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Our Winter.

HE snow is sifted o'er the trees' green masses And snowflakes softly past my window float adown,

Bichenda Pratt

But scent of orange from those white drifts passes, The flakes drop slowly from the roses crown. From northland far and cold the blue bird rushes

His thread of song the sparrow trills, a happy note! The meadow-lark calls all day from the bushes,

So gladly swells the mocking bird his joyful throat!

And ah! There can not be a fairer blue of heaven Nor softer sunlight flooding all between. Grim Winter to the north as king is given. In our dear land sweet Winter reigns a queen.

-JESSIE W. COOK, in the Los Angeles Times.

MR. STANDING IN OKLAHOMA.

Darlington.

Approached from the South, Darlington has the appearance of a well planned village, the houses having been arranged with a view to symmetry and order.

The prominent features are the new brick school-building, of the Arapahoe school, and the adjacent water tank. In fact, wherever you go in Oklahoma, the water-tank, large or small, is much in evidence, with its wind-mill pump. Contrasted With Many Years Ago.

On a former occasion I entered this place from the North. It was on a dark night, and the wagon train was thirteen days' travel from the railroad at Emporia, Kan- men that I have mentioned were educated sas, fording every stream between that at Carlisle or another large training point and the Agency, and passing for school.

pecially the new brick building with its steam heat and gas. The Agency a Busy Place-Returned

Student Workers.

Although the Indians are so scattered, the agency is a very busy place. It seems as though the task of looking after the Indians grows in proportion to their civilization, so many new wants and conditions arise that are deemed proper and necessary for Government supervision. Thus all matters connected with the leasing of lands, selling of timber, etc., have to be attended to at the Agents' office, and put in writing, occupying the time of several clerks.

Just now, the young man attending to this work is our Frank Shively, of the class of '99, assisted by Robert Burns, Henry North and Robert Block, while John Block of Haskell is issue clerk, and Mr. Geboe, also of Haskell, the Agent's stenographer and type-writer.

Kish Hawkins and Jesse Bent are clerks in the traders' store with good salaries, while Casper Edson, with health restored, Noble Prentiss and Tom Carlisle are employed around the stables and corals.

I mention these names and positions because once, not long ago, not an Indian at this Agency could read or write or talk English well enough to be useful. Now some of them are doing satisfactorily, work that requires both manual and mental ability above the average order. It is only fair to note that all the young



DANCE LODGE AT FT BERTHOLD, NORTH DAKOTA. From Talks and Thoughts, Hampton, Va.

days through herds of buffalo so numerous, that until that journey I never had fully people, and found them comfortable, and appreciated the meaning of the word mul- for the most part well-kept, I cannot officiating as Chaplain for the School, titude.

Not a buffalo has been seen for many years in all this section of country, but in- invitation of Major Stouch to go with him stead are the many thousands of domestic over to El Reno, and was astonished at The Bible reading of Paul's shipwreck on cattle on the farms, growing fat on the the business being done. The streets were abundant pasturage of green wheat fields. full of people and of teams and the stores

Then, the broad rich bottom of the Can- of business. adian was one prolonged mud hole, with Religious Services-Indians Prefer Office some places worse than others, near which the Indians had built fires to enable the teamsters to avoid them. Now, while there is no doubt mud in certain condi- school attended Sabbath School and tions, there is a fenced road with fields, Church services, conducted by Rev. Wellhouses and groves of trees.

are none, except as they come to the school people. agency on business from their scattered homes and camps.

I called at the homes of these young quite say without exception.

On Saturday afternoon I accepted the

Work.

On Sunday the pupils of the Arapahoe man, at the Mission Church, and in the Then the bottom was covered with evening there was a service at the school Indian tents and camp fires. Now there attended by many residents as well as the

At the Cheyenne school there was a full attendance, quite a number of the pupils or fact rules each one. Our lives take col-The school premises are much more being good sized boys and girls. I here or from that which we think about most. comfortable than at times heretofore, es- found two former Carlisle pupils employed The important thing is to have a right United States."

-Jennie Black as Laundress, and Maud kind of a master Paul had ONE master, Chiefkiller as Tailoress, both highly spoken of by Colonel Jones, the Superintend. nt.

On the following Monday evening I ad dressed the pupils of the Arapahoe scho- 1, and read my paper on Industrial Educa tion, which was followed by discussion. One point alluded to by an employee of considerable experience was the desire of young Indians for office and school posi tions instead of general farming. This tendency he deprecated, thinking 'it was against their best interest and permanent progress.

It seems to me that in this respect the young Indian is but following the example of the young white, who as a rule prefers the office to the farm, though I, in a measure, agree with the point made.

Major Stouch-Some Thriving Oklahoma Towns-Mr. J. B. Given.

Major Stouch, in charge of the Cheyenne and Arapahoe Agency, is a retired Army officer of much experience with Indians in other sections of the country, and has well defined plans, which he thinks will tend to the self-support of the Indians, and he is a thorough believer in the work of the schools.

On Monday, Superintendent Duncan took me to the train en route for the Ponca Agency by way of Kingfisher and Guthrie. At the former place I counted six grain elevators along-side the track. Leaving here on a local freight I was in. terested in hearing the talk of the farmers on the train, about their crops, stocks, etc. One told of his large wheat crop and the fine pasturage from his growing wheat of 200 acres; another of his success with alfalfa, having sold 243 dollars worth of hay from 16 acres of ground and saying he was going to put in 40 acres more.

