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OLNY TWO MORE WEEKS

WHEN THE SEWING MACHINE AND WATCH CONTEST WILL CLOSE

NONA PHELPS STILL IN THE LEAD

Kingston Girl is Making a Thorough Canvas of Her Terri prize won by a corn grower in ern Wisconsin and North-western county, who is near 104 years old, tory, while the Genoa Candidates are after all that show Themselves in this Section ----Pay up now and Help

Two weeks from Wednesday night of this week, promptly at 8 young man scarcely more than brought about thru the recent release from the Oshkosh mano'clock, the Republican-Journal contest will close. Subscribers and twenty years. An average acre order of the Chicago board of agement and will take up the candidates should keep the date and hour in mind. The returns dur- measured off in his field yielded health regarding the tuberculosis management of the Rockford ing the past week have been fair. All the ladies are making a good 133 bushels of shelled corn. No test. Lake and Kane counties Reds. Definite word of his recanvas, but considerable of their work has resulted in promises which other acre in the world equalled and one county in Indiana are lease to the Rockford team has will probably be fulfilled before the ballot box finally closes.

The count this week finds Miss Phelps still in the lead.

Principle of the second	Count Feb. 17	Grand Total
Miss Nona Phelps—Kingston	585	.6396

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

runry 26-by Lower Grades

New Livery

Ladies' Aid Dinner

The Ladies' Aid Society of

ble for any debts she may con-

Feb. 17. 1909.* FLOYD BASSETT

tract after this date.

LINEN SHOWER

At Home of F. H. Jackman in Honor of At Crawford's Hall Friday Evening Feb- in that for our corn-growers. Miss Gertrude Kirk

Misses Elma Smock and Effie made by the four lower rooms of Canman, in honor of Miss Ger- the public school for an entertrude Kirk, took place at the tainment at Crawford's hall on Lake City, Iowa.—The corn Republican - Journal print shop July. home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Friday evening, February 26. cob may as well make up its turned out a job that would tax Elgin today boasts the largest Jackman last Saturday evening. The program is being prepared in mind that it is going to be retired many country offices to the limit, Rebekah lodge in Illinois and, Miss Kirk who will soon become keeping with Washington's birth- for here comes H. J. Sconce with and one on which many such according to state officers, the a bride, was invited to the "party" day suggestions and it was in- a crop of cobless corn. The corn offices would fall down com- second in the United States. in the usual manner and the tended to give it on the 22nd, but is better than that raised on a pletely. We set up in type and Samaritan lodge, No. 120, of that "shower" came in the nature of a other matters came up making it cob, takes up less room and is printed 13,000 circulars in about city adopted its four hundredth surprise after her arrival. She advisable to postpone the affair much easier to handle. So what's 20 hours' time without in the member and celebrated the event was the recipient of many fine until the 26th.

tly by the guests, a tempting 25c; children 15c. lunch being served at a late hour. The following ladies were pres-

Misses-Effie Canman Elma Smock Catherine Lane Elsie Ferson Mary Dugger Della Olmsted Gertrude Kirk oe Stott Mary Canavan Adele Kirk Etha Pierce Julia Bowers Zada Corson Cassie Burroughs

Marjorie Rowen Ada Taylor Not B. P. Smith

be Philip B. Smith of Marengo store. proved to be another man. Mrs. Smith of Granville, and son-inlaw, Rev. Chas. Matthews, insti Ney will serve a dinner at the tuted a thorough search for the home of Mrs. Geo. Dalby on Satman, and succeeded in locating urday of this week, Feb. 20 him at Eastport, N. Y., on Tues- Everybody is cordially invited. day of last week, but she was There will be no end of good the Geneva city council granted a Price Quoted Up 1 Cent on Board of documents in this state in 1865, Postoffice Department in the Feb- overwork and worries. It is bedisappointed in finding that it things to eat. Remember, you fifty-year franchise to the Chicawas not her husband. The man are invited. was about seventy years of age and seemed to know all about Marengo, and said he was an wife, Lottie Bassett, having left intimate friend of Mr. Smith, giv- my bed and board, I hereby give ing some well known incidents notice that I will not be responsiconcerning his life.

Pay your subscription now.

YANKEE TRIMS 'EM

121 1/2 bushels. This same farmer county into line. took the prize for the best flint M. S. Campbell who owns one this definite announcement will corn grown east of the Mississippi of the finest holstein dairies in meet with universal interest and and for the best corn grown any this section, was elected director approval. where. He did this, too, on a or delegate from this county and A jury in the Aurora city court farm which has been in cultiva- attended a meeting in Chicago Wednesday awarded a verdict of tion for nearly 250 years. If we Monday. are not mistaken there is a lesson

COBLESS CORN

A linen shower, arranged by Great preparations are being lowa Farmer Makes Discovery and Im-

the sense in having corn with least interfering with the usual with a banquet and reception to

ed with hearts, in keeping with choruses, readings, etc, and well chased a quantity of seed corn in from top to bottom with solid The DeKalb Midland Electric the occasion, they being decided- worth the consideration of every- Illinois. In the shipment was a ten point or long primer type, Railway company which will build ly suggestive of Dan Cupid's raid. one who can find the required freak ear, which instead of the consisting mostly of quotations. from Somonauk, through Sand-The evening was passed pleas- change to gain admission. Adults, ordinary cob was composed of a The job was set up by our fore- wich and Waterman to DeKalb,

> ducting the livery business at the Winters barn, formerly conducted decided to plant all the kernels per hour. by Richardson & Snow. Mr. found on the freak ear. To his ()ur press has a capacity of week by the Sandwich council. Richardson has a nice line of new surprise, the ears produced this 1600 to 2000 per hour This speed The city legislators voted unanibuggies, both single and two fall were found to be the exact could not be averaged on this job mously in favor of the franchise. seaters, with bright, clean harness reproductions of the single ear. however as static electricity got Another legal bump was exand robes. He is now adding He has decided to plant more of into the papers, making it im- perienced by the Aurora, DeKalb have repeated. Recently while of Afton township was examined

horses to his stock and by the deavor to improve upon it.

CHICAGO TO SYCAMORE

Franchise Granted Chicago, Wheaton and

On Monday night of this week go, Wheaton & Western Electric Railway company. The city re-To whom it may concern: My

ceives \$30,000. The dispatches from Geneva to the Chicago papers say that the trade. new road will be an extension of the third-rail system west of Wheaton, through West Chicago to Geneva and probably to Syca-

Stabbing at DeKalb

What will without doubt result in another trial in this county for manslaughter occurred among the numerous Finns in DeKalb last Saturday night.

jail awaiting the result of the o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m for his first year in office. It has evenings of each week.

DIRECTOR ELECTED

Land that has Been Worked 250 Years At Meeting of Dairymen Held in Genor

Illinois is a great corn state. There was a good turn out at All this great prairie region is the dairymen's meeting at Crawfamous for corn But have the ford's hall last Saturday, some of corn growers noticed what hap the best dairies in this vicinity pened at the national corn ex- being represented. An attempt position at Omaha recently? A is being made to organize all the fine prize was offered for the best dairies that contribute to the acre of dent corn raised any Chicago market, taking the terriwhere in the world. Was the tory in Northern Illinois, South- tenarian of Richmond, McHenry Illinois, Iowa, Missouri or Kansas, Indiana Up to Saturday some is reported to be seriously ill at or anywhere else in the great 700 men had gone into the deal, her home and is not expected to corn belt? Not at all. It was | The organization is not only for live many more days. won by a corn grower in Con-protection, but for the better- Base ball fans of Rockford are necticut, only a short distance ment of conditions in the dairy rejoicing over the fact that from Hartford, N. H. Brewer, a business, it all having been George Bubser has secured his it. In 1907 an average acre well organized, the meeting being been received, and while it has measured on his farm yielded held Saturday to get DeKalb been practically decided for some

A JOB OF PRINTING

That Proves the Capacity of the Republican-Journal Shop

The rooms were neatly decorat- program, consisting of drills, A year ago Mr. Sconce pur- lars were 15 x 22 inches, filled from neighboring cities.

time this paper is issued can turn The freak ear yielded as much manner, thru friction, they act Kane county circuit court reout a rig for any purpose. Re- corn as those provided with a like something alive, either cling- turned a verdict of \$4,000 in favor cut on one of his fingers. Soon The petition asking for this

> stack them. Under the most favorable con- county's metropolis. ditions this job could have been finished in seventeen hours.

BUTTER MARKET HIGHER

Trade by Committee

The price of butter crawled up cent Monday and was declared

cents on extras and 32 cents on line. specials with the market steady.

Former markets: Feb. 18, '09, 29c. Feb. 17, '08. 32c. Feb. 18, '07, 33c. Feb 19, '06, 28c.

voters of the village of Genoal

OF EXCHANGES

Henry County, is very Ill at the Age of 104

Mrs. Sallie G. Cotting, a cen-

time that he would be manager

\$5,000 to Martin McCullough of Batavia, who sued the Aurora, Elgin and Chicago Electric Railway company for \$20,000 for an alleged injury to his spine received in a head-on crash of For the Lembke sale which Aurora and Elgin cars at Springbegins Saturday of this week, the brook, near North Aurora, last

It will be purely a patriotic cobs? This is how it happened: run of other work. These circu- assembly officers and members Poisoning of Mail Clerk on I. C. Causes

corn and husk, the grains being man, Mr. Holly, in less than ten and which plans it is said, later to neatly wrapped upon the soft hours, a remarkably short time. parallel the Burlington to Aurora E. H. Richardson is now con- foundation like peas in a pod. The press work was done in about and to build a spur from Plano to Mr. Sconce was impressed and ten hours, or an average of 1300 Yorkville was granted a fifty year franchise Monday night of last

curate in the making out of all the following new regulation: firm at 30 cents by the board of documents entrusted to him and he will give every patron the "Cards bearing particles of

railway has increased its order in envelopes tightly sealed to noon at 1:30 p. m. He has been for coal from the Spring Valley prevent the escape of such parti- holding services regularly every 2 Coal company from 17,000 to cles, or when treated in such weeks and will continue to do so. 30,000 tons per day, nearly doubl- manner as will prevent the ob- The congregations have been ing the order. This will mean jectionable substances from being constantly growing. About 40 steady work for at least three rubbed off or injuring persons persons attended the last service. Notice is hereby given to the mines alone on the one order.

William Jennings Bryan is go-T. M. FRAZIER, V. C. been estimated that Mr. Bryan's 20-tf

OF GENERAL INTEREST forthcoming speaking tour will GRAND require him to travel 20,000 miles ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS or more and before next January he will have delivered nearly 500 PROSPECTS GOOD FOR BUSY speeches and lectures.

A bounty for marriages and IS OVER 100 YEARS OLD children has been voted by the FEBRUARY TERM municipal council of Nautes, Mrs. Sailie G. Cotting, a Resident of Mc- France. Hereafter any city em- Long List of Criminal Cases and Some ploye of Nautes in good standing will receive twenty dollars down on marrying and ten dollars per month for each child until the The February term of the cirfather's own salary ever pass \$600 Monday, promises to be a busy yearly, nothing further will be one, as many important cases will paid as that sum is considered in come up for settlement. Judge that part of France sufficient to Carnes will preside. support a family of eight.

A. H. OLMSTEAD



Born January 12, 1835 Died February 4, 1909

NEW POSTAL RULING

the New Card Regulation

The poisoning of Frank Camp- at \$26 an acre. run is from Chicago to Freeport W. Dunton et al vs. F. C. Patten, Postoffice Department regarding due. the mailing of such cards. Mr, Campbell had an experi-

ence which he does not care to John Gossman, a young farmer one of the cards made a slight Elgin the same day for treatment.

Order No. 1998

New York markets quote 31 benefit of his experience in this glass, metal, mica, sand, tinsel or Rev. C. Christiansen of Chicago other similar substances, are un- will preach at the Advent Chris-The Chicago & Northwestern mailable, except when enclosed tian church next Sunday afterhandling the mails."

Taxes! Taxes!

As the result of an affray at that on March 9, 1909, a primary ing to smash into smithereens all I will be at the store of Perkins the language should fail to be the boarding house of Mrs. Lund- election will be held at the village public speaking and chautauqua & Rosenfeld every week day present. "Love, the Flower of berg, 126 North Tenth street, hall for the purpose of nominat- lecturing records during 1909. If until further notice, from the Greatest Beauty in the Garden of shortly after 7 o'clock, Elles ing the following officers: One his voice holds out he expects hours of 8 a. m. to 12 m., and 1 Our Lord, ' is the subject that Wideacka was stabbed so that president of village board, 3 vil- to make \$100,000, or as much as to 5 p. m. to collect taxes. I will will be treated next Sunday afterdeath will result, and Frank lage trustees, I police magistrate President-elect Taft will receive be there also from 6:30 to 8 on noon. German Sunday School is Micki, his assailant, is in the city The polls will be open from 6 under the new bill in congress Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday held at the home of Gustav Stoll

TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT

Important Ones Including Genoa's Death Mystery,

(Tribune)

latter is 14 years old. Should the cuit court, which begins next

Especially will the grand jury The earth's fertile region is have some important investigaestimated at over 28 million tions to make, as no less than square miles; the desert about two murder trials may result from four million square miles; the their deliberations at their coming steppes about 13 million square session next week. One is the miles and the polar regions at solving of the death mystery at some over four million square Genoa and the other the stabbing affray last Saturday at DeKalb, in which one man lost his life.

In all there are now 10 criminal cases on the docket, as against 13 at the last term. And these may be increased after the grand jury reports. Six of the criminal numbers are liquor cases which have been referred back from the county court.

