

BARR DESCRIBES BIRD'S EYE VIEW

Versatile Writer Saw Work on Illinois Side Yesterday and Tells About it in An Interview.

GIVES IT CLASSIFICATION

Appears to Him Like One of the Largest in Plan and Execution in the World Except at Panama.

Dr. G. Walter Barr has a well developed faculty of describing anything, whether it be the scene in a court room, an airship flight or the work of a construction gang.

"The works on the Illinois side look like one of the biggest things in engineering under way," says Dr. Barr.

"From a little distance, where one may have a birdseye view, the appearance is that of a large manufacturing plant. The collection of arid buildings covering many acres of ground are seen under a cloud of steam and smoke which fills the sky line.

"There is not much beauty in the scene, but it is the apotheosis of work and activity. When the artist is pushed aside by the engineer, the latter sees that it really is a big construction plant—probably the largest in plan and execution now in the world except at Panama.

While it is often impossible to prevent an accident, it is never impossible to be prepared—it is not beyond any one's purse.

Thibetan Tricksters.

Fraud nestles even on the "roof of the world." In other words, the unsophisticated Thibetan does little cheating on his own account.

New Brown Bread Recipe

Never soggy—Easily made By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

Nearly everybody likes Boston brown bread, but so many have experienced trouble with its being soggy, they have become discouraged.



K C Brown Bread One and one-half cup yellow cornmeal; 1 1/2 cup entire-wheat flour; 1 teaspoon salt; 1 1/2 cup sweet milk; 1/4 cup molasses; 5 level teaspoonsfuls K C Baking Powder.

Sift together, three times, meal, flour, salt and baking powder. Mix molasses and sweet milk and stir into dry ingredients to make a smooth batter.

Readers of this paper may obtain The Cook's Book containing this and 89 other delicious recipes free by sending the colored certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K C Baking Powder to the JAGURS MFG. CO., Chicago.

DIAMOND JO DEAL INCOMPLETE

President Morton Says Streckfus Has Option But Has Not Closed.

Dubuque Telegraph-Herald: Notwithstanding the announcement made Friday by D. W. Wishard, traffic manager of the Streckfus Steamboat line, that that company had purchased the four big passenger and freight steamers together with all of the wharves, warehouses and boat yards of the Diamond Jo line.

Inquiry at the Dubuque offices of the Diamond Jo line, Saturday brought about the information that while the deal is pending it is almost a certainty that President Streckfus will take over the property of the Diamond Jo line, and will continue the packet trade as has been the custom of the present owners of the passenger boats Quincy, Dubuque, St. Paul and Sidney.

Exposition is Opened. MANILA, Feb. 7.—The largest industrial exposition ever held in the Philippines was opened today by state officials. A big fleet of warships was on hand to assist.

7,000 Are Dead.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—A Reuter dispatch from Peking says that there have been 7,000 deaths from the plague in Manchuria.

Clash is Expected.

PANAMA, Feb. 7.—An early clash is expected between 15,000 Columbian troops and a large revolutionary force in Cauca province.

COMPANY L IS ACTIVE

Will Undergo Two Inspections During Next Month and Will Give a Military Ball on February 27

SEVERAL VACANCIES

Company Invites Any Young Men Interested to Visit Armory on Drill Nights Where They Will be Welcome.

The next four weeks will team with activities for Company L of the Fifty-fourth Iowa regiment during which a big military ball will be given and the company will undergo two inspections, one by the state and the other by the United States government.

Those familiar with military legislation will recall the bill recently passed, known as the Dick bill, by virtue of which the military companies of the country are subject to a direct call from the government and in time of need may be summoned without having to be mustered in as government troops, thus obviating a delay that has been occasioned in the past.

Preliminary Inspection. In order that the state of Iowa may ascertain in what shape the various companies are in a preliminary inspection has been arranged for and will be made by Lieutenant Mumma of the United States cavalry, who is in charge of the military department at the University of Iowa.