Guthrie, the capital of Oklahoma is a thriving town of 10,000 people, has good hotels, electric lights, etc.

Leaving here by early train, I reached Ponca City in time for breakfast, and then went out to look for the Citizens' Bank of which our well-known friend, J. B. Given, is cashier and part owner. I soon found it located in a well-built, stone building, and enjoyed walking in on him as a surprise. I had a pleasant chat with Mr. Given, and finding the Agent of the Ponca Agency, Major John Jensen, was in town, I rode with him to the Agency, and was most hospitably entertained, while there at his home. A. J STANDING.

SALIENT POINTS FROM LAST SUNDAY AFTERNOON'S SERVICE.

Rev. A N. Hagerty, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, who is at present gave a strong and practical sermon before the student body and others gathered in Assembly Hall last Sunday aft+rnoon. the Mediteranean made an interesting beginning for the youthful members of his audience, and the lessons drawn from the text in the same Chapter-Acts 27 23-"For there stood by me this night the Angel of God, whose I am and whom I serve," were so simply and forcefully propounded that lasting impressions for good must have been absorbed by all. We are dominated by some master. "Tell me who your master is and I will tell you what you are." The speaker made plain the fact that none of us are independent of masters. Some person, or principle,

and he was glad upon all occasions to own Him

The speaker took the position that Paul was not converted on his way to Damas. cus He had believed in God all his life, but he believed that Jesus was an in postor. He needed simply to have his +yes opened. He had o be convinced, and on his way to Demascus he was led to see that he had been mistaken and had been following a delusion, then all the great mpulses of his nature from that time on were bent upon following Jesus.

Here the speaker dwelt upon the necessity of getting out of self He held that the motio to take care of Number One, contained a vicious thought. The selfcentered life grows small and more contemptible every day. Such a life withers like a plant not properly watered. It wrinkles up and gets narrow. Don't get to be self-centered, but let us lift ourselves up into the sunlight of God and into the noblest and loftiest living. Let us purify our purposes, strengthen our resolutions for good, make our lives clean. Bow to the Almighty, believe in God. Go out into the world and TELL men that we believe in God, that He is our master, and our lives will be brighter and happier, success will attend us on every hand, and we will have a constant source of enjoyment in Him whose we are, and whom we serve.

A New Method of Naturalization.

A Cincinnati judge, believing that the present method of naturalization makes little impression upon the incoming foreigner, has introduced a more formal ceremony.

Amid profound silence and the respectful attention of all in the court-room, the candidate is made to kneel and kiss the folds of the American flag.

He is likely longer to remember the act. Far more notable, however, was the recent naturalization in a western court of a little group of full-blooded Indians.

Through the cunning of certain white settlers, these Indians were in danger of losing their ancestral lands, and as a last resort a wise missionary drove with them nearly a hundred miles and had them formally naturalized as American citizens

How long have you lived in this country? was the orthodox inquiry of the judge.

"Twenty-five years," came the answers, "thirty," "thirty-two," the Indians giving as nearly as possible their respective ages.

Think of it!

The heirs of the aboriginal inhabitants of this country standing before a petty official descended from some Irish or German or English forefather, and by him formally pronounced an American citizen. -[Youth's Companion.

The Bull-fight Revolting.

A traveling friend of Carlisle was recently at El Pa-o, Texas, and writes thus of the curious plac :

"Such a conglomerate mixup of Mexican, Dago Negro and white is seldom seen in a United States town Just across the line to day is a bull-fight. I do not go; not because I am too moral but because it is certainly a brutal performance. The idea of seeing innocent horses gored and probably a Mexican and a bull, one or both killed, is so revolting that I do not care to witness it. Let the bull-fight be for those brutally inclined, and may the pastime never enter the territory of the

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If it be true that the Digger Indians never smile it must be true that they are grave diggers.

Some compositor made the word football read foolball, and the funny part of it is there are some people who think the game better named by the blunder.

"I was at first inclined to regret the disappearance of the little Helper so long a familiar friend," says Miss Bulfinch of Cambridge, "but I enjoy it still in its enlarged form, and wish for it an ever increasing success and influence in the new century."

Longfellow once said to Mary Anderson-now Mrs. Navarro:

"See some good picture-in nature if possible, or on canvas-hear a page of the best music, or read a great poem DAILY. You will always find a free half-hour for one or the other, and at the end of the year your mind will shine with such an accumulation of jewels as will astonish even yourself.

Some of our Indian young folks are like Grandma's "Bobby" who when asked: What's the matter? replied that he had too "many folks a bringin' him up." One good "outing" mother in a country home is better than all the folks at an Indian school, when individual training and opportunity is considered. We have no boy or girl so well up in his classes but he NEEDS an outing experience to round out his life.

An Impostor.

Antonio Apache, graduate of Harvard class '95, visited the school recently, and delivered an address in the evening. He is a living example of what an Indian boy may accomplish, in the way of education. -[Chilocco Beacon.

We are credibly informed that the man calling himself Antonio Apache is not an Indian; that he wears a wig of straight, stiff, black hair; that the real hair when permitted to grow is curly; that the Apache Indians where he claims origin disclaim all knowledge of him. We once attempted by questioning him personally to get facts that would cover his claim to being an Apache Indian, and met with poor success. His claim to graduation from "Harvard class '95" or any other class is false. We believe him to be an impostor, but are willing to admit a mistake whenever we have the evidence.