The law docket contains 137 cases and the chancery docket

Among the important civil suits is that of Edith Dennis against F. B. Townsend, W. I. Crawford et al in which the complainant brings action to recover over \$7,000 worth of stock which she says she purchased in the Jobbers' Manufacturing company. She represents her money was secured fraudulently, as the stock represented to be worth \$10 a share had no value. She gave in payment of her shares a Wisconsin farm of 280 acres valued

bell, railway mail clerk, whose Another suit is that of George on the Illinois Central through a foreclosure on a trust deed to handling post cards which had Hinckley property securing notes some poisonous matter in the to the value of \$12,000. Six of fancy embossing design, is be- the notes, \$3,000 worth, have been lieved to have been the direct satisfied, the suit being brought cause of a new ruling by the to recover the remaining \$9,000

Sent to Elgin Hospital

several good drivers and family the corn next year and will enpapers become charged in this last week when a jury in the post cards a hard substance on found insane. He was taken to

The mysterious man seen in member the place, on Genoa cob, and the kernels were large ing to every object as the glued of Robert Aldis in a damage suit after he began to have a peculiar procedure of court was filed by New York, who was thought to street, at the rear of Pickett's and solid. The ears were filled, there, or jumping away from the brought by him for injuries suskernels even growing among the pile, making it impossible to tained in an accident of the road moments he fell unconscious in patient. Gossman is about 38 between that city and Kane the mail car and was found in an years of age, single, and has been unconscious condition when the an industrious and hard working J. B. Babcock of Marengo has train reached Freoport. He had young man. Though not particureceived his appointment as Not- been poisoned by the post card. larly obstreperous he has shown ary Public. He was granted a After fully recovering he made a signs of mental failure for some commission to acknowledge legal protest on the subject and the time, caused it is thought by making forty-four years service. ruary Postal Guide, a copy of lieved a course of treatment at During those long years of ex- which was received at the Genoa the Elgin Asylum will restore perience he has been very ac- post office this week, announces him to his normal condition be-

German Services

The services are conducted in German. None who understand at 10 a.m. Come and be assured J. G. STOLL. that you are welcome.

Good For 2 Votes 0 0 in 0 0 Genoa Republican-Journal's Sewing Machine and Watch Contest Vote for_

How to Tell a Good School. Even more indicative of the inner spirlt of a school, however, are the liteven the prowess of the football team. A boy is an inveterate generalizer and, moreover, you are quite likely to mistell you that the food is "rotten." a lesson right straight along, and that nation for leadership in such matters." beaten; all of which will only mean his message to congress a copy of the the football team has never been out a long lesson, and the football quest of that organization. team has won. No, don't try to pump him about the school, but just notice how he talks of it, and of the masters. If he fires up when you suggest that there is anything to criticise in it, if he speaks of this or that master with a gentle suggestion of affection in his voice, and more especially if he does or that master, then the chances are that he goes to a good school.

If the world had not passed beyond the age of myth-making, the disaster in southern Italy would be ascribed to the turning of Enceladus in his sleep. Enceladus was one of the giants who rebelled against Jupiter. He was killed by one of Jupiter's thunderbolts, according to Virgil, and buried under Mount Etna. When he turns in his grave the earth quakes, and when he breathes the mountain belches forth fire and smoke. It was the peculiar geographical and geological formations round Sicily and the Strait of Messina that gave rise to many of the ancient | the president points out that "the namyths. The rock of Scylla, dangerous to navigators, was believed to be the home of a monster which seized the sailors from the decks of the ships that passed too near. The whirlpool of Charybdis, across the strait, was said to be caused by another monster which swallowed the sea and spewed it out again three times a day. The Sirens lived on an island in the neighborhood and charmed sailors to their destruction. They were finally foiled by Odysseus, who closed the ears of his sailors with wax and had himself lashed to the mast of his ship. So chagrined were the three sisters that they threw themselves into the sea, and were transformed into rocky islands which bear their names.

fur-bearing animals." declared a standard school geography published so recently as 1875. The discovery of gold served materially to broaden that view. and a representative of the department of agriculture now reports that the territory's agricultural possibilities be to construct a channel 600 feet wide have been grievously underestimated, and 26 feet deep. Such a waterway In the Yukon valley he has ripened oats, barley and winter wheat for successive seasons, and found them fully as heavy as the best grain of the states. Grasses grow abundantly, as do all the hardier vegetables; and when it comes to live stock, Galloway Daring Robber Grabs Pay Roll of Decattle, a long-haired, hardy breed, stand the climate well. Such facts suggest that it should not be difficult to carry out the aim of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, "to correct the common impression that Alaska and Yukon are nothing but countries of cold and

pean powers has done but little exper- the department store was detracted imentation with aerial war-craft. Yet for a single minute. she is of all nations the most threatened by the recent inventions and im- of the robbery by the cry of Sullivan, provements in aerial work, because and immediately started to aid in the she has depended largely for security on her splendid isolation, protected by her powerful navy, says Henry B. Hersey in the Century. Now she realizes that this isolation cannot be main- and the hunt on the street was contained against aerial attack by any tinued. At night it was reported the present means of defense, and that such defense must be prepared in the form of a fleet of air cruisers.

Concerning that declaration that "woman is man's horse" it is further commented that the gray mare is often the better horse. Besides which cynical persons may observe that if a man er Australia during a storm February miles southwest of the City of Mexico, puts his money on the horses long enough he is apt to go broke.

proud of. As inspector of weights and measures he inspects and has no notion that the office might be used as a mere excuse for drawing a salary. He earns his salary and the public is benefited far more than the salary's tworth. Those citizens who buy hay land grain owe him an especial vote of thanks.

Jabor vote. They are evidently in fine

ROOSEVELT REQUESTS GUARD FOR CHILDREN

Sends Special Message to Congress Asking Federal Bureau to Protect Little Ones.

Washington, Feb. 16.-The president tle indications given by the talk of in a special message to congress yesboys at home on their vacations, says terday urged legislation in the interest Appleton's Magazine. Don't make the of dependent and wayward children. mistake of believing what they tell Chief among the president's recomyou about the lessons, or the food, or mendations is one for the establishment of a federal children's bureau.

The president believes that such legislation is important not only for the welfare of the children immediateunderstand his terminology. He will ly concerned, but important "as setting an example of a high standard of child that the milk is always sour, that Mr. protection by the national government So-and-so is a "fearful soak," and to the several states of the union, gives out a hundred lines of Virgil to which should be able to look to the

The president also transmits with that sometimes it has happened that of the proceedings of the recent conthe food was not above criticism, ferences here on the care of dependent the milk was sour, Mr. So-and-so gave children, in accordance with the re-Declaring that their conclusions

progressive program of child-caring work," the president says that if "given full effect by the proper agencies, existing methods and practices in almost every community would be profoundly and advantageously modified." Statistics showing the large number not try to entertain you with stories of dependent children in the country of how this or that boy "beat out" this | are presented by Mr. Roosevelt. "Each of these children presents either a potential addition to the productive capacity and the enlightened citizenship of the nation," says the president, 'or, if allowed to suffer from neglect, a potential addition to the destructive NO AMERICANS ARE VICTIMS forces of the community. The ranks of criminals and other enemies of society are recruited in altogether undue proportion from children bereft of their natural homes and left without sufficient care. The interests of the nation are involved in the welfare of this army of children no less than in our great material affairs.

the welfare of children and child life, of Acapulco Sunday night. tional government is the only agency which can effectively conduct such the United States consul says none for the fleet and the people on the Pageneral inquiries as are needed for the benefit of all our citizens."

clares that poverty alone should disrupt the home

PLAN A DEEP CHANNEL.

way to Be Introduced in Congress.

Washington, Feb. 15.—A deep water channel from Chicago to Buffalo via 'the Soo" is in contemplation. In a few days a measure will be introduced in congress providing, in brief, for the complete survey and, perhaps, for the construction of such a waterway.

Behind the project are practically Alaska is a cold and barren region; all of the shipping, manufacturing and and is almost useless except as a laboring interests of the Great Lakes. tures. While the operator was exhibhunting ground for the seal and other | That the plan is entirely feasible is in dicated by the fact that already there is a Chicago to Buffalo channel 21 feet deep. Thomas J. Dolan of Chicago, general secretary of the International Brotherhood of Steam Shovelmen and Dredgemen, says:

"My idea," said Mr. Dolan, "would could be completed by the time the 'Soo' lock is finished. It is a great project, but its carrying into effect would solve many great problems."

\$3,800 THEFT IN MILWAUKEE.

partment Store in Bank.

Milwaukee, Feb. 16.—Grabbing a hand satchel containing \$3.800 belonging to a big department store, a daring thief yesterday made his way out of the First National bank, East Water and Wiscossin streets, with the loot, and escaped detection. The robbery was committed while the attention of England alone of all the great Euro Daniel Sullivan, a messenger boy for

Patrons of the bank were informed search. Several ran to the street calling robbery, and looking for the sight of a man with a small grip, about sixteen inches long. The search of the bank failed to reveal the thief. thief had been captured in Racine.

SHIPS COLLIDE: 30 DROWNED.

Founder.

Algiens, Feb. 16.—An unknown sailing vessel rammed the Belgian steam-12, near Alboran island, in the Med- of which it formerly was the Pacific iterranean, 100 miles from Gibraltar.

Both vessels foundered. The total harbor, it being land-locked. Isidor Wulfson is a city officer to be loss of life was 30-14 men from the sailing vessel and 16 from the Aus. with the Philippine islands, as well as tralia. Ten members of the crew of China and India, until the railroads the Australia who had put off from betwen the City of Mexico and San that steamer in a small boat were Blas robbed it of most of its trade. It picked up by the German steamer Li. has a population of 4,900. beria and brought in here yesterday.

Lightning Aids Jail Escape.

aided in the escape of Oscar Rowe for a bill its father, J. S. Miller, can- New York after a short visit at his from the county jail Sunday night. A not pay, Dr. Charles Graef was ar home in this city, was slightly injured The suffragettes have captured the sharp flash of lightning put out the rested yesterday. The infant, it is all in a trolley car collision yesterday. lights in the jail and Rowe escaped leged, is at a "baby farm," where it Several other persons were also slightthrough a coal chute.



Audience in Acapulco Mexico Theater Trapped.

In urging a children's bureau, one of and 300 persons were burned to death amendment amounts to an expression whose duties will be to investigate a and many were injured in a fire which of congress in favor of such. report upon all matters pertaining to destroyed the Flores theater in the city

was present

Telegrams sent to the American for keeping the family intact and de- names of the American dead have not California?" asked Senator Nelson. been answered

The news of the disaster reached the capital yesterday afternoon, telegraphout of commission.

Picture Film Catches Fire.

The Flores theater was a wooden structure and over 1,000 people crowded into it to witness a special performance given in honor of Gov. Damian Flores of the state of Guerrero, who amendment directing that the approwas visiting the host at the time.

One of the numbers of the program consisted of a series of moving piciting these a film caught fire and the This is against the decision of the blaze was quickly communicated to some bunting which had been used for decorative purposes.

In an incredibly short time the flames spread to all parts of the struc-

There were but three narrow exits. and the panic-stricken audience rushed the way to escape for others.

Owing to the rapidity with which the fire spread and its intense heat, it was impossible to attempt rescue work, and those imprisoned were roasted alive, as the fire burned with little smoke and few were suffocated.

The efforts of the fire department were confined to attempting to save the adjoining buildings. The firemen succeeded so well that the property loss was small.

custom house were damaged, but all of the government's records and registered mail were saved.

Pitiful scenes of grief were witnessed on the streets of the city. Men, place to place hunting for relatives or have been lost.

Prominent Persons Among Dead. Many of the dead are from the first miles around.

were wiped out of existence. The municipal authorities caused large trenches to be dug, and into

Unknown Vessel and Belgian Steamer laid. Identification of the dead has been

mpossible, the bodies having been

burned in most cases to a crisp. Acapulco is on the Pacific coast 231 port on account of the excellence of its

It was the chief center of commerce

Baby Held as Security.

Springfield, Mo., Feb. 15.—Lightning holding a baby two weeks old as a lien Civic federation, while on the way to

WANT HALF OF NAVY'S SHIPS IN THE PACIFIC

Senators Deem It Necessary to Protect the Western Coast-Decrease Size of Two.

Washington, Feb. 17.—One-half of Me dress suit's in hock!" the United States navy should be kept on the Pacific coast at all times is the ppinion of the senate. An amendment Scores Crushed in a Mad Rush for to the naval bill was agreed to last Three Narrow Exits Fall and Block night providing that in the discretion of the president one-half of the navy Passages, Making Escape for Others shall be kept in Pacific waters, so far as practicable.

The president already has the au-Mexico City, Feb. 16.—Between 250 thority to so divide the fleet, but the

As introduced originally the division of the navy was mandatory. Mr. It was first reported that some Flint said he understood that the peo-Americans were among the dead but ple on the Atlantic coast did not care cific did.

Would half of the fleet on the Pa-The president makes a strong plea consul at Acapulco asking for the cific coast keep the Japanese out of 'I think so," replied Mr. Flint.

Urging the adoption of the provision Mr. Fulton declared that there ic communication with Acapulco hav- are great interests on the Pacific ing been destroyed owing to the fact coast which need protection and that Measure for Chicago-Buffalo Water that the telegraph office adjoining the there is more danger of attacks being theater was burned and all wires put made on that coast than on the Atlantic seaboard.

By another amendment to the bill adopted, the size of the two battleships authorized is limited to 21,000 tons, and their cost, exclusive of armor and armament, to \$4,500,000 each.

The senate adopted a committee priation for the marines should only quartered on board the ships of the navy according to former custom. president

The house passed these bills: The Indian appropriation bill carrying an appropriation of \$11,571,000. Creating an additional judgeship for the western division of the western

district of Washington. Amending the interstate commerce to them, many persons falling, to be laws as to make it a misdemeanor for crushed to death, their bodies choking any interstate carrier to make any false entry or record pertaining to its business.

Enlarging the membership of the interstate commerce commission from seven to nine.

Authorizing the secretary of agriculture to declare a quarantine against cut his upper lip so badly that a docthe importation of diseased nursery tor had to be summoned to sew up the stock affected with injurious insects.

180 KILLED IN MINE CRASH.

The telegraph office, post office and British Colliery Scene of a Death Dealing Explosion.

Newcastle, Eng., Feb. 17.—A terrible disaster has occurreed at West Stanley, a small mining town 12 miles diswomen and children wandered from tant, in which it is feared 180 lives ing Munyon's Homeopathic Remedies.

There were two explosions at four families of the state, the affair at the 400 men. Nearly 200 of the men were isfaction. theater being a social event of consid- in the pit at the time and none of erable importance and calling out the them has come to the surface. Almost azine-Almanac, which will be sent free wealthiest and oldest families for immediately after the explosion flames to any person who addresses burst through the shaft. It will be In some instances whole families many hours before the entrance is cleared.

