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AUTO BANDITS FOUND GUILTY

Jury Renders Verdict After Deliberating Three and One-half Hours

WILL ARGUE FOR A NEW TRIAL

Hearing Set for December 26—Penalty One to Fourteen Years If Verdict is Sustained

After deliberating for about three and a half hours, the jury which heard the case of the state against the four notorious auto bandits in the event of a guilty verdict against all four defendants last night.

The jury retired after hearing the court's instructions at 2:45 o'clock Friday afternoon. Judge Slusser took 55 minutes to read the prepared instructions.

At six o'clock the hall was notified that the jury was ready for dinner and they returned to their rooms in the court house for further consideration of the case about an hour later.

It was 7:30 when the court attaches were instructed that the jury had arrived at an agreement. The prisoners were sent for and the jury filed into the court room amidst a dead silence, broken only by the footfalls of the jurors as they took their accustomed places.

The reading of the verdict took only a moment and immediately after Judge Slusser entered an order that arguments for a new trial or appeal would be heard on the 26th of December.

The four prisoners showed no emotion when the verdict was read. They took their fate stoically, evidently from long experience, each of the defendants having been principals in similar scenes before, according to the indictments.

Counsel for the defense immediately began making the preparations for the arguments to be heard the day after Christmas. It was freely predicted about the county seat today that an appeal will be filed rather than take chances on a new trial in this community.

The court reserved passing of sentence. The defendants are liable to a term of 1 to 14 years in the penitentiary.

During the course of the trial testimony for the defense was introduced, picturing three of the four defendants, Joe Wheeler, 75 years old; John E. Trainor, and Harold Toomey, as innocent machinists on their way to work in Ottawa, and the fourth, Frank Krueger, as an honest chauffeur hired to drive the other three to their places of employment. The rural police and posse of farmers made a big mistake, when they attacked the defendants with pistols and shot guns at Kaneville, they said.

The defense claimed that Wheeler was a veteran machinist and that he had been employed in the Johnson brothers machine shop at Ottawa. He had been visiting relatives in Chicago and while there told his two friends, Trainor and Toomey, that they could get work in Ottawa. They agreed to start on the morning of September 16. They hired Krueger to drive them to Ottawa, the attorneys attempted to show.

It was the plan to go to Ottawa over the Starved Rock trail and they were trying to find the trail when they entered Kaneville, they claimed. While they stopped in front of the garage, City Marshall Hickey and other members of the posse that had chased the bandits from Somanauk across three counties drove up and started shooting, the defense claimed. Believing that they were being held up, the defendants jumped out of the machine and tried to find shelter. Krueger, who had a gun, started shooting back in self defense, the attorneys claimed. Trainor fell wounded in the street and Toomey, Wheeler and Krueger tried to find shelter in the corn fields, the attorneys claimed.

The defense claimed that the four had not been in Somanauk or Sandwich and that the burglar tools found in their machine were Wheeler's machinist tools which he was taking to Ottawa.

Attorneys for the state argued against the "innocent machinist" defense advanced by the attorneys for the defense, with the charge that the four men now in custody were not alone in the robbery of the Breunig & Dolder garage at Somanauk, but

KENDALL JOINS LIST

Farmers Organize and will Engage Advisor at Once

Kendall County farmers just could not stand it any longer. Kendall is surrounded by six counties having Farm Bureaus and all of them had a membership campaign during the past year with the Illinois Agricultural Association, which is the State organization of Farm Bureaus. Last Tuesday 125 farmers from all corners of Kendall, gathered at the Court-house and decided they would have a farm bureau and at the same time join the I. A. A. They listened to J. B. Bilsborrow of the University tell about the Farm Bureau movement, and to C. J. Cooper, I. A. A. about the State Association. These men got all the arguments to give to their fellow farmers, they solicited one another until they had the facts down pat and they decided to put Kendall on the map before the week ended.

That evening when they left Yorkville they had the three card pledge cards, and all the facts that they would present to their neighbors. It only lasted two days. The first day 661 farmers signed the three card pledge, paying \$10 to the Farm Bureau and \$5 to the I. A. A. each year.

The second day the membership went up to 961, and the only reason they stopped there was because they ran out of pledge cards. Then on Friday all the farmers met at the Courthouse again, made their Farm Bureau organization permanent, adopted a constitution, elected officers and are now ready for a Farm advisor.

All in one week Kendall county farmers built up their organization which has taken some other counties a year to do. In this little area of seven counties there is a membership of 8,202 farmers belonging to their Farm Bureau and the I. A. A. DeKalb has 2024, Kane 1559; Will, 1283; DuPage, 950; Grundy, 875; La Salle, 596 and Kendall 962. The total membership of the I. A. A. is now 45,800.

All the officers of the Kendall County Farm Bureau are active farmers. J. V. Cryder is President, R. J. Churchill, Vice-President; W. C. Carter, Secretary and Alvin Christian, Treasurer. The Board of Directors consists of one man from each of the nine townships. The Kendall County Bureau makes the seventy-fifth in Illinois.

Thus has the dream of Henry Parke, whose farm lies south of Genoa, materialized. And this has the work of D. S. Brown of Genoa born fruit. DeKalb County was the first in the United States to organize and engage a farm expert and to Henry Parke and D. S. Brown belongs the honor of having worked out the idea and pushed it to a successful finish.

BIG FIRE IN ELGIN

Endangers Lives of Thirty-five in Old People's Home

The thirty-five residents of the Old People's Home, 204 south street, Elgin, were rendered homeless and the building and its furnishings damaged nearly \$20,000 by fire at 7 o'clock Monday morning.

No one was injured. All the thirty-five residents were taken from the burning building before their safety had been seriously menaced by the flames.

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had accomplices, it was said. It was said that the car obtained from the garage, amounting to \$500 worth of automobile tires, was carried to accomplices waiting in another automobile, and carried away by these men, none of whom had been apprehended.

Sharges are piling up against the men—James B. Trainor, "Red Tom" Ryan, Harold Toomey and Frank Krueger—steadily. The state claims that all four men have criminal records behind them, and federal authorities claim that Trainor is wanted in Kentucky for robbing a postoffice. There are four counts against them in the DeKalb county court. Besides these, the men must face a charge of assault with intent to commit murder in the Kane county court, as the result of the shooting of Earl Breunig of Somanauk. The latter was shot in the hand in the streets of Kaneville, while a member of the posse which chased the alleged bandits from Somanauk into Kaneville. There the four opened fire on the pursuers.

DeKalb Chronicle.

WE MUST BUILD BETTER ROADS

Increasing Use of Heavy Trucks Calls For Change In Constitution

S. F. BRADT EXPRESSES OPINION

The Thin Concrete and Macadam Surface Will Not Stand Up Under Traffic

Illinois is facing the problem of building a statewide system of roads which will be called upon to sustain not only the heavy traffic of today, but also the anticipated increase in traffic which will develop within the next two decades. The use of the motor truck for transportation, now in its infancy, seems likely to become as universal as the use of the passenger motor car, and looming up as it does as the most important element in the future movement of freight, must be considered one of the principal governing factors in the design of modern highways.

These conditions says S. E. Bradt, superintendent of highways in Illinois, are not dissimilar to those in other states and therefore all far-seeing highway officials have now to cope with the heavy truck in "delivering the goods" of tomorrow.

The anticipated use of a connected

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

To Supply Data In Regard To Soldiers and Sailors From DeKalb County, Illinois. To Be Kept At The Court House, Sycamore, Ill., Authorized By The DeKalb County Board of Supervisors.

At the September meeting of the Board of Supervisors of DeKalb County, Illinois, a resolution was adopted authorizing the County Clerk to prepare forms and purchase records and necessary equipment to keep a complete record of each of the DeKalb County boys called to serve in the World War of 1914 to 1918.

Blanks have been prepared and can be secured of the County Clerk and any of the Supervisors or Town Clerks and at any of the banks of the county.

The soldiers' parents and friends of soldiers are requested to call and get a blank of any one of the above named parties and you will also be supplied with an envelope of sufficient size to receive the blank without folding.

In using the blank forms answer the questions you know about at the present time; but do not scratch off any questions you cannot answer, as they may be needed later, or perhaps we can get them answered from some other source. If there are any soldiers who went from your township who have no parents or near relatives to look after them, will some one who knows the facts please fill out a blank for them even though you cannot give more than their name and place they lived at the time of enlistment.

In addition to filling out the blank, if you have a photograph that you would like to have preserved with the war records, please send it with the blank and also any newspaper clipping or letters from the boys. If your boy's name is not found on the list that will later be published it will be because someone failed to fill out the blank and return it to the County Clerk. Sign name where it reads "Information furnished by".

Please attend to this matter at once, as we would like to have list complete by March 1920.

The state Historical Society of Illinois has also appointed S. M. Henderson as chairman to organize the county to obtain the above mentioned information and also the war activities of all organizations of the county.

If all the organizations will give a complete report of the work done in their district during the war it will be recorded in our war records and will be valuable in time to come.

In doing this give name of chairman and all the members of the committees in the various drives also amount of bonds sold or funds collected and anything else of interest.

Yours in memory of the boys who fought and saved the world.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF DEKALB COUNTY, ILL.

By S. M. Henderson, County Clerk, Sycamore, Ill.

system of country highways in Illinois by motor trucks has resulted in certain modifications in practice in highway design, all of which have resulted in increased cost.

The selection of the rigid types of pavement—such as brick, concrete or bituminous concrete on a concrete base—for practically the entire state bond issue road system is largely due to the destructive action of motor trucks on the lighter, cheaper types of road facings. If passenger car and team traffic alone were to be built types of pavement, for example bituminous macadam, surface treated macadam or plain water bound macadam could be used satisfactorily and a great saving in first cost could be made. With heavy truck traffic to cope with, however, it would be financially suicide to build any but the most substantial roads on the main routes.

Motor trucks are also directly responsible for the almost universal adoption of greater thickness in rigid pavements than has been used in past practice. This amounts to about one inch increase in all standard types, entailing a resulting increase in cost.

but an increased standard of thickness has been adopted to safeguard the vast investment that is now being made in roads, the \$34,000,000 which is now available from the federal aid and the state bond issue for the construction of a connected trunk line system of highways.

In order to provide still further increase in the strength of pavements, the specifications for these new roads have been much more rigid than these which have been used in the past. Better materials are insisted upon more exact methods of proportioning and more careful attention to details of construction are now required, and a more accurate finish and more thorough drainage and compacting of the earth subgrade upon which the pavement is laid is demanded.

The construction methods of the Illinois division of highways formerly in use were well in advance of general practice. Nevertheless, the methods now specified will result in pavements much superior to the rigid pavements which have been built in the past.

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MASONS INSTALL

E. J. Tischler Heads Genoa Lodge During Coming Year

At the regular meeting of Genoa Lodge No. 288, A. F. and A. M. on Tuesday evening of this week, the following officers were installed by P. A. Holly, installing officer:

E. J. Tischler, W. M.
G. R. Evans, S. W.
L. F. Scott, J. W.
S. T. Zeller, Treasurer.
James Hutchison, Secretary.
Charles Welter, S. D.
Roy Stanley, J. D.
John Sell, S. S.
Orrin Merritt, J. S.
C. D. Schoonmaker, Marshal.
A. C. Reed, Chaplain.
C. F. Dearduff, Teyler.

