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The North American Review for September.

The North American Review for September is in touch with the leading interests of the day, and in the quality of its contents it more than fulfills the promises made by the new editor when he undertook the management of the Review—which, indeed, have been most generously redeemed by every issue that has come from his hands. The number opens with the late Colonel Ingersoll's famous reply to the Rev. Dr. Henry M. Field, which was published originally in the Review in November, 1887, and which is republished now in consideration of the keen and widespread interest awakened by Colonel Ingersoll's death in his views on religion and religious dogma. This paper contains what is in all probability the fullest, strongest and most eloquent statement of his position which the brilliant agnostic ever penned. The nature and extent of "Ingersoll's Influence" is discussed by Dr. Henry M. Field, Colonel Ingersoll's old friend and antagonist, who goes with some minuteness into an examination of the reasons for believing that the influence of Ingersoll will not survive him long.

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A TRIBUTE TO CHAUTAUQUA.

Having enjoyed a delightful three weeks stay at Chautauqua, N.Y., the past month, I am most enthusiastic about the profit and pleasure the place affords to all visitors of various ages and widely different tastes. The climate in July was all a reasonable person could desire. Just rain enough falling and nearly always at night; temperature a happy medium between heat and cold. The town is unique because it is a settlement of hundreds of dwellings, with avenues and streets shaded in every direction with grand forest trees situated upon the terraced shores of the lake of the same name, the beautiful sheet of water being a constant source of benefit and interest. Lake Chautauqua lies in the southwestern part of New York State and has an elevation of 1400 feet above the level of the sea, nestling among the hills between the St. Lawrence river and the Mississippi. Lake Erie, seven miles distant, has only an elevation of 700 feet. The site for Chautauqua was originally chosen for a Baptist summer encampment, and it would be hard to find a more beautiful one. Since its purchase by the Chautauqua Association, the settlement has become, for a few months of the year, the abode of thousands; their homes built, as I have previously said, upon natural terraces, in the midst of forest trees, gently sloping down to the shores of the lake. A commodious, handsome white hotel presents a pleasing appearance amid the smaller cottages decorated within and without very prettily. The hotel bears a classic name, "Athenaeum," and is well kept and most comfortable. The "Ampitheatre" is an architectural wonder, with its seating capacity of between five and six thousand people, and yet it is not large enough to accommodate the audiences that assemble there. The Grand organ, with its accompaniment of five hundred and more voices in the choir, occupies a lofty position, and when its deep notes are called forth by the skillful touch of a master musician, the melody is soul inspiring.

Another highly-prized and interesting building is "The Hall of Philosophy," its white pillars peeping out from a sheltering grove of trees, strongly reminding one of its model: The "Parthenon of Athens." The whole building is painted white, and is open on all sides, the roof supported by graceful columns from the ceiling to the floor.

In this beautiful little city of Chautauqua there are miles of cement pavements kept so clean and dry, it is a pleasure to walk upon them and feel at perfect liberty to enjoy the delightful shade of the trees and the beauty of the cottages and the whole landscape, the ladies being free from the care of trailing skirts. The lake is about twenty miles long, the water coming from springs, bubbling up from its bottom, being also conveyed into the town. There are, in addition, two fine mineral springs of sulphur and iron, which are much appreciated for their health-giving properties. The sanitary regulations at Chautauqua are faithfully executed, and all the surroundings are in beautiful order, in the way of shrubbery, plants and well-trimmed lawns. The name, to many minds, does not convey any adequate idea of what is there. For years I have done Chautauqua injustice from associating it chiefly with prescribed courses of reading at home, which is, indeed, a great work it has accomplished towards the higher education of multitudes. But the Chautauqua Association is a mighty power in our land, and its true character and efficiency has only dawned on me this summer. The ideas originating with the founders of this association are a credit to our whole country and should be appreciated. The wide and successful development of its work is marvelous. There are now more than one hundred smaller "Chautauquas" in the United States following the example of the central one in New York.

In 1874 the movement had its beginning in successfully carrying out the benevolent purpose of the two chief founders, Bishop John Vincent and Mr. Lewis Miller, in affording at Chautauqua exceptionally good opportunities for instruction in the way of special schools, first-class lectures, entertainments and social intercourse during the summer recreation time of those who seek a beneficial change away from home for a few weeks. I cannot even enumerate the sources of pleasure and profit at Chautauqua. Seventy five instructors of highest proficiency for the different schools are provided, besides efficient leaders for all kinds of profitable clubs. The "Boys' Club," "The Girls' Club," "The Outing Club," the "Athletic Club," the "Bicycle Club," the "French Club," the "German Club," the "Woman's Club," etc., etc.

Then there are the different religious headquarters where those of the same creed meet as in a family circle. The "Presbyterians," the "Baptists," the "Methodists," the "Episcopalians" and others. There is something to interest all classes and all ages, whether they wish to study or to rest or to be entertained. The lectures are intellectual treats, and it is an inspiration to come into personal acquaintance with the scholars and scientists of our day, both men and women, who are the greatest thinkers upon social problems, and who can impart their knowledge to others so delightfully, and have won for themselves a well-merited fame.