Baseball Schedule Adopted. Chicago, Feb. 17.-The baseball seathese the bodies of the dead were son of 1909 will open April 14, accord ing to the National league schedule made public yesterday. Brooklyn will play at New York, Philadelphia at Boston Pittsburg at Cincinnati and St.

Boston Pittsburg at Cincinnati and St. Louis at Chicago. The first meeting between Chicago and New York, who York. Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Chi- duty.-Royston. cago and St. Louis get one holiday each at home; Pittsburg is given three, and the other teams two each. The Saturdays at home are very

John Mitchell Injured.

evenly divided.

Spring Valley, Ill., Feb. 16.-John Denver, Col., Feb. 17.—Charged with Mitchell, secretary of the National

The Exceptional Equipment

of the California Fig Syrup Co. and the scientific attainments of its chemists have of Figs and Elixir of Senna, in all of its past 20 years, and are now getting excellence, by obtaining the pure medic- from the same land 20 to 30 bushels of inal principles of plants known to act most wheat per acre, 40 to 60 bushels of beneficially and combining them most oats. skillfully, in the right proportions, with got my tent pitched, but the farmers its wholesome and refreshing Syrup of all around had finished putting in California Figs.

Figs and Elixir of Senna and as the genuine is manufactured by an original and ten acres oats, one-half acre potamethod known to the California Fig Syrup toes and vegetables. All kinds of veg-Co. only, it is always necessary to buy the etables grow well up there, sweet corn, genuine to get its beneficial effects.

A knowledge of the above facts enables one to decline imitations or to return them if, upon viewing the package, the full name threshed 35 bushels per acre, for which of the California Fig Syrup Co. is not found I got 35 cents per bushel. You see I printed on the front thereof.



"Now, boy, this is important! It's an invitation to dinner!

IN AGONY WITH ECZEMA.

Whole Body a Mass of Raw, Bleeding, Torturing Humor - Hoped Death Would End Fearful Suffering.

In Despair; Cured by Cuticura.

"Words cannot describe the terrible eczema I suffered with. It broke out on my head and kept spreading until it covered my whole body. I the following dialogue between a lawas almost a solid mass of sores from borer who was digging in a sewer and head to foot. I looked more like a a stout, beaming lady with a capacious piece of raw beef than a human being. The pain and agony endured "Ah good marnin' to you seemed more than I could bear. Blood she leaning over and looking into the and pus oozed from the great sore on pit. "And what are you doin'?" my scalp, from under my finger nails, and nearly all over my body. My looking up. "I'm a-earnin' alimony for ears were so crusted and swollen I yees. And what are you doin'?'

was afraid they would break off. "Sure, I'm a spendin' it," replied Every hair in my head fell out. I Bridget airily, as she trotted off. could not sit down, for my clothes Lippincott's. would stick to the raw and bleeding flesh, making me cry out from the My family doctor did all he condition was awful. I did not think she attends that party. I could live, and wanted death to; The Hubby-Then I shall not advise come and end my frightful sufferings. her either way. She'll die if she has

"In this condition my mother-in-law to miss it. begged me to try the Cuticura Remedies. I said I would, but had no hope of recovery. But oh, what blessed relief I experienced after applying Cuticura Ointment. It cooled the bleeding and itching flesh and brought me the first real sleep I had had in weeks. It was as grateful as ice to a burning tongue. I would bathe with warm water and Cuticura Soap, then apply the Ointment freely. I also took Cuticura Resolvent for the blood. In a may misquote them. short time the sores stopped running, the flesh began to heal, and I knew I was to get well again. Then the hair on my head began to grow, and in a short time I was completely cured. I wish I could tell everybody who has eczema to use Cuticura. Mrs. Wm. Hunt, 135 Thomas St., Newark, N. J., Sept. 28, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston

Comfort Still. A little fellow of five years fell and wound. In her distress the mother could not refrain from saying: "Oh, doctor, I fear it will leave a disfigur-

Tommy looked up into her tearful face, and said: "Never mind, mamma, my mustache will cover it."-Harper's Weekly.

There are four advantages in tak-First, they are positively harmless Second, they are pleasant to take. o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Third, they relieve quickly. Fourth, West Stanley colliery, which employs they cost nothing unless they give sat-

> Prof. Munyon has just issued a Mag-The Munyon Company, Philadelphia.

Small-minded men regard faith as a theory; large-minded men use it as a practical working power to get things done and done right.-Ruskin

Character's strength is not in doing

finished so closely last season, will what a self-will would have us do, but not take place until May 11 at New what the conscience dictates is our Great Home Eye Remedy,

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time to accomplish anything.

Women wouldn't be so talkative if they only spoke their minds.

MONEY MADE IN LIVE STOCK IN CENTRAL CANADA.

W. J. Henderson, visiting Seattle, writes the Canadian Government Agent at Spokane, Wash., and says: "I have neighbors in Central Canada rendered possible the production of Syrup raising wheat, barley and oats for the

"It was the first week of May when I their crops, so I only got fifteen acres As there is only one genuine Syrup of broke and seeded. They advised me as it was late not to put in much wheat, so I put in five acres of wheat tomatoes, onions, carrots, peas, beans, cabbage. My wheat yielded about 20 bushels per acre, for which I got 76 cents, others got 80 cents; oats was three weeks late in getting them

in, still I was satisfied. "From my observation, there is more money made in stock, such as cattle, horses and sheep, as prices are high for such, and it costs nothing to raise of the most successful remedy in this or such, and it costs nothing to raise straw. My neighbors sold steers at \$40 each, and any kind of a horse that can plow, from \$150.00 up. I raised "Thanks, boss. But I can't accept. 60 chickens and 5 pigs, as pork, chickafter all other means had failed. ens, butter and eggs pay well and always a good market for anything a man raises, so I have every reason to der the sun could an old man or charge. young man do better?"

Easy Come, Easy Go.

A passerby at Broad and Lombard streets in Philadelphia once heard

"Ah, good marnin' to you, Pat," said "Good marnin', Bridget," he replied,

"Sure, I'm a-spendin' it," replied

He Wins Either Way. The Doctor-Your wife is threatcould, but I got worse and worse. My ened with pneumonia, and she'll die if

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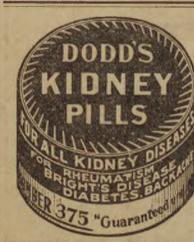
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I felt as though new life had been

them, as horses live the year around out on the grass. In fact, farmers turn their work horses out for the winter, and they come in fresh and fat in the spring. Cattle live out seven or eight months. They mow the prairie grass and stack it for winter and give out grant of the winter and give out the stack it for winter and give out grant of the winter around female complaints is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test of years and to-day is more widely and successful remedy in this country for the cure of all forms of female complaints is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test of years and to-day is more widely and successful remedy in this country for the cure of all forms of female complaints is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test of years and to-day is more widely and successful remedy in this country for the cure of all forms of female complaints is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test of years and to-day is more widely and successful remedy in this country for the cure of all forms of female complaints is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test of years and to-day is more widely and successful remedy in this female complaints is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test of years and to-day is more widely and successfully used than any other female remedy. It has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflaments in the properties of the cure of all forms of female complaints is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has stood the test of years and to-day is more widely and successfully used than any other female remedy. mation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency,

> If you are suffering from any of these ailments, don't give up hope until you have given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

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"The development of the country has made marvelous strides. It is a revelation, a record of conquest by settlement that is remarkable."—Extract from correspondence of a National Editor, who visited Canada in August last.,

The grain crop of 1908 will net many farmers \$20.00 to \$25.00 per acre. Grain-raising, mixed farming and dairying are the principal industries. Climate is excellent; social conditions the best; railway advantages unequalled; schools, churches and markets close at hand. Land may also be purchased from railway and land companies.

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NATION'S MEN OF WORTH IN TRIBUTE TO ABRA-HAM LINCOLN.

PRESIDENT MAKES ADDRESS

Qualities and Deeds of the Great President Set Forth by the Chief Executive in Impressive Speech-Immense Concourse Gathered to Witness Exercises in Connection with Laying of Corner Stone of Memorial Hall.

Hodgenville, Ky .-- The corner stone of the splendid memorial to be erected to the memory of Abraham Lincoln was laid by President Roosevelt. The exercises were participated in by many of the nation's leading men, Cardinal Gibbons and ex-Gov. Folk of Missouri being among those who made addresses.

From all points, by train and over roads not particularly smooth at this season of the year, the people gathered to the exercises. A building four times the size of the tent provided could not have accommodated the crowd.

The corner stone of the Memorial hall was laid by President Roosevelt. In an impressive address the chief executive eulogized the life and work of the great statesman. He spoke as fol-

"We have met here to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of one of the two greatest Americans; of one of the two or three greatest men of one of the two or three greatest men of the nineteenth century; of one of the greatest men in the world's history. This rall splitter, this boy who passed his ungainly youth in the dire poverty of the poorest of the frontler folk, whose rise was by weary and painful labor, lived to lead his people through the burning flames of a struggle from which the nation emerged, purified as by fire, born anew to a loftier life. After long years of iron effort, and of fallure that came more often than victory, he at last rose of iron effort, and of failure that came more often than victory, he at last rose to the leadership of the republic at the moment when that leadership had become the stupendous world-task of the time. He grew to know greatness, but never ease. Success came to him, but never happiness, save that which springs from doing well a painful and a vital task. Power was his, but not pleasure. The furrows deepened on his brow, but his eyes were undimmed by either hate or fear. His gaunt shoulders were bowed, but his steel thews never faltered as he bore for a burden the destinies of his people. His great and tender heart shrank from giving pain; and the task allotted him was to pour out like water allotted him was to pour out like water the life-blood of the young men, and to feel in his every fiber the sorrow of the women. Disaster saddened but never dismayed him. As the red years of war went by they found him ever doing his duty in the present, even facing the fu-ture with fearless front, high of heart, and dauntless of soul. Unbroken by ha-tred, unshaken by scorn, he worked and suffered for the people. Triumph was his at the last; and barely had he tasted it ly, patient, fearless eyes were closed for-

Washington and Lincoln.

shown themselves devoid of so much as the understanding of the words by which we signify the qualities of duty, of mercy, of devotion to the right, of lofty of others. There have been other men as great and other men as good; but in all the history of mankind there are no other two great men as good as these, no other two good men as great. Widely though the problems of to-day differ from the problems set for solution to Washington when he founded this nation, to Lincoln when he saved it and freed the slave, yet the qualities they showed in meeting these problems are exactly the same as those we should show in doing our work to-day.

Lincoln's Deep Foresight.

Lincoln's Deep Foresight. "Lincoln's Deep Foresignt.
"Lincoln saw into the future with the prophetic imagination usually vouchsafed only to the poet and the seer. He had in him all the lift toward greatness of the visionary, without any of the visionary's fanaticism or egotism, without any of the visionary's narrow jealousy of the practical man and inability to strive in practical fashion for the realization of extraordinary way in which Lincoln

the impossible. At the very time when one side was holding him up as the apostle of social revolution because he was against slavery, the leading abolitionist denounced him as the "slave hound of Illinois." When he was the second time and did to for registrations. hound of Illinois." When he was the second time candidate for president, the majority of his opponents attacked him because of what they termed his extreme radicalism, while a minority threatened to bolt his nomination because he was not radical enough. He had continually to check those who wished to go forward check those who wished to go forward too fast, at the very time that he overrode the opposition of those who wished not to go forward at all. The goal was never dim before his vision; but he picked his way cautiously, without either halt or hurry, as he strode toward it, through such a morass of difficulty that no man of less courage would have attempted it, while it would surely have overwhelmed any man of judgment less serene.

Man of Great Toleration.

"Yet, perhaps the most wonderful thing of all, and, from the standpoint of the American of to-day and of the future, the most vitally important, was the



him none of that morbid growth of mind and soul which blinds so many practical men to the higher things of life. No nothing in common with those practical men whose consciences are warped until they fall to distinguish between good and they fall to distinguish between good and evil, fail to understand that strength, ability, shrewdness, whether in the world of business or of politics, only serve to make their possessor a more noxious, a more evil member of the community, if they are not guided and controlled by a community, it they are not guided and controlled by a specific property of the server and thigh moral server.

Lessons from Lincoln's Life.

sentials, they were alike in the great can learn much of value from the very qualities which rendered each able to attacks which following that course

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

an ideal. He had the practical man's hard common sense and willingness to deemed wrong, and yet preserve undiadapt means to ends; but there was in deemed wrong, and yet preserve undi-minished his love and respect for the turned any weaker man's head, in the heat of a struggle which spurred many a good man to dreadful vindictiveness, he said truthfully that so long as he had been in his office he had never willingly planted a thorn in any man's bosom, and heavily the supporters to study the hould reunite in a common effort to save

> to the deep convictions of those with whom they grapple in mortal strife. At such times men see through a glass darkly; to only the rarest and loftiest spirits is vouchsafed that clear vision which gradually comes to all, even to the lesser, as the struggle feder into distance and as the struggle fades into distance, and wounds are forgotten, and peace creeps back to the hearts that were hurt. But back to the hearts that were hurt. But Lincoln was given this supreme vision. He did not hate the man from whom he differed. Weakness was as foreign as wicked to his strong, gentle nature; but his courage was of a quality so high that it needed no bolstering of dark passion. He saw clearly that the same high qualities, the same courage, and willingness for self-sacrifice, and devotion to the right as it was given them to willingness for self-sacrifice, and devotion to the right as it was given them to
> see the right, belonged both to the men
> of the north and to the men of the south.
> As the years roll by, and as all of us,
> wherever we dwell, grow to feel an
> equal pride in the valor and self-devotion, alike of the men who wore the blue
> and the men who wore the gray, so this
> whole nation will grow to feel a peculiar
> sense of pride in the mightlest of the
> mighty men who mastered the mighty
> days; the lover of his country and of all
> mankind; the man whose blood was shed
> for the union of his people, and for the
> freedom of a race, Abraham Lincoln."

