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Dedicated With Appropriate Services.

A BEAUTIFUL STRUCTURE.

First Established in 1853.—A List of Former Pastors.

Lewis Curts. D. D., of Chicago; Rev. ing a man's tile from being used as a Contractor-W. J. McAlpine, Dixon. Hoover, of Chicago; Rev. Anderson, of Detroit; and Rev. Walter C. Howard, pastor of the church. Formal ritualistic dedication services were conducted. Rev. Howard, on behalf of the trustees and building committee, presented the church to the Methodist faith for the worship of God.

In the morning at ten o'clock the first services were held in the new church and the congregation fairly packed the heautiful temple of worship. Chairs were placed in every conceivable place and every chair was occupied. It was a representative congregation and filled the beautiful structure to the doors. The services were commenced with a voluntary by Mr. E. H. Lane, who presided at the pipe organ. The anthem by the choir which followed, was well rendered. Rev Curts delivered a masterful address, taking for his theme. "Victory of Faith."

At the conclusion of his sermon he gave a short history of the work of construction of the church, the money raised and the amount necessary to be raised before the church could be dedicated. The total cost of the church was \$8800, not including carpet, pulpit furniture, nor pipe organ. The amount of the first subscription was \$6,000 which had all been paid in excepting \$3 leaving a halance to be raised of about \$2,800. Rev. Curts took charge of the raising of that amount and at the end of the morning service 2,200 dollars had been pledged and the remaining \$500 was quickly raised during the afternoon and evening service. When the full amount had been pledged the church was formally dedicated.

The afternoon services were held at three o'clock, Rey. A. F. Horn of the Sycamore M, E. church occupied the pulpit and delivered a congratulatory address. He was the bearer of the congratulations of the members of the Sycamore M. E. church. He is a fluent talker and is deservedly popular with his congregation.

The evening service was devoted to pledging the balance of the debt of the church after which Rev. Geo. Hoover, Secretary of the Chicago Home for children, preached a short but interesting sermon. He was pas tor here during the year 1887, and was greatly beloved by all.

GENOA'S PRIDE

Genoa takes pardonable pride in her handsome new church. It is by far the finest appointed temple of worship in DeKalb county and is a credit to a foot mat. The carpet is of a light city many times larger than Genoa, shade in harmonious keeping with the Genoa's one ambition is to excell balance of the furnishings and was Just as good does not suit our people. the gift of the Ladies Aid Society as Chicago She wants the best and will take was also the pulpit furniture. In nothing else. Our new church is the front of the altar rail, at the base of tion Co., Worchester Mass. envy of all neighboring towns, but which is a cushioned incline for the

the town, looming up in all her archi- ted a scene representing the River Slater, Genoa. tectural grandeur stands the First M. Jordon and the City of Jerusalem. E. church, her tall spire reaching high The class room at the left of the more. into the heavens overtopping a struc- pulpit is separated from the main part ture of more than ordinary beauty. by a flexible roller partition The building is massive in its proportions vet not so large as to detract and is of polished brass, with decora- Rockford. from its architectural beauty.

north and one on the east side, stand room. The Mathews Gas machine is formed in Genoa was in the year 1845, out in beautiful and harmonious used in lighting and makes a very colors, adorned with various hand- bright and perfect light. The build- with Jas. Maltby as class leader. some and appropriate designs. At ing is heated by a New Idea Furnace. Genoa was then in the Sycamore cirthe base of each window is a memorial inscription, one bearing the name of to be used for the Sunday school; a exact date when Genoa became an in-

names of

As will be seen from the etching endoor ways. One leading to the main est credit on the architects, contrac-

sired. The fresco work is of a delicate muneration and to them in particular restful shade, with trimmings to is due the perfect completion of a permatch. The wood work is entirely of | fect church. oak, tastefully ornamented. The pupit furniture is beautiful in its entire simplicity, being of solid oak. gaged in or in any way connected with The choir gallery is built on the left of the construction of the church: the pulpit, occupying the corner, the pipe organ testing in a niche, project- W. L. Strong, Secretary; Geo. H. ing out from the building. The Stanley, Treasurer; George Olmstead. The handsome and commodious chairs are of the opera kind, folding Henry Olmsted, S. S. Slater, Orin new First M. E. church was dedicated with red plush tipped backs. Pierce, W. F. Eiklor. with appropriate services last Sunday The church seats are arranged in cir- Building committee-S. II. Stiles, evening by Presiding Elder Haight, of cular form and are very comfortable, Geo. H. Stanly, A. M. Hill, M. D. the Rockford district of the Rock having curved backs and seat. Under Architecu-Trumbull & Jones, River conference, assisted by Rev. each seat is placed a hat holder, sav- Elgin.

Mrs. S. H. Stiles and the other the library, kitchen and a separate room dependent charge as no record can be A V and Mrs Pierce for the infant class.

The entire arrangements are perfect trance is gained into the church by two in every detail and reflects the greatauditoriam from the street and the tor and building committeee. Partiother at the portico, where a carriage cularly is the building committee delanding is made, this also leading into serving of the greatest praise. Since the auditorium and to the class room, its first inception they have given The interior is all that could be de- their time freely and without re-

THE CONSTRUCTION.

The following is a list of those en-

Trustees-S. H. Stiles, President;

found prior to 1853. T e first regular Orin Pierce and pastors known were John Crummer, S. F. Denning and S. R. Beggs. The following is a list of pastors and the year or years they served her; since that time:

1853-4-D. L. Winslow. 1855-W. Tasker. 1856-7-Wm. Kone. 1858-Isaac Searl. 1859-60-E. Brown. 1861-Left to be supplied. 1862-3—S. Ambrose. 1864-5-A. G. Smith. 1866—J. Fassett. 1867-9--J. 13. Stale. 1870-1-W. II. Underwood. 1872-O. E. Burch. 1873-G. W. Perry. 1874-6-J. Caldwell. 1877-8-II. M. Springer. 1879-81-G. W. Carr. 1882-3-J. S. David. 1884-6-M. W. Latterfield.

man & Son, Mrs E A Brown, W Wylde, each Mrs Mary J. Patterson.
E H Olmstead and family, L M. Olmstead and family, L M Olmstead and family, L M Olmstead and family, each Mr and Mrs Chas A Brown.
G C Rowan, W L Strong, Mr Pond, Mrs Rho-Slater. Mrs Sarah Chapman, George Brown A Crawford, Rev. and Mrs Howard, each. Lizzie Brown Henry Olmsted, each. S S and Mrs Slater. Lizzie Brown Henry Olmsted, each.

S S and Mrs Slater.

B Goldman and Jamily.

Mrs Judeth Sowers, Wm Whipple, Wm Sovers, A Swanson, Devine Dean, Leater Olmstead Jennie Lawrence, each.

F E and Mrs Wells.

Ira Douglas.

Henry Patterson, F T and Mrs Robinson, T.

L Kitchen, A N and Mrs Hollembeak, Dr.

Chas Mordoff, each.

Mis F M Overaker and sons, H A Kellogg, A

L Holroyd, each.

Thos G Sager, H I Wells, C R Burton, I S

Harris, Ella F White, Geo G DeWolf, Wm

Hepburn, Mabel Olmstead, Rev. Haight, F

O Holtgren, Mrs Cora Robinson, Mrs.

Campbell, E Q Sumner, each.

Geo Burrol, Frank W Olmsted, F Hall, Geo

Ide, Jas Harvey and wife, Mrs P Leengry,

J H Moore and wife, Jas Hutchison, each.

A C Weber, C B Anderson, C Waite, Perry

Harlow, J H Eiklor, wm Millard, Mrs, Witter; each.

Chas Holroyd, John Riddle, Abraham Bross,

Allie Smith, I Fenton Geo white Mesdames 1852-Edwin Brown. 1887-G. K. Hoover.

A C Weber. C B Anderson, C Waite, Perry Harlow, J H Eiklor, wm Millard, Mrs. Witter; each...

Chas Holroyd, John Riddle, Abraham Bros., Allie Smith, J Fenton, Geo white, Mesdames Maria Richardson, Jennie Olmstead, Kate Arbuckle, Lizzie Hoffinan. Wm Edsall, Carrie Halleck, EH Lane, A E Van Alstine, Julius Potts, and Henry Corson; A King, Irene Durham, Lona Markel. L Durham, and wife, Julius Rudolph, Rev G K Hoover Rev A T Horn, Alfred Hollembeak, L Meyers. M Traverse, Dick McCormick, Estelle Baidwin, Joe Corson, W H Sager, Sadie Brown, Lila Chamberlain, Jas and Mrs. Merritt, each Mrs. H Shattuck, Maud Sager, Minnie Snyder, Eva Jackman, Alma Sumner, Owen McCormick, A F Parke, W Hill, W H Wilson, John Swanson, M S Campbell, Jos Green. John Felzenhaner, A J Lettow, Mrs Jas Brown, Ada Sisson, Wm Schmidt, Jacob Kunzler, Cole Kitchen, Emil Johnson, Colvin Brown, Mrs Mordoff, Wyla Richardson, J O Waters and wife, Lula Snow, Emma Evans, P Reed, Mrs L Robinson. Thos Wilson. Arthur Brown, Wm H Crandmer, Ben Awe, W Water Mrs E Thornton, Einer Sowers. Eddie Beardsley, Clayton Pierce, Carrie and Chas Anderson, Lester Eiklgr, W A Eiklor, E Sisson, Mrs Jesse Evans, Mrs W Cooper, F O Swan, Joe Patterson and Fred Abraham, each
Those paying less than \$5 were; Mrs Scow, Mr Krisler, D Swanson, C Olson, P Corson, Wm Krisler, D Swanson, C Olson, P Corson,

Any error or omission will be corrected.

A Word of Thanks,

To the friends in Genoa, and to all who attended the dedication of the new church from elsewhhere, I hereby tender heartfelt thanks. While this has been your enterprise, you have kept me leading it. I wish I could have done more and better; but by your confidence, help, and the blessing of God, the work has succeeded. May none ever regret the time, thought and money given, -no difference how little or much. To the choir, ushers, and especially to the solicitors among the congregation, and particularly those of them not yet members of the church, both personally, and as a pastor, I give the warmest thanks, and congratulate you upon your success. A special feeling of gratitude exists towards the ladies of the sewing society, having so faithfully stood by the work, without your support I doubt if the undertaking would have been entered into, much less so successfully completed. To every one who contributed, in any way, and to those who wanted to but could not, I am grateful. One word more: The church is very fine, while nice enough for anyone, it is not too good to be used by everybody in the work of christianity, Its doors should always open wide for every one, no matter what his circumstances, who would seek to enter to seek, or learn of God. You have builded it, now please strive to use it constantly, and to its fullest capacity, for the purposes it is intended.

Cordially, W. C. HOWARD.

A. W. Hetrick, W. H. Ream, Miss Lucy Pease, Mrs. S. G. Bates, Mrs. and Miss Schoonmaker, Chas. Farrell, and Mr. and Mrs. James Reid, of Hampshire, attended the dedication of the First M. E. church Sunday.

Shoe Factory Notes. 2891 pair of shoes were turned out last week.

76 hands are now employed and new hands are constantly being added. The factory boys have started a

mandolin club. Roy Orton, the engineer has been on the sick list. E. Crawford took his

place. A number of the boys were in Chi-

There is talk of doubling up the machinery and putting on extra hands. A new engine will also be put in.

