

## THEY CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Smith of Kingston Guests of Honor

### PICNIC IN THE TOWNSHIP PARK

Venerable Couple Receive Congratulations of Over Three Hundred Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Smith of Kingston celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at the Kingston Township Park last Saturday, there being about 300 guests present to congratulate the venerable couple and enjoy the festivities.

#### They Were Married

In New Castle, Dixon county, Nebraska, on the 25th of June, 1871, a ceremony took place which united in the holy bonds of matrimony Mr. Fred P. Smith and Miss Sarah Gangwer. Since that time, a half century ago, these estimable people have lived happily together, there having been but one cloud to darken the pathway of contentment. Years ago they lost their only child, a son four years of age.

It is not merely a matter of form to state that Mr. and Mrs. Smith have lived happily, for honesty, uprightness, practical Christianity and affability are characteristics which can lead to nothing but peaceful life. These traits of character make friends and keep them, they command the respect of neighbors and the community. Mrs. Smith still retains the modest sweetness of her youth and one can easily understand why Mr. Smith chose her as his bride. If Sarah Gangwer chose Fred Smith fifty years ago because of his pure Americanism, good nature and wholeheartedness, she has discovered during the past half century that she made no mistake.

Fred Smith was born in Genoa, Ill., in 1851 and Miss Sarah Gangwer was born in West Virginia in 1853. Shortly after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Smith moved to Sycamore where they resided eighteen years. They then moved to Chicago where they resided ten years, coming to Kingston twenty-one years ago. In this village they have always been active in social and church affairs. Both have and are today holding positions of trust as municipal officers. Mr. Smith is at present village and town clerk, clerk of the Modern Woodmen and a member of the board of education.

It was during the war that this couple proved their real worth. None took greater interest in war work and none gave more of their time to Red Cross activities. Mr. Smith being chairman of the Kingston branch, an office which he held with credit to himself and the community.

#### The Picnic

The people of the community demonstrated their esteem at the picnic last Saturday. Over three hundred friends were present and when we say "friends" we do not mean mere acquaintances. Everyone brought well filled baskets and the dinner served cafeteria style was something to dream about. It was simply a physical impossibility to sample all the dishes, and as a consequence many (the writer among others) have been lamenting.

After the dinner the bride and the groom were presented with a purse of money amounting to about \$135.00 most of which was in gold.

Mr. Smith expressed his thanks for the words of congratulation and for the purse, while his blushing bride gave his words her O. K. The thanks were unnecessary for Mr. and Mrs. Smith have earned all that the community can give them in the way of honor.

Among those present from a distance were: Mrs. R. A. Smith and son, Mrs. C. Schuyler, C. A. Hoag and wife and Alexander Stevens, and Mrs. Maggie Ashcraft, all of DeKalb; A. L. Smith and wife, J. C. Joslyn, Mrs. Dora Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Petrie, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stark, Mrs. Ella Clark, Mrs. Jennie Simons, L. C. Shaffer and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fulkerson, Mrs. Amanda Moyers, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O'Brien, and others from Sycamore. C. D. Schoonmaker and wife and Mr. and Mrs. William Watson of Genoa, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cohoon of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis of Kirkland, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Mason of Esmond.

Letters and cards of congratula-

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Garry Whitright, June 23, a son.  
Mrs. J. E. Stott went to Kirkville, Mo., to attend the graduating exercises at the school of Osteopathy. Her son and daughter, Rolland and Grace will graduate.

Seneca H. Willis, formerly of New Lebanon, committed suicide at Sycamore by drinking carbolic acid.

One hundred fourteen Genoa people attended the Woodman picnic at Freeport last week. The Genoa band was in the parade.

Billy Sunday will begin his series of meetings on Sunday evening, June 30.

"Will Genoa have electric lights" is the question that many are asking. The top Chicago market: wheat 66 7/8, corn 43 1/4, oats 28 3/4, rye 48c, barley 53c, steers \$6.30, hogs \$6.25, sheep \$4.30, eggs 10c, dressed turkeys 5c, dressed chickens 8c, timothy \$4.10, clover \$9.50, butter 19c.

The leading Boer generals have held a council of war and decided to continue hostilities a time longer.

The highest priced horse on the market today is the coach horse, for which there is a great demand. He will bring from \$150 to \$600. (That was before the days of Henry Ford.)

The first shirt waist man appeared on the streets of New York last week and his make-up was pronounced "real cute."

### GEO. BROWN ON COMMITTEE

To Determine Two Price Plan for Dairymen

Thomas R. Keene, of Hobart, Ind., was elected secretary of the Milk Producers' Co-operative Marketing company to succeed D. L. Putnam of Wauconda, who tendered his resignation at last Tuesday's meeting of the board of directors in Chicago.

Mr. Keene will resume his new duties at once. Mr. Putnam resigned because of his acceptance of a position with the Palatin, Lake Zurich and Wauconda railroad. He has been identified with the work of the marketing company since it was organized.

The resignation of W. E. Meier from the board of directors was also accepted but no action was taken as to selecting his successor.

The board of directors appointed a special committee of three to work on the zoning system and the two-price plan, and report at the next meeting of the board which is subject to call of the president. The board must report to the producers by next September.

The following men were appointed to the committee: George Brown of Sycamore, W. H. Deneen of Union and W. H. Kimmelschue, of Manteno, Ill.

### BARBER IS OUT

Marengo Lawyer Serves One Year of Sentence

J. E. ("Gene") Barber, former Marengo attorney, has been released from the state penitentiary at Joliet. Barber, sentenced from McHenry county, had served one year of an indeterminate term when he won his plea before the board of pardons.

Under the terms of his pardon, Barber must "go straight" for a year. He is also prohibited from returning to McHenry county, according to State's Attorney V. S. Lumley.

The former attorney was paroled for one year to Charles H. Potter of Elgin, a second cousin. He is now making his home at Elgin.

### ASSESSOR FINISHES WORK

J. W. Sowers, assessor for Genoa township, has finished his work for 1921 and turned in his books at the county seat. Mr. Sowers found more than 300 automobiles in the town, about 150 dogs, but mighty few diamonds.

### DIED AT COUNTY FARM

Mrs. Anna M. Relyea a resident of Sycamore for the past fifty years died on Monday at the age of 89 years at the Infirmary at Sycamore where she has been residing for some time.

Funeral services were received from Mrs. Mary LaBonte, Solon Spring, Wis.; Mrs. Minnie Mather, South Bend, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. S. Daniels, Alhambra, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Smith, Sycamore; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kieske, Elgin, Ill.; and Mrs. George Doubleday, Bradshaw, Neb.

## KIRKLAND FANS WIN THE GAME

Uproarious Rooting too Much for Genoa's Tired Pitcher

### WIN GAME IN TENTH INNING

Genoa had Game Won up to the Ninth and Then the Balloon Went Up

It was a good game if we did loose, but it was heartbreaking to loose after having the game safely tucked away in our vest pocket. The Genoa Nationals came home from Kirkland Sunday afternoon with the small end of the 9 to 8 score to their credit.

Both teams drew goose eggs in the first inning, but in the second the Nationals seemed to find that wide in shoot which Ledoux was handing out and swatted the horse hide all over the lot, gathering in five scores. Kirkland came right back in the third with a little stick work and scored twice. They repeated in the fourth and that ended the score getting until the ninth when Genoa annexed another point.

During the four scoreless innings the ball was hit freely, but both in and out fielders were doing some good work. In the ninth inning the Kirkland rooters got real busy and found the goat which rightfully belongs to Johnson, the Genoa pitcher. It was quite evident that he had done his best with nothing more to deliver, at the end of the eighth and was in no condition to stand the goat grabbing uproar.

The result was that Kirkland put two more men over the home plate. This tied the score and in the tenth the Nationals, with the assistance of several score faithful rooters from Genoa, forced two runs over the plate. This made the score 8 to 6 in favor of Genoa when Kirkland came to bat. It was right at this time that the Kirkland fans did their durndest and Johnson did his worst. In less time than it takes to write it Kirkland had added three scores and the game was over.

Despite the seven errors charged to each team and the twenty-nine hits, it was an intensely interesting game, but—great cow! it should have been ours.

The score:

Genoa	Kirkland
Eckman, 2b.....	6 2 2 2 3 1
Mahoney, ss.....	5 1 2 4 3 0
Williamson, c.....	6 0 2 6 1 0
Cusick, 1b.....	5 0 1 9 0 1
Geithman, cf.....	5 1 2 0 1 1
Johnson, p.....	5 1 2 0 0 1
Sell, 3b.....	5 1 0 3 4 4
Overly, lf.....	5 0 2 3 0 0
Furr, rf.....	4 1 0 2 0 0
Total.....	46 8 13 29 11 7
Kirkland	
Wendland ss.....	5 3 2 2 2 2
Moon, cf.....	5 1 2 2 0 0
McKee, lf.....	6 0 2 2 1 0
Lyons, 1b.....	6 0 2 6 0 1
Anderson, c.....	5 0 0 9 1 2
Southard, 3b.....	4 1 2 0 2 1
Brown, rf.....	5 1 1 1 0 0
Sully, 2b.....	4 0 1 4 3 1
Johnson, 2b.....	1 1 1 0 0 0
Ledoux, p.....	5 2 3 0 4 0
Total.....	46 9 13 30 17 7

Johnson pitched for Sully in 1 1/2 hours out when winning run scored. Two base hits—Eckman (2), Southard (2), Ledoux (2), Mahoney, Williamson and Doon.

Struck out—by Johnson 4, Ledoux 9.

Bases on balls—off Johnson 3, Ledoux 1.

Stolen bases—Moon, Southard and Brown.

Double plays—Ledoux to Sully to Lyons, Wendland to Sully to Lyons.

Umpire—Hait.

Time of game—2 hours.

Genoa 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 7  
Kirkland 0 0 2 2 0 0 0 0 2 3

Hampshire Next Sunday

Next Sunday the Hampshire team comes to Genoa for a beating. Our neighbors will bring a regiment of rooters and it is up to the loyal National fans to be on hand to hold up their end of the argument. The management has engaged Ledoux, who pitched against them last Sunday, to stand on the mound, while Williamson will catch.

PRICE A LITTLE HIGH

The Woman's Club at Pana recently offered ten cents a hundred for flies swatted within the city. The small boys collected \$252.05 within ten days when the treasury was depleted and the contest called off.

LAKE COUNTY AFTER 'EM

Lake county is to have three motorcycle cops to regulate the automobile traffic on the country roads. This decision was reached at a meeting of the county board of supervisors last week.

### CONTINUATION SOCIAL

Epworth League Plans Interesting Program for July 8

There is a good time coming all over town next Friday night, July 8, for everyone in town that believes in a good time, young and old. The Epworth League will sponsor a continuation social. Trucks and autos will leave the M. E. church at 7:00 o'clock for different stations, both in town and in the country. At each place one course on the menu will be served, so that at the end of the journey a regular supper will have been served. At the first stop there will be a good program consisting of music, both vocal, piano and violin; at the second stop there will be an acrobatic double quartet to entertain; at the third stop, stunts and entertainment of a humorous nature; at the fourth and last stop, games will be the diversion. The places where these various stops will be made, will be kept a mystery. Buy your ticket early so the committees in charge will know how many to plan for; and it is all for forty cents—a mysterious fifteen mile ride, a good supper, a good musical program, stunts, games and a good time that you can not afford to miss.

Pearl Russell, Recreational Dept. Epworth League.

#### A TEST CASE

County Superintendent Hubbard Has Nut to Crack

Something entirely new in the way of litigation was heard last week before County Superintendent Warren Hubbard at Sycamore.

Under the provisions of the law a child in one high school district may attend school in another high school district when the latter is more convenient, and the board of education of the home district shall pay the tuition in the other district, provided the tuition is no more than the actual cost of the service.

In this case Frank S. Larson, father of Gladys Larson, who lives in the Paw Paw district, petitioned Warren Hubbard, county superintendent of schools, to permit his daughter, Gladys, to attend the school in the Shabbona high school district, which was more convenient to the home of petitioner.

Petitioner Frank S. Larson and his father, John H. Larson, appeared as witnesses on the one hand, and F. H. Hampton, H. H. Bullis and W. E. Dole, of the Paw Paw board of education, appeared for the board of education of Paw Paw township. T. M. Cliffe appeared at attorney for the petitioner and W. J. Fulton appeared for the board. After the evidence was heard for both sides and the arguments of counsel, the county superintendent continued his case thirty days in which time both attorneys are to file briefs substantiating their positions.

#### YOU NEVER CAN TELL

But Not All Tramps Carry Sock Full of "Jack"

Sam Porter, a Civil war vet, and who has worked on numerous farms thruout McHenry county, was found asleep in a dry goods box in an alley at Rockford one day last week. The policeman who "picked" him up took him to the city jail with the idea that he recommended that the aged man be sent to the county poor farm.

A bundle found with him was thrown into a corner of the jail and while officers were discussing as what to do with their prisoner the old gentleman kept inquiring about his bundle. It was opened and inside was found a small tin box which contained money and securities totaling \$125.

Included in the little "safety" were two fifty dollar bills and a government pension check for \$150.

