I commenced taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the paralysis. He was discouraged in paying out so much money to doctors and, when he saw that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had helped several cases of paralysis, he decided to have me try them. I could soon see a change and gave the pills a thorough trial. The numbness in my leg disappeared and after a time I could walk. I grew stronger and really think that if it had not been for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I would still be a helpless cripple."

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### TRACK IN GOOD SHAPE.

Fair Grounds Will Soon Be in Excellent Condition.

The two one-hundredths of an inch of rain Wednesday night cushioned the race track at the state fair grounds and today it is in first-class condition. This true despite the fact that the course was newly graded this spring.

All improvements at the state fair grounds are being made so that they will be finished in ample time for the fair opening. The tile work will be completed this week and rains, if they come later, can be taken care of easily. Keeping the track in first condition. Fencing around the park will be completed next week. So far the work has been delayed because of the extreme heat.

Along the line of the mission of the state fair, the secretary, H. L. Cook, has written for the Fair Journal, an article in part as follows:

"The mission of fairs and expositions is primarily to encourage better agriculture, stock raising, manufacturing, and to induce men to think and urge them to put forth better efforts for intelligent farming and breeding. The Kansas State Fair at Topeka has, within the past few years, brought their every department up to the standard, from an educational standpoint, that it is being recognized by the people of the state.

"The fair has made a marvelous growth in the past two years, both in the matter of permanent improvements and in the methods of handling its resources. The great state of Kansas needs this fair to exploit her resources and let the world know what Kansas can produce.

"Wonderful in agriculture, wonderful in stock raising, great in mining, no other state combines three such cornerstones of wealth. Seconded by the well managed county fairs of Kansas, the great state fair at the capital city is the best advertising medium any state could have. It brings to the world a true knowledge of her resources. It is to the state what the show windows are to the store."

### FATHER'S "JOHN DOE" HIS SON.

Youth Caught With Team Stolen from Parent.

Salina, Kan., July 7.—Charged with stealing a team of fine mares and buggy and harness from his father, Thomas Gribben, at the farm near Bridgeport July 4, Leo Gribben, aged 19 years, was arrested on a "John Doe" warrant by the sheriff of McPherson county.

The father evidently did not know that his own son had the property and had a John Doe warrant issued. Young Gribben's father was not in court when his son was brought in, charged with the theft. The young man made no statement of his actions.

Young Gribben had the alleged stolen property when he was caught. It is thought that the developments will be such that the father will not prosecute the boy.

### SHAKE THEIR FISTS.

Government Officers Quarrel Before a House Committee.

Washington, July 7.—A scene suggesting some that have occurred in the Camorrista trial in Italy enlivened the proceedings of the house committee on expenditures in the department of commerce and labor investigating the charge that one great seal herd of the Pribilof islands is being wantonly slaughtered by agents of United States government. Professor Henry W. Elliott, fur seal expert, and United States Fish Commissioner Bowers, who have been in controversy about the seals, confronted each other before the committee, shook their fists and exchanged a series of lively epithets.

Professor Elliott concluding the reading of a statement, declared that United States Fish Commissioner Bowers had "perjured himself before this committee."

"You are a self confessed perjurer yourself," retorted Commissioner Bowers, adding that he could prove the charge.

"That is a rubbing, rotten charge that no man ever dared put his name to," Professor Elliott responded, shaking his fist in the direction of Mr. Bowers. "I'll get you on the witness stand for that statement."

"Yes, and I'll prove the charge, too, when you do," Mr. Bowers replied.

President Representative Rothermel of Pennsylvania, a Quaker, suspended the sitting.

### EDITOR RETURNS DECORATION.

Enters Diplomatic Service Which Prohibits His Keeping It.

Chicago, July 7.—Nicolay A. Grevstad, the Chicago editor recently appointed United States minister to Uruguay and Paraguay, has returned a decoration bestowed upon him several years ago by King Haakon of Norway. The decoration is the Norwegian Knighthood of St. Olaf, granted to Mr. Grevstad in recognition of his services as a newspaper man.

"I feel that it is no more than right that I return the decoration now that I am about to enter the American diplomatic service," said Mr. Grevstad. "The constitution prohibits the acceptance by federal officials of decorations from foreign governments."

"While I received the order several years ago, I feel that I ought to ask the consent of congress to retain it, and that I do not wish to do."

### WOMAN SEEKS KING MYSTERY.

Husband Lost to Her When He Went to India.

Boston, Mass., July 7.—Believing that her husband is being pursued by Indian mystics who desire the return of a marvellously hideous ring he possesses, Mrs. Josephine Swanton of Chester, England, arrived in Boston last night on the 465th day of her search which has carried her to India and across the continent to Boston.

Mr. Swanton received a strange silver ring bearing a hideous blue stone, as a reward of service from an Indian doctor five years or more ago. He has since been continually besought by natives of India for the return of the ring. He went to India to learn the cause, and after writing he was leaving Bombay for America, was lost to his wife.