B. Goldman was in Chicago Mon-F. Tishler is constructing a large truc wagon, to be used by the B, Goldman Shoe Co.

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FIRST M. E. CHURCH, GENOA, ILL.

they rejoice in her splendid enterprise. use of kneeling supplicants. Back of Situated on the prominent street of the altar in the circular dome is pain-

The chandilier is a double decker ted globes. Numerous single gas jets Two massive windows, one on the are located at different points in the

Pews, choir and pulpit furniture-Grand Rapids School Furniture Co Stained glass-W. H. Hooker Co,

Frescoing-O. H. Adix, Chicago. Furnace-O. Drake, Bockford.

Partition Curtain-Flexible Parti-

S. S. and Class Room Chairs-S. S. Gas Machine-W. H. Forward, Syca-

Gas Fixtures-D. Mc Naughton. Chicago. Carpets-Withrow Carpet Company,

HISTORICAL.

The first christian organization when the Genoa clase was organized

1888-92-F. F. Farmaloe. 1893-W. C. Howard.

Prior to 1852 the Sycamore circuit was a charge of twelve appointments and covered a large territory and took four weeks to make the circuit. The parsonage at that time was on the White farm, now owned by A. F.

THE DONORS.

The following is the list of the total amount subscribed. The list was furnished by the trustees and if any errors appear, notify Rev. Howard in writing. Receipts can be had of N. H. Stanley during the pastor's ab-

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

Timely Discourse on the Tax-Collector's Conversion.

Story of Zaccheus and Its Application to Modern Conditions-Christ In the Home-Importance of Prayer.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage made the owing selection of a sermon for lication this week. It is on the ject of "The Tax-Collector's Conon," and is based on the text:

day is salvation come to this house.-

cheus was a politican and a taxrer. He had an honest calling, the opportunity for "stealings" so large, the temptation was too for him. The Bible says he "was ner"—that is in the public sense. How many fine men have been ruined by official position! It is an awful thing for any man to seek office under government unless his principles of integrity are deeply fixed. Many a man, upright in an insignificent position, has made shipwreck in a great one. As far as I can tell, in the city of Jericho this Zaccheus belonged to what might be called the "ring." They had things their own way, successfully avoiding exposure-if by no other way, perhaps by hiring somebody to break in and steal the vouchers. Notwithstanding his bad reputation, there were streaks of good about him, as there is about almost every man. Gold is found in quartz, and sometimes in a very small percentage.

Jesus was coming to town. The people turned out en masse to see Him. Here He comes-the Lord of Glory-on foot, dust-covered and road-weary, limping along the way, carrying the griefs and woes of the world. He looks to be sixty years of age when He is only about thirty. Zaccheus was a short man, and could not see over the people's head while standing on the ground: so he got up into a sycamore tree that swung its arm clear over the road. Jesus advanced amid the wild excitement of the surging crowd. The most honorable and popular men of the city are looking on, and trying to gain His attention. Jesus, instead of regarding them, looks up at the little man in the tree, and says: "Zaccheus, come down. I am going home with you.' Everybody was disgusted to think that Christ would go home with so dishonorable a man.

I see Christ entering the front door of the house of Zaccheus. The King of Heaven and earth sits down; and He looks around on the place and the family. He pronounces the benediction of the text: This day is salvation come to this house.

Zaccheus had mounted the sycamore tree out of mere inquisitiveness. He wanted to see how this stranger looked the color of His eyes, the length of His hair, the contour of His features, the height of His stature. "Come

down," said Christ. And so many people, in this day, get up into the tree of curiosity or speculation to see Christ. They ask a thousand queer questions about His divinity, about God's sovereignty, and the decrees. They speculate, and criticise, and hang on to the outside limb of a great sycamore. But they must come down from that if they want to be saved. We can not be saved as philosophers, but as little children. You can not go to Heaven by way of Athens, but by way of Bethlehem. Why be perplexed about the way sin came into the world, when the great question is how we shall get sin driven out of our hearts? How many spend their time in criticism and religious speculation! They take the Rose of Sharon, or the Lily of the Valley, pull out the anther, scatter the corolla, and say: "Is that the beautiful flower of religion that you are talking about?" No flower is beautiful after you have torn it all to pieces. The path to Heaven is so plain that a fool need not make any mistake about it, and yet men stop and cavil. Suppose that, going toward the Pacific slope, I had resolved that I would stop until I could kill all the grizzly bears and the panthers on either side of the way. would never have got to the Pacific coast. When I went out to hunt the grizzly bear, the grizzly bear would have come out to hunt me. Here is a plain road to Heaven. Men say they will not take a step on it until they can make game of all the theories that bark and growl at them from the thickets. They forget the fact that as they go out to hunt the theory, the theory comes out to hunt them, and so they perish. We must receive the kingdom of Heaven in simplicity. William Pennington was one of the wisest men of the country-a governor of his own state, and afterward speaker of the house of representatives. Yet, when God called him to be a Christian, he went in and sat down among some children who were applying for church membership, and he said to his pastor: "Talk to me just as you do to these children, for I know nothing about it." There is no need of bothering ourselves about mysteries when there are so many things that are plain. Dr. Ludlow. my professor in the theological seminary, taught me a lesson I have never forgotten. While putting a variety of questions to him fight so against God. If woman that were perplexing, he turned upon tempted man originally away from me somewhat in sternness, but more in holiness, now she tempts him back.

will have to let God know some things

We tear our hands on the spines of the cactus instead of fastening our eyes on its tropical blood. A great company of people now sit swinging themselves on the sycamore tree of their pride, and I ery to you. "Zac-cheus, come down!" Come down out of your pride, out of your inquisitiveness, out of your speculation. You can not ride into the gate of Heaven with coach and four, postilion ahead and lackey behind. 'Except ye become as little children, ye can not enter the Kingdom of God.' God has chosen the weak things of the world to confound the mighty. Zaccheus, come down! come down!"

I notice that this tax-gatherer accompanied his surrender to Christ with the restoration of property that did not belong to him. He says: "If I have taken anything by false accusation, I restore four-fold." That is, if I have taxed any man for ten thousand dollars when he had only five thousand dollars worth of property, and put in my own pocket the tax for the last five thousand dollars, I will restore to him fourfold. If I took from him ten dollars, I will give him forty dollars. If I took from him forty dollars, I will give him one hundred dol-

Hundreds of thousands of dollars have been sent to Washington during the past few years as "conscience money." I suppose that money was sent by men who wanted to be Christians, but found they could not until they made restitution. There is no need of our trying to come to Christ as long as we keep fraudulently a dollar or a farthing in our possession that belongs to another. Suppose you have not money enough to pay your debts, and, for the sake of defrauding your creditors, you put your property in your wife's name. You might cry until the day of judgment for pardon, but you wold not get it without first making restitution. In times of prosperity it is right, against a rainy day, to assign property to your wife; but if, in time of perplexity, and for the sake of defrauding your creditors, you make such assignment, you become a culprit before God, and you may as well stop praying until you have made restitution. Or suppose one man loans another money on bond or mortgage, with the understanding that the mort gage can lie quiet for several years but as soon as the mortgage is given commences foreclosure-the sheriff mounts the auction block and the property is struck down at half price, and the mortgagee buys it in. The mortgagee started to get the property at half price, and is a thief and a rob ber. Until he makes restitution there is no mercy for him. Suppose you sell goods by sample, and afterward send to your customer an inferior quality of goods. You have committed a fraud, and there is no mercy for you until you have made restitution. Suppose you sell a man a handkerchief for silk, telling him it is all silk, and it is part cot-No mercy for you until you have made restitution. Suppose you sell a horse, saying he is sound, and he afterward turns out to be spavined and balky. No mercy for you until you have made restitution.

You say: "I can not make restitution. The parties whom I swindled are gone." Then I say: "Take the money up to the American Bible society and consecrate it to God." Zac-cheus was wise when he disgorged his unrighteous gains, and it was his first step in the right direction.

The way being clear, Christ walked into the house of Zaccheus. He becomes a different man; his wife a different woman; the children are different. Oh! it makes a great change in any house when Christ comes into it. How many beautiful homes are represented among you! There are pictures on the walls; there is music in the drawingroom, and luxuries in the wardrobe, and a full supply in the pantry. Even if you were half asleep, there is one word with which I could wake you and thrill you through and through, and that word is "home!" There are also houses of suffering represented, in which there are neither pictures nor wardrobe, nor adornment -only one room, and a plain cot, or a bunk in a corner; yet it is the place where your loved ones dwell, and your whole nature tingles with satisfaction when you think of it and call it home. Though the world may scoff at us and pursue us, and all the day we be tossed about, at eventide we sail into the harbor of home. Though there be no rest for us in the busy world, and we go trudging about, bearing burdens that well nigh crush us, there is a refuge, and it hath an easy chair in which we may sit, and a lounge where we may lie, and a serenity of peace in which we may repose, and that refuge is home. English soldiers, sitting on the walls around Sebastopol, one night heard a company of musicians playing "llome, Sweet Home," and it is said that the whole army broke out in sobs and wailing, so great was their homesickness. God pity the poor miserable wretch who has no home!

Now, suppose Christ should come into your house. First the wife and the mother would feel His presence. Religion almost always begins there. It is easier for women to become Christians than for us men. They do not love, and said: "Mr. Talmage, you | She may not make any fuss about it, | happy.

but somehow everybody in the house knows that there is a change in the wife and mother. She chides the Her face children more gently. sometimes lights up with an unearthly glow. She goes into some unoccupied room for a little while, and the husband goes not after her, nor asks her why she was there. He knows without asking that she has been praying. The husband notices that her face is brighter than on the day when, years ago, they stood at the marriage altar, and he knows that Jesus has been putting upon her brow a wreath sweeter than the orange blossom. She puts the children to bed, not satisfied with the formal prayer that they once offered, but she lingers now and tells them of Jesus who blessed little children, and of the good place where they all hope to be at last. And then she kisses them good-night with something that the child feels to be a heavenly benediction-a something that shall hold on to the boy after he has become a man forty or fifty years of age; for there is something in a good, loving Christian mother's kiss that fifty years can not wipe off the cheek. Now the husband is distressed and

annoyed, and almost vexed. If she would only speak to him, he would "blow her up." He does not like to say anything about it, but he knows that she has a hope that he has not, and a peace that he has not; he knows that, dying as he now is, he can not go to the same place. He can not stand it any longer. Some Sunday night, as they sit in church, side by side, the floods of his soul break He wants to pray, but does not know how. He hides his face, lest some of his worldly friends see him; but God's spirit arouses him, melts him, overwhelms him. And they go home-husband and wife-in silence, until they get to their room, when he cries out: "Oh, pray for me!" And they kneel down. They can not speak. The words will not come. But God does not want any words. He looks down and answers sob, and groan, and outgushing tenderness. That night they do not sleep any for talking of all the years wasted, and of that Saviour who ceased not to call. Before morning they have laid their plans for a new Morning comes. Father and mother descend from the bedroom. The children do not know what is the matter. They never saw father with a Bible in his hand before. He says: 'Come children, I want you all to sit down while we read and pray." The children look at each other, and are almost disposed to laugh; but they see their parents are in deep earnest. is a short chapter that the father reads. He is a good reader at other times, but now he does not get on much. He sees so much to linger on. His voice trembles. Everything is so strangely new to him. They kneel -that is, the father and mother do; but the children come down one by one. They do not know that they must. It is some time before they all get down. The sentences are broken. The phrases are a little ungrammatic-The prayer begins abruptly and ends abruptly; but, as far as I can understand what they mean, it is about this: "O, Saviour! help us! We do not know how to pray. Teach us. We can not live any longer in the way we have been living. We start to-day for Heaven. Help us to take these children along with us. Forgive us for all the past Strengthen us for all the future. when the journey is over, take us where Jesus is, and where the little babe is that we lost. Amen!" It ended very abruptly; but the angels came out and leaned so far over to listen, they would have fallen off the battlement but for a stroke of their wings, and cried: "Hark! hark! Behold! he

Up to forty years men work for themselves; after that, for their children. Now, what do you propose to leave them? Nothing but dollars! Alas! what an inheritance! It is more likely to be a curse than a blessing. Your own common sense and observation tell you that money, without the Divine blessing, is a curse. must soon leave your children. Your shoulders are not so strong as they were, and you know that they will soon have to earry their own burdens. Your eyesight is not so clear as once: they will soon have to pick out their own way. Your arm is not so mighty as once; they will soon have to fight their own battles. Oh! let it not be told on judgment day that you let your family start without the only safeguard—the religion of Christ. Give yourself no rest until your children are the sons and daughters of the Lord Almighty. Your son does just as you do. He tries to walk like you, and talk like you. The daughter imitates the mother. Alas! if father and mother miss Heaven, the children will. Oh! let Jesus come into your house. Do not bolt the hall door, or the parlor door, or the kitchen door, or the bedroom door against Him. Above all, do not bolt your heart.