A Military Ball. Activities about the armory have never been so many nor so entertaining as at the present time. Indoor baseball is being played and a good team is being developed, while many are attracted by rifle practice, which is now being held. The company here expects to develop some mighty good marksmen before the first year rolls by.

To Conquer Fog Germ. Many years have been devoted by Sir Oliver Lodge to the study of fogs, with the hope of discovering some means of dispersing them.

Lagrippe Coughs. Strain and weaken the system and if not checked may develop into pneumonia. No danger of this when Foley's Honey and Tar is taken promptly. It is a reliable family medicine for all coughs and colds, and acts quickly and effectively in cases of croup. Refuse substitutes. Wilkinson & Co.

ST. MARY'S BOWLING LEAGUE CLOSED

Grand Leaders Make a Clean Sweep, Winning Eleven Straight Games, Losing None.

The St. Mary's league has closed and the Grand Leader team awarded the pennant having won 11 straight games without meeting a defeat.

TWO BANDITS ON STREET CAR

Conductor Grappled With Them and They Finally Took to Their Heels.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Two daring bandits early today made a desperate attempt to hold up a street car within two blocks of a police station. There was only one passenger on the car when the men boarded it.

Was Out of Work.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—J. VanHassell, aged 35, a German singer, shot and killed himself today because he was unable to get a position.

Bread Upon the Waters.

A kindness done to the good is never lost.—Plautus.

How to Treat the Feet.

Many men and women, and especially clerks, suffer with aching, swollen and sweaty feet. Others suffer much from cold feet, or corns and callouses. This form of misery can be readily banished by the simple daily use of antiseptic vilane powder, a specific of extraordinary virtues.

Obtain two ounces of vilane powder from any leading druggist and to a gallon of steaming water add a teaspoonful of salt. Immerse the feet in this every night for a few weeks, ten to twenty minutes, and it will soothe, heal and remove all poisons and soreness. Corns and callouses disappear and cold feet soon become unknown.

60 Years Old, and Says:

"I had always been troubled with constipation and had taken a great many different kinds of pills and laxatives, but could never get satisfactory relief until I bought a package of Blackburn's CascaRoyal-Pills, and they gave me relief at once, and do not gripe or sicken. They are a God-send to anyone troubled as I was. I shall never be without them."

JAMES CURRANS, Woodstock, O.

If you are old or young, and troubled with constipation and attendant ills, write today for a free trial package of Blackburn's CascaRoyal-Pills. Addressing a postcard to The Blackburn Produce Co., Dayton, Ohio. Sold by all dealers at 10c and 25c.



Supreme Court Decisions.

[Special to The Gate City.] DES MOINES, Feb. 7.—State of Iowa, appellant, against Guthrie, Polk district, affirmed.

Harris, appellant, against Magee, Woodbury district, affirmed.

Blain, appellant, against Incorporated Town of Montezuma, Poweshiek, affirmed.

Healy against Tyler, appellant, Woodbury district, affirmed.

Broughton against Nicholson, appellant, Appanoose district, affirmed.

Russell against Russell, appellant, Woodbury district, affirmed.

Wicks against German Loan and Investment Co., appellant, O'Brien district, affirmed.

Ruby against Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Co., appellant, Appanoose district, reversed and remanded.

Forsyth against Kluckhohn, appellant, Plymouth district, reversed.

State of Iowa against Ed. Traschel, appellant, Davis district, reversed.

Cable against City of Cedar Rapids, appellant, Linn district, reversed.

You Needn't keep on feeling distressed after eating, nor belching, nor experiencing nausea between meals. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures dyspepsia—it strengthens the stomach and other digestive organs for the proper performance of their functions. Take Hood's.

Where Money Awaits. Many persons have died in Cape Colony and Rhodesia leaving money for their unknown heirs. The lists include the following estates: James Bell, £22,111; Henry J. Collins, £669; Philip Galan, £707; F. W. Harding, £517; John C. Jamieson, £677; George Neale, £1445; Thomas E. Pryce, £897; Emma Williams, £577; Henry J. Grant, £416; Samuel Wilson, £2812; Elizabeth Reddall, £2848, and John Williams, £1702.

