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LARGE CROWD ATTEND MILITARY PROGRAM

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ro with the presentation of a beautiful flag donated by Mr. A. W. Fletcher. With the playing of the Star Spangled Banner by the band in which the audience joined in, the exercises were brought to a close shortly before eleven o'clock. Everybody left feeling proud over the accomplishment of the cadets and teachers, of the splendid band, the result of the hard work on the part of Mr. Russell Morgan and whether we are all of the same opinion in regards to getting ready for a possible war or not, the turning-out of practically the whole township proved that the great majority begin to appreciate the meaning of self defense and preparedness.

ery man and woman needs it. It goes further towards all high efficiency in every other respect than anything else, make it a habit from childhood on.

Lake County L. O. O. F. Meet

Thursday night the regular monthly meeting of the Lake County Odd Fellows Association was held at Waukegan, and it has been estimated that fully 200 members of the Odd Fellows and Rebecca lodges were present.

Hugo and His Disciple. A young man, an admirer of the great poet, attended one of Victor Hugo's receptions, became engaged in argument and lost his temper.

R. L. Stevenson and Women. It may perhaps be recalled that it was to the late Dr. Trudeau that Stevenson once admitted that he felt he had been rash when he promised a lady over the dinner table that he would put a real woman into his next book.

Only a Poser. "He isn't a true Bohemian," said the poet. "He's a poser." "How do you know?" asked the artist.

What They All Hope. "I understand your daughter is learning to cook." "Yes, she's learning, but she says she hopes it will be a trade she'll never have to work at."

Suburban Life. "We are just like one big family in our suburb." "Is the rapping that bad?"

TALISMAN OF THE CELTS.

Romance of the Lia Fail, a Curious Piece of Stone.

In every strongly Irish newspaper, either in America or in Ireland, there is the oft-repeated threat: "Wait until we recover the Lia Fail. Then Ireland will become a republic." And the readers have asked again and again: "What is the Lia Fail? Where is it, and what is its magic power?" Those who remember the Fenian fiasco, some years ago, will recall the battery of the troops, "Lo, for the Lia Fail!" The recovery of this Celtic talisman, however, would involve something more than a victory over some outlying province of Great Britain, for it is a part of the coronation chair in Westminster Abbey.

After a century of possession it was conveyed to the Ionian Islands, to be used in a coronation ceremony, and was never recovered. The kings of Scotland seized and held it as their mascot. By Edward I. it was carried to London among the spoils of war when the Scottish kingdom began to totter. The son of Edward attempted to restore the stone to the Scotch, but already it had taken such hold on the superstition of the English that they feared for their country, and a mob prevented its restoration.—Exchange

COLORS OF METEORS.

Three Stages Through Which They Pass to Reach the Earth.

An article by Alfred Wegener in the Scientific American offers an explanation of the marked difference of color observed in meteors. Up to an altitude of about forty-five miles the principal constituent of the earth's atmosphere is nitrogen. A second stratum of the atmosphere, extending up to about 125 miles, consists mainly of hydrogen. Still higher, Wegener himself has sought to prove the existence of a stratum consisting of an excessively light gas which he calls "geocoronium."

When entering the atmosphere from outer space meteors do not become luminous in the very tenuous "geocoronium sphere," but only when they enter the "hydrogen sphere," and most of them are dissipated before reaching the nitrogen atmosphere. The largest fireballs, however, penetrate deeper and may reach the earth or explode not far above it.

Dr. Wegener finds that the meteors that penetrate deep enough pass through three color stages—viz, yellow-white, green and deep red. The great majority exhibit only the first stage, sometimes reddish in the incandescence of the hydrogen through which the meteor is passing, while the deep red stage is due to the incandescence of nitrogen in the lower atmosphere.

Thrill of Being Wet.

There is something rudimentary and fundamental about having water splashed down upon one and getting completely and deliciously wet—not damp, not moist, but wet, wringing wet. You yourself when a child never enjoyed anything so much as your first drenching in an unforeseen and unavoidable rainstorm—the thrill of being wet, the cool drive of the water on your nose, into your sleeves and down your neck, and the joyous splash of soaked, water-logged boots. Even the tedium of being rubbed with alcohol, bundled up and warned you would catch your death did not diminish the event. You voted it better than the time you fell off the boat dock; it lasted longer.—Atlantic.

Criticism Implied.

"He doesn't like my cooking," sobbed the three-months bride, a tear on her long lashes. "I just know he doesn't. So there!" "What makes you think so?" her mother asked. "Has he said he doesn't like your cooking?" "No-no-o," stammered the bride. "Nonsense, child. It's just your imagination. I felt there was no basis." "There is a basis," the bride insisted tearfully. "I had been cooking the loveliest things for him for about two weeks, and then he told me he had decided to become a raw food faddist. He-hoo-o-o!"—Judge.

Dr. Johnson's Homeliness.

Samuel Johnson was himself—and this is a quality rarely found in "platinum" men—under no illusion as to his personal appearance. Dr. Burney tells us that on one occasion while Miss Burney was examining his portrait he peeped over her shoulder and, with a ludicrous half laugh, exclaimed: "Ah, ha, Sam Johnson! I see thee—and an ugly dog thou art!"—London Times

Force of Habit.

"The idea of that unstart talking back as he did to a society favorite! And they do say he was one time only a butler." "Maybe, that is why he was so quick to answer the bells."—Baltimore American

All Alike.