-The nimble sixpence out travels the slower shilling. A penny will pass through a hundred hands while a pound rests safety in some capacious purse. So truth, if it is to have wide circulation must be brought within reach of the common people, and adapted to the needs of men of low estate

No matter what the devil says, believe what God says, and you will be butcher's knife.

IT DEALT DEATH.

Many Human Lives Are Taken by the Recent Cyclone.

Thickly Populated Portions of Iowa and Minnesota Severely Stricken-Upwards of Seventy Are Killed-Many Towns Entirely Wiped Out.

SCORES ARE SLAIN.

St. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 25 .- The cyclone of Friday night that swept through Minnesota and Iowa was one of the worst that ever visited this section. At least seventy persons were killed and many others were fatally injured. In addition several towns were wrecked, some of them being totally demolished.

Path of the Storm.

The storm was first observed a few miles south of Spencer in northwestern Iowa about 8 o'clock in the evening. Sweeping resistlessly across state north of Emmetsburg the Algona it wiped out the and town of Cylinder, touched Mason City, ruining buildings and crops northwest of Osage. Here the cyclone bore off to the northeast, crossing the Minnesota line, and soon after 10 o'clock wrecked the little town of Leroy, where a bad fire added to the destruction. Spring Valley was in the path of the cyclone and suffered severely. Turning again to the east the little towns of Homer and Lowther were badly damaged and at one time reported completely wiped off the face of the earth. After crossing the Mississippi and doing considerable damage to farm buildings near Marshland, Wis., the storm seemed to have spent its force. A smaller storm did some damage at Dodge Center, which was not on the path of the main cyclone. The path of the storm was not wide, but it had all the characteristics of the deadly tornado and the dimensions of a cyclone. Upwards of Seventy Are Killed.

Just how many lives have been lost is still uncertain, but the reports received indicate that certainly not less than seventy are dead while some reports place the number from seventy

The towns damaged or de to 100. stroyed are Cylinder, Burt, Forest City and Manly Junction, in Iowa; Leroy, Spring Valley, Dodge Center, Homer and Lowther, Minn., and Marshland, Wis.

Eliminating apparent duplications of names of dead the following from points in Iowa is fairly accurate: Algona, 19; north of Garner, 13; north of Britt, 16; near Manly, 12.

In Minnesota the storm seemed to start at Leroy, after traveling in the air for several miles. Three persons were killed at this place. At Chatfield, Minn., a dance was in progress at the opera house when the storm descended upon the town. The building was blown down and many persons were hurt. Sixty houses in all were demolished and 100 persons were injured. At Spring Valley three were killed.

Aid Is Needed.

LEROY, Minn., Sept. 25.—The cyclone sufferers are in a very destitute condition. The loss will exceed \$100,000. Thirty families are entirely destitute and many business men have lost their all. Money is needed. Three thousand sight-seers were here Sunday. local relief committee is doing all in their powe-, which is limited.

PORTLAND'S BIG LOSS.

Property Estimated at \$1,500,000 Destroyed in the Oregon City.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 24.—The most disastrous fire in the history of this city broke out at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the dock of the Pacific Coast Elevator company and raged for three hours, destroying property valued at nearly \$1,500,000.

The scene of the fire is across the river from the main part of the city and it was at least fifteen minutes before more than one engine could respond

to the general alarm. The elevator contained nearly half a million busheis of wheat. The new plant of the Portland General Electric company, which had just arrived from Lynn, Mass, was standing in the yards of the terminal company on the ears, not having been unloaded. The plant occupied an entire train, and the machinery was of the most expensive kind, the most of which was destroyed

and the remainder badly damaged. Two hundred freight cars, eighty of which were loaded, were destroyed. The Oregon Railway & Navigation dock held 1,500 tons of freight, consisting of wool, salmon, general merchandise and cement, all of which was destroyed with the dock. There were stored on the dock about 12,000 cases of salmon from the lower Columbia river and Puget sound awaiting shipment for the east. It was valued at about \$40,000 and was partly insured.

Three Men Burned to Death. Three men are supposed to have perished in the elevator. Charles Anderson, a man named Brown and one named Murray were seen at an upperstory window of the elevator and it is thought they were all burned.

Preferred Death to Disgrace.

Springfield, Mo., Sept. 20.—United States Marshal Johnson went from here to the village of Mayflower to arrest Postmaster J. C. Little for opening a registered letter. Little heard of Johnson's coming and was found dead in bed when the officer arrived. He had cut his entrails out with a

FIREMEN AND THE STRIKE.

Brotherhood Denounces Those Who Went Out Because of Sympathy.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 22.-The Brotherhood of Firemen at its session on Thursday adopted a series of resolutions denouncing the action of those members who struck through sympathy with Pullman strikers; pledging the brotherhood hereafter to abide by all its agreements and to await the action of the grand lodge officers before going out on a strike; protesting against the other labor organizations on strike attempting to induce the members of the brotherhood to join them through sympathy, declaring against the position of Vice Grand Master Hannahan in the Pullman strike in advising members not to work with the non-union men, and approving that of Grand Master Sargent and other grand lodge officers. The convention gave Hannahan another slap by reducing his salary from \$4,350 yearly to \$2,500 and leaving those of other grand lodge officers undisturbed. Twelve thousand dollars was voted for the relief of firemen who went out during the Lehigh Valley strikes who are still idle.

Grand Master Sargent and Grand Secretary and Treasurer Arnold were directed by the convention to remove the headquarters from Terre Haute to a place selected by them. After listening to a speech from Eugene V. Debs the convention adjourned finally, to meet two years hence at Galveston,

THREE MEN FOUND DEAD.

It Is Rumored That They Were Killed by Whisky Peddlers.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Sept. 24.—News has reached here to the effect that the dead bodies of Frank Faulkner, West Harris, alias Goff, and Hooley Benge, all young men, were found miles from Muldrow. Who killed them or how it occurred cannot be learned here, though it is said they all went to a dance in the neighborhood. One rumor is that they were killed by whisky peddlers, whom they were seeking, and another is that they fell out among themselves and killed each other. They all belong to prominent Cherokee families.

THE HENNEPIN CANAL

Work to Begin Soon on the Second Sec tion-Will Employ 2,000 Men.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—Capt. Marshall. chief of the United States engineers in Chicago, has prepared plans and specifications for the second section of the Hennepin canal, & miles in length, and the contracts will be closed next week. Capt. Marshall said that these contracts when let will greatly in crease the number of men employed. bringing the working force up to 2,000. When the canal may be completed depends, he says, on the appropriations made by congress from year to

Used a Dirk.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 24.—In a sensational altercation with James Livingston, an Owens man, in the Phœnix hotel, Desha Breckinridge attempted to stab Livingston. Livingston, in a moment of desperation, reached for the glittering blade, which Breckinridge had aimed at his heart. The knife went between the second and third fingers of Livingston's right hand, cutting the third finger to the bone. Desha seemed to desire no more blood and gave Livingston two hard kicks.

The hotel clerk and several by standers rushed in and seized Breckinridge, and at the same instant Matt Lane, a strong Breckinridge man, ran up and said he would take a hand in helping Desha. Two witnesses say that Lane also flourished a big knife. but Lane denies this. Livingston was hurried into the wash-room, where his wounds were bathed, and he was then taken to the office of a physician, where his hand was dressed.

The Ohio Democracy

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 21.—The democratic state convention met Wednesday. The platform praises the efficient, economical and honest administration of President Cleveland; declares protection a fraud, and enumerates business failures, strikes, low wages and low prices for farm goods as the result of the McKinley law. It favors the unlimited coinage of silver at the legal ratio of 16 to 1 with legal tender power. The platform was amended by adding a resolution favoring the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people.

Escaped from Jail.

Sr. Louis, Sept. 25. - Seven prisoners escaped from their cells in the city jail at 10 a. m. Saturday. They ascended to the roof, and, jumping to adjoining roofs, ran in every direction. Some reached the street and were chased for several blocks by guards and policemen, who fired a number of shots at the fleeing prisoners. Four were speedily recaptured, but three others are still at liberty.

Directly at Galesburg.

GALESBURG, Ill., Sept. 21 .- But one record was broken Thursday, and that was by Monroe Salisbury's wonderful 2-year-old pacer Directly, who sent the -year-old record down from 2:09 to 2:07%, and at the same time reduced his own record two and a quarter seconds. This performance was witnessed by 20,000 people and created the most intense enthusiasm.

The Anna Weise murder case, on trial at Marshalltown, Ia., ended in the acquittal of Mrs. Bennett.

WANTS TO COMPROMISE.

China Anxious to Make Terms, But Japan Insists on War.

Tokio, Sept. 9, via Sun Francisco, Sept. 25.—China is willing to agree to a compromise, according to well-authenticated rumors, but Japan insists on war. A great fleet of transports, carrying 40,000 troops, is to sail in three day from Japan. Its destination is a carefully-guarded secret, but there is a rumor an attempt will be made to march direct to Pekin from some convenient point on the Chinese coast. The emperor will start September 13 for Hiroshima, in the inland sea, the new war headquarters. All news relating to movements of the army or the navy is rigidly suppressed here, but troops are marching night and day to the various rendezvous and a military railway system connecting the principal arsenals and forts is being built hurriedly. London, Sept. 25.—A dispatch to the

Times from St. Petersburg says: "It is reported here that Chinese marauders have attacked the station of the new Ussuri section of the Siberian railway, plundered the telegraph office and killed eight Russian employes. It is feared that the government will make this a pretext to interfere in the Corean struggle between China and Japan.

