

THE TEMPLE AT ONSET BAY.

with every train at Onset Junction, and transfer passengers to the extreme end of the grounds, passing the business centre, and by the auditorium and prominent hoOn Sunday, July 15, and the following Sundays of July and August, three band concerts will be given by the well-known Middleboro Band, B. A. Roundy, leader. The dances in the spacious temple, which have been for many years one of the leading features of Onset, will commence on Saturday evening, June 30, and be held



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## ONSET BAY (SALT WATER) FROM THE BLUFF.

every Saturday evening thereafter during July and August. The Middleboro orchestra of seven pieces, will furnish the music.

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A poem to Bily Dale, They asked that he would write; And the lines that here follow, A. Campbell did indite.

Master Charles said to me: "When we go out tonight, You're expected to speak; So I think you'd best write. For your speeches are awful! Without wit or reason! So for heaven's sake say something That may be in season." We all know his knowledge, And I thought it fit To follow his orders; So sat down and writ. (Oh! that's a mistake! For I see here's a note, That where I read writ I should have read wrote.) Hê reminded me also, I'd no more brains than a hammer, I'd no more brains than a n My language was dreadful, . And so was my grammar. You know I'm not clever, I know that I'm dull, So my grammar I'll polish' With dear Mattie Hull. With dear Mattie Hull. Then I know Fil soon learn, Or else I'm a donkey, And I'll learn to recite, From dear Mrs. Jahnke; For she tracker so well, And I know withont doubt If there's good in a pupil She'll soon bring it out; And she teaches the truth, Pray don't think I flatter, Her pupils in class said, I chatter, chatter, chatter. She taught them to slide, She taught them to slide, She taught them to gloom. And ske tanght them to gloom. And ske tanght them to gloor. And ske tanght them so gloor. And ske tanght them to gloor. And ske tanght them to gloor. And ske tanght them to gloor. And ske tanght them so gloor. And ske tanght them to gloor. And ske tanght them so gloor. And ske tanght them to gloor. And s Then for lessons in Bibles . No one ever supposes A teacher is equal Unto the good Moses; For knowledge is his, Which he'll help yon to cull, When I spoke of good Moses, I meant Moses Hull. A lady I know, .. She told me one day That my logic was bad And she plainly did say, That I'd best take some lessons. And I did believe her, When she said the best teacher, Was the good A. J. Weaver.

We're surrounded by teachers, Yes, teachers of might, And I know you all think There's great good in Clegg Wright, For he must be good, And so is his wife.

Then out of St. Louis, A good preacher came, And with him his dear ones, Grimshaw is their name.

There are others, so many, I can't bring them all in, But I must not forget, If you want to sing, A tracher of merit, You should engage, There's no equal in teaching To dear Addie Gage. And the Thompsons will cure you,

And teach you likewise, So our friends out of Texas, I am sure we should prize,

There's the Prettymans too As good as can be— I said Prettymans two, I meant Prettymans three. Other names come crowding There's more and there's more But one must be mentioned 'Tis Mrs Seymour.

We have Burns in the spirit, And a mortal Burns too, Who can sing like a linnet, And I know I speak true.

Another sweet singer-Ever gladly she helps To make us all happy-Her name it is Phelps; Her mother likewise I think must have taught her, And I think she's as young, Almost, as her daughter.

And then Mrs. Ellis, She's kind and she's good, Another the same, Her name it is Wood. There's Sage and there's Page And Thomas Skidmore And dear Mrs. Tolles And many a score. There's Lutes and Binneys, And Turners I know, And Carpenters too— Not one of them slow— Not one of them slow— Not one of them slow— When we ask for their help 'To, make the thing go. And Cowan the lutle, And Toddy the great; And Ariswold, the Grocer, And also his mate.

And then there's the teacher, Who teaches the kids. If they're good and obedient And do as she bids, Will make splendid scholars, And rise unto fame, And if they do not, Why she's not to blame. Why she's not to blame. There's Spencers and Beebe All good and good looking, And Chicago is here . I mean Mrs. Brooking, And Densmore and Jones And Bowers and Swan And dear Mrs. Purple, (May she five long.) And this Palace of Peace, \* I am sure you all will, Wish success to its future, And Mrs. Pettengill Who's kindness we know, And who's kindness we feel, And who's kindness we feel, And who's kindness we lee No meaness about her, She's true and she's leal. Some call her Zenobia, Famed Palmyra's Queen, She's better than that, You know how I mean, We, believe in progression, In that we are blessed, Because from past ages Because from past ages, Zenobia's progressed. We-have others amongst us,

Then keep open the door, For Canada sends some And will send many Moore, And Canada sends here, Two named Shaw, My paper grows shorter Alack! oh! alack! There's a couple I'll mention, Some call them Back.

Others they Bar them, Their mother comes too. She's a Foote of proportion, She's good and she's true. Their baby I'll mention, A child of great power, They were wise when they named Their dear child, THE SUNFLOWER. In the future I'm promised, Great things of renown By a medium who says, "That I shall be a clown, At least when the world, Turns right upside down."

# FROM THE N. S. A. HOME. GOOD NEWS.

We have have just received good cheer from the grand old State of Massachusetts, in a letter addressed to me from a veteran Spiritualist of eighty-one years, inclosing his check for one thousand dollars for the Mayer fund. He writes to me as follows, "I am eightyone years old, and have worked hard for small wages to carn this. I am anxious to do something for the Cause we all love so well."

I cannot refrain from at once sending this piece of good news to the Spiritual papers, that their readers may rejoice with me, and add their blessing for the good old man who has done this grand work in the declining years of his useful life. Let us notice that in his letter he writes that this sum has been earned by hard work, at a small wage, and let it only increase the blessing that goess out to him from our hearts. Surely a gift thus earned is increased an hundred fold in the eyes of all who admire unselfish deeds and works. This donation next to the property given by Mr. Mayer is the largest yet made to the Home fund, and yet, there are many wealthy Spiritualists in the United States. who could give as large a sum each, and by no means feel \*it, as this donor evidently must do. Is there not a passage somewhere that may be commended to the Spiritualists that reads, "Go thou and do likewise?"