During our stay of only three weeks we met and heard lecture such students as the historian "Mr. John Fiske," "Dr. John Henry Barrows," (the organizer of The Parliament of Religions) at the Chicago Exposition, and who is now President of Oberlin College, Ohio; Prof. "Caleb T. Winchester," so gifted and fascinating "Prof. Arthur M. Wheeler," "Prof. Hill Fortier" (the cultured Creole gentleman—so affable and charming), lecturing delightfully upon successive historical periods of his native State. The "Spanish," the "French" and "American Louisiana," also expounding its "Folk Lore" and the deeply romantic records of his own creole nation. We heard also "Dr. George Hodges," of the Episcopal Church, one of the brightest literary lights and clearest logicians in our land; "Mrs. Emily Bishop," the most competent lecturer and teacher of physical culture I have ever heard; "A Miss Huntington," a teacher of kitchen gardening, giving practical object lessons of the best ways of accomplishing household duties. An example in herself of being 70 years *young* not 70 years old, so fresh looking, strong and graceful, no one would dream from her appearance, speech and manner, that three score years and ten had been her portion of life already. One of the best speakers we heard was a regularly ordained lady minister "Rev. Annie E. Ford," and many others. It is only possible in this letter to briefly mention a few of the privileges we enjoyed at Chautauqua. The fund for current expenses is chiefly derived from a "citizen's tax" or entrance fee to the Assembly domain. Every one over 12 years of age pays for admission at the gate: 40 cts. for one day, one dollar and a half for one week, three dollars for three weeks or one month, five dollars for the whole season. Each one receives in return the ticket he has paid for which entitles him, for that length of time, to admission to all the concerts, lectures and entertainments occurring during his stay. The tuition for the educational classes is extra, but only an exceedingly moderate charge.

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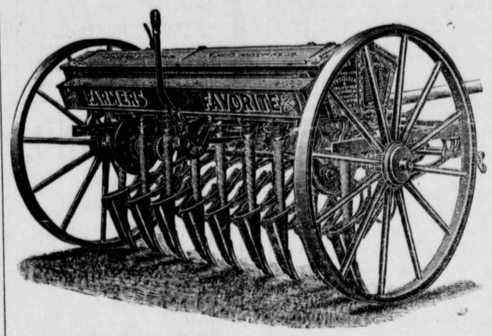
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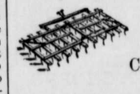
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I WISH to inform the public that I have rented the recently remodeled and handsomely equipped Chestertown hotel, knownas the Armstrong House, formerly conducted by Messrs. Armstrong and Sparks, on East Cross street. The entire house is heated by steam; closets and other conveniences in the building. The rooms are all prettily papered and nicely furnished. The table will be furnished with the best the market affords with especial attention to preparation and service, so that the traveling public need not fear but the splendid standard set by the former proprietors of the house will not be kept up. The entire management will be under the immediate supervision of myself and wife. A pool-table will be conducted in a spacious parlor and I will also have a raw box in order that the traveling public may at any and all times secure the world-renowned Chesapeake oyster served in the most approved style. In short, the Hotel will be one of the most up-to-date houses on the peninsula and will be conducted with an eye single to the comfort and convenience of my guests and the traveling public.

Soliciting a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore accorded to the old proprietors. I am very truly,

d15. WILLIAM R PIPPIN.

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☞See our Show Windows for New Styles, or walk in and let us show you what a large stock we carry. Will not press you to buy—the goods will speak for themselves.

OUR GUARANTEE

That our $1.00 Men's and Ladies' Shoes are the best in the county.

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Buy your Shoes at the Shoe Store, where you have the assortment to select from.

I wish to thank our customers of Kent and Queen Anne counties for their liberal patronage, many of whom have dealt with us for the last seventeen years, and kindly ask a continuance of same.

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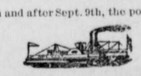
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Round trip tickets from Sassafras River landings, good until used, 75 cents; single fare, 50 cents.

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Summer Schedule.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

JUNE 1.....BEGINNING.....JUNE



EMMA A. FORD.

Leave Chestertown	7.00 a. m.
Stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Bogles, Queenstown and Kent Island.	
leave Queenstown	8.45 a. m.
Arrive Baltimore about	11.45 a. m.
Leave Baltimore	2.45 p. m.
Arrive Queenstown	5.45 p. m.
Arrive Chestertown about	7.30 p. m.

STEAMER GRATITUDE.

Leave Centreville	7.00 a. m.
Stopping at landings on the Corsica river, Jackson creek and Rock Hall.	
Leave Jackson Creek	8.15 a. m.
Leave Rock Hall	9.30 a. m.
Arrive Baltimore about	11.30 a. m.
Leave Baltimore	3.00 p. m.
Arrive Rock Hall	5.00 p. m.
Arrive Jackson Creek	6.15 p. m.
Arrive Centreville about	7.30 p. m.

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