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A Sunday law has reached New Jersey. In compliance with the order issued on Saturday by Chief of Police Murphy of Jersey City, there was no ball playing last Sunday on the Central Railroad flats at Communipaw. There was much disappointment among the players who went to the grounds and found three policemen stationed there. It was not unusual to see 5,000 people on the ball grounds every fine Sunday. It is understood that the local clubs will make an appeal to Chief Murphy when he returns from his vacation to rescind his order. They say that it is innocent and healthful recreation to play ball, and as the ball grounds cannot be seen from any dwelling except with the aid of a telescope, nobody can be disturbed by the games.

The town of Madelia, Minn., during the early weeks of this summer inaugurated a work test for tramps, who had become a nuisance. The authorities issued tickets to every family in the town, and when a tramp presented himself at the door of any house he was handed one of these tickets, with instructions to give it to the town marshal. The marshal would examine the applicant, and if he found him worthy, he would send him to a wood dealer, who would ask him to saw a quarter of a cord of wood and then give him a ticket for a meal at a restaurant. The scheme proved entirely successful. Tramps no longer came into the town. They found that no one would feed them in the old manner, and that the only way in which they could get anything to eat was by working.

The distinction of being the first Indian woman to graduate as a trained nurse is due Miss Nancy Cornelius, of the Oneida tribe of Wisconsin. She has made for herself a most enviable reputation in this work. She was one of the most promising pupils in the school on the Oneida reservation, and was sent from there to the training school at Carlisle, Pa. After spending a few years there she entered the Connecticut Training School, and graduated from it in 1889. She says she sees no good reason why she should return to the reservation, especially when circumstances are so unfavorable.

At a recent meeting of prominent citizens of Asheville, Rev. Dr. Gilbert presented a plan, which is in brief that a stock company be formed to carry to completion an enterprise in that city that will include a college, a school of the English Bible and an auditorium for the accommodation of the annual sessions of the Southern Biblical Assembly and similar large gatherings that might be induced to come to Asheville. Dr. Gilbert thought the stock should have a name that would indicate Asheville as the religious and educational centre of the South. A committee was appointed to consider the plan and report upon its feasibility.

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