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## OF GENERAL INTEREST

### ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS OF EXCHANGES

#### DeKALB I. O. O. F. TO BUILD

Chicago & Northwestern Double Track Bridge across Mississippi will cost \$2,000,000

An Italian section hand was fined \$100 at Harvard last week for stealing a case of eggs from a car.

If Mr. Rockefeller knows as little about everything as he does about the Standard Oil Co., he is not likely to ever suffer with a brain storm.

DeKalb is to have a flat iron building. The well known structure of New York is to be reproduced in miniature effect in DeKalb. It is being built on the point across from the Arlington.

I. N. Adrian of Huntley is the "strawberry king" of McHenry county. He had eleven acres of them and disposed of nearly all of his crop to Elgin parties, some days delivering as many as 6,000 quarts.

Norman H. McAllister, a veteran of the civil war, killed himself at Rockford Wednesday morning by shooting himself thru the heart. He had been an invalid for some time and had become discouraged.

The Odd Fellows of DeKalb have plans practically completed for their new block on Main street between First and Second and are about ready for estimates on construction. They are figuring on a three-story building, thirty-one feet front and about 175 feet deep.

Mendota Reporter: Thomas Eiten concluded a bargain for the Oscar Grosch farm west of town, in Clarion at \$200 per acre. This is the highest price yet paid for a farm of considerable size in this neighborhood. The Grosch farm is one of the best improved in Clarion township.

By a deal which was finally closed this week, the Borden Milk company has purchased a tract of ground from the John Comiskey estate at Gilberts and according to all reports another large plant will soon be added to the company's already long list in the Elgin dairy district.

By reason of the law which limits the hours of labor for telegraph operators the railroads of the country will need 6,000 more employes in this department and to get that additional number is going to be a pretty hard task. Young men who can pound the keys will have no trouble getting jobs from this time forward.

In some of the cities where the fight against the catalogue houses has been fiercest the local merchants' associations have organized excursions and entertained visitors from the surrounding neighborhoods with the express purpose of convincing them they can sell goods as cheaply as the mail order institutions.

The Chicago & Northwestern railroad has just awarded a contract for the construction of a double tracked steel bridge two miles long across the Mississippi river at Clinton, Iowa. The bridge will cost \$2,000,000 and is to be completed by Feb. 1, 1910. It will be built south of and adjoining the present single track steel bridge, which will be removed when the new bridge is completed.

Dades Little Liver Pills keep the system clean, the stomach sweet. Prompt relief for headache and biliousness. Good for all the family. Sold by Geo. H. Hunt's drug store. Sep 1

## INSULT GENOA LADIES

Fresh Sycamore Young Men Looking for Trouble

During the summer months many Sycamore people come over to Genoa and enjoy the hospitality of our citizens and we are pleased to have them as guests. There is a spirit of friendliness between the two towns that is pleasing to all concerned. There are many young men from Sycamore who come to Genoa and have a good time. The majority of these boys are gentlemen and are always welcome. There is a class of hair brained youngsters, however, (and they are found in every city) who come to Genoa for the express purpose of trying to show how little they have got under their hats. They have tried several plans of showing their cussedness, but on Monday evening of this week two of them went beyond rowdiness. Two married ladies, who were walking home on that evening, were overtaken by the boys and repeatedly insulted. One of the ladies reported the matter to her husband and had the curs fell into his hands at that time there would have been something doing.

Officer Watson later located them, but as the women did not care to appear in court he gave the miscreants a limited time in which to shake the dust of Genoa from their feet. Mr. Watson has their names and will keep an eye on them in the future.

The justice courts in Genoa have been working overtime of late in fining hoodlums from neighboring towns and the fines are getting larger as the business increases.

## Auto Wreck At Elgin

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peck were badly injured, and other members of an automobile party received slight bruises, while returning from the Elgin Country club, at about eight o'clock Saturday evening. They were riding in A. D. Edwards' new Kisselkar auto, when the casting controlling the steering gear broke, throwing the occupants down a steep embankment at the side of the road.

Mr. Peck's arm was broken and Mrs. Peck's face was badly bruised.

## The First Pickles

The first load of cucumbers was taken in at the new pickle factory in this city Monday. In this consignment there was just one bushel. In the course of a week or two they will be coming in fast. There is tank capacity for over 6000 bushels and the company wishes to fill every tank to the top. The weather has been ideal for cucumber vines and the crop will no doubt be large.

## Do It Tomorrow

It was a profitable venture. It cost Mr. Neermeier very little to buy the texts, and he hoped that they would have the same effect on his employes as if he had raised their salaries.

Think of the difference in the price! So it happened that on Monday morning there appeared above every desk the words "Do it now!" framed with an embossed gilt border.

But, alas, they took the advice too literally! Next day the lady typist eloped with the bookkeeper, three clerks asked for a raise, the cashier took a holiday with the contents of the safe, and the office boy became a highwayman, holding out till Thursday before he was caught and disarmed.—London Answers.

The bites and stings of insects, sunburn, cuts, burns and bruises relieved at once with Pinesalve Carbolized. Acts like a poultice. Draws out inflammation. Try it. Price 25c. Sold by Geo. H. Hunt's drug store. Sep 1

## FOR NEW TEXT BOOKS

### COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT IS HAVING HIS TROUBLES

#### MEETS BITTER OPPOSITION

Desires to Make Books Uniform Throughout the County—Prof. H. F. Stout's Opinion

In his efforts to place new readers, arithmetics and geographies in the schools of the county, Superintendent Coultass is meeting with bitter opposition from some source. Whether Mr. Coultass is right or wrong (and we think the former) he has been taken at a disadvantage in that man or men who are attacking his plans are putting up their argument from behind fortifications. In other words the person or persons antagonistic to the change have had their fling at Mr. Coultass without divulging their names, giving the superintendent no opportunity to strike back at them only in a general way.

Since Mr. Coultass took up the duties of superintendent of schools he has been active and alert, and has made good with the great majority of school teachers and school superintendents in the county. We believe that he has no other object in view than the betterment of the schools. He knows as well as others should know that without uniform text books the best of results cannot be obtained. If he thinks the change should be made, and is supported in his opinion by a majority of the instructors and directors in the county, it is his duty to use all his efforts to make it despite the opposition of the American Book Company—and others.

Prof. H. F. Stout of the Genoa schools has given ten reasons why the new text books should be installed. They are as follows:

1. Because the books recommended by County Superintendent Coultass are vastly superior to the ones now in use.
2. Because the books now in use cost about 20 per cent more than those recommended.
3. Because the books now used in the county are not by any means uniform throughout.
4. Because the books recommended have received the endorsement of the best educators of the county.
5. Because the teachers are glad to have the change made.
6. Because the County Superintendent will have in the hands of the teachers expert help written upon the basis of the books recommended.
7. Because the examinations will be based upon this course and these books.
8. Because the County Superintendent desires it and considers it for the best interests of the schools.
9. Because the American Book Company has made many gross misrepresentations in their effort to persuade you to retain the use of the present books, all of which they publish.
10. Because it is for the best interests of your children.

## Special

### Real Estate Bargains

Residence with 2 lots and crop on 4 lots, garden tools, good chicken houses, and well, all ready to use. \$700.00.  
\$1,200.00 buys an 8-room house, in good condition.  
\$2,500.00 buys a good residence property on Genoa street.  
\$3,600.00 will buy fine residence with 4 acres of land.  
All the above property is well located.  
D. S. BROWN  
at Exchange Bank, Genoa, Ill.

## THE SYCAMORE CHAUTAUQUA

Opens at Marsh's Park in That City August 16 and Continues Ten Days

The Sycamore Chautauqua opens August 16 and will continue for ten days. If you have not already planned to go you had better do so now. The program is as good if not better than heretofore. The chautauqua is the popular summer encampment. All joys of an outing are mixed with entertainment that rests and instructs while it rests, an instruction that entertains while it instructs.

The Sycamore Chautauqua endeavors to maintain a high standard. The program is a varied one, something to please everybody. The ten days of the chautauqua form the event of the year for the people within many miles of Sycamore. A large number of these people are planning to spend the entire ten days in tents within the park. The season tickets are only \$1.50 and where can you get any more or better talent than this program provides for less?

Among the talent to appear on the program are: Lotus Male Quartette, Col. Geo. Bain, Father Vaughan, Katherine Ertz-Bowden, Dr. H. V. Adams, Anna Amaker, The Chautauqua favorite; Wm. Sterling Battis, Denton C. Crowl, Edwin Brush, Dr. H. W. Sears, S. A. Lang, Old Plantation Quartet, Gertrude Goodwin Miller, Ash Davis and "Billy" Sunday.

Send to secretary for complete program. The season tickets to the Sycamore chautauqua are limited to 1,000. The price is \$1.50, making the average cost of an entertainment about three cents. The assembly opens August 16 and lasts 10 days. Send your order to Secretary C. M. Conrad, Sycamore, Ill., for a ticket before they are all gone.

## Go Back to Candle

It is an old saying that "Where there is a will there is a way to dodge and evade the full meaning of the law of a city or in fact the land." This has recently been proven by the eleven wild saloonkeepers of Naperville, who have been forced by a strict ordinance passed by the city council recently to do away with all blinds, screens and curtains to their places of business so that the people on the streets may at all times have what they term a "free look at the bar."

This ordinance when passed caused a smile on the faces of the saloonkeepers, everyone of whom the anti-saloon people figured would go out of business in consequence of the law.

The dram shop men figured differently and decided to conform strictly with the law, and to this end had all of the curtains and obstructions removed, also all the gas and electric light fixtures, and posted on the bar a small oil lamp and in some instances only a small candle which was used for illuminating after dusk. By thus lighting their saloons they conform with the law and give pedestrians a free look but the small light on the bar only shows the bartender, as none of the frequenters of the place are noticable. What the next move of the anti-saloon people will be in the saloon fight is hard to tell but it is firmly believed that every effort they make to chase out the dram shop will be met with equal strategy.

