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Bichloride of Gold Club.



H. W. SHEPARD, REPORTER.

Tuesday Evening.

The amusement committee worked hard this week and succeeded in preparing a good program, but for some unexplained reason several who should have been there to take part failed to show up when their numbers were called. Maj. Downing was there with his violin, and that his selections were greatly appreciated was shown by the vigorous encores which lasted until the Major was tired out. Mr. Warren G. Richards favored the audience with comic selections and facial contortions. Mr. Pierce, now our president, made a short address, telling how he felt thus far with regard to the Keeley treatment. Following is the programme: Vocal Solo.....Robert S. Hilton Violin Solo.....Maj. Downing Comic Selections.....Warren G. Richards Address.....John H. Pierce Solo: "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep".....Rev. H. M. Cole Whistling Song.....Carroll H. Ross Recitation.....Miss Estelle Bovik Selections.....Mr. Briggs

Cut Rates for the Convention.

John J. Flinn, of Chicago, was in the city Thursday, and stated that the Chicago & Alton railroad would sell round trip tickets at one fare from all points on its lines to Dwight at the time of the National Convention of the Bichloride of Gold Clubs. Tickets on sale Sept. 12 and 13, good to return up to and including Sept. 17. Other railroads will also make special rates for the convention.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Picked Up at the Club Rooms and Various Parts of the City.

Lewis A. Hill, of Ravenswood, Ill., was among the departures from Dwight Saturday.

W. L. Lucas, of Casey, Ill., and Abial Deming, of Woodlawn Park, Illinois, left for their respective homes Saturday.

N. Magnuson, of Rock Dell, Minn., an active club member the past few weeks, graduated and left for home Tuesday.

W. Rathborn, of Chicago, departed for home Monday, feeling better than for years past. He is assured that in the future he will have no trouble with liquor.

Dr. Samuel Hart, of Carrollton, Miss., was prominent among the graduates this week. He left for home Wednesday carrying with him the best wishes of many friends.

Secretary George B. Booth of the Chicago Bichloride of Gold Club, spent Sunday in Dwight calling on friends. He says Chicago will send a big delegation to the September convention.

Sergeant-at-arms Chitty left for his home at Byron, Ill., Thursday. Mr. Chitty has been a good officer as well as a most popular club member, and the boys were sorry to see him leave.

Articles of incorporation of the Keeley institute at Burlington, Iowa, were filed in the recorder's office at Burlington Friday. The company is organized for twenty years with a capital stock of \$10,000.

Wm. Renz has returned from his sojourn at Dwight where he has been under treatment. He speaks in highest terms of the treatment, and feels well repaid for the time spent there.—Mazon Register.

Ex-President Tom H. Noble of Elk Rapids, Mich., made an excellent graduating address to the club Friday. Mr. Noble looks forward to life of usefulness and prosperity, and we see no reason why he should not accomplish it. The boys at the club all wish him success.

Messrs. George W. Burns, of Mason City, Iowa, and E. J. Feeney of Ottawa, Illinois, made excellent graduating speeches Tuesday morning before departing for home. Both gentlemen have been prominent and popular members of the club, and made many friends while in line.

Dr. T. S. Roberts, of Chicago, vice-president of the club, left for home Monday. Doc was a pretty tough looking specimen when he arrived, but the treatment fixed that all right and the improvement is something wonderful. Dr. Roberts is a pleasant gentleman and has many friends.

Mr. T. S. Tierney, who retired from the chair Thursday, has made an excellent presiding officer and accomplished much good work for the club during his term. Tierney is a genuine good fellow, the boys all like him, and he has the best interests of the club at heart. He was accorded a rising vote of thanks for his services.

Contracts are signed and all the arrangements perfected for the establishment of a well equipped Keeley institute at Burlington, Iowa. The Moore place, 521 North Third street, has been leased and will be ready for the reception of patients August 25. Dr. Williams of Dwight is now there in charge.

Willard S. Brown, of Kirkwood, Ill., is now resident correspondent for the Banner of Gold at this place. Mr. Brown is a member of the class of November, 1891, is an old and experienced newspaper man, and a pleasant gentleman to transact business with. The Banner of Gold's interests will be carefully looked after.

Mr. John H. Pierce, of Omaha, Neb., was elected president at Thursday morning, and Mr. Frank Fielder of Oak Park, Illinois, vice-president. The officers are now elected to serve until within a few days of their departure, and as Mr. Pierce is comparatively a new arrival he has an excellent opportunity to accomplish a great deal of good work for the club. Mr. Fielder is a hustling member of the entertainment committee, and his election is a just acknowledgement of his services.

Letter from Quincy.

Situated high up on the Illinois side of the Mississippi river, adjoining the city of Quincy on the north is the Illinois Soldiers and Sailors home. A more beautiful place and than these two hundred and forty odd acres is not seen within the state.