London, Sept. 25 .- The Times publishes a letter from Nagasaki, dated August 14, which says that the people have gone wild over the invasion of Corea. In addition to 50,000 troops already shipped to Corea 100,000 more are under arms and the reserves have been called out. Everything is done

without any disturbance of business. SHANGHAI, Sept. 25. -It is understood that the governor of Manchuria is concentrating all the troops raised in that province upon Mukden and that on the route to Wi Ju extensive earthworks are being thrown The levies are composed of hardy north Chinamen, and are excellent material, but they are badly armed, only about 4,000 of them having good military rifles. Further supplies, however, are being hurried un from the southern arsenal. The Chinese force intrenched upon the Yalu river is estimated to number 38,000 men. Many of these are raw levies and are also badly armed. The loss of field guns, rifles and ammunition suffered at Ping Yang has greatly embarrassed the Chinese war department. It is recognized that a battle must be fought on the Yalu, and the Chinese are straining every nerve to retrieve the disaster at Ping Yang.

BURIED BY A CAVING BANK. One Man Killed and Four Injured in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 25.—Five laborers were buried under a mass of earth almost as compact as stone while at work Monday afternoon making an excavation for the foundation of a retaining wall just below the Germantown avenue crossing of the Richmond branch of the Reading railroad. Andrew Kovats was fatally injured and died a few minutes after his body was recovered. Four others were seriously injured.

None of the workmen thought there

was any danger. For a month past they have been employed at the Germantown avenue bridge building a stone wall to prevent just such an accident as befell them Monday. The laborers had finished their noon luncheon and were again at work when a heavy ice-wagon was driven along the edge of the ground in the shadow of which they stood. Nothing unusual was noticed at the time, but it is supposed that it was then that the ground was cracked. A few minutes later, at 1:25 o'clock, a mass of several tons of earth fell on the five men named as they were bending over their shovels. Kovates and Kirtz were

forms of Fitzgerald, Teskel and Dendine could be seen as they struggled to extricate themselves. Thirteen men, all told, were at work

along the wall, and those who had escaped rushed to the assistance of the by a vote of 47 for Cleveland and 36 unfortunates. Kovats was found to be loubled up unconscious, but still breathing. Although Kirtz had been buried out of sight the ground fell in such a way as to give him a breathing space about his head. Ambulances from the Germantown and Samaritan hospitals were sent for, but Kovata died before he could receive medical attendance.

hidden from sight, but portions of the

THERE WERE THREE CYCLONES. Friday's Devestation Was Not the Work of a Single Twister.

SPRING VALLEY, Minn., Sept. 25.— That there were at least two and probably three twisters responsible for the work of destruction and death Friday night seems conclusive upon examination. While several points were struck at about 10 o'clock, Burr Oak, a village near Osage and to the southwest of Leroy, was visited at 11 o'clock, and it does not seem likely one cyclone would make such a complete circle and last from 9:45 to 11 o'clock in a radius of 8 miles. Furthermore, Leroy was struck at 9:45 o'clock and Cresco, Ia., on the southeast, at almost, if not precisely the same moment, so that it is quite clear that these were separate cyclones.

ALGONA, Ia., Sept. 24.—Additional victims of Friday's cyclone reported in this vicinity are:

Baker, child of Albert; Frank Becklemeyer; Clouseden's child: Mrs. Christian Dau and two children; Rockvell's child; M. Sweeper and two children.

WITHIN EASY REACH.

Troops Well Placed to Cope with Any

Emergency. WASHINGTON, Sept. 25 .- The concentration of the regular army forces near the great railway centers, for the purpose of maintaining the respect of all classes for the laws of the United States, which has been ordered to take place the first week of October, upon the assumption that Indian troubles will hereafter be comparatively insignificant, while the necessity for the use of force in the thickly populated portions of the country will be paramount, is clearly shown in the distribution and arrangement of the commands of the department of the east, which includes the country east of Michigan, Indiana, Missouri and Texas. While over two-thirds of the entire strength of the army will continue at stations west of this line, more than 6,000 regulars will be under orders from the headquarters on Governor's island, New York harbor, when Gen. Miles succeeds Gen. Howard in November. The center of strength will be at New York city, but the fcrce along the Canadian border will be found considerably augmented, and the secondary centers of Washington, Cincinnati and Atlanta will be within easy reach of any external menace or domestic disturbance.

OUEEN LIL'S GRIEVANCE. A Rumor That She Will Sue Uncle Sam

for \$200,000. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 25.—It is stated on what appears to be good authority that the errand of H. A. Widemann, of Honolulu, to this country is for the purpose of commencing a damage suit against the United States on behalf of the ex-queen of Hawaii. The amount of damage asked for is said to be \$200,-000. The claim is that the provisional government could never have been established and the queen deposed had it not been for the unwarranted action of a recognized agent of the United States, the captain of the warship Boston, which action was subsequently formally disavowed by the president. Whatever Mr. Widemann's errand is, his departure from Honolulu was kept a profound secret until almost the moment of sailing. Within a few days he will go to Washington, where he does not deny he has business of importance to transact. Mr. Widemann declined to be interviewed concerning his mission to Washington, and when asked whether he was going to institute a damage suit on behalf of the ex-queen his answer was that he had been accused of that.

SUFFERERS FROM FIRE.

Clothing, Food and Furniture Among the Articles Now Needed.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 25.—Maj. William Mahoney, assistant quartermaster general, has returned from his through the fire-swept district in the northern part of the state. Maj. Mahoney says the re-ports of the destitution and suffering have not been exaggerated. It is estimated there are in all 3,000 people outside of Phillips who need help. Most of them have been looked after, but there are many whom the committee will have to care for through the winter. There is considerable sickness among the women and children and many of the men are badly burned. In several cases men may lose their hands and feet. The greatest need at present, Maj. Mahoney says, is feed for horses and cattle. There is not a blade of grass or a green twig in the burned country, and in many cases farmers who saved their homes lost their hay and grain stacks and woodpiles. It will be necessary to help them. The people need furniture, particularly chairs, tables and bedsteads.

FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Convention of Carpenters and Joiners Adopts a Platform of Ten Planks.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 25 .-- Cleveland gets the next national convention of the carpenters and joiners. This was decided Monday afternoon for Brooklyn. The election of officers will be held to-day. President

Trener will not be a candidate
for reelection and fully twenty
delegates are after the office. As the west again captured the convention it is probable that the east will get the presidency. The convention adopted the platform of ten planks which is to form the nucleus of the platform of the coming national labor party. The platform favors governmental ownership of all public corporations, woman suffrage, the liability clause, the referendum and initiative, compulsory education and opposes child labor. It will be submitted to local unions for ratification as well as a single tax clause.

Cloudburst Drowns Children.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 25.—Meager particulars of a destructive cloudburst in Carroll county were received here Sunday afternoon. W. F. Davenport and family, comprising wife and four children, were encamped on King's river and were caught in the falling water, which broke further up the stream. The entire family were washed several hundred yards, Davenport with his wife and two children escaping, the other two being carried away by the current. The flood also destroyed much property, two gristmills, houses and fences being washed away. No other lives are reported lost. Davenport comes from Giles county Tex county, Tex.

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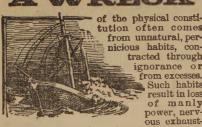
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The scenery and stage mechanism employed in the production of the "Ship of State" at the schiller are something remarkable, and will resulin some exceptionally striking and impressive spectacular effects. Working ships and sinking vessels will be shown in the great naval battle, cloing with the historical tableaux of Commodore Perry changing his flag ship under fire, The Liberty Bell shown at the exposition will be duly honored by a fleral bell presentation from the "Ship of State" compan There is an immense local interest excited in Chicago amusement circles by the production of the "Ship of State" at the Schiller, since the piece 1. G. ROWAN AND in by Chicago men and backed by Chicago captial.

M. E. Church Notes. Rev. C. M. Anderson will preach in the new church at 10:30 Sunday morn-

ing and probably in the evening. Sunday school at the usual hour in the new class room.

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LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS.

Parsonal Notes, Happenings, Etc., Pertaining to Genoa.

Ernest Sisson and Dr. Billig spent last evening in DeKalb.

Miss Cornish, of DeKalo, attended the M. E. church dedication Sunday Miss Agnes Hutchison visited at DeKalb a few days this week.

Miss Minnie Sheldon, of Winnebago. Ill., is the guest of Mrs. Walter C. Howard this week.

Mrs. Otto Schneider, of Chicago, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Edsali. Mrs. G. C. Davis living west of erty for sale. Genoa is reported very ill.

Miss Bernice and Mary Millard were in Sycamore Saturday.

Little Joe Patterson, of Chicago. visited here Monday.

Bert Swanson will enter the bicycle races at Hinckley Saturday.

the grand jury.

D. S. Brown is home from his trip up into Wisconsin.

Rev. Howard is attending the Rock River Conference at Galena this week. Jas. Hutchison is able to be out again.

Mrs. O. E. Cozzens and daughter of Mrs. Geo. E. Sisley.

Mrs. Bagley has returned from the city with a fine assortment of millinery goods.

-You are sure to get what you want, 800 different patterns to select from at J. D. Page's,

cloths, splashers, tidies, etc, at Mrs.

B. Millard and L. Kellogg a few days last week.

-The wise man forgetheth not the seventh annual clearing sale of H. A. Kellogg on Friday October 5th.

Martin Malana's house is completed It is a very neat building and he will shortly move in same.

is being pushed and it will be ready for occupance shortly.

Wong Mee has decided to start a the building occupied by Geo, Orch and having it enlarged.

ing sale has been very successful in Illinois, hereby agree to close our place the past. His seventh annual occurs of business on and from the 15th of

tertained brothers from Hampshire, cept Saturday evenings, and for two Freeport and Kingston last Wednes- weeks prior to the holidays, and durday night. Work was done in the 3d ing the holidays. degree after which refreshments were served,
Geo. Mewhirter, prohibition candiJ. W. F. Randall,

the citizens of Genoa on the political J. D. Page, issue of the day on Friday evening of this week at Crawford's ball at 8 o'clock.

tor and Geo. Mewhirter, candidate for legislature, from this district on the at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering the question of increasing

Little Lillie Schneider was stabbed in the wrist last Saturday by Charley G. H. Shellaberger, Peterson, who is nine years old. The wound while painful is not dangerous. Nothing has been done to the boy as

of live porkers to the Chicago stock week, until further notice. BEN AWE. yards last week, receiving in exchange a check for nearly \$1200. This is the product of his own farm for this Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke season.

A very happy wedding took place at the residence of Stephen Blatsford in Shattuck's Grove, on last Saturday evening. The contracting parties were Miss Marguerite Curtis and Mr.

O. E. Shattuck Pow West Contracting parties is a specific poisons. The property of the prope O. E. Shattuck, Rev. Wm. Craven. of men gain strength, weight and vigor. Belvidere, cofficiating. The wedding Positive cure or money refunded. was a quiet one, none but relatives being present. The Issue extends Chicago. 45 Randolph St.; New York. congratulations.

THE ISSUE five months for 40c.

3-J. D. Page is showing 800 different styles in pants and suitings.

-Dr. Billig is now nicely settled in the bank building.

-Go to E. H. Cohoon's for Pills-

bury flour, the best, at \$1.00. -For first class dental work at reasonable prices call on Dr. Bitlig, bank

-J. D. Page has a choice lot of fall styles to select from in pants and

Those new fall suitings arrived at F. O. Holtgren's. Go now and get a

first pick. Those \$5 fall pants will be the thing for you to get, F. O. Holtgren has an elegant stock to select from.

