

SEEING THE FAIR IN DETAIL

An Ancient Egyptian at Dinner—A Lady at Her Toilet—Beer by a Tadius Process—The Mystic Eyes of Egypt Have a Bright Look Even After Forty-Five Centuries—Bronze Mirrors and Albanian Vases—An Old Boat That Possibly Was Buried With a Sea Captain—The Game of Dicks Which the Indians Played—Shell Hole Gardening—How the Indians Mined Were Built—Secret of Making Bone Fishhooks.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE BY MARK BURNETT.) Persons having an insatiable curiosity to pry into the family affairs of ancient Egyptians may do so without embarrassment in the Egyptian section of anthropology. Here, as a Egyptian at dinner. Everything is life size—except the dinner. The scene illustrated is in fly time. While the master sits at a table a dancing girl entertains him. A shaven slave brings the dinner things, while another defends his master against the wings of the season. All the furniture is copied exactly from originals of the period, about 2000 B. C. without permission from the original maker. It is here that the original frame of a cane seat, chair 4200 years old.

Another group reveals a lady at her toilet. At the moment she is standing. She holds a polished bronze mirror at arm's length and gazes at it intently. Has she just discovered the first gray hair or the trace of a new wrinkle? Her maid sits upon the floor holding the gown, awaiting the command of her mistress. Here, too, are fine copies of ancient Egyptian headdress furniture. A third group shows several people engaged in the manufacture of beer. You can almost hear them say "I never worked so hard for a drink in my life." Beer in those days, a matter of forty-five centuries back, was brewed from stale bread. The Egyptians have had beer since the beginning of time. How could they have made enough beer or other liquors for sustained inebriety?

I may add that these figures are modeled from living Egyptians, except the heads, which are reproduced from ancient statues, so that the scenes are as accurate as historical knowledge can make them.

See those eyes! How intently they look at you! Out of those eyes the spirit of some dead Egyptian was supposed to look some 4200 years ago. Opposite the eyes, which are upon the sides of a wooden coffin, lay the head of the believer, and the inscription in the hope that his spirit would have a peaceful existence through eternity. But alas chance. Superstition is now the name of which, with Mohammedan sanction, have opened the graves and brought to light once more the corpse and the pallid eye. Here is the empty coffin at the world's fair to tell a story of the faith of an age so remote that we must wait 600 years before the beginning of the Christian era will mark the middle of the period that has elapsed since this coffin was made. The hieroglyphs of the Egyptian language decorate the box and end, all the while, the spirit of the understanding that the colors were laid on 2,800 years before Christ. The mystic eye was everywhere before the Egyptian. It was a favorite subject for the makers of objects, as well as for the painter and decorator. It was the all-seeing eye—the conscience looking at one from without and correcting his thought and deed.

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PALATINE LOCAL NEWS

Gathered and Compiled by A. G. Smith, Local Editor.

The Woodmen will give a grand dance in their hall next month. Lotis Keyes will go to Prairie View to go into the chicken business. Ben Jacobie is unable to work on account of a bad cut on one of his hands. A. G. Smith, and daughters, Myra and Mildred, visited his father at Park Ridge Sunday. Three different bands will participate in the picnic in Meyer's Park, Arlington Heights next Sunday. Battermann and Ost expect to sell their planing mill machinery to Chicago parties and discontinue that part of the business. A very disappointed audience wended their way from the Methodist church last Friday night after their stereopticon lecture.

Football next Saturday on Jason's field Palatine vs. Roseland Athletic club. Game called at 3 o'clock sharp. Every body turn out. A large number of the young men have formed a dancing club and will hold dances in Abelman's hall each month during the winter.

R. H. Lytle of Libertyville, E. E. Hawley and Mrs. George Lytle of Barrington attended the burial of W. A. Lytle's baby here Monday.

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The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lytle which was born at Libertyville last week Thursday and died Sunday was brought here for burial Monday noon.

Will Mosser was caught shouting "papa" in a rain barrel last Saturday so as to get used to the name. It was on account of a little girl that arrived at his home on that day.

Bert Sutherland has been enjoying rest this week having resigned his position with the International Harvester Co. so as to go west with other young men from this place. A. G. Smith has sold his paper at Arlington Heights to Miss E. R. Taylor who has been his local editor since the paper was started. She also purchased the job printing outfit at Palatine and had it moved to Arlington Heights this week. A. G. expects to help in the Arlington Heights office a few hours each day for two or three weeks and put in a new plant at Palatine in a short time.

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POINTED EXPRESSIONS

Taken From President Roosevelt's Letter of Acceptance.

We intend in the future to carry on the government in the same way that we have carried it on in the past. We are content to rest our case before the American people upon the fact that to adhere to a forty ideal we have added, proved governmental efficiency. No other administration in our history, no other government in the world, has more consistently stood for the broadest spirit of brotherhood in our common humanity, or has held a more resolute attitude of protest against every wrong that outrages the civilization of the world, at home or abroad. It has behaved toward all nations, strong or weak, with courtesy, dignity and justice; and is now on excellent terms with all.

Our foreign policy has been not only highly advantageous to the United States, but hardly less advantageous to the world as a whole. Peace and good will have followed in its footsteps. Within the limits defined by the national constitution the national administration sought to secure to each man the full enjoyment of his right to live his life and dispose of his property and his labor as he deems best, so long as he wrongs no one else. It is but ten years since the first attempt was made, by means of lowering the tariff, to prevent some money from prospering too much. The attempt was entirely successful. To uproot and destroy the protective system would be to insure the prostration of business, the closing of factories, the impoverishment of the farmer, the ruin of the capitalist and the starvation of the wage-worker. During the last five years more has been done for the material and moral well-being of the Filipinos than ever before since the island first came within the ken of civilized man.