Mrs. Swanton was told her husband had been seen by a friend in Boston and is here to find him.

### STATE LEAGUE TO "BUST."

Dry Weather Makes Fans Squeeze the Quarters.

McPherson, Kan., July 7.—The authentic rumor here is to the effect that the State league is about to blow up. Another report is that McPherson is for sale, and that Salina may buy it. It is said the franchise will go very reasonable, and if Salina takes the team, it will get Pitchers Errett, Osborne, Routt and Laggenaur. It is said that the object of the transferred games to Salina is to give Salina fans a chance to see the McPherson team work, in hopes of selling it.

Larned is also reported in bad shape. Some of the State league players have gone to Atchison to finish the season there.

### HERE'S REAL HOT WEATHER.

Rails Buckle, Rising Two Feet From Roadbed.

McPherson, Kan., July 7.—A heavy freight train narrowly escaped being wrecked at Galva, where a hundred yards of track buckled in front of the engine as it entered town at full speed. The intense heat caused expansion of rails and the track suddenly rose about two feet above the roadbed. It was too late to stop the train and the engine and long string of box cars passed over the place, crushing the rails to the ground.

When the train had passed, the rails again bent upward and flew two feet to one side of the grade.

### PRETTY GIRL DRIVES BINDER.

Kansas School Ma'am Need Not Teach for Living.

Bellefonte, Kan., July 7.—Miss Rosa Smith, a comely young lady near Narka and a successful school teacher of Republic county, has also demonstrated her ability in the harvest field having driven the binder while harvesting wheat on her father's farm for a time. She and her brother have contested for this honor by making a race to mount the seat of the machine and usually the girl proved the winner. If anything about the binder goes wrong, the young lady isn't slow in locating the trouble and at the same time remedying it without assistance.

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**HOT-WEATHER CONSTIPATION**

People should be very careful at this time of the year not to become constipated, and if they do become constipated to attend to it promptly. Many people have a special tendency to constipation in hot weather, owing to the sudden change in food and to the fact that the natural moisture of the body remains within and helps to digest the food, leaving the system in the summer in the form of perspiration. Constipation should be immediately relieved. The best way to do this is not, as some suppose, by eating themselves sick with fruit and making the matter worse, nor by taking salts and laxative waters, which, as but temporary relief; but, on the contrary, you should use a tried-and-true remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which acts quickly, but mildly and which relieves permanently so that a steady and lasting cure results. A bottle can be bought of any druggist, in sizes of 50 cents and \$1.00. Those who have not tried Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and would like to make a test of it, can do so FREE OF CHARGE by sending their address for a SAMPLE BOTTLE to

**DR. W. B. CALDWELL, 400 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.**

**PRIEST AND SISTERS PRAY.**

For Two Hours 141 Persons Plead for Rain.

Leavenworth, Kan., July 7.—One hundred and 40 Sisters of Charity, headed by Father Downey, held an outdoor procession at 6 o'clock at Mt. St. Mary's academy and chanted the Litany of the Saints with special prayers for rain. This is the annual summer school, for the benefit of the Sisters of Charity who are teachers in the diocese of Leavenworth.

The procession lasted for over two hours and many prayers were said. "We ask heavenly intercession for rain," Father Downey said, "and we feel that we must get it. We must have it at once or the devastation will be terrible. All of the Sisters now at the academy took part in the march and if we do not have rain, we will repeat the prayers."

**HEAT KILLS AGED WOMAN.**

Mother of Wichita's County Jailer Dies Quickly.

Wichita, Kan., July 7.—Mrs. Cyrena Catt, mother of George Catt, keeper of the county jail, was overcome by heat while working in the kitchen of her home. She was found in an unconscious condition on the floor by her son who called a physician. She was dead when the physician arrived.

Mrs. Catt was 84 years old. She had been in good health although slightly enfeebled. She had been at work in the yard of her home during the day and had complained greatly of the excessive heat.

**T. T. BURR ASSIGNED TO WORK.**

Appointed Assistant Attorney General in Cherokee County.

T. T. Burr of Galena has been appointed assistant attorney general for Cherokee county, the first for Cherokee since Dick Blue served in that capacity eight years ago. Burr is a law partner of Ed Morgan and was deputy county attorney for two years under County Attorney Morgan.

The inauguration in the attorney general's office over Cherokee county law violations has ended after two days of talk behind closed doors. As to what was done or will be done as a result of the talkfest is not known. Whether it was merely a bluff to scare the jointists or some real evidence was uncovered remains to be seen. It is rumored that some of the Cherokee county officials are in league with the jointists down

here and receive protection money from the sellers of liquor, but the state officials decline to state whether the report has been verified by the evidence taken at the inauguration. As was to be expected, the members of the Volunteer Association of Crawford and Cherokee counties for the enforcement of the prohibition law, are now clamoring for money. They have presented a lot of bills for labor and expense but can show no results accomplished and some of them do not know who hired them to take the southern trip. The bills have not been paid. These sleuths and prohibitionists now haunt the state house. They need the money.