Bishop Butler's Generosity. So many examples of episcopal cupidity have been cited in the Office record practice that the men atta Window of late that the average read- the rank of "gun pointer" and get er may be excused for believing the white star and crossed circle on the bishop of a century or so ago to have blouse sleeve if they make a certa been an incarnation of greed. But mark. To be a gun pointer means against the Luxmores, the Watsons tra pay each month, according to and the Porteouses may be set the class attained, and there is pr saintly Butler, whose "Analogy" is still used as a text-book for clerical exam- whole make a deserving record. inations. Butler kept open house at Durham, where he dispensed hospitality with a lavish hand. On one oc- never before attained. casion a man called at the palace soliciting a subscription for some chari-of the fleet to the California resor table object. "How much money is there in the house?" asked Butler of ending program of merry-making. his secretary. The secretary, after investigation, replied that there were "Give it to him, then," replied the philosopher bishop, "for it is a ma, to Amoy, to Manila and to shame that a bishop should have so much."-London Chronicle.

Poo-Bah in Real Life. A counterpart of Poo-Bah has been

FLEET NEARS HOME

Big Welcome Awaits the from legal disabilities as Jews. American Warships.

WILL ARRIVE ON FEBRUARY 22

Vessels After World Voyage Will Steam Into Hampton Roads on seminary. Washington's Birthday - Cruise Has Been of Great Value.

Old Point Comfort, Va., Feb. 15 .-Steaming proudly toward the historic sheet of water which they left just 14 months ago, the 16 battleships of the United States Atlantic fleet are now half way across the Atlantic, and on February 22 will complete its world voyage, adding another epoch to the

record of Hampton roads. On the natal day of the Father of the Republic the fleet will complete its demonstration of the efficiency of the American sailor, the marine power of the nation, and the desirability of world peace. The scene of the spectacle will be the identical roadstead over which the hardy little British vessels plowed that brought the first Englishman to Jamestown and America, and over which the guns of the first ironclads thundered in the battle that revolutionized naval warfare.

Vessels Travel 45,600 Miles.

During these months of record steaming the heavily armored fighting vessels have traveled approximately 45,000 miles, and are returning in condition still fit for "a frolic or a fight." The cruise has been a veritable expedition of the seven seas, and tasks beretofore deemed impossible for the modern ironclad have been accomplished with an ease bordering on the commonplace.

That the experience gained on the cruise will be of unending benefit to the navy is indicated from the fact that probably one-half of the entire personnel of the naval establishment

participated in the epoch-making trip. Three of the 16 captains who sailed in command of vessels are returning home as rear admirals. Eight other captains are returning in command of the same ship on which they began the journey of the world.

From rear admiral down to midshipman the training has been such as no other naval cruise ever afforded. Among the enlisted men the training has been even more valuable. Landsmen shipped just before the start and, utterly green in the ways of the deep, are coming home an integral part of a wonderful fleet efficiency and loyal believers in all that the American navy stands for.

Admiral Evans' Retirement.

To Rear Admiral Charles S. Sperry, a strict disciplinarian, a man of few words, but a recognized scholar and constant student of the higher arts of naval science, fell the task of directing the fleet on all but the first 14,000 miles of its journey. Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, now retired, took the fleet out of Hampton roads on De-"As a people we are indeed beyond many social and industrial problems. The two greatest of our public men, Washington and Lincoln. Widely though they differed in externals, the Virginia landed gentleman and the Kentucky backwoodsman, they were allke in established the stroke for reform. We these traits as he strove for reform. We there were allke in established to be the right. In a contest of the start confined him to this cabin for a greater part of the way in which Lincoln used both the strong men who alone can carry it these traits as he strove for reform. We there allke in established to do justice.

Strong Sense of Justice.

"He lived in days that were great and terrible, when brother for what each sincerely deemed to be the right. In a contest or grid the start confined him to this cabin for a greater part of the two parts and the strong men who alone can carry it these traits as he strove for reform. We there were allke in the country. stage of the long trip had been accomplished.

Death has twice invaded the ranks of the captains who sailed with the fleet, but in both instances the officers had been previously relieved from duty. Capt. Henry McCrea of the Georgia, a most popular officer, died soon after his return to the east, following relinquishment of command at San Francisco, Capt. Greenlief A. Merriam, who took the Missouri to the Pacific coast, a capable man, also died within a comparatively short time after turning his vessel over to a successor

Record Target Practice.

Drills and record target practice filled the time spent by the fleet at Magdalena. It was a month of real work-a month of work enjoyed by all. Record target practice is eagerly anticipated every year. It is a time that every sailor, no matter how new he may be in the service, gets a chance LIVE STOCK—Steers \$5 95 @ 6 50 his life. at the guns provided he has shown a sort of aptitude in the "ping-por trials, which are continuous aboard men-of-war in port and out. It is money for all, if the ship's guns as record practice of last spring dev oped an accuracy and rapidity of i

After Magdalena came the excursi and there was, apparently, a nev

The story of the fleet's visit to He olulu, to Auckland, Sidney, Melbour and Albany in Australia: to Yokol ports of call on the way home throu the Suez are too recent to need rec The welcome extended in Austra and Japan left nothing to be ask either in lavishness of entertainme

or in sincerity of purpose. The battleships, had their sched brought them sooner to the easte end of the Suez, might have played notable part in succoring the strick people of Messina. As it was the se ices of the ships were offered, but relief plans had already developed

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Russian senate has decided that Jews may turn to Mohammedanism, but they cannot thereby be released

Andrew Kruchar, a rural mail carrier, and Frank Suta, a farmer, were killed by a Northern Pacific flyer at Voss, N. D., 30 miles north of Grand Forks.

Rev. Dr. O. S. Davis, pastor of the South Congregational church in New Britain, Conn., resigned to accept the presidency of the Chicago Theological

At the February meeting of the Yale corporation, the resignation of Profs. W. G. Sumner, C. B. Richards, Bernadotte Perrin and H. P. Wright were accepted.

After a sensational filibuster, lasting several days, it appears that Prohibition has been killed in South Carolina. The senate has a majority of four for local option and the house is equally as close.

Twenty-one bids for the erection of two marble monuments over the graves of confederate soldiers in the cemeteries at Indianapolis, Ind., and at Alton, Ill., were opened at the war department, which had allotted \$6,000 for each monument.

'The New Mexico and Arizona statehood bill, which passed the house Monday, was referred by the senate to the committee on territories. It is not believed that is will be reported either favorably or adversely during the present session.

Mrs. Joel Myers of Copley, O., is the first woman in the country to claim the pension that was suggested by a Missouri farmer in President Roosevelt's message on farm life for the mother who has seven living sons Monack. born on American soil.

The only woman to register thus far as a legislative lobbyist in Missouri is Miss Charlotte B. Forester, president of the Missouri State Nursery associa- Moore, Maj. John C. Buckner, Rev. A. work for measures requiring a higher standard of professional nursing in the state.

similar to the one sanctioned for a time by the late Bishop Potter in New York. Besides the spirituous drinks, the church saloon will furnish coffee, lemonade and soft drinks, as well as affairs of Robert Jones. light lunches.

The announcement that Theodore sire to meet him.

Suspected of being one of the men early Saturday morning, Cooper Lyand is being held pending an investi. occupied much of the delegates' time. gation. He had \$1,000

The Canadian government has made An order has been made under which train, was the most seriously hurt.

on March 31. In a letter which he has Newell Gilbert of the Northern Illinois forwarded to President Roosevelt, Mr. Normal school. Vignand assigns as the reason for his Springfield.—A new political party decision his advanced age and his de- was launched with Daniel Braxton sire not to block the path of promo- Turney at its head. Turney made the tion "to younger men."

The Burke bill requiring all ocean. and was in the city to form a new going steamships carrying fifty or party called the American party. more passengers to be equipped with Pana.—The city court of Windsor, wireless telegraph apparatus, was a town of 1,400 population, has passed passed by the house of represental an ordinance which designates a man tives The bill prescribes a penalty of as being intoxicated when he can be up he was so much overjoyed by the not to exceed \$3,000 or imprisonment proved to have had one glass or one for not to exceed one year or both for bottle of intoxicants. violation of its provisions.

Robbers Make Rich Haul.

Newton, Kan., Feb. 17.-Robbers entered the store of Brunner & Perry yesterday morning, opened the safe and escaped with its contents, between \$5,000 and \$6,000.

THE MARKETS.

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NEWS BREVITIES OF ILLINOIS

Evanston.-Dr. Charles M. Stuart, professor of sacred rhetoric at Garrett Biblical institute, Evanston, was elected by the book committee of the Methodist Episcopal church, at its annual session in New York, to the editorship of the Northwestern Christian Advocate, a Methodist weekly, published at Chicago. The position was made vacant by the accidental death in St. Louis last November of Dr. D. D. Thomson, for many years editor of the publication.

Mount Vernon .- Henry N. Simmons 81, of this city is dead in New York. Old age is the principal cause assigned. He was a veteran newspaper man of Illinois and at one time owned the News here. He also conducted papers in Sycamore, Lebanon and Lincoln. He founded the Logan County Democrat, the first Democratic paper in the county.

Carlyle.-The will of the late Mrs. Julia Sparks, who died at her home in back of the seat and casting goo-goo this city, has been filed in the probate eyes at the Tabby. The sympathetic court. The contents will not be made | mistress understood at once and said: public in full until the will is probated and recorded in March. The estate, with us, Percy, dear, on one condition estimated to be worth \$250,000, is one of the largest ever administered on in this county

Chicago.—Indictments against John reared up, pawed his hand-bag from N. Eisenlord, Henry Miller, John Dona- the rack above his head, and pranced hue, James Reagen and Arthur Mc- into a coach ahead. Bride, charging them with conspiracy to commit an illegal act, were quashed by Judge Freeman in the criminal court. The illegal act specified in the indictment was an attack on Dominick

Wheaton.-Members of the fashionable Wheaton summer colony placed a six-mile limit on negro colonies following the announcement that "Pony" tion. She announced her intention to J. Carey and other prominent colored men were attempting to locate a second negro colony near Wheaton.

Churchmen of Montclair, N. J., are planning to open a "model" saloon banks, neighboring institutions in Cot-Chicago.—A bank merger embracing den appearance in Chicago financial

Springfield.-Robert Johnson, 2108 Roosevelt and his wife will arrive at East Stuart street, a miner employed Naples the end of March on his way at the Tuxhorn mine, suffered a numto east Africa, and will remain in Italy 11 days, has been received here was tamping a shot and it is thought with great satisfaction. Both the a spark was sent from the steel when time-eh?" king and queen have expressed a decaused an explosion.

Rockford.—The sixth annual meet- the paraphernalia and returned to his who held up the Denver & Rio Grande ing of the Illinois Manual Arts assodesk. "But it is really the quickest passenger train near Military Junction ciation was held here. The speakers way to get rid of these life insurance were George W. Eggers and Mrs. Alice agents. That man will never trouble man, yho claims he is a cow boy, and P. Norton of Chicago. Inspection of me again."-London Tit-Bits. lives in New Mexico, was arrested exhibits and a tour of local factories

Elgin.—Six persons were injured when a car on the Aurora, Elgin & a further modification of the live ani- Chicago line struck a work train on mal quarantine established in conse- a siding at Elgin junction. An open quence of the outbreak of the foot and switch was the cause of the accident mouth disease in the United States. A. L. Bracken, a flagman on the work

horses may be brought to Canada Sterling.-The new school building, from any part of the United States. costing \$30,000, named Lincoln school Henry Vignaud, secretary of the in honor of Abraham Lincoln, was dedrican embassy at Paris, has re- icated here with imposing ceremonies, signed, the resignation to take effect the address being delivered by Prof.

race on the United Christian party,

Virgen.-This city was without a candidate for mayor. All persons boosted for the honor by friends absolutely decline to stand for election. Mayor Motley has stated positively he will not run.

Mt. Vernon.-Henry Simmons, one of the pioneer newspaper men of Illinois, is dead at the home of his son in New York. He was 81 years old and his home was in Mt. Vernon most of

Jerseyville.-Robert D. Bosworth of Houston, Tex., and Miss Velma Grers were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Grers.

Tallula.-The sale of mules conmost successful, 18 animals selling at Winchester.-Henry Miner, an old

citizen of Winchester, died at Colorado Springs, Col. The remains were brought to Winchester for burial.

Springfield.-State Auditor McCultion of the First Trust & Savings bank of Alton, Madison county.

burned about the face and hands by concluded to quit coffee and try it. an explosion caused by throwing coal oil in a stove.

the owner; Arthur Bullock, and an- greatly benefited by Postum. mill was demolished.

Lincoln.—Clay Crouch, a railroad coffee for anything." switchman of Lincoln was a prisoner Name given by Postum Co., Battle bias, a widow, living in Chicago. Alrs.

Tobias declares that after Crouch had gained her confidence he borrowed gained her confidence he borrowed interest.

"BOBBY" WAS SO NERVOUS. He Was Not to Be Agitated, Even by

"Percy, Dear."

It was moving day for the summer colony along the North shore of Massachusetts. On the morning train from Rockport, bearing many wellknown Bostonians to their town houses for the winter, rode a stormy old gentleman from the west. At Pride's crossing a family of threefather, mother and daughter-boarded family treasures: One pet poodle, one traveling clock in a much worn leath-

the train, bearing respectively the gray cat in a blue blanket, and one er case. The party had no sooner found seats across from the westerner, than it became apparent that the excitement of boarding the train had caused a commotion among the pets. The cat was chided for talking aloud. "Calm yourself, Bobby," said his mistress. "Be yourself once more-we are now on our way home." Whereupon Bobby grew calm.

The poodle became restless in the company of his master on a seat in front and signified his yearning for Bobby's company by climbing up the "You may come over here and sit

-you must not agitate Bobby." This was too much for the stormy

westerner. With a loud snort he

HEADING OFF THE CALLER. Plan for Getting Rid of Life Insurance Agents Not Patented.

The bell rang three times, and the man at the desk hastily reached for a flannel bandage. This he put round his neck. Then he arranged a sling, in which he put one arm, disarranged his hair, drew down the corners of his mouth, got out of his chair, and painfully limped toward the door.

"Mr. Jones?" inquired the welldressed caller, who opened it at that moment.

The man with the bandage half suppressed a groan.

"Yes, that's my name. What can I do for you?" "You appear to be suffering," said

the intelligent caller. "Suffering!" returned the other. "Do you think I'm doing this for fun? But what is your business, sir?" "Er-pardon me," stammered the

caller, "I think I'll drop in some other "It's some trouble," soliloguized the man with the bandage, as he removed

BRINGING HIM OUT.



Asker-How is it you never speak to Duffly? I'm sure he's a diamond in

Miss Trimm-Yes: I think so, toothat's why I'm cutting him.

