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REMEMBER

With a year's subscription paid in advance to the Jasper News we give the Kansas City Weekly Journal. Thus you get the home news and the news of the whole world for the price of one paper.

Notwithstanding the ups and down throughout each school year all are proud of our schools on commencement night. After all its perseverance and stick-to-itiveness on the part of the pupils themselves that counts in the long run.

For the year ending March 31, 1905, the country clerk's books show that there were 71 saloons in Jasper county distributed as follows: Joplin, 30; Webb City, 10; Carthage, 4; Cartersville, 3; Carl Junction, 3; Oregon, 2; Duenweg, 3; Neok City, 1; Chitwood, 3; Prosperity, Larness, Alba and Howard, 1 each.

By their attitude against obeying the law the saloons in the larger cities are helping the temperance cause along as much as anything else at the present time. The people have not realized to what extent the saloon element has been defying the law until the recent attempt to make them close their saloons on Sunday.

Judge Howard Gray in passing sentence on some men brought before him for gambling gave his opinion on the subject as follows: "I cannot comprehend why men situated as you are should venture to squander your earnings at the gaming table. I do not see how it is possible for you to look your wives and children in the face, coming home empty-handed Saturday night after a week of toil. Even if you should win and go home with a few dollars extra made in this disreputable and unlawful manner, you must be aware that you are sending some of your companions home without their week's earnings. I regard the gambling evil as among the worst of crimes in its effects. While those of you who are here for the first time charged with an offense against the state will be given light punishment, I can assure you that should the lesson not be effective in deterring you in the future from the commission of crime you will be given jail sentence."

Don't You Fool Yourself

Some time ago we visited a friend who had met with an accident which resulted in leaving him up considerably. It happened that he was performing a service for a friend when the accident happened. After telling the circumstances of the affair the injured man ended by saying: "That's what a fellow gets for trying to accommodate somebody."

Two weeks ago we took occasion to remark as to the fidelity shown by the Golden City Free Press in its support of John C. McKinley, and this is what we got from that paper for our trouble:

"The Jasper News tries to poke fun at this paper, because it is friendly to Lieutenant Governor John C. McKinley. If the News knew Gov. McKinley as we know him, it would be for him too. The News will notice however, that the Free Press is always Republican and has never held its ticket and followed Folk off into the Democratic quagmire as did the News in the last campaign. The News like everybody else who supported Folk will soon take itself around behind the smokehouse once a day and kick itself for supporting the great make-believe reformer."

In the first place, Bro. Griesel, we are not trying to "poke fun" at you for your fidelity to Mr. McKinley. If you know Mr. McKinley to be a good man, as you evidently do, you ought to support him, and we can but admire your loyalty. If Mr. McKinley ever reaches the president's chair he will be an injury if he does not remember the Free Press editor with a cabinet portfolio. Nor do we cast any reflections on Mr. McKinley, for, as far as we know, he is all right. He has proven himself a good presiding officer of the senate under trying circumstances.

As to the Free Press' boast of unwavering loyalty to the Republican party, however, we fail to see wherein such a record should be something to be proud of. We glory in the fact that we have

been led by a higher motive than party loyalty in the exercise of our citizenship. We would feel far from being proud of a record that means that we have placed party above principle, and have supported every man that has run on our ticket whether he was a good man, or whether he was known to be a scoundrel. We are mighty glad we have no such a record to look back upon.

As to our support of Mr. Folk. If there is anything in our journalistic career that we are especially proud of, it is our support of Mr. Folk. The Free Press need have no fear of us resorting to self-inflicted punishment on that score. Instead of making the rear of the smokehouse a daily resort, we are inclined to congratulate ourselves anew each day to think that Governor Folk is more than fulfilling the expectations of his most ardent admirers. The fact is, the only people that seem to be disappointed in Mr. Folk are the brewers, saloon keepers, gamblers, hoodlums and the dyed-in-the-wool partisan newspapers which have had a powerful microscope focused upon Mr. Folk's every act with the hope of finding something to "roar" about. It's not Mr. Folk's friends that are disappointed. It's his enemies.

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AN UNWAVERING AIM.

