

KEEP FIGHT WARM

Kansans Gather at Hutchinson to Help Children.

K. U. Welfare Institute Will Make War on "Pills."

Lawrence, Kan., March 27.—The fight will occupy an important part on the program of the second annual Child-Welfare institute conducted by the department of child welfare of Kansas university at Hutchinson, Kan., April 9 to 12.

The first session will be held Sunday evening at the convention hall, and all the churches of the city will participate.

Among the speakers are C. J. Cahill, principal of the Highland Park school, Topeka; Dr. Lydia A. DeVillias, head of the Child Hygiene Bureau; Topeka, P. F. Lantieri, assistant attorney general; Fred E. Gates, field agent, Kansas Sunday school association; Mrs. C. G. Lewis, Kinsey, member of the Emporia State Normal school.

William A. McKeever, head of the child-welfare department of the university, will give a brief outline of methods and devices of the anti-organ campaign in Kansas. The program Wednesday evening the last day will be devoted to discussion of ways and means to abolish the "little white slave" forever from the state.

GIVE OUT ROUNDUP PROGRAM. Annual Affair at Fort Hays Station Announced for April 7.

Manhattan, Kan., March 27.—A strong program was announced for the third annual roundup to be held at the Fort Hays Branch Experiment station Friday, April 7. The most extensive experimental work in progress in the United States with beef fattening cattle will be presented to farmers and stockmen.

The roundup will open at 10 o'clock with a paper on "The Relation of Banking to the Cattle Industry" by Mr. McClure. J. C. Hopper of Ness City will discuss "Hereford Cattle Breeds and Bankers." R. W. Brown of Carrollton, Mo., secretary of the American Galloway Breeders' association, will speak on "Kansas Galloways;" and J. H. Mercer of Topeka, live stock sanitary commissioner, is down for a paper on "Live Stock Sanitation."

C. H. Weeks, superintendent of the Hays station, will preside at the afternoon session. Following is the program: A. E. Hodges, president of the Denver Live Stock Exchange, "The Market Situation;" W. A. Cocheil, "Kansas State Agricultural College;" "The Experiment in Obtaining Foreign Advertising and Serve as a Helping and Guiding Hand in Bringing New Industries into the State."

OPEN ADVERTISING BUREAU. Headquarters of Kansas Organization Established at Lawrence.

Lawrence, Kan., March 27.—Headquarters for the Central Advertising Bureau of Kansas have been opened here and the work of perfecting the organization is going on rapidly. It was announced today. Kansas editors have subscribed more than \$5,000 for this project and the last state legislature appropriated \$5,000 for the work. It is planned to make the bureau do a two-fold work—put Kansas newspapers on an equal footing with all publications in obtaining foreign advertising and serve as a helping and guiding hand in bringing new industries into the state.

The bureau, as it is planned, will be a clearing house for the members in their dealings with foreign advertisers. All contracts for the Kansas press will be handled through this central agency, thus eliminating much of the trouble the country editor experiences in soliciting this business.

Editors in all parts of the state are members of the bureau. Some of the members of the executive committee are: Albert T. Reid, Topeka; Marco Morrow, Topeka; J. C. Mack, Newton; and P. W. Barrett of Clay Center.

T. W. BUTCHER CHOPS WOOD. Head of Emporia Normal Takes Hour's Excursive Every Day.

Emporia, Kan., March 27.—Chopping wood and running the largest normal school in the United States are the daily occupations of President Thomas W. Butcher of the Kansas Normal at Emporia. Until recently

President Butcher took his evening exercise milking the cow, but now the cow is sold and Mr. Butcher has turned to wood chopping. "Eighty per cent of the boys of this year are earning their own way," said President Butcher, "and I like to show them that I am as good at it as any of them. I have always chopped wood and I don't see why I should stop now. I have these old cotton-wood trees hauled in from the river-side and work on them an hour every evening. I doubt if there is a better woodchopper in town."

"Mrs. Butcher prefers coal for the fire but I like to chop wood so well that she uses wood a good deal. Yes, Tom Junior is learning how to. It gives a man self-respect to feel that he can earn his living if he wants to by manual labor."

WANT A K. N. G. COMPANY. Citizens of Leavenworth Would Form Troop of Militia.