While writing this, allow me to thank the editors, of the Spiritual Press for their hearty friendliness to the .N. S. A., and to the Home fund, for this has done a great deal'towards making this project a probable success. We also thank Brother Cole of Michigan, for his suggestion to the working people in our ranks to send to the home fund what they can afford from twenty cents upward, we are having many responses to , this suggestion with most kindly words, and with donations from 'twenty ' cents to a dollar or more in the name of the "Labor fund." All of this is heartily appreciated, and thankfully received. We now need about two thousand dollars to complete the fund, for if all who have so kindly pledged their various sums redeen the same, we shall then secure the requisite amount, at that, timé, therefore friends, titose of you who have not paid anything to this Cause, we hope to receive your donations, slarge or small, as soon as possible after you read these lines.

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With our teachers and preachers, I'll be here all night, But I cannot pass over Our friend Corden White.

Then comes Judge Baillet, And his wife as well, Who writes for the papers, The news for to tell. That all the outsiders, May know we're not slow, That we keep up to date, And our bugle we blow.

And our bugle we blow. There are others around here, Who also are White, And others as happy, Who also are Wright. There is Thompson, dear Lizzie, And Enches and Bellows, There's Smiths and there's Covil And a lot of good fellows. There are Carrols about us, Mrs. Reeds, also Huff, There are more on the grounds— I've said nearly enough.

I know it appears, To some of you folks, I have talked for ten years. You call me a hore, I don't care a bit; I don't care a bit; I started to read, Every word I had writ. (There's that same blessed writ, must make a note, That when I write writ, I must change it to wrote) So go on with your show, You'll have better I hope.

My ten minutes are up,

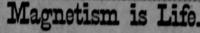
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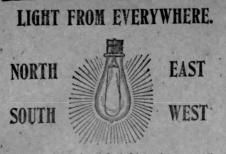
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This department is conducted to assist our public orkers to keep in touch with each other and with he people. Send us notice of your engagements or py other items of interest. Secretaries of societies requested to send short reports of their work.

Mrs. M. J. Crilly has closed her meetings at Allegheny, Pa., and will spend the summer at Lily Dale.

Mrs. Maggie Waite has just finished a successful engagement at Syracuse N. Y., and is located at Cassadaga Camp.

Mrs. Julia Barbaras, of Hastings, Minn:, has returned to her home after a successful trip to Iowa giving tests.

If you want a nice little magazine, edited on truly Spiritual lines, get the sermon, edited by "Augustine," Rev. B. F. Austin, Toronto, Ont, Address, 81 'O'Hara Street.

The New Orleans Association of Spirit-' ualists has suspended public meetings at 321 Camp Street, after nearly ten years continuous work. They have not disbanded however and will doubtless be heard from again.

Prof. W. M. Lockwood has met with a very successful response to his scien-'tific ideas at Brooklyn, N. Y. 'He is arranging for a wireless telegraphy apparatus, which, with his other lines, will make his lectures exceedingly instructive. . Our Spirit Message Department will be reopened the first or fifteenth of September. F. Corden White will continue to be the medium through whom the messages are given. The large proportion of verifications make this department extremely interesting reading.

We are in receipt of a new psychic novel by Mrs. Lida B. Browne, a writer who needs no enconiums when presented to THE SUNFLOWER readers. It is entitled "Words that Burn." It will be given a more extended notice in the near future. It can be had at this office, price, postpaid, \$1.50.

Miss Anna M. Steinberg, well , known to our young people as the secretary of the N. Y. P. S. U. was married to Mr. Charles W. Meding at her home in Washington, D. C., June 13.' The best wishes of THE SUNFLOWER go out to her and we also feel that we voice the' sentiments . of all of the young folks 'of Spiritualism in wishing her a happy life.

A great many good things will not see \* the light until later on account of the long campmeeting articles with which our space is filled. This is the camp season and we give extra space to such articles. Our contributors are asked to be patient and their contributions will see light as soon as the Camp Items are through with.

# COLUMBUS OHIO CAMP.

The Columbus, Ohio Camp, will open, under favorable conditions, June, 30. 4:30. p. m. Flag raising, and address, by Dr. J. C. Kroesen, of Columbus, Ohio.

# Spirit Control. Rapid Changes in Handwriting.

I am not à trance medium, I never shut off my conscious mind but I have many experiences with spirit friends. Sometime ago I used to see my friends and also to feel their presence but now my experience in Spiritualism is confined mostly to, the change in hand writing. If I wrote slowly, I could understand better how they could join control but I am a rapid writer and often my writing changes in the middle of a word. I sometimes feel a pulling at my arm before it changes but not always. For a long time after this commenced, I tried to stop it; my own handwriting was so much easier to read and I fancied it looked better but I found it tired me very much to fight against the control and often my hand would stop still and refuse to go on, unless I allowed my handwriting to change. I soon grew tired of the trouble and made up my mind if there was any good I could do in the world, or any comfort I could give my dear spirit friends, or the spirit friends of others, by allowing my hand writing to change I would no longer try to control it and I soon found it did not tire me much more to write in many different handwritings when I was willing to do so than to write in my own.

A few weeks ago I was writing to a child and was unwilling then to have the change so marked that it would alarm the child, so I did fight against it and I had such a pushing against me and pulling on me from people unseen, that I felt afraid I should either be obliged to give up the letter, or allow my hand to be controlled.

A few months ago I became acquainted with a Christian, who was greatly interested im my literary work and corresponded with me. After one of my letters to him, he replied: "I was glad to receive your letter, as therein was a message from one who has spoken before to me, in regard to my preparation of a book of experiences of the past 20 yrs. of my life, in the occult and the study of the different phases of mediumship. The handwriting was one well known to me."

When I wrote the letter, although I saw the sudden change in my handwriting. I did not think that the thoughts I was expressing, were given in the handwriting.

Studying along this line of thought, certainly ought to rob us of all our conceit. Who among us can claim to be original knowing that thoughts are flying from mmd to mind? They cross the ocean in a second from distance friends (in the body) and probably in less time, from the people in the unseen world. We may be simply writing out the thoughts of others.

Work we do may have been thoughts of someone who had no ambition to complete it.

