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# MOUNT PLEASANT PARK CAMP, CLINTON, IOWA. NINETEENTH ANNUAL SESSION.\_\_



Entrance to Grounds of Mt. Pleasant Park.

door and blind factories, five large cities. lumber mills employing over 2,000 men, a large pork and beef packing

The beautiful city of Clinton is lo- ing, a college, (Wartburg)-German cated on the banks of the Mississippi river, midway between St. Louis of electric street railway, electric and St. Paul. It is 138 miles west light and gas works, an excellent of Chicago, 218 miles from Des Moines, 354 miles from Omaha and Council Bluffs and is a rapidly growing city of over 25,000 inhabitants. Job printing offices. The avenues of It has six banks with capital stoot of \$1,000,000,000 and deposits of residences and the streets have some of \$1,000,000,000 and deposits of residences and the streets have some over \$4,700,000.00. There are 12 of the finest and best stocked stores miles of brick street pavement in the to be found in the State, taken it all city and numerous manufacturing in all, the City of Clinton is concedand other industries some of which ed to be one of the prettiest in this are the following: Two large sash, State of growing and prosperous

MT, PLEASANT PARK,

establishment, two large box factor- upon a high bluff overlooking the

Grand Avenue, Looking West from Pavilion.

River, elevated so that steamboats ern; Davenport, Rock Island and summer outing. Our park is not Northwestern; Indiana, Illinois and merely a camping ground, it is a Iowa. There are ten large public beautiful summer resort to which all school buildings, a high school build- are welcome with overflowing good

ies, two flouring mills, a large bridge city of Clinton, Iowa and a fine view factory, a soap factory, two large of the surrounding country may be paper mills, a large wagon factory, obtained from various points of van-a carriage factory, three furniture tage. Two deep wells supply all factories, a bed-spring factory, two with an abundance of pure, sparkling large breweries, two foundries, two cold water. Plenty of water for highway bridges over the Mississippi general purposes is brought there by the city water works, hydrants becan pass under them, a railway ing placed at convenient points. bridge, a court house costing \$175. Grand old forest trees protect with 000.00, two Opera Houses, six rail-their cooling shade, which with the roads, viz.: Chicago, Burlington and cosy private cottages, comfortable Oniney; Chicago & Northwestern; tents and commodious buildings for Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul; public entertainment, combine to Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northmake an attractive place for the

Several cab and baggage lines ply between the depots and steamboat landings and the Park, while the electric street cars pass the main entrance to the grounds, making them readily accessible to the city.

son ticket upon arrival at the grounds so as to lessen the work of the collector. Single Admission, 10 cents. Weekly Ticket, 50 cents. Season Ticket,

### TRANSPORTATION.

For this meeting the Western Passenger Association has granted a rate of a fare and a third for the round trip on the certificate plan. Tickets to be purchased on July 25, 26 and 27 and thereafter on Tuesday on the camp ground, then a re-turn ticket may be bought for one-third of the price paid go-ing. No certificate will be hon-ored which was issued to cover

more than one ticket.

The Diamond Jo Line of Steamers allow a rate of one Mount Pleasant Park is located fare for the round trip from all points between St. Paul and St. Louis, on the Mississippi river. Tickets on sale July to August 25 good to return until August 31.

Thus we can offer to the pub-lic the most liberal terms of transportation to and from our

Circumstances have rendered it necessary to put Miss Harlow of Haydensville, Mass. on our program in place of A. E. Tisdale whose name appears in

### THE LODGING HOTEL.

This building is erected, both as regards location and construction, solely with a view to the comfort and enjoyment of its guests. It is built upon an elevation, thus insuring well ventilated rooms, and all doors and windows are provided with screens, which provides effectual protection from those pests of the day and night, flies and mosquitoes. Rooms can be secured at any time by writing to "Mrs. Christine Cooper, Mt. Pleasant Park, Clinton, Iowa. who has charge of the lodging hotel for the season of 1901.

### TENTS WITH FLOORS.

Tents can be rented from the Association at the following prices, which are for tents set

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Siz	e-9x9	Weekly	-\$1.75	Season-	-85.00
	12x12	11	3.00	**	8.50
3.7	10x20	4.6	4.00	**	12.00
**	10x14	1.0	3.00	11	8.50
11	14x14	11	3.50	4.9	10.50
	16×21	4.6	5.00	11	15.00

These furnishing their own tents and floors will be charged only \$2.00 for ground rent for the entire season. Cots, comforts, camp stools and all the

These important features will be ADMISSION TO THE GROUNDS.

The admission to the grounds will be the same as heretofore, and all who can are requested coffee and tea, lunch and fruits can will be the same as heretofore, week for regular table board. Hot and all who can are requested coffee and tea, lunch and fruits can to purchase a weekly or a sea- be obtained at the restaurant when

### LADIES INDEPENDENT UNION.

will. Constant improvements paraphernalia necessary to make a are going on and better facilities complete camping outfit, can be are being provided each year rented from the Association for any for the entertainment of those length of time desired.

The DINING HALL.

LADIES INDEPENDENT UNION.

The object of this organization is to render assistance to the Mississippi Valley Spiritualist's Association in carrying out its work for adjusted to the properties of the complete camping outfit, can be a complete camping outfit of the co in carrying out its work for adunder the very efficient management of Mrs. W. J. Thorpe of Dubuque, Iowa. The dining hall is large and well equipped and the past experience of Mrs. Thorpe will enable her to satisfactorily provide for the common nature and in all controls of the development and practice of all the humantarian impulses of our common nature and in all controls. our common nature; and in all ways forwarding the sacred cause of Spir-itualism. Woman's Day is conductitualism. Woman's Day is conducted under the auspices of the Ladies Independent Union.

### MEMORANDA.

AMUSEMENTS.

Mt. Pleasant Park will be open to campers from June 15th to September 15th.



Lodging House and Ladies' Bazaar.

Park, the opportunities for amuseto indulge in terpsichorean pleasures. The weekly literary and musical entertainment affords many a hearty laugh.

Clinton furnishes miles of well arrive on the grounds.

paved streets over which the bieyele rider may rove at will and all may dressed to Mt. Pleasant Park. Clinindulge his or her whim to the fullest extent. Fine scenery abounds. The river furnishes an unexcelled chance for boating. While the factories and mills are items of interest to many.

For all information regarding the ments are varied. The regular dances renting of tents, address John Nelson, furnish a chance for those who wish Supt. Mt. Pleasant Park, Clinton, Iowa. If those owning tents will kindly write to Mr. Nelson, he will be pleased to have their tents put up and ready for them when they

visit the many points of beauty and ton, Iowa. Please leave your pet interest. The kodak devotee may dog at home; it is much safer there than on the camp ground. When leaving home for camp meeting buy your railroad ticket on Tuesday or Friday and take a certificate from

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Maquoketa Avenue, Looking West from Entrance.