Kodol for Indigestion and Dyspepsia is a preparation of vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It digests what you eat. Sold by Hunt's Pharmacy.

## CATTLE TO BE KILLED

### NATIONAL CAMPAIGN STARTED AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS

#### STATES WILL TAKE UP WORK

The Idea is to Have Each State Test Every Herd of Cattle in the Country

Inspection of every herd of cattle in the country with the object of eradicating tuberculosis by killing infected cows, is proposed now as the result of the recent dispute between the packers and the national live stock exchange over the killing of cows subject to mortem examination, says the Harvard Herald.

The design is to have the state legislatures appropriate money for the purpose of inspection and for the slaughter of infected heaves. It is proposed that the owners stand one-half the loss and the state the other half.

The report is that Wisconsin is fairly reeking with the "great white plague," and that Illinois is in no better condition. The meat supply of the country is now said to be absolutely pure, owing to the strict federal regulations, but the new laws have entailed such a great expense on the slaughterers that the cost must sooner or later be shifted on the consumer.

The milk supply of the country, however, is not happily situated, milk from infected cows still being distributed because of lack of inspection and knowledge. The campaign to exterminate tuberculosis in cattle will be a costly one, but as it has to be done sooner or later, it is the wise plan to do it now. The longer the delay the greater the cost both in lives and in money. In speaking of the meat supply a recent publication says:

"For more reasons than one the country is facing a scarcity of beef. Dairy interests are encroaching in the feed lot in Illinois, Iowa and Missouri. On the Texas range the homesteader is swarming, while Montana, Dakota and Wyoming pastures are being rapidly curtailed. The range beef-making industry has dwindled to small proportions, and most of the big outfits will be out of business with this season's roundup. Cattle have recently advanced a dollar a hundred, \$6 to \$7 being the present range for the bulk of steers. For twenty years past 5 to 6½ cents has been the common price for decent cattle, and the new basis of prices will endure until production catches up with consumption. Either the consumer must foot the bill or both killer and retailer must narrow their margins on profit."

## M. E. Church Notes

There will be no services at the Genoa M. E. church the following Sundays, Aug. 4 and 11, on account of camp meeting.

Services next Sunday at Charter Grove at two o'clock. Rev. T. E. Ream will preach.

No services at the Ney church Sundays, Aug. 4 and 11. The illustrated sermon given by T. E. Ream, Sunday evening, was very largely attended.

## A. C. Church Notice

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

A Sunday school picnic will be given Saturday, Aug. 3. All desiring to go, please be at church at 9:00 a. m.

Remember campmeeting at Mendota, August 16.  
W. T. LOOMIS, Pastor.

## NEW HOSE CART HOUSE

Village Board Takes Action on Fire Marshall Lord's Report

Ground was broken Monday for a new hose cart house, to adjoin the city hall on the south. The building will be the same height as the city hall with a depth of 46 feet and width of 23 feet. Such a structure has long been needed and the board is deserving of commendation for taking prompt action in the matter after Fire Marshal Lord's appeal. The bell tower has been removed and will later be placed on top of the new building. The bell then can be heard a greater distance and the elevated tower can be used to advantage in drying hose. The doors of the house will open directly upon the street so that the fire companies can save many precious seconds in cases of emergency.

## BUSINESS IS NEAR END

German Insurance Company of Freeport Is Closing Books

In a few days all of the business of the defunct German Insurance company of Freeport will be closed up and that concern will be a thing of the past both in name and fact. The receiver is gradually closing up all its business and three men of the original force are now employed in the building, where a year ago there were sixty-five. Since the time the company went into the receiver's hands last November a large force of men have been employed figuring up the different policies and settling claims held against the company at the time of its downfall.

## ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

One Cent Decline Shown on Board of Trade Monday

The price of butter was declared firm at 24 cents on the Elgin Board of Trade Monday. This is a drop of one cent from last week. There were no offerings for sales. Former prices were:

July 22, 1907—25 cents.  
July 30, 1906—21½ cents.  
July 31, 1905—20 cents.  
Aug. 31, 1904—17 cents.

The New York market is steady at 24 cents. The week's output in the Elgin district was 991,700 pounds.

## Death of Oscar Newblin

After an illness of about eight weeks, Mr. Oscar Newblin died at the home of his cousin, Godfrey Johnson, at Ney, Ill., July 26, 1907.

Oscar was born in West Gotlam, Sweden, May 14, 1869. He was baptized in the Christian faith and confirmed at the age of 15 years. He was married to Miss Tillie Palmberg, May 15, 1896. He leaves a widow and two sons, Harvey, 9 years old and Ruben, 7 years old, who live in Chicago. He also leaves two brothers, Andrew of Chicago, and one who lives in Sweden.

The funeral services were held at the home of Godfrey Johnson at two o'clock and at Riley church at three o'clock.

Dr. Scott of Marengo officiated, using as his text 14th St. John, 2nd verse: "In my Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you."

The floral pieces were many and beautiful. Relatives from Marengo, Ney and DeKalb were present.

## No Divorce

In the case of Martha Smith vs. Joseph Smith which came up in circuit court last week, Mrs. Smith failed to get a bill of divorce. The bill was dismissed for want of equity and the case stricken off.

## THE UNION GIANTS

### WILL PLAY IN GENOA SATURDAY AUGUST 10

#### FUN AND HIGH CLASS GAME

Its Worth the Price of Admission to See Them in Practice and Hear Them Coach

The Union Giants, Chicago's best and original colored base ball team, will play the Genoa White Sox in this city on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 10. This means that the people of Genoa and vicinity have an opportunity of seeing some fancy ball playing and hear a continuous black-face vaudeville.

The Giants are noted for their wit in coaching and never fail to capture the audience. They are ball players of the highest order, handling the hide and stick with the skill of players in the major leagues.

The White Sox will strengthen up for this game and endeavor to make the contest interesting.

Don't miss the fun. Turn out and make it a half holiday.

## GAME NEXT SATURDAY

On Saturday of this week the White Sox will meet the M. D. Wells team of DeKalb on the local diamond. These teams are evenly matched. Usual prices.

## OLD SETTLERS' PICNIC

Annual Gathering in Mann's Woods Will be Held August 24

Arrangements are being made by the Burlington picnic association for the annual Old Settlers' picnic, which will be held in Mann's woods, Saturday, August 24. The Burlington picnic is an annual affair and is attended by many Genoaites, people congregating at the picnic from all over Kane and DeKalb counties. The committee to have charge of the affair has already been appointed and matters regarding transportation facilities are now being taken up with the railroads.

## FATHER'S LESSON.

The Trick of Teaching as He Tried It on the Boy.

"Don't lop down on the couch that way, Bobby," the tired little mother implored. "Stand up and pull down your sweater and try to remember, Henry," she added, lifting a flushed, almost tearful face to her husband as he entered the room, "this boy simply can't learn anything by heart, do you know it? It's a physical impossibility. Here his teacher has assigned two pages of the 'Lady of the Lake' to be committed to memory before tomorrow morning, and I've worked with him all the evening, and he can't say the first two lines now! Why, at his age I used to recite long selections at the church entertainments. All our children did. He must take after your side of the family."

"My side! Well, that's a good idea! I think I spoke a few pieces at school myself. Let me have the book. Probably you haven't the trick of teaching—that's the main thing. Here, son, come in the other room and let your father have a try with you."

A half hour followed, during which the paternal voice grew louder and louder, while the listening wife grew first tranquil, then merry. At last the folding doors opened. "Come, son," said Bobby's father in a voice that cracked the whip. "Show your mother what you've learned in half an hour."

"All he needed was to have it impressed on his mind that the last words in every two lines rhyme," he added as he placed the open book in his wife's hands and pointed to the couplet about the famous stag: "But ere his fleet career he took 'The dewdrops from his flanks he shook.'"

"Go on, son," he commanded again. "They rhyme in twos, remember."

"Yes, sir," Bobby swallowed hard. "But—ere he took his fleet career—He—he shook the dewdrops from his ear!" He was the triumphant finish. And then Bobby wondered why his mother laughed until she cried.—Exchange.



GREAT FIRE RAGES ON CONEY ISLAND

SEVEN BLOCKS OF NEW YORK'S PLAYGROUND DESTROYED BY FLAMES.

Loss About \$1,000,000—Luna Park and Dreamland Are Saved—San Dora, Armless and Legless Wonder, Rescued in a Basket.

New York, July 29.—Coney Island, the playground of New York's millions, was visited by a disastrous fire early Sunday and seven blocks in the amusement zone were completely destroyed.

Frightened Throng of Performers. The alarm of fire woke up dozing Coney Island with a start, and in a few minutes Surf avenue was jammed with excited freaks and frolickers.

Rescue of San Dora. Inside the burning park all was excitement and confusion among the two score employees who slept in a house near the entrance.

Medieval Lelsure. The women of the sixteenth century and earlier times had easier lives than those of our generation.

JOHNSTON FOR PETTUS' SEAT. Former Alabama Governor Will Succeed the Dead Senator.

Birmingham, Ala., July 29.—The successor to Senator E. W. Pettus, who died Saturday in Hot Springs, N. C., will be former Gov. Joseph F. Johnston, of Birmingham.

Extraordinary discoveries were recently made at Toulouse, Saintes, Agen, Bordeaux and other towns in the south and southwest of France.

FOURTEEN PERISH IN FIRE. Explosion and Blaze in New York Tenement House.

New York, July 29.—Nearly 100 panic-stricken men, women and children fought to escape from a burning East Side tenement that was wrecked by an explosion late Sunday night.

Bernard Shaw says he can write all around Shakespeare, but he hasn't the nerve to claim that he can equal the literary effort of the able gentleman who wrote the declaration of independence.

The sex of the American Eagle is the subject of a spirited and interesting dispute, but we think it is easy of determination. She is a female, undoubtedly. Otherwise she wouldn't "scream."