Leavenworth, Kan., March 27.—A movement to secure a National Guard company for Leavenworth has been launched and several men have already allied themselves in an effort to erect a state militia organization here.

A dozen men have signed a petition asking for a company and have signed at their intention of enlisting should enough men be secured. Sixty-five members are needed.

HE FOUND HIS WIFE. Ten-Day Search Fruitful Through Topeka's Capture.

A ten days' search for a runaway wife and her paramour ended Saturday when Officer Alba returned from Manhattan with Bernardino Lafo and Ricardo Ramirez, who disappeared from the Ramirez home ten days ago.

Accompanying them was the woman's husband, Justo Ramirez, who has been searching the underworld of Kansas City and other towns for the last ten days in search of his wife.

Unable to speak English, Ramirez was at great disadvantage and according to a story told at police headquarters tonight a letter written for him by Chief Parsons was the only thing that kept him from being arrested in Kansas City several times.

A Mexican appearing at strange rooming houses unable to speak English doesn't meet with much hospitality and Ramirez's only salvation was the chief's letter, explaining that Ramirez was looking for a runaway wife and any person to whom Ramirez pointed should be arrested, or officers summoned at any rate.

Unable to locate his wife in Kansas City Ramirez returned to Topeka two days ago where Officer Alba gave him a clue which indicated that his wife was in Manhattan. There he found both his wife and her paramour. Upon the strength of the chief's letter the Manhattan police arrested the couple. Both are sleeping in the county jail tonight.

INDIGESTION AND STOMACH MISERY JUST VANISHES. The moment "Pape's Diapepsin" reaches the stomach all distress goes.

Instantly stops any sourness, gases, heartburn, acidity, dyspepsia.

"Really does" put bad stomach in condition "really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that's just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the most powerful, most effective stomach regulator in the world. If you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and cramps, acid, indigestion, sourness, acid, head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction, or your druggist hands you your money back. It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach regulator in the world.

Pape's Diapepsin instantly neutralizes the acids in the stomach, stops food fermentation or souring, absorbs gases and starts the digestion. The relief is quick, sure, wonderful—stomach sufferers have a pleasant surprise awaiting them.

Advertisement for Pape's Diapepsin.

Topeka Table Costs

Father's Opinion. Mary had a little lamb Once upon a time But that was long before The price began to climb She took it to a butcher shop And asked, "What will it bring?" Now Mary has no little lamb She's sold the poor dear thing.

It's time for the good housewife to innovate the expensive dollar for her last hope for relief from high prices in food stuff, has vanished. With the coming of warm weather, some thought the good old reliable hen would rush to the rescue and do her full duty, but reports from poultry owners are that she has caught the fever and refuses to turn in her full quota of eggs. She's sitting, and when a perfectly good hen of domestic proclivities, smacks up her mind to sit, the best thing to do is not only to let her sit but assist her in her desired results are obtained or know the reason why, many good women of Topeka will testify. They have tried, and failed, to break up the sitting habit among her hens. There must be a close relationship between a sitting hen and a lay good-for-nothing, loafing hen, for both are persistent sitters.

About the only way to beat the increase in prices is to get busy with business end of the garden square and "dig in." It may cause a few blistered hands but better blisters on the hand than the bank roll, they heal quicker.

The following quotations prevail today: Eggs, 25 cents per dozen. Sugar, 14 cents per pound. Flour, \$1.15 per hundred. Strawberries, fancy, 15 cents pint box. Green and wax beans, 20 cents pound. Tomatoes, 20 cents pound. Sweet potatoes, 10 cents for 3 pounds. Celery, dwarf, 18 cents bunch. Radishes, 5 cents bunch. Onions, 5 cents bunch. Beets, 5 cents bunch. Turnips, 5 cents bunch. Carrots, 5 cents bunch. Spinach, 12 cents pound. Bananas, 25 cents dozen. Honey, 20 cents pound. Home grown rhubarb, 12 cents pound. Cabbage, 2 cents pound. Oranges, 50 to 55 cents dozen.