Are They?

Now comes Minister Wu and says the Chinese were the first to discover America and that the Indians no doubt are descendants of the Chinese. Be that as it may, we know that the Americans were the first to enter Pekin and that an Indian was among the number who scaled the wall of the inner court .-- 'Cheyenne and Arapahoe Sword.

Read letter from the same boy in another column.

Bishop Johnson, of Southern Califora, has recently published in the Los ngeles Times, an account of a trip made rough the Indian Reservations of that ate. The good Bishop has done well bring the condition of these people bere the public, and we hope it may rouse public opinion" to set on foot measures r the relief of the conditions so graph-

BISHOP JOHNSON'S VIEWS.

ally described. He sees from the outside, however, and ot as one who has for years been studyg the Indians, and he has made some atements which seem open to excepon.

It is true that the reservations are not places for the Indian pupils to return from the non-reservation schools, but forgets that the aim of these schools is to give these pupils a trade, as well as a Grammar-school education,-it goes no higher than that-and so make them able to support themselves among white people away from the reservations, and eventually make homes for themselves there.

The Bishop says that the reservation schools are doing all that is necessary for the children, yet acknowledges that those at home are starving, while by inference, those whom he speaks of as at Perris and Carlisle are well cared for, and being trained to care well for themselves.

Not one of us expects our sons and daughters to live always with us. Why should we force the Indians to return to reservation life,

The Bishop would make a new reservation, "an industrial colony" for the Indian.

Why, intead of this, should not the peo ple be scattered among the towns and villages of Southern California, and given a chance to practice the skill and thrift. handed down from the times of those early zealous Padres who prospered in those vallevs, and taught their dark-skinned converts many secrets of vine dressing, and

fruit-raising, and building with adobe? It would cost the Government far less to give each family a bit of ground and a dwelling than to feed, clothe and educate them indefinitely.

He is short sighted who will condemn the schools that are furnishing manual training, and who approves of any measure that will keep the Indians herded together, apart from civilization.

The rule that applies to all races coming to America should apply to the Indians, and never will there cease to be a "prob-lem" in connection with them until they become a part of the nation; one law, one form of treatment, in short one government for all.

New England System Applied-

A Correspondent's Views.

It has often amused me to think how the people at Mohonk Conference seemed to be carried away with the statement made by a distinguished member of the Indian Bureau, to the effect that "once apply the New England system of common schools to the Indian question it would entirely disappear."

Let us see how the New England common school system will apply to the Indians.

The Yankees wanted their children educated. Do the Indians? Oh, no.

The Yankees built school houses. Do the Indians?

No. They hired teachers and boarded them

Do the Indians? Oh, no.

They examined their teachers carefully to be sure they were competent. Do the Indians? No.

They felt disgraced if their children grew up without a knowledge of the common branches, and often denied themselves necessary food and comforts that their children might go to school. Do the Indians?

Who ever heard of it? So pray tell us how the New England

system applied to the Indians.

thought it was as famous a discovery as anese, French, Italians and Germans putting the eye of the needle in the end near the point as Elias Howe did.

How many people without a particle of experience are able to t 11 all about the Indian question! Just as young women who have not been mothers can teach mothers many a lesson as to how to train the infants.

EXPERIENCE, it would seem ought to count in matters connected with the Indian service. It does in business. But on this question "New blood" is very much sought, and so the Indian question remains.

ANOTHER INTERESTING LETTER FROM OUR SOLDIER BOY IN PEKIN.

PEKIN, CHINA, Nov. 15, 1900. MAJOR R. H. PRATT,

CARLISLE, PA. MY DEAR SIR:

Your letter was handed to me just as l was ready to mount guard. I can say, too, that your letter was a treat as it is the first one from the States. I have but little time to myself and I must make the best of it. The morning is taken up in drill and guard mount. In the afternoon we have school, in the evening, dress parade and retreat.

The duty in this ancient city is very hard, but we get along well with few exceptions. We are now quartered in the "Temple of Agriculture." We have just moved to this place. We were in the "Imperial City" before we came here. We are in camp, and the camp is named for brave Capt. Reilly.

I remember very well the morning Capt Reilly was shot. Naval guns were placed upon the Chuen-mun gate, and Capt. Reilly was in charge of them, and was given orders when he was shot in the mouth.

The Chinese sharp shooters were like crows on trees. We were reducing the sharp shooters' numbers from Legation street, but were slow in doing so was the reason we lost. It might have been a stray bullet, but I doubt it.

I was looking over to the left in the trees when a volley of shot came from the Pagoda, and I looked up and saw Major Lee looking over into the Imperial City with field glasses, and I happened to notice Captain standing erect to the left of one of the guns. The guns were fired, and before I could hear the next order the Captain fell backward, and I saw him trying to get up. He was taken away, and I heard late in the afternoon that he died. The boys were driven crazy and were ready to move forward to take the palace.

* * No doubt you have read the accounts

of our doings here, but I will tell you the three great events that took place after our arrival:

First was when the international forces marched through the Sacred or the Forbidden City. The Chinese said that we would drop dead as soon as we set foot on the walk of the Sacred City, but when we did set foot on the marble walks we got so interested that we forgot to drop dead. We paraded all over the city. The night before this event the Chuen-mun gate was burned down.