Lily Dale is now arrayed in its summer garb and is rapidly getting ready for the will be \$1,50 to \$1.75. camp session. The parks have been moved and the lawn movers make a two sandwiches, a piece of pie and eake and fruit, all first class, at very decided improvements over the old Statlers restaurant, Ellicott Square. style of cutting with a seythe. All of

Among the decided improvements that A party of six went from here, two visitors to camp will find this season is of them from the SUNFLOWER office. the new te'ephone system inauguarted and upon their return were surprised by the Cassadaga and Lily Dale telephone to find that their entire expenses Co. It embodies connection with Cassa-daga village, the R. R. station, Burn-hams and then the connect on with the long distance telephone will make it very long distance telephone wil make it very above,

### SOME NEW FEATURES.

Be sure to read the circular headed "An July 1 and will be in charge of A. L. theatianal Movement at Lily Dale." Tambling. Educational Movement at Lily Dale." It, coupled with the movement already The meat market will open July inaugurated by Moses Holl, if properly 5 and Charles Waite will be in combined, should do a great deal towards charge as usual. making this place as much of an educational center as Chautanqua.

Moses Hall, and a graduate of Emerson and supply everything in its line College of Oratory, of Boston, is here as teacher of Oratory in the Traning School regularly since the June Picnic. Ly-and has signified her willingness to reman C. Howe, W. M. Lockwood and has signified her willingness to remain during camp if she can get sufficient patronage to warrant her in remaining. It is seldom that such an opportunity is presented to our attendants and we would advise all who are interested to at Hall Sunday evening. once write Mrs. Jahnke and see if a class can not be organized that will keep her

### HERE FOR THE SUMMER.

Mrs. Estelle F. Baillet has returned from a winter's sojourn with relatives in be given this week as a finale. different parts of the State. Judge Bail-let has spent the winter with his daugh-tended and the leader, Mr. Salem E. ter, at Swanton, Vt. At present he is Parker, was well satisfied with the sorely afflicted a la Job of Old Testament results. fame although so far we have not heard camp July 19 and will remain two that he either used the postberd or swore. Weeks and train a chorus for the He will return as soon as the boils will rostrum.

Mrs. P. L. O. A. Keeler and son Earle have come for the summer. Mr. Keeler it will run will arrive in a few days. Mrs. M. E. light trips. Havens and Mrs. Munn, of Rochester, Mr. Bellows has opened his pop are occupying Mrs. Havens' cottage on corn stand outside the gate and the Cottage Row

Mrs. Maggie Waite, daughter Hazel and John Mullen are occupying the Rouse rary for the summer. cottage on Cottage Row. Mrs. Bliss, the Mrs. J. A. Wicoff and daughter materializing medium will occupy part of May of Knoxville, Tenn., are guests the rooms.

Mrs. Griffey has moved her furniture here and is permanently located in her cottage on North Street.

Mrs. Captain Burnham, (nec Mrs. A. E. Read) and niece, Miss Maude Bloomfield, Miss Swan and Miss Kelley are occupying the Read Cottage.

Mrs. Voorhees and her attending physician, Dr. G. L. Keeler of Chicago, are has been visiting at the residence of here for the summer. In company with Elias Richards, have returned home. a party of friends they will occupy the Turner Cottage, on Third Ave. Dr. Keeler is well versed in the mysteries of the Order of the Magi and especially with from a visit to her sister's at Rochthe card features of the work and will ester. give a few readings to attendants.

Mrs. Marlett and daughter, Mrs. Law, are occupying the Shaw Cottage on Li-

Kentucky Home on Fourth Avenue with other friends for the summer.

Many inquiries are coming in re- its annual picnic on the grounds. gard to the expense and accommodations for attending the Pan-American from Lily Dale.

Special day excursions \$1.30, neur, N. van Duze arriving at Buffalo at 11.30 a. m.; by taking the Belt Line, (which is the quickest way to arrive at the the Dale. Exposition grounds, only taking 20 minutes), you arrive at the grounds at 12 noon; leaving there at 10 p.
m. (or a little later if you take the window and closet, just the thing Belt Line) leaving Buffalo at 10.45 for classes or circles; two sleeping arriving at Lily Dale at 12.41 a. m. rooms in same house. Also upright new departure this season, these workor if you prefer you can stay over night as these tickets are good returning the next day.

All the expense you need to be to on these one-day excursions, if you take your lunch with you, is, car fare \$1.30, fare to and from grounds 10 cents, admission to grounds 50 cents; total \$1.90. This gives you ten hours on the grounds.

The News at Lily Dale. If you want to remain three days, the cheapest and most pleasant way is to go to Dunkirk on the morning train, take the boat to Buffalo, arriving at Buffalo at 1 p. m. Boats Leave Dunkirk at 10.30 a. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays and leave Buffelo the same days at 6 p. m., arriving at Dunkirk at 8.20 then by carriage to Lily Dale, 12 miles. The fare for the round trip this way.

> You can get lunches consisting of in Buffalo for ten cents. Meals on the Exposition grounds 25 cents and

MISCELLANEOUS.

The R. R. station will be opened

Both of the grocery stores have a onal center as Chautanqua. good stock of supplies for campers Mrs. Alfarata Jahnke, daughter of and the Pagoda will also be open

> Sunday meetings have been held and A. J. Weaver have officiated, These meetings will be continued until camp opens. Babu Bheem of Nepaul, India. is spending a few days here and lectured in Library

> Every Saturday evening a party has been held at Library Hall, from 10 to 12 tables usually being The last one before camp was held on the 29th ult. and if music can be secured a dance will

He expects to return to

The steamer has began its trips and will run special days and Sun-days until camp opens, after which it will run daily and make moon-

LeRoys inside.

Mrs. Cowan has opened the Lib-

at H. T. Smith's residence on Fourt Avenue, Mrs. Wikoff is a sister of Mrs. Smith.

Prof. Lockwood and wife are here for the summer.

Julius Parkess has returned from

Jake Scheu is home for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Dana Richards, who

Mrs. Dr. Pierce has been quite ill but is recovering.

Mrs. A. C. White has returned

Mrs. Lee Morse is enjoying a visit from her sister who lives at Angora. Mrs. Carrie Shaw has returned

commencement excercises July 11th, we may attain a success at Lily Dale The Fredonia Normal School held never yet reached.

Springs, Va. where he re-

### FOR RENT.

piano in good condition. 5 Second Avenue

When you reach camp, you will be Hungry and tired. You will find good meals and beds at the

JACKSON COTTAGE. O For Particulars and program, address with stamp.