Beef 21 Cents a Pound. It is much the same with almost every other article of food normally within reach of people of moderate means. No cargoes of rice have been held up by the police boats of the allied powers—yet rice, which in January, 1915, was 4.9 cents per pound, today brings 10.2 cents. Mutton, the principal meat consumed in Greece, was 19 cents a pound a year ago; now it fetches 19 cents—and Greece supplies her own mutton and to spare. Beef was 9.6 cents; now it is 21 cents a pound. Pork was 12.3 cents; now it is 19 cents; chickens were 58 cents; now they bring 72 cents—and the beef, pork and chickens consumed in Greece are raised in Greece. Fresh fish in a country where fishing is one of the leading occupations, brought 13 1/2 to 15 cents a year ago—and now run from 75 cents to \$1.05.

HORSES BURNED IN BARN. Trash Fire Left Unwatched Ignites Building Near Montrose.

Mankato, Kan., March 27.—Charles Ryan, living near Montrose, set fire to a pile of trash and after it had burned a while left home for a few hours. Upon his return it was discovered that the wind had risen and set fire to the barn, burning two horses, a considerable quantity of feed and his harness.

STARVE AMID PLENTY. Greece's Predicament Due to Lack of Distribution System.

Athens, March 27.—Greece is much more likely to be starved into war than Germany is to be starved out of it, said a prominent official of the present Greek government to the Associated Press correspondent. The expression is scarcely accurate, for while the prices of the ordinary commodities of life, and especially foodstuffs,

have in many instances doubled and in virtually all instances greatly increased in the past year, the fault is largely with Greece, if there be serious discomfort in the country it is quite as much due to bad internal management as to the mastery of the Mediterranean maintained by the Franco-British fleet. The "starving" process, therefore, is much more apt to lead to trouble for the present Greek cabinet than, unaccompanied by any other circumstance, to Greece's enforced participation in the war.

Desperate for Food. For the common people of Greece the situation is rapidly growing desperate. The streets of Athens are alive with beggars. The Island of Samos is in a state of sporadic revolt. The Mediterranean maintained by the Franco-British fleet. The "starving" process, therefore, is much more apt to lead to trouble for the present Greek cabinet than, unaccompanied by any other circumstance, to Greece's enforced participation in the war.

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25 Years Ago in Topeka

From the columns of THE STATE JOURNAL

March 27—1891. D. O. McGray was on the witness stand this afternoon and testified that in 1888 he was associate editor of the Topeka Daily Capital. On Oct. 18, 1888 the day of the exposition at Coffeyville, C. A. Heirle, came to the Capital office at least twice—once between nine and ten o'clock in the forenoon, and again in the afternoon.

The testimony which was unshaken on cross-examination is important as the prosecution has tried to show that Heirle placed the dynamite box in the office at Coffeyville the same day.

Tonight is your last chance to register. Police Captain Tim Donovan is one of the happiest men in Topeka today although last night he was the victim of misplaced confidence.

As they passed the Captain's house at 211 Madison the Sergeant suggested that perhaps the other officers had stopped there and all hands should arrive. The captain fell into the trap and opened his front door—and forgot all about the poker game. His brother officers and their wives were all there and having a good time.

The captain was presented with a handsome upholstered chair as a token of esteem from the boys of the force. The chair was the best that he could find and the captain says it is too good for his home.

Mattie Keene, who is playing a week's engagement at the Grand with the Dayton Comedy company was born in Topeka and passed all her school life here being educated at Lincoln school and Lehigh. She left Topeka nine years ago and has been on the stage eight years. Her Topeka friends will remember her as Matty Keener.

Teacher—Johnny, if four men are working eleven hours a day—Johnny—Hold on, ma'am. Nix on them non-union problems, please.—Pack.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

Advertisement for Bell-Ans.

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The Store of Courtesy and Service

Continuing tomorrow—the great 25c sale

in the BARGAIN BASEMENT

—a sale of greatest importance. —a sale that offers rare opportunities to save. —a sale of under-bought, new, Spring merchandise of the most dependable quality at very much less than the regular prices!