The second event was on Sept. 15, when the American troops marched in review before Minister Conger and General Chaffee. Chief Commandero and staff of the international forces were also present to witness the event.

The troops that marched in review were the 14th United States Infantry, 9th U.S. Infantry, a squadron of the 6th Cavalry, one battalion of U.S. Marines, F battery of the 5th artillery.

We received congratulations from nearly all the foreign diplomats. The one we enjoyed most was the one from Sir Claude McDonald, the British Minister. The third event was the reception given

to Count Von Waldersee by the allies. Troops turned out in their best. We Imperial Palace. British troops took up And yet these good men and women the American Legation. Russians, Jap- and bright and breezy little sheet."

lined up one after the other to the east gate.

The Count is a very fine looking man. He looks like Col Freeman of the 24th Infantry. The uniforms of the Sikhs from India were gorgeous. The parade that took place after the reception was a success. From what I can see the Japanese are the best drilled troops in China.

Every thing has been on the quiet since October 28th. We have been to the mountains already. We drove the boxers out of their best hiding places.

The Chinese when fighting make lots of noise but do very little damage. The morning we charged on their trenches in the mountains they made enough noise to scare the people of Tiensein. They had fire-crackers, drums and everything that makes a noise. We captured everything they had, and that night we had a powwow.

Since we drove the boxers away, the coal mines have been opened, and Uncle Sam has bought some coal and a camel train to carry coal here from the mountain. They make two trips a week and are taken care of by the Chinese coolies. The Chinese are very queer people. They

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are idol worshippers. There are four classes of Chinese-the

Nobles, the Tartars, the Middle Class or Merchants, and the lowest are the coolies. Instead of the women wearing gowns the men wear them, and the women wear trousers.

The houses are only about fifteen feet high. I have watched the coolies build them and I think I can build one myself.

Every house has a wall around it. The streets are crowded and narrow. There are millions of people here. Every street and alley is crowded all the day long.

The part of the city that was burned by the boxers is building up again but very slowly. We are living in tents and are very uncomfortable. We are having plenty of sand storms and the weather is cold in general.

We live principally on sweet-potatoes, cabbage and hard-tack. We have meat once in a while but very seldom.

Yours Sincerely.

ARTHUR S. BONNICASTLE.

Our Mr. Drum.

Mrs. Elizabeth Welsh Bowman announces the marriage of her daughter Vida to Hon. Philip Leo Drum, Saturday, December the twenty-ninth, Nineteen Hundred, New York.

Many are the kindly memories of our friend Mr. Drum, who taught for a time

a few years since in our school force. After leaving us he took a course in law at the University of Pennsylvania, and has been elected a member of the House of Representatives, Pennsylvania Legislature. Congratulations are in order, and should he come this way soon we will get out our "Drum" corps and give him a royal serenade.

The Paper Growing in Popularity.

We have had several letters recently saying how much the paper is liked in its changed form. That they thought they could not forget the little Helper, etc., but that they have grown to like the RED-MAN & HELPER just as well, if not better. The following is from a good friend of the school in Rockville, Connecticut:

"Our subscription to the REDMAN AND HELPER has some time yet to run, but as we enjoy getting it so much and appreciate its various excellencies and think the cause it advocates so worthy of public encouragement, I enclose herewith one dollar, which please apply to any good purpose your judgment may approve. We think the general ge-tup of the REDMAN AND HELPER admirable, and wonder always at its correct setting up and freedom from typographical errors. It is certainly sometook our place at the entrance of the thing that you all have good reason to be proud of, and we congratulate you most the space from the Cheun-mun gate to heartily upon the success of your school

Man on-the band stand's Corner.

The thaw is an unwelcome visitor. There was ozone in the air to burn on Saturday

Nellie Lillard is now numbered among the printers.

Hobart Cook has returned to St. Luke's at Bustleton. The shining steel in the shape of skates

is taking a rest. Mr. Warner is out after quite a battle

with LaGrippe. Now the drive way in front of the shops

looks something like. Mr. Francis Carr, of Chicago, brotherin-law of Miss Dutton was her guest over

Sunday. Miss Jackson is visiting the girls in country homes, and Mr. S. W. Thompson, the boys.

If you fail to read the outside you are going to miss something you want to know about.

How many times have you forgotten to make that naughty naught 1, in writing of Pasquala Anderson. Pasquala was a the new year!

Electric light men are planting new poles and arranging for the lighting of the new play-house.

Saturday was a delightful day for the race. What race? The skate race as well as the human race.

The boys in the tailor shop who make a specialty of pressing trousers find their business in creasing.

A thing that puzzles the Man-on-theband-stand is this: If love is blind, how can there be love at first sight?

The "spell of weather" we have just passed through and the moonlight nights have been enjoyable beyond measure.

We know of some people who do not find journalism thankless work, for nearly all they write is returned with thanks.

Miss Koch of Brooklyn was a guest of Miss Richenda Pratt for a day or two this week, on her way to Wilson College.

Mr. Mohawk of the New York reserva tion came to visit his daughter Bertha who was ill, and took her home with him. This conundrum was asked the other

day at table: Why is love like ice? Ans. wer: Because it is very slippery and soon thaws.