Graduating Essay By Miss May Sanford

Not many things indifferently, but one thing supremely is the demand of the hour. To scatter efforts in this intense, concentrated age, is to lose hope of success. The mind is naturally a vagrant, prone to wander into all sorts of by ways, unless kept steadily and resolutely in the path of an unwavering aim. However, when a firm foundation has been built for the path that is between us and our cherished ideals, and when an unwavering aim beams before us as a guiding star to our destination—then is it that the mind is under the control of a great purpose and all the lesser objects can happily be placed under tribute as vassals.

What sight more thrilling than that of a human being absorbed, taken possession of by some grand conception and forgetting every thing else until the daring achievement is wrought? Comforts, conveniences and even luxuries come trooping into the homes of the common people and men bask in the sunshine of prosperity, forgetful often that it was simply the single eye, the strenuous purpose of a great soul that wrought it. It is indeed, well for us that such souls are not easily daunted or intimidated. It is interesting to note the sway of a great purpose over the soul, and its power to win men from minor considerations, which, with men generally count for so much and likewise how the strength of a great purpose has enabled men to triumph over obstacles and to scorn difficulty and danger! It is undeniably true that division of attention is with most people death to enthusiasm and success. The vision becomes blurred, the energies weakened by attempting to compass too wide a field. Many persons engaged in business life spread their energies over too wide a field with the result that while they succeed handsomely in one venture, by undertaking too many they dissipate their powers of supervision, as well as of capital, and in the end fail to obtain the hoped for success. And this too, not because success is not there for them, but their force of time or means, or both, is too feeble at any one point to secure it, whereas if they would concentrate on any one thing, they might conquer. We should, therefore, rigorously choose and maintain our specialities, in order to achieve any real success.

Nothing is more noticeable in our predecessors who have achieved great ends than a certain persistence, a certain aim which wavered not and which nothing seemed able to daunt. Defeated, perhaps, times without number, they yet clung to their ideals, pursuing by night and by day the objects dear to their hearts, until at last they were crowned with success. It is forever true; that the martyrs of one age become the heroes of the next.

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Many, in the journey of life, do not place as their guiding star to victory, an aim that does not vacillate when the waves of obstacles dash near it and as a result they wander about like a vessel upon a great ocean, without chart or compass, or even a pilot, driven before every wind, and wrecked at last upon the shores of some unknown barren country, only to discover that their energies and strength have been exhausted for naught; that the tree of life which should have been laden with fruit, is barren, containing nothing but leaves. It matters not how rich the materials we have gleaned from the years of our study and toil in youth, if we go out in life with no well defined idea of our future work. There is no happy conjunction of circumstances that will arrange them into an imposing structure and give it magnificent proportions.

Carlyle tells us that, "The weakest living creature by concentrating his powers on a single object can accomplish something; whereas the strongest, by dispersing his over many, may fail to accomplish anything."

No one can pursue a worthy object steadily and persistently with all the powers of his mind and yet make life a failure. Many failures are due to the fact there has been more than one object present to the mind, a double vision in place of a single picture before a single eye. Secondary considerations will confuse our mind and thwart our purpose while on the other hand an unwavering aim will carry us rapidly, and pleasantly to our goal and will spare us many troubles by the way. Instead of being diverted by the distractions or misad, as loiterers through life are sure to be, by surrounding allurement, he, who works with that immovable determination will discharge his duty unaffected by the hindrances by which others are delayed.

The arrow shot from the bow does not wander about to see what it can hit on its way, but flies straight to the mark. The magnetic needle does not point to all the lights in the heavens to see which it likes best. They all attract it. The sun dazzles, the meteor beckons, the stars twinkle to it and try to win its attention; but the needle points steadily to the North Star; for while the other stars must course with untiring tread around their great centres through all the ages, the North Star alone, distant beyond computation remains stationary for unnumbered ages. So all along the path of life other luminaries will beckon to lead us from our cherished aim—from the course of truth and duty; but may each member of this class of '05 resolve to let no moon which shine with borrowed light, no meteor which dazzle but never guide, turn the needle of her purpose from the North Star of her hope.

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