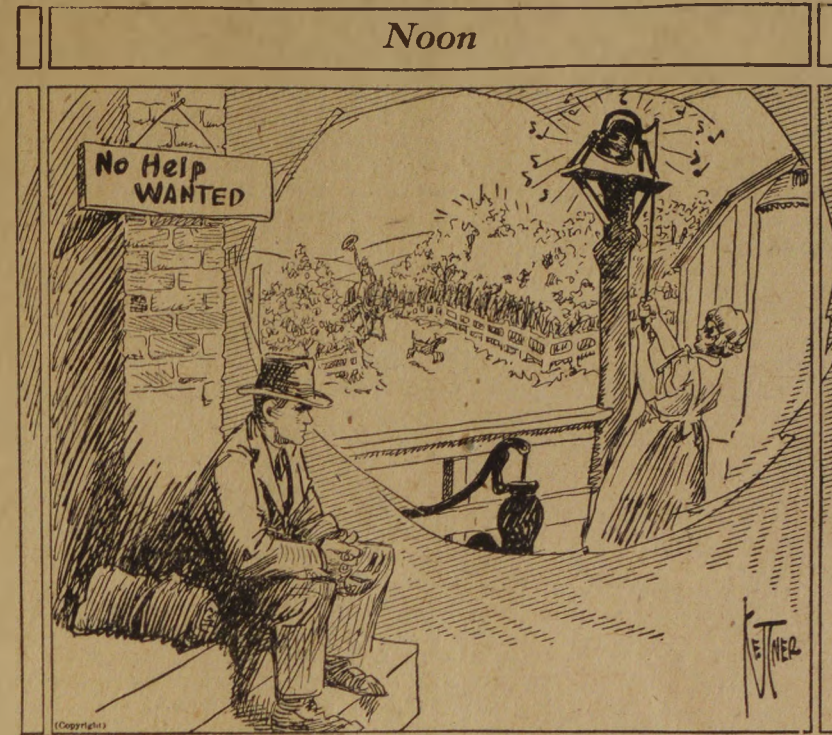
#### CAUGHT IN DEKALB

On Tuesday morning four prisoners dressed in soldiers uniforms escaped from the custody of a U. S. deputy marshal while on board a train at Geneva. The Marshall organized a posse and gave immediate pursuit. Sheriff Decker was advised to be on the lookout for them but late in the afternoon all four were captured in DeKalb and held for the deputy marshal.

#### MRS. JOHN MCKEE

Mrs. Ida McKee of Kirkland, who was taken to the Sycamore hospital in a serious condition suffering from gall stones, and was the subject of an operation last Thursday, died Tuesday morning.

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#### WHY HE HELD OFF

Genoa Highway Commissioner Expected State Aid

By appending his signature to the Meents bill at Springfield Thursday, Governor Small practically put the patrol system of road maintenance into effect and released large sums of money derived from taxes on motor vehicles for use in keeping up the highways of the state.

The state board will apply the patrol system first to the state bond issue roads and the state aid roads, in the order named. This justifies the expectation that probably the present season's work may be commenced in DeKalb county on our bond issue roads, and they will be cared for under the excellent plan in force in Wisconsin.

The intention of the new law is to take over the 46 bond issue roads now in the state, which covers 4,800 miles.

The bond issue roads in DeKalb county are as follows:

Route No. 23—North and south roads through this county, the exact route yet to be designated by the Department of Highways, but known as the Harvard-Streator road.

Route No. 18—Running through southwest corner of this county and through Somonauk and Sandwich townships. This road has been located and is known as the Chicago to Princeton road.

Lincoln Highway—Already built.

All State Aid roads, until such time as they are taken over excepting such portion of the State Aid system in each county for the repair, etc., of which the state is responsible, shall be under the direct control and supervision of the County Board of the County in which said roads are located, and the county board shall improve, maintain, repair by patrol system or otherwise said roads from the County funds as provided herein.

Under the patrol system one man will be charged with maintenance of eight to ten miles of highway and will be required to drag his allotment, grade it, remove weeds and do every thing needed which his resources permit to keep it in good repair.

#### Genoa's East Road

Many people have been wondering why Highway Commissioner J. W. Brown of Genoa has not given the road leading east from Genoa more attention. The above statement will probably explain. The east road is a state aid road and the commissioner has been waiting action of the state department regarding its maintenance. He has dragged the road and kept it in as good condition as possible without spending any great amount of money. All of the main roads in Genoa township are in excellent condition. If the state takes over the maintenance of the east highway, the local commissioner will have just that much more funds for improving the others.

#### BEFORE JUDGE MCEWEN

G. E. Stott and Earl Brown attorneys of Genoa were in the County Court on Monday, before Judge McEwen, who is taking the place of Judge Pond, while the latter is on his vacation.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our most heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly helped us in our recent bereavement for the beautiful floral offerings given. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lewis.

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#### ROAD PATROL SATISFACTORY

People in Earlville Pleased with Results thus Far

Earlville Leader: Road patrol is having a practical test in Earl township and so far as may be judged at this time, is proving to be a very efficient way of caring for the highways.

Jesse Wright has been at work for three weeks or more and we have heard many words of praise for him. He has devoted his energies to the road running east from town to the old Carter corner and then north past the Ed Carter place and east on what is known as the north Leland road. He has also worked on the Wm. Pratt road northeast to the DeKalb county line and north on the Paw Paw road to the county line.

A carload of cinders was procured from Aurora and these have been used to fill in the low places in the highway. The road drag has been used to good advantage, and another implement has been made to gather up the stones that work to the surface of the road. This is called a "stone picker." It is made of two 2x10 planks about ten feet in length put together to form a letter A. A chain hitch is fastened to the wide end of it and it is drawn over the road. The stones are gathered into the small end of the "picker," and when a good bunch has been gathered up, the end is lifted and the team started and the stones left in a pile where it is easy to shovel them into a wagon or dispose of them otherwise. It does its work quickly and beats the old-back breaking method of picking them up by hand. County Advisor Brooks was so impressed with the utility of the device that he took a picture of it at the Ed Carter place and will have a cut made to show others how to build one.

We went out Monday evening on the north Leland road to the Olson school house and found that Mr. Wright had been out that far during the day and the road showed the result of the work. This once was a rough piece of highway, but it is now as level and nice as can be wished. It has been crowned and dragged and is in first class shape. Of course, it will get muddy in a wet time, but it will shed a lot more water than it used to shed and will dry sooner.

The same may be said of the Pratt road and the road leading toward Paw Paw directly north of Earlville.

The places that have been filled with cinders are very noticeable and will soon pack down hard and make a good road bed.

The Leader has for years advocated the patrol system and we are glad that a practical test is being made.

#### TO HIGHER COURT

Miss Jessie Carlson, of Sycamore, who recently won \$5,000 from Chas. Anderson, of Rockford in a \$15,000 breach of promise suit there, will not collect the heart balm without another legal battle.

Anderson's attorney applied for a new trial, but Judge R. K. Welsh of Rockford overruled this motion and a notice of appeal to the appellate court was filed.

#### FINISHES TAX SALE

Walter M. Hay, county treasurer, finished Wednesday morning the tax sale at the court sale and the total proceeds derived from such sales were \$2,414.87, with the special tax added making a total of \$2,603.67.

Mr. Hay also stated that the total taxes collected during the few months was \$1,362,281, which is considered a first class collection.

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## "AMERICA THE MAKER OF MEN"

Lecture by Chaplain Patrick of the Joliet Penitentiary

### SUNDAY EVENING AT THE PARK

Man Who Saw Service in World War and a Great Orator

Chaplain Patrick of the Joliet Penitentiary will give his celebrated chautauqua lecture, "America, the Maker of Men," at the water works park in this city on Sunday evening, July 3, at 7:30. Chaplain Patrick comes to Genoa thru the efforts of Rev. J. E. Robeson, pastor of the M. E. Church. Rev. Robeson first thought to make this lecture take the place of the regular evening services at the church, but later decided to hold the meeting in the park as there is nothing sectarian in the lecture, it being a purely patriotic American discourse, good for all Americans, regardless of creed. Everyone is invited to attend the meeting in the beautiful park. Seats will be provided for the older people. Others will find comfortable seats on the clean lawn. Should the weather prohibit the out-of-doors meeting, the lecture will be given in the M. E. church.

Dr. Patrick has been for twelve years chaplain of Joliet penitentiary. With our entrance into the world war Dr. Patrick entered officers' training camp, graduated and was commissioned first lieutenant-chaplain. He served with the first division in France and Germany. Chaplain Patrick is a very able speaker and the lecture which he will deliver Sunday evening is said to be one of the best of the kind on the American platform. We are very fortunate in securing such a distinguished speaker and hope the people of Genoa will greet him Sunday evening with a crowded "park."

There is parking place for many cars in the street along the north line of the park, but all drivers are requested to keep cars off the park lawn. It really would be advisable to leave cars up town so that the noise of starting and stopping motors will not disturb the meeting.

On the chautauqua platform Chaplain draws a big fee for delivering this lecture, but whenever possible he comes to a town under auspices of a church for his expenses only. A silver collection will be taken Sunday evening to defray these expenses and will be purely a free will offering, so if you do not feel like donating, your are welcome just the same.

#### BEFORE COMMISSION

Petition to Close the Station at New Lebanon

On Wednesday, Chairman Smith of the Public Utilities Commission heard the petition of the DeKalb County Telephone company for authority to abandon its exchange at the village of Esmond. On the same day Commissioner Lindlay, vice chairman of the board heard the telephone company's request for authority to extend its service out of Colvin Park to serve rural customers.

On Thursday, vice chairman Lindlay will consider the petition of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for authority to discontinue its station at New Lebanon.

C. J. Bevan is representing the citizens of Genoa and T. B. Gray, citizens of New Lebanon, who are opposing the movement to close the station.

#### MRS. WILL RUBACK DEAD

Mrs. Will Ruback died suddenly at her home in Cortland Monday night of apoplexy. Funeral services will be held on Thursday and interment in Genoa cemetery. Mrs. Ruback leaves her husband and two sons, the older, fourteen years of age, being by a former husband. She was about forty years of age. George Miner is a brother and was living with the Rubacks at the time of his sister's death.

#### FAVORITISM

A Jewish soldier was taken to a hospital. The diagnosis showed him to be suffering from a bad case of influenza.

"Send for the priest," Isador moaned.

"The priest?" queried the doctor. "You mean the rabbi? don't you?"

"No!" yelled Isador. "Do you think I should want to give the flu to the rabbi?"

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## THIS MAN DREADED TO SEE NIGHT COME

Was So Restless He Couldn't Sleep and Daylight Was Always Welcome.

"With the exception of a little milk toast, which comprised my diet for more than eight weeks, I could not eat anything," said Capt. Geo. W. Womble, residing at 105 Jennings St., Knoxville, Tenn., a highly respected citizen of that city.

"I am now able," continued Captain Womble, "after taking two bottles of Tanlac, to eat practically anything. I had a bad form of stomach and intestinal trouble for a long time and for months my condition had been such that I suffered agony. I got so I could not eat the simplest food. I tried doctor after doctor and all kinds of medicine, but nothing that was prescribed for me seemed to do me any good. I had a terrible pain in my breast just over my heart and for weeks and weeks I got no relief.

"I finally got so nervous that I actually dreaded to see night come, as I could not sleep, and was always so restless that I would rejoice to see daylight come. I was also constipated all of the time. In fact, life seemed a burden and I was so miserable that I was almost on the verge of despair. Several of my neighbors told me about Tanlac and advised me to try it.

"I am personally acquainted with Mr. Dan M. Chambliss, of the firm of Kuhlman & Chambliss and when I told him of my condition and how I suffered he advised me to begin taking Tanlac without delay and that it had relieved hundreds of the best people in Knoxville. I have now taken two bottles of Tanlac and am giving you this testimonial in the hope that it may induce others to take it. Since taking this medicine I actually feel like I had been made all over again with the youth, energy and ambition of a sixteen-year-old boy."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.—Advertisement.

### World Loves Sweet Smells.

War discourages the international sale of perfumes, cosmetics and all toilet preparations, but such articles come quickly back to their own in foreign trade. This appears in the fact that in 1920 exports of these articles from this country were valued at \$8,739,593, which is over five times the value in the pre-war year of 1914. Our largest buyer was England; our next, Cuba; third, Australia; and fourth Brazil.

## ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



Take Aspirin only as told in each package of genuine Bayer Tablets of Aspirin. Then you will be following the directions and dosage worked out by physicians during 21 years, and proved safe by millions. Take no chances with substitutes. If you see the Bayer Cross on tablets, you can take them without fear for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

### Too Much Welfaring.

People for countless generations have survived and thrived without aid of legislation for their welfare. The world is being welfared too much. Much of the object is to create jobs for welfarers.—Portland Oregonian.

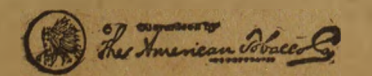
The less advice a man hands out the more listeners he will have.

It is easy to find fault with the good things possessed by others.



## Cigarette

No cigarette has the same delicious flavor as Lucky Strike. Because Lucky Strike is the toasted cigarette.



## WORLD'S EVENTS IN SHORT FORM

BEST OF THE NEWS BOILED DOWN TO LIMIT.

### ARRANGED FOR BUSY PEOPLE

Notes Covering Most Important Happenings of the World Compiled in Briefest and Most Succinct Form for Quick Consumption.

### Washington

The government at Washington to date has made a total disbursement of \$226,486,891 in meeting compensation claims of former service men disabled by reason of wounds, injuries or disease incurred.

The census statistician at Washington announces that on 1920 figures there are 2,090,132 more males than females in the country, which seems to remove the traditional excuse for spinsterhood.

Production of petroleum in the United States during May was the greatest ever recorded in any one month, the total being 41,320,000 barrels, according to the geological survey at Washington.

Production of soft coal fell off sharply during the third week of June, according to the weekly report of the geological survey at Washington.

Secretary of Commerce Hoover at Washington opposed the Norris bill authorizing the formation of a government \$100,000,000 corporation for financing and marketing exports of farm products.

Rear Admiral William S. Sims was publicly reprimanded by Secretary of the Navy Denby at Washington for his "jackass" speech in London.

A total of \$414,067,440 is carried by the naval appropriation bill under final figures completed by senate and house conferees at Washington. This is an increase of \$18,065,000 over the house bill.

Senator McCumber, after a conference with the President at Washington, told the senate that if the soldiers' bonus bill is passed, it will have to go through congress without administration aid.

Charles Beecher Warren of Detroit was nominated by President Harding at Washington for United States ambassador to Japan. Mr. Warren practices international law.