Immediately after the ceremony of installation an oyster supper was served, which was greatly enjoyed by everyone except Chief Crawford who was feeling rather delicate and could only find the bottom of the bowl only twice.

Will Rucker and family have moved to Polo, where they resided formerly.

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Instances are on record where even rigid roads have been broken down by heavy truck traffic because they lacked the requisite flexural or slab strength. The standard of thickness used in Illinois has undoubtedly been entirely adequate for present needs, Yorkville.

TO LOSE LITTLE KENDALL COUNTY?

Movement On Foot to Consolidate With Kane County

GEO. FAXON SAYS NOT AND "NUT"

Believes That Kendall Can Stand Alone as She Has For Generations Past

From the Aurora Beacon of Tuesday we clip the following:

"A movement was launched in Kendall county today looking to the uniting of Kane and Kendall counties as one. The proposition will be voted upon at the general election next November. In seeking to come into Kane county the Kendall county advocates of the merger point out that it would mean a saving to both counties in that but one set of county officers would be needed and that Kendall county taxes would help pay the expenses of Kane. Besides, it is stated, Geneva is reached more easily by most Kendall county folk than is the present Kendall county seat, Yorkville.

"Kendall county has but 12,000 population yet it has county officers to elect and pay, just as a county many times larger, it is argued.

"A petition calling an election in Kendall county on the proposed merger with Kane county will be put in circulation after New Year's, F. Tuttle, secretary of the Kendall county annexation commission, said today.

"The petition must be signed by 100 property owners and 100 or more voters. A petition must also be signed calling for a Kane county vote.

"Kane would gladly take Kendall into the fold, persons said today who were told of the proposed merger. Its interests and those of this county are largely identical and there is a close neighborly feeling in the peoples of the districts."

Kane-Kendall Nut
Under the above caption the Plano News refers to the article above:

You probably have heard the story of the half-wit, who fell from a passing Ford, on to the hard pavement, stunning him so that it was several minutes before he came to? When he did, he accosted a policeman standing near by and severely scolded him for not picking him up. The policeman, said,—"You poor gimp, do you think I haven't anything else to do but pick up nuts that drop off passing Fords?"

We have often wondered just who or what this fellow's name was. The Aurora Beacon of Tuesday evening in a very lengthy and elaborate article, proposes to do away with Kendall county. Gobble or swallow the little faithful, well behaved, old county entirely up and incidentally lays the proposition to a "nut" by the name of Tuttle.

It can't be done! The Court House is plenty good enough for us, the Kendall County people. It is as good as 50 per cent of other court houses in Illinois. We like you people all over Kane county. You are the best ever, but you know that after you are well and happily established for years that two families can't live in one house and be happy.

We love Geneva and its people and your handsome court house twenty-five miles away, but we love the good old vine covered Kendall county court house just six miles away better. We are against the whole proposition and we wish, Mr. Beacon, that you would capture Tuttle at once, before he creates future trouble. Keep him out of Yorkville, whatever you do.

CHOIR ENTERTAINS

Christmas Cantata Sunday Evening is Enjoyed by Audience

A goodly sized audience heard the cantata given at the M. E. church by the choir last Sunday evening. The chorus was well balanced and all the solos and duets were good.

Mrs. E. W. Brown, as accompanist, was at her best, while Albert Morehouse proved himself to be a capable director.

It is a fact to be regretted that not enough young people in Genoa take an interest in choir music. There is nothing better for those who do not have individual music instructions. A large enthusiastic choir is a good drawing card. If Mr. Morehouse and Mrs. Brown had the voices at their command, they could develop a choir that would pack the church at every service.

FOUR KILLED AT SHABBONA

Family Nearly Wiped Out At Railway Crossing

A frightful accident occurred at Shabbona Tuesday when a train backed into an auto that was crossing the tracks and a family of six save one is practically wiped out. The dead are John Idne, his daughter Anna, aged 8 years, and son Fred, aged 5 years, and another daughter, Jennie, aged two years. Anna and Fred were killed instantly, Mr. Idne and Jennie dying in the Rochelle hospital. His wife is in the hospital with what is thought to be fatal injuries. An older child aged eleven years, was at school.

There were no eye witnesses to the accident, according to the evidence disclosed at the inquest. The train crew said that they were not aware of the fact that the train had struck a machine until it was noticed that the entire body of the machine was lying under the freight car, between the trucks. The car had collapsed at the time of the impact and was pulled under the freight car and pushed along with the momentum of the train.

Members of the crew are reported to have talked to Mr. Idne after rescuing him from under the wheels of the train and it is said that he made the remark that when he looked down the track he thought the train was standing still.

GEITHMAN TO INVEST

Genoa Man Plans Playhouse for Village of Hampshire

Hampshire Register: The people heard the welcome news the fore part of the week of a new amusement hall which will soon come to Hampshire. We have long needed a centrally located hall for this purpose and the news this week was heartily welcomed.

Last week George Geithman and Julius Getzelman purchased the old Commercial hotel property and will soon begin operations for the erection of a new two-story brick building. The old hotel will be torn down in the near future and everything put in readiness for the new brick which will be erected as soon as the weather opens in the spring.

The new building, it is planned, will be one hundred feet long and about fifty feet in width and will be devoted to amusement of some sort. The promoters of this scheme plan to have a bowling alley in the basement. The first floor will be given over to a roller rink and such sports as basket ball, dancing, etc. A stage will also be erected and fitted out on the second floor and this floor will also be prepared for a moving picture theater.

BRUNSWICK RECORDS

R. H. Browne, the Local Brunswick Agent, is now Smiling

For some months past the manufacturers of the Brunswick phonographs have been advising the hustling Genoa agent, R. H. Browne, that real Brunswick records were in the making and would soon be placed on the market.

After weeks of watchful waiting, Mr. Brown has received his first consignment of records and they are all that the manufacturers have been claiming for them—substantially and carefully built, of a remarkably pure tone and reproducing the work of high grade artists. The Brunswick record can be played on any machine and has features of a mechanical nature not found in any other.

Mr. Browne intends to carry a full line of these records and will place on sale the new productions as they are released.

CHANGE IN MANAGEMENT

C. W. Watson now in Charge of Local Interests of Illinois Northern

Affairs of the Illinois Northern Utilities Co. in Genoa, Kingston and Kirkland are now in charge of C. W. Watson, the change having been made this week.

Mr. Glass, the former manager, will devote his entire time to his growing electrical business.

The new manager is a home-grown product and is qualified in experience and affability to give satisfaction to both the company and the public.

MUST LOSE LEG

Everette Leonard, a Sycamore soldier who was severely wounded in the leg while engaged in active operation against the enemy in France,

SENATOR CLIFFE WAS ENDORSED

Unanimous Choice of Republican Central Committee for Circuit Judge

DELEGATES SELECTED TUESDAY

Judge Pond Makes No Effort To Enter Name At The Meeting

At the meeting of the DeKalb County Republican central committee held on Tuesday of this week, Senator Adam C. Cliffe received the unanimous endorsement of the committee as candidate for circuit court Judge W. L. Pond, who entered the race early, did not enter his name at the meeting, it having become evident some time ago that Senator Cliffe had secured the individual endorsement of a large majority of the committee-men.

G. E. Stott of Genoa was elected as one of the delegates to the convention to be held at Geneva on the 7th of January.

The following resolutions were adopted:

That the delegates to the District Convention are instructed to present the name of Adam C. Cliffe of DeKalb County for nomination for the office of Circuit Judge of the 16th Judicial Circuit and to use all honorable endeavors to obtain his nomination for said position. The delegates present to cast the full vote of the delegation.

We further endorse the candidacy of Justus L. Johnson of our neighboring County of Kane for the position of Clerk of the Appellate Court of the Second District of Illinois.

We further commend the course and conduct of our representative in congress. No public servant better deserves the commendation and hearty support of his constituents than our beloved Charles E. Fuller of Belvidere.

We especially commend the conduct and votes of Senators Sherman and McCormick in voting for reservations to the Covenant of the League of Nations to preserve and protect the interests of the American Nation and to preserve the constitution of our own country.

We point with pride to the wise and business administration of Governor Frank O. Lowden. His watchwords have been efficiency and economy. He is the great war governor of Illinois. The Republicans of the County of DeKalb are proud of his achievements. We pledge him our support for nomination of President in the national Republican convention.

THE CHRISTMAS TREE

The Community Club Scores Another Big Hit Christmas Eve

Hats off to the Community Club, and take them off quickly, for that same club has scored another big hit and if you do not properly recognize the fact, the kiddies of the community are sure going to dislike you.

The community Christmas tree on Christmas eve was the scene of the happiest gathering ever seen in Genoa, the Community Club committee having prepared well in catering to the hearts of the youngsters. And the older people enjoyed the affair just as much, for none could see that delighted bunch of kids without entertaining a little of the good cheer in his own heart.

The program opened with community singing by the audience, led by Albert Morehouse, and then Old Santa Claus drove up in his sleigh. Oh Boy! The little ones were thrilled when Saint Nick greeted them. He was in good voice, despite the many visits he had made previous to arriving in Genoa. We really believe that Santa enjoyed the event just as much as his little friends.

Every child received a box of candy and a pop corn ball from the hands of Santa himself.

The tree was beautifully decorated with colored electric lights and many gewgaws and presented a pretty picture, especially from a distance.

The Community Club has started a feature of Christmas observance in Genoa that should never die.

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during the war has consented to the amputation of the injured leg. The operation will be performed at the Fort Sheridan General U. S. Hospital.

Uncluttering a Soul

By FLORA A. MONTY

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Isobel Newton deliberately ruffled her smoothly coiffed hair with the petulance of weary womanhood.

"Oh, I'm tired—tired to death!" was her involuntary confession to herself.

The room was cluttered; her desk was cluttered; her mind was cluttered. For the working place of an efficient young woman, the office was in a sad state, and it seemed to make a mute appeal for the relief of broom and dustcloth.

The busy disorder of things seemed to cramp her soul, and she had a vague feeling that by waging war on the tangible disarray and eliminating as much as she could of things she would regain the mental freedom so necessary to the wise carrying on of her business affairs.

Isobel was a working girl of the kind that get paid for working. She contended that all girls worked—some at the job of earning a salary, some at the ungrateful task of housekeeping and some at the steady grind of society.

Isobel professed to loathe the latter two kinds, but today the impatient desire for physical action became dominant in her mind and insisted on expression.

From the only little used drawer of her desk she abstracted an apron of the coverall variety and a cap that was rakishly prim. They covered her business attire with a completeness that seemed to invest her with a new aura, and she began to be pleased with herself for indulging in the very temporary experiment of "housework."

Her efforts successfully dislodged the dust that the recent wind had brought, and piece by piece she was looking over the papers and letters on her desk, grimly determined to destroy every one that her for once elastic prudence would allow.