I often think the poor people, who are ambitious and throw their heart and soul into some particular work, find teachers in the world beyond, unbeknown to them. The great artists, poets, musicians, etc., of the olden times, are all there and I think are still teaching. I think God provides this way for the ones who are unable to pay for teachers. Work they have been obliged to leave undone, they probably try, to do with

The Buffalo Spiritual Church hold .DR. MARY E. SELLEN. forth at corner Main and Mohawk Street and have full houses. J. W. Dennis, speaker, Mrs. Catherine Chase, test medium.

The first Church Society have closed meetings until September first.

On Sunday June 10th, Moses Hull delivered two very fine addresses in the First Church Temple, upon "The uses of . Evil," and also upon "Higher Criticism." He is an adept upon the subject of "The Higher Criticism." There is none better.

The old Buffalo Spiritual Church Society is now in a very flourishing condition. Their Hall corner Mohawk and Main Streets, is crowded full each Sunday evening. At a social given by the Society June 7th over 70 tickets were sold and over a hundred people filled the house.

Mrs. Catherine Chase wife of the President was the medium for the occasion and she did extremely well.

On Wednesday June 13th. The Buffalo Psychic Society, Meeting Corner East Eagle Street and Cedar, gave a well at-tended social in their "little church around the corner." This Society have - SPIRIT several good mediums among them.

Mrs. Bartholomew, a splendid Trumpet medium, is now located in Buffalo, for a short time at 127 Herkimer, Street, She will spend the season at Lily Dale.

# **PROGRAM** OF THE CASSADAGA CAMPMEETING, 1900.

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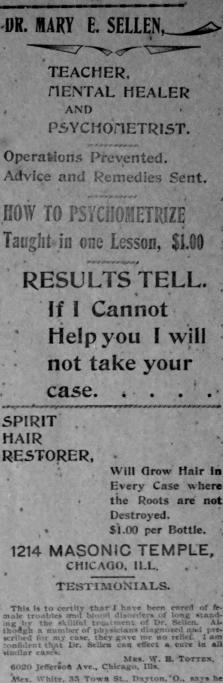
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Miss Ma	rgaret Gaule, and Others.
	JULY.
Fri. 13,	Mrs. Carrie E. S.*Twing.
Sat. 14,	I. Clegg Wright. *
Sun. 15,	Carrie Twing, Moses Hull.
Sun. 15, Mon. 16,	Conference.
Tues. 17,	Moses Hull.
Wed. 18,	Moses Hull.
Thur. 19,	J. Clegg Wright,
Fri. +20,	Mrs. Carrie E. S. Twing
Sat. 21,	C. W. Stewart.
Sun. 22.	Lyman C. Howe, J Clegg
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Mon. 23,	Conference.
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Thur. 26,	C. W. Stewart.
Fri. 27,	Lyman C. Howe, Dr. J. M.
	Peebles.
Sat. 28,	C. W. Stewart.
Sun. 29,	Rev. Morgan Wood. Mrs. Clara Watson.
Mon. 30,	Conference.
Tues. 31,	Rev. Morgan Wood.
	AUGUST.
Wed. 1,	Grand Army Day.
Thur. 2,	Hon. A. B. Richmond. Rev. Dr. Austin.
Fri. 3,	Rev. Dr. Austin.
Sat. 4,	Cora L. V. Richmond.
Sun. 5,	Cora Richmond, Dr. Austin.
Mon. * 6,	Conference.
Tues. 7,	Mrs. Cora L. V. Richmond.
Wed. 8,	Pauline Johnson, Iroquois Indian Poetess.
Thur. 9,	W: M. Lockwood.
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Sat. 11,	Pauline Johnson.
Sun. 12,	W. M. Lockwood, Anna L.
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W. M. Lockwood, Anna L. 12, Shaw. Conference. Mon. 13,

Rev. Anna L. Shaw. Wed. 15,

- Woman's Day, Anna Shaw. Hon. Dr. Montague, M. P.
- Thur, 16, Thos. Grimshaw. 17,
  - Hon. Dr. Montague. 18, Thos. Grimshaw. 19,
    - Private Reading Given by the Marion Carpenter.

Above Mediums Every Day.



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Mex. White, 35 Town St., Dayton, 'O., says he was a great sufferer for over two years unable to work, "after a few weeks treatment he was well and a very grateful man.

Mr. P. Baker, Columbus, Ohio, a member of the City Council for many years was cured in one month of an addition which baffled the saill of other-physicians for twenty-five years.

I was saved from a severe illness by Dr. Sellen's grament. I sem her a true physician in sverp sense of the word. SAMUEL WOOLEY,

Milo, Ohio. Anto, Onto. For one year my left side was entirely helpless, I was unable to dress myself. Within four days after taking Dr. Schen's treatment I began to im-prove and my disability has entirely disapheared, leaving me in the full vigor of womanhood. Magnetic Scaler Ohio

Magnetic Springs, Ohio.

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7:30, p. m, lawn social and Band Concert.

July, 1, 10, a. m. Invocation by Rev. \* S. King. Columbus Welcome address, by Mayor Swartz, of Columbus. Worthington Welcome address, by the Hon. Justin Pinney, of Worthington.

Rev. Samuel King, M. E. Minister of Columbus, will deliver the welcome address, in behalf of the Christian People. Camp opening address, Lyman C. Howe, of Fredonia, N. Y. Spirit Messages, Cora B. Noyes, of Columbus, 2:30, p. m. Dedication Ceremony, Lyman C. Howe. Spirit messages, Cora B. Noyes. Choir of sixteen voices, at every Sunday Service, the favorite Columbus City Band in attendance every day during the season.

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the hands of the people still in the body. I may be wrong in thinking this, but the thought has often come to me and I feel sure I have been helped by unseen teachers.

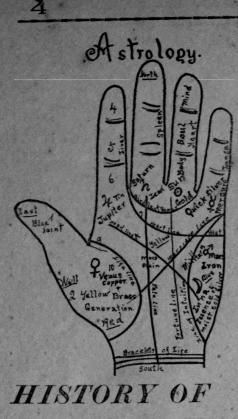
# **BUFFALO NEWS.**

J. W. Dennis has been engaged to serve as chairman for the coming season at the central New York Camp, at Freeville, N. Y. The meeting will be held from July 28th to August 12th.