Naturally, rolling land, well wooded, with living water from numerous springs, forming a tortuous creek through the solid limestone rocks, not only makes the spot charmingly picturesque, but renders it particularly well adapted to dairy and garden purposes.

At an outlay of over a million and a half dollars within the past six years, this large acreage has been reclaimed from nature's waste and greatly beautified. The camp proper, located in the northwest quarter, is laid out forming a septilateral figure, the sides, however, being unequal. Upon the angle facing the northwest is situated headquarters building, a massive four-story and basement, cut stone edifice with tower and parapet embellishments, costing upward of ninety thousand dollars. Here are the executive quarters occupied by Superintendent Major J. G. Rowland, Quartermaster General R. H. Canahan, Adjutant Frank F. Peats and Surveor W. W. Nicholas. The building also there is chapel accommodation for three hundred people and a library of 6,000 volumes.

At the west, a short distance away, are the hospital buildings; the main building a three story and basement brick structure. On either side, some fifty feet away, there is a two story and basement pavilion, each connected with the main building by corridors. Equipped with all modern appliances, well lighted and heated, furnished throughout with gas, steam, hot and cold water, water closets, baths, etc., the hospital is capabed to care for a number of sick above the usual one in camp of 800 to 1,000 people.

Besides these buildings mentioned there are eighteen two story brick cottages, each costing from \$9,000 to \$10,000. The main kitchen, bake oven, laundry, store room, etc., in one building, and near by the engine and boiler room, carpenter and tin shop, etc., in another, and all are located to the south, partly down a ravine and beside the C. B. & Q. and Wabash railway tracks, these two roads both crossing the property. Across this ravine and on the opposite side of the creek are large commodious quarters for sixty to eighty head of well-fed, fat, sleek Holstein cattle. Here as everywhere else is cleanliness markedly noticeable. The yards are as free from filth as a college campus, and the barn as cleanly swept as a parlor floor.

It is an actual fact that notwithstanding here is a colony at present of some 800 men, all the housework is done by the women. The closest inspection fails to reveal the presence of the slightest portion of accumulative dirt. The floors, woodwork, window-glass, tables, tinware, dishes, etc., are everywhere paragons of neatness.

The home garden produces an ample supply of vegetables for the entire year. The dairy at present furnishes 128 gallons of milk daily. Mess north and beef, hams, etc., are severally home products. The conservatory at a cost of \$5,000 furnishes an inexhaustible supply of rare and choice plants. Flowers bloom everywhere. Landscape gardening being artistically cultivated the effect is made apparent to the most casual observer.

This is the scene done by the military home to use the double chorice of gold remedies. The introductory treatment was given on Aug. 12, 1892, and already there is an assured success.

T. D. W.

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House and two lots on corner of Prairie Avenue and South street, \$4,000. 50 feet on Mazon Ave., near Empire Steam Laundry, only \$600.

75 feet on South street near the Wisconsin house. Reasonable time. \$600. One story cottage and one lot on Chippewa street, \$3,200.

Four lots on corner of Clinton and South streets, only \$1,500 if sold soon. One story house with one lot (50x150) on Mazon Avenue near M. E. church only \$1,200.

One lot near club house, on Franklin street, cheap at \$900.

Fine residence with two lots on Chippewa street, would make fine boarding house, only \$4,000.

Three lots on Seminole street, \$600 each. Fine business building on Franklin street, only \$4,500.

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NEWELL'S FIRST ADDITION. Ten beautiful lots on South street near Clinton, south front, fine shade in front of each lot, price only \$300.

New one story cottage, five rooms, near Danish church on Chippewa st., \$1,000.

NEWELL'S SECOND ADDITION. Three lots near corner of William and Clinton streets, only \$200 each.

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160 acres tilled farm 9 miles southeast of Dwight, only \$60 per acre.

Five farm of 520 acres, two miles north of Wilson, sold together or in 80 or 160 acre tracts, only \$60 per acre.

One hundred and sixty acres four miles northeast of Campus, partly tilled, good well, well fenced, 2 story house and large barn, 11 foot vein of coal; cheap for sixty-seven dollars and fifty cents per acre.

One hundred and sixty acres, very fine farm, six hundred rods tile, new house, other good improvements, 3 miles north west of Campus, \$65 per acre; cheap

One hundred and sixty acres, four miles northwest of Campus, sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per acre. Drilled well, plenty of water.

155 acres within 5 miles southeast of Dwight, eleven thousand dollars. Well improved.

One hundred and sixty acres two miles southwest of Reddick, well improved. Cheap at \$55 per acre.

76 acres in Broughton township, thoroughly tilled, \$56 per acre.

Eighty acres near Essex, all in grass \$42 per acre.

Eighty acres two miles from Reddick, well improved, \$75 per acre, tilled.

Eighty acres two miles west of Campus, well improved, sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per acre.

One hundred and sixty acres twelve miles south of Dwight, Sullivan township, fifty-seven dollars and fifty cents per acre. All new buildings.

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