With an almost reckless disregard of consequence, she tore paper after paper, the crisp rasp soothing her nerves like magic; and she worked faster and faster, tossing the torn bits hither, for the pleasure of watching them float softly to the wastebasket. Isobel laughed softly, then began humming as she worked.

An important contract, some receipts, a bill or two, and several orders were placed on top of the desk, as they required the first attention of her clear thinking mind when she should settle back once more to her orderly routine.

So busy was she that Austin Stafford, whose office was across the narrow hall, gazed at her in unobserved amazement as he paused by her door a moment. The busy, efficient Miss Newton, the unsentimental, independent wage-earner, who ignored any gallantries a man might offer as coolly as one looked through space, seemed vastly remote from the dusty maid who was flushed and smiling and singing.

With a wisdom rare in a man, where the worshiped woman is concerned, he refrained from speaking to her, and went quietly on with his errand before she could detect him watching her. Out from the depths of his big heart crept a tiny seedling of hope. The sight of Isobel in "human garb," as he mentally classified her apron and cap, was like the mellow warmth of the sun on the desire he had buried deep. Not that he would require her to be a drudge if he married her, but he wanted the assurance that his wife would have the instincts of real womanhood. The Miss Newton with whom he had had business associations was practical and shrewd in a well-bred but "manly" way.

Stafford always reproached himself when he thought of Isobel as "manly," for her manner, under every circumstance, was quiet decorum; but he resented hugely the spirit of equality she always managed to put into their relations. He wanted to look up to her. He believed that a man should always have to rise to a woman, but in spite of his dissatisfaction with her career, he felt his heart gradually going to her, due, though he did not understand it, to his subconscious recognition of her hidden qualities.

A sudden gust of wind from the open window lifted the pile of documents that Isobel had placed ready for inspection, and gleefully flung them about the room for a moment, then out the door, and scuttling across the hall into the office directly opposite.

With an impatient exclamation Isobel pursued them, madly waving her dustcloth in wasted effort. Giving hurried thanks that Mr. Stafford was temporarily out of his office, she gathered up her papers, which were now quite scattered and lay like tired children at various places about the room. They were all there but the important contract. That she must have, as her signature was required before the day was over.

In some perturbation she looked around again, even venturing to Mr. Stafford's desk. And there it lay, thrust by the force of its fall, part way into an open drawer. As she drew it out a picture, clipped from a newspaper, came with it, and fluttered to the floor. Stooping to recover it, her breath shortened, for the picture was one of herself which had appeared a short time since in a local paper that was featuring the suffrage cause.

"Miss Isobel Newton, Who Proves

Woman's Efficiency in Business," was the caption under which the cut was run.

Underneath, in a masculine hand, was written, "Isobel Newton, Business Woman." Her cheeks scorched suddenly at the scorn she felt it implied. Then the hot blood receded till it left her cold and still. So that was the way he thought of her! "Isobel Newton, Business Woman!" Again came the flush of shame, succeeded by bitter anger at herself. Why should she be ashamed of what she was? She had always been proud of her success. And now, merely because Austin Stafford had scribbled that silly bit below her picture, she felt as guilty as though she were a criminal.

A hitherto unknown weariness assailed her. She turned and walked uncertainly out of the room, across the hall, and into her now orderly office.

The rows of technical books, the filing cabinets, every evidence of her modern methods seemed to press upon and choke her as she looked at them. She opened drawer after drawer of her desk. Everything was a mute testimony to the success with which she had met the events which came into her affairs, yet to her it now seemed a hopeless jumble of things that did not compensate. After all, a well-kept office and a smart boarding place were inadequate when it came to satisfy the soul need of a woman.

With the realization came tears—the tears which Isobel had denied herself through all the years of her struggle, and they washed away all the barriers she had rigidly erected around her heart. She knew that she had failed in the big thing of life, and failure was not sweet.

After some moments she raised her head and grimly wiped away the last tear, and saw before her Austin Stafford.

His poise deserted him as he addressed her.

"Isobel—I—I—tell me, dear, what is the matter?"

"Nothing!" The answer was intended to be haughty, but haughtiness and red eyes are not well teamed, so to the eager man it sounded merely pitiful.

"Is it because—" he ventured, and then could find no words.

"Oh, it's because everything about me is crowded full of things that shouldn't be—crowded and jammed cluttered! I'm sick of it all!"

"Thank God, dear heart! Thank God, you are a real woman, after all! I've a place for you in my heart and in my home—if you'll come."

Radiant, Isobel listened, and then leaned toward him.

"Oh, I see why there wasn't room for these other things! My soul was crowded with love for you!"

MOSQUITOES ALWAYS A PEST

Complaints About "New Jersey Canary" by No Means Confined to Modern Times.

It is natural to assume that certain pests belong, in their deadly perfection, to modern times only. But such is not the case with mosquitoes. According to an expert of the department of agriculture, who is held to be the foremost authority on what is sometimes called the "New Jersey canary," his researches indicate that the inhabitants of ancient Greece were sometimes forced to abandon their dwellings to avoid the attacks of mosquitoes. The citizens of Monte, a rich city of Ionia, fled from the mosquitoes of Miletia, and Peramo, a beautiful city in Asia Minor, was abandoned for the same reason.

Sapor, king of Persia, was compelled to raise the siege of Nisibis by a plague of gnats. Humboldt says that in certain regions of South America the inhabitants pass the night buried in sand, which covers them to the depth of three or four inches, leaving out only the head, which is protected by a cloth.

There is even a mosquito story which had the hardihood to attack the veracity of George Washington, or possibly that of a contemporary tourist. Isaac Weld, in his "Travels Through North America," says in reference to Skenesborough, N. Y., that mosquitoes were very ferocious and plentiful there.

"General Washington told me," he says, "that he was never so much annoyed by mosquitoes in any part of America as in Skenesborough. They used to bite through the thickest boot." Now the boots of those days were very thick and mosquitoes were probably, so far as structure goes, pretty much as they are today. Moreover, the Father of His Country could not lie; but perhaps Mr. Weld could, or, more probably, one of the gentlemen may have indulged a sense of humor.

Territory Without Sabbath.

Bobby and Mildred went into the country to visit their cousins, Willie and May. At home they were in the habit of attending Sunday school, and their mother packed their best clothes in a separate suitcase. But as their time was mostly spent in fishing and picnics in the woods, the children did not know when Sunday came. On their return home mother found their Sunday clothes had not been worn and asked them why they had not dressed up on the Sabbath. "Why, mother," Bobby replied seriously, "there wasn't any Sabbath in the country."

Tungsten From Peru.

The United States has become by far the largest importer of tungsten from Peru, taking the place previously occupied by Germany. The mineral, used for making the hardest steel, is mined by natives, washed out by hand and transported across the Andes on the backs of llamas and burros.

BOUDOIR GARB IS A BIT AUDACIOUS



There is just one place where the gentlewoman, with dramatic instincts, will allow her robing to be a bit audacious, and that place is within her own four walls. The gentlewoman naturally strives for distinction in dress, but she will not go to the length of wearing things so unusual in character and design, as to make her conspicuous in public. But within her home it is different. From any corner of the world inspirations may be carried out in boudoir gowns and in underthings; the artist fabrics, the most daring color combinations, the richest embroideries and extravagant unique designs are at her service.

Just now China and Japan are furnishing alluring things with wonderful possibilities for boudoir wear. The big fringed shawls of crepe de chine, embroidered with incredible fineness in the most brilliant colors, make negligees that only need to be draped on the figure, the drapery sewed in place, and the robe thus made provided with a fastening. Like a great many negligees, these gorgeous affairs presuppose a warm climate or steam heat.

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Long and graceful lines and exquisite coloring in the negligee pictured, confirm our belief that of all clothes, negligees are the most beautiful. It is of shot blue satin and rose chiffon, with delicate stitching in blue and gold. One can hardly imagine it worn over anything more substantial than undergarments like those pictured with it. These are of chiffon flowered with rosebuds and a touch of blue. Satin in pale blue makes the flappings and val lace with French flowers add their parts to the dainty assembly.

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Pretty Vagaries of Millinery



Millinery for midwinter is like autumn leaves—the most colorful and brilliant of all the year's pageantry. Designers give free rein to fancy when the time comes to grace the heads of fair women for the gayeties of holiday times and all that the midwinter season brings in the way of entertainment. This year they are reveling in the most gorgeous materials, gold and silver tissues and laces, mock jewels, beads, spangles, brocades, embroideries—everything rich and splendid that they can lay hands on.

The eternal feminine has not changed since Tennyson sang "the splendor due to women." But this brilliant effort is the swan song of winter millinery—after it, and already edging in with it, come the plain and simple dimeson hats; the prelude to spring styles—due to make an early appearance for the benefit of great numbers of southern tourists.

Who but a designer of millinery would ever think of interpreting the lowly coolie hat in fine lace? But the designer's judgment is vindicated, for the hat at the top of the group shown above, is a fascinating vagary of millinery. Chantilly lace draped over a sat-

in-covered shape shows a little bunch of grapes and a rose, posed with all the assurance in the world, at the top—where the Queen of flowers has a right to be. The rose needs this prominent position to be seen at all—for what observer will be able to get beyond a pair of eyes that must be looked into behind a veil of lace?

Gold cloth with applique of figures in black silk cord makes the rich hat at the left of the group. It suggests the Orient, too, with its odd, flat tassel of feathers that fall like a fringe at the side, and it belongs in the company it appears in, being of the same character as the coolie hat.

Even street hats reflect the gorgeousness of the mode. The narrow-brimmed sailor at the right of satin has a rich-looking band of silver braid about the crown and a silver-gray veil that lures our thoughts to velled ladies in far lands, even with a pair of frank American eyes behind it.

Julia Bottomley

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Wake, for the alarm clock scatters into flight
The variegated nightmares of the night;
Allures the gas into the kitchen range
And pleads for rolls and muffins that are light.

BREAKFAST DISHES.

Breakfast foods are on the market in such numbers that one might have a different one each day during the year, or at least long enough to forget if one is repeated.

Rye Mush.—Take a quart of boiling water, one teaspoonful of salt, five heaping tablespoonfuls of rye meal. Sprinkle the meal into the boiling water, stirring constantly; add the salt, bring to a boil once more and cook slowly in a double boiler one hour and a half. Serve with sugar and cream. The advantage of a long-cooked cereal is that one may reheat it and serve it in a very few moments.

Fried Oatmeal Mush.—Wet a bread pan in cold water and pack into it any leftover oatmeal. The next day turn out, cut in slices, dredge with flour and fry in hot bacon fat. Serve with bacon or with a sirup, if liked. Any leftover cereal which does not contain fruit may be served in this way.

Velvet Mush.—Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a double boiler, add two cupfuls of flour and stir until it leaves the sides of the dish; add five cupfuls of milk, stirring constantly, and bring to a boil at each cupful. Add a teaspoonful of salt; mix well and serve with sugar and cream.