KEEPING THE PEACE.



Peace Policeman—Oh, that's all right, Japan can take care of that case all right.

"NOT GUILTY" IS HAYWOOD VERDICT

MINERS' FEDERATION LEADER IS ACQUITTED OF STEUBENBERG MURDER.

Jury Is Out 21 Hours—Agreement Reached Early Sunday Morning—Freed Man Hastens to Aged Mother—Others Will Be Tried.

Boise, Idaho, July 29.—Into the bright sunlight of a beautiful Sabbath morning William D. Haywood, defendant in one of the most noted trials involving conspiracy and murder that the country has ever known.

Hastens to His Mother. Haywood's first thought was of his aged mother, who Saturday had suffered a nervous breakdown after the jury had retired.

Statement by Haywood. Sunday night Haywood issued the following statement: "I appreciate the support of the working class extended to us by workmen throughout the country."



WILLIAM D. HAYWOOD.

Others Will Be Tried. Gov. Gooding said: "The verdict is a great surprise to me, and I believe to all citizens of Idaho who have heard or read the evidence in the case."

Moyer's Release Ordered. Boise, Idaho, July 30.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, and co-defendant with William D. Haywood, acquitted Sunday of the murder of former Gov. Steunenberg, was ordered released on \$25,000 bail Monday by Judge Wood, who presided at the Haywood trial.

It was after being out for 21 hours that the jury, which at first had been divided eight to four and then seemed deadlocked at ten to two, finally came to an agreement shortly after the first faint streaks of the coming day showed gray above the giant hills.

Haywood's Tears of Joy. Tears welled to the eyes of the man who during the 80 days of his trial had sat with stolid indifference written upon his every feature.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Prince Orloff's jaw was broken near Paris when a motorphobe threw a stone at his automobile.

N. C. Brewer, of Cleveland, O., and his wife were killed when their automobile was struck by a trolley car.

Two new independent packing houses are to be built soon, one in Alliance, the other in Havelock, Neb.

The former Spanish cruiser Don Juan de Austria has started for Michigan, where it is to be used by naval militiamen.

John Maxwell, a pioneer knit-goods manufacturer of Amsterdam, N. Y., who established the first mill there more than 50 years ago, died, aged 93 years.

B. J. Olding of Cincinnati attempted to commit suicide at Niagara Falls. He jumped from the second-story window of his hotel. It is thought he is insane.

Walter T. Wilcox of New York ditched his automobile and injured his wife and a number of guests in order to avoid running down two children.

Thomas Black, a prominent lawyer and former mayor of Kenton, O., acknowledged the forgery of papers involving \$28,000 and surrendered to the police.

Helen Bailey Trowbridge, an actress playing recently with the People's Stock company in Chicago, committed suicide in Pittsburg, Pa., by slashing her throat with a razor.

The body of one of the four officers who made an ascension in a military balloon from the aeronauts park near St. Petersburg was found off Hogland, a small island in the Gulf of Finland.

After an extremely hot summer in 1906, the results of the scientific glacier measurements confirm the theory that the Swiss Alpine glaciers everywhere are perceptibly diminishing.

Dispatches from Cape Sable, N. S., say that the West Indian line steamer Orinoco, which went ashore off that point, will probably be a total loss. She has been practically abandoned.

Waldo D. Parker, master of mathematics and Latin in the Holderness School for Boys at Plymouth, N. H., has been appointed private tutor to President Roosevelt's youngest son, Quentin.

J. J. McAlester, president of the American National bank of South McAlester, I. T., was swindled into paying \$10,000 cash for a worthless brick offered by a man representing himself to be a miner.

William R. Kenyon, twice mayor of Butte, Mont., and formerly a business partner of Senator W. A. Clark, died suddenly at his country home near Amsterdam, N. Y., aged 67. He was a native of Oswego, N. Y.

All the clerks in the office of the master mechanic of the Rock Island at Goodland, Kan., have been discharged for refusing to don overalls and clean and dress cars during the one day strike of the carmen.

Dr. Antony Varicle, inventor, scientist, balloonist and explorer, died at Seattle, Wash., after an illness lasting several weeks. Dr. Varicle invented the telegraph instrument which transmits handwriting and drawings.

JEALOUSY CAUSES TRAGEDIES.

Two Husbands Kill Their Wives and Commit Suicide.

Ardmore, I. T., July 30.—At Wapanucka, I. T., Edgar Ball, a railroad employe, shot and fatally wounded his young wife, shot his sister-in-law, Miss Maggie Dobson, through the thigh, then shot himself through the heart. Jealousy is supposed to be the motive of the crime.

Tulsa, I. T., July 30.—In a fit of jealous anger, J. D. Stackhouse, proprietor of a restaurant, Monday shot and killed his wife, then committed suicide.

Cousin of Gen. Grant Dies. La Crosse, Wis., July 30.—Mrs. M. T. Burke, a cousin of Gen. U. S. Grant, died here Monday, aged 77 years, from injuries received in a fall recently.

THE MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various commodities like LIVE STOCK, FLOUR, WHEAT, CORN, etc., with prices per unit.

Table listing market prices for GRAIN, WHEAT, CORN, etc., with prices per bushel or unit.

Professional Cards

C. H. MORDOFF, M. D. Office and residence, south side of Main street. Office hours: 1 to 3 p. m., 6:30 to 8 p. m.

A. M. HILL, M. D. Office over Witt and Shork's jewelry store. Hours: 6:30 to 8 p. m., 1:30 to 2 p. m. Residence on East Main street. Calls promptly attended to day or night.

DR. T. N. AUSTIN Physician and Surgeon. Office over J. Lembke's store. Office hours: 7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 2:30 p. m. and 6:30 to 8 p. m. X-ray laboratory in connection.

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C. A. PATTERSON DENTIST. Office over Exchange Bank. Office hours: 8:30 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m.

G. W. MARKLEY, M. D. KINGSTON, ILL. OFFICE HOURS: 12 to 3 p. m., 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. Calls promptly attended to night and day.

Genoa Lodge No. 288 A. F. & A. M. Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. I. O. O. F. hall.

Genoa Lodge No. 163 M. W. A. Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month. Visiting neighbors welcome.

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THE SYCAMORE BUS LINE

Bus leaves Genoa every week day at nine o'clock, returning leave Sycamore at 4 p. m. Leave orders at the stable.

L. ROBINSON PHONE 23



# THE PLUM TREE

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## CHAPTER III.

### Sayler "Draws the Line."

In February the railways traversing our state sent to the capitol a bill that had been drawn by our ablest lawyers and reviewed by the craftiest of the great corporation lawyers of New York city. Its purpose, most shrewdly and slyly concealed was to exempt the railways from practically all taxation. It was so subtly worded that this would be disclosed only when the companies should be brought to court for refusing to pay their usual share of the taxes. Such measures are usually "straddled" through the legislature—that is, neither party takes the responsibility, but the boss of each machine assigns to vote for them all the men whose seats are secure beyond any ordinary assault of public indignation. In this case, 32 were assigned by Dunkirk and 17 by Silliman to make up a majority with three to spare.

My boss, Dominick, got wind that Dunkirk and Silliman were cutting an extra melon of uncommon size. He descended upon the capitol and served notice on Dunkirk that the 11 Dominick men assigned to vote for the bill would vote against it unless he got \$7,000 apiece for them—\$77,000. Dunkirk needed every one of Dominick's men to make up his portion of the majority; he yielded after trying in vain to reduce the price. All Dominick would say to him on that point, so I heard afterward, was:

"Every day you put me off I go up a thousand dollars a head."

We who were to be voted so profitably for Dunkirk, Silliman, Dominick, and the railroads, learned what was going on—Silliman went on a "tear" and talked too much. Nine of us, not including myself, got together and sent Cassidy, member from the Second Jackson county district, to Dominick to plead for a share. I happened to be with him in the Capital City Hotel bar when Cassidy came up, and hemming and hawing, explained how he and his fellow insurgents felt.

Dominick's veins seemed cords straining to bind down a demon struggling to escape. "It's back to the bench you go, Pat Cassidy—back to the bench where I found you!" he snarled, with a volley of profanity and sewage. "I don't know nothing about this here bill except that it's for the good of the party. Go back to that gang of damned wharf rats, and tell 'em, if I hear another squeak, I'll put 'em where I got 'em."

Cassidy shrank away with a furtive glance of envy and hate at me, whom Dominick treated with peculiar consideration—I think it was because I was the only man of education of any pretensions to "family" in official position in his machine. He used to like to class himself and me together as "we gentlemen," in contrast to "them muckers," meaning my colleagues.

Next day, just before the voting began, Dominick seated himself at the front of the governor's gallery—the only person in it. I see him now as he looked that day—black and heavy-jawed and scowling, leaning forward and both forearms on the railing, and his big, flat chin resting on his upturned, stubby thumbs. He was there to see that each of us, his creatures, dependent absolutely upon him for our political lives, should vote as he had sold us in block. There was no chance to shirk or even to squirm. As the rollcall proceeded, one after another, seven of us, obeyed that will frowning from the gallery—jumped through the hoop of fire under the quivering lash. I was the eighth on the roll.

"Sayler!" How my name echoed through that horrible silence!

I could not answer. Gradually every face turned toward me—I could see them, could feel them, and to make bad enough worse, I yielded to an imperious fascination, the fascination of that incarnation of brute-power—power of muscle and power of will. I turned my eyes upon the amazed, furious eyes of my master. It seemed to me that his lips must give passage to the oaths and filth swelling beneath his chest, and seething behind his eyes.

"Sayler!" repeated the clerk in a voice that exploded within me.

"No!" I shouted—not in answer to the clerk, but in denial of that insolent master-to-dog command, from the beast in the gallery.