It is just as well for girls to learn to USE their tongues as to hold them, and girls, that is the purpose of the literary society.

Many of our students in the societies who were at one time afraid to hear their own voices have learned by practice to speak well.

Master Porter Hammond, of Harrisburg was the guest of Hobart Cook one day this week. and Hobart returned the visit a few days later.

The small boys wish to thank Miss Anthony for her Christmas present to the library. She remembers them every Christ mas, and this year the book was Treas ure Island.

The back pockets in the boys' pantaloons are proving to be good lung expanders. Having no pockets in front and as boys' hands will go into pockets the back pockets send the shoulders back.

Miss Senseney and Miss Steele visit the Invincibles to-night; Mrs. Walters and Miss Paull the Standards; Miss Peter and boys an opportunity to demonstrate what us to say that it was the best ever given Miss Robertson the Susans. The names were given in wrong order last week.

The sacred solo "Just as I am," by Carl Gotze, was beautifully rendered by Miss Senseney, at the Sunday afternoon service. The choir sang exceptionally well Henry Smart's "Jerusalem the Golden." Much improvement is noted in word enunciation, which to the average listener is a great satisfaction.

A teacher reports that one of the printer boys said in his home letter that he had had gimlet (giblet) gravy for Christmas dinner. He had better swallow tacks or raisors next time to make him still sharper. We have daggers plenty, and if he makes many more mistakes the foreman might give him a dose of stars.

A person with a long face has no room for a broad smile. Read the Premium list last page. It will pay to send us subscriptions

Some people are like clocks: they are going all the time but never get anywhere.

The Osage Journal is Our Brother in Red for sure as they printed their last issue on red paper.

Walter Bigfire made a beautiful model of the battleship Oregon and gave to his teacher Mr. Odell for a Christmas present. It may be seen in room No. 11.

This is the way it looks now: J. BANKS No. 1 RALSTON, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, room, Plank Building. We all know Mr. Ralston, and wish him the greatest success.

The picture of the Congressional Library published in the December 21st RED MAN & HELPER we secured through the courtesy of the Presbyterian Banner, which we failed to mention at the time. The children of the Normal room are enjoying a story book-a Christmas gift pupil teacher while a student here and was very much attached to the children.

She has accepted a position as teacher in Keams' Canyon School, Arizona, and is on her way there. The following members were elected to

fill the offices of the Standard Literary Society for the coming three months:

President, Nelson Hare; Vice President, Fred Tibbetts; Secretary, George Moore; Corresponding Secretary, Adam Johnson; Treasurer, John Kimble; Editor, Philip Tousy; Critic, Edward Willing; Assistant Critic, Joe Ruiz; Sergeantat Arms, William Washinawatok; Manag r of Music, Myron Moses.

Quite a number of our people have been taking the new daily Volunteer this week and Charles Curlybear subscribed for a month to be placed on file in his school room, Number 6. This act is appreciated by the students. They have a paper-rack in that school-room and take the Youths' Companion, Our Dumb Animals, Pathfinder and Daily Philadelphia Inquirer Miss Paull and her students thus keep wide-awake on the news of the day and passing events of the weeks.

The Carli-le Indian School is located in the mid-t of many manufactories. The boys of No 11 made use of their vacation week by visiting several factories about own collecting ideas for future composition work Everywhere they were re ceived with great kindness and re-pect In several instances guides were sent with the party to explain the steps in the process of making an article, especially was this so at Lindner's Shoe Factory. Men in charge of complicated machinery seemed delighted to explain the working of it to the boys. All were very much pleased with what they saw.

The Carlisle Indian School Band is engaged to furnish music for the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo for four weeks through the latter part of July and fore part of August. Mr. J. B. Ettinger, Conductor of the 1st. Brigade Band National Guard Pennsylvania, who is an accomplished musician, and one of the foremost band conductors in the United States, is engaged as instructor and director. This is a step higher in the musical line than our band has ever gone, and will give our cover the defects of this one and compel they can do under the most accomplished leadership. Regular and persistent practice begins at once.

Castulo Rodriguez, who is a Puerto Rican, came to the United States about five months ago with an American school teacher. His intentions were to make a trip to this country to see what he could and to learn English. After spending five months in Moscow, this State, his friend Carlos Gallardo, one of our students who came to this country at the same time, entered into correspondence with him about the Carlisle Indian School, giving him the idea of writing to Major Pratt about his coming to this school, and here we have him with us, he having arrived on Monday. P. S.

Here is a young lady that all should shun-Su Perstition. Nothing will do more to improve the

looks than sunshine in the heart. It is astonishing how quickly some

boys can get to the pond from the shop after the first tap of the bell. The Manon -the-band -stand enjoys seeing boys "get a move on" whether it be for skating or for work. Action is healthy.

Rollo Jackson, Herbert Johnson, Johnson Arch and Henry Bently took part in the Christmas entertainment given at Mt. Airy, N. J., by singing a quartette, which was enjoyed by all who heard them. They are said to be well-behaved boys and people in that vicinity like them very much.

Dr. J. N. Richards, of Fallsington, Pa. came to Carlisle with his son Taylor, who entered Dickinson College this week, and made a few minutes' call at the school. The Doctor has had several Indian boys in his family since '91, and all consider him a good "medicine man" to work for.