A. H. JACKSON, Lily Dale, N. Y.



### PROF. LOCKWOOD AT LILY DALE.

Prof. Lockwood has arrived at Lily Dale and is making arrangements for his class work and lectures on natural philosophy which includes an analysis of the phenomena of clairaudience, clairvoyance. psychology, thought transference and the psychic relations existing between the mental plane and life beyond the grave. Prof. Lockwood instructs the infinite spirituality of all of nature's elements and forces and that these by a process of combination invisible to the eye, and known only to science as "modes of invisible motion," promote the vast phenomena of form and types of existences, seen and unseen in processes of cosmic evolution. Prof. Lockwood instructs the unity of nature's method of progression hence, that spiritual substances invisible to human sight, combine upon a mathematical basis, to promote form and organization, which we call matter, therefore matter and materiality as seen by the eye, is the result or phenomena of spiritual elements in combination. He also affirms that the evolution of the human soul and its existence beyond the grave, does not depend upon any system of faith, or creedal religion, or upon the dogma of "The fall of man and vicarious atonement," or upon any so-called sacred cosmogony or book; but is a truth inherent in nature and her evolutionary processes and a truth capable of scientific demonstration. Prof. L. brings with him a fine outfit of philosophical and scientific apparatus with which to demonstrate his data. This outfit includes among many other things an X-ray and wireless telegraphy and he is in hopes to be able to add to those one of the finest spectroscopes ever sent to this country from France, before the season closes, Address W. M. Lockwood, Lily Dale, N. Y. for circulars of prospectus for this sea-

### AN EDUCATIONAL MOVEMENT AT LILY DALE.

We are trying to develop an enterprise which we hope will lead to a great success. It is in connection with the free education work at Lily Dale.

We are to have with us through the entire season, two of the leading educators in our ranks; Prof. Wm. M. Lockwood and J. Clegg Wright. Their agreement with the Association is that they shall give such public addresses as are on our printed program, and in addition to this, to hold classes from time to time - an admission fee being charged - and the proceeds be divided between themselves and the Association.

Now, instead of private classes, at a price, it is the wish of these noble workers to have their lessons and instructions free to all. This is the educational work healer.

Mrs. Reed, her son and his family are occupying her cottage on Third Avenue.

Miss Cora Rambo has returned to her Kentneky Home or Earth of the Training School.

The Training School of the lot next to the fulness and power. These men are eminently fitted to begin this tremendous work and we trust will show in a practical statement of the postoffice and it is being filled in and will be made into a park.

The Training School of the lot next to the fulness and power. These men are eminently fitted to begin this tremendous work and we trust will show in a practical statement. we hope to accomplish this summer, as a

The vital question we bring to your Prof. Zebley has gone to White notice is one of finances. We appeal to you personally, to be one of ten to give Special rates are made on each Monday and Friday of \$1.30, good returning the next day. Tickets good for ten days \$2.35. Regular fare \$2.70.

Sumes his work as dath.

Mr. Van Duzee, who was injured by a fall last winter is still in a noble philosophy, increase your interest weak and failing condition. His in the work we are all trying to accomplish and lead up to victory.

We are already sure of five subscriptions of the amount named. Will you add one

E. W. Sprague spent Sunday at more? If so, we shall be sure of raising the needed amount, and our auditorium can be turned into a free class room every week day forenoon, (Wright and

> ers promise to demonstrate both the practicability and usefulness of this movement.

> The above is a copy of a circular that has been sent to a number of wealthy Spiritualists. If you are willing to aid the C. L. F. A. in this movement, kindly signify it at once by addressing, A. B. Gaston, Lily Dale, N. Y.

# THE PAGODA



Spiritualist Papers, Books, Pamphlets, Etc. In addition we wan carry a fine stock of

Candles, Ink, Pens, Writing Paper

and Envelopes and many of the little necessities of camp life.
We have the best, cold sur

Lemonade a Specialty. Our Ginger Ale is made espially for us and will be for the most healthful summer drimade.

made.
Pure Unfermented Grape Juice.
A food and drink combine.
Subscriptions taken for all of the Spiritualist and Freethought papers and the current issue to sale during camp.

The place to renew your sub-scription to

THE SUNFLOWER IS AT The Sunflower Pagoda.

# THE GRAND HOTEL. THE ASSOCIATION HOUSE.



The GRAND HOTEL, owned by the Association has been placed in charge of Mr. L. M. Worden, proprietor of the popular Commercial Hotel, of Meadville, Penn.

It has been put into first-class condition and the accommodations and bill of fare will be strictly up-to date.

Special low rates until July 12, when the summer schedule begins. For rates, reservation of rooms or other information, ADDRESS L. M. WORDEN, Manager, LILY DALE, N. Y.

A. C. WHITE,

MANAGER.

The Leolyn House, ily Dale, N. Y.

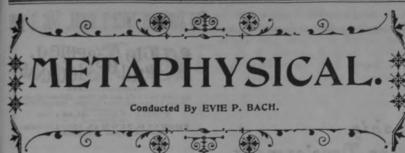


A first class summer hotel, situated on the bank of one of the Cassadaga Lakes, with a fine grove (which has been left as near as possible in its natural state) good boating, fishing and driving.

The hotel has been newly painted and papered, many of the furnishings renewed and a more homelike summer resort cannot be found.

Write for Booklet.

Rates \$1.50 and \$2.00 Per Day.



THE NEW THOUGHT INFLUENCE

bloomed;
The lone birds joyful sang; and all thought
Was lifted till the higher levels loomed By truer being trod. birds joyful sang; and all my

Beneath its wings I rest in silent night,

Like arch of promise, spanning all the sky, Or Morning's kiss that wakes the world

below,
It comes for all—the New Thought's potency—
To change life's wayward currents in their
flow

Back toward the course divine.

LAURA S. R. McCarthy

In — Journal of Magnetism.

OCCULT THOUGHT

TO FIGHT WRONGS.

By continually "suggesting" success the workingman will work out his own salvation, and the masses will be freed from the bondage of the trusts, according to a book now in the hands of the printers.

Dr. W. I. Gordon, of Cleveland, is its author. The book's title is, "I Suggest Suggestion and Osteopathy." Dr. Gordon is a believer in the theories of those members of the medical profession who have deserted the old school and in "suggestive therapeutics." The latter, he says, is "miscalled by the mystifying term 'hypnotism.' " The author says:

"The law of suggestion is the newly discovered natural law which opens the door for solving vital questions that are and its application means perfect health, freedom from disease or failure in any avocation in life. Through suggestion we educate the mind or soul, and it is only through this channel, with the proper suggestions, that we can ever expect man to give his brother his inalienable rights and gain those liberities in the future that God ordained every man to possess."

living soul."

its power.

"We can make ourselves and our lives largely what we desire them to be.

"We make our own environments. selves really are. We can have joy or quarrels and strife. We can have wealth and plenty or we may grovel in poverty and rags. We may enjoy good health, wealth and happiness or we may from desease, poverty and despair, Many people keep themselves tired and and conditions."

### SELF-RELIANCE.

Strength and knowledge will come to is not there. you in proportion as you use what you

already possess. Do something! On thought wings high there came an influ- can only teach you a needed lesson and enswood, from which they were excluded within my life (thought from the heaven outflown).