Oatmeal Jelly.—Soak a cupful of oatmeal overnight in cold water to cover deeply. Add boiling salted water in the morning and boil several hours, adding more water if needed. When every grain is transparent and jellylike it is done. This is delicious served cold with fruit, sugar and cream.

Crushed Wheat With Raisins.—Add a half cupful of wheat to three cupfuls of boiling salted water and cook until the water has disappeared; then add three cupfuls of hot milk and cook until the wheat is soft. During the last hour of cooking add a half cupful of raisins. Raisins are healthful and are an agreeable addition to almost any cooked cereal.

So it was destined: and thus came I here
To walk the earth and wear the form of man,
To suffer bravely as becomes my state,
One step, one grade, one cycle nearer God.
—T. B. Aldrich.

SUITABLE LUNCHEON MEATS.

A simple, inexpensive loaf which may be served hot with a brown or tomato sauce or sliced cold is the following:

Take one pound each of fresh pork and round steak chopped fine, add two teaspoonfuls

of salt, one beaten egg, one cupful of strained tomato, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley and a small onion finely minced. Brown the onion in a little of the pork fat, season with pepper and add all the other ingredients with a cupful of crumbs. Mix well and form in a loaf. Bake about one hour, basting occasionally with the liquor from the pan. Remove the loaf and make a sauce with the fat, stirring in a tablespoonful or two of flour, adding tomato juice or water or soup stock of any kind.

Ham and Noodles.—Butter an earthen baking dish, put into it a layer of boiled noodles, add a layer of boiled ham cut in bits, then another layer of noodles and so on until the dish is full. Bent an egg and add one cupful of milk, pour over the dish. Cover with crumbs, dot with butter and bake in a moderate oven.

Mock Duck.—This is to be served cold. Pound a pork tenderloin until the fibers are broken; spread with a stuffing seasoned with poultry dressing; roll and tie in shape; brush with melted butter; dredge with flour and roast basting with the drippings, adding water if necessary. Roast as usual and when done take out, press with a weight until cold.

Mock Birds.—Take thin slices of rare roast beef, veal or lamb. Make a stuffing of seasoned bread crumbs, egg and melted butter. Put a spoonful on each piece of meat; roll and skewer with tooth picks; dip in melted butter and bake in a moderate oven. Sprinkle with buttered crumbs and brown just before serving.

Liver With Onion Sauce.—Dredge thin slices of liver with flour and fry brown in pork fat. Place the cooked liver on a platter and fry chopped onions in the fat. When light brown add a tablespoonful of vinegar to a cupful of chopped onions and pour the onions and sauce over the liver.

Our days so tense, oft make me think—
I know 'twill make you smile—
I'd like to be an aborige.
For just a little while.

SWEET BREADS.

A few cupfuls of raised dough saved from the bread making, may form a basis for many kinds of cakes and sweet breads.

For a sweet loaf, which is easily made, take two cupfuls of light raised bread dough. To this add one beaten egg, add a half cupful of shortening, the same of sugar, chopped fruit or nuts, or

both with spices to taste. Cut in the shortening and other ingredients, using two knives as in making pastry, then pour into a well-greased angel food pan or bread pan and let rise until light. Sprinkle with sugar mixed with cinnamon and bake in a moderate oven. Flour will be needed to handle the dough, as it should not be sticky. This mixture makes a good coffee cake, with flour added, and placed in an oblong pan spread with butter, sprinkle with cinnamon mixed with sugar and when light bake in a hot oven. Apples cut in eighths placed in rows on top of a coffee cake before it has risen and sprinkled with sugar and cinnamon give variety.

Cinnamon Rolls.—Take two cupfuls of light bread dough, add a half cupful of sugar and four tablespoonfuls of shortening, cut into the mixture until well blended. Roll out, adding flour to handle, then spread with butter, sprinkle with brown sugar and cinnamon, roll up and cut in small rings. Place to rise on a baking sheet, brush with white of egg and dust with sugar just before baking.

Raised Doughnuts.—To three cupfuls of bread dough add one well-beaten egg, three-fourths cupful of sugar, four tablespoonfuls of shortening, one teaspoonful of grated nutmeg or a mixture of nutmeg and cinnamon. Cut in with two knives until thoroughly mixed; add flour to roll. Roll to one-fourth inch in thickness, cut in shapes and let rise until light. Fry in fat which will brown a cube of bread in 60 seconds. For filled doughnuts cut the cakes with a cookie cutter, place a teaspoonful of jam in the center and moisten the edges with water, fold over and press the edges together. Let rise until light and fry as usual. Place two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar in a bag and dust them one at a time before serving.

After all is said and done, there are still things which might be said and done if we said less.

WHAT TO EAT.

When one has a small amount of meat a good dish may be prepared combining it with eggs such as:

Meat and Egg Toast.—Cut rounds of bread and fry them. Mince fine any meat or put it through the grinder. Beat two eggs, take two tablespoonfuls of butter, half a cupful of tomato sauce, two tablespoonfuls of milk, salt and pepper. When the eggs begin to thicken add the tomato and chopped meat. Stir until thick, then pour over the toast and serve.

Ham En Casserole.—Cover an inch slice of ham, shaped to fit a casserole, with sliced potatoes which have been parboiled five minutes, add two cupfuls of milk, a few dashes of pepper and cook uncovered for an hour. Cover and cook slowly for another hour. Use two and one-half cupfuls of potatoes for this dish. Serve from the casserole.

Another good dish quite similar is prepared by putting a layer of potatoes in a casserole, sprinkle with onions and cover with four to six pork chops. Add enough water to keep them moist until the potatoes are nearly done. Cook covered at first, season well with salt and pepper. Remove the cover and brown the chops.

Coconut Pudding.—Soak half a cupful of bread crumbs in one cupful of milk, cream one tablespoonful of butter with half a cupful of sugar, add two well-beaten eggs, the soaked bread crumbs and one grated coconut. Grease a baking dish with butter, put in the mixture, set the dish in a pan of hot water and bake until a silver knife comes out clean. Let cool gradually and serve cold.

Eggs Sur Le Plat.—Beat the white of eggs until stiff, spread on a buttered platter and make hollows in the egg with a spoon. Drop carefully the unbroken yolks in these hollows and sprinkle with salt, pepper and dot with bits of butter. Bake until the eggs are set.

Perfumes Without Grease.—A. Verley, a chemist of Isle-Saint-Denis, France, has patented a process of extracting perfume from flowers by using powdered wood charcoal instead of grease as an absorbent, and then washing the charcoal in alcohol.

FLU CAUSES SIX DEATHS IN CHICAGO

The weekly bulletin of the health department issued yesterday, shows that six persons died in Chicago last week as result of influenza. Dr. W. A. Evans, health authority and writer of Chicago, last week predicted that the world would again be swept by an epidemic of influenza far more severe than last year, when thousands of lives were lost. One thing is sure, that is, the warm weather this fall has kept the epidemic down, but as colder weather approaches, influenza is liable to break out any time. Dr. Brady says: "No one has as yet discovered a positive method of diagnosing early cases of influenza from alleged 'colds.' The utmost care should be taken, therefore, not to catch cold, for colds weaken the resistance to influenza germs."

Doctors seem to agree that it is much easier to prevent influenza than to cure it. The secret of preventing influenza is to keep the germs from lodging and developing in the respiratory organs—the mouth, nose and throat. No one should be allowed to breathe in your face because the germs are often transmitted in this manner. Influenza can be prevented; last year's results prove that. As a preventive for flu, Turpo has been a pronounced success. Turpo is an effective germicide, combining the old-fashioned remedies of turpentine (which has always been known as the best home germicide), camphor and menthol in a pure mineral base. These ingredients have long been recognized as effective germicides, as well as having really wonderful qualities in relieving colds and congestions. Snuff a little Turpo up the nostrils several times a day, and the flu germs will have little chance of getting a lodging and breeding place. Many physicians and hospitals use and recommend Turpo.

Prepare now. Buy a thirty cent jar of Turpo, while your druggist has a supply on hand, and use as directed. Last year druggists could not supply the demand. Remember that Turpo is a preventive, not a cure for influenza. Take care of yourself.—Adv.

Replacing Sugar With Cotton.—According to the South African Journal of Industries for July, 1919, the replacement of cane by cotton in parts of Zululand is being taken notice of by the sugar industry.

A number of planters declare that they find cotton a more paying and a more promising crop than sugar. A great advantage in favor of cotton is that a crop can be planted and handled within about six months and does not involve the heavy expenditure for wagons, truck and vehicles, such as is essential with cane.

"THESE ARE MY JEWELS."—"These are my jewels," said Cornelia, the mother of the Gracchi, two thousand years ago, when asked to show her jewels, and presented her sons. And the best jewels of any manufacturer are his products enjoying a world-wide renown. Every remedy has to live or die on its merits. Triner's American Elixir of Bitter Wine was brought to market 30 years ago. Today it has the reputation of the most dependable remedy for constipation, indigestion, flatulence, headaches, nervousness, and other stomach troubles. And Triner's Angelica Bitter Tonic, Triner's Liniment for rheumatism and neuralgia, Triner's Cough Sedative and other Triner's remedies which you can all get at your druggist are in the same favor with the people of the United States and Canada. "These are our jewels," says the Joseph Triner Company, 1333-43 S. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill.—Adv.

Seeing Things.—Flatbush—You know mirrors do wonders toward brightening up a home. Bensonhurst—I know it. My wife always seems happier when she sees herself in a lot of mirrors around the house.

Catarhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Catarhal Deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Catarhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing may be destroyed forever. Many cases are cured by Catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the Mucous Surfaces. ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarhal Deafness that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. All Druggists 75c. Circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Light Waves' Pressure.—By the use of delicate apparatus which he invented a Russian scientist has demonstrated that light waves exert a measurable mechanical pressure.

Important to Mothers.—Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher* In Use for Over 80 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Snake's Rattles.—The rattles of the rattlesnake are but a number of small bones on the tail so loosely fastened together that they make a clinking noise when shaken.

The Way to Them.—"Why did you ask the waiter if he knew of any barnyard terminals?" "That's the code for cocktails."

Nellie Maxwell

SANTA CLAUS: American of Dutch Ancestry



SANTA CLAUS, as most children and all grown-ups know, is a nickname for St. Nicholas. And St. Nicholas was not a German saint—that will please all good Americans. The saint of children has not come to us from the people who so wantonly abused the children of France and Belgium. When we call St. Nicholas "Santa Claus" we are merely saying in our own way "San Nicolas," as the people of Holland say it. For the Hollanders, who settled in New York and New Jersey 300 years ago at the very beginning of our country, brought San Nicolas with them, and it was not long before Americans were saying "Santa Claus."

Why, St. Nicholas belongs to all the world. Hundreds of churches in England bear his name. There are more than a hundred St. Nicholas churches in Belgium. Thousands of such churches are scattered all over Europe.