Through the courtesy of the Ladies' Home Journal we are enabled to place a copy of this interesting periodical on the reading room table at the Girls' Quarters. The girls will enjoy reading its columns of excellent stories and useful information. The January number is replete with articles from the best authors.

Master Jarvis Butler, Washington, D. C visited the U.S.S. Dolphin on Christmas Day. "She was decorated with three small Christmas trees on the top of her three masts and several other places," he says "On board I met Joseph LaFrambois and he showed me around the ship. Then on Sunday he made us a very pleasant visit."

John Teeple, class 1900, a printer while here, says he put in the summer at work upon the Daily Evening Gazette, of Iron Mountain, Michigan, but is now book keeper for a contractor. He hears seldom of his brother Frank, who is at Ont-nagan, Mich. Lewis Curtis is working in a lumber camp, repairing harness, and doing odd jobs. He is informed that Thomas Tyosh is in L'Anse. John hopes to be with us next Commencement.

The story of Stiya is just as true to day as the day on which it was written In d an girls who go to their homes have to use all the courage they possess to stand for the right Some make a brave fight and come out unscathed. Others succumb partially to surroundings. The story of Stiya is a thrilling account of the trials that a returned girl met bravely It is illustrated. Fifty cents, post-paid. Ten subscriptions for the REDMAN AND HELPER will secure it free. It would be a good book for supplementary reading in schools.

Junior Entertainment.

Among the many interesting things which occurred in the school building during the week was the 1902 class entertainment in the Assembly Hall, on Thursday night. The program consisted of declamations, impromptu addresses, vocal and instrumental music. It would not be fair to mention any one as doing specially well, but, we may say without exaggeration that they all did well. We hope, however, that in their next entertainment an effort will be put forth by the class to by any class here.

What do you Eat?

"How well your students look!" says a visitor. To give an idea of whatour young regiment consumes Storekeeper Kensler kindly submitted the following official figures. From the first day of October to the 31st day of December 1900, three months, the student body ate:

25,982 loaves of bread of 2 lbs. each. 34,405 rolls of 4 ounces each.

190 pans corn bread, 22 lbs. each.

164 pans ginger bread, 25 lbs. each. 2,036 pies-raisin, apple, mince, pumpkin, peach.

1,361 lbs. butter.

5,009 gallons milk.

Sad Comment, but We Fear too True.

A former Carlisle worker now keeping house with her family on a western reservation writes:

"I have succeeded in finding good help and the domestic machinery moves smoothly. I gave the Carlisle and Hampsmoothly. I gave the Carlisle and Hamp-ton girls the first opportunity to earn twelve dollars a month and a comfortable home, but not one responded. I now have a young German-American who is really very efficient and seems to be happy.

In this statement the Man-on-the-bandstand sees the growing signs of the times in the Indian girls as well a in the white girl.

There is scarcely a family in this town and few families elsewhere who can prevail upon an educated white girl to do domestic work even for good wages.

Why is it?

Not because the girls are indolent, for they readily go into factories or stand behind counters at starvation wages, without the comforts of home life they would secure by house work.

The Man-on-the band-stand once heard one of our own girls say she would do domestic work in the East in a good family where they treat her well, but would not think of doing so at home on the reservation. Her Indian friends would point a finger of scorn at her.

There must be something radically wrong in conditions out there, and everywhere. The Civic Clubs of our land and the sensible people outside of such clubs must set to work to right these conditions and make the duty of keeping house honorable and desirable. Domestic science is having the proper effect.

Base Ball.

The building for indoor base ball practice is nearly completed and will be ready for use very soon, when the base ball candidates will commence regular practice for the season of 1901

Mr. Warner has arranged a schedule of games which includes nearly all the first class College teams, and it is hoped and expected that we will have a team which will be as much a cr-dit to the school as the football team has been in the past.

The prospects for a good team are fair, and a meeting will soon be held to elect a c ptain. The sch-dule which has been arranged follows:

- April, 6 Albright at Oarlisle, 10- University of Rochester, at Carlisle.
 - 13 University of Pennsylvania, at Phila.
 - 18 State College, at Carlisle.
 20 Dickinson, on Dickinson Field.
 - 27 Mercersburg. at Mercersburg.
 - 1 Lebanon Valley College, at Carlisle.
 - 4 Columbia, at New York City.
 - 8 Gettysburg, at Carlisle.

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May

- 10 Columbia. at Carlisle. 15 Susquehanna, at Carlisle.
- 18 Mercersburg, at Carlisle. 23 - Washington & Jefferson, at Carlisle.
- 30 Dickinson on our Field.
- 1 -- Albright, at Myerstown June
 - 5 Princeton, at Princetoa.
 6 Fordham, at New York.
 - 8 Gettysburg, at Gettysburg.
 - 12 Yale, at New Haven. 15 Harvard, at Cambridge.

 - Cornell, at Ithica 19-Bucknell, at Lewisburg.

Still Good Words of our Football Boys.

The following is from Youths' Companion, Boston Jan. 3rd, 1901: "College football, during the season just closed, had no worthier representatives than the students of the Carlisle Indian School, in the sentials of manliness and sports like conduct generally. The games in which they engaged were as many and fiercely contested as those of any other college team, and the spectators, in some instances, were neither so considerate nor so sympathetic as they might have been. Yet their games were exhibitions of clean, straight football-such as all true lovers of the sport like to see. The Umpire's decisions were never once questioned, and their defeats were accepted with the spirit of men who had done their best, and who had, therefore, neither excuse nor explanations to offer. They have won a place for themselves in the regard of many who would rejoice in their success in other fields where the rewards are less. fleeting than those of football."