The look in his eyes changed to relief and contemptuous approval. There was a murmur of derision from my fellow members. Then I remembered that a negative was, at that stage of the bill, a vote for it—I had done just the reverse of what I intended. The roll-call went on, and I sat debating with myself. Prudence, inclination, the natural timidity of youth, the utter futility of opposition, fear, above all else, fear—these joined in bidding me let my vote stand as cast. On the other side stood my notion of self-respect. I felt I must then and there for ever decide whether I was a thing or a man. Yet

again and again I had voted for measures just as corrupt—had voted for them with no protest beyond a cynical shrug and a wry look. Every man, even the laxest, if he is to continue to "count as one," must have a point where he draws the line beyond which he will not go. The liar must have things he will not lie about, the thief things he will not steal, the compromiser things he will not compromise, the practical man of the pulpit, in politics, in business, in the professor's chair, or editorial tribune, things he will not sacrifice, whatever the cost. That is "practical honor." I had reached my line of practical honor, my line between possible compromise and certain demoralization. And I realized it.

When the roll-call ended I rose, and, in a voice that I knew was firm and clear, said: "Mr. Speaker, I voted in the negative by mistake. I wish my vote to be recorded in the affirmative. I am against the bill."

And a fearful silence I took my seat. With a suddenness that made me leap, a wild and crazy assemblyman, noted as the crank of that session, emitted a fantastic yell of enthusiastic approval.

I wish I could boast how brave I



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felt as I reversed my vote, how indifferent to that tempest of mockery, and how strong as I went forth to meet my master and hear my death-warrant. But I can't, in honesty—I'm only a human being, not a hero, and these are my confessions, not my professions. So I must relate that, though the voice that requested the change of vote was calm and courageous, the man behind it was agitated and sick with dread. There may be those who have the absolute courage some men boast—if not directly, then by implication in despising him who has it not. For myself, I must say that I never made a venture—and my life has been a succession of ventures, often with my whole stake upon the table—I never made a venture that I did not have a sickening sensation at the heart. My courage, if it can be called by so sounding a name, has been in daring to make the throw when every atom of me was shrieking: "You'll lose! You'll be ruined!"

I did not see Dominick until after supper. I had nerved myself for a scene—indeed, I had been hoping he would insult me. When one lacks the courage boldly to advance along the perilous course his intelligence counsels, he is lucky if he can and will goad some one into kicking him along it past the point where retreat is possible. Such methods of advance are not dignified, but then, is life dignified? To my surprise and alarm, Dominick refused to kick me into manhood. He had been paid, and the \$77,000, in bills of large denomination, were warming his heart from the inner pocket of his waistcoat. So he came up to me scowling, but friendly.

"Why didn't you tell me you wanted to be let off, Harvey?" he said, reproachfully. "I'd 'a' done it. Now, damn you, you've put me in a place where I've got to give you the whip."

To flush at this expression from Dominick was a hypocritical refinement of sensitiveness. To draw myself up haughtily, to turn on my heel and walk away—that was the silliness

of a boy. Still, I am glad I did both these absurd things. When I told my mother how I had ruined myself in politics she began to cry—and tears were not her habit. Then she got my father's picture and kissed it and talked to it about me, just as if he were there with us; and for a time I felt that I was of heroic stature.

But as the days passed, with no laurels in the form of cases and fees, and as clients left me through fear of Dominick's power, I shriveled back to human size and descended from my pedestal. From the ground-level I began again to look about the matter-of-fact world.

I saw I was making only a first small payment on the heavy price for the right to be free to break with any man or any enterprise that menaced my self-ownership. That right I felt I must keep, whatever its cost. Some men can, or think they can, lend their self-ownership and take it back at convenience; I knew I was not of them—and let none of them judge me. Especially let none judge me who only deludes himself that he owns himself, who has sold himself all his life long for salaries and positions or for wealth, or for the empty reputation of power he wields only on another's sufferance.

A glance about me was enough to disclose the chief reason why so many men had surrendered the inner citadel of self-respect. In the crucial hour, when they had had to choose between subservience and a hard battle with adversity, forth from their hearts had issued a traitor weakness, the feeling of responsibility to wife and children, and this traitor had easily delivered them captive to some master or masters. More, or less, than human, it seemed to me, was the courage that could make successful resistance to this traitor, and could strike down and drag down wife and children. "I must give up Elizabeth," I said to myself, "for her own

case of consequence I had had in more than a year. Duck Fessenden came into my office, and after dosing me liberally with those friendly protestations and assurances which please even when they do not convince said: "I know you won't give me away, Sayler, and I can't stand it any longer to watch you going on this way. Don't you see the old man's after you hammer and tongs? He'll never let up. You won't get no clients, and, if you do, you won't win no cases."

These last five words, spoken in Duck's most significant manner, revealed what my modesty—or, if you prefer it, my stupidity—had hidden from me. I had known all along that Dominick was keeping away and driving away my clients; but I had not suspected his creatures on the bench. To this day, after all these years of use, only with the greatest reluctance and with a moral uneasiness which would doubtless amuse most political managers, do I send "suggestions" or "intimations" to my men in judicial office—and I always do it, and always have done it, indirectly. And I feel relieved and grateful when my judges, eager to "serve the party," anticipate me by sending me a reassuring hint.

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I made some vague reply, and he soon went away. I felt that I had confirmed his belief in my fearlessness. Yet, if he could have looked into my mind, how he would have laughed at his credulity! Probably he would have pitied me, too, for it is one of the curious facts of human nature that men are amazed and even disgusted whenever they see—in others—the weaknesses that are universal. I doubt not, many who read these memoirs will be quite honestly Pharisaical, thanking heaven that they are not touched with any of my infirmities.

It may have been coincident, though I think not, that, a few days after Fessenden's call, a reform movement against Dominick appeared upon the surface of Jackson county politics. I thought at the time that it was the first streak of the dawn I had been watching for—the awakening of the sluggish moral sentiment of the rank and file of the voters. I know now that it was merely the result of a quarrel among the corporations that employed Dominick. He had been giving the largest of them, Roebuck's Universal Gas and Electric company, called the Power trust, more than its proportional share of the privileges and spoils. The others had protested in vain, and as a last resort had ordered their lawyers to organize a movement to "purify" Jackson county, Dominick's stronghold.

I did not then know it, but I got the nomination for county prosecutor chiefly because none of the other lawyers, not even those secretly directing the reform campaign, was brave enough publicly to provoke the Power trust. I made a house to house, farm to farm, man to man, canvass. We had the secret ballot, and I was elected. The people rarely fail to respond to that kind of appeal if they are convinced that response cannot possibly hurt, and may help, their pockets. And, by the way, those occasional responses, significant neither of morality nor of intelligence, lead political theorists far astray. As if honor or honesty could win other than sporadic and more or less hypocritical homage—practical homage, I mean—among a people whose permanent ideal is wealth, no matter how great or how used. That is another way of saying that the chief characteristic of Americans is that we are human, and whatever we may profess, cherish the human ideal universal in a world where want is man's wickedest enemy and wealth his most winning friend. But as I was relating, I was elected, and my majority, on the face of the returns, was between 1,000 and 1,100. It must actually have been many thousands, for never before had Dominick "doctored" the tally sheets so recklessly.

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# Illinois State News

## Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities and Towns.

### TO HONOR WAR GOVERNOR.

G. A. R. Post Starts Movement for Yates Monument.

Jacksonville.—Matt Starr post G. A. R., started a movement to build a monument to War Gov. Yates, and appointed a committee to arrange to bring the matter before the next state encampment. They will ask the encampment to petition the legislature to appropriate a sum for a monument to be erected in front of the state-house. The argument will be "what Indiana did for Morton Illinois should do for Yates." The remains of the war governor lie buried in Diamond Grove cemetery and are designated by a small unpretentious monument.

### SWEDES SING IN DULUTH.

Society in Convention at Moline Declines on Next Meeting.

Moline.—The business session of the western division of the American-Swedish singers was held here. The financial statement shows total receipts of \$9,113.55, with disbursements of \$7,753.65. An invitation from the Duluth delegation for the next festival in 1911 was accepted with enthusiasm. The following officers were elected: President, C. D. Forsell, Duluth; first vice president, Dr. Victor Nilson, Minneapolis; second vice president, Otto

### AURORA TRACTION ROW BARED.

Question of Extending McKinley Trolley Is Brought Up.

Aurora.—Propositions in traction matters were submitted to the council at a special meeting to which Mayor Finch, the aldermen, President L. J. Wolf, of the Aurora, Elgin & Southern Traction company, General Manager E. C. Faber, of the same company, and Mr. Fisher, of the Joliet, Plainfield & Aurora company, were present. Aurora and the traction companies have not been able to agree over certain matters for some time, the principal matter being the bringing to the city interurban cars over the city lines. Mr. Wolf stated that he had held a conference with Mr. McKinley in regard to bringing his line into Aurora from St. Louis.

### KEEP MAGILL GIRL IN HIDING.

Daughter of Accused Man Is Now Concealed in Clinton.

Clinton.—Marguerite Magill, the 19-year-old daughter of Fred Magill, who is accused of poisoning his wife, is in Clinton, presumably at the home of R. A. Lemon, the Magills' personal attorney. The young woman is kept in strict seclusion and no outsider has been permitted to interview her. The state's attorney would like to talk

### ATTORNEYS WHO WILL PROSECUTE FRED H. MAGILL, CHARGED WITH WIFE MURDER.



ARTHUR MILLER

Johnson, Chicago; financial secretary, Ernst Lindskog.

### Boy Drowns; Playmate Silent.

Staunton.—George Nixon, aged six, and John Boyle, seven years old, went out on a pond here on a plank raft. George was shoving the raft across the shallow pond with a stick when he slipped and fell into the water. John ran home, but fear kept him from telling what had happened. At night Mrs. Nixon began worrying about her boy. After much coaxing John told the story. The pond was dragged and the body found.