The queer thing about it is that St. Nicholas was really born in Asia Minor, in Pontus, in the province of Lycia, in the sixth century. St. Nicholas of Bari, he is often called by Europeans, but only the bones of St. Nicholas reposing for eight centuries in the crypt of a handsome cathedral at Bari, Italy, have given him that title. He never lived in Bari. Italian sea traders, who worshipped him as their special protector, stole his body from its resting place in Myra in the twelfth century and brought it to the Italian seaport. Since that time the celebration held there in the saint's honor is unique.

The eastern world knew and loved him first, but it is from western Europe that we learn of many of the quaint customs connected with the celebration of his birth. In Lycia he lived to a good old age, filling his days even in childhood by doing good deeds and giving lavishly to the poor of the fortune he inherited. It was Christlike to give, so, as a steward of God, his wealth belonged to God's children, Nicholas believed. Finally he was made bishop of Myra, where he went to live after a pilgrimage to the Holy Land.

It was not strange that after such a life of charity he should become a saint of the common people, even as St. George was a saint of knight-hood. He was invoked by the laborer toiling for his daily bread, by mariners, by merchants. He was protector of the weak against the strong, the poor against the rich, the captive, the prisoner, the slave. He was especial guardian of maidens, schoolboys, the orphan poor. Throughout most of Europe children are taught to reverence him, and to believe if they are docile and attentive to their duties he will fill the cap or stocking with dainties; if they are naughty or idle, he certainly has a rod in pocket to bring along for them.

Here is what the Encyclopedia Britannica has to say about St. Nicholas:

"St. Nicholas, bishop of Myra, in Lycia, a saint honored by the Greeks and the Latins on the sixth of December. His cult is as celebrated as his history is obscure. All the accounts that have come down to us are of a purely legendary character, and it is impossible to find any single incident confirmed historically. The main facts of his life are usually given as follows:

"He was bishop of Myra at the time of the Emperor Diocletian, was persecuted, tortured for the faith, and kept in prison until the more tolerant reign of Constantine, and was present at the council of Nicea. It should be observed that this last circumstance is ignored by all historians and that St. Athanasius, who knew all the notable bishops of the period, never mentions Nicholas, bishop of Myra. The oldest known monument of the cult of St. Nicholas seems to be the Church of Sts. Phiscus and Nicholas built at Constantinople by the Emperor Justinian. In the West, the name of St. Nicholas appears in the ninth century martyrologies, and churches dedicated to him are to be found at the beginning of the eleventh century.

It is more especially, however, from the time of the removal of his body to Bari, in Apulia, that his cult became popular. The inhabitants of Bari organized an expedition, seized his remains by means of a ruse, and transported them to Bari, where they were received in triumph on the ninth of May, 1087, and where the foundations were laid of a new basilica in his honor. This was the origin of a famous and still popular pilgrimage.

"There are nearly 400 churches in England dedicated to St. Nicholas. He is the patron saint of Russia; the special protector of children, scholars, merchants and sailors; and is invoked by travelers against robbers. In art St. Nicholas is represented with various attributes, being most commonly depicted with three children standing in a tub by his side. Of the various interpretations of this, none is absolutely certain. One explanation has been sought in the legend of St. Nicholas miraculously restoring to life three rich youths, who had been murdered, cut up, and concealed in a salting tub by a thievish innkeeper or butcher, in whose house they had taken lodging.

"A legend of his surreptitious bestowal of dowries upon the three daughters of an impoverished citizen is said to have originated the old custom of giving presents in secret on the eve of St. Nicholas, subsequently transferred to Christmas day. Hence the association of Christmas with 'Santa Claus,' and American corruption of the Dutch form 'San Nicolas,' the custom being brought to America by the early Dutch colonists."

Many wonder tales are told of St. Nicholas. Here are three famous adventures of the saint:

Rescue of the Stolen Boy.

There was a rich merchant who was a Christian. He lived near the border of a heathen land. One day his only son was stolen by some wicked neighbors, who sold him to a heathen king. The boy was handsome, so the king made him the royal cup-bearer.

It happened that the king was giving a great banquet. And as the boy was presenting the cup full of wine he suddenly remembered that it was the Feast of St. Nicholas, and that his family—father, mother, and sisters—were happily celebrating the day. Thinking about this, the boy burst into tears.

"Why do you cry?" asked the king angrily. "Do you not see that your tears are falling into my cup and spoiling my wine?"

"This is the Feast of St. Nicholas," answered the boy, sobbing, "and every one at home is eating and is merry! And, alas! I am not there!"

"Great may be your St. Nicholas," replied the king scornfully, "but he cannot save you from my hand!"

Scarcely had the king spoken these words when a violent whirlwind tore around outside the palace, and a flash of lightning illuminated the hall, and loud thunder roared. And, lo! St. Nicholas himself, dressed in his bishop's robes, and wearing his mitre, stood before the throne. He caught the boy by the locks, and flying with him through the dome of the hall, whirled him rapidly through the air. In a few minutes he set him down in the midst of his astonished family, who were keeping the feast of the good St. Nicholas.

The Terrified Robbers.

After St. Nicholas was dead, he still cared to help people. Once there was a man who would not become a Christian. He heard how many kind things St. Nicholas did for his followers, so he stole an image of the saint. He placed the image in the best room of his house, which was filled with treasures. The next morning, before he left the house, he said to the image: "Guard my treasures! If, when I return, I find anything gone, I'll beat you well!" So saying, he went away.

He had not been gone long when robbers broke into the house and stole all the treasures, and carried them off to their den. The man came back and saw what had happened. He was filled with fury. He took a whip and beat and hacked the image without mercy.

That very night St. Nicholas himself appeared to the robbers. He showed them his bruised and bleeding form, and commanded them to restore the treasure they had stolen. They were terrified, and gathering together all the stuff, carried it back to its owner. They told him what had happened, and he was so astonished that he immediately became a Christian.

The Boy and the Cup.

Once there was a rich man who had no son to be heir to his wealth. He made a vow to St. Nicholas that if a son were born to him he would

give the saint a cup of gold. Time went by, and a beautiful boy was born. Immediately the father had a cup made of pure gold. It was very heavy and wrought all over with figures. In fact, the cup was so elegant that when the goldsmith had finished it the father decided to keep it for himself, and have a silver one made for the good saint.

When the silver cup was finished, the father took his little son, who was old enough to walk, and set out for the shrine of St. Nicholas. On the way, feeling thirsty, he stopped near a river, and giving the cup of gold to the boy, told him to fetch some water. The child went to do so, but stooping over, slipped on the bank and fell into the river. And he was seen no more.

The father, weeping with grief and repentance, hastened to the shrine and laid the silver cup on the altar. But the cup rolled to the floor. Once, twice, three, did the man place it on the altar, but every time it fell to the ground. And while all the people who stood by marveled to see this wonder, suddenly the little boy himself stood on the altar steps, holding the cup of gold in his hand. St. Nicholas had saved him! Full of joy the father took the cup of gold and placed it with the silver one upon the altar. Then thanking St. Nicholas, he took his son and carried him safely home.

As the Christmas legend came down the ages it gathered to itself the myths of all the faiths; and what more natural and right than that the religion of the brotherhood of man should contain something of every ideal and every form of worship of man, since the human race began?

And last, but somehow most conspicuous now among all the traditions, the legend of St. Nicholas, or Santa Claus, straight from Holland!

Hollanders celebrate Christmas most heartily. The Star of Bethlehem, as seen in Holland, is the harbinger of Christmas—a huge illuminated star which is carried through the silent, dark, Dutch streets shining upon the crowding people, and typical of the star which once guided the wise men of the east.

The young men of a Dutch town carry this star through the streets as the signal that Christmas has come again. They gather money for the poor from the crowds who come out to welcome the symbol of peace, and having done this for the good of those whom fortune has not befriended, they betake them to the head burghmaster of the town, who is bound to set down the youths who form the star company to a very comfortable meal. 'Tis a great institution, the Star of Bethlehem, in many Dutch towns and cities.

Christmas is celebrated in Holland as a time for sugar plums and candies and gifts. Toward dusk, the story goes, a white sheet is spread inside the door, and the family, attired in their best and bravest, await the saint. Presently he arrives, clad in embroidered robes, with gems, jeweled gloves and golden mitre—and in his arms either gifts or sweets or the dreaded birch rod for the children according to their various deserts. And these, with a little speech of scolding or approval, he drops upon the sheet before he vanishes again into the night.

Such is the kindly saint who came to the island of Manhattan with the first Dutch settlers and still lives among us changed only in name and costume—like all the rest of the immigrants.

6,000,000 Christmas Trees.

It takes about 6,000,000 trees to supply the demand of the entire country, from Canada to Mexico, and from coast to coast.

GLAND OPERATION MAKES NEW MAN

Aged Convict Rejuvenated by Transplanting of Glands From Murderer.

NOW SEES NEW HOPE

Chicago Surgeon Is Given the Credit for Originating the Grafting Process by California Prison Physicians.

San Quentin, Cal.—"I am a new man. Already I can feel the new energy in me, and my ambition has returned."

That statement was made by J. —, the old man who was given interstitial glands taken from the body of Tom Bellon, who had been hanged at San Quentin prison.

As J. — spoke he stretched out his arms and flexed them like an athlete. His eyes sparkled and there was resonance in his voice.

J. — still is confined to the hospital ward of the prison, and he lay on his cot. He has been permitted, however, to take short walks. He repeated time and again that he felt "like a new man."

The prison physicians, Dr. L. L. Stanley and Dr. G. David Walker, who implanted the glands in J. —, said there had been a marked change in their patient.

Sees New Hope.

J. — himself said he seemed normal in vigor for the first time in 25 years. He is serving a 60-year term, and since he has once violated his parole there is slight chance that he will be paroled again. He looks on life with a new hope, however.

The controversy as to who first performed the gland implantation operation continues.

Doctor Stanley received a cablegram from Dr. Serge Voronoff, the Paris doctor who claims to have originated the operation. The cablegram reads:

"Hear with pleasure of your application of my method. I do grafting by dividing glands into many pieces and putting them in their natural place."

Credit, however, is given by Doctor Stanley to Dr. G. Frank Lydston of Chicago for first performing the operation as a report on a successful transplantation of glands was made one



He Felt "Like a New Man."

month prior to Doctor Voronoff's report, according to medical records.

Voronoff's operation concerns the thyroid interstitial gland of the neck, whereas Lydston, Stanley and Walker transplant the reproductive interstitial glands.

Floods of Letters.

The prison doctors are receiving a great flood of letters from all parts of the United States, inquiring concerning the operation. Many of the letters ask that the operation be performed on the writer, and state that money is no object.

The doctors, in reply, state the operation still is in its experimental stages. They hope, however, to develop it to the stage where glands may be transplanted from goats or apes to humans.

They have a large colony of guinea pigs segregated as to color and will experiment to ascertain whether transplanted glands carry with them any physical characteristics of the donor.

Bolsheviks May Persians.

London.—Details have reached here of the murder by bolsheviks of Ibadullah, the Persian consular agent at Armavir, Armenia, together with 310 Persian subjects, of whom 270 were Mohammedans and 40 Christians.