A Dire Threat.

It is well known that certain vagabonds desire nothing better, especially when the cold weather comes on, than to be arrested and locked up, in order that they may be taken care of a while. One of this fraternity succeeded in getting himself arrested for vagrancy, and on the way to the lockprospect of not having to sleep in the open air that he behaved somewhat boisterously.

"Keep quiet!" threatened the policeman: "if you don't, I'll let you go!"-Exchange.

One Spider's Doings.

The entire fire alarm system of Bayonne, N. J., was recently thrown out of order by a single spider. The insect had got caught where all the wires of the transmitter room converge together, and its body hung in such a way as to short-circuit the whole system.

GOOD CHANGE Coffee to Postum.

The large army of persons who have ducted by C. C. Judy at his farm was found relief from many chronic ailments by changing from coffee to an average price of \$252 and 54 at Postum as a daily beverage, is growing each day.

It is only a simple question of trying it for oneself in order to know the joy of returning health as realized by an Ills, young lady. She writes:

"I had been a coffee drinker nearly lough issued a permit for the organizal all my life and it affected my stomach -caused insomnia and I was seldom without a headache. I had heard about Noble.—Mrs. Ralph Woods was Postum and how beneficial it was, so "I was delighted with the change.

I can now sleep well and seldom ever Mount Vernon.—The sawmill of have headache. My stomach has gotten George Bennett, southeast of the city. strong and I can eat without suffering blew up, injuring Joe Bennett, son of afterwards. I think my whole system other workman whose name could not | "My brother also suffered from stom-

be learned. The cause of the explo- ach trouble while he drank coffee, but sion was due to a defective boiler. The now, since using Postum he feels so much better he would not go back to

in the Cook county jail charged with | Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Welllarceny as bailee by Mrs. Adeline To- ville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Trotan.

Born February 12, 1809 Died April 15, 1865

render service to his nation and to all brought upon his head, attacks alike by mankind such as no other man of his generation could or did render. Each had

generation could or did render. Each had lofty ideals, but each in striving to attain these lofty ideals was guided by the soundest common sense. Each possessed inflexible courage in adversity, and a soul wholly unspoiled by prosperity. Each possessed all the gentler virtues commonly exhibited by good men who lack rugged strength of character. Each possessed also all the strong qualities commonly exhibited by those towering mas-

found in New Jersey. The town of Beverly has elected a new constable whose pay is to be \$5 a month. In addition to his constabulary work, the incumbent of this overpaid sinecure must also serve as pound-keeper, harbor master and overseer of the poor. This "multum in parvo" job must be looked upon as one of great as not to require them. honor, as there were six applicants

KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Tuesday in town,

the sick list the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ludwig son, John. entertained company over Sun-

Kingston, has suffered a stroke Tuttle and Maude Benson.

of paralysis.

Mrs. Elmer Bell substituted in the postoffice for her sister, Miss mission was charged. Ruth Moore, during her absence the fore part of this week.

the rooms recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. John Uplinger.

daughter, Edna, of DeKalb were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tazewell last Friday night and The Chicago and Northwestern Saturday.

a brother of the late Henry Dib-

of Lincoln." All are invited.

Mrs. Allie Pond and daughter, Jessie, spent last Saturday in Harriett Wilson over Sunday.

will hold a basket social at the work, enable the men to cover a school house in the Crane district larger amount of territory and Friday evening, March 5. All the ladies are requested to take baskets or boxes.

basket social in Herbert last Friday evening given by the pupils o'clock for the purpose of estabof Davis school and was a guest at the home of her uncle, Will for the summer months of 1909 Phelps, that night, returning home Let everyone that is interested in

William Aves has been num- county be present. bered among the sick since he

Mrs. Frank Parker has been on in their home on West street, ment removes the unpleasant

in Kirkland next Tuesday, Feb. Miss Grace Pratt was cashier at 23, for Sunday School workers, perature the year round, at an the bank of M. W. Cole last The delegates who will represent expense, it is claimed, less than the M. E. Sunday School are that in the case of ordinary Mrs. Levi Brainard of North Misses Kittie Heckman, Hattie burial.

The committee of the Social Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bicksler Department of the Epworth entertained her nephew, Charles League gave a "three-sided affair" Boies, of Quasqueton, Iowa, over for the Epworth Leaguers in the public auction on the J. P. Mc-Sunday. Mrs. John Helsdon went to ing. About forty members re- Kingston, 3 miles east of Kirk-Rockford last Friday to remain a vitations sent out. The evening's land, on Tuesday, February 23, Rockford last Friday to remain a vitations sent out. The evening's commencing at one o'clock p. m. entertainment consisted of a short the following property: 17 choice program, a guessing contest and refreshments. Three cents ad-balance springers; yearling heifer,

Mrs. Emma Tazewell and couple who are so well known.

Motor Cars for Section Men

company will shortly discard the John Dibble who passed away old hand car that has so long at the county farm last week was been in use to convey section Chas. R. Lamb ble. The deceased formerly lived men and carry supplies in the construction and repairing the Rev. J. W. Skerry will preach track and right-of-way. The com- Office: L.P. Durham's Residence Sunday morning, Feb. 21, on the pany has let a contract for 68 21-1m* subject of "The Great Service" motor cars and as soon as they and in the evening on "The Life can be delivered they will take the place of the hand car.

The 68 new motor cars are Chicago. Miss Jessie went to expected to do the work over Evanston to be a guest of Miss their entire system. It will reduce the time of conveying the Miss Ruth Benson and pupils section men to and from their curtail expenses in many ways.

Notice to Farmers

There will be a meeting of the Miss Nona Phelps attended a dairy man of DeKalb Co. at Sycthe dairy interests of DeKalb

M. S. CAMPBELL. chairman.

Mausoleum for DeKalb

DeKalb is going to build a mausoleum, the work to start next spring. The building, which will be located in Fairview cemetery, will be 32x150 feet and will contain 350 crypts or burial places. DeKalb people who have seen the plans are enthusiastic, and a number of crypts have Ula Roberts of Iowa spent has moved to town. He and his already been spoken for, says the family are getting nicely settled Review. This manner of inter-The farm will be worked by his feature of an underground burial, as the dead are placed in clean, A Bible institute will be held dry, air-tight vaults of even tem-

Auction Sale

The undersigned, having decided to quit farming, will sell at Allister farm, 21/2 miles west of 4 yearling steers, 4 calves, 12 At the home of Mr. and Mrs. shoats, 6 tons hay in barn, gray Mrs. H. F. Branch and daugh. Fred Rubeck near Colvin Park mare, 14 yrs. old, in foal; bay ter, Polly, moved last week into occurred the marriage of their mare, 8 yrs. old; gray mare, 3 yrs. eldest daughter, Vina, to John Old; black mare, 4 yrs. old; gray Aves, son of Mr. and Mrs. gelding, 8 yrs. old; gray gelding, William Aves, at high noon, last 18 yrs. old; grain binder, nearly The O. E. S. club was enter- week Wednesday. Rev. W. H. new; mower, seeder, pulverizer, tained last Saturday afternoon at Tuttle was the officiating clergy- 2-row corn plows, the home of Mrs. Amanda man. The attendants were Misses two 3-section harrows, corn plant-Moyers. Refreshmets were serv- Minnie Aves and Hattie Rubeck, er, riding plow, 2 walking plows, Messrs. Tom Chapman and Clar- pair bob sleighs, new; lumber Frank Sparrow and family have moved to the farm of Harvey Wiltse, south of Esmond, where served. They received many rack combined; road wagon, new he will work this spring and beautiful presents. Congratula- surry, 2 set work harness, single tions will be extended to this harness, feed cooker, 4 milk cans, forks, shovels, log chains, crow bar, grind stones, other numerous J. T. WILSON articles.

WM. BELL, Auct.

Chiropractors

Phone, 4 on 101

every direction will benefit greatly by the stupendous sacrifice of The John Lembke stock of Groceries, Dry Goods, Shoes and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments which will be placed on sale beginning Saturday, Feb. 20th.

The People of Genoa and the territory for twenty miles in

We are assured by Mr. Lembke that this will be an extraordinary occasion, something that occurs about once in lifetime.

We are further assured that much of this stock will be disposed of for less than the actual cost of the raw material, and that the cost of the goods will have no bearing on the selling price as everything must and will be disposed of at once. We are also assurred that this sale will be entirely different from the many so called Bargain Events which are usually "Fakes" but an actual disposal of the finest stock of its kind in the Northern part of the county with no limit on any article but including everything in the store. Be advised in time.

"A word to the wise is sufficient."

ARE YOU **PARTICULAR ABOUT YOUR** COFFEE

Most people are, and we have a line that is just right for particular people. We have one brand that is good enough for any table which is as good as many brands sold at 35 and 40c. Our price is only 30c. We want you to try a can of this

BROOKLYN YACHT CLUB

We know you will like it.

For 25 cents we recommend

MANHATTAN AND VULCAN

This is the best we can secure to sell at 25 cents. It will please you as it is pleasing others. Give us a trial on your next coffee order.

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In amounts of \$2000 or more, anywhere in De-Kalb county, with small pre-payment privileges. We also write farm insurance.

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There are thousands of brands of canned and bottled goods, but above them has stood for years and still holds the position, the cele-

HEINZE BRAND

Baked Beans with tomato sauce. Tomato Soup. Apple Butter Plum Butter. Mince Meat. Catsup. Pork and Beans.

All according to the pure food law.

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IF IT IS A

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that you want, or repairs for any of them, if its sewing machine needles, phonograph records, or anything under the sun that comes in his large line, talk to him and he will help you out of the trouble. It is prompt and courteous treatment that has built

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Read This:-

Black Shaker Wool

Blanket lined Storm Horse
Blankets 99c
Children's Fleeced Union
Suits 10c
Men's Overcoats 29 in the lot,
former price \$13.95 now\$8.95
Tennis Flannels, light colors,
per yd 4c
Men's heavy Canvas 50c Leggins 25c
500 yds. Plain and Fancy 124c
Ginghams, short lengths 9c
Children's Golf Gloves, all
slzes, per pair 5c

Ladies' Dept. Sales

Men's Shoe Values

Sale of \$1.00 Shirts

LLINOIS

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Fine colors Blacks, Whites

New Suitings

Men's Tan or Black, sewed or riveted, zigzag stitched, double sole, oil calf Work Shoes, a bargain at... \$2.69 In high cut styles at... \$3.29 Men's Army Calf Shoes, lace or Congress, all styles.\$1.98 Special Pat Colt Skin Lace Shoes.......\$2.69, \$2.98 By Train.

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Hard Coal

Genuine Scranton Black Band, "The Best" **EGG-For Furnaces**

RANGE-For Furnaces and Large Heaters **NUT-For Small Heaters**

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All Good Coals--Carefully Screened--Full Weight

SOLD BY

Jackman & Son PHONE 57

Go to Olmsted's Saturday. city Thursday.

home at Morris, Ill.

Mrs. Emma Corson was an but is improving at this time.

Elgin visitor Thursday. cents at F. J. Schmidt's.

Aug. Teyler transacted business in Chicago Tuesday.

Frank Scott's youngest son is Lawyer, a few days this week. seriously ill with pneumonia.

oline at Perkins & Rosenfeld's. Miss Mary Ryan is visiting Read F. W. Olmsted's bills.

Mrs. James Kirby at Shabbona. Lew Kanies of Woodstock called on Genoa friends last week. come. For Rent-Jennie Beardsley's

Five days' sale on at F. W. Olmsted's commencing Saturday, Hadsall.

W. W. Cooper.

See the special bargains Olm- Big bargains in calico remnants, sted is making.

is visiting her parents, Mr. and Olmsted's. Mrs. A. A. Stiles. Frank Shultz is acting as night

telephone operator for the C. M. & St. P. at Fairdale. J. E. Stott and son, Victor, will

aunt at Rockford Tuesday.

funeral of his brother's wife.

W. P. Lloyd was in the windy went to Chicago Wednesday west. morning for a few days' visit

J. R. Furr is visiting at his old Wm. Watson's mother has been seriously ill during the past week,

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson field. A whole peck of oranges for 50 entertained the latter's mother of Chicago the last of the week.

ed his parents, Mr and Mrs. J. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Keating accom-Pennsylvania kerosine and gas- panied by Mrs. Richev were afternoon. Chicago passengers Wednesday.

> held at Slater's hall every Sunday num? Try it. at 10:30 a. m. Everyone is wel-

For Rent-7 room house on house. Inquire of Mrs. Halleck. Stott street. Hard and soft water, cement walks. Inquire of Amory Donobue, Genoa.

Miss Lois Woleben of Marengo a short vacation from his studies is a guest at the home of Mrs. at the University of Wisconsin at Madison.

toweling, towels and muslin com-Miss Ruby Stiles of Mendota mencing, Saturday Feb. 20, at

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Johnson went to Chicago Tuesday for a few days' visit with their daughter, Mrs. Smith.

E. H. Olmstead attended a Protective Association held in

is again arranging to initiate a and is looking for the best.

Warranted cutlery at Perkins & Lawrence Kiernan is enjoying Rosenfeld's. This means if it is not as represented you bring it back and we make good. That's

The old time dance which had been announced for February 22 at the pavilion has been postponed until Friday evening, March

For interior finish where varnish finish is desired, there is nothing equal to China lac. For attend the cement show in Chica-meeting of the Milk Producers beats the world. Sold by Perordinary paint finish B. P. S.

> city limits. The first merry chimes of the sleigh bells of the season were heard Tuesday morn-

At Chapman's hall last Friday evening the Genoa second team of basket ball players defeated the Kingston second team by a score of 25 to 7. DeKalb defeated the Kingston first team 44

The Ladies' Aid will serve supper in the church parlors Wash ington's birthday, Feb 22. It

Oranges only 50 cents per peck appearance of the interior. at F. J. Schmidt's. Cheaper than For Sale—House and two lots Mrs, Wm. Hecht returned from ing of next week every purchaser apples. Get some at this price with out houses, good poultry the hospital at Elgin today, hav- of a ticket to the moving picture Mrs. Florence Schoonmaker re- house, small fruits - north-east since the eleventh of January a coupon which will entitle them

with her son, C. D. Schoonmaker, ises or at this office.

guarantee enough, isn't it?