### Costly Fence Brings Little.

Carlinville.—The iron fence around the Maconin county courthouse was sold for \$305. It cost originally \$96,000. The cost of the fence was in proportion to the \$2,500,000 paid for the Maconin courthouse, erected in 1882, and famed the country over. The courthouse is being paid for at the rate of \$50,000 per annum, and in 1909 it is hoped to pay the last dollar of debt.

### \$200,000,000 Mortgage Filed.

Mount Sterling.—The \$200,000,000 mortgage that the Wabash is placing on all their railroad property was filed here. It is made in favor of the Bowling Green Trust company of New York, J. C. Van Blarcom, St. Louis, and James B. Forgan, Chicago. It contains 33,000 words and the fee for recording in this county is about \$30.

### Farmer Killed by Lightning.

Mount Vernon.—Charles Howard, a prominent and wealthy farmer, was killed by lightning while working in the harvest field near Bonnie, in this county.

### Overturns Hot Water on Self.

Clinton.—Ethel Chandler, aged seven years, tried to lift a kettle of hot water from the stove but turned the receptacle in such a position as to throw scalding fluid over her abdomen. She was badly burned but will recover.

### Odd Fellows' Home Is Full.

Mattoon.—The State Odd Fellows' Old Folks home at this place is crowded to the limit and no more members can be sheltered. The board of trustees will be asked at their next meeting to erect another building.



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with Marguerite, but will not be given the chance.

State's Attorney Miller and his associate attorney, L. R. Herrick, went before Judge Cochran and filed affidavits asking for a special grand jury. The order was made out.

### Resigns From Drainage Board.

Chicago.—At a special meeting of the board of trustees of the sanitary district of Chicago the resignation of Isham Randolph, who has occupied the position of chief engineer for the last 14 years, was accepted and George M. Wisner, assistant chief engineer, was elected to fill the vacancy. Mr. Randolph will be retained by the district as consulting engineer at a salary of \$7,500 a year, it being deemed inexpedient to dispense with his services at this time.

### To Teach Principles of Health.

Chicago.—The Chicago School of Sanitary Instruction was incorporated by officials of the Chicago health department with a view to extending knowledge of public health matters and training men for civil service sanitary inspectors. No charge will be made for instruction and the students will be given practical work with the inspectors employed by the city.

### Station Agent Is Accused.

Canton.—Police Matron Mabel Wright, of Peoria, caused a warrant to be issued for the arrest of Richard Martin, a station agent at Breeds, accusing him of outraging Ethel Eddy, his 14-year-old stepdaughter. The girl recently gave birth to a child in Peoria and the charge was made at the time that her stepfather was the father.

### Steal Railroad's Fence Wire.

Taylorville.—Barbed wire to the value of \$100 has been stolen from the Midland railway between Taylorville and Pawnee and South Fork and Valletine. The wire had been distributed along the right of way to be used in building fences.

### Approaching Marriage Worried Him.

Belleville.—John Buthe, aged 25, son of a farmer, worried so about his approaching marriage and the heavy harvest season that he was taken to the Belleville hospital.

# BLAMES SPIES OF TURKEY

## ARMENIAN PRIEST DENIES KNOWING ABOUT BLACKMAIL.

Former Treasurer of Hunchakist Examined by New York Authorities and Later Arrested.

New York, July 27.—Rev. Levont Martogessian, once treasurer of the Hunchakist, the Armenian society which outsiders say has fallen from its high estate of patriotism to the practice of blackmail, gave Friday a new twist to the district attorney's investigation of the organization.

The priest had been subpoenaed to tell what he knew. This was to the effect that the present agitation, ostensibly directed by reputable Armenians against a band of assassins, was in fact inspired by the Turkish government whose hired spies systematically sought to discredit the patriotic Armenians in this country. The pastor of the Armenian Apostolic church had, he admitted, formerly been a member and the treasurer of the Hunchakist, but some time ago withdrew. He knew nothing of the murder of the rug merchant, Tavshanjian, who had refused to pay \$10,000 for his life, and if extortion had been practiced he knew nothing of it. On the contrary, he told the district attorney that he, himself, was the object of persecution on the part of the Turkish government. Pressed to throw, if possible, light upon the workings of the conspirators, the priest replied:

"You are a rich and powerful nation, and you can find out more than I can."

The priest brought with him a letter, not signed, in which a threat to take his life was made. He turned it over to the district attorney.

New York, July 30.—Father Levont Martogessian, the Armenian priest whose name has been associated with the Hunchakist society, was arrested Monday night on charges of extortion and blackmail. His arrest followed the investigation the police have been making into the assassination of Hovannes Tavshanjian, a wealthy Armenian rug merchant, several days ago.

## MIRACLES AT KANKAKEE.

Several Persons Announce Themselves Healed at St. Anne's Shrine.

Kankakee, Ill., July 27.—Thousands of persons attending the ninth day session of the novena of the shrine of St. Anne Friday saw several persons arise in St. Joseph's church and announce that they had been healed of infirmities.

Miss Mary Pierce, 18 years old, of Delphi, Ind., said that she had been afflicted with paralysis for four years, during which time she had been unable to walk. She left the church without support. Miss Daisy Lamond, of Kankakee, almost blind for 33 years, said she was able to read without glasses at the close of the nine days of prayer.

George Neary, of Lost Nation, Ia., and Michael McCormick, of Kinsman, Ill., both said they had been crippled from childhood. They walked from the church and said it was the first time they had walked since infancy.

## QUIET IN IRON RANGE COUNTRY.

Gov. Johnson Sees No Necessity for State Interference.

St. Paul, Minn., July 27.—Gov. Johnson returned Friday from the Iron Range country and Duluth where he went to look into the strike situation. When asked what he thought of the affair he said:

"Everything is quiet up there and so far as I could learn there is no immediate prospect that the state will have to interfere to keep things quiet. I did not see any necessity of state interference and hope there will not be any. What the future may bring forth I am unable to predict."

## FATAL FIRE IN MEMPHIS.

One Fireman Killed in Blaze That Does \$600,000 Damage.

Memphis, Tenn., July 29.—In an early morning fire here Sunday, originating on the eleventh floor of the Memphis Cold Storage company's building, which was in the course of erection, one fireman lost his life and two others were seriously injured. The fire was got under control shortly before five o'clock, the loss approximately \$600,000.

## Battle with Raisuli On.

Tangier, July 30.—Furious fighting is still in progress between the forces of Raisuli, the bandit, and government troops sent to rescue Kaid MacLean, the sultan's military adviser, who is held prisoner by Raisuli. Prisoners captured during the battle are constantly arriving here. Frightened residents of the district in which the fight occurred also have hastened here. News of MacLean is unobtainable.

Police Break Up Red Flag Parade.

Hancock, Mich., July 29.—A socialist parade was broken up by policemen Sunday because many of the marchers carried red flags, in defiance of a recently enacted city ordinance. The marchers resisted and the police used their clubs freely. Thirteen persons, including one woman, were arrested.

## Governor's Wife Dead.

New Orleans, July 29.—Dispatches received here Saturday from Mineral Wells, Tex., announce the death there early Saturday morning of Mrs. Newton C. Blanchard, wife of the governor of Louisiana.



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Not all men who make detrimental remarks about women are cads and natural gossip mongers. In fact the cad is excusable as he has not brains enough to draw a line between right and wrong when speaking of women. There are men who have brains, men who stand high in business and social circles, men who have mothers, wives and daughters who do not hesitate to make a direct or insinuating remark about a woman. These same men would not pause a moment in chastising any person for passing along a story concerning one of their family, and still the morsal is sweet when it is the other fellow's mother, sister or daughter whose fair name is in jeopardy. It is all due to thoughtlessness and there is just one way to overcome the habit. If any of the readers of this article have acquired the habit of handling lightly a woman's name, let them stop and think next time of their own sister or daughter. Place yourself in the position of the man who is trying to undermine your sister or daughter's character and then hire "Maud" to kick you into the Kishwaukee.

E. D. SHURTFLEFF of Marengo has officially announced his candidacy for the office of governor. His letter in making known his platform, was couched in words of common sense and truth. His motto will be, as it has always been, "a square deal for all." In his campaign, and if good luck is his, after his election he will prove himself to be a thoro American citizen, to the back bone, and that he has the latter his adversaries in ticklish legislation have long since discovered.

CAN anyone tell just what William Jennings Bryan will select for an issue next year? He has tried and dropped "free silver," "imperialism" and "immediate government ownership of railroads." He cannot take up anti race suicide for Roosevelt has a patent on that. He cannot squeeze in on the anti trust question because Teddy has taken the bit in his teeth in that direction. He might have one of Hearst's papers offer a prize for the best "issue" submitted.

Will Harry Orchard ever be free so that he may appear on the stage and receive bunches of posies from the fickle sapheads who lionize such characters? Haywood was declared "not guilty" by the Boise jury, but guilty or innocent, his accuser on the strength of his own blood curdling testimony, should never appear on any stage but the one that has a trap thru the floor.

AFTER all wouldn't it be just as well to petition Judge Landis not to fine the Standard Oil company \$29,000,000? You and I will have to pay that fine in higher prices for oil and gasoline.

JAMES A. ROSE has announced his candidacy for re-election to the secretary of state office. Mr. Rose has an enviable record and will give any opponent a hard run.

Pineules are for the Kidneys and Bladder. They bring quick relief to backache, rheumatism, lumbago, tired worn out feeling. They produce natural action of the kidneys. 30 days' treatment \$1.00. Money refunded if Pineules are not satisfactory. Sold by Geo. H. Hunt's drug store.

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**LUMBAGO.**

Diet and Treatment For This Distressing Affection.

This distressingly painful affection is muscular rheumatism located in the large muscles of the loin.

The attack usually comes on quite suddenly, sometimes seizing the sufferer in the middle of a walk without the slightest premonition. The pain is intense and is increased by the slightest motion of the body.