Washington hears that a contract calling for the construction of a 10,000 ton fuel ship for the Japanese navy has been awarded the New York Shipbuilding corporation.

Senator Penrose at Washington introduced the administration bill seeking additional authority for the secretary of the treasury in connection with the negotiations for the refunding of allied loans.

The German government has announced at Washington its intention of releasing the remainder of sequestered American property seized during the war, according to advices to the State department.

The federal government is conducting the world's largest university, with a total of 85,504 students—all former service men and women, according to an announcement by the vocational board at Washington.

Associate Justice Marion Devries of the Court of Customs Appeals at Washington was nominated by President Harding to be presiding judge of the court.

President Harding's first nomination of a woman to be collector of customs was sent to the senate at Washington, when he named Jennie P. Musser to be collector for district No. 48 at Salt Lake City.

### Domestic

More than \$4,000,000 have been collected for the relief of suffering in Ireland, according to announcement by the committee at Cincinnati. It is stated that \$819,257 has been dispatched to Ireland.

Miss Lucy D. Gillett of Westfield, sister of Speaker Gillett of the national house of representatives, was discharged in district court at Chicopee, Mass., after a brief hearing on a charge of manslaughter.

Four masked automobile bandits held up Frederick Myers, messenger for the Mutual Trust company at Philadelphia, and seized a bag containing \$10,000.

Governor Groesbeck at Lansing, Mich., issued the call for a special session of the legislature to reenact the soldier's bonus bill next Thursday.

Refined sugar broke into new low ground, when several large refiners cut refined granulated to 5.40 cents a pound at New York.

What is normally the beginning of the quietest period of the year finds business more repressed than usual, with no prospects of an early breaking of the existing dullness, says Dun's review at Chicago.

A personal pledge of \$100,000 from John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has been made to the International Young Men's Christian association college, Dr. L. I. Doggett, president, announced at Springfield, Mass.

Five men dashed into Lobell's Fur shop, Sheridan road and Leland avenue at Chicago, when the boulevard was crowded with motors, and held up Charles Lobell, the proprietor, taking furs valued at \$10,000.

After a stormy debate, the American Federation of Labor convention at Denver, Colo., disposed of the Irish question by adopting a resolution, stripped of its most drastic boycott provision, expressing sympathy for the Irish cause.

The convention of the American Federation of Labor at Denver, Colo., voted down a proposal calling for an amendment to the Constitution of the United States taking the power of declaring war from congress.

P. H. Green, twenty-five, an aviator instructor, was killed, and Edward Tiblick, twenty-four, a student, was badly injured at Portland, Ore., when an airplane fell with them from a height of 75 feet.

The Manhattan opera house at New York, built by the late Oscar Hammerstein, was sold at public auction to Stella H. R. Keating and Rose H. Tostevin, daughters of the impresario, for \$145,000.

Capt. Howard Douglas and Lieut. Maril J. Plumb, both of the army air service, were drowned in Hampton Roads, following a collision between their machines.

Dr. P. F. Trowbridge, head of the Agricultural college at Fargo, announced that wheat rust has been discovered in North Dakota in two instances.

Charles Nicholson and Al White, lumberjacks, who obtained \$184 when they held up ten men and women in a summer resort near Antigo, Wis., were sentenced to 15-year terms in the state penitentiary.

The 1920 population of Missouri, 1,723,319 males and 1,680,736 females, consists of white, 3,225,044; negroes, 178,241; Indians, 171; Chinese, 412; Japanese, 135; all others, 52, according to the census takers.

### Sporting

The navy won the big race at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., by five lengths.

Harry Ertle was officially appointed by the New Jersey boxing commission at Trenton to referee the Dempsey-Carpentier championship bout July 2.

America regained possession of the international polo trophy at London, defeating Great Britain in the second match, 10 to 6, and winning the series, two matches to none.

### Foreign

Reports from Oppeln say the Poles have accepted the allied plan for pacification, and will begin their withdrawal.

A Sydney, Australia, dispatch says the coasting steamer Fitzroy has foundered off Cape Hawkey. There are only three survivors known of 30 persons aboard.

Refusing by a vote of 35 to 4 to affiliate with the Third Internationale of Moscow, the Socialist party of the United States voted in its annual convention at Detroit, Mich., against international relations.

Canadian railway employees affected by the proposed 12 per cent wage cut will withhold action at Winnipeg until after the meeting of the railway brotherhoods in Chicago July 1.

A Constantinople dispatch says the Greeks are shortening the island front. As a result of the withdrawal of the Eleventh Greek division, the nationalists have captured Adabazar and Sabunja.

Herr Schober, police president of Vienna, has been requested to form a new ministry by the Christian Socialist party, which voted unanimously in favor of extending the invitation to him.

The theft of jewelry valued at \$50,000 from a woman passenger, described as Mrs. O. A. Mann of New York, is reported to Cherbourg by wireless as having taken place on board the Cunard steamer Aquitania.

Britain made its first official peace overtures to Eamon de Valera, Sinn Fein chieftain, in a letter written by Mr. Lloyd George inviting him to meet the government and the Ulster premier in London with a view to a settlement in Ireland.

A troop train, conveying soldiers from Belfast to Dublin, was wrecked at Dabervoyne, near Dundalk, by the explosion of a Sinn Fein land mine. Three soldiers and one guard were killed.

# The Mystery of the Silver Dagger

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### THE PLOTTERS.

Synopsis.—In a New York jewelry store Philip Severn, United States consular agent, notices a small box which attracts him. He purchases it. Later he discovers in a secret compartment a writing giving a clue to a revolutionary movement in this country, ostensibly seeking to overthrow the Chilean government but evidently international in character. The writing mentions a rendezvous, and Severn decides to investigate. Finding the place mentioned in the writing apparently deserted, Severn visits a saloon in the vicinity. A woman in the place is met by a man, seemingly by appointment, and Severn, his suspicions aroused, follows them.

### CHAPTER II.—Continued.

The street was deserted and rain-swept, the few lights showing mere pinpoints in the darkness. I plunged straight across the street, as though headed for the nearest car line, and then, in the shade of darkness, retraced my steps, passing the corner, until I attained the side entrance. Here, assured that I was safely beyond observation, I paused to gain some conception of my surroundings. Across from where I stood appeared the dim outlines of a long, ramshackle building, apparently a shed of some kind, while beyond the saloon was a row of one-story dwelling houses, seemingly exactly alike, and exhibiting no evidence of being occupied.

In which direction had the couple turned after their exit through the side door of the saloon—to right, or left?

Jans had unconsciously pointed in this direction when he told of where the girl lived, and although that was doubtless a lie intended to deceive, it was no more than natural for him to have thoughtlessly designated the proper point of the compass.

I advanced cautiously, finding the narrow sidewalk one of boards, in very bad condition. It was only when I attained the end of this row of houses, and came to the entrance of a narrow, dark alley, that I found the slightest proof that I was, by good fortune, upon the right trail. It was above this opening that the incandescent bulb flickered dimly, yet, in spite of wind and rain, gave me glimpse of the mud underfoot. The two must have been the only ones passing that way since the drizzle began, for their footprints were yet visible in the soft mud of the crossing as they advanced beyond the safety of the board walk. By bending low, and keeping my own shadow out of the way, I was able to trace their progress for two or three yards quite easily, and then, to my surprise, the footprints turned abruptly to the left, and disappeared entirely.

To all appearances the two had proceeded down the alley. Black, uninviting, as that gloomy passage appeared, they must have turned into it and groped their way forward. Where? For what purpose? I could think of but one object—the Alva iron factory, the mysterious meeting place at 876 Gans street. Beyond all question this alley would skirt along the back of that building, and there would be an entrance at the rear.

Dare I go on alone, unarmed as I was, knowing nothing of what I might encounter? I hesitated, my heart beating like a trip-hammer, yet, after all the danger seemed more of the imagination than reality. Besides, I was still young, and venturesome; the situation appealed to me, and—well, the memory of that girl's face remained strangely insistent. Odd as it may seem, her predicament yielded me a reckless desire to have an immediate hand in the game.

I found two imprints of her narrow shoe in the mud after the turn had been made, then all trace vanished. I crept forward, enveloped in gloom, keeping as closely as possible to the high board fence at the left. The way was rough underfoot, and my progress consequently slow, being anxious to make as little noise as possible. The passage was so black, I lost all knowledge as to how far I had gone, and was only aroused to my position by finally coming up against a pile of lumber which completely blocked the further end of the alley. I recalled dimly that the passage swerved here, running along the side of the Alva factory, until it reached Gans street. Then the place I sought was to my left, behind the protection of this high fence, along which I had been so cautiously feeling my way.

The silence was profound, stupefying, uncanny. Against the lighter lead of the upper sky I was barely able to trace the upper story of the building, but it was all black, a gloomy, deserted hole. Any faith I might have had that the two I had attempted to follow had come there vanished as I strained my eyes for some gleam of light, or any other sign to denote their presence within. I still believed they had turned down the alley, but this was not their goal; beyond doubt they had entered some gate along the way, and thus escaped me entirely.

I hardly knew what impelled me to grope my way back along the fence, blindly feeling for a gate. Curiosity,

no doubt, and a lingering desire to make certain of what was inside the barrier. The entrance was easily found, a mere wooden door, held by an iron clasp, which opened instantly to my touch. I stepped inside, closing it quietly behind me, and stared uneasily about through the enshrouding blackness.

My eyes, grown accustomed to the gloom, made out dim outlines, encouraging further exploration. Discovering ample space, and what felt to my feet like a walk, I turned the corner in search. At that moment the gate latch clicked sharply, and I sank down into the black ground shadow, every nerve tingling with alarm. The gate opened almost noiselessly, yet my strained ears could detect its stealthy movement, and hear the crunch of a heavy footstep on the cinder path within. The fellow evidently knew his way even in that darkness, for there was no hesitancy in his movements, no uncertainty. He faded away along the rear wall, and I became aware that he had turned about the further corner. That would naturally mean there was a door there. I had evidently been searching the wrong side.

Assured the man had vanished, and that he sought entrance to the building through some passage well known to him, I crept forth along the end wall, crouched low in the shadow, using every precaution against discovery. All that was venturesome in me held high carnival and nothing of danger now could have held me back. I reached the corner around which the fellow had disappeared, but, in the intense blackness, could perceive no movement beyond, no sign of any presence. I listened eagerly, scarcely venturing to breathe, and in another moment was rewarded by hearing the gentle rap of knuckles on wood a few feet away; there could be no doubt of the number—two raps, a pause, three raps; the very signal mentioned in the letter. I waited, still breathless, uncertain what had occurred, yet convinced the man ahead had been given entrance.

Unable longer to withstand the strain I took a step forward into the darkness. At that instant the latch of the gate clicked behind me.

### CHAPTER III.

Within the Factory Walls. I stood as though paralyzed, with one foot uplifted, a hand pressed against the wall, unable to move.



I Could Perceive Something of the Fellow Now.

There was nothing I could do to avert discovery, no place in which I could crouch in hiding. The newcomer moved swiftly, knowing his way through the darkness, and I had scarcely opportunity to even glance backward when he rounded the corner and bumped into me.

"What the h—ll!" he exclaimed, startled at the encounter. "Why, d—n it, Charlett, what are you slouching here for? You're Charlett, ain't you?" "Yes," I muttered, the assent actually frightened out of me; then added lamely, "I couldn't remember the signal."

The fellow laughed softly, releasing his grip on my coat.

"If you attended more meetings you'd be better perfect," he said, his English without an accent. "Where have you been the last month—out of town?"

"In Washington," I ventured, praying the swift answer might suffice.

"Oh, I see," more heartily. "So you were the one Alva sent? Did the woman come back with you?"

The woman! Who could he mean but the same girl who had been waiting in the saloon? I had ventured already too far to draw back; I must take yet another chance, an answer.

"Not with me; that would be too risky. She is here, though."

"Good enough. That means money. Let's go in."

He pushed past, and I followed, to-

tally unable to determine in my own mind what to do. The fellow in the darkness evidently mistook me for some one of the gang. His confidence in my identity as Charlett might win me entrance—but what then? That I was not Charlett would certainly be revealed by the first gleam of light, and I would be helpless. I was alone, unarmed, and these fellows, beyond question, were engaged in a desperate game. I am sure I should never have ventured it had not my companion suddenly turned and grasped my sleeve.

"You saw Mendez, of course?"

"Sure."

"And he vouched for her; he says she is all right?"

"He chose her; that ought to be enough."

"H—ll, I suppose so, but even Mendez has made mistakes. Here's the door."

He rapped lightly, his fingers still gripping my sleeve in a grasp of friendship. I could have broken away, and run for it, but something mysterious held me, some odd fascination of danger. I saw nothing, heard nothing, yet had an instinctive feeling that a narrow wicket had opened in the door, through which our dim outlines were being scrutinized. I held my breath expectantly.

"Who is there?" the voice was a mere whisper, so close as to startle me. "Gaspar Wine" was the answer, in the same low tone, "163."

"What word?"

"Cervantes."

"But there are two of you."

"Oh, this is one of us. It's all right, Juan; I'll vouch for him."

The fellow inside grumbled something in indistinguishable Spanish, but opened the door silently, just far enough for us to slip through one at a time. I felt Wine press past me, and was aware that the guard closed and barred the door, but could see nothing; not even my own hand before my eyes.

A latch clicked softly, and a dim ray of light broke in upon us from a revealed passage beyond. It was so faint as to scarcely render features visible, and, as my coat collar was still upturned, I pressed forward close behind Wine without discovery. I could perceive something of the fellow now, a rather squat figure, concealed by a long, apeless raincoat, wearing a closely trimmed beard, and horn spectacles. His features were clearly foreign, yet failed to bespeak the fighting type. I placed him as a theorist, a professor, perhaps, in some small college.