"The following entry appears in the 'travelers' book' of a hotel in Germany: 'The living here is good, plain and substantial. So is the waitress.'"

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Notice—I will not be responsible for bills contracted by other than myself. A. V. Stratford. 52pd

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Notice

Notice is hereby given that at a special meeting of the stockholders of the Charles Harbaugh Lumber Company the location of the principal office of said company was by vote of the entire stock of said company changed from Lake Villa, Lake County, Illinois, to Highland Park, Lake County, Illinois. 49-52 pd Charles Harbaugh, President

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COMMITTEES BUSY ON BABY WELFARE WEEK

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not determine the exact rate of mortality due to the stupid and altogether worthless system of birth registration.

The whole idea of this campaign is to educate all responsible persons in the conscientious care of children.

At the Y. W. C. A. rooms on Saturday, March fourth, there will be an attractive, interesting and educational display of food, clothes, sanitary appliances and other features relating to Rex—the baby.

Information on the care of the teeth and eyes will be given, and every one attending this exhibition will be gratified and pleased beyond expression. The committee hopes to make the result of this campaign permanent, and in time to establish a welfare station where anxious and distracted mothers may come for help in their burden of great responsibility—that of turning over to the world healthy and respected citizens.

Carlyle felt this great necessity when he said about the baby: "Good Christian people, here is an inestimable loan for you. Take all heed thereof, and in all carefulness employ it. With high recompense, or else with heavy penalty, will it one day be required back."

The Ossoli Club of Highland Park is responsible for the work in this city and Mrs. Otis Beardsley, as president is doing everything to make it successful. Mrs. R. J. Beatty is the chairman of the campaign and Mrs. F. M. Terry, secretary and treasurer; they are assisted by representatives and committees from all the organizations in the city.

Mrs. Ralph Bard is chairman of the Ossoli committee with Mrs. Frederick MacKenzie, Mrs. Harry A. Parkin and Mrs. Jessie H. Boyer as helpers.

Mrs. Samuel Knox has charge of the alternates.

The Highland Park Business Men's Association is represented by Mr. John L. Udell, Mr. S. A. St. Peter and Mr. W. Pearl of the Highland Park Theatre, who have left nothing undone to make the campaign a success.

The Highland Park Woman's Club; Mrs. Frederick Schaefer, chairman, assisted by Mesdames B. A. Hamilton, Henry Boyd, George Phillips and Frank Green.

Visiting Nurse Association and Relief and Aid Society; Miss Helen Young, Mrs. E. S. Kirchberger and Mrs. Maud H. Shannon.

Highland Park Sanitary Association; Mrs. T. C. Williams, chairman; Mrs. John Schreurs, assistant.

Westminster Guild; Mrs. Booth, chairman; Mrs. Flint, assistant.

Ravinia Civic Club; Mrs. Walter McNeil, chairman.

Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. George McBride, chairman; Mrs. Robert Seyfarth.

Y. W. C. A.; Mrs. Searcy, chairman; Mrs. Ward Knapp, assistant. Hahnemann Hospital Maternity Clinic; Mrs. Frederick Preston, chairman; Mrs. Everett Millard, assistant.

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South Division P. T. A.; Mrs. Roy Pingrey, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Joseph Mooney.

The Atlantic Reading Circle; Mrs. James Holbrook, chairman, assisted by Mrs. R. K. Buckman, Jr.

Mrs. Steward Reed Brown has charge of the work in the Presbyterian Sunday School on Baby's Sunday, February 27th.

CLOUD FORMATIONS.

Why the Masses of Moisture Are Able to Float in the Air.

Clouds consist of particles of condensed water vapor and in some cases of extremely fine spicules of ice, which is also formed from water vapor. Water vapor which arises by evaporation from the surface of seas, lakes, etc., is lighter than dry air at the same temperature and pressure. It is also invisible.

It disseminates itself through the atmosphere and ascends to great heights. There, owing to the fall of temperatures and to other causes, it begins to condense into particles which are slightly heavier than air and which become visible clouds.

Owing to the influence of winds and of rising currents as well as to the fact that the condensed particles necessarily as light as air the clouds remain floating, like fine suspended matter in water, until further condensation creates particles of sufficient size to form raindrops, whose relative great weight brings them rapidly to the ground.

That clouds do slowly descend even when not condensed into rain may be observed when they are seen to the solve and disappear without apparent cause. This is caused by the cloud's descent to a level where a rise of temperature causes the condensed water vapor to re-evaporate, thus becoming again invisible.—New York Journal.

MOST ANCIENT TREATY.

Carved in Stone on the Walls of Two Egyptian Temples.

On the walls of two of Egypt's greatest temples, that of Karnak and the Ramesseum at Thebes, carved in the everlasting stone of the dry land of the Nile, says the Christian Herald, is the oldest international treaty known to man. Rameses the Great, one of the signers, is the best known man of remote antiquity. Khetasar (the cart of the Kheta or Hittites, the other party to the treaty, is unknown except to a few, and his nation is little known even to the scholars.

The Hittites were a mighty race, whose empire, equal in rank with the mighty empire of Egypt and Babylonia, once extended over 300,000 square miles of territory in Asia Minor and Syria. A few years ago practically nothing was known of the life and civilization of these mysterious people.

They are mentioned in the Bible and in the Egyptian and Assyrian records, but until very recently their own story had never been read by modern man. Today, thanks to the excavations that were carried on at the capital city of Carchemish, much has been learned about this great group of tribes, and orderly evidence about them is now available for the first time in 2,000 years.