5. Watch for advertising matter. kins & Rosenfeld.

ties. If you have not talked it moved to the front of the store, will take a four months' farrier's conducted by Geo. W. Miller,

J. E. Jenkins, formerly of Ge- E. W. Wing and Hugh Todd of covering nicely.

Why don't you deposit your he tells you a watch is right at traffic for some hours. money in the Farmers' State Bank the price you can bank on it as There will be a Bible Sunday its passage by the house and

24-2t now at Fort Riley, Kas., where he present. The meeting will be taxes.

Philippines. house, good well water, coal ing been under treatment there show at the pavilion will receive turned to her home in Chicago part of Genoa. Price, \$600.00 if when she submitted to an opera- to a chance on a rocking chair. Sunday, after a ten days' visit sold in 60 days. Call at prem-tion for floating kidney and other This chair will be on exhibition 22-4t* complications. She is now re- at the pavilion until the evening

Lombard Thursday to attend the noa, now located at Seattle, Elgin were here last Saturday MEN WANTED - Single man The Republican-Journal contest Wash, writes that his health has and accompanied by A. V. Pierce wanted to work in creamery at closes at eight o'clock p. m., A. C. Senska and son, Claude, greatly improved since he went inspected M. S. Campbell's herd Bowes, beginning March 15. March 3, two weeks' from this of holstein cattle. Mr. Wing is Single man wanted to work in week Wednesday evening. Look Genoa Camp No. 163 M. W. A. buying up a herd of these cattle creamery at Colvin Park, begin- at the label on your paper today. ning March 1. Steady employ- If you are not paid in advance, large class. A special deputy Frances, son of Mr. and Mrs. ment for right men. Inquire of why not come in now and pay will probably be put into the Fred S. Abraham, is seriously ill Jas. Hutchison, Sr., Genoa, Ill. 2t up? At the same time cast a with scarlet fever at the home in A locomotive and six cars load- bunch of votes for one of the

Mrs. Julia Olsen and Miss Chicago. Mrs. S. Abraham, the ed with coal ran off the de-rail on ladies. Laura Dempsey of Chicago were boy's grandmother, of this place the North-western tracks at Hen- Moses Baldwin has received a Will Lawyer of Janesville visit- week end visitors at the home of went to Chicago Wednesday to rietta this morning. The momen- letter from Congressman Charles their brother, J. T. Dempsey, and assist in nursing the little one. tum of the train carried the Fuller in which the latter assures No question marks will bother locomotive over the ties until it Mr. Baldwin that his pension will Music at Olmsted's Saturday you when spending your money reached the east bound track of in all probability be raised to for a watch at G. H. Martin's. If the Milwaukee road, tying up been approved by the proper

Read F. W. Olmsted's bills.

Christian Science services are at the rate of 3 per cent per anatomic stands been a standard absolutely so. His guarantee School Institute at the Congregatf stands back of every watch sold. tional church in Kirkland Tues-For Sale—black driving mare, Geo. Harvey, son of Mr. and day, Feb. 23, all day and possibly family broke, with buggy and Mrs. J. M. Harvey, who has been evening. Let all ministers, super- Rosenfeld's store Thursday afterharness; also 2 sets double driv- in California for several years, intendents, Sunday School teach- o'clock noon to 5 p. m. until ing harness. Inquire of Geo. recently with the U.S. cavalry, is ers, and the public in general be March 10 to receive Kingston

making a big improvement in the course. He will then go to the state worker. E. H. Olmstead.

Beginning on Thursday evenit is given to the lucky person.

\$2400 per month. The bill has committee and that usually means

I will be in Genoa at Perkins & noon of every week from 12 HARMON COLVIN 24 3t Established in 1882

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Does a General Banking

Sells Foreign and Domestic money orders.

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\$1.00 will open a savings account and get you a beautiful pocket

Savings Bank.

Call and see about it.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Malana at- Chicago Monday. Essie, the thirteen year old tended the funeral of the latter's G. H. Martin can interest you daughter of Prof. and Mrs E. S. in prices on silver sets and novel-Clark has been seriously ill with pneumonia during the past week Her condition this morning i encouraging, however. Enough snow fell Monday evening of this week to make sleighing fairly good inside the

Special introductory advertising for

Standard Stock Food Co. We will give away FREE \$3.00 worth of Standard Preparations for Stock, with every \$3.00 purchase of Standard Stock or Poultry Food.

L. E. CARMICHAEL DRUGGIST

SOLE AGENT

will be a straight 25c supper served on cafiteria plan. There will be special music by the A. E. Pickett has just installed three new sections to his clothing case at his store and is now putting in a dust proof hat case. The clothing cases have been Pins, 5c values..... 2 for 5c Hooks and Eyes, cards......30



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My son Rex was taken down a year ago with lung trouble. We doctored some months without improvement. Then I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, and I soon noticed a change for the better. I kept this treatment up for a few weeks and now my son is perfectly well and works every day.

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Lonsdale Muslin	8c y	d.
	(Only 10 yds. to a family.)	
Fruit of the Loom	Muslin 8½c y	d.

Good unbleached Muslin 6c values, per yd5c
71/2c values, per yd6c
New Muslin Drawers, lace trimmed22c pair
Corset Cover Embroidery
Dress Trimmings, 25c values, as cheap as5c per yd.
Broken lots in White Silk Waists, \$3.00 and \$2.00
values
Marshall Field's Sewing Thread4c spool

Best quality Calico Remnants, 6c values 4c yd
Cotton Blankets42
Broken lots in Corsets, \$1.50 values98c-\$1.00 values69
Ladies' White Handkerchiefsc each
Men's Red and Blue Handkerchiefs4c each
Ladies' 25c knit Vests and Drawers
Ladies' Short Coats\$1.00
Mourning Pins c box
Mennen's 25c Talcum Powder
Safety Pins3c card

25 new pieces of Toweling on sale at5c to 15c yd.

Apron Gingham, 7c values on sale.....5c yd.

50 doz. Towels bought special for this sale, at 5, 9, 13c

Coats and Furs Closed Out at a Price.

This is not a Clearing Sale but a Bargain Sale.

See Our New Spring Goods

Frank W. Olmsted



of a new form of government, and did not have precedents to guide him in his undertaking. It was his early training which taught him to think calmly and with judgment. His mind once made up, to act without fear. He was born on the banks of the Potomac river in a farmhouse; though the house was far better than a log cabin. it was not the mansion it is supposed been. It was a large, roomy place, with a deep sloping roof and a big outside chimney at either end. He was one of many children. His father was rich in crops and land, though he had little real money. Most Virginia farmers planted tobacco, and when mon-

ey was scarce they traded this product

for food and clothing. His early years

he encountered as commander-in-chief of the army. He was placed at the head

were spent on the farm, with plenty of exercise and little schooling. George loved to tramp across the fields, forests and to swim in the streams. His education was gained at a country school where he was taught for three hours a day. Limited as his education was, he was fond of reading, and he had a book into which he copied everything he wished to remember. In this book he put many rules which he himself had formulated. These are only a few of the many: "Labor to keep alive in your breast that lit-

tle spark of celestial fire called conscience." "Think before you speak."

"Whisper not in the company of others."

Lawrence, one of the half-brothers, had been sent to England to school, and the parents had planned the same for George, but the father died suddenly, and Mrs. Washington realized she could not afford to send him across the ocean. The boy had spent considerable time on the wharf and talking to seamen had awakened a desire for adventure. These stories created a desire to earn a living as a sailor, and he suggested it to his mother. Mrs. Washington did not like the idea of having George leave home nor did she approve of his career. He was sent back to school to study surveying. When not studying he was training his company of boys to become soldiers, and he often got very impatient when they made mis-

Shortly after his brother Lawrence had married the daughter of Lord Fairfax a member of this family took a great interest in the boy. He had such a fancy for the lad he put him to surveying a large tract of land in the Shenandoah valley. Though the work was no easy task, he was so strong and enthusiastic he acquitted himself exceedingly well. He did not go alone-a boy, George Fairfax, went as his aid. They rather enjoyed the new experience of hunger, cold and facing Indian strategy. In later years George recalled his experience of roughing it in the Shenandoah valley with great pleasure. This work was suddenly interrupted by sickness in the family. Lawrence, his half-brother, was ill and the physicians sent him to the West Indies. George went along to keep him company, only to be taken with smallpox. Although Lawrence started for home, he died after his return.

This was a great shock to George, for the brothers were exceedingly devoted; but the sting of this loss was partly forgotten by a commission to go to the French who were building firts on Er lish territory. He was

his interview with the French commander he started for home. The journey back was worse than going, for the rivers were exceedingly treacherous. The French governor refused to heed English commands and continued to build forts, so George Washington was appointed to command soldiers to march against the French in the spring. This was the beginning of a war between the French and English. which lasted seven years. Gen. Braddock was sent over from England and George was made a colonel and commanded the Virginia troops. Though Braddock was a capable general, he did not understand the art of fighting the Indians and refused to heed young Washington's advice. The general was shot in one of these engagements. With this the Redcoats began to run, but Washington tried to call them back. All day he was in the midst of the fight. Four bullets went through his coat and two horses were shot under him.

TRENTON, BY FAED GOES D

WASHINGTON

The war at an end, Washington returned home. He was anxious to see his mother, whom he had not seen in some time. Though Mrs. Washington was not a brilliant woman, she had plenty of good judgment and common sense, and was always ready to give her son wise counsel. Proud though she was of her boy's energy and desire to serve his country she was careful not to spoil him by excessive praise. She loved to hear of the hazards of war, but she emphasized the dangers more than her boy's success.

Hardships and long-fought campaigns had done much to impair his health, and he went to Williamsburg to consult a physician. On this trip he met Mrs. Martha Custis, widow of Daniel Parke Custis, one of the wealthiest planters in the colony. They were married some five months later. Very little is known of her except that she was petite, pretty and exceedingly devoted to her husband. She was very proud of his successes, and used all her energy to make his trials as easy as she could. There are those who attribute Washington's first step upward to his marriage. This is certainly untrue, for he was on the road to success when he married her. Whenever Washington went on a long campaign his wife took up headquarters where she might be near him. These winterings gradually became a regular custom. She seldom complained, although she frequently had to put up with inconvenient headquarters. When Washington was chosen commander-in-chief of the army he did not accept the place with great eageness, for he

hard fought war, and a position latent with responsibili-The struggle was as difficult as he imagined, for many times during the war the soldiers were ready to lay down their arms and go home, but his courage never failed him and

WASHINGTON AND LAFAYETTE AT MIVERNON, BYROSSITER &

he pushed on.

When the sky looked blackest he would plan some campaign to make of defeat a victory. A happy illustration of this was when one Christmas night the soldiers were quite ready to give up and go home. They were camping on the banks of the Delaware. Pointing to the other side, he said: "Our enemy is camping there." They were Hessian soldiers, and since it was Christmas night, they were celebrating. It was with difficulty the army crossed, for the night was wild, dark and cold. But in spite of the great blocks of ice on the river, Washington managed to get his army across, and a victory was the result. A more difficult year, was spent in Valley Forge. It was a long, cold winter, the soldiers hungry for food, and they did not have enough clothing and blankets to keep themselves warm. Many times they were on the verge of mutineering. It was only by means of his tact and good judgment that he brought harmony into camp and gave the war a successful ending.

After leaving the army he went back home and spent much time improving the farm. The Mount Vernon estate gradually became an expensive affair. Here he kept open house, and never a day went by without his receiving callers and friends. Some of the dinners and levees were often elaborate, and he struggled hard not to appear bored. He had hoped to spend the rest of his life among these pleasant surroundings. He often told his friends: "Let those who wish such things as office be at the head of things. I do not wish them. All I desire now is to settle down at Mount Vernon and to enjoy my farm." But after the constitution was ratified and the votes of the electors were opened and counted it was found that everyone had voted for Washington. During his presidency he had many knotty problems, but he met them all with good sense and judgment. Because he played the double role of commander of the army and the first president of this nation equally well he is entitled to the name, the Father of His Country.

"END JUSTIFIES THE MEANS."

"The end justifies the means." This motto, from the coat-of-arms of Washington, will no doubt flash into the minds of certain admirers of the father of his country who glance at the genealogical tree, which is England's latest Washington's ancestry.

"Let no man fancy be knows sport," said the son of Edward I. Plantagener

treed an ancestor of George Washington." Yet. despite the many clever scholars and antiquarians of America who have tried their hands at this "sport," it has remained for a fellow of the Royal Historical society of England, Rev. Frederick W. Ragg, to convey to us the latest interesting revelation regarding the ancestry of our first president.

Barring those that champion the truly democratic standpoint, less prevalent to-day than it was in 1620, which scorns to connect itself with old world titles and abhors royalty, there remain many liberal souls among us who do not grudge to one who was acknowledged first in war and first in peace a share in the homage accorded the first family of England.

Edward I, was himself a mighty warrior, and first in many wars; his prowess was early exercised on the Turks, during the last crusade ever embarked on by England's kings, and when the throne became his own he successfully carried out his project of uniting England. Scotland and Wales. He brought the famous stone of Scone to Westminster abbey, and under him England became a mighty nation. He was a monarch wise and great, even though he had little leaning toward democratic government and did not display special fondness for Magna Charter. Edward Longshanks was not an ancestor to be despised by his descendant George, of kingly bearing and equally long legs.

That this direct line of descent has not until now been established may seem a bit surprising in view of the exhaustive research that has been devoted to the Washington ancestry. The reason is, however, not difficult to understand when one reflects that such research has been concerned exclusively with the male line, while this royal blood is introduced into the family by Margaret Butler, who married Laurenco Washington in 1588.

Mr. Worthington Chauncey Ford and others who have made a special study of the Washingion pedigree trace the line back to John Washington of Whitfield, five generations back of the aforesaid Laurence and his wife Margaret. These students state that this Margaret Butler was the daughter of William Butler of Tighes, Sussex, but do not follow the Butler pedigree back of this point. Here Mr. Ragg has taken up the quest, and after careful study of old records, tombstones, and entries in church registers has proved that William Butler, father of Mrs. Laurence Washington, stands tenth in direct descent from Edward !.

