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THE ABOVE STYLES

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NATURAL ICE IS PASSING

Cheaper to Manufacture Than to Cut and Transport Article.

For several years past the business of the ice man of former days has been decreasing steadily, and at the present rate ere long he will find his occupation gone. It is no longer necessary to wait for cold weather to secure a supply of the refrigerating product; it can be produced easily and cheaply in the warmest weather by chemical processes, says the Chicago Chronicle. In the State of Maine, where in former years the harvesting of ice for market in more southern latitudes was carried to enormous proportions, the total quantity cut during the last winter, which embraced perfect conditions for the securing of a large crop, was but 485,000 tons, against 700,000 tons gathered in the winter of 1902-1903.

The advantages offered by chemistry and modern machinery for the production of ice and the perfect control of temperature at whatever degree desired, when and wherever needed, irrespective of climatic conditions, renders their mechanical requirements cheaper than can be obtained from natural ice when transportation from remote districts of storing and the great wastage of original bulk through melting is taken into consideration. In all manufacturing necessity for cooling and for maintaining uniform degrees of temperature, as well as certainty of control of such conditions, together with their greater economy, present systems of artificial refrigeration are crowding nature out of the field of competition and reducing the latter to chiefly local value.

Primaries in Florida.
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., May 11.—Every official elected by the people or appointed by the governor and every delegation, nominated by conventions was voted for in the primaries held throughout the State yesterday. One hundred and forty names were on the ticket in some counties, thus delaying returns.
From the precincts accounted for up to 7 o'clock last night, the indications point to the renomination of U. S. Senator James P. Tallahassee, Representative Robert W. Davis leads for governor, but a second primary in this case appears probable.

COMPLETE PROGRAM

OF EXERCISES FOR COMMENCEMENT WEEK AT THE FAIRMONT STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

TEN GRADUATES WILL GET DIPLOMAS—THE SCHOOL HAS HAD A PROSPEROUS YEAR.

The program for the commencement exercises at the Fairmont Normal School has been made out. It begins on the evening of June 6 and ends on the evening of June 15. All the students are working hard so as to be through their work and enjoy these exercises.

The graduating class, from present indications, will be composed of ten members. Their work will soon be completed and then it will be known exactly who will graduate. The exercises promise to be excellent throughout. The following is the program:

- Monday evening, June 6, Third Year Class program.
- Tuesday evening, June 7, Shakespearean contest.
- Wednesday evening, June 8, Recitation contest.
- Thursday evening, June 9, Select Oration contest.
- Friday evening, June 10, "Who is who" (opera house).
- Saturday evening, June 11, Fidelity Mutual Life Prize Essay contest.
- Sunday morning, June 12, Baccalaureate Sermon by Dr. Eakin.
- Monday morning, June 13, Junior Class program.
- Monday evening, June 13, Mozart program.
- Tuesday morning, June 14, Senior Class Day program.
- Tuesday evening, June 14, Lyceum program; address by Rev. Clark, class of 1872.
- Wednesday morning, June 15, Commencement Address, by Dr. Scovill.
- Wednesday afternoon, June 15, Alumni meeting.
- Wednesday evening, June 15, Alumni banquet.

All the exercises are free except Miss Simmons' play, "Who is Who," which will be given at the Grand Opera House. These exercises have always been largely attended. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

OOM PAUL

SPENDS MUCH TIME WALKING, READING AND PRAYING—HIS FRIEND IS IN THE UNITED STATES ON A VISIT.

NEW YORK, May 11.—T. J. Whelan of the Transvaal, and a friend of Oom Paul Kruger arrived this morning on the steamship Minnehaha from London. Mr. Whelan comes here to make a tour of the country and to visit the St. Louis Exposition. Before leaving France he visited the former Boer President at Mentone, France. He said that Oom Paul appeared to be very feeble and talked but little, though he still retains the full use of his wonderful intellect. "Oom Paul spends much of his time slowly walking about the grounds, carrying his Bible, meditating and praying."

YESTERDAY'S GAMES. National League.