-Pillsbury flour stupped direct from the mill, not laving in Chicago until stale, at E. H. Cohoon's.

All accounts due me must be settle by the end of two weeks or they will be left for collection. JOE. Corson.

To Rent-Desirable house in a desirable locality. Good residence prop. D. S. BROWN.

-Have your dental work done by a competent dentist. Dr. Billig is now permanently located here and makes a specialty of crown and bridge work, Call and see him.

Wm. Schmidt wishes to announce to the public, that he is ready todo all kinds of reparing and more especialy J. E. Stott will represent Genoa on horse shoeing. Mr. Schmidt has recently hired an experienced horse shoer and will guarantee all of his work to be first class.

He laughs best who laughs last is a many times proven saying and was again verified Tuesday night, when Ernest Sisson held the last draw en the bicycle at Sagers. It has been Mrs. K.Jackman, is visiting her son. rather hard on him the past season Frank White, at Sherborn, Minn. for he lives just at the edge of the corporation and it is rather a large Klea, of Ravenswood, are the guests sized task to visit more than one evening in a week. But now that he has secured the means of locomotion he has taken new heart and will now visit as often as he desires.

A. M. Bailey, a well known citizen of Eugene, Oregon, says his wife has for years been troubled with chronic diarroca and used many remedies A nice variety of stamped linen, tray with little relief until she tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and diarrhoea remedy, which has cured her sound Dr. Whitford, of Elgin, visited E. and will. Give it a trial and you will he surprised at the prompt relief it affords. 25 and 50 cents bottles for by F. T. Bobinson, druggist.

Wed at Rockford.

Gus Scheider and Miss May Renn hied themselves to Rockford, last Saturday and proceeded to a ministers where they were quietly wed. Gus has just started a barber shop at Fielding Open all the year. Students helped to lucra-where he and his bride will go to tive positions when competent. Work on Frank Jackman's residence where he and his bride will go to housekeeping. The band boys sere- ROCKFORD SCHOOL naded the happy couple Tuesday night and were supplied with cigars, etc. The best wishes of their friends

NOTICE.

We the undersigned residents and -H. A. Kellog's grand annual clear- buisness men of the village of Genoa October 1894, at 8 o'clock in the even-The Masonic fraternity of Genoa et- ing every evening during said time ex-

A. L. Holroyd, F. O. Holtgren, John Lembke, H. J. Wells, C. Wilson, Ed. H. Lane, Mrs Bagley.

NOTICE.

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> Directors. JUDSON BRENNER.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigner Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth E. Wa ers, late of the County of DeKalb, and State of Illinois, will attend upon the County Coart of Ekalb County. Illinois, at a term thereof to be hole en at the court house, in Sycamore, in said count on the first Monday in the in the of Decembe next, for the pur ose of settling and adjustin ill claims against said decedent, therefore all pesons having claims against said estate are hereb notified and requested to attend at said term coald coun for the purpose of having their claim adjusted; and all persons indebted to said estate requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. James F. Reid, Administrator. September 17, 1894. September 17, 1894.

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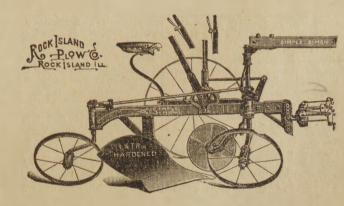
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THE NEWS.

Compiled From Late Dispatches.

DOMESTIC.

ROBERT CLEMENS and James Hullen fought a duel with knives at Blackville, Ga., and both were mortally wounded.

SUPERVISING ARCHITECT O'ROURKE has resigned, in obedience to the request of Secretary Carlisle.

A MESSAGE was signaled by heliograph from Mount Uncompaligre, Col., to Mount Ellen, Utah, 183 miles, break ing all records.

A RESOLUTION favoring retirement of culation was adopted by the Nebraska | neck at Braddock, Pa. Bankers' association.

ELECTRIC lines and bicycles have rethe United States from 25 to 50 per | 000 in 1895.

WILSON WOODLEY, one of the conspirators in the Grant assassination, was hanged at Montgomery, Ala.

L. C. WEIR, of Cincinnati, was elected president of the Adams Express company at a meeting of the board of directors in New York.

JOHN POYNTER was hanged at Fort Smith, Ark., for murdering William Bolding and Ed von der Ver on December 25, 1891, in the Indian country.

It was claimed that adventurers were destroying all the animals in Alaska by the indiscriminate use of

AT Galesburg, Ill., Directly paced a mile in 2:07%, reducing the 2-year-old record from 2:09.

THE United States veterinary convention at Philadelphia condemned divorced. the docking of horses tails.

INDUSTRIOUS hammering by bears New York to 58% cents, a new low

THE ready-made clothing industry in killed. Boston was paralyzed by a strike of the operatives, involving 5,500 em-

THE locomotive firemen in convention at Harrisburg, Pa., agreed not to lost their lives in the cyclone which strike as long as contracts were not

It was discovered that the present tariff law makes no provision for a duty upon preserved fruits.

young men's institute of Covington, state. Ky., for dispensing beer at a recent

GEORGE SCHMOUS was hanged in the jail at Pittsburgh, Pa., for murdering his wife and two children.

New York physicians were puzzled over the case of a woman weighing ninety-eight pounds, but who could not be lifted against her will.

THE Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in session at Chattanooga decided to admit women to the order, THE Reaves Warehouse company at

Savannah, Ga., failed for \$300,000. THERE were 212 business failures in jured. the United States in the seven days ended on the 21st, against 207 the week previous and 321 in the correspond-

WILLIAM LEDBETTER, a farmer, and St. Clair, Mo., were arrested for coun-

terfeiting silver dollars. EDMONIA ANDERSON and Irene Washington, two octoroons, fought a duel with knives at Swift, Ala., and both

THE New York constitutional convention adopted a civil service amendment recommending old soldiers for office.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 21st aggregated \$900,287,045, against \$853,263,145 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 12.0.

A TRAIN struck a buggy at London, O., and Mrs. H. L. Jewell, of Greeley Col., was killed, and Mabel and Helen Stutz were fatally injured.

CHARLES E. NORRIS, wanted at Pearsall, Tex., for a mnrder committed ten years ago, was arrested in Chicago.

A company has been incorporated at Columbus, O., to build an electric road from Pittsburgh to Chicago and to furnish heat and light to towns along

A CYCLONE which swept northern Iowa and southern Minnesota killed two persons at Emmetsburgh, Ia., and three at Leroy, Minn. Dodge Center and Lowther, in Minnesota, were

devastated. C. A. Jones, a La Grange (Ind.) business man convicted of assault on a little girl, was found dead in his cell

from poison. C. H. BLAKELY, of Chicago, was elected president of the United Typothetæ at the Philadelphia meeting.

CAVING of the earth from some unknown cause created great excitement among farmers in the vicinity of Wichita, Kan.

FRANCIS M. LOGGAN, aged 30, a firebug and proud of it, went to the state penitentiary from Kansas City, Mo., for five years for setting fire to the yards of the Kansas City Lumber company. He volunteered the statement that he had been causing big fires in all parts of the United States and Canada for many years.

THE Commercial bank at Weeping Water, Neb., closed its doors with deposits of \$26,000 and \$39,000 in loans.

A RAIN and hailstorm did great damage throughout central lowa. At Knoxville the storm was especially

JOHN and Jasper Atkins (white) were hanged at Winnesboro, S. C., for the murder of William Camp.

THE cattlemen and Cheyenne Indians near Woodward, O. T., were at war and the settlers in the vicinity were moving their effects into town and the citizens were arming.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the national league for the week ended on the 23d were: Baltimore, .699; New York, .659; Boston, Philadelphia, .579; Brooklyn, .544; Cleveland, .520; Pittsburgh, .492; 426, Cincinnati, .415; Chicago Louis, .404; Washington, .352; Louisville, .282.

JUDGE ARIEL STANDISH THURSTON, of Elmira, N. Y., a supreme court United States bonds as a basis of cir- judge, fell downstairs and broke his

Colorado's gold output for 1894 will reach \$12,000,000, the largest in its duced the average value of horses in history. It is hoped to mine \$25,000,-

> FLAMES that started on a wharf destroyed property worth \$1,500,000 in Portland, Ore., and three men were supposed to have been burned to death. SANDOW failed to lift Mrs. Abbott, the ninety-eight-pound woman who has astonished New York physicians with her peculiar power.

DELEGATES from the drought-stricken section of Nebraska met at North Platte to devise means for assisting the destitute.

THREE negroes who had murdered a merchant at McGhee, Ark., were taken from the sheriff and hanged to a telegraph pole.

MRS. B. F. PIERCE, of Rock Springs, Wyo., claims to be a daughter of Jay Gould by a woman whom he married in 1853 and from whom he was never

A TRAIN on the Midland division of the Grand Trunk railway was derailed forced December wheat options in between Port Hope and Lindsay, Ont. and Engineer Johnston, Fireman Malone and Brakeman Greenbury were

THE Grand View hotel at Atlantic during the next six months. Highlands, N. J., was burned, the loss NINETEEN Japanese and being \$100,000.

SEVENTY persons are known to have swept northern lowa and southern Minnesota, while the property damage was enormous.

By a clause adopted by the New BISHOP MAES suspended the Catholic making is to be prohibited in the States.

> GILBERT MUNZ was killed and two other men fatally injured in a Big Four train wreck near Dayton, O. SUFFRAGE women of Topeka, Kan.,

to the number of 100 have agreed to tricts. reform woman's costume by wearing Turkish trousers. THE Park opera house, the chief gastric fever.

amusement resort in Erie, Pa., for forty years, was burned, entailing a loss of nearly \$100,000.

A FIVE-STORY business block was destroyed by fire at St. Louis, causing a loss of \$200,000. Five firemen were in-

THE name of the post office at Appomattox, where Lee surrendered, has been changed to Surrender.

RUNAWAY horses dashed into the family of Daniel Stevenson at Clear-J. H. Clayton, an engineer, living near | field, Ia., killing two children and fatally injuring the father.

> Five acres of ground sunk at Duryea, Pa., and twenty-six dwelling houses were wrecked.

HOSEA C. BUCKLEY, aged 73, a veteran of the Mexican war, was killed at Muncie, Ind., by a horse kicking him in his breast.

By the capsizing of a boat in the Ohio river at Pomeroy, O., David Nutter, Robert Thompson, Daniel Harrigan, Ment Chester and Ernest Thomas were drowned; all colored and single.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

In convention at Saratoga Springs the republicans of New York nominated Levi P. Morton for governor. The platform arraigns the democratic administration for its Hawaiian policy. its treatment of old soldiers, and says the most important achievement, the tariff bill, has been fitly characterized by the chief executive as one of perfidy and dishonor. An international agreement which shall result in the use of both gold and silver as a circulating medium is favored.

WILLIAM JEFFERSON, a colored man who claimed to have been 110 years old, died in Champaign, Ill.

Ex-Senator O. V. Coffin, of Middletown, was nominated for governor by the Connecticut republican convention at Hartford.

MRS. CATHARINE RAINAN, uged 103 years, died at the home of her son near Amite City, La.

BLAKELY DURANT, better known as "Old Shady," who was the body servant of Gen. Sherman during the war, died at Grand Forks, N. D.