When the volunteer army evacuated Armavir, July 27, according to the reports, the bolsheviks called Ibadullah out, shot him down and mutilated his body with swords and bayonets. The bolsheviks then herded together all the Persians who had taken shelter under the protection of the Persian flag and shot them en masse with machine guns and buried them, partly in the consular graveyard and partly in a common pit.

THE MOST DANGEROUS OF ALL DISEASES

No organs of the human body are so important to health and long life as the kidneys. When they slow up and commence to lag in their duties, look out! Danger is in sight.

Find out what the trouble is—without delay. Whenever you feel nervous, weak, dizzy, suffer from sleeplessness, or have pains in the back, wake up at once. Your kidneys need help. There are signs to warn you that your kidneys are not performing their functions properly. They are only half doing their work and are allowing impurities to accumulate and be converted into uric acid and other poisons, which are causing you distress and will destroy you unless they are driven from your system.

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War on Hawks.

So important are the services of carrier pigeons in time of war that any birds that prey upon them are promptly marked for destruction. That is why hawks have been the special targets for the American soldiers, as these fierce birds that are so swift of wing take great delight in chasing down the carrier pigeons and then making a feast on their tender flesh. To keep the carrier pigeon in active service the hawk must be exterminated, for in attacking the carrier pigeon the hawk virtually attacks the army whose message is entrusted to the carrier pigeon.

Little boys who throw stones grow up and become critics.

A lot of men clump on the bit while letting the eveners rub.

His First King.

One of the national treasury officials who helped put over the national Liberty loan campaign and his colored man-servant George were coming through Rock Creek park, Washington, the other morning and they met King Albert of Belgium taking a constitutional foot. The trio stopped and chatted for a few minutes and the king shook hands with George the same as he did with the official.

After the king had passed on the official turned to George and asked him what he thought of his majesty.

"Afore Gawd," George said, "dat am the first king I ever saw outside of a deck."

Nothing worries some women like forgetting a secret they want to tell.

Some men pray for their friends and others prey upon them.

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Every ship that goes to the bottom takes with her a certain amount of gold. It may be only a few pounds' worth or—as in the case of the famous Lusitania—a million may be lost in a minute.

Every fire that occurs means a destruction of gold, and there is never a minute, day or night, when scores of human habitations are not burning. London alone has 2,400 fires yearly.

Besides all this, there is the matter of hoarding. In countries where banks are not found in every town, the people who have gold hide or bury it. In many cases they die without revealing the hiding place. In this way India alone swallows up more than \$500,000 worth of gold yearly, China more than this, while Africa is at present absorbing gold in this way at a rate of more than a million pounds a year. The money is paid as wages to Kafir laborers at the mines, and by them carried away to their kraals, whence it never returns.

In the Parlor. "Terrible wower, isn't she?" "Yes, she shouldn't accompany a man on the piano without a chaperon."

Any wise little fish begins business on a small scale.

Agricultural Policy.

"An intelligent agricultural policy is the basis of a great industrial policy, and a systematic effort must be made to bring the people back to the land. A great agricultural policy relieves the labor market, and when there are periods of depression there is always the land. There is not the same competition which throws men out of employment. On the other hand, there is a nursery to train vigorous men who will sustain other industries, and unless there is agriculture this cannot do that, an industrial system cannot be kept alive."—Lloyd George.

Butter Problem in Ireland.

The recent ministry of food order increasing the price of butter from 80 cents to 72 cents per pound is expected to stay the decline in butter making by the creameries which have lately found cheese making more profitable, says a Christian Science Monitor letter from Dublin. The experience of butter retailers is that butter is bought at practically any price in preference to margarine, even by the working classes. If the price had not been raised there would have been a butter famine.

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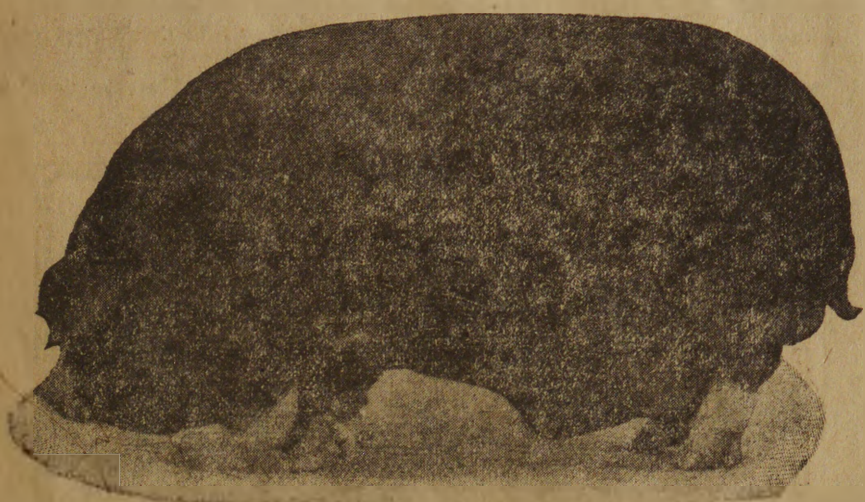
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IT is our wish to the people of Genoa and vicinity that you have had a very merry Christmas and may the New Year bring happiness and prosperity to you all.

E. J. TISCHLER, Grocer

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK
Following its usual custom of taking a vacation during holidays, The Republican will not be issued next week. It had been intended to suspend this week, but owing to unavoidable circumstances, the time had to be advanced. During the month previous to the holidays a great amount of work accumulates which it is almost impossible to clean up without asking the indulgence of our readers for one issue. During the coming year we hope to put out a better paper than ever before, but we must have a little breathing spell before the year starts. We wish our readers a most prosperous and happy New Year.

C. D. Schoonmaker & Son.

Miss Olive Ferden has gone to her home in Wisconsin for the holidays. Henry Adams of Beloit, Wis., has been visiting at the home of his brother, Frank.

M. David Burgess left for his home in Wisconsin Wednesday evening of the week.

Miss Schoessel left for her home in Rock Island Wednesday night of this week.

Miss Minnie Johnson will spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Crawford at Springfield.

Warren Drake of Chicago is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drake.

Mrs. Temperance Haines of Chicago is a holiday guest at the home of her mother, Mrs. Baldwin.

Miss Helen Duval underwent an operation at the hospital in Sycamore. Dr. Ovtz was the attending physician.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Duval returned Thursday from Hayward, Wis., where they have been for several months.

Miss Lenore Worcester, an instructor in Shurtleff college, Alton, Ill., is the guest of her mother during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wyde and daughters, Alice and Irene, left Thursday evening for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will spend the winter.

Genoa Lodge No. 768 I. O. O. F.
Meets Every Monday Evening in Odd Fellow Hall
L. M. Doty, N. G. J. W. Sowers, Sec.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gormley of Rockford were Genoa visitors over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Abraham of Rockford visited home folks over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Austin of Rockford were guests of home folks this week.

Miss Deschner of Sycamore was a Christmas guest at the home of Mrs. Caroline Sager.

Fred Spansell of Rockford was a Christmas guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reuhlman of Chicago are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Adams.

Miss Agnes Holroyd of Rockford spent Christmas eve with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holroyd.

Roy Abraham of Rockford is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Abraham.

Henry Leonard and family will move to Milwaukee next month, where Mr. Leonard has found employment.

Maynard Olmstead of Ames University is spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Olmstead.

Maynard Olmstead of Ames college is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Olmstead during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Corson and grandson, Charles Patterson, are visiting at the W. O. Holtgren home in Hartford, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mansfield and children of Elgin are spending the holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mansfield Sr.

The motor at the city pumping station burned out the first of the week, as a result of which the old faithful gas engine is again on the job. It was necessary to send to Chicago for motor repairs.

Miss Mabel Wilson was taken to the Sycamore hospital Monday where she underwent an operation. During the week previous to the operation Miss Wilson had been feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crawford returned from Rochester, Minn., Monday. They went to Rochester several months ago where Mr. Crawford submitted to a serious operation at the Mayo Bros. hospital. Altho in a weakened condition, the invalid's present condition is encouraging.

Ellis Colton and Elmer Albertson were in Chicago Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Corson spent Friday with Elgin friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buck were Christmas guests of Marengo relatives.

Harold Holroyd and Roy Pratt of Rockford spent Christmas with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nicholson and children visited Chicago relatives on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Maderer of Chicago spent Thursday at the Frank Wallace home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermanson are entertaining Ralph E. Beach and Wm. Whitman of Streator.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stewart and daughter, Alice, of Chicago are visiting Genoa relatives.

Misses Ruth and Irene Corson of Chicago spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Corson.

Miss Jessie Clark of Rolo is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clark.

Miss Nina Patterson of Elgin spent a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson.

Miss Margaret Clapsaddle and brother, Percy, of Irene were guests of Genoa friends over the week end.

Misses Gunhill Seaveom and Elma Brottenburg of DeKalb were week end guests at the H. Hermanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brungarten of Rockford visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Alexander and daughter, Helen, of Elgin, spent Thursday with Mrs. Alexander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Kitchen.

Miss Marion Slater of Iowa and Miss Ruth Slater of Chicago Heights are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Slater.

Miss Ruth Crawford, who has been nursing Mrs. F. O. Lowden at Springfield during the past four weeks, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crawford.

During the past week the following donations have been made to the rest room committee: Mrs. E. E. Sandall, \$1.00; U. G. Furnace has offered to do all laundry work free of charge.

The next regular meeting of the Community Club will be held at the home of Mrs. H. A. Perkins at 2:30 o'clock, Monday, Jan. 5. Every member is urged to come and bring several new members with her.

Mrs. Griffith, mother of Mrs. Roland Stott, passed away at the home of Mrs. Stott in Evansville, Wis., the latter part of last week. Mrs. Griffith was known by many Genoa people.

Mrs. James Hutchison, Sr. and daughter, Miss Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Field and sons, Kenneth and Donald, spent Christmas day at the home of Mrs. Hutchison's daughter, Mrs. C. A. Briggs, in Freeport.

Plan a beautiful cameo ring or a string of beads for her birthday. Martin has a splendid assortment of jet beads, cut and uncut styles, ivory, pearl, coral and many novelty strings, containing topaz, turquoise and ruby gems. Call and see them.

All members of the W. C. T. U. and Ladies' Aid Society are invited to the home of Mrs. Alfred Buck Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 30, to hear a very helpful lecture by Sadie I. Banks, a medical student. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lembke and Miss Emily, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lembke and daughter, Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Douglass of this city and Mrs. Emma Duval and son of Elgin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith at Kingston on Christmas day.

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tained the following at Christmas din-
ner: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heladon and
daughter, Mildred, and Eugene Griggs
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son and daughter, Barbara, of Leaf
River; Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corson,
Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Corson and
daughter, Marion, Mr. and Mrs. J. A.
Patterson and sons, Dillon, and Al-
len, and G. J. Patterson.

The Community Club wishes in this
manner to extend sincere thanks to
all who donated money, candy, their
services, etc., toward making the
Community Christmas Tree a suc-
cess. To the Illinois Northern Utili-
ties Co. they are very grateful for the
electricity furnished to light the
tree. Seven "Good Cheer" -baskets
were delivered Wednesday afternoon
and to all persons furnishing provi-
sions, the Club wishes to express its
appreciation.

