

The Chinese Massacres.

Speaking of slavery, a distinguished southern statesman scores of years ago, said, "I tremble for my country when I remember that God is just," voicing thereby his strong conviction or faith in the law of retribution among nations, as well as individuals. There can be no future punishment for communities and nations as there can be for individuals, hence punishments must come now in the national life. Men and corporations, communities and nations may ignore the eternal and unchangeable laws or righteousness between man and his fellows, but God does not forget, nor relax: he is inexorable. "Whatsoever a man doeth in his personal, his social and his civic relations,--soeth that shall he also reap."

The recent wholesale massacres in China have shocked and struck dumb with amazement and horror, the civilized world, and the Chinese government deserves severe punishment. But, perhaps God's law of eternal righteousness is "striking back" so to speak, he is visiting with judgments in kind the civilized, the Christian nations for their sins against China.

England forced the abominable, ruinous opium traffic on China because it would pile up gold for so did Englishmen. France has been robbing China of territory in the south, as Germany has recently in Shantung. And America, let us see; we have anti-Chinese laws; anti-Christian they are: we have had the "sand lots" of the Pacific coast stained with the blood of innocent, harmless, and defenceless Chinese.

Hence every civil official and every missionary of the gospel of Christ going out to China in all these years, has taken his life in his hand as a possible sacrifice on account of his nation's sins, on the altar of eternal and unchanging justice and righteousness. Perhaps the day for balancing accounts or God's ledger has come, and this innocent blood is the method of liquidation through the great divine clearing house of nations. "Is there an evil in the city and the Lord hath not done it?"

"It is strange how many banks in Chicago have consolidated, since this bank was started," said the manager of one of our banking institutions, the other day. That shows how potent, though silent the good influences of our city really are in the world at large.

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Mr. Moss is out, with quite a company of his young "Gadites", for a few days' outing on the lake shore down in Glencoe, near Melville E. Stone's place, where he and his happy, wide awake words will be glad to see any who may give them a call. They don't say it, or even hint it, but we do, don't get empty handed; a school of boys in the country have appetites. Quite a number of our good people have visited them and were more than delighted with what they saw and learned. Go, and in like manner bless and be blessed yourself.

Quite A Difference.

At a recent State Prohibition Convention, held in Chicago, about 1,700 delegates were present. It is not a little significant that not a policeman was about inside or outside the hall. There was not a particle of tobacco juice on the floors of the hall, or even on the sidewalk in front of it. There was not the smell of tobacco smoke throughout the whole day, either in the convention room or in any committee room, or around the buildings; nor was any delegate seen using tobacco in any form going to or from the convention. The same conditions were plainly noticeable the two following days at the national convention. How will this compare with the recent Democratic Convention held in Kansas City, or with the Republican Convention held in Philadelphia? In the Prohibition Convention there were gathered approximately 2,000 men and women, there for a high moral purpose, that of doing all in their power to establish political supremacy in this country that should not be domineered or dominated by the power of liquor. These earnest, God-fearing and man-loving men and women may not win, humanly speaking, in the coming presidential and state elections; nevertheless they are a power that must be reckoned with and should not be ignored.

A parent with a boy to fit for college or go through the high school is looking for a place where he can be sent. Allow us to suggest the "Siglar school." Henry W. Siglar principal, Newburg, N. Y. The fall term opens Sept. 18. One of its great merits is that Mr. Siglar is a genius with boys and limits his school to thirty pupils, so there is no overcrowding, with its attendant evils. Personally of course, we like Lake Forest Academy, but some folks want an eastern school.

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Highland Park Locales.

Bazaar patterns at Mrs. Bohl's. Eyes tested free by an expert optician at Schneider & Cooke's.

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Charles Lightner has returned home from Yale, where he has been at school.

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Miss Jacobsen of Cherokee, Ia., is visiting her cousin, Mr. E. H. Erickson.

Edwin and Miss Hazel Clappitt are visiting at the home of Nicolas Clappitt.

Mr. M. H. Erickson, a former clerk at the Northwestern depot, has been appointed station agent at Gross Park.

Mrs. O. B. Brand chaperoned the Junior League of Christian Endeavor of the Ebenezer church, at a picnic on the beach last Saturday.

Brand, the photographer, has some handsome views of the hotel Moraine. It is worth a trip to his gallery to look over his large assortment of views.

Mr. James H. Duffy added another team to his already large outfit and is prepared to do all kinds of teaming; Delivery of coal from car to house a speciality.

Remember Levin does his own work. All work guaranteed.

G. Willis Cummings and family, are spending two weeks at Fox Lake. They are the guests at the summer home of Mr. Charles Carpenter of Chicago.

Rev. Mr. Schmidt will preach in the Ebenezer church Sunday, July 22, on the following topics; a. m.—"The Source of Christians' Strength;" p. m.—First commandment, "I am the Lord thy God."

Miss Madeline Wakem lunched at Ravinook with her aunt, a few days ago. She is a year older than last season when she lunched there with the Misses Saott.

This has been a great week at Lake Forest, golf, polo, society dinners, etc. For the woman's golf games we notice three, of our Park ladies, had entered Mrs. J. M. Cutler, Miss Frances Brown and Mrs. W. A. Alexander.

The Exmoor golf club gave another of their social dances Saturday evening, with a large attendance from this city as well as from Chicago and other clubs. The music and the refreshments were decidedly superior. They tripped the "light fantastic" till 11:30 and then took their carriages for home and the late trains.

We have estimated the population of Highland Park at about 4,000. That does not include the "Ravinook" household, for at least so far as we can learn, no census man called there in his official capacity. That being so, the population would stand 4,008 and if other households were similarly favored, the figures would need be increased.

The ladies at Fort Sheridan, especially the wives and daughters of the officers, have adopted a custom which holds in many other military posts. They have the big ambulance wagon or prairie schooner drive down here to the Park ever Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday morning, bringing all who wish to come to do shopping. The plan works well for the Fort people and for our trade also.

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