THE following congressional nominations were made: Michigan, Nineteenth district, W. L. Churchill (dem.). Missouri, Fifth district, J. C. Tarsney (dem.) renominated. New Jersey, Second district, J. J. Gardner (rep.) renominated. Pennsylvania, First district, H. N. Bingham (rep.) renominated; Second, R. Adams, Jr., (rep.) renominated; Third, F. K. Halterman (rep.); Fourth, John Reyburn (rep.) renominated; Fifth, A. C. Harmer (rep.)

Onto democrats in convention at Columbus nominated Milton Turner for secretary of state and J. D. Ermiston for supreme court judge. The plat form endorses the administration of the president, declares protection a fraud, and favors the unlimited coinage of silver at the legal ratio of 16 to

1 and with equal legal tender power. TILLMANITES were in the majority in the South Carolina democratic convention at Columbia and John G. Evans was nominated for governor.

MILTON F. JORDAN, of Barry county, democratic nominee for lieutenant governor of Michigan, has declined.

THE following nominations for con-(dem.). Tennessee, Fourth district, J. H. Denton (rep.). Pennsylvania, First district, D. J. Callahan (dem.); Second, Max Herzburg (dem.); Third, J. McCullen (dem.); Fourth, G. Muller (dem.); Fifth. David Moffet (dem.); Twentieth, T. J. Burke (dem.).

opera singer, died in Warrenville, N. She was about 50 years old.

THE republicans of the First district of Michigan nominated John B. Corliss for congress, and W. C. Robinson was nominated by the populists in the Third district of Alabama.

THE democrats of the Eleventh Mississippi district nominated J. G. Spencer for congress on the 1,156th ballot. In the Sixth Illinois district the republicans nominated E. D. Cooke.

The democratic committee of the ply at first and said:
shland district met at Frankfort, "What are you doing? What's the Ashland district met at Frankfort, Ky., and declared William C. Owens matter with you? the nominee for congress by a plurality

JAMES ANDERSON, grand scribe of Conklin, at the same time placing the the Ohio odd fellows, died at Chattanooga, Tenn., while attending the sovereign grand lodge meeting.

the effects of a surgical operation. He was 63 years old.

FOREIGN.

GEN. WILLIAM BOOTH, who founded the Salvation Army, arrived at St. lin went out of the bank through the Johns, N. F. He will visit all large rear door and was just mounting his

NINETEEN Japanese and fourteen Chinese warships took part in a battle in Yalu bay, and 2,500 men were killed or drowned.

NATIVES of Madagascar expect war with France and are actively engaged in arming and fortifying themselves. SPAIN is endeavoring to negotiate a York constitutional convention book- new reciprocal treaty with the United stumbled back blinded with smoke

THE United States consul at Hamburg has been instructed to detain all immigrants to America from East and West Prussia, Posen and Silicia during the prevalence of cholera in those dis-

DR. RAFAEL NUNEZ, president of the republic of Colombia, died at Colon of

LATER.

In court at Los Angeles, Cal., Galof \$500 for intimidating nonunion workmen.

gold, silver and bronze medals.

AT Harrisburg, Pa., Judge McPher- ered when Conklin was captured. son ruled that raffles were gambling and illegal.

WILLIAM H. FRIDAY, grand exalted ruler, suspended the charters of seven lodges of Elks for holding sessions on

Sr. Mary's Roman Catholic college at Oakland, Cal., was burned, the loss being \$200,000.

JIM ALLEN, a full-blooded Choctaw Indian, was shot for murder at the Pushmahata court grounds in Indian territory

Honolulu, to this country is said to be to commence a damage suit against the United States on behalf of the exqueen of Hawaii. She wants \$200,000. EIGHT mines located on the "Columbia vein," one of the greatest gold lodes

of Colorado, were sold for \$4,000,000. Toledo (O.) capitalists have projected a canal from that city to Chicago, and engineers are engaged in

making surveys. THE United States gunboat York town arrived at the Mare island navy yard, California, from Behring sea.

CYCLIST SEARLE failed to lower the road record between Chicago and New York, taking eight days and three hours to complete the journey.

CHARLES F. WILSON will be electro-

cuted at the Auburn (N. Y.) state prison during the week beginning November 6 for participation in the murder of Detective James Harvey RALPH CONKLIN, an 18-year-old boy

given to dime novel reading, robbed a Mount Sterling (Ill.) bank in true bandit style, but was captured by citizens. On the expiration of his term in congress Col. Breckinridge will resume the practice of law in Lexington, ky.

THE city car works at Erie, Pa., coving sixteen acres and valued at \$200,-000, were burned by incendiaries. THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 24th was: Wheat, 70,189,000 bushels; corn, 4,193,000 bushels: oats, 7.844,000 bushels; rye, 319,000

bushels; barley, 1,786,000 bushels.

A BOY'S BOLD BLUFF,

An 18-Year-Old Bandit Raids an Illinois Bank.

Scaring the Cashier of an Institution at Mount Sterling, Ill., He Grabs Four Hundred Dollars and Runs, But Is Captured.

AN EXCITING SCENE.

MOUNT STERLING, Ill., Sept. 25 .-This city was the scene of a real and thrilling western style bank hold-up at 10:30 b'clock Monday morning. Ralph Conklin, aged 18, was the bold gress were made: Minnesota, Third desperado. He is a native of Brown district, J. P. Heatwole (rep.). Ne-county, his parents residing a mile district, J. P. Heatwole (rep.). Ne-county, his parents residing a mile braska, First district, Mayor Weir and a half northeast of Mount Sterling. Conklin, who is given to poring over such literature as "The of Jesse James," "Deadwood Dick's Last Shot," etc., left home with an old-fashioned muzzle-loading double-barreled shotgun Monday morning and started for Mount Sterling. On MME. AMY FURSCH-MADI, the noted his way he met Mac Dunbar riding a The boy bandit leveled his gun at Dunbar and commanded him to dismount. Dunbar slid off his horse and Conkling mounted and rode into Mount Sterling.

Going to the rear of the Bloomfield Skiles bank Conklin dismounted, and leaving a boy to hold the horse he entered the bank by the rear door, wearing a mask. Approaching the cashier, J. D. Milstead, he ordered him to put up his hands. Milstead refused to com-

"Hold up your hands or I'll show you what's the matter with me," spoke up stock of his gun to his shoulder.

Cashier Milstead took to his heels and left the bank by the rear door. HERBERT M. KINSLEY, the famous Conklin lost no time and in a moment Chicago caterer, died in New York from gathered up all the money in sight, \$411. Edward Allison, who was in the bank at the time Conklin entered, ran out upon the street and gave the alarm.
After pocketing the money Conklin went out of the bank through the cities in Canada and the United States | horse when Al Snodgrass, a constable, arrived upon the scene. The constable ran up to Conklin and pulled him off his horse. Conklin jerked away from him, however, and ran down the street in the direction of the courthouse

John Nighswonder tried to catch Conklin, who opened fire on him, shooting through his coat, but inflicting no bodily injury. Nighswonder powder and the daring and robber kept on running in the direction of the courthouse. By this time he was being followed by a number of citizens, who had heard the alarm given from the bank, and the pursuit was a hot one. Men and teams dashed in the direction taken by the robber and guns and pistols were brandished in the air by all classes of

Reaching the courthouse Conklin tried to steal a horse and cart, but was lagher and Buchanan, American Rail- knocked off the cart by a well-directed way union strikers, were sentenced to brickbat. A few blocks north of the eight months' imprisonment and a fine | courthouse the masked man was held up at the muzzle of a gun by Jule Cox and compelled to surrender. The THE Chicago Great Western railway mask was torn from his face and it is said to contemplate the laying of a was then found that the Jesse James second track through most of Illinois. was none other than Ralph Conklin, AMERICAN exhibitors at the Antwerp whose days and nights have been exposition were awarded seven grand spent in reading dime novels and yellow covered tales of outlaws and bandits. The money taken was all recov-

In jail Conklin said that four men came to his house Sunday night and drawing their pistols made him promise that he would rob the bank. He further stated that if given his liberty he would give the names of the men. The affair created much excitement in Mount Sterling and the officers are now at work trying to learn if Conklin had any pals to help him plan the robbery

TWO GIRLS MURDERED.

THE errand of H. A. Widemann, of Their Bodies Found Cut in the Style of "Jack the Ripper."

VIENNA, Sept. 25 .-- A double tragedy of the "Jack-the-Ripper" class is reported from Amras, not far from Innspruck, capital of the Austrian Tyrol. A young waitress went away from her employer's residence Friday to see a religious procession. On her return she was murdered, and the only clew found as to her assassin is a razor-edged knife, which was picked up near her body. Close to the spot where the waitress was killed the body of another woman, slashed "Jack-the-Ripper" fashion, was found Monday. In addition another woman belonging to the same neighborhood is missing. A strong detachment of gendarmes and two companies of imperial riflemen are scouring the country around Amras.

ELEVATORS CLOSED.

Failure of the Corn Crop Looked Upon as a Great Calamity.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.-Mr. Charles Counselman, of Chicago, who is here. 'I have been all over the states of Iowa

Kansas and Nebraska, and especially the Rock Island system, on which I have a large line of island system, on which I have a large line of elevators. In all my history of twenty years connection with the grain trade I have not seen such a failure of the corn crop, and at points where they did expect to have a little corn they find now upon examination the cobhas but little corn on it. Coupled with the fact they raised no hay it is in my mind a calumity. I have closed one-half of my system of elevators because there is no grain to handle. Traveling through Nebraska you can see the people moving out of the country." see the people moving out of the country.'

THE HIGHEST AWARD.

Royal Baking Powder in Strength and Value 20 Per Cent. Above Its Nearest Competitor.

The Royal Baking Powder has the enviable record of having received the highest award for articles of its classgreatest strength, purest ingredients, most perfectly combined-wherever exhibited in competition with others. In the exhibitions of former years, at the Centennial, at Paris, Vienna and at the various State and Industrial fairs, where it has been exhibited, judges have invariably awarded the Royal Baking Powder the highest honors.

At the recent World's Fair the examinations for the baking powder awards were made by the experts of the chemical division of the Agricultural Department of Washington. official report of the tests of the baking powders which were made by this department for the specific purpose of ascertaining which was the best, and which has been made public, shows the leavening strength of the Royal to be 160 cubic inches of carbonic gas per ounce of powder. Of the cream of tartar baking powders exhibited at the Fair, the next highest in strength thus tested contained but 133 cubic inches of leavening gas. The other powders gave an average of 111. The Royal, therefore, was found of 20 per cent. greater leavening strength than its nearest competitor, and 44 per cent. above the average of all the other tests. Its superiority in other respects, however, in the quality of food it makes as to fineness, delicacy and wholesomeness, could not be measured by figures

It is these high qualities, known and appreciated by the women of the country for so many years, that have caused the sales of the Royal Baking Powder, as shown by statistics, to exceed the sales of all other baking powders com-

South African proof-readers die young. The last one succumbed to the description of a fight between the Unabelinijiji and Amaswazlezzi tribes.—Tit-Bits.

He-"Your friend, I hear, paints faces beautifully." She-"Only one."—Syracuse

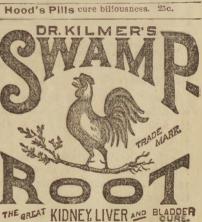
The Baker's Bill

Tells of greatly increased appetites in my family as a result of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.