The victim of lumbago or any other form of muscular rheumatism becomes painfully aware of the fact, which perhaps he had not before realized, of the great flexibility of the body and of the intimate relation between the different parts of the body, for it seems impossible for him to make any motion whatever of the head or of the arms without feeling a sharp twinge in the back. He dare not turn in bed, lift his head or even raise his arms, for every movement seems to be originated and performed by the sore back muscles.

There may be a little swelling of the affected region, but usually there is no external sign of the great well of misery lying just beneath the skin. The pain lasts a few days or a week and may then disappear as rapidly as it came, although there is often considerable soreness or an occasional twinge for a day or two.

Lumbago may be distinguished from pain in the back due to other causes by the fact that the agony is extreme whenever the slightest movement is made and is absent or at least bearable when the patient lies perfectly quiet in bed, and also that the muscles are tender when gently squeezed. The affection is more common in men than in women and attacks adults chiefly, the muscular rheumatism of children taking the form usually of wrneck. Why this should be so it is difficult to say.

Lumbago occurs more frequently in gouty persons, although that is no explanation, since we do not know why the loins should suffer in gouty individuals more than the muscles of the neck.

In mild cases the drinking of an abundance of water to which some baking soda is added may give a measure of relief. Gentle rubbing of the parts with a cloth dipped in ammonia and hot water will often mitigate the suffering, and after the rubbing a cloth wet with this solution may be laid on the parts and covered with a hot water bottle.

The diet should be light, without meat or highly seasoned food and especially without beef tea or meat broths of any kind. The bowels should be kept open.

One who is subject to lumbago should be careful to avoid a chill and should live frugally, drinking only plain water or milk.

Sometimes the attacks are prevented or made less frequent by the wearing of a broad flannel belt over the underclothing.

Summer coughs and colds yield at once to Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup, containing honey and tar but no opiates. Children like it. Its laxative qualities recommend it to mothers. Hoarseness, coughs croup yield quickly. Keep it on hand. Sold by G. H. Hunt's drug store. Sep 1

Ladies free at the ball game Saturday.

**Rickets.**

Simply the visible sign that baby's tiny bones are not forming rapidly enough.

Lack of nourishment is the cause.

Scott's Emulsion nourishes baby's entire system. Stimulates and makes bone.

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**Kaiser Made Him One.**

One day the kaiser was walking in civilian dress when he was recognized by a corporal. The emperor, noticing that the man's face wore a troubled expression, questioned him. For some time the corporal hesitated to reply, but at last confessed that he was in love with the daughter of his sergeant major, but the marriage was impossible since the girl's father would have none less than a sergeant as a son-in-law.

"Do you really love the girl?" inquired the kaiser.

"With all my heart," was the reply.

"Very well, then; go and tell your sergeant major that the kaiser has made you a sergeant."—Cleveland Leader.

**Parliamentary Humor.**

On one occasion when Mr. Gladstone was beginning to give up the lead in the house of commons to Sir William Harcourt it was noticed by the members that he left the house at the dinner hour, and Sir William Harcourt led for the rest of the sitting. Mr. Darling one evening drove Sir William to fury on failing to elicit a definite answer to an inquiry by casually observing in the course of his speech, "I have noticed that lately the party opposite, adopting an ancient precedent, has set up a greater light to rule the day and a lesser light to rule the night."

DeWitt's Little Early Risers don't sicken or gripe. Small pills, easy to take. Sold by Hunt's Pharmacy.

**A Bad Mix.**

Mr. Gladstone, speaking of Mr. Parnell on one occasion, made use of the oft quoted phrase "Marching through rapine to the dismemberment of the empire." On the same day there was a horse race in which the winners were respectively Vernicity, Tyrone and Lobster. These facts were cabled to New Zealand together in the usual shorthand style of the cable. The result was that next day the New Zealand papers contained the following extraordinary paragraph: "Mr. Gladstone denounced Mr. Parnell as marching through rapine to the dismemberment of the empire and said that the Irish leader had the veracity of a Tyrone lobster."

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In each package will be found a copy of "Dr. Pengelly's Advice to Women," a medical book, giving interesting and instructive information about all the diseases of women and the way to successfully treat them in the privacy of your own home without any publicity whatever.

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Leave Genoa	Arrive Chicago
No. 30..... 7:12 a.m.	..... 10:10 a.m.
" 32..... 10:40 a.m.	..... 12:25 p.m.
" 6..... 3:59 p.m.	..... 6:45 a.m.
Leave Chicago	Arrive Genoa
No. 31..... 8:10 a.m.	..... 9:47 a.m.
" 33..... 3:40 p.m.	..... 5:00 p.m.
" 35..... 2:10 p.m.	..... 3:30 p.m.

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To wind up the most successful season of our experience—the best year we have ever had—we offer for one week

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These Remnants run from 1½ to 20 yards and are from the choicest selections we have had this season.

\$23.00 8 ft. 3x10 ft. Made Up Body Brussels Rugs for.....**\$17.00**  
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**Items of Interest for Men**

Fancy vests free. With every two piece outing suit we will give absolutely free, a fancy wash vest. Over 100 fine wool suits in the best up-to-date styles. will be sold at

**\$7.95 \$4.95**

Men's 50c underwear, summer weight, 2 for.....**75c**

Men's work shirts, gingham, chevots, etc. 2 for.....**75c**

Men's Rockford negligee shirts, close out sale of 100 Values at 2 for.....**\$1.50**

Underwear, odd garments, many styles. Choice.....**25c**

Men's fast black or tan socks, pr.....**5c**

Large canvas sun hats, 25c goods for.....**10c**

**Values for the Week**

Ladies' fine lawn waists, final sale to close out summer styles, exceptional waists, bargains for.....**75c**

Children's summer dresses choice of over 100 samples at fully ½ regular prices **25c 49c 98c**

Early sale of outing samples, 10c grades for.....**7 1-2c** yd

Boys' bathing pants only.....**10c**

German white and blue enamel ware.....**10c**

Ladies' fancy lawn dressing sacques.....**25c**

54 in. Oriental styles of heavy drapery cloth, a 50c quality for yd.....**35c**

Ladies' undervests, fancy lace yokes.....**10c**

Good quality seamless bleached sheets.....**47c**

**Bath Towels. Bargain Sales**

38 in. towels.....**6c**

63 in. towels.....**15c**

55 in. towels.....**12c**

74 in. towels.....**19c**

39 in. towels.....**8c**

Selection of any of above towels, **29c** per lb.

Boys' \$5 50 knee pants suits for.....**\$4.29**

Wearbetter finest makes of boys' suits, size 6 to 14, 2 pair of pants with every suit. We cannot replace these suits for less than **\$5.50**

**Ladies' Dept. Bargain Sale**

This is the bargain season, coats, hats, waists, etc. at prices far below actual cost in many cases.

**Remember**

We sell absolutely leather shoes. Largest shoe department in this section.

**Trade \$10.00 and show round trip ticket and we refund your car fare.**

Dinner Tickets, Horse Tickets or Introduction Tickets given if you drive.



## DOINGS OF THE WEEK

THE assistance of all subscribers is invited and solicited in making this department interesting. Any item of news left at the office, in the box at the east corner of the Exchange Bank building or given the editor on the street will be greatly appreciated. If you have visitors or have been away yourself or if you know anything good about your neighbors tell us about it.

Summer goods cheap at F. W. Olmsted's.

Ladies admitted free at the ball game next Saturday.

W. P. Lloyd spent a few days in Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Awe visited the latter's parents in Elgin last Sunday.

Elmer Russell of Rockford is visiting at the home of his grandfather, E. C. Foote.

Sale on all summer dress goods at F. W. Olmsted's.

Fred Granger was in town a few days last week on business.

Remember the big reduction on summer goods at F. W. Olmsted's.

Miss Maggie Schult returned home Wednesday after a few days' visit in Elgin.

The members of the Advent church will hold their picnic in the woods west of town Saturday.

White waist sale at F. W. Olmsted's.

Tom Canavan was on the sick list last week.

Indiana Block coal for thrashing. Jackman & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Rowan were Kirkland visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. John Black and son are visiting her parents at Niles, Iowa.

Miss Laura Brainard is visiting with Mrs. C. J. Cooper a few days this week.

Miss Marjorie Rowan visited her cousin, Pearle Rowan, at Kirkland last Sunday.

Geo. Rockstead moved to Chicago this week. He expects later to locate in Texas.

The New Lebanon ball team will play Iingree Grove and the Night Hawks of Plato, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Young and family visited at the home of C. A. Pierce in Elgin over Sunday.

Remember I have two busses to take you to campmeeting. Round trip 75c each. Will Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schult and son and Mrs. Geo. Bauer visited at the home of Mr. Fehdt in Woodstock, Sunday.

The New Lebanon Reds and the Burlington base ball team crossed bats Sunday at the latter's grounds. The score was 19 to 13 in favor of the Reds.

Old, mellow and thoroughly matured—it possesses every essential of a genuinely fine, Kentucky liquor—that's why I. W. Harper whiskey is the most popular. Sold by C. A. Godong.

For sale—5 residences in Genoa, 160 acres raw land in McPherson county, S. D. and 410 acre improved farm in Brown county, S. D. W. H. Sager, Genoa, Ill. 41-tf

Christian Science services are held at Slater's hall every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday is "Spirit." Everyone is welcome. Testimony meeting is held at the same place Wednesday, Aug. 7, at 7:30 p. m.

A. G. Stewart and son, Charles, Mr. Stewart's uncle, H. L. Terpening of Pontiac, Ill., and sister, Mrs. S. M. Stewart, left this (Friday) morning for the state of Washington. Mr. Stewart and son will go to Sunnyside first and then visit other points.

Chas. Brandenmuhl has been put out of the harvest fields with a broken arm. A horse backed onto him this week and in some manner the left arm was caught and broken. Such an accident at this time of the year causes no little inconvenience on a farm.