- At Pittsburgh: Pittsburgh . . . 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 x—2 3 1
Philly. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 1 6
Batteries, Miller and Carisch; Sparks and Droin.
- At St. Louis: St. Louis . . . 5 0 1 2 0 1 0 x—11 37 0
New York . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 6 4
Batteries, McFarland and Grady; Matthewson, Milligan and Gowerman and Warner.
- At Chicago: Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 5 3
Batteries, Corridon and Kling; Fisher and Moran.
- At Cincinnati: Cincinnati . . . 0 7 0 1 0 1 0 0 x—9 10 6
Brooklyn . . . 2 0 0 1 0 2 2 0 0—7 8 3
Batteries, Hahn and Schlei; Poole Ready and Bergan.
- American League
At Boston: Boston 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 3—7 11 2
New York . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—2 8 3
Batteries, Gibson and Farrel; Powell and McGuire.
- All other games postponed Central League.
- At Wheeling: Wheeling 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 0—3 12 4
Marion 5 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—6 6 5
Batteries, Miller and Edwards; Merryman and Dooley.

Receiver Appointed.
NEW YORK, May 11.—Judge Holt of the U. S. Circuit Court to-day appointed Robert C. Morris, receiver for Floyd, Crawford & Company, the brokerage firm which announced its suspension yesterday.

BODY FOUND

IN A TREE MAY BE THAT OF HENRY BAXTER KINGSLEY, WHO HAS BEEN MISSING SINCE LAST NOVEMBER.

KINGSLEY ALWAYS CARRIED MONEY AND WORE FINE JEWELRY—WAS LAST SEEN AT NEW ROCHELLE.

NEW YORK, May 11.—The body of the man found in the branches of a tree half way down the side of Hook Mountain, just above Nyack, N. Y., may be that of Henry Baxter Kingsley, of Rutland, Vt., who disappeared mysteriously on November 14 last while on a visit to his cousin, Hugh H. Baxter, in New Rochelle. If the body proves to be that of Kingsley, his relatives are confident that he was murdered for the money and jewelry that he always carried. The description of the body, Mr. Baxter says tallies closely with that of Mr. Kingsley. Since the disappearance of Kingsley his relatives have spent thousands of dollars in an effort to get some definite information about him. On November 11 he left New Rochelle to come to this city, preparatory to taking a train for his home. Mr. Baxter and a party of friends came with him from New Rochelle. They parted at the New Grand Central Depot. Mr. Baxter and his party taking a train for New Haven to see the Yale-Princeton football game.

None of his relatives saw Kingsley after that. Detectives, however, traced him to various places in this city until November 14 when he seemed to have disappeared completely out of sight.

TO CLOSE UP BUSINESS

A HOUSE FURNISHING COMPANY IS IN FINANCIAL TROUBLE.

The Fairmont Household Supply Company, formerly the Ruddy Installment Company, made an assignment yesterday. P. R. Gailmard was appointed trustee. It is thought the creditors will not lose much as the resources are about equal to the liabilities. The company will close up business at once.

Y. M. C. A. DOINGS

A meeting of the young men of the Y. M. C. A. interested in an athletic meet is to be held at the Y. M. C. A. this evening.

Arrangements will be made for events to be contested for as follows: Broad jump, High jump, Two broad jumps, Hop, step and jump, High dive, Long dive, High kick, Potato race, Apparatus work. Medals will be awarded as prizes for first and second positions in each event. Already there are several entries and it is expected that there will be at least twenty-five young athletes compete.

The Juniors will hold their first social on Friday evening. Exercises in the gymnasium and social rooms will provide a program of interest. Each Junior will invite a guest who is not a member of the Association as a guest of the evening.

Representatives of the different young people's church societies will meet on Friday evening at 7:30 to confer with the religious work committee of the Y. M. C. A. in reference to the proposed series of Sunday outdoor meetings.

Arrangements will be considered for speakers. Music, time and place of these services will also be considered.

FREIGHT WRECK

OCCURRED AT MURPHY'S CUT JUST BEFORE NOON—NO ONE WAS HURT BUT TRAFFIC WAS DELAYED.

A bad freight wreck occurred in Murphy's cut, just West of the Fairmont Coal Company's shaft mine at 11:45 this morning.

A section of 86 hit a rock and several cars were demolished, contents ruined and track torn up for quite a distance. The wrecking crew was on the scene in a short time, but traffic was delayed several hours. Fortunately no one was injured.