After two bottles a great change was noticed. I do not have that tired feeling, no pain in the stomach, especially after eating, and in fact I feel like a new person and hold some leasure in life. Every nember of my family s using Hood's Sar-aparilla and with

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Headache, foul breath, sour stomach, heart-burn, pain in chest, dyspepsia, constipation.

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Loss of Appetite A splendid feeling to-day and a depressed one to-morrow, nothing seems to taste good, tired sleepless and all unstrung, weakness, debility.

Swamp-Root builds up quickly a rundowr constitution and makes the weak strong. At Druggists 50 cents and \$1.00 size. DR. KILMER & CO., BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

Two Stepping Stones

to consumption are ailments we often deem trivial—a cold and a cough. Consumption thus acquired is rightly termed "Consumption from neglect."

Scott's Emulsion

not only stops a cold but it is remarkably successful where the cough has become deep seated.

Scott's Emulsion is the richest of fat-foods yet the easiest fat-food to take. It arrests waste and builds up healthy flesh.

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THE THORN TREE.

A ragged thorn tree in a pasture bare, With leafage scant and sere, Stretched its gnarled branches to the restless

Year after fruitless year.

Year after year a checkered shade it cast On each stray passerby, And braved with rugged strength the winter As unafraid to die.

No summer robin yet had built its nest Where every twig grew strong With rugged life, lest in its tender breast The thorn should kill the song.

It bore some sparse sad apples, darkly red-Strange as a soul born mute,—
"Ashes of life," our sweet Elaine had said, The only Dead Sea fruit

There was a fancy in our gossip rife— Of romance but a bitter part— That the tree's thorns had wounded its own

Draining to death its heart

Our merry maid then, with a rough branch crowned. With rain of singing words, Pulled the dark fruit and cast it on the ground To woo the winter birds.

Then all at once, upon that mountain place, A vesper thrush began its hymn, Its sweetness melting in our maiden's face, Making our cold eyes dim.

And that strange tree put on a grace divine, Accepting so its life of loss, As if that one bird note had been the sign And blessing of the Cross.

-Millie W. Carpenter, in Springfield (Mass.) Republican

THE OLD MILL MYSTERY

By Arihur W. Marchmont, B. A. Author of "Miser Hondley's Secret," "Madeline Power," "By Whose Hand," "Isa," &c., &c.

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CHAPTER XXL-CONTINUED.

"Why?" asked the girl. "Why serious or desperate? What is known to anyone? What is suspected except by

"You don't mean that unkindly, I hope; though you are strange to me to night," he said. "How can I be anything else than suspicious? Think for a moment. There was the quarrel with Mr. Coode, the breaking into the mill, the finding of the neckerchief, the taking of the papers, the discovery of that steel bar wrapped in one of the missing papers, the flight, and now the unwillingness to give any intelligible account of his movements."

"I didn't say there was any unwillingness," said Mary, frightened by the staggering accumulation of facts.

"No, you did not say so, lass, I know. But can I suppose you would not have been ready enough with the explanation if he had given you one? What I have said has frightened you; and you are pale at the mere mention of these facts. But I have not wished to terrify you; only to try and let you see how other people will look at them when they are known."

The girl hung her head and bit her lip in agitation for a minute, yet thinking deeply and intently. Then she lifted her face and looked at her companion.

"When they are known. Will they ever be known?" she asked, in a voice was unsteady and low. need they be known?"

"What do you mean?" asked the

man by way of reply. "Most of these things are known "Why, then, is only to you," she said. it necessary to speak of them?'

Reuben Gorringe rose from his chair and walked once or twice with hasty steps up and down the little room

Then he stopped by the side of the girl. "You would have me continue to keep all this as a secret?" he asked, and bent over her as he spoke.

"You have said you are our friend-Tom's friend and mine." She looked up in his face, and spoke in a pleading, supplicating tone. "Can you not this out of your friendship? know he has never done what is said against him. I know it; I feel it in his passion, and as he bent over the my heart. I would not ask this if I did not know that Tom's heart in this his face made him tremble with exis as innocent as my own. He could not do such a thing. There can be no harm therefore in not increasing the difficulty of proving his innocence. You are not bound to speak out what you think. Ah, Mr. Gorringe, do help us. For God's sake, help us.'

She rose at this, and, standing by him, took his hand and carried it to her lips, and looked imploringly into mine must find its counterpart. But I

"Do you know all that you are asking me to do?" he asked, rather

hoarsely. "I am asking you to help one who is innocent from the dangers of injustice

and wrong," she said.
"What if he be guilty?" he asked.
"Then think what I am doing. I am helping to set at liberty a man who could do such a deed as this-and to put you into his power." His voice sank to a answer would be. But instinctively whisper as he said this, and his eyes avoided her troubled gaze for a moment. "That is asking me to do what frightens me." he said. "If I know "I cannot answer now. Give that he were innocent—if I knew it, I time to think, and leave me now," she say; if all were explained to me -it | said. would be different. But the fear that you, whom of all women on this earth | pressed it to his lips, and when she did I would give my life to keep from dan- not seek to withdraw it his heart beat ent voice.

such a risk, stays me. If he is not innocent, and my silence sets him at liberty, I am the instrument of putting you into the power of a man who could do a deed of this awful character."

"I am not afraid," said Mary, with a smile which was eloquent of her confidence in her lover's innocence. you need not be."

"You do not look at these facts as I do. No, Mary, it cannot be. Until I know that you would not be endangered I cannot keep silence. Listen; my belief is this: He went to the mill wishing to convince Mr. Coode of his innocence of the other charge. They discussed it, quarreled, and probably in sudden fierce and violent wrath he struck the blow which proved fatal. I will not, even to save Tom Roylance. subject you to the risks which similarly sudden violence might mean."

"Would you rather that an innocent man suffered?'

"No, only I would rather that the whole case were fully inquired into and the truth discovered."

"You are hard, very hard to move," she cried.

"If I am hard, it is for you," he said, bending over her. "You know why I have taken this interest in Tom. It is not for him, or for his sake. He is no more to me than the click of a shuttle. It has been for you, and for you alone, my lass. You know how I love you; you know I am a man who never changes, and that that love I will never alter. It is my life. When I saw him neglecting you, I said never a word; though I hated him for the misery I knew he was causing to you, and I would have hounded him from the place. But I held my hand for your sake, lass. I had schooled myself till I could wish and plan and scheme for your happiness, even with another man. I meant well by Tom; and then that ugly business of the sick fund money cropped up. I smoothed it over -- for your sake lass, not his. Then the mill accounts were wrong, and I head, and whispering ain't forbidden. tried to make things right with Mr. Coode. It was never my fault that things went as they did. The moment there was a chance I meant Tom to come back; and still it was all for your sake, Mary. I would have done fifty times, aye, five hundred times as much if it meant your happiness. For I loved you, my lass, ah, as a lass has rarely been loved in this world."

He stopped as though his emotion had overcome him.

"This will be for my happiness, said the girl, awed by the strength of passion which had inspired the man's

"Nay.nay: if Tom has done what I fear he has, it might mean, not happiness for you but constant danger. There is but one thing that would let me do what you ask.

"What is that?" cried the girl, a quick, eager light flashing from her eyes and illumining her face, as she rose and stood by his side.

"If you consent to have his guilt or innocence left unsettled by keeping these facts concealed, you must ready to accept the consequences of will. leaving the issue in doubt."

"What do you mean by consequences?" asked Mary.

"You must act as if he could not prove his innocence." The man's voice was hoarse and hollow with nervous-

ness as he said this. "Well? What does that mean?" "That in the first place you two must

keep apart." Then came a long silence. "Vou mean that the price of your

silence is to be our separation?" She spoke in a hard, clear, cutting

monotone. "I mean that if he cannot prove his

innocence, I dare not trust you to his keeping," answered Reuben Gorringe "Is there anything more?" "I love you, Mary," he burst out. "I

love you with all my heart and strength and soul. I will give up my life to make you happy. If you are parted from him, I can offer you a shelter in my heart. You shall never know a shadow of care or misery. I will give up my life to you, my love. Trust me, my darling, and I swear that you shall never repent it."

He shook with the force and rush of girl the sweep of her hair as it touched

"Would you marry a girl who cannot love you, and who might grow to hate you for the manner in which you

had won her consent?' He knew from the words that she had seen his purpose. But he cared nothing for that now.

"I love you," he said. "Such love as care nothing for that. I love you. That is enough for me. Give me yourself. Let me have you with me always. To be able to see your face, to listen to your voice, to try and win your love. That is enough. My God, would be content to marry you though you hated me like sin or

doubted herself, or doubted what her morning train. she began to feel that there was something she did not understand-some

cannot answer now. Give me

Reuben Gorringe took her hand and ger, might possibly have to encounter | quick with exultation.

CHAPTER XXII. TOM S STATEMENT.

All that night Mary wrestled with the problem which Reuben Gorringe had set her. Strong as her faith in Tom's innocence was, what Gorringe had said had been sufficient to make house as quick as possible. I thought her understand the extreme danger in which he stood, and the dire need for face you-mad though I was-and I his having a shrewd and clever man to rushed back as quick as my legs would defend him. She saw, too, what a vast take me to Presburn. But I could see difference it would make if the evidence which Reuben Gorringe alone possessed were kept secret.

Yet, what a price was that asked for silence. Could she pay it? If there nothing of her, and have seen nothing were no alternative—if no other means since. That's the truth, lass, on my remained for saving Tom's good name honor." and honor-she would do it.

But there was no time in which that issue could be put to the test. It was the most hopeless feature of the whole plan that she had to say at once what course she would take. It was not to be a last and desperate course; but she had to judge for herself what would be the probable results of a trial in which the evidence would be produced, and to decide before it could be tried.

Out of all the confusion of thought one determination came. She would see Tom, get the whole of the facts from him and then try to judge of the thoughts.

chances making arrangements to see him before the case came on before the mag-

To her dismay, however, she was not permitted to see him alone. She spoke to the police sergeant who was to be present, asking him to leave them to-

"We are lovers," she said, simply; and she looked so piteous that the man -who himself was unmarried and in love-was touched.

"I must carry out my instructions; but-" and here he looked cunningly at her-"I ain't got eyes in the back of my

Thus Mary gained her way despite the law, and when the lovers met they had an eager, whispered conference. She told him what Reuben Gorringe had said about a lawyer. Then she questioned him.

"You must tell me what passed on that Friday night, Tom."

"I told you I would rather not, Mary," he answered.

"But my dear, I must know. must all be made known. You will cleared up?" have to account for all your time on that Friday might." Tom hung his head, as if ashamed to

"You'll hate me, lass, when you know, and may be turn from me; and then I won't have a friend left in the "And the neckerchie

whole blessed world." "Tom. Tom, don't even hint such a thing. Who should be your friend if not I, your promised wife? Tell me made the confession shamefacedly and

all.' "I was with Savannah all that even-

The words came out slowly and reluctantly, as if dragged against his

"With Savannah!" cried Mary, in astonishment.

"I'd best tell you the lot, my lass, and then you'll see why I've been ashamed to mention it. After you and I parted, and I had promised to stop and face out the matter of the money, I meant to keep my word. I did, indeed-" Mary kissed him to let him feel that she believed and forgave him—"I waited a bit, and then started to go to the mill, as I told you I would, to have a talk over the matter with Mr. Coode. I was going there when I met Savannah. I don't know how it is, but she has always had a sort of influence over me. I don't know what it is. When I'm away from her, I can't understand myself: but when I'm with her, she can make me do pretty much what she pleases."

