

Color is added to Chicago's troubles by the painters' strike.

A New York court declares it is not a legal offense to say d—n. Another victory for Uncle Joe.

Persons and events may stand for a time between you and justice, but it is only a postponement.—Emerson.

Carnegie says the United States senate is the greatest legislative body in the world. This remark discloses another noble feature in Andy—gratitude. He hasn't forgotten past favors.

Ed. Stevens, of Eagle Lake, is no calamity howler, but he can see nothing in the present county option temperance movement, but the success of the democrats in the next campaign for state officers. Mr. Stevens is a rock-ribbed republican, too.

All persons, be they moderate drinkers or saloonkeepers, admit that the treating habit is a great curse. In a number of cities organizations have been formed to cut out this evil and we understand that there are a number of men in New Ulm who belong to the unorganized Anti-Treat Club.

For some time past we have been striving to decide upon the merits and demerits of the anti-saloon league, of this country, and save for the lack of published articles of incorporation, we have decided it can be considered only from the standpoint of a purely-business proposition. The most of the men at the fore front of the movement are not in it for the social or material advancement of their fellows only where such advancement can be made to have a personal application. In other words, for every inch they would lift their fellow men they expect to hoist themselves three feet financially and socially.—Mankato Weekly Ledger.

Our City.

There is no room for doubt but that our city with the united efforts of its enterprising citizens can greatly increase its business and enhance the value of property. Why is it that other towns in Minnesota smaller in size and with less natural advantages than New Ulm, are attracting capital and induce money men to erect factories and invest in some enterprise? It is because these towns are wide awake, watch their opportunity and liberally advertise their social, municipal and natural advantages. They have faith in themselves and therefore they attract. The high standard of our citizens ought to be an inducement for many to locate. The opportunities of our educational institutions is a feature greatly appreciated by all people who look for a new home. As a trading and shipping point our city ought to be among the leaders of Southern Minnesota. No place of its size in this section of the state receives greater shipments of merchandise or sends out more live stock, grain and flour.

Now, let us work and stimulate every legitimate enterprise by inviting and giving it all the friendly encouragement we can, and unite our industry, intelligence and capital in a common cause for the good of our city. Let us cultivate a public spirit and talk less and work more. Let us forget the differences of the past and invite a bright and hopeful future. Speak up, speak well, talk encouragingly of our city and its bright prospects. It is these many little considerations that make a town grow. Nature has showered upon us her choicest blessing and with perfect unity and effort for the good of our common cause, great will be the result. Next!

Traveling with Taft.

With the April issue of Human Life Alfred Henry Lewis concludes his profoundly interesting series of articles entitled "Traveling With Taft," which began with the December number.

In this instalment Mr. Lewis lays bare some astonishing facts connected with the Utah end of the presidential junket, which are the keys to much that has been puzzling in the situation. In Utah the great purpose was to construct a Taft machine. Thus it was that Reed Smoot and a committee of his fellow Mormons, more or less deeply wedded, received Mr. Taft and conveyed him to their Tabernacle, where he spoke, while the Gentle press, bitterly resentful yet mindful that he was the guest of their city, explained that the Mormons had betrayed his innocent ignorance. This was a shrewd and far-seeing move of



Koehler's "Portrait of My Son" in State Art Society Exhibition

the Taft managers. The Mormons are a power in politics,—just how powerful and just how and by whom controlled the average American has little idea, and this article will prove an eye-opener.

Every Mormon must give one-tenth of his yearly income to the church. What becomes of this vast income,—of these yearly titheborn millions? Here is a mighty money power, unguessed by the outside world. In the hands of a few shrewd leaders accountable to no one, it is sufficient to give them a finger in every Western money pie of any size—a hand in the affairs of railroads, banks, mines and manufacturing plants. What connection has Senator Smoot with this powerful ecclesiastical machine? Read and see. Is this why, when the Mormon church lifts its finger, Mr. Taft and the Republican party must take notice? Again, read and see. Human Life Publishing Co., Boston

Neurology and Penology.

The professors of neurology in three eastern medical colleges have issued a protest against the customary futile treatment of cases of drunkenness in the courts. The victim of alcoholism is usually either fined or sent to the workhouse, thus depriving his family of the money needed for its support. If he becomes a chronic inebriate he is sent to a hospital, treated for a while and then left to resume his bad habits.

In accordance with the suggestion of the neurologists a bill has been introduced into the New York legislature providing that a fine for the first offense shall be collected in installments, and the culprit not taken from his work. The punishment for the persistent offender may be accompanied by medical treatment. The plan is to provide special institutions where inebriates may receive treatment and be given healthful out-door work.

This is in line with the modern ideas of penology, that the aim of punishment should be reformatory rather than vindictive. In the case of the inebriate there is a peculiar appeal for consideration of the man's family. If he have one, and he usually has. It would be better, of course, if societies could keep him from drinking intoxicants at all.

The Prohibitionists assert that there are still cases of drunkenness in the prohibition states. Undoubtedly the best remedial treatment is the combination of restraint with proper medication and out-door labor, where that is possible.