And nestled in my soul; more potent, true And beautiful than life before had known—
The world, my world, to change.

Can only teach you a needed lesson and success will be found in some other rectangles. February 15, because they had not been without in the one you are attempt. Tracy, seventh grade. Mirian, fourth grade and Ithamar, first.

The mandamus is asked against Graden. causes may call that power into action, O'er paths that stretched in gloom, sweet but that rests with you to decide. You light was brought; but that rests with you to decide. You ham Harris, president of the board of Where boughs were fading, freshened roses make your own decisions and noth-education; E. G. Cooley, superintendent Still whispering peace, it hath not from me comply with the law for you, although contagious disease, have been expelled another may point out the pathway of from the school which they attended beshed: agreement to you. You may come into cause they had not been vaccinated. A When stars are witnesses and dews are shed: agreement to you. You may come into cause they had not been vaccinated. A Tis happy guerdon all the long day bright, agreement with the principles of your physician's certificate that the three Tis balm of healing tree. and by trying experiments. Through dangerous disease is shown. Mr. Tracy these experiments you will acquire act. declares that he fears the effect of the ual knowledge, and exact knowledge is virus, which he believes has been known harmony of Principle. Have faith in and to cause severe sickness and even death trust your own decisions and determi- to those inoculated. nations. If you lack faith in yourself you limit your own powers of accomplishment. Cultivate faith in self and right of the school authorities to insist then go forward and prove that it is on vaccination has been arranged in founded on the bed rock of eternal truth, court."-Chicago Chronicle. Let failure only increase your faith, and make the attempt in a different way the next time.

In this connection I quote the following ance:" "Some one will ask you, 'How All honor to the Judge. can I use my will?' In only one way, and that is by relying on it. You can only use the powers you have within you by relying on them. You may think there is some other way, but there is not. You may think that I am not treating you right when I say that the reason you cannot control your physical forces as they should be is because you cannot trust your will. You may say that you cannot, but I know that you can. I know that what one person has done another can do, and that person does not live who cannot trust his will diseases, and because they are either igagitating and confusing society today, as far as any other person ever did, or cannot use it as far as any other person motives."

WILLIAM E. TOWNE in The Nautilus.

CONCENTRATE ON ONE IDEA

AND HOLD IT. of the influence of the mind over the person in trouble gets ready to folbody, but there are comparatively few low our advice to the exclusion of who know anything about the extent of all others we begin to enforce concentration on one idea. Healing and uplifting power is right in your own house. There read and study disease and destitution there is (mortal mind and delusions), nervous, depressed, exhausted and die Pessimistic thoughts bring hell. To see all as good is heaven. Make whichever any other statement. you prefer. Every time one complains worn out fighting imaginary wrongs of anything he has planted hell-seeds. Distinctly realize all the time, that there is no god beyond the stars, nor in some sky-heaven, nor elsewhere for you to dream of. Only inside one's every One thing which will greatly accelerate thought can he look for a creator. the realization of your ideals is the cul- Where the creator is, can be no evil, no

-Occult Truths.

## COMPULSORY VACCINATION AGAIN DEFEATED.

Compulsory vaccination of pupils of the Chicago public schools has been attacked in the courts. Joseph P. Tracy, 2798 Winchester Avenue, general manager of the Michigan, Indiana and Illnois Steamship Company, has filed mandamus proceeding in the circuit court to compel Be the school authorities to admit his three something! Attempt things! Failure children to the McPherson School, Rav-

The mandamus is asked against Graham Harris, president of the board of ing outside yourself will interfere either of schools, and Miss Adelaide Jordan, to save or condemn you. If you com- principal of the McPherson school. The ply with the Law of your Being you court is then informed that the three may accomplish all things. No one can children, though free from any taint of being by consciously willing to do so children are free from all infectious or FOR SALE ..

> It is said that this is the first time in Cook county that the question of the TO RENT.

The "mandamus" was granted. The school authorities by the decision of the Judge were defeated and these children were permitted to go to school unvaccifrom Prof. Weltmer's book, "Self-Reli- nated, unpoisoned by the doctors' lancet.

## Vaccination and Personal Rights. MRS. RILEY JOHNSON,

The Boston Globe says: "Several thousand vaccinations were recently made in 'little Italy,' New York. The work DESIRABLE ROOMS was done by 125 physicians, guarded by 105 policemen. Everybody was compelled or forced to receive the virus. The presence of the large police force made the barbaric scene still more barbarian. Doctors advocating compulsory vaccination do it because there is money in it, because it is seedsowing for the future norant of its effects or mercenary in their

### Compulsory Vaccination Again "Downed."

"I have three boys," says F. E. Kennedy, editor of the Binghamton, (N. Y.) Independent, "and knowing the require-A nervous person is so because of con- ments of our state vaccination law, I stantly changing opinions and beliefs. notified the three commissioners that if If he would settle upon one opinion or it was a choice of going to jail or hav-"Man is possessed of two minds. One belief and never vacilate from it no mating my children poisoned with calf lymph we call the involuntary mind. This involuntary mind can see without the use condition would improve. We will not the next meeting of these commissioners of physical eyes. It never dies. It is the attempt to help people till they are sick the resolution to enforce the law was of running here and there to try every "rescinded" and we have heard nothing "All people have at least a crude idea device or nostrum invented. When the more about vaccination in this locality. Temple of Health.

PASSED TO SPIRIT LIFE.

is no god in all the universe for you to On the 21st ult. Cornelia A. wife of Dr. "With an earnest desire, stimulated by concern yourself about, except what ex- O. J. Willard, at her home in Jamestown expectation and reinforced by a resulting ists right inside your own soul. From N. Y. Funeral service conducted by Mrs. hope, the seeker of health, wealth and no other source did ever any good come Clara Watson on Thursday evening the happiness is sure of success. On the to you or ever will. So soon as one dis- 23rd. Mrs. Willard was a consistent other hand, with a feeble desire, fear of covers what a fountain of truth, of Spiritualist for over 35 years, and passed failure and despair of success will freeze health and of joy goes everywhere his to the beyond with the full knowledge body goes and stays everywhere his that she could return. During the serbody stays, so soon will his whole men-vices Mrs. E. S. Pattrell of Jamestown, We attract to ourselves what we our- tal attitude change. Following this, the a clairvoyant, saw her in spirit from apwhole bodily conditions will change also. pear beside her casket and look at her we can suffer sadness. We can have Meanwhile, he is blind and deaf to the earthly form, which lay, as it were, in a peace or we may engage in discussions, living powers within him. His conceit bed of roses. She seemed to admire the blinds him. He thinks he knows what flowers very much - was visable for is in him, when truly he does not. There about one minute, and then passed out is a veil between his soul and his brain. into space. Mrs. Pattrell is a lady of You have already been in the only hell the highest respectability and integrity, and her word would be taken without until we are chilled with fear, become and heaven is a condition - not a place. questioning on any other subject, then why not believe her in this as well as in

> Sally A. Davis, widow of A. D. Newman, passed into spirit life, June 15, in her 85th year, at her home near Redwood. N. Y. She had always been a Spiritualist and her life was a busy one; she was very cheerful as most all Spiritualists are.