"She shall never do that again,

"She stopped me going and made me go with her instead. We stayed near her cottage for a time, and presently we walked away-I don't know what time—and went along the Presburn road half-way to the town, I should think; and then-well, I can't tell you all that passed. I don't rightly know myself, I fancy. But the old idea and longing to run away came over me. She said she knew about the robbery of the money and that I was disgraced if I stayed in the place; and—well, my lass, it'll hurt you to hear me say it, maybe; but you wanted me to tell the truth-she made me promise to go away with her for good, and I was that beside myself that I was hot and eager for her to do it."

"What, then?" asked the girl, who was trembling in dread of what had

yet to come. "I must have been mad, lass, I think. Anyway, I did just what she told me, and asked never a question. She told me to go back and get such things as I cared to have with me, and then to walk over to meet her at Presburn and Mary was silent. Not because she to go on to Manchester by the early miles an hour. This whale measured

low, trembling voice.

-it must have been somewhere about tain the speed mentioned. ten o'olock. I was home this side of midnight-and I've never seen her

"What?" cried Mary, in a very differ-

"I've never seen her since," he re-

peated. "I hurried home, said a few words to my father to prepare him for what he would hear of my running away from the charge of theft, and with Savannah-for I knew it must all come out-and got away out of the you might be coming, and I dursen't nothing of Savannah. I lingered about

the streets all through the night until the dawn, and with the earliest train was away to Manchester. But I saw since. That's the truth, lass, on my The telling had been painful enough

for them both; and at the close Mary remained buried for a minute in deep thought. Then she lifted her arms suddenly and threw them round the man, embracing him with such passion and fervor as he had rarely known.

She clung to him thus until she recovered her self-command.

"Time's nearly up," said the police sergeant at this moment, and without turning his head to look round.

This served to quicken the girl's

"There are some questions I must Early the next morning she went to ask," she said. "We must try to keep the police station, and succeeded in calm. How came you to place a small steel bar behind the books in your parlor? I found it on the Sunday after

you had gone away." "A small steel bar," he said. "There's not such a thing in the house that I know of. Where do you mean?'

She told him all, except that she had found blood stains on it; he repeated his denial of any knowledge of the thing, and was full of surprise at what she said.

"Did you ever get hold of the papers relating to that money affair?" she asked him. "One of them was around the bar."

"I never saw them except in Mr. Coode's hands on Friday afternoon. Certainly I never took them."

"It is strange, very strange," replied Mary. "Another thing I told youthat a witness swears you were close to the mill on Friday night. were seen breaking in somewhere about ten o'clock, and that a handkerchief of yours was found close by the very spot. Can you suggest anything to show where this mistake can be

"Certainly, I can. Savannah herself will prove that I was not near the mill. I did not leave her on the Presburn road until past ten; and then I'd six miles to walk back to Walkden Bridge.

"And the neckerchief?"

"I gave it to her," he said, "I gave it to her some days before-one night made the confession shamefacedly and reluctantly-"and she had not returned it.'

"You gave it to Savannah?" cried Mary, somewhat excitedly. "But if you gave it to Savannah now came it the mill that night?" she asked. "It is reckoned as proof of your hav ing been there at a wrong time on a wrong errand. What about Savannah?" Tom looked at his companion, and

his face was pale. "I have been asking myself that question ever since you told me yesterday at Manchester about the scarf having

been found," he said. "I'm sorry to interrupt you two," said the police sergeant, turning and coming to them; "but time's more than

up."
"Good-by, Tom, then," cried the girl, throwing her arms around his neck and kissing him passionately and hastily. "Keep heart, dear, and we'll soon have things all cleared. God bless you, sweetheart," and with a smile of loving confidence she hurried away.

The chief thought in her mind was that at last all fear of Savannah's in-Tom," whispered the girl, pressing his fluence was at an end, and being a woman that assurance gave her infinite pleasure.

Then she puzzled over what could possibly be the meaning of that neckerchief being found where it was. If it meant anything serious to Savannah, she would be sure to deny that Tom had ever given it to her. The same reasoning applied to her evidence about their having been together in the evening and until so late; and Mary pondered long and anxiously over the best way of approaching the girl with the view of getting from her the truth.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Horse Power of the Whale.

An interesting study of the horse power of the whale has been made by the eminent anatomist, Sir William Turner, of the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, in conjunction with Mr. John Henderson, the equally eminent Glasgow shipbuilder. The size and dimensions of a great whale, stranded several years ago on the shore at Longriddy, furnished the necessary data for computation of the power necessary to propel it at the rate of twelve eighty feet in length, twenty feet "Yes," said Mary, again in the same across the flanges of the tail, and weighed seventy-four tons. It was "We parted at a spot close about calculated that one hundred and fortythree-quarters of the way to Presburn five horse power was necessary to at-

IRISH railways carry a larger proportion of first-class passengers than any other country in the United Kingdom. England heads the list in third-class passengers.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

Later Reports from the Two Great Recent Engagements.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 21.—Early reports of the great naval battle in Yalu bay between Japanese and Chinese forces have been confirmed. Both sides are yet claiming the victory. The was very heavy on both sides, the Japanese having three vessels sunk during the engagement while the Chinese lost two, including the flag ship, Chin Yuen, the pride of the Chinese navy. Early dispatches re-ported the loss of this boat, but it was supposed it had been confounded with the Chao Yung. The latter was rainmed so hard that she was beached in order to avoid capture by the Jamese.

The Chinese claim they defeated the Japanese fleet. This claim is not entirely indorsed by the correspondent at Port Arthur, which lies across the Gulf of Corea from the scene of, the engagement. He says he has 'seen some of the Chinese officers who took part in the battle, and from what he gleaned from them it is apparent they did not believe their fleet had been victorious.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 22 .- Field Marshal Yamagata, commanding the Japanese forces in Corea, is marching with 45,-000 troops against Moulden from the southeast. The object of attack is one of the strategic points and should it fall into Japanese hands the progress of the invaders of Chinese soil would be made much less difficult.

The Chinese will make a desperate effort to hold their ground and a fierce conflict is expected when the opposing forces meet. The advance of the Japs bears out the idea of their determination to force their way to the interior and take possession of Pekin.

The value of the stores and ammunition captured by the Japanese at Ping Yang is reported to be \$3,000,000.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—Dispatches received here from Shanghai say that the total number of the Chinese fleet engaged in the battle fought off the mouth of the Yalu river was twelve warships and four torpedoboats. The Japanese fleet, it is added, was composed of seventeen ships, some of which were small war vessels. The Chinese claim to have sunk the Japanese warships Abushima and Yossina and a Japanese transport which had been converted into a cruiser and named the Saiko. A private report received here from Shanghai declares that these vessels were not sunk. as the Chinese claim, but that they retired from the action in a disabled condition. It is reported that the Chinese transport Toonan was sunk after she had landed her troops, but this is thought to be probably incorrect. The report that Admiral Ting and Col. Von Hannekin were severely wounded seems to be incorreet, for they have both returned to

The officials of the Japanese legation here have received a private cable message from Yokohama saying that on September 16 twelve Chinese warships encountered nine Japanese ships, with the result that after severe fighting the Chinese lost four vessels and the Japanese none.

London, Sept. 24.—The Berlin correspondent of the Standard says that negotiations are in progress between Germany, England and Russia relative to the war between China and Japan, and that identical instructions will probably be sent to their respective ministers at Pekin.

London, Sept. 24.—A dispatch to the Central News from Shanghai dated 6 p. m., September 21, says: "The commanding officers of four of the Chinese warships were killed in the engagement off the mouth of the Yalu river. Admiral Ting was wounded in the cheek and leg, but in neither case seriously. Five of the transport ships are still missing. Three Chinese transports are reported to have been captured. All of the Chinese warships that were not sunk are badly damaged. The Japanese ships are preparing for another at-

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Dispatches received at the Japanese legation here give further confirmation of the sea fight off Yalu and add the interesting information that the empress of Japan, as chief patroness of the Red Cross society in that country, personally engaged daily with her court ladies in preparing bandages, lints, etc., for the wounded Chinese as well as Japanese engaged in the recent great battles of Ping Yang and Yalu. The activity of the empress in personally directing the humane work of the Red Cross while the emperor has gone to the front is a source of among the Japanese officials here.

Mr. Kurino, the new Japanese minister, was in consultation with Secretary Gresham for some time in pursuance of the negotiation of a new treaty of trade and commerce, which will contain no assertion of the right of extra-territorial jurisdiction by the United States in Japan.

To Wear Turkish Trousers.

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 25.—About 100 of the suffrage women of Topeka will come out in reformed dress. They have entered into an agreement which Dr. Eva Harding and Dr. Agnes Haviland say is to be reduced to writing. The costume is to consist of Turkish trousers, covered by a skirt reaching to the fold, a close or loose waist, as the wearer may prefer, and cloth leggins to match the trousers.

KINGSTON NEWS ITEMS.

About a dozen from here took in th excursion to Chicago, Sunday.

Frank Vosburg has rented the Mc Allister farm west of town and will take possession soon.

The Kingston second nine will pla the Belvidere nine, on the diamond of posite the C. M. & St. P. depot or Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. McMillan who has been stopping here some time, returned to Chicago Sunday.

Today occurs Mrs. Elizabeth Harper's sale, at the farm north of town. All things belonging to the esta e will be sold. O. Beckington, of Belvidere, will be auctioneer.

The village board received the names of those who desired to jon the fire department last Saturday vening. About twenty names were

d. At the first meeting of the by, they will elect officers that, will give drills. The ill be notified when they are place.

er Reid and family, of Mayfield, leave this week for Iowa, where will commence farming.

A brakeman on the C. M. & St. P was quite badly hurt at the depot last week while coupling some cars. He was taken to the hospital at Chicago.

Rev. Hester's horse thought he would go up A. N. Wylly's concret walk, but having run into an obstruction he changed his mind. The minister, however, was thrown out but not

Wm. Sivwright who has been stopping at Milwaukee for some time is visiting his brother here.

Frank Gorham's sale last Tuesday Strong' was not very well attended and bidding was slow.

Mrs. Mary Dockham went to Chicago last week to visit friends and rela-

A number of Kingston Masons drove to Genoa last week where they were treated to supper.

Last Wednesday four solitary carpenters started the eraction, and by the last of the week had a place completed for our fire engine.

On last wednesday, Mr. Fred Sivwright, of Mayfield, and Miss Carrie Leonhardt, of North Kingston were quietly married at Belvidere. They Repairing neatly Done.__ have numerous friends in this part of the country who extend them hearty congratulations and best wishes. The Kingston band gave them serenade Thursday night.

There was no services here last Sunday morning as Rev. Hester, of the M. E. church, with a rumber of other residents of this place attended the dedication of the new M. E. cl urch at Genoa. It is a beau i'ul edifice and a great credit to the town. A number of young people went over in the even-

On last Thursday our citizens were treated to a tent circus. They occupied J. H. Uplinger's vacnat lot.

Delos Ball lost two horses last week with distemper.

O. B. Chalmers went to Mayor Hopkin's city last Tuesday on business, having been carried to Kirkland he was transported back in the morning by Claton Gibbs on a velocipede

James McAllista's sale attracted a large crowd last Wednesday and every thing that was sold brought a good price. Wm. Rell was the auctioneer.

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