

COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETING

Chicken Pie Supper Enjoyed by Only a Small Number.

It is a lamentable fact that so few of the Commercial club members were out Friday night at the regular weekly meeting of the club, and to partake of the delicious chicken-pie supper served by the ladies of the Congregational church. But those who did attend feel that they were fully repaid for doing so, as the hot supper, properly served, with hot coffee at a time when they were hungry enough to appreciate the efforts of the ladies who so faithfully carried out their promise of a good supper, was just the thing.

After the supper was disposed of, the club members returned to the business of the evening. J. W. Orr read a communication from the Kinnebeck Construction Co., stating that it would be possible for Vinita to secure the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, now surveyed east of this city, and advising that the matter be taken up with the promoters of the road. A committee composed of Dr. Oliver Bagby, J. W. Orr and W. R. McGeorge was appointed to investigate the matter.

The committee appointed to report on the advisability of reducing the salary of the secretary recommended that he be allowed 15 per cent. of all money collected by him for the club, and that he and the treasurer be required to make a monthly report.

The park question was then taken up, but as the city council had taken no action on the subject the club did nothing except to discuss a proposition made by the nurserymen of Troy, O., to furnish 600 North Carolina poplar trees for \$500, or broad-leaf elms at a rate of one dollar each.

It was decided to ask the city council to co-operate with the club in the work of improving the parks.

No More Suffering.

If you are in trouble with indigestion get a bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and see how quickly it will cure you. Geo. A. Thomason, of Spencer, Ia., says: "Have had dyspepsia for twenty years. My case was almost hopeless. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was recommended and I used a few bottles of it and it is the only thing that has relieved me. Would not be without it. Have doctored with local physicians and also at Chicago, and even went to Norway with hopes of getting some relief, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only remedy that has done me any good, and I heartily recommend it. Every person suffering with indigestion or dyspepsia should use it." Sold by People's drug store. dw

The Sequoyah Club.

The Sequoyah club will hold its next session, January 7, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Sanders and Mrs. W. P. Thompson will lead. The life and poems of Byron will be studied and discussed. The program follows:

1. Short sketch of Mad Jack Byron—Mrs. Davidson.
2. Biography of Catharine Gordon—Mrs. Blakeney.
3. The Effect of Heredity and Environment upon the Life and Writings of Lord Byron—Mrs. Johnston.
4. Constraint and Hypocrisy of English Society in the Time of Lord Byron—Mrs. Lahlman.
5. Paper, Lord George Gordon Noel Byron—Mrs. Thompson.
6. Comparison of Manfred and Faust—Mrs. Gill.
7. Child Harold; Reading and Remarks—Mrs. Haisell.

R-I-P-A-N-S-Tabsules

Doctors find A good prescription For mankind. The 5-cent packet is enough for usual occasions. The family bottle (60 cents) contains a supply for 1 year. All druggists sell them. dw

Jack For Sale.

If you want to buy a strictly good three-year-old jack, inquire at this office. dw-11

Give father credit for one thing at least.

At his place at the table there are no wads of chewing gum on the under side.

Cured Paralysis.

W. S. Baily, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also used it for old sores, frostbites and skin eruptions. It does the work." 25c, 50c and 1 lb. People's drug store. dw

Why do people always laugh at a newly married couple? What's the joke?

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Holiday Rates.

On Dec. 20, 21, 22 and 26, 1904 the Frisco will sell round trip tickets at one fare plus \$2.00 to all points in Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina and to many points in Colorado, Illinois, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, North Dakota, Wyoming, Tennessee, Kentucky. These tickets will be good for return passage 30 days from date of sale. Through sleeper Springfield, Mo., to Jacksonville, Fla., via Memphis, Birmingham and Atlanta daily.

The best part of some sermons is the conclusion reached by the preacher.

A new discovery for all coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc., is Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. It cuts phlegm, draws out the inflammation, cures all coughs, strengthens the lungs and bronchial tubes and assists in expelling a cold from the system by gently moving the bowels. Pleasant to take and contains no opiates. It is the children's friend. Sold by People's drug store. dw

If you would have your affection reciprocated, get stuck on yourself.

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The more we tell our troubles the larger they seem to grow.

Mother's Best

of the health of your children. Look out for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Sold by People's drug store. dw

It is quite safe to judge a man by the things he doesn't do.