But my thoughts were not so occupied with my guide as with the problem of how I was to escape from him. I dare not go on into the presence of others, where discovery that I was not Charlett would be immediate. At any cost I must avoid such exposure—but how? The place in which we were gave me little inspiration. It was a low passage-way, inclosed by rough board walls, instantly driving home upon me the impression that it had been constructed for the very purpose for which it was now being utilized—a secret entrance to prevent any gleam of light from being seen without. This precaution, coupled with the tightly boarded passage, left the whole building apparently deserted and desolate, to any chance watcher without. This was evidently no common, vulgar band of schemers, but men with a definite purpose in view, which they were engaged in carrying out with true secret efficiency. They were plotting revolution. Only a strange chance had given me the clue, and only a reckless persistence had opened a way before me. Now my life was no longer my own; it belonged to my country. I must live to expose these men. But how?

My heart faltered as I stared about at the bare walls, and forward to where a heavy curtain draped the end of the passage. This widened as we advanced, so as to form what evidently had been designed as a cloakroom. Wine stopped and removed his coat, appropriating an unoccupied nail, and I followed his example, rejoicing to observe that he still remained so confident of my identity as to not once glance around in my direction. The fellow seemed obsessed with some special desire, for he swept his eyes over the swinging garments, and exclaimed: "Not half of them here yet. I want a word with Alva before the show opens, Charlett, so you better go right on in. See you later."

### Fifty-Fifty on a Million

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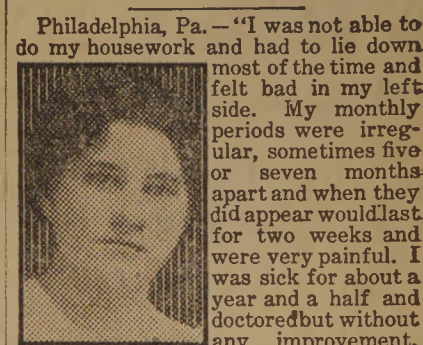
### "Fit for the Gods."

Fragrant woods have always been held in highest esteem among primitive people and were considered especially pleasing to the gods, says the American Forestry Magazine. Accordingly, they have figured prominently in their religious ceremonies and burial rites. Sandalwood is of the first rank.

The man whose only thought is for himself has little use for brains.

## AN OPEN LETTER TO WOMEN

Mrs. Little Tells How She Suffered and How Finally Cured



Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was not able to do my housework and had to lie down most of the time and felt bad in my left side. My monthly periods were irregular, sometimes five or seven months apart and when they did appear wouldlast for two weeks and were very painful. I was sick for about a year and a half and doctored but without any improvement.

A neighbor recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me, and the second day after I started taking it I began to feel better and I kept on taking it for seven months. Now I keep house and perform all my household duties. You can use these facts as you please and I will recommend Vegetable Compound to everyone who suffers as I did."—Mrs. J. S. LITTLE, 3455 Livingston St., Philadelphia, Pa.

How much harder the daily tasks of a woman become when she suffers from such distressing symptoms and weakness as did Mrs. Little. No woman should allow herself to get into such a condition because such troubles may be speedily overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for more than forty years has been restoring American women to health.

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"She ought to be happy." "Why?" "Her husband seems as fond of her as he is of his golf."

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## CLOSE TO HORRIBLE DEATH

Youth Will Long Remember How Near He Was to Being Trampled Under Hoofs of Cattle.

A yarn which may be branded as "pretty fair" comes out of the West, remarks the Philadelphia Ledger.

A young man named Barker had taken his bicycle to make a journey of several hundred miles to inspect some land. In the course of his trip he crossed a large prairie field, broken near the middle by a high transverse ridge.

When he had climbed the ridge and mounted his wheel to proceed he noticed what the rise of ground had obscured—that the field was filled with Texas cattle grazing in little bunches of ten to fifty. Just as he started one of the "long horns" caught sight of him and the bunch followed its leader to investigate. The young man naturally quickened his pace and the cattle took after him.

The trail was straight and level, leading to a big gate. The boy bent over his wheel and pedaled for his life. He could hear the bellowing of

the cattle and the pounding of their hoofs behind him, but he looked neither to right nor left. What should he do when he reached the gate?

No matter. All his mind was fixed upon the necessity of keeping ahead. He neared the gate and it was open. He dashed through like a flash of lightning, lost his pedals, struck a rock and was pitched off and lay senseless on the ground.

It had happened that the man who owned the range was visiting it at that moment. He had seen the boy race for life and had opened the gate to let him pass through. Then, with two or three attendants, he rode in and headed off the herd.

## GOOD IDEA ALWAYS WELCOME

Incident Proves That Invention That Has Merit Will Secure Appreciation at Any Time.

"A good thing will always succeed," Charles M. Schwab was talking in Loretto about the remarkable popularity of a new steel.

"Let me tell you," he went on, "a story about a steel. Just a hundred

years ago a number of men were digging a line of railway between Birmingham and Manchester. The shovels they were using had square-cornered blades about fifteen inches long.

"The digging was hard and slow, and one of the workmen suggested to the boss that if he would grind off the corners of the shovels they would cut into the earth more easily and the day's output would be bigger.

"The boss ridiculed the idea, but the workman later on persuaded an ironmonger in Sheffield to make him a couple of dozen round-cornered shovels as an experiment. These shovels were submitted to the scoffing boss for trial. The boss reported at the end of a week that his diggers were all turning up 10 or 15 minutes ahead of time in the morning so as to get hold of one of the new round shovels.

"The boss, the ironmonger and the workman-inventor patented the new shovel between them and proceeded to manufacture it in a small way. In a few years they were all millionaires."

It pays to read the "Want Ads" in The Genoa Republican.

## THIS BIRD REAL POLLYANNA

No Imaginable Adverse Circumstance Can Keep "Cucuboro" From His Fit of Laughter.

The real Pollyanna of the feathered tribes has just arrived at the bird house in Central park, for if any one can bear up under the name of Cucuboro and still keep cheerful, it shows one of those persistently gay natures that nothing can mitigate. Of course, Cucuboro has won a better deal from the public at large than he did from the ornithologists who saddled him with his gloomy scientific appellation, for the people of Australia, where he comes from, recognize his propensity to "Keep Smiling" by calling him the "Laughing Jackass."

And, equally, of course, he has earned this soubriquet, for he is reported to thrive on vast quantities of water—no matter what other beverages are available—and to have a habit of laughing before he gets up, an hour or so before sunrise. Now, any one who can laugh an hour before dawn on just plain water—even Pollyanna and her followers never did anything so blatantly cheerful as that.

This kingfisher bird, for that is his family, is sometimes hailed as the settlers' clock, because of his regularity in bursting out into a spasm of wild, ribald laughter, that surpasses any alarm clock in rousing the inhabitants of the Australian bush, while it is more than probable that a relapse into this fiendish merriment that takes him about sunset serves for the dwellers in the hinterland as a dinner bell, cathedral chimes, and factory whistle, all in one. They show their gratitude by making a pet of him and protecting him in his merry chorus—New York Post.

## SPAIN GAVE WALES DAFFODIL

First Flowers Said to Have Been Received in Exchange for a Consignment of Coal.

According to an old legend, the first batch of daffodils ever seen in Wales reached there in return for a consignment of coal. The daffodil is indigenous to the Bilbao district, some of whose seafaring inhabitants were about two thousand years ago conveyed by the flow of the Gulf stream to Pembroke-shire. There they saw the inhabitants digging what is now known as anthracite, and making fires with it. They also noted that the Welsh were sun worshippers. Taking some of the anthracite back with them, the Spaniards realized its immense superiority over charcoal for the purpose of smelting iron ore, for which the country round Bilbao was celebrated even in those days, so an expedition was organized to procure further supplies from Wales.

As barter for the "black stones" the Spaniards took a consignment of daffodil bulbs, because they thought that people who worshipped the sun would be impressed by the beauty of this flower as it unfolded itself and displayed its form and color, and that in its corona and radiating petals they would see reflected the glory of the sun. Thus used as barter and carefully cultivated by the ancient inhabitants of Wales, the daffodil eventually became the floral emblem of the country.

## Pity the Telephone Girl.

One hundred telephone calls a minute, as is usual after any sporting event, were coming in over the wires at the News office after the Kentucky Derby. The majority of the calls were inquiries as to the results of the race, which was won by Behave Yourself in 2:04 1-5.

One enthusiastic baseball fan asked the telephone operator who won the game between the Indians and the Colonels.

"Behave Yourself," was the answer, and a cracked receiver at the other end of the line was the reply.

A little later some one asked how the race was at the quarter.

Another became indignant when the girl replied: "Behave Yourself," thinking she was "kidding" him.—Indianapolis News.

## Colonial Styles Endure.

In many parts of this country there has been a decided tendency among manufacturers of furniture to comb European mansions, palaces and museums for possible inspiration in the domestic arts, apparently oblivious to the fact that we have in America what generally is considered one of the most graceful, simple and beautiful types of decorative art—that of the colonial period. That this style is authentic and of intrinsic value, artistic and useful, has been abundantly proved.

That manufacturers have been wise in modifying extreme period designs to meet modern conditions in this country seems pretty well established.

## Woman Juror Caused Trouble.

The question as to whether women will make successful "jurymen" has been raised in England by the recent collapse of a woman juror in a Manchester court. The woman became ill and almost swooned during the hearing of a charge of malicious wounding. She finally collapsed, had to leave the court and a substitute had to be found. Of course, the trial had to begin all over again.

## Bread of Idleness.

Wife (gladly)—Thank goodness, John, the five-cent loaf has come back again.

Husband (sadly)—Yes, and so has the five-dollar loaf—the boss laid a lot of us off today.—Boston Transcript.

## Road Construction in China.

The central government of China is evincing considerable interest in road building, and the ministry of the interior, which has charge of highway projects in conjunction with provincial officials, is said to have prepared a bill concerning highway development for presentation to the new parliament, which is expected to meet in Peking at an early date. Considerable road construction is being conducted in connection with the famine relief work whereby the recipients of relief are enabled to render compensation for the food furnished them and thus contribute to the permanent betterment of China's transportation facilities, which will tend to minimize such catastrophes in the future.—Scientific American.

## Splendid Aerial Record.

Edu Chaves, Brazilian aviator, recently flew from Rio Janeiro, Brazil, to Buenos Aires, Argentina, in less than five days. Flying a Curtiss Oriole with K-6 motor, the pilot covered 1,735 miles on his route in 20 hours and 20 minutes. Several previous aerial efforts to link the two capitals had failed.

## Heard on a Car.

"Does your husband give you all the money you want to spend?" "My goodness, no! Why, even I would not think of being that extravagant."—Boston Transcript.

Read the Want Ads.

## Women Disregard Suffrage.

Suffrage still seems a long way off for women of the South American countries, but the subject is at least regarded with indulgence in Argentina. An informal election for city officials was conducted by the women of Buenos Aires with the permission of the government. Following the history of the movement in all countries the interest of the women themselves is hard to arouse in the Argentine, but four thousand voting at this election, although the city has at least three hundred thousand women. The pioneer woman suffragist of the Argentine, Senora Lopez-Nelson, and the group of women of which she is the head, have succeeded in securing widespread discussion of the subject and now are concentrating their efforts toward arousing the interest of women in a bill to amend the constitution providing for universal suffrage, which will be presented at the next national congress.

## Fruit From South Africa.

Fruits from South Africa are the latest novelty in the New York city food markets. Not only do the African fruits appeal to the palate of those who long for peaches, plums and melons of summer time, but they are a delight to the eye. Strange crosses of peaches and plums and apples have resulted in colors of deep red splashed with yellow in odd shapes that are unfamiliar to most of us. The fruits

are all carefully selected and packed in excelsior. They come under refrigeration, mostly by way of England, the trip taking a minimum of four weeks.—Scientific American.

## The Perils of Westchester.

Wild deer are frequently seen around here, causing a certain amount of uneasiness to timid mothers as to the safety of their children. 'Taint necessary to worry, ladies, as the animals are absolutely harmless. A wild deer driving an auto on the public highway is much more to be dreaded.—North Castle Sun.

## Wealth From Alaska.

The mining industry in Alaska, which began in 1880, when the gold placers at Juneau were first exploited, has produced more than \$418,000,000 worth of gold, silver, copper, tin, tungsten, antimony, coal, petroleum, marble, gypsum, chromites, platinum and palladium.

## Mongolian Pony Hardy Animal.

For endurance, cleverness and originality the Mongol pony is said to have few rivals. In the depth of winter his owner neither feeds nor provides him shelter. An extra growth of hair and thickness of hoof—for he is never shod—protect him from the bitter cold. For food he learns to scrape away the snow with his forefeet and find the sparse remains of the summer grass underneath.

## COOL DRINKS on HOT DASY

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## Illinois Central System Makes an Appeal to Shippers and Consignees

The amount paid out by the railroads on account of loss and damage to freight represents an economic waste burdensome alike to the railroads and the public. That this waste is substantial is shown by the following record of loss and damage payments made by Class I roads:

1916	\$ 23,346,965
1917	35,079,757
1918	55,852,797
1919	104,507,174
1920	104,398,930

The Illinois Central System has borne its share of the economic waste on account of loss and damage to freight, as will be seen by examining these figures.

1916	\$ 655,293
1917	1,077,720
1918	1,653,706
1919	2,298,250
1920	2,745,099

The foregoing figures show how the problem of loss and damage to freight has got out of hand. The Illinois Central System, in common with other railroads, is making a determined effort to reduce this drain upon its revenues. In this we need the painstaking co-operation of shippers and consignees. We, therefore, earnestly request that all shippers and receivers of freight co-operate with us to make this movement a success.

During May, 1921, 68 per cent of the amount paid out for loss and damage to freight on the Illinois Central System was on carload shipments. We request carload shippers to insist upon being provided with cars suitable for the particular kind of freight they desire to ship and to see that shipments are properly braced and stowed in cars to prevent damage by shifting.