Among numerous persons wanted for "something to their advantage" are G. H. Simpson of Manchester, a retired solicitor, and afterwards a journalist; Eliza P. Everett of Shepherd's Bush in 1875; R. S. Searle, who

MILD, GENTLE LAXATIVE FOR WOMEN GIVEN FREE

So many of the ills of women are due to habitual constipation, probably because of their false modesty on the subject, that their attention cannot be too strongly called to the importance of keeping the bowels open. It is always important to do that, regardless of the sex, but it is especially important in women.

From the time the girl begins to menstruate until menopause ceases she has always vastly better prospects of coming through healthily if she watches her bowel movements. If you find yourself constipated, with bad breath, pimply complexion, headaches, belching gas and other symptoms of indigestion and constipation, take a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is a woman's favorite laxative. You will find that you can do away with salts, strong cathartics, etc., which

IS YOUR NAME IN THIS LIST

List of Some of the People Who Have Money Waiting in England for Them to Go and Claim.

ESTATES ARE INVOLVED

Thousands of Advertisements Have Been Published in Hopes of Finding Trace of People Wanted.

The search for missing English people, some of whom have money awaiting them, goes on. On this subject Sidney H. Preston, a chancery official, writes the following letter to the London Times, dated from "Lonsdale Chambers, 27, Chancery Lane, W. C.":

"During the memorable year which closed today, some thousands of advertisements have been published by officials, solicitors and others, inquiring for missing heirs, relatives and legatees. These notices often possess more than a transitory value, while others are of an extraordinary and romantic character. Permit me, therefore, to send you my annual summary of the more interesting cases for the year.

"The estate of Mary Ellison of Wigan has fallen to my majesty the king, in right of his duchy of Lancaster; and the relations of William Gelder, who was born in 1774, and advertised for in 1853, are missing. Emily Martin who rendered services to an Australian lady about ten years ago is a missing legatee; also Francis Dixon who is believed to have drowned at sea in 1875. The sons of William Piggott of Camberwell who died forty years ago, may benefit under an intestacy; H. S. Sparrow who suddenly disappeared from his lodgings at Newmarket is sought. The grandchildren of Gen. Richard West, one of whose sons died in India in 1885, are advertised for; also the childrep of Elizabeth Cooper (nee Carlton), who was born in Leeds in 1786. The next of kin of Henry James, who died at Liverpool in 1870, are interested in an estate in chancery; news is sought of William Evans, supposed to have been drowned in Port Talbot Dock; and the relations of Frank Gaudin, who served in the American civil war, are wanted. Alderman Alfred Barratt of Birmingham has left £8000 to his missing son; and William Bray, deaf and dumb, who was last seen at Penzance fair in 1894, is inquired for. Annie Carr, who left England with her foster-mother thirty years ago, is missing; also Mary Jane Johnson, who migrated to America in 1857; Mary H. Arrowsmith, who went to Canada in 1894, and has not since been heard of; an absent legatee; the heirs of Sarah Bacon of London and Philadelphia are wanted; information is sought of T. J. Belton, who left England in 1888, and assumed the name of Fairfield; and good news awaits Sidney Froome, last heard from in New York. Frederick Solomon, who married an actress and went to New York, where he was employed at the Casino; and George Daly, who was born in New York in 1881, are both wanted for the benefit. The brothers and sisters of Anne Clegg of Rochdale; the children of Duncan McDougall, ship captain; the relations of Margaret Hay, who was born in South Africa in 1827, are all missing; and news is sought of Arthur Fenton, said to have been engaged on an orange plantation.

MADE FAMOUS BY DICKENS. Places Are Hardly Discoverable as One by One They Have Undergone Changes.