Price of Coal.

There is not today a more hateful and oppressive trust, than that of the anthracite coal combine. Their action in fixing the price is arbitrary in the extreme. It is not in accordance with the ordinary law of trade. It is not determined by the law of supply and demand, but is manipulated by the coal magnates themselves. These monopolists determine in the early spring what they shall charge during the summer months. They do not pretend that there is a scarcity of coal, but they do to fill their pockets and make the retail dealer and consumer pay the monopoly price. This wrong upon the people should receive, first the attention of the authorities of Pennsylvania, where the beds of anthracite are and where the organization of wholesale robbers is located, and state action backed by the national administration.

WAUCONDA MENTION.

Walter Waelit was a Chicago visitor Tuesday. Ed. Martin, of Barrington, was a Sunday caller. A. K. Kirwan was a Barrington visitor Tuesday. C. R. Kimberly transacted business at Cary Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Golding is spending the week with friends at Elgin. Sheriff Powell, of Waukegan, was a business caller Tuesday. E. E. Matman transacted business in the city last Thursday.

Miss Winnie Bacon is reported seriously ill at present writing. The first fur coat of the season appeared upon our streets Tuesday, September 20th. Albert Murray, of Chicago, is spending the week with relatives and friends in our village. Wauconda is not inhabited by millionaires, even though a number of our people attended the Libertyville races last week.

Mr. McMaster returned in his home at Dixon, Ill., Wednesday, after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davlin and family. Mr. and Mrs. Deuden, of Elgin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Haas, Mr. Deuden returning Sunday evening, and Mrs. Deuden remaining for a week's visit.

Chester Golding went to Beloit Tuesday where he will enter college. Chester graduated with high honors from the Heloit Academy last spring, and was confident that he will do equally as well in his college work. Lee Brown and Leo Matman have arranged to take music lessons from Walter Sears, of Barrington. Mr. Sears' abilities as a violinist are generally known and the boys have done well to secure him as their instructor.

Mrs. Otto Waelit and family left for Fort Pierre, South Dakota, Tuesday where they will join Mr. Waelit upon his new claim and make their future home. Mr. and Mrs. Waelit have returned to our village for the past nine or ten years, and while we are loath to see them leave us, we wish them the best of success in their new home. Walter Waelit has purchased the home of his brother-in-law and will remain here to take care of them.

POLITICIAN'S MISTAKE

He Does Not Understand the Attitude of Parkers.

Joseph Fulliter did not attend the gathering of Democratic editors which met and commended recently with the Democratic candidate for the presidency, but he wrote a letter, of which this was the concluding paragraph: "It is because I so strongly desire Judge Parker's election that I speak so plainly on this subject. I earnestly beg of you when you see him tomorrow at Exopus, to urge that he accept also the full responsibility of his position; that he will not permit the campaign in New York—the pivotal state—to be mismanaged by the small politicians who beset him." "Beset?" "Beset," indeed! Little Alton B. Parker sees by the small politicians whom Fulliter alludes, those who have, for years, been the vassals of David B. Hill or among the operators for Tammany. Alton B. Parker has been one of them himself. Foxy political manager for Hill, who repaid him by an appointment, and who, in the present year, has repaid him further, he is not likely to be "beset" by his own associates. Mr. Fulliter must be wandering in his mind. It is upon those from whom he wishes Mr. Parker to dissociate himself that Mr. Fulliter depends for whatever vote he may get in New York—Tammanyites and the Hill henchmen.

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DESTROYED BY LIGHTNING.

Storm of Saturday Night Causes a Heavy Loss to Farmers. This section of the state was visited by a severe storm of rain accompanied by heavy thunder and lightning last Saturday night which caused a large amount of damage in the belt of country between here and Freeport. About midnight the heaviest of the storm struck Cuba township. The lightning was first seen here in years and caused people to hastily leave their sleeping apartments and prepare for the worst. Residents of this village were greatly alarmed at the fires which seemed to spring up in every direction. Sunday morning reports were received of the destruction of the big storage houses of the Knickerbocker Ice company on Fox River near Cary, a barn on the Roloff farm east of here and the big barn and its contents on the Gleske farm now tenanted by Job Thompson.

A heavy bolt of lightning struck the Thompson place in a moment it was a sheet of flame. Neighbors hurried to the scene and succeeded in saving the dwelling which caught fire several times and a large stack of oat straw close by. One horse perished in the fire.

As for the hay, it has been and is now the most potent guaranty of peace; and it is such chiefly because it is formidable and ready for use. If on one great issue they (the Democrats) do not mean what they say, it is hardly safe to trust them on any other issue. Free trade and reciprocity are not compatible. They (the Democrats) have occupied three entirely different positions on the Philippines within fifty days. Which is the promise they really intend to keep? Since the close of the war with Spain there has been no substantial change in the rate of annual expenditures. Where there is no respect there can be no trust. A policy with so slender a basis of principle would not stand the strain of a single year of business adversity. If a tariff law is passed aimed at preventing the prosperity of some of our people, it is as certain as anything can be that this aim will be achieved only by cutting down the prosperity of all our people.

There is not a policy, foreign or domestic, which we are now carrying out which will not be disastrous to reverse or abandon. This government has been true to the spirit of the fourteenth amendment in the Philippines. Can our opponents deny that here at home the principles of the fourteenth and

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