We request shippers of less-than-carload freight to comply with the rules and specifications of the Consolidated Classification Committee appointed by the Interstate Commerce Commission by selecting substantial containers in which to pack their goods for shipment, so that packages may not be crushed and contents damaged when loaded into cars with other freight. We request them to mark their packages plainly as to name of consignee and destination, removing all old marks that may appear on packages, and to furnish legible billing orders, so that billing may indicate clearly the name of consignee and destination. We also request them to deliver their goods at freight depots early in the day to avoid hurried loading and billing.

The president of a large wholesale house on the lines of the Illinois Central System was told by one of our agents that many packages were being sent back to his house on account of improper packing and addressing. He expressed great surprise and immediately called in his shipping clerk to ask him, in the presence of our agent, how many packages were being returned from the Illinois Central System daily. The shipping clerk replied: "I cannot tell you exactly, but a good many." As a result of this interview, the necessary corrective measures were immediately applied.

We request receivers of freight to observe the character of containers used by shippers and the manner in which goods are packed, crated and marked, particularly when goods are not received in good order, and to make those facts known to the shippers, appealing to them to use good containers on the ground that defective goods and delayed transportation service cause them a loss of trade. We also request receivers of freight to notify our representatives promptly of any concealed loss or damage to their shipments, in order that immediate investigation may be made. Some receivers of freight neglect to do this for days, and even weeks, after shipments have been received, rendering it difficult for the proper inspection and investigation to be made. This militates against good service.

Our purpose in presenting this problem to our patrons is to enable us to render a better service, by eliminating delay in the delivery of freight in good condition, and to assist in reducing the cost of transportation. By no means do we claim that all of the trouble is due to lack of care on the part of shippers and consignees. We are doing everything within our power to correct abuses for which we are responsible. We are putting forth our best efforts to render a service of satisfaction. By working closely with shippers and receivers of freight we believe it possible to bring the troublesome question of loss and damage under control to the great advantage of shippers and receivers of freight, as well as to this railroad.

Constructive criticism and suggestions are invited.

C. H. MARKHAM,  
President, Illinois Central System.

# NASH

## Lower Prices on Nash Cars

Effective July 2

Nash prices will be reduced, effective July 2.

This conforms to our statement made last October that Nash prices would be maintained until at least July 1, 1921.

The reasons were plain, Until manufacturing costs were lower we could not cut prices without cutting value, as Nash prices were not inflated.

We pointed out then that while the average rise in the price of motor cars for a four-year period had been 76 per cent the price of Nash cars had been raised but 31 per cent.

This 31 per cent included the addition of cord tires as standard equipment and many other additions and refinements which added materially to the value of Nash cars.

So we re-affirmed our fixed intention of rigidly upholding the high quality of Nash cars.

Since then every effort of the Nash organization has been centered on effecting sound manufacturing economies.

New labor-saving devices were added and production practice so perfected that every process of Nash manufacture is a model of efficiency and economy.

The savings have been substantial. And they demonstrate as nothing else could demonstrate the remarkable Nash ability to produce fine cars at the lowest possible cost.

Even while working production costs downward we were improving Nash cars still further.

Now we can announce for July 2 a greater Nash value than ever at a reduced purchase price.

At the new prices the leadership of Nash cars is even more emphatically apparent.

The Nash Motors Company, Kenosha, Wisconsin

## Here Are the New Nash Prices Effective July 2

## NASH SIX PRICES

5-passenger touring car	\$1549
2-passenger roadster	1525
4-passenger sport model	1695
7-passenger touring car	1699
4-passenger coupe	2395
7-passenger sedan	2695

## NASH FOUR PRICES

5-passenger touring car	\$1199
2-passenger roadster	1175
3-passenger coupe	1735
5-passenger sedan	1935

f. o. b. Milwaukee

All Nash models, both open and closed,

have cord tires as standard equipment.

# B & G Garage

Genoa, Illinois



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Bill Thompson may be slipping as a political factor in the state, but he sure does know how to keep the people of Chicago interested in one Thompson. The Pageant of Progress which will be staged on the municipal pier in July and August is a child of Thompson and it promises to be a healthy child. He has done some really wonderful things for Chicago and what a power he could have been had he used better judgment in building his political fences. There are others in the state who had best watch their step. Get

ting into office to serve the people is one thing and getting into one office as an opportunity to build fences for something bigger is another. In his ambition to rule the world, Napoleon forgot service to his people, and just see what a flop he took.

The Illinois Central is inaugurating a special campaign in educating shippers to more carefully pack merchandise before delivering to railway platforms and cars. At the same time the company will try to teach its own employees to be more careful in handling merchandise. It is time something is done in this respect, for the bills railroad companies pay each year for breakage and damage is unbelievable. The Class I railways of the United States paid out over \$104,000,000 in 1920 for damages. No doubt shippers are greatly at fault, but it is more often some bullet-headed freight handler who is responsible. The Republican has shipments from no greater distance than Chicago which time and again show willful destruction. A package of paper will show the marks of the hook used by freight

handlers, said hook often going thru fifty sheets of paper. The loss is comparatively small, but in many cases we are just that 50 sheets of paper short on some job. The hook is used when there is no earthly occasion for its use. It would be easier to handle a bundle of paper by the ropes with which it is tied. Freight handlers are not alone in this respect—packages shipped by express are subject to the same bone-headed treatment.

### WHY NOT ALL THE TRUTH?

There never was a time in the history of the world when the weekly and country daily papers needed more than now a representative at Washington and the state capital. When the country papers become 100 per cent organized, it will be possible to engage capable representatives or correspondents who will give the people the truth, all the truth and nothing but the truth regarding the transactions of our legislative bodies and executives. No one doubts that the correspondents of the metropolitan press write their dispatches in accordance with the policies laid down in the editorial departments of their respective papers. This is evidenced when one reads of one certain subject in several papers of different political faith. In other words every metropolitan paper has an axe to grind and the correspondents are supposed to assist in turning the grind stone according to dictations from higher up.

Giving the Chicago Tribune and Daily News due credit for being great newspapers with wonderful facilities for gathering and dispensing the news, it is easy to read between the lines on any subject of importance to state or nation and realize that all the truth is not being given the readers. The metropolitan press is one source of information for the country weekly or daily. There is another source, just as unreliable, and that is the literature sent out from the several national and state departments. It is perfectly natural that every department head should desire to give the public the right impression regarding that particular department. The publicity agents give the public just what is good for the departments (not the public.)

During the last state campaign certain papers were discussing and cussing the extravagance of the Lowden administration. At the same time literature from the office of the secretary of state and treasurer's offices, explaining conditions, flooded the mails. Little of this dope was published by country papers, for the editors knew that they were not getting all the truth.

An example of distorted reports has been exemplified in this state since the opening day of the recently adjourned general assembly. One might read the leading Chicago papers and learn that Bill Thompson, Lundin, Governor Small and all his followers were absolute crooks. On the other hand, one might read the Chicago Republican (Thompson's organ, and be quite sure that Governor Small and his followers were and are angelical in their intentions, while the Chicago Tribune and Daily News are black with political crime. Now the weekly press is receiving dope from "somewhere" in Springfield which upholds the governor in all his thoughts and deeds, pointing to the last session of the state legislature with disgust.

Speaking truthfully and without fear or favor, The Genoa Republican is disgusted with the triangle in this state and will pay its share toward putting a real man in the field as a reporter; one who will recognize the good in every executive, in every law maker and every lobbyist. But we want this reporter to tell the truth, all the truth and nothing but the truth regarding every transaction of a public nature in Springfield. If one of our legislators is putting something over on his constituents, let us have the facts, not as that particular legislator wants it, but as the people have a right to know it. Give us the uncolored facts, whether they be sweet or sordid.

### COLORS DISLIKED IN CHINA

Green Considered Unlucky, and White and Blue, as Mourning Symbols, Are to Be Avoided.

Green, which is thought to be unlucky, is much disliked in China and a recent English consular report warns merchants against packing goods in green paper. White and blue wrappings are equally to be avoided, for in China they are the mourning colors. The report points out that English pins packed in blue paper proved to be unsaleable, while much inferior German pins put up in red paper were snapped up at once. Red is the color of good fortune among the Chinese. Brown is liked, if it possesses a reddish shade; so are the brighter tints of pink. Carpets and curtains should possess a yellow ground, which is an extremely popular color in both China and Korea

as well as Japan. Purple, too, is liked, and gold is the imperial color. While yellow is so popular in China, it is by no means wise to use it in Japan. There yellow, or rather saffron, is the color of the robes of the Sadhu caste of Hindus, who are notorious sedition mongers. Dressed in flowing saffron robes, a number of mendicants of the Sadhu caste have been recently moving all over India, preaching sedition. At Dinapur two of these men were caught in a barrack room, preaching mutiny to the native troops, and were promptly arrested. Upon them were found seditious letters written upon silk of the same color as their garments. The Sadhu yellow is supposed to represent the combined color of sun and sky, and in India is as much the color of rebellion as the red flag in Europe.

### GENOA MAN WEDS

Mr. Elvin G. Byers, oldest son of Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Byers of this city and Miss Lorene Fern Zink of Budda, Illinois, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents Saturday, June 18. The groom graduated from the Northern Illinois State Normal School at DeKalb in the spring and has been engaged to teach in Oak Park the coming year. Dr. Byers and family attended the ceremony.

### Merely a Matter of Choice.

"Bobby," said the teacher sternly, "do you know that you have broken the Eighth Commandment by stealing James' apple?" "Well," explained Bobby, "I thought I might just as well break the Eighth as to break the Tenth and only cover it."

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# Wants, For Sale, Etc.

Ads in this column 5c a line per week; minimum charge 25 cents

### For Sale

GOLD STANDARD OF VALUES—Reo speed wagon chassis, \$1385; cord tires, electric starter, regular equipment. T. M. Gorton, 122 So. California street, Sycamore, Ill. 11-1f.

FOR SALE—Second hand Dodge automobile and Ford cars. Inquire at Duval & Awe, Garage, Genoa, Ill.

FOR SALE—Either one of two 8 ft. grain binders. 1 McCormick, new last fall and one Plano Deering, second hand. Both in first class running order. Choice of either. Wm. Hecht, Genoa, 32-1f.

FOR SALE—360 gal. Standard Oil tank in 3 compartments of 120 gal. each. Mounted on heavy iron tank trucks—at a bargain. Wm. Hecht, 22-1f.

FOR SALE—Good used Ford Cars. E. W. Lindgren, Genoa, Ill. 23-1f.

Read the Want Ads.

FOR SALE—6-horse Sandwich hand portable gas engine, nearly new. Inquire of D. A. Gray, Genoa, Ill. Phone 908-14. 24-1f.

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter, same as new, for cash. Luman W. Colton. 35-1f.

### Lands and City Property

FOR SALE—House on Second street, Genoa, with two acres of land. Six rooms, good barn and chicken house. Henry Merritt. 26-1f.

FOR SALE—Modern improved house on East Main street, Genoa. Inquire of Dr. J. D. Corson, executor, Leaf River, Ill. 42-1f.

FOR SALE—Eight residence properties, at anywhere from \$800.00 to \$6,000.00, according to location and improvements. Some of these ought to fit and suit you if you want any. D. S. Brown.

FOR SALE—Several local farms, all sizes and all prices. Also some good city property, both business and residence. F. P. Renn. Genoa.

FOR SALE—An 8 room bungalow with all modern improvements, on Emmett St., Genoa, Ill. Inquire of Roy Stanley. 16-1f.

FOR SALE—The A. A. Crocker home 2 lots 100 x 150 ft. Modern conveniences. Plenty of fruit. Inquire of Mrs. V. C. Wilcox, Genoa. 29-1f.

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and harness cheap. Chas. Aurner Kingston.\*

### Wanted

AGENTS WANTED—Want a job? Sell our guaranteed trees, fruits and plants. Easy work. Highest commission paid weekly; part expenses. Experience unnecessary. Free supplies. THE HAWKS NURSERY CO., Wauwatosa, Wis. 34-1f.

INSURANCE—Call on C. A. Brown, or Lorene Brown, Genoa, Ill., or insurance. Any kind, anywhere.

### LOST AND FOUND

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This is the best time to think of next winter's coal. Get your orders in now—better still, have the coal put in your bins. Then, as the cool days of fall approach, you will have that contented feeling that comes to the forehanded man.

## ZELLER & SON

Boost Genoa by joining the "Genoa Good Roads and Motor Club." We will take your application.



Earl Russell was in Kirkland Tuesday.

W. W. Cooper was a Rockford business caller Tuesday.

Mrs. H. H. Perkins is visiting Madison relatives this week.

E. H. Crandall was home from Roselle over Sunday.

Farm House Coffee, the 25c package at the Midway Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Furr spent the week end at Lake Delevan.

Mass next Sunday morning at 10:30 at St. Catherine's church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Geithman were at Crystal Lake Sunday.

Will Awe underwent a slight nasal operation in Elgin Wednesday.

Harold Spitz of Chicago was a week end guest in the Sager home.

A. D. Hadsall has built a large porch at his residence on Stott St.

Mrs. Frank Crawford is entertaining her father, Mr. Bryan, this week.

Miss Cecil Thomas of Sycamore spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Thomas.

Mrs. W. W. Cooper and Mrs. Lillian Dyer were Belvidere visitors Friday.

Mrs. A. B. Brown is visiting her sister Mrs. Geo. Cajel, at Ingram, Wis.

A large crowd from Genoa attended the carnival at DeKalb Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lee Smith of Kingston was in Genoa Tuesday enroute to Elgin and Chicago.