Heart Flutters.

Undigested food and gas in the stomach, located just below the heart presses against it and causes heart palpitation. When your heart troubles you in that way take Herbine for a few days. You will soon be all right. 50c at People's drug store. dw

Some men are too busy to make friends and others are too lazy to make enemies.

A Timely Topic.

At this season of coughs and colds it is well to know that Foley's Honey and Tar is the greatest throat and lung remedy. It cures quickly and prevents serious results from a cold. Sold by People's Drug Store. dw

When women kiss each other it is merely an illustration of the natural wastefulness of the sex.

Account Christmas and New Year holidays Frisco will sell excursion tickets to the north, northeast and northwest to points in Colorado, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming and Wisconsin. Dates of sale Dec. 20, 21, 22 and 26, 1904. Final limit 30 days from date of sale. Rate one fare plus \$2. For further particulars see Frisco agent.

A man must not only mold his own character; he must employ a waterman to guard it.

Holiday Rates.

On Dec. 24, 25, 26 and 31, 1904, Jan. 1 and 2, 1905, the Frisco will sell round trip tickets between all points on the Frisco west of the Mississippi river also to many points on other lines at one fare plus 50 cents. Tickets sold on the dates will be good for return until Jan. 4, 1905.

L. W. PRICE

Account holidays Frisco will sell teachers and students from educational institutions to their home at rate of one and one-third fare for round trip. Applicants for these rates must hold certificates from a proper officer of the institution. Dates of sale, closing day of institution and day following. Return limit, to the day the institution re-opens. For full particulars see Frisco agent. No ticket of this class sold for less than \$1.00

Wanted—A paper carrier. A bright boy that has a pony and is willing to hustle can get a good job after four o'clock every afternoon except Sunday carrying a route for The Daily Christian. Apply to Will Marrs.

Account Christmas and New Year Holidays Frisco will sell round trip tickets to all local points at rate of one fare plus fifty cents, except where one and one-third fare makes less rate, minimum selling rate fifty cents. Dates of sale Dec. 24, 25, and 31, 1904 and Jan. 1, 1905. Final return limit Jan. 4, 1905. For further particulars see Frisco agent.

Christmas Trees.

Those desiring Christmas trees can get them from me by ordering them in time. Either church tree or family tree, large or small. I will have supply in time for Christmas. T. J. McCain.

NOTES OF THE FASHIONS.

Modish Fancies That Are in Evidence in the Costumes of the Season.

For ceremonious gowns the most popular colors are white, wine, mastic, putty and chalk and all of the new silks and veilings may be found in these shades.

Coats of fur and of cloth are in many instances girdled with suede. Very seldom is the suede plain. It may be adorned with cloth, and very often is it embroidered. Gold threads are usually in such satebery. Not infrequently braiding is also employed.

Even in the matter of mourning fashion rules and one usually bows to her edicts. But to-day fashion is less rigid in mourning apparel than formerly and far less funereal crepe is worn either as trimming or in veils. For mourning veils fine, heavy bordered grenadine and light chiffon are the most popular and most comfortable materials.

The girl whose waist measure exceeds 24 inches will find that a girde that is boned under the arms and droops to a decided point back and front decidedly decreases the apparent size of her waist. The long sloping line will afford grace and slenderness and the addition of a short sash in the back will prove wonderfully becoming.

A striking feature of a white cloth evening pelisse is the sling sleeve. This peculiar sleeve is very full and stirred up onto a shallow yoke. It is edged along the open part (the sling) with sable. From the front this opening is quite like some very old-fashioned garments. From the back the sleeves look like huge puffs. In addition to being edged around the neck and down the fronts with the fur it is adorned with two puffs of the cloth. The lowest one is four inches above the edge. One goes around on a line with the bust. The sleeve, to return to the very novel feature, does not fall far below the elbow, giving opportunity to show the dress sleeve.

Brown in any number of old and new shades is undoubtedly the fashionable color this winter, and is made up in all costumes, from the simplest morning dress to the most elaborate reception gown. For walking suits and severe tailor gowns dark-brown or chocolate is a favorite shade, but for a dressier style of costume brighter colors are more in vogue, and mustard brown, golden brown, mulberry brown and an almost indefinite number of other new and fascinating shades are popular. When there are so many different tones to choose from it is a simple matter for one and all to be sulid, so that if one desires to be rather strikingly gowned there is the unusual mustard color to be had, while if the dress is to be worn hard and often the less conspicuous shades are best.

