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Juvenile Court Interposed to Make Naughty Boys and Girls Good—History of a Merciful Movement—Scenes in Court.

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN. (Copyright, 1908, by Frederic J. Haskin.) Chicago, Dec. 7.—One year ago the first court house in the world built exclusively for children was dedicated here in Chicago. Nine years ago Chicago established the first juvenile court in the world, following a few months later by New York, where the first law in this country creating children's courts was enacted in 1857. Massachusetts had a law providing for the hearing of children's cases separate from those of adults, but this was practically a dead letter for many years. Since 1899 twenty one states have established children's courts and this has affected operation in forty or more big cities. Long before this, however, Judge Murphy of Buffalo, Judge Lindsey of Chicago and Judge Shubb of Indianapolis had taken to hearing the cases of children separately because their own judgment deemed it best.

This new building is in the part of Chicago that Hull House has already made famous with its work in the slum. It cost Cook county \$5,000,000 and is dedicated to the service of dependent and delinquent children. It contains court rooms, waiting rooms, offices, apartments for the matrons and teachers, school rooms, playgrounds, dining rooms, dispensaries and dormitories for the children who are under arrest or orphans who are waiting to be sent to homes.

Learning While You Wait. A most interesting school is conducted, every boy and girl detained here for any purpose being required to study. The school developed the fact that many children brought here are almost illiterate despite the fact that they were born and have lived most of their lives in Chicago, where the compulsory education laws are good. Throughout the year this school has an average daily attendance of 200. The law requires that every boy and girl in the city under 14 must attend some school, and that every boy under sixteen must either be in school or at work. This is the best way to keep them from mischief, and at the same time make good citizens of them. If they do not keep the laws, they are brought before the children's court, which hears all cases of boys under 17 and girls under 18.

No Criminal Under 16. The judge is from one of the circuit courts, chosen for a year's service by the judges of the other circuit courts. He combines with the wisdom of a judge the patience of a parent and the penetration of a teacher long used to the convolutions of a child's mind. Each case is tried with the offender, the parents, the witnesses, the probation officers and the lawyers grouped about the judge's desk. No one child may hear the case of another unless they should be charged with the same act. Fear is gone from the little offenders who come, and with the judge's talk over the case, and nine out of ten cases develop the fact that the home life has been broken by death or divorce, or by both parents having to go out to work, and the little offender has been the unwilling victim of adverse circumstances. The law of the state of Illinois specifically says that no child under 16 shall be considered or treated as a criminal. The idea of punishment is eliminated and correction and reformation, rather than reformation are the ideas on which the work is based.

Some Specimen Cases. Here is a young girl of 17 taken from the streets. She has no home. She is an epileptic, the state has no provision for people afflicted as she is, hospitals cannot take her, she has frightened the children in an orphan's home, and it is against the sentiment of the court to commit her to the hospital for the insane. Keep her upstairs awhile," the judge says to the matron. "We must find some place for her." Here is another young girl, a quiet, sensible creature, who has been brought before the court at the request of her father, because he believes she meant to go away with a man who has not yet got his divorce. It is a pathetic domestic tangle where a hard-working father, too often given to drink, has tried his best to be both father and mother to his three girls. The matter is talked over between the judge, the family and the man in the case. The judge declares that the girl was only to keep house for the man and his aged mother until the divorce could be had. The hearing of the case is only to remove the unfair suspicions of the ignorant, as the judge says. "Margaret, didn't you know it would be wrong to go to the home of this man? He is a man, since you have talked to me, you know I think it would be wise to put her in the school at Geneva for awhile," says the judge. He answers the shrill protest of one of the sisters: "Since you have no home of your own, you can take her, and since she has been ordered from your father's house, this is the best and only home for her. One of the probation officers will tell you of the home so you will understand how good it is for your sister."

Three Very Bad Boys. Three little boys have been brought in by the sheriff from a Michigan county just off the line. One has been before the judge twice before and released on parole. The second, the small, wiry son of an Irish saloon-keeper, who is also known to the judge, and the third is a small negro of ink blackness. The charge is rather grave. They had broken into a section tool house and, taking hand-car, had gone out for a journey down the Pere

MUCKRAKE DUE AT WINDY TOWN

Politicians of Every Name and Order Prepare for Coming Storm.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, Dec. 7.—The wholesale indictment of politicians for frauds in the last primaries has caused consternation among local politicians. Several are said to be already preparing to sell real estate and get ready "for the worst." The "worse" is expected to come when the defendants are placed on trial.

Special State's Attorney Loesch expressed the belief that Chicago is about to be treated to the same sort of graft disclosure as San Francisco and St. Louis had. He says the rottenness of every election held here in the past 20 years is incredible and declares the reason it has not come to light before is that the politicians have united to cover it up.

Retiring State's Attorney Healy has been the first official in control of the inquisitorial machinery who was "defeated by the bosses" and many revelations have already been made by him. How far he will uncover the conditions is a question of interest to the alarmed politicians.

She says she will having the matter under consideration will meet again this week, when other indictments are expected. busy day. There are parents bringing in children whom they cannot control, officers bringing in little fellows who have found mischief more attractive than home or school. Girls who are about to go astray, and pathetic little children who have been thrown on the county for support by the death or incompetency of a parent. In every instance of delinquency there is the effort to show the child the difference between right and wrong, which no one had ever shown him before, the effort to awaken the principles of honor and obedience, and over all is the great friendliness of the court for the boy and girl, the eagerness of even the prosecution to see that the child's rights are preserved. The Chicago court has not the advantage that Denver has of being able to make parents responsible for the good conduct of their children. This is one of our wisest laws on the statute books of the state of Colorado.

No More Forcing Into Crime. The one great aim of the juvenile courts of the land is to keep the youthful offender from prison or reformatory. For this purpose it has been found that the probation system has been instituted. At the last special census there were over 25,000 juvenile delinquents in this country. Before the days of children's courts these were herded in the most debased criminals in penitentiaries and workhouses and not to citizenship. Today the majority of these can be kept out of institutions of any kind and made into good citizens through education, industrial training and a system of supervision in their own homes by trained officers.

LOVE LETTER WAS DECOY FOR HUBBY (United Press Leased Wire.) St. Louis, Dec. 7.—The mysterious love letter in the recent divorce case was a decoy missive, Mrs. Lillian Hamlin says. "The lavender lady," says in her reply to William J. Lemps' cross-examination, "I was writing to my husband, whom she suspected of reading her private correspondence."

Schurman to Tour the West. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 7.—President J. G. Schurman of Cornell university will leave tomorrow for an extensive trip through the west. He will attend the inauguration of Dr. Hill as president of the University of Missouri next Thursday and later will speak at a dinner of the New England society of Chicago.

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