When society comes to recognize drunkenness as a disease rather than a crime, this will be provided for. Millions are being appropriated by charity and legislation to fight tuberculosis. Alcoholism is just as threatening to present and future generations.—Mpls. Tribune.

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HALLEY'S COMET

When to Look for it.

Halley's comet's visit to the skies, after an absence of 75 years, is one of the events of a lifetime. While the popular frenzy and superstition associated with its appearance in 1456 are not to be looked for, it is safe to say that the nightly presence of this monster of celestial depths will excite universal interest. It is with a view of enabling one to keep track of this stranger that the following dates and facts are brought together:

- April 1—Comet's distance, 130,000,000 miles.
- April 4—Comet rises, 4:44 a. m.
- April 12—Comet moving more than 100,000 miles an hour.
- April 16—Comet rises, 3:45 a. m.
- April 19—Comet at perihelion—nearest the sun; speed fastest, 1,878 miles a minute.
- April 24—Comet rises, 3:09 a. m.

now turns back east among the constellations.

May 1—Comet's distance from the earth, 63,000,000 miles; close to Venus in the sky today.

May 6—Comet rises, 2:38 a. m.; earth crosses' comet's path, where comet will be May 26, but not in same plane.

May 7—Comet 5 degrees south of star Gamma Pegasi.

May 8—Comet rises, 2:46 a. m. Comet's greatest elongation west of the sun, as seen from the earth. Comet 10 degrees north of Venus.

May 9—Comet crosses Venus' path retreating.

May 10—Comet rises, 2:24 a. m.; distance from earth 33,000,000 miles.

May 12—Comet rises 2:32 a. m.

May 14—Comet rises, 2:40 a. m.

May 15—Comet rises, 2:49 a. m.

May 16—Comet rises, 3:08 a. m.; 7 degrees south of star Alpha Arietis.

May 17—Comet rises, 3:32 a. m.; distant 12,000,000 miles, about its nearest; came within half that in 1835.

May 18—Earth and comet passing; comet in conjunction with the sun on the near side, and at the same time at descending node, the two resulting in a transit of the comet across the sun's face, occurring between 1:31 and 1:45 a. m., eastern time, hence invisible in this country, but between 6:31 and 6:45 a. m., Greenwich time, hence visible in Europe, Asia and Africa. Earth and moon now proceed to pass through the comet's tail, but without result.

May 19—Comet again in evening sky appearing ever higher in west, and moving rapidly; today 3 1/2 degrees north of Aldebaran.

May 20—Comet sets 8:11 p. m. enormous size.

May 21—Comet just where it was among the stars about Oct. 1; today passes close to Gamma Gemini. Comet sets 9:12 p. m.

May 22—Comet sets 9:57 p. m.; passes 7 1/2 degrees north of Procyon.

May 23—Comet sets 10:28 p. m.

May 24—Comet sets 10:34 p. m.

May 25—Comet sets 10:55 p. m.

May 26—Comet sets 11:06 p. m.; crosses beneath the earth's path at a distance therefrom of about 6,000,000 miles, is retreating into space.

May 27—Comet sets 11:17 p. m.

May 28—Comet sets 11:22 p. m.

May 29—Comet sets 11:23 p. m.

May 30—Comet sets 11:29 p. m.; now gradually approaching the sun again, as seen from the earth, and fades away as it retires into space.

July 7—Comet crosses Mars' path, retreating; again retires behind the sun during the month of July.

July 27—Earth passes the perihelion point of comet, where it was April 19.

August—Comet passes again into morning sky, but visible only in telescopes.

Sept. 11—One year since discovery of comet by Wolf of Heidelberg, then distant 350,000,000 miles.

May 20, 1911—Comet crosses Jupiter's path, in retreat.

A. D. 1985—1989—Halley's comet next due.

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PROGRAMME:

1. "An die Kunst".....Richard Wagner Mænnerchor; Piano, Fr. Lucy Marti.
2. Soprano Solo, "The Dewdrop Loves the Morning".....Guy D'Hardelot Miss Alwina Winkelmann; Piano, Miss Lucy Marti.
3. a) "Gondellied"..... Carl Isenmann b) "Sonntag ist's"..... Simon Breu Mænnerchor
4. "Voices of the Woods".....Rubinstein Orphean Quartet: The Misses Elsa Marti, Olga Mayer, Elsa Hein and Martha Winkelmann.
5. "Das eigne Herz".....H. Schäfer Mænnerchor
6. New Ulm Zither Club.....
7. "Des deutschen Mannes Wort und Lied".....A. Dregert Mænnerchor; Piano, Fr. Lucy Marti.
8. "Carmena"..... H. Lane Wilson Orphean Quartet
9. "Grüsse an die Heimat".....Karl Kromer Mænnerchor
10. a) "Wenn die Schwalben heimwärts ziehn"..... Abt b) "In einem kühlen Grunde".....Fr. Glück Mænnerchor

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