GORBETTLANGE

The marriage of Carl Edmund Gor-
bet and Miss Lillian Lange took place
at the Lutheran parsonage at noon,
Wednesday, December 24, 1919. Rev.
Molthan officiated.

The young couple will make their
home in this city.

FARMERS, ATTENTION

The farmers who receive agricul-
tural schedules are requested to fill
out and preserve same. This is done
that, should the enumerator call when
you are busy or absent from the
home, any member of the family may
give the necessary information.

IN THE ICE FIELDS

Workers in the ice fields at Mc-
Henry and on the lakes in that ter-
ritory are demanding 50, 60 and 70
cents per hour, depending on the na-
ture of the work. The Borden people
at McHenry have offered a compro-
mise wage of 60 cents flat, which will
be acceptable to the workmen, it is
said. About seventy men are em-
ployed at McHenry for a period of
five or six weeks.

AT ST. CATHERINE'S

The usual Christmas ceremonies
took place at St. Catherine's church
on Christmas morning, mass being
celebrated at nine o'clock. Next
Sunday mass at ten o'clock and on
New Years Day at nine o'clock.

NOTICE

I will be absent from my office from
Saturday, Dec. 20, until December
30, 1919. Dr. Thompson will take
care of my practice until my return.
Call 188, Sycamore. I will resume
practice Wednesday, Dec. 31, 1919.
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Dr. C. S. Cleary.

In Probate Court

Estate of Myron M. Dean, late of
Genoa. Estate. Homestead in Bel-
videre and farm land in Missouri.
Jessie L. Feldt appointed adminis-
trix. February term for claims.

George Goding, minor. George Ru-
dolph appointed guardian. Bond
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21, Waterman. Louis L. Olson, aged
over 21, Andover and Olga F. Ek-
lund, aged over 18, Cortland. Harry
J. Kaus, aged 27, Hinckley and Stella
Stahl, aged 23, Hinckley. Joseph F.
Bobbs, aged 47, Sycamore, and Alma
Morris, aged 25, Sycamore. Ben J.
Vagel, aged 23, DeKalb. Ruth Van
Patten, aged 19, DeKalb. Edward
Peterson, aged 28, Badger, Iowa and
Frances Viola Olson, aged 26, DeKalb.
George S. Jespersen, aged 24, Syc-
amore; Edla M. Frant, aged 23, Syc-
amore. Roy G. Johnson, aged 19, Vic-
tor township and Margaret M. Wil-
coxon, aged 8, Adams township, La
Salle County.

Had Everything Skinned

Mary had a little lamb—
'Twas Persian—on her coat;
She also had a mink or two
About her dainty throat;
A bird of paradise, a tern
And ermine made the hat
That perched at jaunty angle
On her coiffure largely "rat"
Her tiny boots were sable topped,
Her gloves were muskrat, too,
Her muff had heads and tails of half
The "critters" in the zoo.
And when she walked abroad, I ween
She feared no wintry wind;
At keeping warm, 'twas plain to see,
She had all nature "skinned."

Perfume From Philippines.

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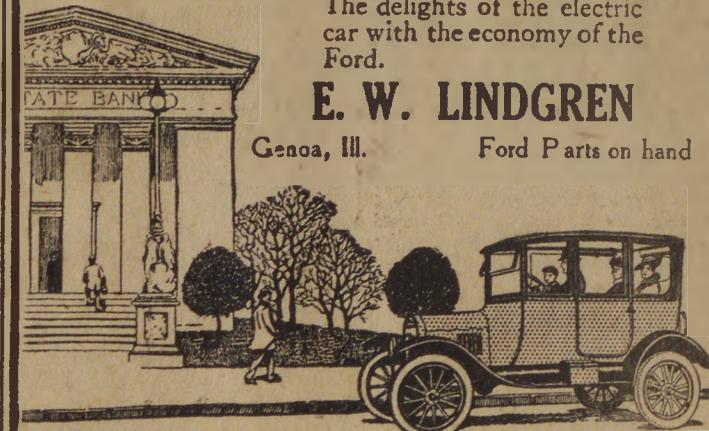
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conditions of the throat with a tested remedy

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DOUBLE BEAUTY OF YOUR HAIR

"Danderine" creates mass
of thick, gleamy waves



In a few moments you can transform your plain, dull, flat hair. You can have it abundant, soft, glossy and full of life. Just get at any drug or toilet counter a small bottle of "Danderine" for a few cents. Then moisten a soft cloth with the "Danderine" and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Instantly, yes, immediately, you have doubled the beauty of your hair. It will be a mass, so soft, lustrous and so easy to do up. All dust, dirt and excessive oil is removed.

Let Danderine put more life, color, vigor, and brightness in your hair. This stimulating tonic will freshen your scalp, check dandruff and falling hair and help your hair to grow long, thick, strong and beautiful.—Adv.

Evidence.

"You always have that same waitress in the restaurant, don't you?" said the business man.

"Always," replied his friend. "She's very careful to bring me clean food."

"How do you know?"

"Why, today I saw her brushing the dust off my piece of custard pie with her apron."—Yonkers Statesman.

ASPIRIN FOR COLDS

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine
Aspirin—say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

Difficulty of Uncompromising Stand.
"Where is that speech you were going to deliver?"

"I still have it under consideration," answered Senator Sorghum.

"Is it a hard speech to write?"

"Very. Every time I get at it I have the greatest difficulty in keeping my mind from digging up the best possible arguments on the other side."

YOUR COLD IS EASED AFTER THE FIRST DOSE

"Pape's Cold Compound" then breaks
up a cold in a few
hours

Relief comes instantly. A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all the gripple misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages in the head, stops nose running, relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Clear your congested head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's!—Adv.

In the Majority.
Mrs. Bacon—I see the judges at a baby show at Cedar Falls, Ia., did their best to please everybody by awarding every contestant a prize.

Mr. Bacon—There must have been a lot of booby prizes awarded, then.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER.

Constipation invites other troubles which come speedily unless quickly checked and overcome by Green's August Flower which is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. It is a sovereign remedy used in many thousands of households all over the civilized world for more than half a century by those who have suffered with indigestion, nervous dyspepsia, sluggish liver, coming up of food, palpitation, constipation and other intestinal troubles. Sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. Try a bottle, take no substitute.—Adv.

Before attempting to size up an easy-going man arouse his temper.

Benefited Physically, Morally and Mentally by Military Training

By BALLINGTON BOOTH, Volunteers of America



I am in favor of universal military training of young men for the following reasons: Because it seems to me that what our society and citizenship most needs is the all-round, developed character; the bringing of the course and aim of life under the influence and control of the trained mind and disciplined will—such subjugation as shall tend to the building up of physical stamina and spiritual morale. The young man trained to be such a citizen-soldier cannot but incorporate in his makeup the best patriotic elements and the most helpful principles.

Because it has been demonstrated beyond dispute that thousands of young men have benefited physically, morally and mentally through the military training they received during the war. It enlarged their viewpoint of the needs of other men and proved a valuable controlling force as far as their habits, customs and dispositions are concerned.

We are building for the future and everything depends upon the character of the foundation.

Adequate Personal Efficiency Founded Primarily on Economy of Time

By S. W. STRAUS, American Society for Thrift

Any young man or young woman in America today might well memorize these words from Lord Chesterfield:

"Every moment you lose is so much character and advantage lost; as, on the other hand, every moment you now employ usefully is so much time wisely laid out at prodigious interest."

No phase of thrift is of greater importance than economy of time. It is easier to save dollars than to save hours.

Aesop's ancient fable of the tortoise and the hare was founded on excellent philosophy, for persistent effort is bound to bring successful results. It is not hard for any of us to prevent the loss of days or weeks, but it is very easy to slip into the habit of squandering moments.

The man with the driving personality, who forges ahead in spite of every obstacle, is unwilling to ever lose a single moment of time during his business hours.

Adequate personal efficiency must be founded primarily on time economy.

There must be proper periods taken for rest and recreation, for this is thrift of health. But there should never be absolute idleness.

The young man or young woman just beginning life's stern activities can learn no better lesson than thrift of time. Without knowing this secret there can be no substantial success.

Newer Relation of Capital and Labor Is Expressed by Word "Partners"

By GEORGE W. PERKINS, New York Financier

"The worker's fair share" has been a real problem ever since the world began. It has changed greatly as civilization has progressed, and has crowded harder and harder for solution as intelligence and education have spread and broadened.

The worker's fair share was an unsolved problem when the expression that designated the relationship between the man of capital and the man of labor was "owner and slave."

It still existed when the expression of relationship became "master and man."

It still exists in these days when the expression of relationship is "employer and employee."

These very changes in the expression used to designate the relationship between capital and labor show that steady progress has been made toward solving the problem of the worker's fair share.

I take it that everyone believes that we cannot go back to the old conditions; that we must move forward to an even better relationship than that expressed by the term "employer and employee."

You ask, "What is this newer relationship to be and what term will express it?" I answer that I believe it must be "partners."

The profit sharing I believe in is the kind that is real; the kind that promotes thorough and efficient co-operation between employer and employee; the kind that makes partners of employees; the sort of profit sharing that is practiced between partners in a business.

Full Price Paid for the Secrets of the Air; We Must Not Pay Again

By PRESIDENT PAINLEVE, French Air Commission

Flying is the true heir to the war. Our heroic youth in the air by their incredible daring, by their lives and deaths, have taught the world more than it could have learned in 50 or 100 years of peace flying.

It is for us to see that the world does not lose this precious, precarious knowledge.

The present generation of pilots, war-trained, is much the most important there will ever be. They are the bearers of a precious knowledge which if lost will take decades of toil and risk equal to those already past, to bring it back to the same level again. We have paid the full price for the secrets of the air; we must see that at all costs this terrible price does not have to be paid again.

Left to itself, commercial flying, as it is at present, would perhaps sink to the level of a holiday sideshow—five-mile trips at so much per head. Governments must back it with money and encouragement so that the young pilots may not be lost to the art in opening up new lines and methods for its expansion.

The country which will do this courageously, in spite of the burden the war has laid upon it, will reap an enormous advantage.

WALKS INTO FIRE TO DIE WITH MATE

Woman Sacrifices Life With
Husband Who Was Crippled
During the War.

London.—The story of Mary Lawry Pollard, who sacrificed her life in the flames because her husband, Edwin Chapple Pollard, a cripple, could not escape, has thrilled London. Both were killed by the fire which destroyed their little home on the wharf at St. Ives. When the flames had been extinguished, the body of Mrs. Pollard was found lying across that of her husband.

Pollard and his wife and two children lived at St. Ives in the happy days before the war. At the outbreak of the conflict, however, he enlisted



She Only Shook Her Head.

and served during the conflict on a trawler, hunting for German mines, until an explosion left him blind and paralyzed. A crippled man, he returned to St. Ives, and rejoined his family. Then there came another child. They lived in a house on the wharf.