Mrs. Walter Channing of Elgin was a week end guest of Mrs. Sarah Sheffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Brown entertained the latter's mother of Elgin over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orson Shaw of Elgin were week end guests at the Kline Shipman home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bunn of Rockford visited old friends in Genoa over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoffman of Rockford are spending the week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Thurber drove over from Milwaukee Saturday, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lange are entertaining the latter's brother and wife of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ollman were Sunday guests at the George Ollman home in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Geithman, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lindsey were at Crystal Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Colton are en-

## MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

By Charles Sughrue  
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## Print Shop Talk

WHEN WE HAF TA NOTIFY A SUBSCRIBER TWO ER THREE TIMES THAT HIS TIME IS UP, IT MAKES EXPENSE AND WASTES TIME—WOULDN'T YOU RATHER HAVE US PUT THIS EFFORT ON TH' PAPER?



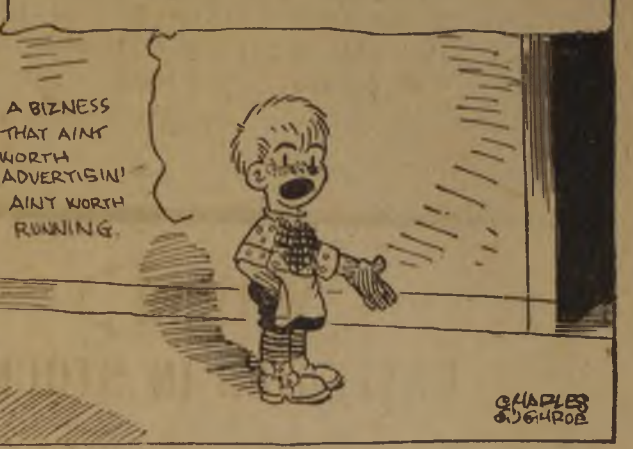
DEATH IS SAD ENOUGH WITHOUT ANYBODY COOKIN' UP ANY AMATEUR POETRY ABOUT TH' DEAR DEPARTED!



WE LIKE TO DO OUR BEST WHEN WE KIN, BUT IT'S ALWAYS TH' "LAST MINNIT" GUY WHO GITS TH' "THROWN TOGETHER" LOOKING AD!



ADVERTISING IS WHAT PUTS BUSINESS MEN IN TH' SWIM AN' AT TH' SAME TIME IT KEEPS THEM OUT OF DEEP WATER!



tertaining Mrs. Lilly Caldwell and daughter of Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eiklor are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Woenke and children of Chicago.

Miss Helen Harrington of DeKalb spent the latter part of the week at the O. D. Shierk home.

Miss Osia Downing of Rockford visited her mother, Mrs. Loyola Downing, over Sunday.

Mrs. McMackin and daughter, Esther, of DeKalb are visiting at the Lawrence Morehart home.

Mrs. Athey of Gary, Indiana, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Reed, at the Virginia Hotel.

Mrs. N. Kuhns of Chicago visited the latter part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Shesler.

Miss Harriet Doty is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rendell, in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Clarke spent the latter part of the week with their son, Hugh, at Morton Grove.

Mrs. Harry Whipple was in Chicago Tuesday in the interests of the I. W. Douglass dry goods department.

At the opera house on Monday evening, July 4, Pearl White in "White Moll." A wonder picture of the film.

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Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Legion may get their emblem pins at Baldwin's Pharmacy for 25c.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stinger, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. S. H. Matteson, returned to Chicago Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cummings, Mrs. Andy Johnson and Mrs. George L. Johnson motored to Rockford Friday.

Miss Lenora Worcester left recently for Omaha, Neb., where she will be instructor in the summer high school.

Miss Rhea Saul went to Lake Delevan Friday where she was a guest at the Adler cottage. The Adlers and Miss Saul returned to Genoa Wednesday.

Fruit is scarce. Get your order in now. Oriole Apricots, 30c in doz. lots; Richelleu Pineapple, sliced, 25c in doz. lots. The Midway Store, Charter Grove.

Kenneth Furr spent the week in Chicago. His former roommate at the University of Illinois, Richard Mansfield, returned home with him for a week's stay.

Rev. J. E. Robeson and family drove to Harvard last Thursday where the former officiated at the wedding of Mr. Earl Simons and Miss Gladys Bombard.

Mrs. Henry Wahl was in Elgin Saturday. Mr. Wahl accompanied by Misses Martha Gallagher and May Mathews (the latter of St. Paul) joined her on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Munger had as their guests over Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Erischle and three children and Mr. Eddy and daughter and mother of Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rephorm and children of Hampshire, Mrs. Mar Stoll and two children of Chicago spent the week end with Mrs. Rephorm's mother, Mrs. E. Stoll.

Mrs. Kling Graham of Parkersburg, W. Va. has been visiting her aunts, Mrs. A. B. Brown and Mrs. John Geithman during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Leich and daughter, Florence, left Wednesday by auto for Rochester, N. Y. Mrs. Leich and Florence will visit thru the summer and Mr. Leich will stay a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Confer, son, Charles, and daughter, Marie, of Beloit spent Sunday with Mrs. Confer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carlson. Miss Marie will spend several days with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Swan and Helen and Dorothy and Marjorie Cooper. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson, Miss Deschner, Miss Maude Sager and Harold Spitz of Chicago were among the Crystal Lake visitors Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Cooper, Mrs. O. M. Leich, Mrs. E. W. Brown and Mrs. W. H. Jackman were guests of Mrs. L. J. Kiernan at the County Club near DeKalb Thursday evening. A delicious luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hasler and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whipple and daughter, Harriet Jane, motored to Crystal Lake Sunday. Enroute home they attended the evening performance at the Rialto in Elgin.

John H. Neville of Walville, Wash., called on Geo. J. Patterson Tuesday. Mr. Patterson and Mr. Neville were associated in the Y. M. C. A. work in France during the world war and this was their first meeting since returning to America.

Rev. C. A. Briggs and family of Freeport drove thru Genoa the last of the week on their way to Elkhart, Ind., to visit Mrs. Briggs' brother, John. Mrs. R. B. Field and son Donald, accompanied the auto party to the Indiana city.

The H. G. L. club, Mrs. O. M. Barcus and Mrs. Chas. Naker were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Will Gnackow, Jr., on last Thursday afternoon. After several games of five hundred a two course luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Munger have received word from their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Geithman, that they will leave California Monday or Tuesday of this week for Genoa. They will motor through with another couple and expect to reach Genoa by the last of July.

The Woman's Foreign and Home Missionary Societies will meet with Mrs. S. H. Matteson on Tuesday afternoon, July 5. Mrs. Matteson will

ly for Omaha, Neb., where she will be instructor in the summer high school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sell entertained the latter's mother, Mrs. Keuhl, and daughter of Burlington over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kohn and daughter, Barbara, and Mrs. Louise Potter spent from Friday until Sunday in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Temperance Haines of Chicago is here to spend the summer vacation with her mother, Mrs. Henrietta Baldwin.

Miss Birdie Drake left Sunday for Madison, Wis., where she will take a six weeks' course at the University in that city.

Edgar Baldwin and Harry Perkins spent the fore part of the week at Pistakee Bay. Oh! Res!, there are a few pickerell left.

Mrs. Will Awe and daughter, Vida, returned home Monday after a several days' visit with the former's parents at Minock, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wager and Mr. and Mrs. Ace Stiles left Friday by auto for Muskogean, Mich., where they will spend two weeks.

Miss May Mathews returned to her home in St. Paul Monday after spending the past week with her aunt, Miss Martha Gallagher.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Burroughs of Sycamore visited with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Burroughs, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. S. Abraham and Mrs. J. L. Brown were hostesses to the Thimble club members at the former's home this Thursday afternoon.

Ell Hall, who has been visiting in Genoa, is now in San Diego, Calif., for a visit of several weeks. He is located at 3761 Granada Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cummings went to Rockford Tuesday where the latter underwent an operation for cancer on the back of the neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Geithman and Dr. and Mrs. Byers returned home Tuesday after a several days' outing and fishing trip at Pistakee Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. John Diver motored out from Chicago Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baker.

Mrs. L. D. Crill, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hildebrand and daughter, Mildred, of Monroe Center, were Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. Robeson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fossler, son, Harold, Miss Olive Ferden and Albert Prain motored to Milwaukee Sunday returning Monday via Racine.

Miss Minnie Johnson entertained Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Olmstead and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Durham at a seven o'clock dinner Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Burroughs, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Burroughs, the latter of Sycamore, motored to Crystal Lake Sunday.

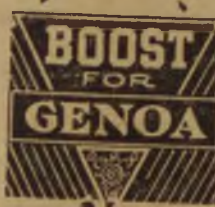
Ruby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Trautman, was operated on at the Sycamore hospital last Friday for appendicitis. She is recovering rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kiernan and grandson, James Dunn, motored to Pistakee Bay Saturday and spent the week end at the Frank Young cottage.

Special next week only—10 bars Fels Naptha, 65c; 10 bars Lenox or Luna soap, 45c; Men's knit union suits \$1.19; 2 pc. underwear, 79c per pair.

All the fire hydrants in the city have been painted a bright red, not only improving the appearance but making them easier to locate at night.

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Genoa, Illinois



## NOTICE OF CLOSING

We, the undersigned, will close at 9 o'clock a. m. on Monday, July 4.  
Genoa Mercantile Co.  
E. J. Tischler  
I. W. Douglas

## CARPENTERS WANT MORE

Elgin carpenters are about to make a demand for a ten per cent increase in wages to become effective July 1. They are now being paid 90c per hour.

## NOT ENOUGH DEAD ONES

Prohibition Cheating Medical Colleges, Says Report

It is claimed that due to prohibition and other causes there appears to be an unusual shortage of dead bodies. The law provides that superintendents of penitentiaries, houses of correction and lidewells, wards of hospitals, insane asylums and poor houses, coroners, sheriffs, jailers, city and county undertakers shall give permission to any medical school or college, after proper notice, to remove the bodies of dead persons for the advancement of medical science. The schools have heretofore depended mostly upon hospitals, penitentiaries and lidewells for their supply but on account of the shortage all over the country they are forced to call upon poor houses and all persons named in the Statute. The number of students in medical colleges is unusually large at present and all of the superintendents have been notified by letter, the necessity of the dead for the furtherance of medical science. The Supt. of the DeKalb Infirmary was also notified.

## MOVE BUREAU OFFICE

Belvidere is to become the permanent headquarters of the Boone County Farm bureau and the home of Farm Advisor J. C. Kline.

By the unanimous vote of the directors of the bureau at a meeting of the executive committee held in the branch office in Belvidere Saturday it was voted to establish headquarters there. The office will probably be located over Marshall Bros.' newly outfitted quarters at 316 South State street.

## SEVERAL BIRDS WITH ONE STONE

A versatile editor threatened to publish the name of a certain man whom he had seen hugging and kissing a girl in the park unless his subscription to the paper was paid up in a week. Twenty-nine men called and paid up the next day and three even paid two years in advance.

## PHILATHEA CLASS

The Philathea class of the M. E. Sunday school entertained their mothers at a picnic supper in Kingston Park on Thursday evening, June 23.

About sixty-five members and guests were present and all reported an enjoyable time.

The next regular meeting of the class will be held the second Tuesday in July.

## COURT HOUSE NOTES

## Real Estate Transfers

Sycamore.—  
Hugh and Mary McQueen wd to Albert E. Hammerschmidt, lot 8 and 10 ft. 7 blk. \$2,800.

Harry Coles wd to Willard Beebe, lot 5 blk 21, \$1,900.

Philip Schilthelm wd to Della S. Holm, pt. lots 1 and 2 blk 2 Waterman & Ellwood's N., \$4,500.

Fred Graham wd to Carl Eklund, lots 14 blk 13, Turner, \$25.00

Kirkland.—  
Christopher Gampert wd to John Aves, lot 15 blk 5 Rowan & Groat's, \$3250.

Genoa.—  
Jos. A. Patterson wd to Adwin Hall lots in Nicholas & Eureka Park, \$1.

## Marriage Licenses Issued

Harold D. Nowers, aged 27, Atkinson, Ill. and Ruth Graham, aged 31, Waterman; Herbert A. Johnson, 28, and Hildred I. Stahl, 24, Sandwich; Peter T. Firkins, 25, Shabbona and Gladys M. Foster, 18, Paw Paw; Raymond H. Grunckel, 22, and Leona Betz, 20 both of Somonauk; Clarence C. Carr, 22, and Nina I. Medebach, 22 both of Somonauk; William C. Pederson, 24, Winter Taven, Fla., and Barbara Blanchard, 26, Sycamore, Arthur S. Swanson 26, Sycamore, and Edith Marie Soderberg, 21, Genoa.

## TAKES VACATION

Mr. S. M. Henderson, Clerk of the County Court left Saturday for his vacation. He will probably be gone for a week.

## PARROT GIVES POLICE CALL

Woman Bird Owned by English Hotel Proprietress—How King's Pet Saved Royal Property.

The proprietress of a hotel in Hertfordshire owns a parrot which she has trained to whistle in exact imitation of a police whistle, London Answers states.

The bird's accomplishment has come in handy on more than one occasion when rowdy customers have started to make a disturbance.

To King George belongs a parrot which on one occasion saved York cottage from being burgled. The royal family were at dinner, when suddenly loud cries were heard coming from an upper room where the bird was kept. "Look out!" it screamed. "Look out! Look out!"

A hurried rush upstairs resulted in the discovery that one of the bedroom windows had been forced open, the burglars having secured access to it by means of a ladder brought from a neighboring out-house. On the alarm being raised by the parrot they promptly bolted.

Parrots, however, are not invariably on the side of the police. Frank Woodstock, the famous "king of the colors," evaded arrest for years owing to one he possessed.

This "mint" was situated at the bottom of a blind alley in the borough, and the bird, whose cage was placed in such a position that it commanded the entrance to the court, had been trained to give instant warning of the approach of strangers.

## MANY BIRDS AVOID IRELAND

Species That Are Common in England Are Not to Be Found in the Emerald Isle.

