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## Aim of the Chautauqua is to Teach Greatest Truths so Public May Understand

Influenced by the numerous inquiries received from persons desiring to know the true nature and meaning of the new American idea, the "Chautauqua" the editor has secured explanatory information from the Ellison-White Chautauqua system.

**Seeks World Advancement.**  
The fundamental aim of the Chautauqua is world wide advancement in thought and national ideas. Educational as well as inspirational, it tends to teach the greatest truths of the modern era in a manner understood by the public. Entertainment, combined with uplifting lectures, readings, musical programs and "get-together" meetings, is the medium through which the Chautauqua works. A proper mixture of the ludicrous, laughable and entertaining accomplishes the ends sought. Conceived by great minds, the idea has found root in the soil of the minds of citizens in all parts of the United States.

**Moral and Social Force.**  
The Chautauqua is one of the strongest forces at work in the re-organization of those moral, social and political conditions which are detrimental to the greatest development and appreciation of the highest things in life. The power of the church, the safety of the home, the fascination of the opera and the relaxation of club—all are combined under the one word so full of meaning—"Chautauqua." Distinctly an American idea, the promoters have molded it to harmonize with the multitude of emotions and sympathies of the truly national mind and conscience.

**Held in Big-top Tent.**  
The clamor of the circus, with its sawdust ring and blaring bands is avoided, but the smell of the trampled

grass and the sight of the big-top tent in which the Chautauqua is held are alone enough to lure the music lover to the things within. Thousands of persons congregate beneath the swaying canvas each year to listen to the greatest orators, statesmen and philosophers the American nation has ever produced.

**One Big Happy Family.**  
All Chautauqua boosters are members of one big, happy family. United by the common bond of personal enjoyment and advancement, everyone enjoys the fun of his neighbor. Happiness and work are coupled together and the community lifts itself by its own boot-strings to a higher plane of mental life. The grand opera, once within the grasp of the kings and potentates alone, is now the property of the soul-starved mountaineer or the polished lawyer and dignified doctor. Today a cosmopolitan crowd greets the operatic stars who formerly have played before only the wealthier classes in the largest theaters. Farmers clad in their field attire, men from every walk of life—all mingle beneath the Chautauqua shelter and enjoy the wonderfully invigorating programs.

**"Talent" Best Obtainable.**  
The "talent," the technical term applied to all those persons who hold the Chautauqua platform, is divided into four embracing groups: lecturers, readers, musicians and entertainers, while there are also organizers and directors of games for children. There are three sessions a day, the chief programme usually being given at night. The best orchestras, soloists, glee clubs, ladies' clubs and operatic companies obtainable are utilized by the new "American Idea."

## Story of Il Trovatore Weird and Fascinating

In the following paragraphs is a synopsis of the Opera Il Trovatore. This synopsis is taken from the libretto to be distributed among Chautauqua patrons this summer.

There are five principal characters in Il Trovatore. Manrico and Count di Luna, who are really brothers, but do not know this, fall in love with Leonora, a beautiful girl of the court of Aragon. Leonora loves Manrico and the first act closes with a duel between the two brothers, in which Leonora steps between them and saves their lives.

Manrico's supposed mother, Azucena, a gypsy woman who has sworn vengeance against the Count, takes Manrico to the gypsy camp. Here we see and hear the beautiful Anvil Chorus.

Manrico returns to the court and is about to be married to Leonora when he hears that Azucena, his supposed gypsy mother, has been arrested as a spy and is to be executed. Hastening to her rescue, he is repulsed and taken prisoner and ordered killed. While he is in prison Leonora comes to the prison and, hearing him singing, she sings the beautiful Miserere, now becoming one of the most popular pieces of music ever written. Leonora goes to the Count and lends for Manrico's life. The Count finally promises to yield her lover his freedom provided she will marry the Count. This Leonora agrees to do, but just before they are married she takes a slow poison, and when Manrico finds she is to marry the count he charges her with faithlessness. He sees, how-

ever, that she is falling and is dying and he realizes only too late that she has given her life for his freedom. The Count then takes Manrico prisoner again and orders him executed. Just as the execution takes place Azucena, at the window, exclaims to the Count, "He was thy brother," and her vengeance is complete.

## Doctors Meet To Discuss the Ills of Man

AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION OPENS ANNUAL CONVENTION AT FAIR.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 21.—Under the leadership of Dr. W. C. Gamgas, surgeon general of the U. S. army, and Dr. W. J. Mayo of Rochester, Minn., the American Medical Association, the largest organization of its kind in the world, today opened its annual convention at the Panama Pacific exposition. On the third day of the convention the organization will split into the fifteen sections for the consideration of various diseases. The American Academy of Medicine will begin its convention June 25, the principal speakers being Chancellor David Starr Jordan of Stanford University and Dr. Rupert Blue, surgeon-general of the U. S. public health service. Approximately two



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dozen medical associations are scheduled to meet or have met at the exposition this year.

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(By Nels Darling, the Town Doctor.)

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of the tiller of the soil. Keep the young folks on the farms and in the small towns.

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If you are not a good neighbor, you are not a good Christian, no matter whether you were dipped, ducked, sprayed or sprinkled. Service to your fellow men is service to God.

3 Steamers Sunk.

LONDON, June 19.—A Hartlepool steamer was torpedoed and sunk off the east coast and one member of the crew drowned. The steamers Ailsa and Dulje were torpedoed by a German submarine in the North sea.

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## Gibbon Folks are Home After Weston Visit

MRS. JOHN HAGER AND CHILDREN RETURN FROM VACATION—OTHER NEWS.

(Special Correspondence.)

GIBBON, Ore., June 21.—Mrs. John Hager and children who have been spending the past two weeks in Weston, have returned to their home here.

Charles Wilkes and family of Helix were visiting at the George Brace home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham of Weston, are camping at the springs for a two week's outing.

Dallas Thompson of Walls, Walla is spending a few days at the John Thompson home.

Fred Price and Charles May were visiting at the John Hager home here Sunday from Weston.

Miss Alice Foster from near Weston, spent Sunday here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brace.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edwards who have been camping here for two weeks, have returned to their home in Pendleton.

C. Norn and his daughter, Mrs. Robert Crabtree, were in Athens Saturday.

George Mulkey and Al Sigman of Athena were up on a few days' fishing trip.

Henry Thompson attended the Pioneers picnic at Weston Saturday.

Eddie, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Riddler, had to be taken to Athens for medical treatment. The little fellow is suffering from throat trouble.

Mrs. Fred Collins of Helix who has been at the springs for the past two weeks went out to Athens to visit her mother for a few days.

## WILLIAM E. FLOYD, Magician

FOR fifteen years the Floyds have mystified the American public with their marvelous art, and their refined entertainments have been demanded on the Lyceum platform, where they have attained greater fame than they heretofore possessed. Their acts are strictly high class, and for originality, dexterity and cleverness they cannot be surpassed. They are without an equal before the American public today, and they have arranged a program for this season consisting of tricks and illusions that surpass anything heretofore achieved in the field of modern magic. The mind reading by Mohala is unique and unlike similar attainments by others who possess second sight. Her exhibition not only affords amusement, but is an interesting exhibition of a scientific marvel.