C. D. Jenkins is in Clarksburg to-day on business.

CIVIL SERVICE PIANOFORTE RECITAL

ORGANIZATION WILL HAVE THIRTEEN DISTRICTS WITH HEAD-QUARTERS ESTABLISHED FOR MORE EFFICIENT WORK.

COMMISSIONER ALFRED M. COOLEY, PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE, IS HOME FROM INSPECTION TOUR.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 11.—After a tour of inspection from coast to coast, Civil Service Commissioner Alfred M. Cooley, President Roosevelt's personal representative on the Commission, has completed arrangements for the organization of the Civil Service in thirteen districts with headquarters from which the affairs of each district will be conducted and reported to the National headquarters in Washington. One of the defects in the present system is the division of time by postoffice employees between their work on the Postoffice Department and the Civil Service. At some points, like Cleveland and Indianapolis, the assistant postmasters are obliged to put in many extra hours with the routine of the Civil Service on the addition to their regular work. Mr. Cooley's idea is to carry the Civil Service agents at headquarters on the pay roll and assign them to the work of keeping records. Their records, he believes, will be more accurate, and the public service will be benefited. District No. 1 will consist of the New England States, except a part of Connecticut, with headquarters in Boston; District No. 2, New York State and part of Connecticut in New York; District No. 3, Pennsylvania, Maryland and West Virginia with headquarters at Philadelphia; District No. 4, Virginia and North Carolina, with headquarters at Richmond; District No. 5, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina and Florida, headquarters at Atlanta; District No. 6, Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, headquarters at Cincinnati; District No. 7, Michigan, Wisconsin and part of Illinois, headquarters at Chicago; District No. 8, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, headquarters at St. Paul; District No. 9, Iowa, Missouri and part of Illinois, Nebraska and Kansas, headquarters at St. Louis; District No. 10, Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Indian Territory, headquarters at New Orleans. The western States will be divided into three districts with headquarters in Denver, Portland, Ore., and San Francisco.

Only a Pair.
From the Saturday Evening Post
In his early practice, Dr. D. B. St. John Roosa, the eminent New York specialist, one day received a letter from a man living in a remote part of Connecticut. The writer explained that he was afflicted with growing deafness, and that a summer visitor to the neighborhood, had suggested his going to New York and consulting Dr. Roosa. After describing the symptoms the man ended by asking what was the probable nature of his trouble. Dr. Roosa suspected from the tone of his communication that the case was not for him, but he, of course, replied, advising the man to consult a local physician, and adding, in answer to his direct inquiry, "From what you say, I should presume that your difficulty arises from a diseased portion of the middle ear."

Two days later the doctor found this among his mail:
"Dear Sir—Yours received and contents noted. What do you take me for—a ring-streaked willipus-willipus? You talk about my middle ear; how many ears do you think I've got—three, or five? My ears may be pretty long, and I guess they are, or I wouldn't be writing to no New York doctor for advice, but I'd have you to understand that I've got just two of them, and no more, like other folks, so there ain't no middle one. Don't get fresh!"

Real Estate Transfers.
Howard D. Atha to Ida B. Kirkpatrick, lot in Burt addition to Mannington; consideration, \$290.
Martha H. Gaskins and husband to John H. Preston, lot in Lowe addition to Monongah; consideration, \$150.
John Carpenter and Abigail Carpenter to B. M. Carpenter, property in Winfield district; consideration, \$150.
Fairmont Building Investment Company to S. R. Fetty, property on Maryland and Ohio River Turnpike; consideration, \$2,850.
W. I. Nutter and wife to S. J. Sturm, property at Worthington; consideration \$1.00 and other valuables.
Levi B. Harr to W. J. LaFollette, property in Coogle addition to East Park, Fairmont; consideration, \$3,461.25.
Charles O. Hayhurst and wife to Tusca Morris et al., two lots in East Park; consideration, property on Sixth street, Fourth ward.
Tusca Morris et al., to Charles O. Hayhurst, property on Sixth street, Fourth ward; consideration, property in East Park and \$450.
T. F. Watson Improvement Company to William E. Watson, three pieces of real estate in Marion county, formerly owned by J. F. Conway; consideration, \$45,500.



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