One of the curious features of wild life in Ireland is the absence of some of the birds best known in England. The nightingale, for instance, is never found in Ireland, while the wood-warbler, the redstart, all the species of woodpecker, the wren, the nut-hatch and several other kinds are so rare that they are unknown to the great majority of the people. There seems to be no very obvious reason for the absence of these birds. It may, perhaps, be found in the lines of migration along which the birds travel, for most of those mentioned above are not resident in Britain all the year. But it is certainly strange that such a bird, for instance, as the common whitethroat, should thrive everywhere in Ireland, while the lesser variety is unknown, and that while the willow warbler is one of the commonest of summer birds its larger relative, the wood warbler, is found in only a few places and in very few numbers. Ireland can only boast of one bird, the hooded crow, which is not a regular visitor in the neighboring island.—Christian Science Monitor.

## Four Colors Are New.

What is a season without a few new colors?

Thus we have them—forward comes some fashion authority and announces in our midst that the four newest and most popular colors of the present moment are rosewood, chow, aztec and humming bird.

With rosewood we're more or less familiar—we've met it in pianos, spinet, desks and so on.

But chow! 'Tis a different story—it might be anything from a pet pup to the food your doughboy existed on in those mad days of memory.

Aztec—ah! There's something to conjure with! The name brings visions of bright shawls, beads and painted feathers in which we might array ourselves and bedeck the Sunday landscape.

As for humming bird—the subtleties of that are left to your imagination.

## Giant French Machine.

From France it is reported that the Etablissement Schneider of Creusot, manufacturers of guns, armor, locomotives and other steel products, are hard at work on a new four-engined military airplane in which the four engines will be arranged in tandem inside a central fuselage. The wing span will be about 100 feet, and the power plant is to consist of four engines of 400 horsepower each. The machine will be designed for bombing work, and will carry several machine guns. The Farman "Goliath" pilot, Lieut. Gonin, has been engaged to test the first machine, while it is possible that Chasle, who has already tested the Bleriot "Mammouth," will test the second machine.—Scientific American.

## Snow Geese.

The only known flock of snow geese in existence, containing more than 5,000, weighing an average of eight pounds each, arrived recently at Cape Tourmente, Quebec, on its annual northern migration from the Southern states. Each year the birds make this a stopping-off place on their way to the Labrador coast, and have been known to do so for more than forty years. The flock has been closely protected, and this year moving pictures were taken of them by the moving picture service of the Dominion parks branch, Ottawa.

## Sea Serpent Proved Hawser.

The first sea serpent tale of the season was brought to New York by the liner Munamar, from Antilla, Cuba. On Sunday Captain Andrew Osborn saw something off the port bow. Passengers lined the rail and the Munamar was headed for the object. When alongside, seamen reached down with boathooks and grabbed it. They drew up a 34-foot length of a ship's hawser with a wooden keg on one end.

## KIDNAP TAXI DRIVER

Thrilling Experience of DeKalb Man Tuesday Night

Bound hand and foot, gagged with heavy gags, and covered with black-ets with a man sitting directly over him with a big revolver pointed at his head, Tom Fagan of the Redmond Taxi service of DeKalb had an experience Tuesday night that he does not care to undergo again says the Chronicle.

Fagan was called to take six passengers to Dixon at 9:55 and drove to the Bell restaurant after them. Starting west, Fagan got to the top of the hill just off the brick pavement when suddenly two revolvers were thrust into his face and he was told to stop the car. He did this and while covered with two guns he was bound hand and foot, gagged, thrown in the bottom of the big Studebaker taxi, covered with blankets and told the first move he made meant death.

Fagan says he can remember the car being turned around out on the hill, and the return trip through town, going by way of Pearl street, passing under the viaduct there. Reaching East Lincoln Highway the car was again stopped and a lot of articles thrown in by the men, one of these being a box weighing nearly 100 pounds thrown upon his foot. He was kept gagged and bound until the car reached Bellwood, where he was tied to a pole, but not relieved of the gag. The taxi driver returned home Wednesday afternoon very much tired out from the experience. He said he walked two miles to the nearest telephone, after he had worked himself loose from the pole and the gags, which took an hour. He was told as the men left he would get the car back.

## Childish Imagination.

"It is difficult to learn to know child nature, since it is continually in the act of becoming different," says V. Rasmussen in his work on child psychology. This remark applies to the development in the first four years of child life. The author is emphatic in his opinion that little children should, as far as possible, be allowed to follow their own way. Don't distract their attention unnecessarily, he says; rather come to their aid when they are particularly attracted to any one thing. Let them develop their imagination in their own kind of play.

It might be natural to think that the child's imagination is most healthily and powerfully developed if it is fed from an early age with tales of wonder and fantastic adventure. But this is a misunderstanding, says Mr. Rasmussen.

## Two Good Reasons.

Hippocrates, who lived about the fifteenth century B. C., in answer to the question why he was always happy, said these words: "Love of my fellows and love of my job."

## CHURCH NOTICE

To members and friends of Friedens church: English preaching next Sunday morning and quarterly meeting immediately after service. Everybody is kindly invited. J. C. Hoffmeister, Pastor.

## A Limitation.

Europe has 50 languages and 587 variations. The comparatively small number of variations in their languages is due to the fact that they have no baseball writers over there.—St. Joseph News-Press.

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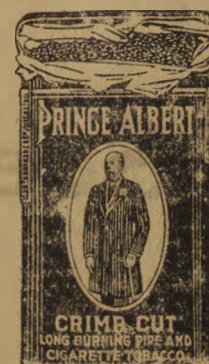
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# "Hang Together or Hang Separately"



SIGNING THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE  
(From Painting by Sarah Ball Dodson)

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN.

WHEN in 1776 the president of the Second Continental Congress put his "John Hancock" to "A Declaration by the Representatives of the United States of America in General Congress Assembled," he wrote it so large and so plain that he then and there gave to the American language a new and enduring synonym.

"There!" said the delegate from Massachusetts, "George III will be able to read that without his spectacles." And as he touched it up and blackened the heavy strokes of the quill he remarked to his fellow delegates:

"But we must be unanimous; there must be no pulling different ways. We must all hang together."

"We must indeed all hang together," replied Benjamin Franklin of Pennsylvania, "or most assuredly we shall all hang separately."

We Americans of 1921 can read a lot between the lines of these two historic utterances, if we do a little digging into before-the-Revolution American history—enough digging to get a clear idea of what brought about the Declaration of Independence. And it is every good American's patriotic duty to do that same digging—and do it now. Of course we're not all tarred with the same brush—but to use more time-honored American similes—it's dollars to doughnuts that the average American doesn't know enough to last him across the street about the causes leading up to the Revolution. And as for the Declaration itself he couldn't save his life tell what half of it means. This is a bad business in itself and it's especially bad right now.

For we are going to have a new kind of Fourth of July celebration in the United States of America. The Fourth has quit being the day of fireworks and casualties. And in the new kind of Fourth of July celebration the Declaration of Independence will come to its own as the crowning touch of public observance. The American Revolution is the greatest stepping-stone in the march of the centuries toward freedom and the Declaration of Independence is its symbol.

Though the Declaration of Independence is to come back to its own, the new Fourth will not be the day when the American Eagle screams and the orator bawls because Uncle Sam handed John Bull a K O a century and a half ago. There are two reasons for this.

One is the World War. John Bull and Uncle Sam now stand shoulder to shoulder in defense of all that our common race holds dear of personal freedom and political ideals.

The other is the fact that the Revolution was not a quarrel between two peoples—the British people and the American people. It was, in its earlier stages at least, a strife between two different political and economic systems. It was no unrelated event, but formed a part of the history of the race on both continents. There was a British revolution at the same time there was an American Revolution. The British revolution was to preserve liberty. On both sides of the Atlantic the king's prerogatives were the aim of revolutionary attack.

Now, as to the many things that may be read between the lines of what Hancock and Franklin said, here's just a hint: Hancock was a rich merchant. It was part of the purpose of the British troops at Lexington and Concord to capture Hancock. At that time Hancock was respondent in the Admiralty court in suits of the crown to recover nearly half a million dollars as penalties alleged to have been incurred for violation of the laws of navigation and trade. Hancock had inherited his fortune from his uncle, Thomas Hancock, who had become wealthy smuggling tea. So it was no more than right that John Hancock should sign his name large and plain to the document which, if made good, would save him from financial ruin and give him free commerce with all the world.

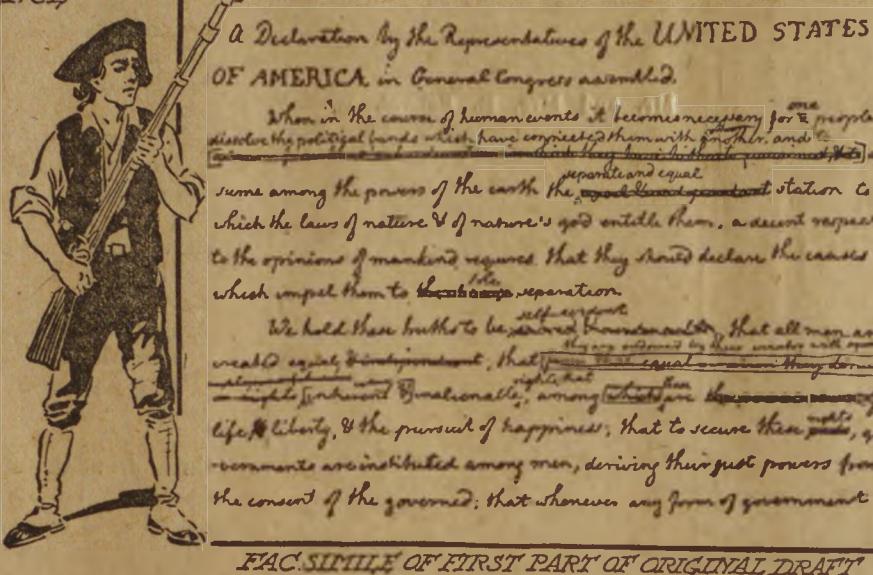
Benjamin Franklin, publisher, printer, philosopher and statesman, seventy-one years of age, the oldest member of congress, was more concerned with the political than with the commercial aspects of the situation. He made a clever jest, but no man there knew better that there was a true word spoken in jest.

So the truth is that on our side of the ocean the fundamental causes leading up to the Revolution were both political and economic—and possibly quite as much economic as political. To arrive at the main features of the situation, the following chronology is helpful:

1760—Accession of George III. Conquest of Canada by British.

1761—Revival of navigation and trade laws of 1660 and 1663. Issues of "Writs of Assistance."

1764—Parliament demands that colonies pay



FAC-SIMILE OF FIRST PART OF ORIGINAL DRAFT

part of debt incurred during French and Indian war. Colonial assemblies refuse. Parliament asserts right to tax colonies. Issue of "taxation without representation" raised.

1765—Parliament passes "Quartering Act," requiring colonies to supply quarters for British army of defense. "Stamp Act," putting tax on newspapers, and legal documents. Stamp Act Congress issues "declaration of rights."

1766—Repeal of "Stamp Act." "Declaratory Act" maintains right to tax.

1767—Townsend, British chancellor of exchequer, brings in bill for taxes on tea, glass, wine, oil, paper, lead, etc.

1768—Non-importation agreement adopted by Boston and spreads to other colonies. Massachusetts legislature dissolved by George III. British soldiers quartered in Boston.

1769—Lord North repeals all taxes except on tea, retained for sake of principle.

1773—"Committees of Correspondence" formed to enable colonies to keep in touch. "Boston Tea Party."

1774—"Boston Port Bill," closing Boston to shipping and removing seat of government to Salem. General Gage, commander of British soldiers in Boston, made governor of Massachusetts.

"Regulating Act," remodeling charter of Massachusetts. "Quartering Act," "Quebec Act," First Continental Congress at Philadelphia. Massachusetts Provincial Congress meets and calls for 12,000 "Minute Men."

1775—Parliament declares Massachusetts to be in a state of rebellion. Armed clash at Lexington and Concord begins hostilities. Capture of Ticonderoga and Crown Point. Battle of Bunker Hill. Siege of Boston. Canadian expedition under Montgomery.

Second Continental Congress at Philadelphia votes to raise army of 20,000 and chooses George Washington commander-in-chief.

1776—Evacuation of Boston by British, accompanied by 1,500 loyalists. Repulse of British fleet and army at Charleston, S. C. Battle of Long Island and occupation of New York by British.

Battle of Trenton. Continental Congress provides for the establishment of state governments and state conventions adopt constitutions. Congress adopts Declaration of Independence.

The most casual glance at this skeleton chronology shows it to be literally loaded to the muzzle with the eighteenth century equivalent of political and economic TNT. The American Revolution was inevitable, sooner or later. The marvel is not that it came, but that out of the conditions grew a nation.

What a chaos it was! The title to the colonies was not in the people of England or in the state, but in the crown. The crown could make and repeal laws; could appoint rulers and remove them. The colonists were not citizens of the realm, but subjects of the crown, having only such rights as granted them in their charters. The crown claimed and exercised the right to amend or revoke these charters. Such rights and no more did the American colonists have, according to the view of the party in England which stood for legal and constitutional prerogatives of the crown. These claims of the crown were resisted by every colony as incompatible with its essential rights and by the anti-prerogative party in England.

Of the thirteen colonies seven were royal colonies, three charter and three proprietary colonies. Each colony was related to the others only through the crown. All the conditions tended rather to intercolonial hate than love. Find the causes that drove the colonies together and there are the causes of the Revolution.

George III was a stickler for the king's prerogatives. One of his first acts in relation to the colonies was to revive the navigation and trade laws which had been only nominally enforced for a century. As a matter of fact all the colonies were technically smugglers, in that their evasion of these laws gave them practically free trade.

These laws were comprehensive and strict, being designed to give British merchants a monopoly of trade with the colonies and to protect British manufacturers against colonial competition. Warships were now placed along the coast to stop the colonial trade with France and Spain and their West Indian colonies. The "Writs of Assistance" were general search warrants given to customs officials to enable them to break into and search any premises at any time. James Otis, the famous Boston lawyer, opposed the right of the British government to issue the writs or even to pass an act of trade imposing a tax on the colonies. John Adams said of Otis' celebrated speech: "It breathed into this nation the breath of life." Undoubtedly this situation was one of the contributing causes of the Revolution.