Sarah, wife of Wm. Mieth, passed to tivation of a firm reliance upon yourself, sin, no wrong; see therefore, the creator the higher life. She was the daughter of Learn to rely upon your own powers. within your every word, act and Mr. and Mrs. Downs, of Buffalo. She So many expect some one else to do for thought. It's there whether recognized leaves an infant daughter and many them what no living being can do except or not. Refusing to recognize your friends, who will mourn for her physical themselves. The most a healer can do neighbor does not blot him out of exist- presence but with the knowledge the for you is to awaken you. You must do ence; nor does refusing to see within husband has death is the open door to the work of living and growing yourself, your soul the center of all life, prove it progression. Funeral services were held June 5 at the Spiritual Temple, services conducted by F. Corden White.

## LILY DALE ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mrs. Nellie Warren,
No. 5 North St., Lily Dale, N. Y.



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AWAKENED FROM SLEEP TO WRITE.

Since I have been writing this article I have often been wakened during the night and impressed to write. I think it is the inspiration of Prentice Mulford, who was a newspaper man. I never wrote before. I wrote "The Secret of Long Life" for publication, and if I would give way to the influence I would write more in detail but I always like to condense my thought and expression. Early in life I learned to put as much as possible in a few words, as most of my correspondence was by cablegram and each word would cost dollars. Later, while in the grain business, all my correspondence was done by telegraph.

thing" as soon as the name was spoken and the spirit recognized—I saw a man whom I described and the sister said that is him. At parties, cake, etc. which I never eat in my normal condition and entertainments, I have often caten sweets, cake, etc. which I never eat in my normal condition and elet a very strong influence over-shadowing of children and when I have spoken of it is mother it has been recognized and the influence would leave me.

I have had spirits attach themselves to me as I was walking along the streets, particularly children, who would impress me to go into a candy store and buy something that I would never have bought in my normal condition of

THOUGHT I WOULD GO INSANE.

One night I was awakened from sound sleep by pain. My brain seemed on fire and I felt as if I would lose my mind. But I concentrated and listen to lectures, visit lodges and become upon the word "Peace" and held the thought initiated into mystic orders, all of which was as "No harm can come to me; God's angels have real as if I was physically awake. charge over me." I soon fell asleep and was O.

DROP MY BODY, STEP OUTSIDE. K. in the morning.

"abstract" mysel() the more I am interested the more liable am I to fall into this condition. At such times I can read the thoughts of the speaker before they are expressed and frequently they will reflect my thought and express it in words, many times answering my unspoken questions.

FURNISHED PARAPA ROSA, STRENGTH TO SING.

Upon one occasion the opera singer controlled a lady who was lacking in vital and vocal power, who said she could not get enough strength I said, "I will assist you by standing by your side and you can draft upon me." Which she did, it seemed as if she would draw a lung out of me and for hours afterwards my lungs were very sore but it was a success and over twenty intelligently musical educated persons enjoyed the

INSPIRED INSTRUMENTAL MUSICAL PLAYING.

While in Indianapolis and in the early part of my investigation I would sit by the piano and the medium would improvise and play any important incident in the life of any individual in the circle, viz.: a gentleman thought of a bat-tle in which he was engaged during the war, the medium (Mrs. Gage) played the battle scene, she would then take the gentleman's handkerchief and give him a name-poem and character

CURED DIPTHERIA.

My daughter was sick with the diptheria in Peoria while I was here in Chicago. That night I retired but could not sleep and all night it seemed as if I could not breathe and had a furnace inside of me. I was absorbing her condition, next morning she was much improved and in a few days perfectly well.

M'KINLEY'S FIRST ELECTION.

I was having a reading with a medium about 3 p. m. upon election day when suddenly the control influence said McKinley is elected.

BATTLE OF MANILA.

A friend of mine was having a reading with a medium when the control said "we have sunken their ships," etc. which was confirmed several

I SEE SPIRITS ON THREE PLANES.

First, I see clairvoyantly; then I see with the spirit eye, and sometimes I see with the physical eye, but in the latter case as soon as I gaze intently at the spirit it disappears; if I am going along the street and I see a person, as soon as I concentrate my sight upon them they disappear proving that spirit vibrates at much higher rates than the physical.

OBSESSION.

Upon one occasion I was at a meeting, corner Indiana Ave. and 22nd St., when a lady, who was obsessed by a spirit, disturbed the meeting. One of the ushers took her to the ante-room where I followed her. I made a few passes over her and spoke a few words in an unknown and Y. P. S. U. tongue, upon when the spirit left her and never Important but bothered her again. At another time when the Band of Harmony used to meet at Adath Hall, as I came up the stairs I thought I heard a dog barking, when I reached the hall I saw a crowd surrounding a lady, I took her into the antiroom and with a few passes I disposed of the controlling influence and the lady went home in a normal condition.

STONED TO DEATH.

One night I saw at a circle-I was rooming in the same house with the medium and her hus-band—after the circle, the medium's husband and I went to a saloon and procured a pitcher of beer; as I returned I brought some cheese and crackers with me, while we were all drinking the beer, a spirit entranced the medium and said she was hungry since she had been stoned to death and wanted something to eat—we after had many wonderful manifestations of different spirits, it being headquarters for mediums and theatrical spirits McCulluch and many other actors would come after midnight and take possession of the sensitive and have a jolly good time in general—I told the spirit that it was after midnight and too late to experit the contraction. after midnight and too late to gratify her cravings that night, but if she would meet me next day at Kinsley restaurant after the Board of Trade closed, she could take lunch with me and I would eat all she wanted, I ordered dishes that I never ate before and ate enough for four men, but the spirit seemed to absorb all the food that I ate and the wine that I drank without it having any effect upon me; it was my usual custom after lunch to smoke a cigar but this

A FEW PERSONAL EXPERIENCES IN day I had no desire to smoke but I bought a Grand reception to delegates and visitors will be button-hole bouquet. Upon another occasion I held at the Red Parlor of the Ebbitt, corner F. and was dining at a private house and I ate very 14 St., Monday, October 14, at 8 j. m. All are inabundently of a dish that I never ate, when I vited. realized that a spirit was using my mouth to satisfy his hunger and I asked the hostess who in her family was so fond of the food that I was eating and she said, "why my brother died with a fever and we would not allow him to eat anything" as some the normal than the said. thing" as soon as the name was spoken and the

never have bought in my normal condition of

READ BOOK IN MY DREAMS.

DROP MY BODY, STEP OUTSIDE.

One night I was intently reading in the public Often while in attendance at a lecture I will outside of my physical body.

LADY'S FACE OVERSHADOWS MINE.