If there is one paint better than any of the others it is B. P. S. Have you tried it? Ready for use and easily applied to any surface. If you prefer to mix your paints we can sell you the best white lead. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

# IT'S WHITER THAN SNOW!

## WHITE SWAN FLOUR

is the whitest flour on the market, and is sold by thousands of merchants as their leading brand. In fact it is better than any brand on the market except "Occident." Bread made from White Swan is perfection.

## A Snap in Laundry Soap

# 10 Full Size Bars For 25 Cents

This is a good soap, being well seasoned. It has been tried by many of our customers and proven entirely satisfactory. Order now as the supply is limited.

## We Want Good Eggs Bad

and will pay the top notch prices. We have been paying 15 cents a dozen during the past week.

REMEMBER OUR DELIVERY WAGON RUNS ALL DAY EVERY DAY.

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# Have You?

Have you taken advantage of the special prices at the clearing sale?

One day more!

## John Lembke

# INDIANA BLOCK

# COAL

# JACKMAN & SON

All ten cent china and glass ware 6c at Olmsted's.

Mrs. C. A. Patterson is entertaining a sister from Elgin.

Mrs. Theron Duffley of Chicago is visiting at the home of G. Duffley.

John Pratt lost a good horse last week. The animal was only sick one day.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rowan visited relatives in Belvidere and Garden Prairie Sunday.

Prices on heating apparatus of every description are advancing. Talk to us about the new furnace. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hewitt and daughter, Mildred, were visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Jas. Mansfield at Elgin last week.

Mrs. Albert Arndt and children left last Wednesday evening for a two weeks' visit with Mr. Arndt's parents at Norwood, Minn.

An ice cream social was held at the home of Len Hill in the country, last Thursday evening. A number from Genoa were present and greatly enjoyed the event.

E. C. Rosenfeld went to Chicago Wednesday on business and will meet Mrs. Rosenfeld's sister and three children of Mt. Vernon, Indiana, who will visit here.

Why don't you deposit your money in the Farmers' State Bank and get interest for six months at the rate of 3 per cent per annum? Try it.

## When the Hair Falls

Stop it! And why not? Falling hair is a disease, a regular disease; and Ayer's Hair Vigor, as made from our new improved formula, quickly and completely destroys that disease. The hair stops falling out, grows more rapidly, and all dandruff disappears.

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The little book in each package gives the formula of our new Hair Vigor, tells why each ingredient is used, and explains many other interesting things. After reading you will know why this new hair preparation does its work so well.

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## Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Ravenswood, W. Va., says: "I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

Kodol Digests What You Eat. Bottles only. Relieves indigestion, sour stomach, belching of gas, etc.

Prepared by E. G. DeWitt & Co., CHICAGO.

HUNT'S PHARMACY

6c buys a china dish now at Olmsted's.

Mrs. J. A. Patterson and Miss Kathryn Smith are visiting friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Fred Foote and children are visiting her mother in Marengo this week.

Mrs. T. M. Frazier and sister, Miss Mildred Hewitt are visiting in Chicago and Elgin.

Miss Fannie Lord has returned from a several weeks' visit in Beloit, Chicago and other cities.

Merritt & Hadsall have secured the contract for erecting the new woven wire factory at Sycamore.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cunningham of Kirkland were Sunday guests at the home of R. B. Field.

Let us figure with you on that job of plumbing. Satisfaction guaranteed. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Hard coal for August delivery \$8.50 per ton. No deliveries at this price after Sept. 1. Jackman & Son.

Miss Ethel York and brother Alton of Lisbon, Iowa, are the guests of C. G. Stonebraker and family.

Mrs. P. Harlow and children and Mrs. Sturtevant and daughter, Maud, were DeKalb visitors Tuesday.

Miss Della Olmsted returned Wednesday after a four weeks' visit with friends in Ottawa and Chicago.

Thos. Adams and wife came over in their auto Sunday and were guests at the home of Wm. Watson.

Mrs. C. D. Schoonmaker and children are spending the week at the home of Geo. E. Sisley in Chicago.

Mrs. Wm. Haines of Conneaut, Ohio, was here Tuesday at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Floyd Rowan.

New grain will be coming to market in a few days and we will need all the money coming to us. Jackman & Son.

Dr. A. M. Hill and E. B. Little returned Monday from their California trip looking healthy and full of stories.

Miss Hulda Teyler is clerking for F. W. Olmsted, Mrs. Shefner having quit. The latter will soon join her husband in Iowa.

Emil Teyler, who has been in the West for several years and was one of the victims of loss in the San Francisco quake and fire, is here at the home of his father, August Teyler.

For sale—Two houses on Genoa street, one on East Main street and vacant lot in Oak Park addition on Main street. Houses all new and modern. Will be sold cheap for cash or on easy payments. JAS. J. HAMMOND

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**How's This**  
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**A Great Awakening.**

"Richard, why do you wish to stay at home this evening? You promised that when we were married you would go to church with me every Sunday evening."

"Well, my dear, I have been keeping my word."

"But this is only the third Sunday. I think you ought to tell me frankly why you do not wish to go. Is it that you have ceased to love me so soon?"

"No, Susan, it isn't that at all. The fact is, I can't stand your favorite preacher; he is too dull for me."

"Too dull, Richard? Why, the reverend gentleman is regarded as a great revivalist!"

"H'm, yes, I have noticed that there is always a great awakening after his sermon!"

Then she began to cry, and he had to go to pacify her.—Pearson's Weekly.

**Diarrhea as a Real Humourist.**

Diarrhea's absorption in politics, which never quite destroyed his love of literature, is, of course, familiar to the most superficial student of his singular career. His "profound contempt for frivolity" referred to by Lady Dorothy Nevill in her "Reminiscences" strikes those who know him as absolutely true. Diarrhea, it must be remembered, was a real humorist, and in nine cases out of ten a real humorist despises flippancy. He was also, like many humorists, a melancholy man, isolated from his fellows, leading an inner life, of which glimpses may be seen in his biography of Lord George Bentinck.

**Summer Diarrhoea in Children**

During the hot weather of the summer months the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention, so as to check the disease before it becomes serious. All that is necessary is a few doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy followed by a dose of castor oil to cleanse the system. Rev. M. O. Stockland, Pastor of the M. E. church, Little Falls, Minn., writes: "We have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for several years and find it a very valuable remedy, especially for summer disorders in children." Sold by G. H. Hunt.

**Farm for Sale or Rent**

I offer for sale or rent my farm of 160 acres, located on Derby line, 3 miles from Genoa and one mile from Charter Grove. Good buildings, fences, well and cistern water. All land under plow. Inquire of M. Heine, one mile south of Genoa. Will sell on time if desired. 45-tf

**"Make Hay While the Sun Shines."**

There is a lesson in the work of the thrifty farmer. He knows that the bright sunshine may last but a day and he prepares for the showers which are so liable to follow. So it should be with every household Dysentery, diarrhoea and cholera morbus may attack some member of the home without warning. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which is the best known medicine for these diseases, should always be kept at hand, as immediate treatment is necessary, and delay may prove fatal. For sale by G. H. Hunt.

Mrs. E. C. Rosenfeld is entertaining her mother from Mt. Vernon, Indiana.

**RIGHTS UNDER A PATENT.**

Each of the Three Constitutes a Separate Monopoly.

To make, to use and to sell are the only ways in which an invention is capable of commercial enjoyment. The patentee can, if he wishes, sit down and not only use the invention himself, but prevent others from making or using or selling the patented thing. If any one else makes, uses or sells the subject of the patent the courts will grant the patentee an injunction against further infringement and a recovery of the profits made.

Each of these three rights—to make, to use and to sell—is a separate monopoly and may, by proper instruments, be granted or sold separately. For instance, a patentee of a machine could grant to a manufacturer the exclusive right to make the machines for him (of course under proper restrictions as to price, etc.), and the manufacturer would be an infringer if he used the machines or sold them to others. The patentee could then grant to a jobber the exclusive right to sell the machines (reserving proper compensation to himself, such as a percentage of the profits), and the jobber would be an infringer if he either made or used the machine. The exclusive right to use the machines could then be granted to a given consumer, who in turn would have no right to make or sell the machines.

The exclusive right to use an invention for each of several given purposes can be separately sold. For instance, a patentee of a process for making watch dials not only sold the exclusive right to make watch dials by that process, but he also sold to a separate company the exclusive right to use the process in making enameled signs under the same patent. The watch manufacturer would have been an infringer if he had made signs and, vice versa, the sign manufacturer would have been restrained from making watch dials.

A process of drying gunpowder was found to be applicable to drying breakfast foods, and the owners, after getting all they had ever looked for from the patent from the gunpowder rights, reaped a second and unexpected harvest from the sale of the rights for breakfast foods. The rights under a patent for a machine can be divided in the same way.—Edwin J. Prindle in Engineering Magazine.

At this season we should eat sparingly and properly. We should also help the stomach as much as possible by the use of a little Kodol occasionally. Kodol for Indigestion and Dyspepsia will rest the stomach by actually digesting the food itself. Sold by Hunt's Pharmacy.

**A Popular Delusion.**

"Did you read this, dear?" said Mrs. Grigsby to Orlando the other night. "It's a strange case. A harmless lunatic imagines that he's a grain of corn and will not go into the yard lest a chicken eat him. Isn't it an odd delusion?"

"Oh, the world's full of such delusions, dear," said Grigsby. "I know a harmless lunatic who seems to imagine that she's a piece of cheese, and she will fly from a room when a mouse enters it for fear the little creature will devour her."—London Tit-Bits.

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## ON THE TRAIL OF THE AMERICAN MISSIONARY

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS

This Distinguished American Journalist is Traveling Around the World for the Purpose of Investigating the American Foreign Missionary from a Purely Disinterested, Secular and Non-Sectarian Standpoint. Illustrated with Drawings and from Photographs.