THE SUSAN'S ENTERTAINMENT.

The evening of Tableau and Song given by the young ladies of the Susan Longstreth Literary Society last Saturday night was a surprise to many. The literary tone of the tableaux was fully appreciated by those who were sufficiently well-read to understand the different figures, while the variety was enough to please all when the spectacular effect alone was considered.

The opening picture was a living portrait of the late Susan Longstreth for whom the Society was named. The similarity was quite striking, although the cap was not like the one worn for many years by our esteemed friend. Blanche McLaughlin took the part, assuming to a good degree that sweet expression so marked upon the countenance of the beloved original.

Ada Sockbeson was the principal actor of the evening, as she in dream talk brought out the characters of famous literary products :- Mother Goose (Jennie De Rosier), Little Bo-peep (Teresa Ebert). Red Ridinghood (Edith Bartlett), Cinderella (Mary Mackey), Fairy Godmother (Ida Wheelock), May Queen (Florence Welch), Gypsy Queen (Louise Rogers). Mother (Cynthia Lambert), Ruth (Grace Warren), Rebecca (Olive Choteau), Joan of Arc (Lillian Waterman), Cleopatra (Annie Parker), Lady Macbeth (Eva Rogers), Mary Queen of Scots (Earney Wilber), Mistletoe Bride (Melinda Metoxen), Grace Darling (Nora Denny) Evangeline (Amy Dolphus), Highland Mary (Stella Mishler), Minnehaha (Sophia Americanhorse), Maud Muller (Inez King), Pocahontas (Ella Romero), Dame Fashion (Blanche McLaughlin), Aunt Samantha (Amelia Metoxen), Rosamond (Lillian Brown), Lady Clara (Louisa Cornelius), Cordelia (Pearl La Chapelle), Morning (Lillian St Cyr), Tranquility (Sara Corbin).

The dreamer's voice, somewhat buried, did not reach to the furthermost end of the hall, and as the arc lights were turned off to give the incandescent foot-lights a better effect, the programs could not be just as there is no immunity from epiread, hence some of the best characters must not have been understood, and some important features were lost, but the excellent acting and general result was sufficient to hold the audience in respectful attention, and those who were familiar with the characters through previous reading could follow very satisfactorily.

The closing tableau of the dream in which all the actors were blended in one pleasing picture was beautiful. The other tableaux were Rock of Ages and Goodnight.

The singing and mandolin playing added variety-Maud Snyder being the soloist of the evening. The entire performance was so gracefully and admirably done, that the audience, to show its appreciation, voted a request to have the entertainment repeated, which the young ladies agreed to do, four weeks hence.

No doubt the Susans fully understand the source whence came a score or two of "No's" to the proposition. There set of numbskulls in every audience who cannot enjoy a thing of high literary merit.

evening throughout displayed The thoughtful and painstaking preparation, representing no small amount of work done at odd moments, and be it said to the credit of the girls, that outside of a few hints and suggestions, as well as some aid in the music from our regular instructors, and the assistance behind the scenes of two or three teachers who kindly offered to lend a hand, the affair was placed upon the boards by the Susans themselves.

They are grateful for the temporary helps, but in no sense were any of the teachers borne upon to lend "originality" and fatiguing labor, as in years gone by

Drunken Rats.

It is said that some people catch the most cunning of rats, by soaking corn in whisky-thus getting the shrewd fellows drunk, when they kill them easily.

mislead rats, when it "gets away with" so many shrewd men.

IS HIGH ALTITUDE GOOD FOR **CONSUMPTION ?**

A medical gentleman named Parker Murphy, writing to the Albany Medical Annals, is responsible for the following statements in regard to the effect of high altitude in the treatment of consumption:

"It is self-evident, then, that the forced distention of the lungs and bronchi in those who live in high altitudes alone confers immunity against the disease."

The Native American, published at the Phœnix, Arizona, Indian School has this to say on the subject:

It is not the purpose of the writer to enter into a controversy on medical subjects concerning which he is only a layman. He simply wants to call attention to a fact learned in a recent visit to Ft. Defiance, Arizona, which goes to show that, (the writer mentioned to the contrary notwithstanding) there is no real immunity from attacks of bronchitis and lung trouble.

Dr. C. K. Smith is agency physician at Ft. Defiance.

He was asked the question: "What diseases attack the Navajos?"

He replied by enumerating them, concluding with bronchitis and tuberculosis. The writer then expressed surprise that the Navajos are not practically immune

to these diseases. A negative answer from the physician convinced the questioner that high altitude, out-door life and freedom from contact with the whites (conditions surrounding the Navajos) do not prevent an appearance of the "great white disease."

Stanley, in his travels through central Africa, among tribes to whom the sight of a white man was unprecedented or rare found that tuberculosis is one of the prevalent diseases.

No race or tribe of people inhabiting any portion of the earth seems to be entirely free from ailments of this character. There is no such thing as immunity, demics of measles, diphtheria, small-pox, etc.

Not a Savage.