Upon one occation while sitting in a materializing circle, the lady next to me said: "why Mr. Morgan, you have lost your mustache and now a lady's face appears where yours should be." I was told that my face would dematerialize and another would materialize in its place.

CHANGE FROM YOUTH TO OLD AGE.

I have often been quietly scated by the side of a lady when she would notice my features change and as many as a dozen different faces and features from sixteen to sixty years of age appeared.

SPIRITS LIVED THROUGH ME.

When I was on the Board of Trade different kinds of spirit would become en rapport with me and particularly many earth bound spirits would impress me to eat, drink and be merry in general both night and day, they would make money through me and when I refused to spend it in having a good time they would cause me to lose it again.

AWAKEN THE DEAD.

One winter I was compelled to travel through the south visiting Florida on my way, I stopped at the principal cities, but at Richmond and Charleston, I visited the cemetaries and went to many graves and spoke in an unknown tongue and said "arise, you have slept long enough, you are not dead." At Galveston, I had the same experience.

TRAVEL FOR SPIRITS.

I remember one trip in which I visited the principal eastern cities, summer resorts, seasides and mountains of Vermont, stopping at Lake Pleasant and Onset Bay Camp returning via. Montreal and Niagara Falls, where the spirits had a glorious time. If there was one there must have been one hundred who traveled that one ticket and paid only one hotel bill and I added to the number and dropped them at different places. They would say, "I once lived here and did so and so, I come back here to gain strength to enable me to pass on to higher condition. We can use your magnetism to come closer to earth's condition," etc.

## ANNUAL CONVENTION.

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tention to various demands upon it, and rifice freely made, was ever made in vain." general affairs of the bome office, have As T. W. Robertson truly said. "Did you gone on without friction and we are as. ever hear of a man who had striven all sured that kindly sympathy from both of his life, faithfully and singly toward sides of life attends our efforts to do the an object of aspiration and in no measwork at hand - our gratitude goes out ure obtained it?" to all for the kindly cheer received.

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A little tot runs tumbling oe'r; And greets me with a kiss so sweet,

Our little tot lies still and cold

is a very pretty artificial lake. Two Seeing not the tears of friends who weep, Hearing not the sobs of grief profound. There will be ample arrangements made Her smiling lips make no reply. Is impressed on the face we so sadly miss.

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in our ranks who needed the touch of not holding the trance of death to arms reasonable ambition to do good, to cheer his kindly hand, and the sound of his length for a few short years and then the lonely hearts that sit in the shadow 35 wearily saying: "It is no use, there is of great affliction. This be our work to nothing in it, I am too old for enthus- heal the broken hearts, to show love and iasm.

Our other missionaries have carried proof of spirit return and teachings of ing to do something to keep the world "Tis as easy now for the heart to be true the philosophy to hundreds of souls, and of humanity on and up to a better estate. As for grass to be green and skies to be blue the philosophy to hundreds of souls, and "It is not all of life to live, nor all of "Tis the natural way of living." Life is living, living to a purpose, liv- without the giver is bare." the luke-warm and apathetic. Mr. and death, to die - to lie in cold obstruction and to rot.'

Life is living and living is one of the opposition with cheerfulness, and have processes known to eternity. It is pracinvariably overcome opposition and won ticed in eternity and eternity is the day that life is love

Love, which is the beginning and the who can say whence it comes or whither Carrie E. S. Twing, has also done splen- it goes? By works here let us wing our did missionary work under the auspices spirit flight for the principle of eternal faith, hope and love. Love is stronger bor, and yet even to the humblest, "in est there is no failure, no work truly The correspondence, library work, at- done, no word earnestly spoken, no sac-

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"Beloved friends of national freedom, enlist. I pray you, into the cause which sets you free beyond the death of the body or the moral framework, of a pure spirit, I hope, trust and seek to spread the light of this rapturous state of blissful living to every kindred soul, for all is not death, but living.

"My aim now is peace as it was on earth, and that God knows, so depend upon it, I will never forsake you in the spirit form, but if I can do anything to brighten the paths of men, be they white or black, christian, bondsmen or slaves, I will do my best to sever the ties of hatred and to glorify my maker and your maker and their maker, who is nigh you all forever. Be very patient my dear friends. God does not wantonly deprive any of the right of speaking their heavenly mind to their friends upon the earth, but for the present, the hope is small that the world will taste of this happy intercourse in love from God's mansions on high.

"I believe I am not the most adored of men or have not left the best feelings on Secretary, and the following books, according the part of many, but for those who did not understand that God was my judge, I may say that I am a sorry spirit for misunderstanding and expect fully to greet them beyond the river, where we will not have a word to choose except that little word love, in which is comprised the whole universe and the founder of it. Amen, and good night.

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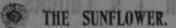
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WHAT SHALL WE DO WITH THEM.

Publishers of the Spiritualist papers and leaders in societies have a question before them that requires careful handling. It is the question of Spiritualists and mediums in want or who claim to be in want of financial assistance.

In the current issue of the Temple of Health, Brother Peebles expresses himseif on the subject and states that he assisted an English medium to get back to the East, not knowing what took place after his arrival in Boston.

Charity is the greatest of all, so it is said, but the question of bestowing charity and being the victim of designing people is where it has always been diffi- the ever interesting subject of Organiza--cult to draw the line. THE SUNFLOWER tion in our next issue. His thoughts on would like to aid all but what are we to this subject are always practical and do? Every few weeks we have letters would do Spiritualism much good if heedasking for assistance and asking us to ed. We regret to learn that he will not publish their pleas. Most of them are be a visitor at Lily Dale this summer. strangers to us, we do not know anything of their conditions, do not know whether they are worthy or unworthy in the great majority of cases and never has the writer given any reference or First in the presidential line, anything that would allow us to learn In seventeen hundred eighty-nine, the facts.

Not long since we received a letter stating that two papers to whom the writer John Adams to us next was giv'n, appealed had paid no attention to it. We knew nothing of the person and were The third was Thomas Jefferson; in exactly the same position as the other He came in eighteen hundred one papers. Could not consistently ask our patrons to contribute to the individual Went in in eighteen hundred nine. without any knowledge of the matter. The plain fact was that we did not know In eighteen hundred seventeen. whether money sent would go for bread John Quincy Adams did arrive or whiskey.

Spiritualists should make some arrangements whereby cases of actual destitution or of persecution can be attended to by them as a body the same as other denominations do and then we will be able to take care of our workers who, through The tenth was Tyler — forty-one siekness or laws are placed in an undesir- Who filled the seat of Harrison. sickness or laws are placed in an undesir-

are much different here from what they Buchanan next in fifty-seven, are in England. We have long trips to Fifteenth was he - four and elev'n, make, short engagements are the rule Lincoln - sixteenth - in sixty-one, and while the pay seems large, the increased expenses make it much smaller than it seems.

Strangers coming here have to gain a reputation in some manner. So it is nec. essary to come well recommended in order to gain a proper hearing from societies

The plan of work is far different here also. While their popular favor is clairvoyance and psychometry, in this country the test work is on a different basis and much more pointed.