On Sunday evening June, 10th President E. J. Chase, of the Buffalo Spiritual Church Society, presented J. W. Dennis (their speaker) with a full and legal set of ordination papers, given under the New York State Charter, which the above society is now organized under. Mrs. Catherine Chase, under Spirit control, gave Mr. Dennis, a very impressing charge upon this occasion.

Conference. J. C. F. Grumbine. Francis Edgar Mason. J. C. F. Grumbine. Tues. 21, Wed. 22, Thur. 23, Hon. A. B. Richmond, F. E. Mason. Lyman C. Howe. J. C. F. Grumbine, F. E. Mason. 24, Fri. 25 Sat. Sun. 26, George H. Brooks, Chairman. COTTAGES ; AND : ROOMS : FOR : RENT. Centrally Located, Prices Reascnable. Mrs. Dr. Hyde, 8 North Stret, Lily Dale, N. Y. F. CORDEN WHITE. TRANCE, TEST AND BUSINESS MEDIUM. Readings by mail \$1.00 and 3 stam Permanent Address, Lity Dale, N.Y.

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# PALMISTRY. "HE term "Fortune Telling" belongs to barbaric ages. In this enlightened century we find palmistry ac-

cepted as a science. Many noted men and women, have presented the subject, both by theory and practice, in a manner to convince scientific minds, of the truth that by palmistry, in diagnosing of diseases, the human emotions form the most complete system known, and not only in this country, but the conservative physicians of the old world are adopting this means to arrive at conclusions which cannot be found by any other method.

When wiseacres say the lines of the hand are "mere corrugations formed by the closing and opening of the hand," they seem to ignore the fact that in the human palm, or in the human hand rather, there are squares, circles, triangles, and other geometrical figures that no closing or opening of the hand could produce. The scientific research made by chiropodists has developed the fact that the emotions that are created by the mind photograph themselves on the soles of the feet. Much data has been gathered by the Chirological Society, associated with "The Palmist," published in London, England, showing the research in hospitals, prisons and so on, giving a correct substantiation of the s ience of the hand as now practiced.

We use the term Pyscho-Palmistry, soul coming first, and the Japanese say "hand's line looking" and Chinese, "great fortune's all containing bag."

As no science of medicine, art, music, literature or palmistry can be interpreted or followed without soul vision, which is the inner understanding of the word, genius, gift of inspiration which embraces art, science and religion in a unity of a trinity to give any success to man in whatever profession he may engage. Without this, our clear preception, no man can be an unprejudiced, fair, practical character reader.

Palmistry is so ancient we turn back to the grand mystery of the buried past,

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ing to inheritance, to certain planets and their placement at the time of one's birth, to the environment and will power of each individual to withstand evil destiny. Time being an illusion, the events make reality instead of ideality, and today being the effect of yesterday's cause, tomorrow will be the effect caused by today's actions, therefore there is no such thing as a limitation of the future, but an unending, everliving present, God, man and nature, past, present and future, one entire circle or whole unit.

The Chaldean Seers from lower Egypt emigrated through religious persecution into Spain, and co-mingled with the Moors, being called Geetas. They formed a distinct class called Gitanas, or Spanish Gypsies, taking with them the art of palmistry. Those who had pyschic power could astound all with their correct readings. Those who failed have been designated as pretenders, and this state of knowledge in the art, is practiced in the same way today, with knowledge versus ignorance. So far, the pretenders outnumber the real palmists. But the day is not far distant when a wave of enlightment will sweep over the entire universe and then, not until then, will the world grow better, as there will be no secrets to lay bare, each person being afraid of the art of palmistry as a revealer of good or evil deeds.

We, therefore, going back to Egyptian priesthood time, accept Moses as a Bible authority for quotations, yet, we here say, one of the first books published called "the block" (book before movable type,) was on palmistry, by Hartlieb, a monk during the fourteenth century. One book in Germany, this century, an old work, was sold for \$350.00. From the pleasure loving Latin race to the studious Germans we find alertness in the science.

Greeks were intellectual giants in learning. Anaxagoras taught palmistry 428 B: C.

Aristotle, Phny, Cardanis and even Hispanis advocated it. He sent a book on palmistry to Alexander the Great and in it wrote, "It is a study worthy the attention of an elevated and inquiring mind."

This article will be followed by one on The Palmistry of The Bible

A very graceful piece of ceremony was performed by three girls, viz., Misses Elizabeth James (Newcastle) Bina Dixan (Gateshead) and Belsay Todd (Sunderland) who presented reported addresses of welcome from their respective Lyceums, with a grace that would had done credit to older people. The conference unanimonsly accepted the same, with the proviso that they be recorded in the Union's minute book.

The Presidential address was listened to with deep attention as the several retrospective and prospective points of interest were dealt with. Beginning with our beloved fouuders, Mr. A. J. Davis' first effort in 1863 and the success that attended it in the law of its birth; then on to its appearance in England, up to the establishing of the B. S. L. U. in 1890; its yearly progress up to the present; the the compilation and compilers of The Lyceum Manual and The Spiritual Songster and the good work done by all who have filled the presidential chair, were rapidly reviewed. Coming to the immediate present a passing word of regret was expressed at the number of blanks appearing in the statistical columns. And, added the President: "If it is worth while being a secretary it is worth while being a good one, and in that case the returns would be more complete than they are again this year."

He next touched on the growth and business of the Union to be such as to require at no very distant date a permanent Secretary to attend to its increasing demands upon the time and energy of those who essay to fill the office of secretary, organizer and salesman. The unsettled vexing question of the relationship of Lyceums and Societies and the helpful work done by the propaganda meetings were touched upon. And in conclusion, he paid a well, deserved mede of praise to unvarying courtesy and kindness of his colleagues on the Executive to him during his year of office.

After the loud applause which greeted him on resuming his seat had subsided, the President informed the conference that he had prepared a beautifully morocco-bound copy of The Lyceum Manual "The Lyceum Bible" with the intention of blaking the Union a gift of the same as a Conference Roll of its Presidents.



