

## A RECIPE FOR HAPPINESS.

Miss Alma Tadema Here to Tell Americans How to Attain It.

Miss Laurence Alma-Tadema, daughter of Sir Lawrence Alma-Tadema, the celebrated artist, arrived yesterday on the Atlantic Transport liner Mesaba. Miss Alma-Tadema is well known to literary London. She has written children's stories, a novel or two, and several plays. While she is not an avowed Socialist, she has the most pronounced leanings in that direction.

She will lecture at the Colony Club on Dec. 3, and her itinerary takes in most of the large cities of the East and Middle West. She will not only give readings from her own works, but will lecture on "The Meaning of Happiness."

Inquisitive reporters wanted to know the exact meaning of happiness.

"It takes one hour and twenty minutes for me to answer that question," Miss Alma-Tadema replied, with a smile. "I worked four hours a day for five months getting up a satisfactory answer."

"But how is happiness attained?" ventured an unhappy-looking interviewer.

"By working hard, controlling one's self, and developing one's powers and faculties to the limit," she replied. "The rich, the poor, the married, and the single may attain happiness if they seek it."

## JAMES KILLORAN ACQUITTED.

Jury After Five Hours' Deliberation Finds He Did Not Murder His Wife.

After being out for over five hours a jury in Justice Kellogg's part of the Criminal Branch, Supreme Court, acquitted yesterday James Killoran, a foreman of the McAdoo tunnel works, of the charge of murdering his wife last June.

The trial lasted over a week, and the evidence was purely circumstantial. It related to the finding of the body of Mrs. Killoran, who had been beaten to death, and of a quarrel with a man, supposed to have been her husband, on the day of the murder.

Killoran was overjoyed at the verdict and shook hands with each of the jurymen. While they were debating their verdict Killoran sat in the courtroom, surrounded by a number of friends, and playing with his little child. Comment was heard as to the loose way in which he was guarded. His custodian, a Deputy Sheriff, sat on the opposite side of the table, and part of the time had his back to his prisoner.

## 3,500 MORE STOCKHOLDERS.

Heavy Purchases by Small Investors Since the Slump in Stocks Began.

The count of Baltimore & Ohio stockholders, taken in connection with the annual meeting of the shareholders which was held yesterday, shows that since a year ago the number has increased by 3,500. The heavy buying of stocks of all classes of standard securities by small investors since the lower prices were reached accounts for the increase.

When the books closed on Nov. 2 there were 6,627 holders of common stock and 8,640 holders of preferred. Since the road's transfer books were reopened a week ago there has been a substantial addition to the number of shareholders.

At yesterday's meeting all the retiring Directors were re-elected.