Reference to the above genealogical tree just completed by Mr. Ragg, and verified since its arrival in America by various genealogical experts, who have pronounced it satisfactory, will show conclusively that George Washington is in the sixteenth generation in direct descent from the monarch in question, and is, there contribution to the oft-debated question of fore, the great-great-great-great-great-greatgreat-great-great-great-great-great-grand

WILL FILL GABINET A Back That Aches All Day Disturbs

Question This Week.

ON THE WAY TO WASHINGTON

President-elect Will Present Canal Re port to Roosevalt-Confer with

Cincinnati, Feb. 15.-Mr. and Mrs. Taft, who arrived in the home city of the president-elect from Panama and New Orleans yesterday, departed at noon to-day for Washington. Mrs. Taft contemplates a visit to New York, while the president-elect will spend one day in the capital, return here and remain until Saturday.

The trip to Washington to-day has importance, inasmuch as its primary object relates to the report of the engineers who accompanied Mr. Taft to Panama. This report is expected to be placed in his hands upon his arrival there to-morrow morning. With the engineers, he will take the document to the White House, where it will be the subject of a general conference with President Roosevelt.

The contents of the report have where I kin get abeen forecasted, the features being a strong indorsement of the carrying out shops is all closed on Sundays! of the present plans and the commendation of the organization under Col. Goethals, and recommendations tending to show that whatever error wife came to see her bust. has been made has been on the side of unnecessary precautions for safety.

Will Confer with Knox. While in Washington Mr. Taft expects to have conferences with Senator Knox, and with others whose advice he values, relative to cabinet appointments.

The cabinet gossip which is regarded as the most reliable, and stated with the understanding that Mr. Taft
has declared he would reserve the
right to deny all cabinet suggestions,
is that no contained to cure any case
of liching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in
6 to 12 days or money refunded. Sec. is that no one has been determined

upon for the treasury portfolio.
Senator Knox and Frank H. Hitchcock have been asked and have accepted the positions of secretary of state and postmaster general.

rumor, with a fair percentage of likelihood for correctness, makes the cabinet of Mr. Taft as follows: Attorney general, Mr. Wickersham

of New York. Secretary of war, Mr. Wright of

Massachusetts. linger of Washington state.

Mr. Nagel of Missouri. Mr. Taft wishes to fill the treasury portfolio either from Illinois or Ohio. its value as a grip rem-Should the appointment go to the president-elect's own state, it is the edy need not be quesbelief that the honor will fall on Myron T. Herrick. The seeming tumult tioned. The grip of candidates from Illinois is regarded as militating against, rather than for, yields more quickly if that state's chances.

Will Keep Slate Open.

that he will keep all appointments open until the very last minute, with the view of meeting any situations get a bottle of Peruna that may arise, with the least embarationce. Delay is almost rassment to all concerned. It is known that his attention just now is being certain to aggravate centered on the treasury place.

Another of the matters of consulta- your case. tion which will be taken up in Washington, where Mr. Taft will remain until to-morrow afternoon, will be his inaugural address. This speech has been outlined and will be submitted for criticism.

On his return here Thursday Mr. Taft will be made a Mason "on sight," an honor rarely conferred by the Masonic order. On Friday he has a private dinner engagement with the founders of the Taft Citizens' club of this city, and Saturday he will leave for Philadelphia, not to return here until after his services as president may conveniently permit.

WILL CIRCLE THE GLOBE.

Vice-President and Mrs. Fairbanks Plan World Trip.

Washington, Feb. 17.-Vice-President and Mrs. Fairbanks are contemplating taking a trip around the world shortly after the adjournment of congress. They probably will take a steamer at San Francisco, visiting Hawaii and the Philippine islands, then China and Japan and returning via Europe. The time of their return is not definitely fixed.

Former Danish Premier Dead.

Copenhagen, Feb. 15.-Herr Hoerring, state councillor and former premier, died yesterday. During the latter part of Herr Hoerring's term as premier state negotiations were entered into between the United States and Denmark for the purchase by the United States of the Danish West Indies. This aroused much opposition,

Russian Graft Revealed.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 13.--Irregularities amounting to \$1,000,000 have been discovered as the result of an investigation which Senator Garin is making the army quartermaster. The stores and offices of many leading business firms have been searched for evidence of the illegal dispostion of government supplies.

BROKEN REST.

Sleep at Night.

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Roberts, are introduced as lovers. The government is much criticised because of its lack of preparation for strife. At the most inopportune moment Japan declares war. Japan takes the Philippines without loss of a man. The entire country is in a state of turmoil because of the government's indifference: Juy Hillier starts for England with secret message and is compelled to leave Norma Roberts, who with military officers also leaves Washington on mysterious expedition for an isolated point on the Florida coast. Hawaii is captured by the Japs. Country, in turmoil, demands explanation of policy from government. All ports are closed, Hillier going to England on last boat. England learns that Jap fleet is fast approaching western coast of America. Hillier decides to return to America by any means. Siego, Japanese spy, discovers secret preparations for war. He follows auto carrying presidential cabinet. He unearths source of great mystery and flees, murmuring: "the gods save Nippon." Fleeing to Pacific coast, Siego is shot down just as journey to get awful news to Japan seems successful. Japan announces intention to attack seaports.

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One day, two days, and three, passed before Japan felt anxiety, or the world began its discussion as to the cause of the long delay. Then, when the fleet was more than a week overdue it became almost a certainty that some disaster had overtaken it, although from no section of the sea had there been a typhoon reported or anything but excellent barometric conditions. Ten days passed in this same way, and on the last the report from Honclulu was identical with that which had been made on all those previous: "Nothing in sight, and nothing arrived."

Once more the world stood in expectancy, and vainly sought the solution for the latest enigma. Storms were eliminated; for no tempest could have wiped out such a magnificent body of ships so effectually as to leave none to bear the sad tidings to the nearest port. And then, as a full realization of what must have happened dawned upon the watching powers, a shudder of dread passed through them all. It was plain that America had some new and terrific naval strength, some unheard of monster of the deep, that gave it the mastery of the seas. The evolution of submarines had been rapid; but no one had knowledge of a craft that could steam such a distance as would have been necessary to intercept the Japanese before they reached Honolulu, engage them and either destroy them completely or capture and convey them to an American

It must have been total destruction, the world argued, because in case of would scarcely have been able to make the complete trip to a Pacific coast on the supply of coal they carried in their bunkers. Forced drafts required great expenditure of fuel, and never at any time had there been any other intention than of replenishing at Hawaii. It seemed impossible that a civilized nation should have chosen deliberately to exterminate its enemies by wholesale; and yet there was no other conclusion tenable.

How terrific must have been that onslaught, coming up out of the waters of the sea, and how remorselessly executed! All losses of life in previous naval engagements sank into insignificance when compared with this sudden and swift obliteration of a fleet of warships, transports and colliers. It would be nearly impossible to spare lives in such a battle, and no greater consternation. The very | it would be practically immune from to get under way. it seemed a certainty that the great terms of the reply showed insolence attack.' steel monsters that had sailed away toward all the world, and demanded This then must be the solution! and was to be lost in this trans-Atlantic tograph a boy without putting his to easy conquest had become mere explanation. But who dared attempt he read in the faces of his interroga- journey; for before the Norfolk had head in an iron frame?" metal coffins for those who manned it? What country was brave enough tors that they so accepted it. There passed out of the river she was workthem, and were now resting some- to take the risk of meeting those ter- was a chorus of questions which he ing under forced draught. He found where on the floor of the heedless Pa- rible submarines, which were capable could not answer. He admitted his lack himself the only passenger, and that cific. If such was the case, it was in a night of destroying the most com- of technical enlightenment, and also instructions had been given placing time the United States ceased to ex- plete flotilla that ever had been mobil- that he had no knowledge of what the destination of the ship under his ist as a nation, when peopled by in- ized and sent away? If they only success had resulted from the experi- orders. That the government purhuman monsters who calmly glew knew what form these monsters took, ments. Nothing of a valuable nature posed to spare no expense or effort their adversaries when threatened.

land in the sea, without ships to as- be some means of offsetting them or he had made it certain in the minds was tired of hearing of war, and felt New Testament, not the Old."—Womsail an enemy or to defend herself. perhaps repelling them. That infor- of his superiors that, though they a secret sense of satisfaction as day Shorn of power and pride, she was mation, at any cost, must be gained. might not know the secret of the sub. after day passed in respite from such plunged as deeply in mourning as In its reaching out for anything which marines which had destroyed the news. exalted in glory. She plaintively be- istry sent for Hillier. scorned to use them without notify. plish anything. ing the whole world of her power. It was a country of desolation.

in Japan which had not contributed there the same men who had met him States?" some member of its family to that on the day of his arrival in London; splendid navy which had sailed so but there was a different attitude this proudly away when early June was time, however, and the officials before in Washington you could gain an spreading its flowers over the empire; him seemed anxious and ill at ease. audience with him through his friendnow there were sobs of bereavement | Plainly they were ready for any sug- | ship and deliver into his own hands a and woe.

Across the ancient lands of the that might seem possible. denly grown ominous in its possibili- ment?" ties and potentialities.

Japan, hopeless and driven to extremities, appealed to her ally, Great 'Vanishing Fleets," a story of "what ght have happened," opens in Washgion with the United States and Japan the verge of war. Guy Hillier, sectary of the British embassy, and Missorma Roberts, chief aide of Inventor oberts, are introduced as lovers. The tremmer is much carriers because

due consideration responded. Canada was asked in the interests of humanity to pass a communication to was working on some electrical disthe soldiers on the border, asking for covery which might be utilized for an particulars of the destruction of the improved submarine. What do you Japanese fleet. It was duly accepted know of it?" and forwarded, and back came the reply:

fleet which came to invade the Pa- the water of a boat so constructed." cific coast has been duly met, properly vanquished and rendered incapable of submarines?" further harm. The United States resary, and, with all due respect to Great periments in which he and his daughthority, the results might be fatal." Britain and such other powers as may ter were then engaged. His contention inclination to reply to any further made totally effective unless it gained communications of this or a similar a speed so far beyond anything known

A slap in the face could have caused and maneuver with such rapidity that

who is a friend of mnie."

"And his name, pray?" "Dr. William Roberts."

Every man in the room gave a information. And Great Britain after repeated it as an exclamation. "That

"I know only this," he said, "that Dr. Roberts told me he believed it "The United States has no report perfectly feasible so to use electricity whatever to impart on the subject through metal as to change its strucmost vitally concerning his majesty's ture and at the same time lessen the closest ally beyond the fact that the resistance, or skin friction, through

"Were you at the time discussing

"Yes, we were. The subject arose be interested, wishes to express a dis- was that a submarine could never be

swered "No;" but before his lips could United States, your perfect knowlformulate the monosyllable there sud- edge of the Canadian border line, and denly returned to his memory several your ability to talk personally to the conversations he had had with Dr. president if he can be reached. We Roberts on this subject, and also he are not at war with the United States, recollected that in one of these talks and do not believe that vessels sent Norma had participated. There was by us would be attacked unless war no reason so far as he could think was declared. In the interests of the why he should conceal this knowl- national dignity, however, we are compelled to make some kind of demon-"Yes," he replied, "I do know some- stration of strength off the American thing of the subject, but nothing tan- coast—this for the reassurance of our gible or of value. That which recurs own people in Canada, if for no other her to attend the school regularly. to me is a conversation I had a few purpose. We are going to send our months ago with a scientific inventor most powerful fleet into Canadian waters, where it will be stationed until this war is at an end. You recognize the danger?"

Hillier sat thoughtfully for a mo-Britain, for news. She showed no cowardly spirit by asking for aid of arms, and sought the assistance of her mention of the name seemed to have a mention of the name seemed to have mention of the name seemed to have mention of the name seemed to have a mention of the name seemed to have not seemed to have a mention of the name seemed to have not seemed closest friend only that she might gain affected them. The prime minister be misinterpreted by the United States is the man," he said, "who is supposed as a warlike move against her; there The premier of the dominion of to have gone insane, but who at one might be accidents; and then our vesting was asked in the dominion of the have gone insane, but who at one "You are right," the minister as-

sented, and his companions nodded in approval. "Now, under those circumstances it is necessary for us to get word through, without any chance of miscarriage whatever, fully and clearly explaining to the United States that this demonstration is for the reassurance of Canada; that it has no intention of interfering with American affairs, and requesting that measures be taken to prevent its being attacked | San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portunder misapprehension. If that mes- land. No extra charge on our personsage did miscarry or was delayed in its ally conducted tours. Write for itingrets that such action became neces- through his describing certain ex- delivery to one sufficiently high in au- erary and full particulars to S. A.

> tempt to deliver these advices?' "Yes, because we have tried through other agencies and failed. This time that it could traverse great distances there must be no failure, because the North Sea fleet is now being mobilized to its full strength, including the Dreadnought and her two sister ships, and will sail within a week after your

> > the lines?' Guy's heart gave a great bound of satisfaction. Now he would have all the aid his government could give to barber? penetrate the cordon and reach a place where he stood the best chance you a dollar, the price of ten shaves, of finding Norma, or of learning where if you want to be shaved all over. she was and what had happened to

departure. Do you think you can pass

"No one can try harder, sir," he hastened to assert, "and I believe that if anyone can enter I can."

"When can you go?" "As soon as you are ready."

her and her father.

you wherever you deem it best to scribe it. make the attempt. I suppose, however, you will endeavor to go through by way of Canada?"

He answered that such would be his excitement of action and elated be- had this evening." cause the call of duty was leading him back into the land where Norma the mother, "that George is very populived and might be found.

In the chamber he left behind a group of men, who looked at each other and said: "He is the fourth said, "that George is an easy loser." man to try it; and is not only the best, but our last hope."

> CHAPTER VIII. The Lone Voyager.

A special train breaking records for HALL'S CATARRE CURE. speed swung shrieking into the archway of the Liverpool station, and Hilth this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. lier, carrying nothing but light baggage, jumped out of his compartment and walked along the Queen's landing to the gangplank of the waiting Norfolk. Two men in sailor's uniform, who evidently had been nosted for the who evidently had been posted for the purpose of keeping curious loungers away from the boat, halted him, and two officers in waiting. Hillier recog- tography. nized one as a personal friend. They swung into the air and she proceeded don't they?"