Then King George demanded that the colonies pay the expense of a British army of about 20,000 men to be quartered in America to protect the colonies against the Indians. The colonies suspected the purpose of this army and would have none of it. Here was the beginning of real trouble a little later.

The "Boston Tea Party" was a serious affair, not in itself, but because parliament immediately took measures to punish Boston and Massachusetts. The closing of the port of Boston, the removal of the seat of government to Salem, the appointment of General Gage as governor of Massachusetts and the remodeling of the charter of Massachusetts constituted a warning to all the colonies that free government was in imminent danger everywhere. On top of this came the act providing that British officers or magistrates charged with murder or other capital crime should be tried in some other colony or in England; the act billeting soldiers on people who failed voluntarily to provide quarters and the act extending the boundaries of Quebec to the Ohio river and establishing an arbitrary form of government.

This culmination of activities on the part of the crown seems to have convinced the colonies that their only salvation lay in getting together for united action. So the First Continental Congress met. This congress was merely deliberative and advisory; it issued a declaration of rights; it formed an association for carrying out the non-importation agreement; it forwarded a petition to the king and set out an address to the colonies; it provided for another congress to meet in 1775. Still there was no open discussion of independence.

It was Massachusetts which finally set off the powder barrel. General Gage summoned the provincial congress to meet in Salem, but put off the date of assembling. The delegates met without him and his counselors. They provided for the appointment of a committee of safety and issued a call for 12,000 "Minute Men." Parliament then declared Massachusetts to be in a state of rebellion. Next was the expedition out of Boston to seize powder and to arrest the two chief "traitors."

Then came the "shots heard 'round the world" and bloodshed. The fight was on. And still there was no open movement for independence until after a year of bloody fighting. It was not until June 7, 1776, in the Second Continental Congress, that Virginia's instructed delegate, Richard Henry Lee, introduced the resolution beginning, "That these united colonies are, and of right ought to be, free and independent states."

The Declaration of Independence, as drafted by Thomas Jefferson with the aid of John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, Roger Sherman and Robert R. Livingston and amended by congress, consists of two principal parts: A statement of American political theories in justification of independence and a list of abuses by King George III that had operated to abrogate the united colonies from all allegiance to the British crown. The facts herein set forth make clear most of the abuses outlined in the Declaration.

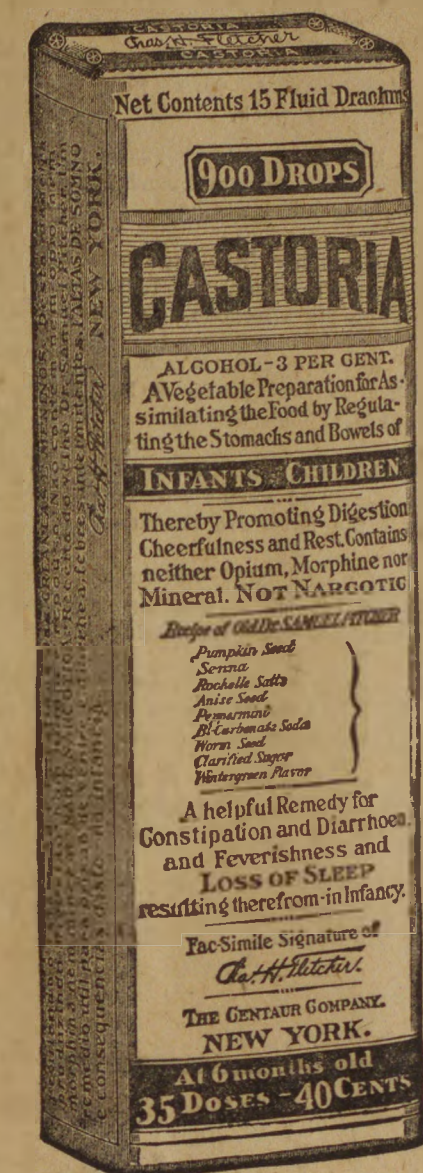
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A little baby. A little child. Don't they appeal to you? Doesn't your heart yearn to pick them up, to cuddle them close to you, to shield them from all harm? sure it does else you're not human. Being human you love them. Their very helplessness makes you reach out in all your strength to aid them. In health there's no flower so beautiful. In illness there's no night so black.

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### In Court.

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# KINGSTON DEPARTMENT

MRS. F. R. BRADFORD, Correspondent and Authorized Agent

Hazel Ludwig is spending a few days in Chicago.

Llewellyn Welch was a Chicago passenger Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dyal of Sycamore were here Sunday.

Miss Wilda Witter of Sycamore was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Benj. Knappenberger spent Thursday in Sycamore.

Edna Berner of Elgin is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stark.

F. P. Fanning of Chicago was a Kingston caller last week.

Mrs. Louisa Ackerman is visiting relatives at Arlington, Iowa.

Rev. James and the Boy Scouts are camping at Camp Epworth.

Dr. and Mrs. Burton and family motored to the Pines, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ort motored to Belvidere Thursday afternoon.

Miss Edith Brooks of Oak Park is visiting at the O. Burgess home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson of Elgin spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Lina Kersey of Fairdale visited her mother, Mrs. Clark Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Breed was a guest of Mrs. E. C. Ives at Kirkland Sunday afternoon.

George Winchester took his third degree in the Masons last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis of Kirkland were calling on friends here Thursday.

Ira Bicksler and Mrs. M. L. Bicksler spent from Saturday until Tuesday in Chicago.

Melvin Eychaner of Sycamore spent several days with relatives here this week.

Mrs. A. A. Baker returned from the Sycamore hospital Sunday. She is getting along nicely.

A number from here attended the booster's picnic in Belvidere last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Garden Prairie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Phelps Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aves are the parents of a baby boy, born Tuesday at the Sycamore Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Burton and family and Dr. F. R. Rohlfing motored to Starved Rock Wednesday.

Mrs. Ashcraft of Belvidere spent a few days this week with her son Frank Bradford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith of Sycamore spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Smith last week.

Mrs. Homer Witter and daughter, Ida, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Hansow.

The Misses Margaret Tazewell, Dona Witter and Eleanor Uplinger motored to Sycamore Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Knappenberger and their children and their families spent Sunday at Crystal Lake.

Mrs. George Helsdon and sons, Raymond and Gilbert, of Belvidere visited relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bradford and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Witter motored to Sycamore Wednesday evening.

Toy Lilly went to Durand Monday to visit his parents. Mrs. Lilly was injured by a fall several days ago.

Miss Sina McClelland who has been visiting relatives in Aurora the past few days returned home Monday evening.

Miss Mildred Enright of Lynden Station, Wis., has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. James Minnegan, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hallot of Belvidere visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Knappenberger, Saturday.

Mesdames Frank Wilson, Frank Bastian, Frank Jackson and Mrs. Susan Stark motored to Belvidere Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodiker and children of Danville are visiting the latter's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Perry White.

Mrs. Ray Helsdon and daughter, Mildred, of Bensonville and Miss Grace Byron are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Helsdon.

Fred Helsdon of Chicago was visiting relatives here Tuesday. Glenn and Harry Bell returned home with him to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Fulkerson and granddaughter, Bay, of Sycamore were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Branch and family Tuesday.

Mrs. Edith Bell and daughter, Nellie, and Mrs. Cook's two children of Elgin were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Helsdon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller and daughters, June and Joy, spent Sunday at the home of the latter's brother, Grant Dibble, at Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Harnis of Sycamore and Mrs. Ida Gage of Yon Hill, Oregon, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John McKee of Kirkland passed away at Nesbitt's Hospital in Sycamore Tuesday morning. She is a niece of J. and Chas. Aurner.

George Winchester resigned as manager of the baseball team and Ralph Ort was elected. Sunday they played Elgin, Elgin winning 6 to 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Koch entertained a number of relatives at a 6 o'clock dinner Thursday evening in honor of their first wedding anniversary.

Last Monday afternoon the Kingston Creamery caught fire, burning a hole in the roof but Mr. Chelgren was there at the time and soon put it out.

Miss Mabel Brooks and Carl Borden were married last Saturday and are spending a few days at the lakes. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Mrs. Amy Anderson and daughter, Lillian, of Chicago came Saturday to her sister's, Mrs. Arthur Phelps. Mrs. Anderson returned Sunday. Lillian remaining for a week's visit.

Mrs. H. P. Hansen, son, Carl, and daughter, Anna, and Miss Cally Lundquist, Mr. Edward Muir and Mr. Eames of Chicago were guests at the M. G. Plucker home Sunday.

John Moore of St. Paul, Minn., left here Monday for Marion, S. D., after a three weeks' visit with relatives here and in Belvidere. He will visit his son, Elliot, and family in Marion before going home.

Word was received here Wednesday morning of the death of Charlie Arbuckle at Alhambra, Cal., where he and his wife had lived the last year. He passed away Tuesday p. m. at four o'clock and will be brought here for burial. He was the father of Marion Arbuckle, Mrs. Walter Rankin and Mrs. Ernest Vosburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Babler and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Arbuckle of Colvin Park, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Welch of Genoa, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson of Elgin, Mrs. Solon Ashcraft of DeKalb, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lanen, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Tower, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bradford and son, Marion, Mrs. Nina Moore, Mrs. Floy Bell and sons, Glenn and Harry, had dinner in the park Sunday.

## New Lebanon

Wm. Gray is the owner of a new Ford.

E. Kiner and family motored to Elgin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Raeburn are visiting at T. B. Gray's.

Dick Gallanor transacted business in Chicago Thursday.

Martha Krueger and Ames Hackman are on the sick list.

Ben Awe and family motored to Burlington Sunday evening.

Wm. Dodson and family attended the funeral of Tom Lewis' son.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Shiesher called at Wm. Drendel's Sunday evening.

Carrie Coon spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Will Engle.

Arthur Hackman and family motored to Sycamore Saturday evening.

Miss Esther Getzelman of Hampshire spent Tuesday at Ruth Galanor's.

Mrs. Chas. Coon and daughter, Carrie, called at Wm. Drendel's Tuesday.

Wm. Drendel and family spent Sunday at the Joe Hartman home in Burlington.

Arthur Hackman and family motored to Marengo Sunday calling on C. Noe and family.

J. Botcher, M. Primm and family, Wm. Drendel and family spent Wednesday evening at H. Keornor's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Schoof, Walter Bauman and Elmer Stoen were Sunday evening callers at S. Bowers'.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gray and son of Freeport, were week end visitors at the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Gray.

Chas. Coon and family and Gust Johnson motored to Rockford Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. S. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Printup and children of Chicago, Lou Hartman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hartman and son, Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Muir spent Sunday at Herman Hartman's.

H. Krueger and family entertained the following guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Japp and daughter, J. Japp and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Japp and son, Arlo, H. Keornor and family, J. Botcher and daughter, Wm. Botcher and family and Mr. and Mrs. August Japp of Hampshire.

City Life Darkens Hair.  
City dwellers are usually darker of hair than country people.

## NO RACES THIS YEAR

Road Construction Prevents Annual Elgin Classic

Because the concrete surface on the south leg of the Elgin race track will not be completed in time there will be no road races this year.

This was the announcement of Fred W. Jencks, for many years manager of the event here.

"We will make plans for the 1922 races in order to have one of the best events in history," said Mr. Jencks.

Jencks. "I do not think the road can be finished in time this year. The cement will probably not be finished until August 1 and it must have thirty days to dry."

With the cement stretch ready for use next year Elgin will probably be one of the fastest road races in history.

## STORES CLOSE THURSDAYS

Marengo stores started last week to close their places of business on Thursday afternoons.

# Coal Facts 1921

No. 5

We are in the coal business. We believe we know conditions.

We cannot predict future prices. We do not think further reductions are likely. Present mine wage agreements don't expire until March 31, 1922.

There isn't much hope of general reduction in freight rates. If the proposed Pennsylvania State Tax on anthracite becomes a law, this will mean an additional 15, 20 or even 25 cents after next July 1st.

Coal is far cheaper today than it will be next winter if you hold off buying. That is absolutely certain.

You received the same advice in 1919--those who took it suffered no hardship of consequence during the big bituminous coal strike.

We are simply appealing to your common sense.

You insure your house against fire, don't you? Not because you expect fire, but as a protection in case a fire occurs. The best insurance you can buy now is fuel insurance--you don't know what's coming next winter.

The Real Estate interests of New York City recently had a survey made, with a resulting recommendation that coal be bought NOW, and stored to the limit of facilities.

The Manufacturers' Record of Baltimore says: "Protect yourself at once for all family and factory coal needs."

We say: "Buy your coal now--take reasonable quantities throughout the spring and summer. In this way, you avoid an excessive demand (like last fall), and a shortage with high prices next winter. Then, if unusual conditions arise in the winter, who can measure the value of the coal already in your cellar?"

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Each tire is specially designed for the service it must deliver. Goodrich Fabrics, in the popular sizes, have established themselves as unusual values from the standpoint of real economy. Silvertown Cords in their class have always held first place in the esteem of motorists, not only because of their symmetrical perfection of finish, but furthermore, by reason of their long life, complete dependability and satisfactory performance.

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SIZE	Anti-Skid Safety Tread	TUBES
30x3½	\$24.50	\$2.55
32x3½	32.90	2.90
32x4	41.85	3.55
33x4	43.10	3.70
32x4½	47.30	4.50
33x4½	48.40	4.65
34x4½	49.65	4.75
33x5	58.90	5.55
35x5	61.90	5.80

### FABRIC TIRES

Smooth	30x3	\$12.00	Safety	32x3½	\$20.25
Safety	30x3	13.45	Safety	32x4	26.90
Safety	30x3½	16.00	Safety	33x4	28.30

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