A clergyman had been asked to receive an Indian boy into his family for a few weeks, and had consented to keep the lad if he did not prove to be "too much of a savage." He turned out to be a pretty good boy, so much so that one day, as a great, treat the minister gave him agun and told him to take a holiday and go hunting.

The Indian shook his head. "No," he said quietly. "Me belong to Band of Mercy. Me not shoot bird or animals, only rattlesnakes"

The minister had been very fond of using that gun, but he says he does not care much for it now.-[Everywhere.

A Juvenile Dispute.

"How many capitals has Rhode Is-

and ?" "Two," answered the playmate of the first speaker at recess time.

"It hasn't either," said Number one. "I can prove it," replied Number two.

"How ?" "Well, come lets ask teacher."

They went up to the desk cautiously and asked: "How many capitals has Rhode Island."

port is no longer a capital? Now run away, I am busy."

"There! Didn't I tell you?" cried Number One in great glee.

"I don't care if you did. You and the teacher both are wrong."

"I guess she knows more'n you do, smarty."

"Well, look here. There's your 'R,' ain't that a capital? there's your 'I,' ain't that a capital. Don't that make two capitals?"

Number one had no more to say.

The fellows who muffle up their neck Liquor ought certainly to be able to one day and go without the next are thes ones who take cold and wonder how they caught it.

The Stores of San Francisco and Eastern Cities Compared.

"In walking around I have stepped in and through the two most prominent bazaars or department stores-the Emporium and Hale Bros. new place on Market near Sixth St.," writes Prof. Burgess. "In completeness of arrangements, extensive variety, immense crowds of visitors and purchasers, and in other respects they seem even superior to Wanamakers in Philadelphia or New York, Macy's or any others I have visited; yet they are all very much on the same general plan.

In the evenings, Market Street, especially near the Call and Chronicle buildings is ablaze with light enough to dazzle the senses.

The Cafe of the Call building is in the fourteenth story, and the name CAFE in electric light can be read for a long distance. I am glad that I can eat with comfort on the first floor."

Mr. Garrett.

Philip C. Garret, of Philadelphia, the only non-resident of New York who was appointed by Governor Roosevelt to serve on the Commission to investigate the Indians of New York, is said to be a warm personal friend of the Governor, and, says the Inquirer, he is also well known as one of the best posted men on Indian affairs in the country. The problem before the newly appointed commission is to ascertain whether the Indians now within the boundaries of the State of New York are worthy of being accorded the right to vote. Governor Roosevelt believes that the red man should have the same rights as immigrants, and considers that the present system is at fault.

Ex-Students.

Mary Mitchel Ettawegijig, former student, says that her husband is a cook by trade and he is at present cooking in a lumber-camp in Michigan. They are well contented with their work, she says. Mary is very thankful for what Carlisle did for her and subscribes for our paper that it may visit their home weekly.

We see by the Santa Fe notes to the Chilocco Beacon that Major Hugh Sousa has reorganized the school battalion, and as a consequence a number of worthy promotions have been made. We suppose the article refers to Mr. Sowcea who graduated with us in '94, although the spelling of the name is quite different.

Nothing Left For the Indian.

It is said that President McKinley dined on Roast Buffalo on Christmas. Thirty years ago millions of Buffalo roamed these prairies.

Now only the President can have a choice bit when one of the few remaining ones is killed.

This one sold for a dollar per pound. To the Indian nothing is left but to worship the bleached skulls found lying about on the prairie.-[Cheyenne and Arapahoe Sword.

What Chemawa Means.

It is said that the word Chemawa comes from an Indian word meaning low or flat land, and should be pronounced Chemayway. And Dr. Andrew Kershaw, Superintendent of Grand Ronde school thinks "One. Don't you remember that New- the great Chemawa school in Oregon is rightly named in that the low land has been reclaimed and the school is now engaged in reclaiming the children of the Indians from the low land of superstition and ignorance possessed by their forefathers.

Indian Club Women.

The Wabanaki Club, of Oldtown, Me. which is composed entirely of young Indian women, paid its fee to the State Federation in Indian baskets. As the sale of the contributions netted considerably more than the fee, the surplus was returned to the club with a message of greeting. The Wabanaki Club was formed for the purpose of preserving tales of Indian folk lore.--[N. Y. Tribune.

Can't Sell the Wag.

Kindness without words and the depth of value to such a spirit is illustrated in the story of the Dutchman who refused to sell his dog.

"Yaas, I knows he is a very poor dog," he said, "and he ain't wort' almost nottin', but dere is von little ding mit dat dog vot I can't sell-I can't sell de vag of his tail ven I comes at night."

Conundrum.

When bold Comanche, Sioux or Creek Was in the mode to scalp his fellow, His copper skin he'd thickly streak With brilliant red and glowing yellow.

The footlight maid, with art more fine, Lays on the paint as thick, no doubt, But with an opposite design-Why does each get the colors out?

MABEL P.

-[Congregationalist.

An Enigma From a Country Home.

One of our girls sends us an Enigma written in shorthand, but as the readers of the REDMAN & HELPER do not all read short-hand we interpret as follows: I am made of 9 letters.

My 7, 8, 9 is an intoxicating drink.

My 6, 3, 4, 5 is a girls' name.

My 1, 2, 9, 5 is an insect remarkable for, its agility and troublesome bite.

My whole is a place in the Keystone State where three Indian girls are enjoying life at present

ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S ENIGMA: Cold Wave

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