This is written not to criticise any of

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The Premium Book Offer on By lessons learned from all the rest. this page.

### THAT SYMPOSIUM.

The Light of Truth has recently published a symposium on the future out- Death; Its Meaning and Result, of it, they, none of them believing in could not trace them. look and present prospects of Spiritualism, with some suggestions. THE SUN-FLOWER is not in accord with all that was said, but on many points it would add a hearty amen.

To our mind, the principal need of Spiritualism is a class of advocates who will take hold with an earnestness of purpose and will not ask the spirit world will strike at the root of the trouble.

Spiritualist workers are like all others. They must be properly sustained if they it had not closed so soon. are to make their points and do the work they have been called to do. If we book, I concluded that it was a wonder- not known to be dead came and report- Paul speaks, with wicked spirits in high expect that we are to get the finest in- ful book containing over 500 pages of ed, giving what proved to be correct places spiration out of instruments who are the most weird matter that was ever accounts of their lives and death. Tests I wish I had room to say more than depending on each day's work for the put in type. If this was not so Mr. Wil- were multiplied during the next few weeks, twice as much about this strange book. sustenance necessary to carry them son was the monumental liar, or the until more would only have been a All I can do is to ask the reader to send through the next, we are sadly mistaken. most imaginative person of the age. The burden. When we expect to get intelligent, edu-book reads as though the author thought Here the scene changes; Mr. Wilson Flower publishing Co., Lily Dale, N. Y., cated workers for "the collections" we he was telling facts; so, I determined to and Mr. Dallas, each on a certain night, and get one or these truly wonderful might as well give up. When we expect try to find out. For this purpose I inter- found themselves prisoners, neither, until books. that we can grow and flourish without viewed more than a dozen of his neigh- they were taken to the spirit prison, JULY 1, 1901, doing a solitary thing for the children, bors besides several others who knew knowing that the other was a prisoner. we are counting on impossibilities.

same earnestness that characterizes the unassuming lawyer; not given in the There they met each other. They churches and there will never be a call least to running after fancy; nor to hal- would have been killed, had not their for another symposium or a wonder of lucination hunting. As for the truth of captors seen that to do that would ruin "What shall we do?"

### THAT DEBATE.

W. F. Jamieson which is to take place energy. the first ten days of Camp will be something to be remembered. This is not a and some of his boy friends held a seance As Mr. Dallas had learned telegraphy, religious battle where Spiritualistic facts or two, with such results as to frighten they soon provided themselves with a tion but is a forensic contest between that direction. Years passed on. Mr. was connected with no earthly instrutwo able advocates of the respective isms Wilson graduated in a Law School, and ment, but through it they got very imand the discussion will be along scientif-

ter, and above all a gentleman and no work as came in his way as an attorney. These spirits fought on each side. In tarjum, Send for Journal. up the time. If you enjoy a debate be-

### CAPTAIN E. W. GOULD.

Captain Gould will be heard from on

### Presidents of the United States.

Was Washington, who - all agree -Obtained our national liberty. In seventeen hundred ninty-seven. Then Madison - fourth in the line -The fifth Monroe - as will be seen -And took his seat in twenty-five. Jackson - the seventh in line -Next took his seat in twenty-nine. The eighth - Van Buren - next was giv'n He took his seat in thirty-seven. The ninth we find was Harrison, Who took his seat in forty-one. sickness or laws are placed in an undesirable condition.

Another thing. We know of three English mediums who have come to this country and have come to this wish to welcome our English cousins, we also wish to advise them that conditions are much different here from what they The year the Civil War begun. Johnson — the seventeenth — alive When Lincoln died in sixty-five. Grant the eighteenth in the line - Went in in eighteen sixty-nine. In seventy-seven, then came Hayes, The ninteenth — quiet in his ways. Garfield then followed after Hayes, to gain a proper hearing from societies His term was short—two hundred days. Without a long siege of work to gain He took his seat in eighty-one—the reputation on merit.

The plan of work is far different here

Then Arthur came when Garfield died. The twenty-first one to preside.
The twenty-second, Cleveland, came
In eighty-five. And now we name
Ben Harrison, as twenty-three, His date was eighty-nine, we see. Then Grover Cleveland came once more, This is written not to criticise any of the Grover Cleveland came once more the classes mentioned, but to try to give an exact statement of the conditions and in that way aid all parties interested.

The Grover Cleveland came chief more than the classes mentioned, but to try to give and then McKinley took his seat In ninty-seven, and makes complete The presidential list. Combined One hundred and twelve years we find. Again, in ninteen hundred one

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### LITERARY.

By John K. Wilson, Member Pennsylvania Bar, 1901.

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Reviewed by Moses Hull.

and the public workers to do all. That entertaining Volume of 560 pages. I the one who pretended to do the talking All this reminds me of many weird will pursue it to a finish, and then wish power of Mr. Wilson or either of the spirits of Pharaob, and others, who went

him but not so well. I found everybody The Jesuits had sent officers and taken Organize societies, go to work with the gave him the name of being a modest, them a great distance to their prisons. his statements, why, no one who knows their own cause his statements, why, no one who knows their own cause.

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In one sense Mr. Dallas never got out C. W. Coost, S. F., 124 Bixch St., Pangor, Me spect. When this character was univer- of that prison. The spirits built a solid sally given the author, my interest in the wall around him closed at the top, so The debate between Moses Hull and book increased, and I read with renewed that he could neither get out nor see out.

It appears that as a boy Mr. Wilson clairvoyantly nor heard clairaudiently. will be thrown against religious vitupera- them from making other attempts in telegraph instrument. This they knew went to the practice of his profession, portant messages besides many valuable He was once or twice elected mayor of tests were given.

quaintance of a German by the name of and of wounded on each side was tween two able platform orators, make J. L. Kramer. In a casual way one given. The enemy sometimes got hold it a point to be at Lily Dale from July evening they fell into conversation about of the spirit end of the telegraph. Cancella sible, to hear from her, he was not in- and sometimes the other. All this clined to be unfriendly to it. Indeed if is so interesting, and sounds so much there was any truth in it he wanted to like fairy tales that I will not attempt

after them whole sentences.

The above is the title of a profoundly came and gave such tests as no one but they were again defeated. think whoever begins to read this book could give. These tests were beyond the things there are in the Bible; of the others to dispute. This was not all, but to the nether world with their munitions Before I had read 100 pages in this persons known by the other parties, but of warfare; and of the battle of which

After that Mr. Dallas never either saw

Spiritualism. As Mr. K. had recently There was plotting and counter-plotting: Bu lost his wife, and wanted, if it were pos- sometimes oneside would gain the victory The to describe it.