It was plain to Hillier that no time

cally a few weeks before she had been might suggest a way, the British min- Japanese fleet, they at least were Out of the North sea, sluggishly aware what form of attack might be rolling in the swells and floundering very ill symptom; and it may be said been mobilized by Japan. Other bottom, so a solid stiffness in the conswift-moving dispatch boats. Five of his brain.—Saville. formed the heart of this apparently inways facing the possibility of de rine in Your Eyes. You Will Like Murine. struction by a terrible and unknown engine of warfare.

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Somewhat Hard to Combat.

Miss Marjorie, aged five years, is one of those bright children who make the lives of their parents and teachers a burden. Quite recently she paid her first visit to a kindergarten. Upon her return home she grew enthusiastic, begging her mother to allow

"It was so very nice!" she declared sweetly. "And the teacher, Miss Lee, is so very nice, too! She told me if I was a good little girl I would grow up into a pretty lady, but if I was naughty I would grow up an ugly

"That is quite true, dear," her mother answered with a smile.

Silently Miss Marjorie regarded the fire of pine logs. Presently she burst out: "Then what a naughty, naughty little girl Miss Lee must have been." -The Bohemian.

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> George and His Wad in Demand. "The young wife answered the

'phone. "That's another call for George," she intention, shook hands with them all, said to her mother. "Somebody wants received his messages and left the him to come somewhere and play chambers, his blood tingling with the bridge. It's the third invitation he's

"That would seem to indicate," said

The young wife sniffed. "It unquestionably indicates," she

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Unknown to Science. The eight-year-old son of a scientist were joined almost on the instant by showed a sudden interest in pho-

"Dad," he said, "they photograph shook hands, boarded the ship, and comets and meteors and flying birds almost before their feet were planted and lightning flashes and all sorts of on the deck the landing stage was moving things without any trouble,

"Yes, my son." "Then how is it they can't pho-

Placing Him. "Papa," inquired little May, after Sunday school, "was George Wash-

ington an Israelite?" Before her father could answer this somewhat unexpected question May's

six-year-old brother broke in. "Why, May, I'm 'shamed of your ig-Japan was left a helpless little is advanced to the attack, there might that or any other conversation. But clusion of his mission was evident. He n'ance! George Washington is in the an's Home Companion.

> Too Much Gravity a Bad Sign. There is a false gravity which is a

formed the heart of this apparently invincible gathering, which was to cross.

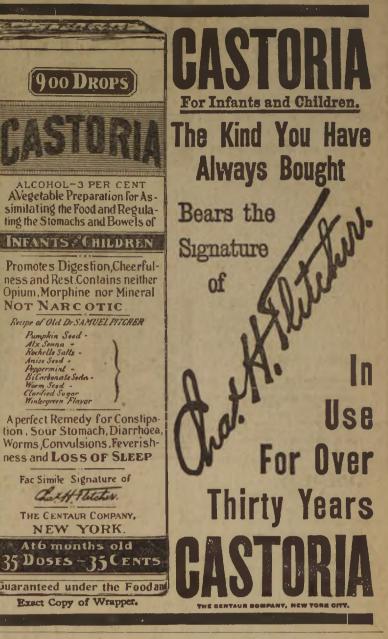
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They Shook Hands.

wailed the barbarities of her enemy, Guy, sleepless and worn from nights expected in case of war. In the nature through the waves, gathered a fleet that as rivers which run very slowly and proudly pointed to her own high and days of anxiety, responded to the of things it could afford no solace; but almost as powerful as that which had have always the most mud at the state of civilization, which made such call, listlessly wondering what further it might assist in obviating danger. warfare impossible. She asserted information he could give as to the sit- He listened to the discussion, and nearby stations sent in their quota of stant course of a man's life is a sign that had she possessed such monsters uation in America, or what if any duty felt that he should be given leave to cruisers, torpedo-boat destroyers and of a thick bed of mud at the bottom of of destruction as were evidently owned could be expected of him when the go, now that he had told all he knew; by the United States, she would have ministry itself was unable to accom- but he was again brought to the fore the world's greatest battle ships

He was ushered into the room where on several previous occasions on very pleasant and friendly terms There was hardly a prominent home he had answered questions, and found with the president of the United

Pharaohs and up through the prov- "Mr. Hillier," the lord of the ad- it now seems inaccessible." inces of kings there swept a unani- miralty began, "in all the time you

At first, on impulse, he almost an- of your thorough familiarity with the an earl.

what dire warning they gave as they had been given to him at the time of in assisting him to a successful con-

by a question. "We understand you are personally

"Yes, I think so."

"Do you believe that if you were gestion he might offer, or any measure | message from our government?" "Yes, if I was in Washington; but

> The prime minister, to whom the ney. We have selected you because and the son of a marquis is zimilarly

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Lord and Marquis.

that we cannot say that a lord is higher or lower than a marquise. The can carry in his own heart. mous desire for an explanation. It were in Washington did any rumors others looked, reached over and picked grades of nobility in England run in mous desire for an explanation. It were in washington and which he idly could come from only one source— or stories or information reach you retail the above order, with the addition of the above order, with the ab itself off from all the world and stood boat projected, or being experimented "Mr. Hillier," he said, "we are about not receive the title of lord. The son silent, guarding its secret, and sud- with, by the United States govern- to send you on a very important jour- of a duke is by courtesy a marquis.

For Collector

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of collector for the town of Genoa and respectfully ask the support of my friends at the coming caucus. GUST SCHMITZ

I have decided to become a candidate for the office of town collector and respectfully solicit the support of my friends at the coming caucus.

H. D RUSSELL 20-tf

I am a candidate for the office of collector and will greatly appreciate the support of the voters of Genoa at the caucus in H. E. VANDRESSER.

For Assessor

Having decided to again become a candidate for the office of assessor for the town of Genoa I will appreciate the support of my friends at the coming caucus and election.

J. W. SOWERS.

(Official Publication.) eport of the condition of Farmer's Statenk, located at Genoa, State of Illinois, ore the commencement of business on 6th day of February, 1909, as made to Auditor of Public Accounts of the te of Illinois pursuant to law. RESOURCES

Loans on real estate ...\$ 5,637 20 Loans on collateral se-30,259 70

13,563 38

DUE FROM BANKS: National 12,934 98 . CASH ON HAND: 7.057 21

COTHER CASH RESOURCES:

Exchanges for clearing house......

Checks and other cash items...... 69 32 -..\$176,910 46 TOTAL RESOURCES ..

Cime certificates ... 84,426 65
Demand, subject to 47,752 68

132,179 33 5. DUE TO BANKS, includ-ing certificates of de-State 1.279 51 1 279 51 TOTAL LIABILITIES\$176,910 46

I. Geo. W. Buck. President of the Farmer's State Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. W. BUCK, President.

STATE OF ILLINOIS | 8s. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of February, 1909.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Andrew H. Olmsted, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Extrices of the last will and testament of Andrew Dimsted, late of the county of DeKalb and state Ilinois, deceased, hereby give notice that they lappear before the county court of DeKalb inty, at the court house in Sycamore at the rill term, on the first Monday in April (t, at which time all persons having claims inst said estate are notified and requested to end for the purpose of having the same adted. All persons indebted to said estate are uested to make immediate payment to the dersigned.

REBECCA J. OLMSTEI ADA M. BROWN CORA M. ROBINSON

NOTICE **EXECUTOR'S**

Estate of Matthias Hain Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator with will annexed of the last Will not restament of Matthias Hain, late of the lounty of DeKalb and State of Illinois, deceased, ereby gives notice that he will appear before ne County Court of DeKalb County at the Court Iouse in Sycamore at the April Term, on the rst Monday in April next, at which time all ersons having claims against said Estate are oithed and requested to attend for the purpose flaving the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make impediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this ist day of February, A. D. 1909.
EDWIN HINES
4-3t. Administrator with will annexed.

Administrator's Notice

The undersigned having been appointed Adinistrator of the Estate of Orrin Merritt, eceased, hereby gives notice that he will apar before the County Court of DeKalb County, the Court House in Sycamore at the April erm, on the first Monday in April next, at hich time all persons having claims against itid Estate are notified and requested to attend the purpose of having the same adjusted. Il persons indebted to said estate are requested make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 15th day of February. A. D. 1909.

Houses and Lots For Sale

RESIDENCES, ready to use, in all parts of town, anywhere from \$600.00 to \$6000.00. VACANT LOTS, anywhere from \$50.00 to \$500.00, according to location. BUSINESS PROPERTY, worth the price.

FARMS of various sizes, from 80 acres to 200 acres, at \$100.00 per acre and up. HOUSES to let.

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High Grade Dry Goods, Shoes, Furnishings, Ladies' Coats, Suits and Skirts, Furs, Crockery, Tin Ware and Granite, in fact everything needed for your entire family in one Gigantic

TEN DAYS' SALE

Commencing Saturday, February 20, at 9:00 a.m.

At Genoa, III., corner of Main and Monroe streets. And bear in mind that this will be a sale without a parallel; something that has never occurred in Genoa or surrounding towns in a lifetime and a sale that will never occur again, as much of this merchandise will be sold for less than the actual cost of the raw material. Heroic Measures are sometimes necessary. This is one of the times. Be advised, drop everything and get your share, it will pay you to come fifty miles or more. Cast your eye on this startling price list taken at random from all parts of the store and remember it would take ten sheets like this to enumerate all.

DOMESTICS American Prints, blue, gray and black, was 7 and 8c, now..... 5c Hart brand large sifted Peas of the best quality, regular of the best quality, regular Amoskeag Gingham, regular 7 and 8c seller, now......5c 15c seller, now..... 3lb can good quality Bartlett 1 Pears, regular 15c seller, now 10c Best Percales, regular 10c seller now......7c Lennox Laundry Soap DRESS GOODS Grandma's Wonder Soap Figured Mohair, regular \$1,25.75c A general reduction on all groceries. Plain Mohair, in all colors, 50 and 75c value, new......37c FURS Suitings in all colors, \$1.00 73c Fur Boas worth up to \$5.00\$1.98 Novelties in checks & stripes Fur Boas worth up to \$10.00 3.98 worth up to 50c, now........15c Children's Fur sets worth \$2 00 79c Astrachan Cloth, \$2 25 per now..... Flannelettes formerly at 13 LADIES READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS Ladies' Long Coats in all \$3.98 shades, worth \$10.00, now \$3.98 Ladies' Long Coats, latest styles, worth \$15,00, now Ladies' Long Coats, latest

Good patterns, all linen, worth 39c styles and shades, worth 14.98 \$25.00, now..... Ladies' Short Coats, worth up to \$10.00, now...... 2.98 All Linen Napkins worth Ladies' Skirts in Voiles, Panamas, Cheviots, Mohairs & Plaids in all shades, includ-KNIT GOODS ing blacks and grays, 3 worth up to \$500, now 3 Ladies' all wool Shawls fancy worth \$2.35, now. \$1.59 Ladies' Skirts in Voiles, Pan-Ladies' Newport Shawls, worth 79c \$1.25, now..... amas, Cheviots, Mohairs & Plaids in all shades includsing blacks and navys worth \$10 00 now 4 Ladies' fancy colored Shawls 1.09 worth \$1.65, now........... Misses' Coats in all the popu-lar colors and materials Eiderdown Dressing Sacques \$1.35 values, now......98C Misses' Coats in all the popular colors and materials 4.98 worth up to \$10.00 now....

Men's Sweaters at your own price.

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I hereby guarantee every statement and every price in this document. You all know how conservative I am and my long career in business is a positive guarantee to you that this sale will be strictly as advertised. John Lembke.

SHOES FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY patent, kid, velour and box calf, were \$3.85, \$4..\$2.98 Mayer's Western Shoe for ladies, regular \$3.25, now 2.48 for boys, were \$2.25, now 1.79 Red School House Shoes ennox Laundry Soap 25c for boys, were \$2.25, now 9 bars for...... Red School House Shoes for girls, were \$1.85, now **MEN'S PANTS** All wool Pants, \$1.75 values Men's work Pants, \$1.00 val-Men's Overalls, blue, black, and fancy stripes, 85, 90 and 95c values now..... Men's Overalls, 50c values,

Men's Corduroy Coats, \$3.50 2.69 Ladies' Fur Collarettes worth 7.95 LINENS lover Leaf pattern, worth och per garment now..... poc, now Ladies' Fleeced Underwear 50c per garment, now..... 30c per garment, now.....24c Ladies' Fleeced Underwear Children's and Boys' at a discount. Prices ranging according to size. Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits 79c \$1.00 per garment, now \$2.00 per garment, now....1.59 Ladies' Wool Union Suits,

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RUBBER GOODS Knit Boots, best quality, coon tail, \$3 50 value now \$2.79 Knit Boots, good quality, \$3 25 values, now 2.49 The above items include Rubbers. BALL BAND OVERS Men's Overshoes, sole and Men's Overshoes, snow ex-

Rubbers at a bargain price. Good quality Felt Boots with 2 buckle duck over \$2 75 values now.... 2.2 HATS, CAPS, GLOVES Stiff Hats, Bulls Eye Brand, \$3.50 sellers, now \$2.49

Men's Caps, fur lap, \$1.00 val-Men's Caps in all colors, 50c Canvas fleeced lined gloves per pair..... 5 and 7c Men's Kid Gloves, good quality Men's Kid Gloves, good quality Men's Kid Gloves, good quality \$1.00 values, now......79c

goods exchanged at any time during the sale.

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TABLE AND FLOOR OIL CLOTH

Floor Oil Cloth, 2 yds. wide, $1\frac{1}{2}$ yd. wide and I yd. wide, 32c per square yard, now White Table Oil Cloth, 200

FOR CHILDREN

50c, now..... Infants' Wool Sacques, for-

JEWELRY

Ladies' long Watch Chain, \$4 50 value, now \$2.49 Ladies' long Watch Chain \$3 00 Ladies' Gold Bracelets, \$4 00 Ladies' Gold Bracelets, \$2 50 values, now......\$1.29 Men's Black Fobs, \$3 00 values Men's Black Fobs, \$2.25 values now.....99c Gents and Ladies' Rings, Belt Pins, Stick Pins, Cuff Buttons, Charms,

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Best Pins worth 5c now 2 for.....5c Hooks and Eyes, worth 5c now 3 Side Combs, worth 50c, now 38c Tooth Brushes worth 15 and 18c now 9c Talcom Powder, worth 25c, now ... | 9c Stephenson's Skirt Supporters, worth 25c now. Fancy Hair Barrettes worth 18c,

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