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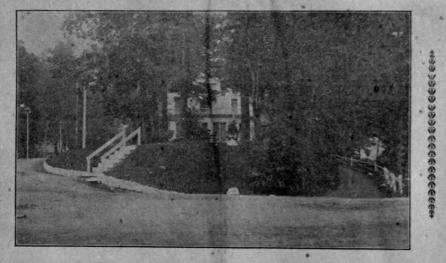
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He had already secured the signature of the past presidents in the spaces specially inserted for that purpose and others remained that would serve until the year 1969. The gift was cordially accepted,

to the quotations from the Bible, to the ancient Aristotle, to Pythagoras, whose deductions were all founded on the exact science of mathematics. It was practiced by the most learned men of Rome, and the Emperor Augustus and later closely analyzed by Roger Bacon and Paracelsus; such notice gave it toleration by the church, not even heretofore accorded to the science of astrology.

Readers of modern works will note the data as to the learned followers of this science, writers, priests, doctors, such men as Montaigne, Balzac, Napoleon, Lavater, d'Arpentigny, Desbarolles, Papus, Bulwer Lytton, and the elder Dunmas, one and all have been obliged to admit there was sufficient evidence of the hand as a second expression of the brain, as the palm of the hand contains more sensitive nerves than any other portion of the body. The arrangement of the brain cells in the hand forms the perfect or imperfect lines of the head, heart, fate, events and life line, accord-

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INTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE SPECIALLY REPORTED FOR THE SUNFLOWER BY ALFRED KITSON.

HE Eleventh Annual Conference of the above thriving union was held in the Northumberland Hall, New-

castle-on-the-Tyne, on Saturday and Sunday, May 12 and 13, 1900. A reception was given to the delegates by the united members of the Newcastle, Gateshead and Sunderland Lyceums, in the form of a tea and concert. The former was a most enjoyable repast after a long journey by rail. The latter consisted of songs, solos, recitations, gramaphone selections, the carnival dance and a Lyceum Pantomine, all of which were well rendered and elicited frequent applause.

# SUNDAY MORNING.

The conference proper began at 10 under the able presidency of J. J. Morse, London, editor and publisher of the Lyceum Banner.

Messrs J. J. Parr and J. Clarke, were appointed Tellers and Mr. Frank Chiswell, sergeant-at-arms.

and greeted with applause.

The credential committee reported as follows: "Present, four officers; four executive committee; two auditors; six district visitors and forty-six delegates, total 62.

The conference duly ordered that copies, of the Presidential address be sent to The Lyceum Banner, The Spiritual Review, The Two Worlds and Light.

The choir performed a pleasing ceremony, viz., that of presenting the victorious Lyceum choir with an ivory, goldmounted baton, on behalf of the Manchester choir Contest Committee. The Sowerly Bridge Lyceum Choir was the winner this year. Mrs. Greenwood, the representative of the Lyceum received the precious symbol of choiral excellency. I may here remark that this Lyceum was commenced in the early seventies and has never lapsed. The other two, namely, Nottingham and Keighley, unfortunately did so, so the above is the oldest, with an unbroken record, in England.

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# THE DAWNING DAY.

## BY E. W. GOULD.

S it true that the "silver lining" of the dark, lowering cloud that if fears of sincere Spiritualists for the last year or two, is beginning to shed a bright glow of light, to cheer the drooping spirits of those who are waiting and watching anxiously, to discover whether the great truths of Spiritualism were to be absorbed by other religious denominations, and lose its identity as an ism or whether its friends would rally to the rescue, bury their differences of opinion, instill new life and more activity, more harmony, more brotherly love and liberality, and preserve it.

In a recent number of the Banner of Light, I read an enthusiastic editorial article from which I quote as follows:

"The New York and Ohio State Conventions where veritable penticostal feasts to all who were privileged to attend them.

"The outpouring of the spirit brought moisture to the eyes of many who 'hitherto had been strangers to tears, and melted the hearts of all into an earnest desire to be of service to Spiritualism.

"Friendships were renewed, feuds of years buried, factional differences overcome, jealousies subdued and new resolutions formed to live the life of the spirit in peace and harmony with one another.

"Only good can eventuate from such gatherings, and the fact that so much was done to established the era of good fellowship, in honor, preferring one another, argues well for the future of Spiritualism."

I was more than delighted. I was surprised to read what Brother Barrett claims as evidence of the "great spiritual revival that is now sweeping the country." I am truly glad to hear from such a source of this great phenomenal revival, that is "sweeping the country"

If such is really the case, there can be no longer a doubt that the officers of the National Spiritual Association even at this late day, will succeed in raising the necessary amount of money to secure the very liberal offer made by Brother Mayer to the Spiritualists of America.

It is claimed by the editor of the Banner, that only three thousand dollars remains to be collected at the first of June, thus leaving another month to secure this 'great boon, so necessary for the successful efforts of the National Organization, of which Brother Barrett is the honored President.

If it is true that a "spiritual revival is sweeping the country," it would seem almost like a "special providence" which would enable Spiritualists to raise sufficient means to sustain their cause.

Certainly with such a revival there should be no difficulty in raising the small sum of three thousand dollars, in one month, to secure so great a consideration.

But if for any cause this sum should not be raised in time to secure the object sought, would that indicate to the Editor of the Banner that the revival was a failure, or that the officers of the National Association had failed to take the necessary steps to secure the subscriptions?

That is a conundrum I will not attempt to solve.

to the condition, to the wants of local societies or of their value to our cause. Great efforts are made to bring together the best talent that can be secured, the largest attendance possible and a pleasant harmonious enjoyable time is

of course realized. But it must be attended with considerable expense and not one person in a hundred, not Spiritualists, attend these meetings. But 'if what 'I have quoted from the Banner of Light, is true, it must be at these meetings, among the Spiritualists, that a "spiritual revival is sweeping the country," as it is heard, of at no other place to my knowledge, which I greatly regret.

On the contrary, my reading and my observation, which is not limited, leads me to the conclusion, that if such a revival is "sweeping the country," it has swept a large proportion of spirituality out of it. Especially is that the case on the Pacific Coast.

I have now theen 'in the South, the Middle West and on the Pacific Coast continously, for nearly one year. I am in truth compelled to say, never in the fifty years of my interest and observation in the cause of Spiritualism, have I seen so little interest, so little inquiry, such apparent abandonment of a cause once so popular and so much sought, as now prevails through the entire country of which I have spoken.