Not long after this he formed the Finally the office on this side moved A monthly journal, eight or twelve pages, put has and his unwillingness to investigate it. enemy had, and would hold the advantage of a little Scotch jeweler, to Lily Dale. A chapter or two about by the name of E. M. Dallas; when Spirit the work done at that Mecca is very unliss was introduced to him he at interesting. When they went back to once signified his entire disbeleif in it, Bradford it was discovered that the and his unwillingness to investigate it. enemy had, and would hold the advantage of the little and should be advantaged by the results of the little and should be advantaged by the results of the little and proprietor.

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He was a Presbyterian, and had no no- tage there; that they must move the tion of leaving the religion of his father. arena to other quarters; and that they At last, just to see what would come must cover their tracks so that the enemy

Spiritualism, formed a circle in Mr. Wil- Here there was plotting that would son's office. The very first night proved have done honor to a Napolean Bone-Mr. Dallas to be a medium. He could parte. They went to St. Augustine, Fla. see the spirits and hear them talk; and, At last they were about to be discovered. by request of the spirits, could repeat The arena was again removed, this time as far as Mr. Dallas was concerned, to Thus test after test was given. Per- Portland, Oregon. But these opposition sons whom Mr. Wilson knew to be dead, spirits succeeded in tracing them and

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Campbell Brothers, the well known Sat. 27-J. Clegg Wright. mediums for life size spirit portraits, Sun. 28-Thomas Grimshaw, Cora L. slate writing and seances, write as follows: "Will you kindly put in THE SUN- Mon. 29-Conference. FLOWER that we positively will not be Tues. 30-Mrs. Cora L. V. Richmond. at Lily Dale this summer but will spend the summer at Atlantic City, N. J., where we have a place on the Boardwalk, near Wed. 31—Labor Day, Hon. John J. Lentz. Connecticut Ave. We ask this as we are Fri. continually receiving letters asking us if Sat. we will not be at the Dale."

E. J. Chase writes: "Mrs. Georgia Mon. Gladys Cooley, of Chicago, will speak for Tues. the Buffalo Spiritual Church, July 7 and Wed. 14. We feel that we should be proud in having such a medium to present to our Sat. visitors.'

Mrs. O. W. Grant, the trance and clair- Mon. 12-Conference. voyant medium of 23 Whitney Place, Tues. 13-Rev. B. F. Austin. Buffalo, has moved to Los Angeles, Wed. 14-J. Clegg Wright. Calif.

F. Corden White has just completed a very successful season's work. He is at Sun. present at 161 Whitney Place, Buffalo, Mon. 19-Conference. N. Y. and will come to Lily Dale July 10 Tues. 20-Rev. F. E. Mason. to spend the summer. A large proportion Wed. 21-Woman's Day, Miss Gail Laughlin of his messages in THE SUNFLOWER were Thur. 22-Rev. F. E. Mason.

Titus Merritt writes: "Miss Margaret Sat. 24-Hon. A. B. Richmond. Gaule has had another very successful Sun. season with the First Association of Spir itualists, of New York City. The Society closed the last Sunday in May, but the weather being unusually cool, she continued the meetings on her own account CASSADAGA CAMP THIS SEASON. the first four Sundays in June, closing on

the Ladies' Aid, at Sixth Street Church, Pittsburg, Pa., the following resolutions were passed: "Whereas, Sister Mary A. McFarland has gone from the city sooner than we expected, be it resolved that a vote of thanks be written in our name and forwarded to her to assure her that the kind way in which she has worked for us and the cause at our Thursday meetings is fully appreciated. And be it Resolved, that a taken of friendship be purchased and sent to her. Madames Belle Gordon, James Wallace, B. Pressing, M. E. Dixon, F. Hughes, M. A. Matthews.

The First Spiritualist Temple, Buffalo, N. Y. Corner Prospect Avenue and Jersey Street will hold meetings all summer for the accommodation of Pan-American visitors. All speakers who are coming to Buffalo should correspond for dates with L. C. Beesing, 58 Carroll Street.

Mrs. Tillinghast writes: "I had the pleasure of sending six dollars to Mrs. Pardee. Five dollars from Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stevens, of Pittsburg and one from Miss Margaret Gaule. Help comes slowly to the helpless one, though never too soon. I am learning to be at peace and trust the power that is working and watching for good. What a privilege to be chosen as one of its earthly workers." While watching, working and trusting, let us remember that our aged sister, Mrs. Pardee, is needing a little assistance all the time and let us not wait for one another, but all send in our mite to Mrs. E. W. Tillinghast, McDonald, Pa. It will help a 89 year old worker to pass away the balance of a well spent earth life in peace.

The Philadelphia Spiritualist Society, are about raising funds and books to start a Library, and for this purpose, the society hell a grand book reception at Handel and Hayden Hall on Wednesday Evening, April 24th. They are soliciting contributions of spiritual, Occult, Theosophical and all books of advanced thought, all those having books and wishing to contribute to this good work, will kindly send the same to Mrs. T. M. Locke, 605 N. 7th St., Philadelphia, Pa. The Philadelphia Spiritualist Society hold meetings at Handel and Haydn Hall, 8th and Spring Garden every Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

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-Temple of Health.

### THE BAG BED.

"Just one more story, Uncle Frank," begged Beth, "something about when you were in Alaska."

Uncle Frank deliberately took out his watch.

"I-I'm afraid it's time somebody I knew, was in bed." And he looked mischievously into Beth's dark, blue eyes. "And a bed, too, more elaborate than one I had mountain climbing," he ad-

Beth knew by Uncle Frank's twinkle that he was going to tell something interesting, if it wasn't a story.

"Was it one that folded up against the wall, like they had when grandpa was

a boy?" asked Beth, curiously. "No, 'twas one I carried on my back,

and it buttoned up." Beth looked incredulous at the idea of a "buttoned up bed."

"Yes," continued Uncle Frank, amused at Beth's mystified expression. "'Twa made of skin, like a bag, lined with very warm wool, with a flap that contained an air-hole made in it. This we could unbutton whenever we wanted to go to bed. We had to crawl in feet first. Then we would button it up, and sleep like a log till morning. And I guess we looked more like a log than anything else in our queer, round beds."

"My! I'd like to have one to sleep in," exclaimed Beth.

"Well, you'd need one if you were on a snow covered mountain, where the wind blew a gale for hours at a time. A tent would hardly stand such a blast for a moment, but in our bag beds one was as safe and snug as you'll be in ten minutes. Good night."

And Beth ran up stairs to dream of the queer little beds so often used on the Alaska mountains.-Christian Register.

### Watt Knott.

Thomas Wise, the fat comedian, who so successfully playied "The Wrong Mr. Wright" at the Strand Theater, was telling me a mistaken identity and telephone muddle story the other night that you may not have heard. "An amusing misunderstanding occurred at a telephone not 20 yards from here," said he. "Here's the dialogue that I overheard:

"'Are you there?'

"Yes.

"'Who are you, please?'

"'Watt's my name.'

"Yes, what's your name?

"'No, I'm Knott."

"'Will you tell me your name?

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