One morning smoke was seen issuing from the kitchen and bedroom windows of the house. Pollard's brother ran to give assistance and saw his sister-in-law at the window of a bedroom. He called to her to jump.

But she only shook her head, threw up her hands and went back into the room. Pollard was not seen at the time. Fortune saved the children, but the flames were not spent until the parents were lifeless.

"Could she have got out through the window when you called to her?" the coroner asked the brother-in-law at the inquest.

"Yes, she could have come out through the window if she had wished," he testified. "But she evidently chose to die with her crippled husband."

TWO BROOKLYN MULES ON JAG

Go on Rampage After Imbibing Vast
Quantities of Beer—One
a Suicide.

New York.—Two mules that had imbibed vast quantities of beer they found in a keg went on a rampage in Brooklyn, which was ended only when one of the crazed animals committed suicide by plunging through a plate glass window in an undertaker's shop.

The mules were turned out to pasture. There had been a picnic in the field the day before and the party had left a half keg of beer. One of the mules knocked over the keg and the beer ran on the ground. They eagerly licked it up and then the fun started. Several hundred men and boys chased them.

When the mules reached a position opposite an undertaker's shop, one crashed through the window and fell unconscious. It died in a few moments. The other was captured several blocks away. It was returned to pasture.

Placed Dynamite in Ear, Lit Fuse, Awaited Death

The body of sixty-year-old Thomas Gray was found in his little shack at Port Weller, N. Y., he having apparently killed himself by sticking a dynamite cartridge in his right ear, attaching a fuse to it, lighting the fuse and lying down on the floor to wait for the explosion.

The cartridge was found sticking in his head, his head being partly blown off.

He had told fellow workmen that he felt bad and intended to blow himself up. He explained that he used to look after mules, and when they had to be killed the men would put a dynamite cartridge in their ear and attach a fuse to it.

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons
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Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

A Rebuke.

"So this is the office of the Clarion?"

"Yes," replied the editor, proudly.

"A temple of truth."

"Tall the truth and shame the devil," eh?"

"Sir, the office 'devil' has nothing to do with the editorial policy of our paper."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Freshen a Heavy Skin

With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

DREW NO STRONG HYPOCRITE

Absence of Such a Dominating Character From Shakespeare's Pages Explained by English Novelist.

Material for discussion among those who more or less know their Shakespeare has been provided by Sir Walter Raleigh's suggestion on the lecture platform that Shakespeare created no complete and carefully drawn figure of a hypocrite because the dramatist had had a free and happy childhood. "It is the child," says Sir Walter, "who sees hypocrites; and so, as one follows the argument at second hand in the column of a newspaper, Dickens, who had a harsher childhood, was more impressed by hypocrisy, and later wrote about hypocrites. One suspects, however, that there may be readers who will deny that Shakespeare failed to include the hypocrite in his remarkable gallery of dramatic portraits. Hypocrisy certainly figures; one has only to recall the behavior of Gloucester or Iago to find the characteristic, but Sir Walter no doubt has ground for his conviction that the plays contain no figure dominated by it.

Preparedness.

The stage coach bumped along over a very mountainous country road, till it came to a place noted for its many holdups. The passengers were somewhat uneasy lest a highwayman might step out into the middle of the road.

"Ah, friends, don't be alarmed!" said a pompous old gentleman. "I foresaw the possibilities of an attack and I have two loaded revolvers in the bottom of my trunk."

To Win Success.

The talent of success is nothing more than doing what you can well, and doing well whatever you do with-out a thought of fame.—Longfellow.

AT WAR WITH YOURSELF Help Nature to Defeat the Disease in Your Body

Keep up the fight; do not give up. Nature is trying to serve you in conquering the wrongs that may exist.

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FINALLY SUBDUED FOREST FIRE

Thousands of Volunteers Overcome
Conflagration Which Threatened
Overwhelming Destruction.

A forest fire that threatened, in 13 days of unimpeded destruction, to consume the whole of Angeles national forest, in southern California, was finally brought under control by the desperate efforts of hundreds of volunteers. The unceremonious drafting of curiosity seekers swelled the ranks of the fighters until, in one district alone, around Pomona, more than 1,000 were working day and night to stay the onrushing flames. The kindling of tremendous back fires at critical points, guided by airplane inspection, succeeded in holding the fires within the originating area. Many resorts and summer homes were menaced, but only a few cabins were lost. As a result of the fire, the city waterworks of Pasadena is to be protected by a giant firebreak, which will be constructed immediately by the rangers of the United States forest service.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

His Only Chance.

"Can I get a room for the night?" asked the man of the hotel clerk.

"No," replied the clerk, "we haven't got a room in the house."

"Where in thunder am I going to sleep, then?"

"Why, there's a movie picture show in the next block. They have continuous performances, I believe."

Nervous? Restless at Night? Ever Have Headaches?

How about your daily
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Suppose you try a change to

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helps to make ours successful, we
send our cordial appreciation of
your good will and the wish that
your Christmas be merry. May
the coming year bring you much
happiness and prosperity.

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Yuletide Greetings

from

"The Christmas Store"

This Store wishes you all a Very Merry Christ-
mas, and your share of all joys that attend this
great holiday.

Time brings changes, but Christmas retains ever
its old fashioned appeal. During Yuletide hours
the old become young again; youth and old are
one.

Forget dull cares and worries and remember
only that the happiness of others is to be con-
sidered and that this Store rejoices with you
on this occasion and hopes that for you there
will be many more Christmases, each with
its quota of happiness.

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KINGSTON NEWS

Miss Lois Stark was an Elgin
shopper Friday.

Mrs. H. G. Burgess was a Rock-
ford passenger Saturday.

Miss Edith Beckman of DeKalb
was the guest of Miss May Bickler
Saturday.

Mrs. B. F. Uplinger was a DeKalb
visitor Monday.

Misses Bertha and Laura Branch
and Eleanor Uplinger spent Saturday
in Sycamore with Miss Berneldine
O'Brien.

Pete Paulson was an Elgin passen-
ger Friday.

Mrs. Edward Thiede of Elgin visit-
ed last Friday with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Delos Ball.

Alfred Sexauer and Clare Wilson
were in Chicago last week, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford and
son, Clyde, of Sycamore, visited rela-
tives here Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Bickler was shopping
in Elgin Friday.

Miss Doris Sherman came home
from DeKalb Saturday to spend her
vacation with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Stuart Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tazewell and
two children motored to Sycamore
and DeKalb Saturday.

Toy Lilly of Chicago spent the past
few days with relatives and friends
here.

Mrs. Neis Peterson was a Sycamore
visitor Saturday.

Prayer meeting was held at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Aurner
last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Delos Ball are enter-
taining their son, Harley, of Chicago.

Mrs. George Holston and three
sons of Belvidere visited relatives
here Saturday.

Mrs. Olive Ort left Tuesday even-
ing to spend the winter in Duluth,
Minn., with her daughters, Mrs. Floyd
Hubler and Miss Beatrice Ort.

Miss Florence Bane was a Kirk-
land visitor Saturday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Al-
bert Medine, December 23, 1919.

The census of Kingston Township
and village will be started on or
about January 5, 1920. The enumer-
ator will be pleased to furnish blanks
to all who wish them after that date.

ELIZA JANE RUST PARKER

Eliza Jane Rust was born near
Troy, Spencer Co., Ind., March 18, 18-
32 and passed away Dec. 21, 1919, at
the age of 87 years, 9 months, 3 days.

In 1848 she was married to Parley
Parker. To them were born six
children, Mrs. Laura Kirkner (de-
ceased) of Leversford S. D.; Mrs.
Vina Dean and Mrs. Ella Stark of
Canton, S. D.; C. W. Parker of Ge-
noa; James V. Parker of Beversford,
S. D. and Frank Parker of Kingston
with whom she made her home.

She leaves 16 grand children, 20
great grand children and 1 great
grandchild.

They came to Illinois in 1853 and
settled on a farm where her hus-
band preceded her in death Jan. 15,
1867. She was one of the last of the
pioneers of her time. She was a
member of the M. E. church for many
years and a woman of sterling char-
acter and through the years the trust
in her savior was implicit. In the
love of her children and friends she
found comfort and solace, a kindly
heart, a generous and sympathetic
nature loved by all.

"She has fought a good fight, she
has kept the faith and has entered
into rest"

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our apprecia-
tion and thanks to all our friends and
neighbors for their kindness of sym-
pathy and assistance during the ill-

ness and after death of our mother
Mrs. and Mrs. C. W. Parker, Mr. and
Mrs. J. V. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dean and
Mrs. Wm. Stark.

Wants, For Sale, Etc.

Ads in this column 25c each week
for five lines or less; over five
lines, 5c per line.

LOST and FOUND

MISPLACED—Will the person who
found a new pair of girl's shoes in his
car Friday evening, Dec. 19, please
leave same at The Republican office
or at Douglas' store? Shoes were
placed in wrong car by mistake. Ot-
to Peterson, Genoa.

FOUND—On floor at Masonic hall on
Thursday evening, Dec. 18, small sig-
net ring. Owner may have same by
calling at Republican office and pay-
ing for advertising.

Wanted

WANTED—Young man as salesman
and collector. Salary and commission.
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er Sewing Machine Co., 57 Grove Ave.,
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Lands and City Property

FOR SALE—Several local farms, all
sizes and all prices. Can give pos-
session most of them first of March.
F. P. Renn, Genoa, Ill. 43-11

FOR SALE—Eight residence proper-
ties, at anywhere from \$600.00 to
\$6,000.00, according to location and
improvements. Some of these ought
to fit and suit you if you want any.
35-11 D. S. Brown.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate
By virtue of an order and decree of
the County Court of DeKalb County,
Illinois, made on petition of the un-
derigned, Arthur G. Stewart, Admin-
istrator of the Estate of Elmer Har-
vey, deceased, for leave to sell the
real estate of said deceased, at the
December Term, A. D. 1919, of said
Court, to-wit: on the 1st day of Dec-
ember, 1919, shall on the 29th day of
December next, between the hours of
ten o'clock in the forenoon and five
o'clock in the afternoon of said day,
to-wit, at ten o'clock a. m., sell at
public sale, at the South Door of the
Court House in the City of Sycamore,
in the County of DeKalb and State of
Illinois, the real estate described as
follows, to-wit:

The North Half (N. 1/2) of Lot Five
(5), in Block One (1) of Brettman
and Franzen's Addition to Bensenville,
in S. E. 1/4 of Section 14, Town-
ship 40 North, Range 11 East of the
3rd. P. M., situated in the Village of
Bensenville, in the County of Du
Page, in the State of Illinois;

On the following terms, to-wit:
One-tenth of the purchase price to be
paid on the date of sale, and the bal-
ance upon confirmation of sale by
the Court and delivery of deed.
Premises to be sold free and clear of
widow's dower.

Dated this 1st day of December, A.
D. 1919.

Arthur G. Stewart, Administrator
of the Estate of Elmer Harvey, de-
ceased.

E. W. Brown, Atty.,
Genoa, Ill. 7-11.

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