With the single exception of Los Angeles in this state, I have not seen or heard of one local society or community of Spiritualists, that is in even a tolerable condition prospectively or financially and it is with difficulity that many of the. societies are able to hold their organizations together.

nothing of a phenomenal character sweeping that way of late.

But if Brother Barrett shall awaken in the minds of our people a knowledge of the fact, that unless they start a revival in our financial circles soon our local societies (the back bone of all our organizations) will be stranded upon the bleak shores of indifference and bad management much good will be done.

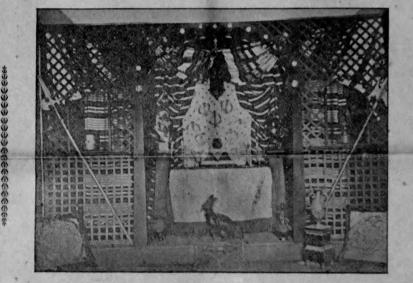
# The British Spiritualists' Lyceum Union. (Continued from Page 4.)

The report of Mr. Thos. Geo. Dexter, Nottingham re the defacing of the Jubilee Medal Dies was duly presented in which he detailed the carrying out of the instructions of the last conference regarding the same. Acting on his suggestion, the conference decided to present one each to J. J. Morse and your humble scribe, to be suitably inscribed and used as paper weights.

The District Visitors were duly instructed by the conference to again call the attention of all Lyceums to the importance of adopting the new and illustrated calisthenics so that on Field Days and when members visit other Lyceums they may be able to join in the same.

Before the Secretary's reports were adopted Messrs. Chiswell, Venables, Johnson and others paid a warm tribute of praise to the Life and Labors of the late Mrs. E. H. Britten, who was one of the three compilers of The Lyceum Manual; also, to the late Joseph Sutcliffe, the venerable Treasurer.

The auditors reported that they had fully examined the books and accounts of the union and the statement of accounts submitted were a correct record.



CAMPBELL BROTHERS' "INDIAN ROOM."

In San Francisco, Oakland and the adjoining towns and cities, where a few years ago there were scarcely enough public halls and places for public meetings to accommodate the crowds of Spiritualists and those anxious to hear the many eloquent speakers and mediums then flocking to this coast, like "doves to their windows," there is not now, even on Sundays, a single society in all this region that employs a regular speaker, if indeed they hold meetings at all. This is not because of hot weather or general vacation, as is the custom of the East. But more 'than a month ago, while Mrs. R. S. Lillie, the only public lecturer on any spiritual platform in this vicinity, was · delivering one discourse Francisco and one at Oakland at San each Sunday the attendance was less than one hundred at either place, and the contributions too small to defray the expenses of over one meeting per week. If a "revival" has not swept this coast, I have not met any one who is old enough or wise enough to tell what is the matter. The people here will be glad to hear of this "sweeping revival," hoping it will reach this coast sooner or later. Spiritualists and friends of the cause who reside at the East and near the emanation of the "penticostal feasts" so enthuastically discribed, will probably pass it by as another evidence of "mistaken identity," to which all are liable, especially those who are inclined to accept the "will for the deed" in all good causes. Those honest enthuisastic friends who do not really know what a "spiritual revival sweeping the country" means, will probably exclaim they have seen

It was decided to transfer £10 from the publishing fund to the general fund to help balance the same, there being a deficit of £17. A similar sum is to be transferred next year provided that by so doing the publishing fund is not reduced below £100.

Mr. T. O. Todd kindly offered to transfer the remainder of stock, bound and unbound of your scribe's pamphlet. "Is the Bible Opposed to Spiritualism?" His generous offer was readily accepted.

The motion re an investigation into Mr. J. Ainsworth's offer of a Lyceum Home was ruled out of order and the following was duly passed: "That the Secretary of this Union inform Mr. Ainsworth, that inasmuch as this conference eceived no offer from him direct, it cannot come to any decision regarding the motion from Blackpool but intimate to Mr. Ainsworth that if he desires to make any offer of a house and furniture free, for use as a Lyceum Home, on behalf of the Lyceums, or this Union, that the executive have received instructions to deal with the same from this conference." The executive having been requested to consider ways and means of raising funds to enable the Union to engage a permanent secretary reported to the effect that they were fully in accord with necessity of such an officer, but in view of the financial responsibilities attendant on such an appointment they begged to refer the matter to the incoming executive.

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I want to say however in passing, that while I am in sympathy with all State Organizations, Conventions and Mass Meetings, at all proper times and places. I feel apprehensive that a more important organization is being overlooked by these large Conventions and love feasts, of which Brother Barrett speaks so enthuistically.

I refer to Local Societies!

It is to them we are to look for our converts, for revenue, for the character and reputation of our people, for leaders, for the officers to succeed those who are now so rapidly passing away, etc.

In reading the reports of these immense gatherings, I seldom see any reference

It was decided on the recommendation of the executive, to support the erection of a Memorial Hall to Mrs. E. H. Britten.

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How can it be otherwise when such statements emanate from some of the followers of He who said "Peace on earth, good will to men." "If any man come to me and hate not his father, his mother, llis bretheren, his sisters, yea, his own life also, he cannot be my disciple."

The world has repeatedly attempted to take the power of might and force the Christian religion down the throats of "heathen" "will ye; nill ye," and in many cases they have done so. But it has always been at the expense of hundreds and thousands of innocent lives.

Today the millions of human beings in China are living in a state that is satisfactory to them. They do not want our religions. They do want our trade without the religion. Turkey is the same, yet we have the spectacle of a great and powerful nation attempting to collect damages for buildings burned in a frenzy of religious enthusiasm and the nations of the world preparing to enter a "holy war" against which the "Crusades" might turn green with envy, just to protect Christian Missionaries, who, from reports that come to us from the "heathens" themselves, have entered their homes, introduced liquor with its attendant evils of drunkenuess and debauchery and such men, occupying "Christian Pulpits" advocate the expenditure of any amount of money and lives to "Christianize" the Chinese.