WATER THE BEST MEDICINE

Glass First Thing in the Morning One of the Best Internal Cleaners Known.

Drink a glass of water when you get out of bed in the morning. Never mind the size of the glass. Let the water be cold if you will, says a health authority. Some people prescribe hot water, but that isn't necessary. You may have washed your face already and relished the experience. You may have taken a cold plunge into the tub and delighted in the shock and its reaction. The brisk use of the tooth-brush has left your mouth clean and the breath sweet. But you are dirty still.

Drink a glass of cold water and enjoy the sensation of being clean inside. All that is luxurious in the cold bath cleansing the outside is artificial. That which should prompt the glass of water after sleeping is natural. As a test, tell the three-year-old protestant against his morning scrub of cold water that he may escape it by drinking half a pint of the fluid.

Sleep has drawn upon the water in the blood, and the instinct of the animal, under natural conditions, is to replenish the circulatory system and dilute the blood vessels anew. The food in the stomach which had a chance to do toward inducing sleep has disappeared, leaving a mucous substance in the alimentary canals. Yet man would wash his face and leave these half-clogged canals to the duties of another day.

Drink a glass of cold water in the name of cleanliness. It becomes one of the shortest and easiest of toilet duties. It is swallowed in a second, and in five minutes it has passed from the stomach, taking with it the clogging secretions of the alimentary tracts. It has left behind the stimulus that goes with cold water, and, by filling the arterial system to the normal it puts a spur to the circulation that has grown sluggish in the night.

Maple Custard.

Beat five eggs until a spoonful can be lifted without stringing. Add one-half cup of maple syrup, a salt-spoonful of salt, stir well, then add three cupfuls of milk and strain into a mold or individual cups. Wet the inside of the cups with cold water. The hot water in the pan in which the custards are set to bake should not boil after baking is begun.—Washington Star.

Hopeless.

"Do you think I shall ever have normal peace?" "Perhaps," replied Mr. Henpeck, with a sad, far-away look, "but it'll not seem to my time."—Chicago Record-Herald.

STILL AT IT.

Tableau Booz Fighters Have More Bad Luck.

Deputies Gray and Spears got their clutches on a box and a barrel of all that makes life worth living, at the depot at noon.

Thursday, Marshal Gray in the post-office, by chance saw a woman fill out a money order addressed to a whiskey firm at Fort Smith, signing the name, "Alabama Ward, Melvin, I. T." He figured out that the bait of greed would ride the rails about Saturday morning, and the 11:29 from Fayetteville steamed in at the depot with the two minions of the law on the gravel platform.

In the express car was found a box containing whiskey addressed to "A. B. Carter, Melvin." A further inspection showed that "Alabama Ward" had been remembered with a whole barrel.

The barrel, which will be opened by the Commissioner this afternoon, is thought to be gin.

Both names, "Carter" and "Ward" are fictitious.—Tableau Leader.

There can be no economy, from a woman's point of view, without lunch for breakfast once in a while.



"Love lightens labor," the saying runs, and in a sense it is true. But even love cannot lighten labor or make it easy for the woman who is in constant suffering from inflammation, bearing-down pains or other womanly diseases. The one thing that can make work easy for women is sound health, and Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the thing that will give sound health to sick women. Dr. Pierce has so much faith in his "Prescription" that he offers to pay \$500 in legal money of the United States for any case of Leucorrhoea, Female Weakness, Protrusion, or Falling of the Womb which he cannot cure. All he asks is a fair and reasonable trial of his means of cure. "I suffered from female weakness for five months," writes Miss Belle Hedrick, of New Putnam Co., W. Va. "I was treated by a good physician but he never seemed to do me any good. I wrote to Dr. R. V. Pierce for advice, which I received, telling me to take his 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' When I had used the medicines a month my health was much improved. It has continued to improve until now I can work at almost all kinds of housework. I had scarcely any appetite, but it is all right now. Have gained several pounds in weight. Dr. Pierce's medicines have done wonderfully well here. I would advise all who suffer from chronic diseases to write to Dr. Pierce. "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong, sick women well. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the paper-covered book, or 31 stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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