Women's 50c Summer Petticoats; good, full ones of excellent quality, striped gingham with wide, plaited flounces; all sizes. 25c Band Aprons; wide, full length ones of closely woven, standard quality gingham. 25c

Notions Black Silk Thread; mill lengths of a well known brand, the name of which we agreed not to mention—boxes of 12 spools. 25c 5c Cotton Thread for either hand or machine use; 6-cord; all sizes in white and black. 25c 10c Box Stationery; good quality writing paper with envelopes to match. 25c

Ribbons 25c Fancy Ribbons; beautiful floral, striped, checked and plaid patterns in all colors; for hat and dress trimmings, for sashes and girdles, for bows, etc.—2 yards. 25c

Undermuslins 50c Muslin Drawers; a nice, soft quality of muslin finished with embroidery. 25c Night Gowns; the full, standard size of soft-finished muslin, neatly trimmed—big bargains at 25c. 25c Corsets; Covers of an excellent quality soft-finished muslin, attractively trimmed with laces and embroideries—on sale. 25c

Hosiery Silk Boot Hose; good high ones of fine thread silk; all sizes in pink, blue, gray, lavender, tan, etc.—rare bargains. 25c Women's 19c Stockings; fast black, with reinforced feet and deeper garter tops; all sizes. 25c Children's 12 1/2c Stockings; medium and heavy ribbed for girls and boys; fast black, standard dye with heels and toes that will last the youngsters a long, long time; all sizes on sale. 25c

Handkerchiefs Men's 5c Handkerchiefs; full size, soft finish with narrow hem. 25c Women's 10c and 15c Handkerchiefs; some with embroidered corners and some with plain narrow hems—rare bargains at our price of 25c. 25c

Lace-embroidery 5c Lace Insertions—dozens and dozens of patterns, fine for trim m in e Summer dresses, waists and under-muslins. 25c (Bargain Basement—Pelletier's)

Towels 15c and 19c Huck Towels of a good, firm quality with neat red borders; will wash easily and give excellent wear. 25c 5c Barber Towels; fine, soft, closely woven and very durable—and at the lowest price ever quoted. 25c 5c Twill Towelling; the bleached with red borders; excellent for kitchen towels, roller towels, etc.—on sale. 25c

Pillow cases 19c Pillow Cases; the standard 12 1/2x16-inch size of a firm quality of soft-finished casing, with wide hems. 25c Cotton batts 10c and 12 1/2c Batts of the best grade, soft, white cotton; the good size ones. 25c (Bargain Basement—Pelletier's)

Toilet goods Up to 25c Toilet Goods; every one measuring up fully to the requirements of the Pure Druza Law. Face Powders Toilet Waters Talcum Powders Toilet Creams Face and Hand Lotions—all on special sale Tuesday, just the one day. 25c

Toilet soap Hard milled Toilet Soaps; Castile, Glycerine, Peroxide, etc.; big cakes of nicely performed Toilet Soaps. 25c

Boys' Boys' School Waists; plain colors and fancy striped and figured patterns; sizes 5 to 15 years; a whole lot of better Waists than are usually offered at 25c. Up to 75c Caps; good, serviceable ones for every-day wear; a variety of styles of fancy, that mixtures—your choice. 25c

Men's Men's Dress Shirts; none worth less than 50c—and many of them a whole lot more. Some are pretty well soiled but they're rare bargains at 25c. Men's Four-in-Hand Ties; the wide, flowing end style of good quality silk in an excellent line of patterns and colors—on sale. 25c Men's 10c Socks of fast black, closely knit cotton with double heels and toes and neat fitting ankles—on sale. 25c 15c and 19c Socks; fast black, fine thread, seamless with double toes and heels. 25c

Candy 50c Chocolates. We want you to become familiar with our 25c chocolates (they're the kind most stores sell at 50c) and so we are going to sell them at a quarter. The finest and purest of whipped cream centers with either milk or bitter-sweet coating—on sale, per pound. 25c All our 10c and 15c Candies; more than a dozen different kinds, on sale. 25c 35c music—25c High Class Music—at a very decided saving, Tuesday. Among the pieces on sale are Araby Dear Old Girl A Perfect Day Mother Machree My Mothers Rosary A Little Bit of Heaven I'm Simply Crazy Over You—all of our regular 35c Music will be on special sale Tuesday at 25c (Bargain Basement—Pelletier's)

MUTT & JEFF—The Czar May Stand Strong in Russia, But That Don't Get Him Much Here

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