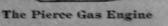
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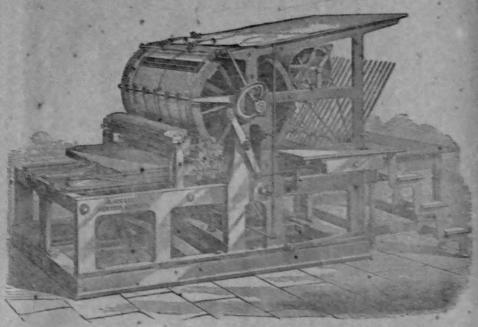
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# The British Spiritualists' Lyceum Union.

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It was decided to hold the next couference at Pendleton, Manchester on the 12th of May, 1901.

The following were duly elected as officers for the issuing year, President, Alfred Snedley, Belper; Past-President J. J. Morse, Loudon: Treasurer, A. E. Sutcliffe, Sowerly Bridge; Secretary, Alfred Kitson, Hanging Heaton, Dewsbury, Yorks. The following were elected members of the executive; Mrs. Greenwood and Messrs. S. S. Chiswell and J. Venables. The auditors were re-elected.

The consideration of the drafted copy of the new constitution was deferred until the next conference, as time would not allow of it a present.

The customary votes of thanks brought the sessions of the day to a happy conclusion.

THE EVENING MEETING being interested in the brief and bright addresses delivered by the several speakers who ably pleaded the cause of the children, some of the hardest hits at the indifference of Spiritualists to the importance of establishing C. P. Lyceums for the due training of the young. Addresses were given by the President of the day and the President elect, Mrs. M. H. Naylor; Messrs, T. O. Todd; J. Venables; A. Kitson; H. A. Kersey; A. Wilkinson and S. S. Chiswell.

Later it was reported in both the Buffato and New York papers; but the latest news we have is that the Editor of the Buffalo Evening News has been making an investigation and reports that there is no truth in the alleged confession. We will therefore leave the matter with our readers for personal investigation. We made the report from what we considered good authority and the editorial on the subject is equally applicable whether the "confession" is true or not true.

If Theodore Durant was not innocent, some others are. 'In fact, the preponderance of evidence went to show that the "Rev." Gibson was the guilty party in this particular case.

If he was innocent, nothing can atone for the infamous execution of this man. If guilty, the cause of human justice was not in one way aided by the infamous methods employed and the abominable spectacle of a great commonwealth, with all its power, trying to prove the guilt of one lone individu or guilty.

No other religion tolerates drunkenness , but Christianity! "Awake all ye drunkards and weep and howl, all ye drinkers of wine, because of the new wine; for it is cut off from your mouth. The drink offering is cut off from the house of the Lord; the priests, the Lord's ministers, mourn." Joel i. 5, 9, 13.

Is this the kind of Christianizing, Earl Cranston wants to do?

If Uncle Sam would only have the good sense to tell American missionaries that they need not look to him for pro. tection if they get into trouble trying to tear down other peoples' religion and the misguided donators would cut down the money, there would be less "calls from the Lord" to go out as missionaries and as a nation we would not be embroiled with "Heathen" countries.

The sooner this is done the better it will be for this country and all for all of the European countries.

"Our esteemed contemporary, THE SUN-FLOWER, devotes its last issue to many fine illustrations of the Lily Dale Camp Grounds and persons connected therewith."

-Light of Truth.

RAILROAD RATES TO CASSADAGA CAMP.

We have received a number of letters recently enquiring about special rates on the railroads to Cassadaga Camp. We are obliged to reply that so far as we know there are no such rates. Why, we do not know.

Onset, Lake Pleasant, Queen City Park, Clinton, Columbus, in fact, nearly every camp in the U.S. has special rates on the railroads. Chautauqua has special rates from all over the country and it seems strange that Cassadaga, where so many people congregate each summer, does not enjoy the same privileges as other gatherings of its class.

May the deliberations of the day and the earnest appeals of the evening bear rich fruit by the time the next conference is called to assemble is my earnest prayer.

Dr. S. D. Bowker, of Kansas City, Mo., writes asking us to give the evidence that Theodore Durant was innocent and "Rev." Gibson, was guilty of those murders.

Our evidence came first from a clipping credited to the San Francisco Examiner.

Justice demands that the Commonwealth should employ good coansel, the very best of talent, and that talent should be obligated in a most thorough manner to investigate the guilt or innocence of a criminal, especially one accused of a crime which is punishable with death. Some day it will be done.

## HON. A. B. RICHMOND, AT LILY DALE.

Hon. A. B. Richmond, Attorney-at-Law of Meadville, Pa., wdo is so well known to all who attend the Cassadaga meetings will spend the summer at Lily Dale, where he would be pleased to meet any one desiring legal council or practice' in any of the Courts in this or other states. The Sunllower twice a month, 50c a year.

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# The Sunflower.

ception at the South Park House, June 17. After a talk on Suggestive Ther-

apeutics, a social was enjoyed. Mrs. Maggie Wildrick is the proud mother of a bouncing baby girl. Miss Pearl Waters could not bear to

leave Lily Dale and is now "holding down her case" at THE SUNFLOWER office. Moses Hull has bought the Fairview

Cottage, on Library Street,

F. W. Foote will be the photographer this season. His location has not yet been fully determined. He will either occupy a photographer's tent next to THE SUNFLOWER office or the Hearn Gallery on First Avenue.

A reception was tendered the Campbell Brothers at The Leolyn Hotel. The spacious parlor was crowded to its utmost capacity and everybody was pleased. Moses Hull acted as master of ceremonies.

J. Clegg Wright's classes continue twice each day except Saturdays and Sundays. His lectures are much appreciated.

The hotels have had more than the average number of guests this month.

Among the mediums who have arrived are Mrs. H. V. Pairchild, Mrs. Maggie Waite, Dr. and Mrs. Miller-Wilcox, P. L. O. A. Keeler, and family.

The Training School presented Mattie E. Hull a fine picture of herself, the occasion being her 60th birthday. Moses declares that Mattie says she is to be boss after reaching sixty years of age, but we do not see as he grows thin under the change:

An entertainment and dance will be given\*at the Auditorium July 4th, under the leadership of Miss Phelps. The entertainment will consist of the usual lines and will be participated in by the children as well as local and professional talent. Admission '15 cents. After the entertainment a dance will be in order with supper at the South Park. Dance tickets, 25 cents. Supper, 50 cents a couple.