One by one the places made famous by Charles Dickens have undergone such changes that they are hardly discoverable. The rookeries in Tabard street, Southwark borough, among the last of these places are now being closed up and very soon this characteristic place of Dickensland in London will have passed away, the "housing committee" having determined for sanitary reasons that it must be obliterated. The Church of St. George the Martyr, which stands at one end of the street, is the house of worship immortalized as Little Dorrit's church, and on this account is visited every year by thousands of American admirers of the great novelist. Near the other end of the street was the Marshalsea prison for debtors, where Little Dorrit's father, a man with "a mild voice, curling hair and irresolute hands," as the years passed by became gray-haired and venerable and was known as "the father of the Marshalsea," a title which he grew to be ridiculously vain. And this character (much of the color of which Dickens is said to have taken from that of his own father) is one of the most pathetic in any of his novels.

But the medical officer for the district says it has long had a wicked reputation, and London cannot allow such a degraded and unhealthy spot to remain, no matter what its romantic and historic interest. Long before the days of Dickens this corner of Southwark was known as the hiding place of highwaymen and debtors of the worst description.

Another Fake Nailed.

Rats in a Nashua church ate up \$50 worth of hymns. Yet naturalist fakers say rodents have no taste for music.

DISCRIMINATION WINS !!!

In every walk in life discrimination between the true and the false wins and enjoys success. In questions of form, of style and of values, whether financial, commercial or medicinal, the judgement of the men and women who select and appreciate and utilize the true and genuine product, proves most profitable and most satisfactory to themselves and to all who follow them.

Therefore, in connection with so important a subject as the physical well-being of the people, the most eminent physicians insist on full information as to the wholesome nature and truly beneficial character of the component parts of the remedies used and prescribed by them, and the wise manufacturer not only supplies them with the knowledge desired, but also combines for them in proper proportions the very substances most approved by them and omits every objectionable substance. The world-wide acceptance of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna by physicians and the well-informed of the world, as the best of family laxatives, is due to the universal satisfaction which it has given for more than a quarter of a century and also to the fact that it is a remedy of known quality and known component parts and to the further fact that the California Fig Syrup Co. presents it to the world simply as the ideal strengthening personal laxative to cleanse and sweeten the system gently, yet effectually, and to dispel colds and headaches and to assist in overcoming constipation. To get its beneficial effects—always buy the original and genuine, for sale by all leading druggists. The full name of the company—California Fig Syrup Co.—is always plainly printed on the front of every package.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders of The State Central Savings Bank at the office of the bank at Keokuk, Iowa, on Thursday, February 16, 1911, at three o'clock p. m., to consider and vote on the subject and manner of increasing the capital of the said The State Central Savings bank from One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars to Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000) Dollars.

When the Japanese Advertise. The Japanese have an original way of advertising and they apply to the art all the poetry that their oriental imagination is capable of, an exchange says. They have recourse to the most varied and improvised methods and their combinations are sometimes as picturesque as they are original. A Japanese merchant informs his customers that his goods are sent off with the rapidity of a shot. A stationer calls his knowledge of history to his aid thus: "Our wonderful paper is as durable as the hide of an elephant." A Tokyo grocer borrows from psychology, and, in mordant language, announces that "Our vinegar of extra quality is sharper than the bitterness of the most diabolical of mothers-in-law."

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"Dr. Miles' Nervine Raised Me From the Grave"—Mrs. Taylor

This is a strong statement to make, but it is exactly what Mrs. Thomas Taylor, of Blum, Texas, said in expressing her opinion of this remedy.

"Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine raised me from the grave and I have much confidence in it. I can never say enough for your grand medicine. If anyone had offered me \$1000 for the second bottle of Nervine that I used I would have said 'no indeed.'"

Nervous exhaustion is a common occurrence of modern life. The wear and tear on the nervous system is greater now than at any time since the world began. For sleeplessness, poor appetite and that "run down" feeling, nothing is so good as

Dr. Miles' Nervine

Your nerves are your life and lack of vital energy makes existence a misery. Dr. Miles' Nervine will tone up your nervous system. Ask any druggist. If the first bottle fails to benefit, your money is returned.

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If you haven't tried this sweet, crisp food there's a "treat" in store.

Order a package from Grocer and share in the good breakfast enjoyed daily by thousands of good livers.

Post Toasties are served direct from the package, with cream or milk—and sometimes fruit.



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