

THE GAZETTE.

DAILY AND WEEKLY EDITIONS
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HUMAN NATURE.
We search for microbes everywhere.
But show convenient blindness
When it comes time to find them in
Our milk of human kindness.

THE WAY OF IT.
Concerning college foot ball teams,
Too oft it comes to pass
The man who's half back in the field
Is 'way back in his class.

THE LIFE WAY.
All the world seems weny—
Shadows of the night,
But still it's so dearie,
And morning makes the light.

THE SADDEST WORD.
Of all sad words of tongue or pen,
In books or papers or letters or bills,
From stage or pulpit or dais or hills,
Of all the words we have ever known,

THE GRAMMAR AND THE OWL.
This is the owl that sings
"Who-who?"
As he sits in the old dead tree;
If only the owl would sing
"To-whoom?"

FATE OF AN AMATEUR.
On a friend's yacht
A youth named Dacht,
Set sail for a sequestered spacht;
The day was bright
For such a yacht,

WARNING.
Go 'way, Mistuh Skeeter! Don't you sing
But song to me!
I's hynch about yon doin's; you's es
tough as you kin be.

HER NEW VOCABULARY.
She possessed a mind discerning
That was stored and crammed with
learning.

ALL SERVICE IS FROM GOD.
Not from a vain and shallow thought
His awful love young Phidias
brought;

Or how the fish outbait her shell,
Fighting with more each annual cell?
Or how the sacred pine tree adds
To her old leaves new myriads?

To gaze upon the pyramids;
Over England's abbey's bends the sky,
As on its friends with kindred eyes;
For out of Thought's interior sphere
These wonders gladly gave them place.

Adopted them into her race,
And granted them an equal date
With Andes' towers and pyramids;
These temples grew as grows the grass,
Art might obey, but not surpass;

The passive master lent his hand,
To the vast soul that o'er him
planned.

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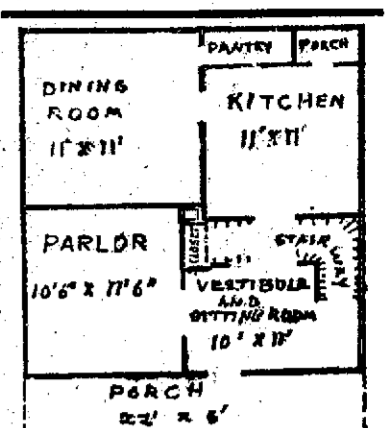
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12:20am Chicago Pass. 1:00am 12:55am Chi. and St. Louis 3:15am

10:00am Burling' and Day' 10:10am 8:05pm Clinton, Montezuma 6:50am

10:10am, 2:50pm, 6:40pm. Day's port trains at 8:50am, 10:10 am, 2:10pm, 6:20pm, 8:15pm, Muscatine trains at 10:10am, 2:00 pm and 6:40pm.

11:50am, 2:00pm, 6:40pm. Arrive. NORTH. 12:20am

12:35pm St. Paul, Minn. 1:20pm 1:35pm St. Paul and Rockf. 7:40am

1:20pm Waterloo-Rockford 3:30pm 6:00pm Ia. Falls-St. Louis Falls 8:20am

12:20am Sioux Falls, W. town 12:40am 6:10pm Decorah Pass. 7:55am

10:45am West Union Pass. 10:40pm \*Daily; others except Sunday.

W. H. DUTTON, City Pass. Agt. JNO. G. FARMER, Division Pass Agt.

C. & N. W. RY. Leave. Arrive. 1:30am Overland Limited 1:30am

6:5 am Pacific Limited 6:25 am 3:25 pm Portland Special 3:25 pm

8:10 pm Cedar Rapids Exp 11:50 am 10:45 am Omaha & Chi Ex 10:45 am