Mrs. Effie Moss, materializing medium, spent a day on the grounds and went on to Cleveland.

Mrs. G. M. Smith will give sittings at her cottage this season. She will be assisted by her daughter.

Mrs. Bartholomew will occupy rooms in Mrs. Woods cottage on Third Ave.

Sidney Kelsey, of Erie has arrived and is also domiciled at his old quarters in Mrs. Woods' cottage.

Mrs. LeRoy has the pop corn privilege. The Pagoda will be in charge of Mrs. Bach. It will contain, as usual, a complete stock of Spiritualistic and free-thought works as well as an assortment of Astrological, Theosophical and other works, fine candies, summer drinks, cigars, etc. Don't forget to renew your subscription to THE SUNFLOWER which you can do citter at, the Pagoda or at the office.

Hon. J. L. Davie, is a guest at the Leolyn. They also expect a party of visitors from Cleveland and Bradford the last of the week.

Campbell Brothers are having an acetylene gas plant put into their cottage, Miss Anita Trueman will begin a

elass at Dr. Hyde's Tuesday. Saturday evening a very interesting soal was held in the Library room. A

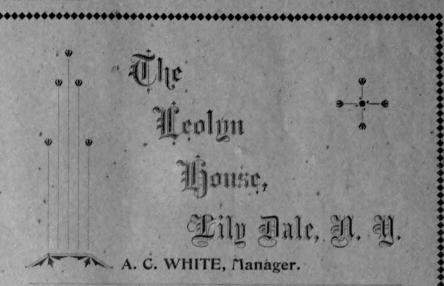
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Pundit Lalan left for Buffalo after a visit at Dr. Hyde's. Mrs. Hyde is now entertaing Miss Anita Trueman, of Boston, the psychic who has caused such an interest among the elite of Nev York City the past winter.

Fay Johnson has gone to OT He will make his future home near Cincinnati.

Mrs. McDonell made a visit to Toronto on business connected with the Mental Science Institute.

Meetings are held at Library Hall each Sunday. Different speakers take part and interesting sessions are the rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson gave a re-

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An interesting service was held at the and Hotel Sunday evening, partaking the nature of a dedication for the sumer's work. A fine program was renderand the occasion was one of the leasantest of the kind yet held.

The station was opened for the summer Sunday, July 1, and an agent placet in charge. The Sunday special trains have been started and visitors will find from three to five trains each way on Schdays.

I . L. H. Freedman has arrived and taken rooms at the Read cottage near the Auditorium.

A. Gaston and Miss Kate Peate are among the late arrivals.

Miss Olmstead has returned and placed her cottage into shape for the reception of guests.

Just as we go to press we learn that The Cassadagan has issued an illustrated camp edition. As they do not extend the customary exchange copy to us, we can not give a more extended notice.

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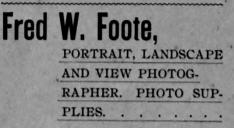
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Mrs. Carrie P. Pratt of Boston, will have charge of the platform during the Woman's Congress, assisted by Mrs. Lizzie Smith, of Barnstable; Miss Margaret E. Vaughn, Malden;" Mrs. O. A. Miller, Brockton; Mrs. Dr. Fuller, Greenwich; Mrs. C. M. Robbins, Fitchburg, and Mrs. Dr. Wyman of Onset.

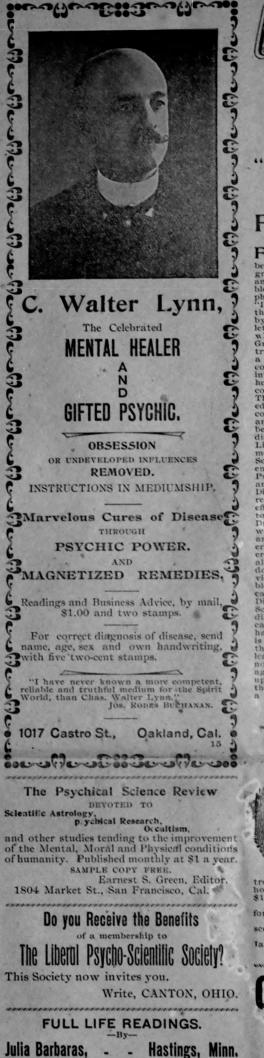
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July 16, Conference. July 17, Prof. W. F. Feck. July 18, Mrs. Juliette Yeaw. July 19, Prof. W. F. Peck. July 20, Mrs. Juliette Yeaw. July 21, Veterans' Union Day. July 22, Mrs. Sarah A. Byrnes, Dr. Lewis G. Janes, M. A. July 23, Conference. July 24, Mrs. Sarah A. Byrnes. July 25, Mrs. Carrie E. S. Twing. July 26, Dr. N. F. Ravlin. July 27, Mrs. Carrie E. S. Twing. July 28, Massachusetts State Association Day. July 29, Mrs. Carrie E. S. Twing, Prof. Edward Howard Griggs. July 30, Conference. July 31, Mrs. Ida P. A. Whitlock. Aug. 1, Rev. J. C. F. Grumbine, Aug. 2, Mrs. Ida P. A. Whitlock. Aug. 3, Mrs. Kate R. Stiles. Aug. 4, to be announced. August 5, Rev. J. C. F. Grumbine, Rev. Anna H. Shaw. Aug. 6, Conference. Aug. 7, Rev. J. C. F. Grumbine.

Aug. 8, Dr. N. F. Ravlin.

- Aug. 9, 10 and 11, Woman's Congress. Aug. 9, various short addresses. Mrs.
- Mary A. Livermore. Aug. 10, Mrs. C. Fannie Allyn, Rev. Anna H. Shaw.
- Aug. 11, to be announced. Mrs. Ursula N. Gestefeld.
- Aug. 12, Rev. B. F. Austin, D. D., Mrs. Gora L. V. Richmond.
- Aug. 13, Conference.
- Aug. 14, Miss Susie C. Clark. Aug. 15, Rev. B. F. Austin.
- Aug. 16, Mr. H. D. Barrett.
- Aug. 17, Rev. F. A. Wiggin.
- Aug. 18, National Spiritualists' Association Day.





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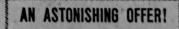
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