### THE IDEAL MISSION FIELD IS IN NORTHERN KOREA.

Seoul, Korea.—To get close to the actual facts of missionary work in any country, as well as of the true political and social conditions, it is necessary to move out from the capital or port cities and to sojourn for a time in rural parts. So I have been out seeing the real Korea, itinerating among country villages where there are churches, and in the meantime seeing at first hand what is said to be the most picturesque people in the orient. The "how" of missionary work in this country may be set forth by a recital of this concrete experience.

Sometimes the missionary on tour puts his outfit on a little Korean pony and then, mounting on top of it, rides. At other times he walks. Women missionaries often travel in chairs, borne by coolies. In the present instance we walked, and two coolies carried our packs containing folding cots, bedding, food and cooking utensils. It is impossible for most white persons to subsist in health upon the Korean diet of rice and pickled vegetables. As to the matter of sleeping—more of that later.

The Orient Which Changes Not. A pedestrian tour through rural Korea is better worth while than the same amount of time spent in Seoul. The first afternoon we traveled for five hours over the narrow paths between rice fields which serve for roads in Korea; they are the "waysides" of the familiar parable of the sower. Wheeled vehicles are unknown outside of the cities, though

Yet they had never seen this particular "Moksa," or "shepherd," before. The field is that of Rev. Dr. H. G. Underwood, one of the missionary veterans of Korea, but he is absent on a furlough, and his duties have fallen to Rev. Earnest F. Hall, a young man who was for several years assistant pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, New York city. Mr. Hall is still supported by the Fifth Avenue church as its representative in Korea. Many times during the days we were together I wondered how often he thinks of the contrast between Fifth Avenue congregations and these Korean villagers, who, in truth, personify the simple life.

The best room in one of the largest farm houses in the village was made ready for us by the easy process of the family's tumbling out, since the room was absolutely devoid of all furnishings except a chest for best clothes and treasures. From the ceiling, which was a lofty one for Korea, hung seven or eight feet high, hung various articles, such as a cheese-shaped hat box. The entrance to the room was through a paper-covered doorway four feet high by two feet wide. There was a small window, likewise of paper, on either side of the room. The dimensions of the latter were 8 feet by 12, so that the missionary congratulated himself on our roomy quarters. Eight by eight is the normal room.

Christianity's Remarkable Growth. While we were at supper a Korean Christian entered with the news that in a small village two hours far-

stripes fastened with a purple garter; white, baggy Korean trousers; a red coat, tied under the arms with lavender ribbon; a pale green sweater peeping above it at the neck, and a brown push scarf about his throat somewhat like the hangings of an old fashioned pullman car. His headgear was a Japanese military cap. Korean children, like their elders, sit on the floor during service with the feet of one leg crossed over the thigh of the other; and, like their elders, they are quiet and attentive.

Putting Converts Through the Mill. After the service was over, the elders gathered around the missionary and proffered formal request that he come as soon as possible and spend a few days in teaching them the Bible. Mr. Hall had to put them off with a vague promise, as his field is too large for him to do more than look over it. I was interested to note that, while elsewhere missionaries have to adopt various devices to attract hearers, such as English classes, cooking classes, etc., in Korea the people seem to want simply the Bible; and the missionaries are unable to meet the demand for the teaching of it.

Early the next morning, after a night which in the interest of delicacy would better be passed over without comment, the missionary began the work of examining the 40 applicants for baptism. The three "leaders" of the local church, and a visiting elder from Seoul, sat on the floor of our sleeping room, and the candidates were brought in one by one. The first was a man of 40 who had learned to read in order to read the Bible, a common experience among the Korean converts. The next was a boy of 12, son of Christian parents. Then came a young man of 28, then an old man. A bright boy of 12, with his hair up in a top-knot, in token of being "a man," had been married a year to a girl of 15, also a believer. Although married, these children reside with their own parents; the missionary instructed them to do so until they have reached the marriageable age fixed by the church, which is 16 years for a girl and 18 for a man. Many such practical problems as these arise among a people fresh from rank heathenism.

After watching the examinations for several hours, and having the questions translated to me, I must say that the fitness of the candidates for church membership is very rigidly guarded. The examination is much more rigid than a person has to undergo in order to become a member of a church in America. I told the missionary that I would not risk it myself; he requires almost a theological education on the part of converts.

This strictness is necessary, however, to keep the people from joining the church from un-Christian motives; it would be easy otherwise to turn Christianity to political uses in Korea. I was pleased to note that the strictness of the examination was abated in the case of some ignorant peasant women. One had been a believer nine years, and the leaders testified to her piety; so, although she could not read nor answer many of the questions, she was taken into the church.

All day long the missionary worked over these examinations, and at five o'clock he had only got through 26 persons; the others would have to wait until his next visit. Fourteen of the candidates were passed for baptism and 11 retained in the catechumen class for a while longer. Just before dusk a leader went out and blew a whistle to summon the village to church, and the people laid aside their labors and assembled for the baptismal service. This was simple, brief and impressive. I think I shall remember the sight of the procession of white-robed villagers with Bibles and hymn books under their arms, filing down the hill from the church at sunset.

When we hastened away from the village, the people gathered with many good wishes. The simplicity, open-heartedness and affection of these child-like Christians is really affecting. Because I was with Mr. Hall they considered me a missionary-in-law, I suppose, and they sent me off with such repeated benedictions as do not often fall to the lot of a journalist. It was a new sensation. I really liked it so that when on the day following, a boy carrying on his back two 15-foot timbers of telegraph-pole thickness (a Korean coolie will carry four times his weight and six times his bulk) stopped me with beaming face and squeezed my arm, I took it for granted that he had seen me at church and I responded with the salutation of "Peace," which I had learned.

As we went on our way from each village some of the elders would accompany us, as the Ephesian elders accompanied the Apostle Paul. The custom is an oriental one, as is also the constantly repeated salutation of "Peace! Peace!"

Summing up the whole trip, three facts especially impressed me. 1. The receptivity of the Koreans toward Christianity, in eagerness and sincerity. 2. The thoroughness of the work of the missionary, and the vigilance with which church membership is guarded. 3. The remarkable fact that the missionary has no time to go after people or do any pioneer evangelistic work; the church is propagating itself. Here, in two decades, has been created a native church that is wholly self-supporting and self-extending. I have no doubt that if the present missionary force in Korea were quadrupled or sextupled at once, practically the whole nation would become Christian in less than a score of years.

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## A Cook That Wants No Wages

By Mrs. Richard Wainwright

The Modern Andromeda a Sacrifice to the Cook-Stove—How Two Lazy Women Solved the Cook Problem—The Aladdin Oven a Novel Substitute—"No Heat, No Smell, and Needing No Overseer"—A Boon for Business Woman, Bride and Suburbanite—Every Library Has Book Concerning the Aladdin Oven.

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(Mrs. Richard Wainwright, wife of Capt. Wainwright, U. S. N., was not at her husband's side at the blowing up of the Maine, nor again in Santiago bay when he astonished the world by his heroism during the destruction of Cervera's ships, but she shows in the following article traits approaching the heroic in striving to help the intelligent women of the country to lighten their labor.)

What if a delightful old fairy god-mother, like Cinderella's, should walk into the kitchen some evening and find you resting after a hard, long day spent in the unending and pitiless service of that fiery dragon, the cook or stove? This monster, like the one in the story of Andromeda, requires a woman to be chained up for its benefits, and sometimes, indeed, it exacts her life unless some gallant, rich Perseus comes as her deliverer.

What if the dear old fairy god-mother should wave her wand and say: "I will loose these chains and let you go once more free and happy; I transform this monster now, on the spot, into a neat little box, with a cook inside, at your service!" If she should work the transformation, place the kitchen lamp under the box, into which put the food you wish cooked on the dishes in which it will be served, close the box and the kitchen door. Go to see the tennis match, the great game of football or the latest orchid in the flower show. Return when you are ready, and you will find a hot, well-cooked meal in the box, all ready to place on the table.

Can you imagine poor Andromeda saying: "No, old lady, no! I like to be chained here. I love this monster with his dirt and his cruel exactions. I will be roasted, burned, broiled and stewed in his service, and when he does not need me I will stand for hours over a sink scrubbing the metal pots he delights in that he may have the vessels sacred to his use, bright and ready when I must again serve him."

How foolish of Andromeda! How incredible, even! Yet this is just what thousands of women are doing, while that very magic box with the cook inside is waiting to be bought and has been written about and much used for certainly 20 years.

The Aladdin oven has been before the public quite that long, and yet its advocates are like missionaries in a far country who have such a precious message to deliver and no one seems to understand the language in which it is spoken. I hope that my experience with this really wonderful thing may be of some service to some of the poor slaves of the cook stove and incompetent cooks, and, like a siren whistle, pierce the ears of the deaf and inattentive and cause them to stop and listen.

Jean Paul Richter says: "Only once in her life does a poor woman hold up her head and look at the world as it really is. All her youth her head is bent and her eyes are downcast in study and submission and later her head is bent over her sewing or her endless housework. Only when she loves does she stand upright and is pushed out into the sunshine by loving, willing hands, for her short holiday with her lover, before her head is again bent forever." Now every woman who does her own cooking can hold up her head like a betrothed maiden all the year round.

For several years this Aladdin oven has been used by a family of four with such success, health, pleasure and profit that now so great do its perfections seem to them all that they are ready to swing incense and crown it with flowers every morning as an appropriate expression of their grateful appreciation of its labors in their service. There it stands in the corner, always silent, ready and efficient; no heat or smell, needing no overseer, and working for them while they play or sleep. I hope an account of an experiment with this delightful little cook may cause some other woman to try it also.

"Hast thou two loaves, sell one and buy jacinths to feed thy soul." Two poor women longed for the unattainable, a house by the sea, their very own beach and garden and their very own

view, with the solitude and rest so much needed in this busy America. This seemed reserved for the rich, for where the beach and garden could be had for a small sum of money no cook would come on account of the loneliness; yet to do the cooking themselves meant labor that would spoil any holiday, for who could enjoy the garden, the view and the beach if she must give up the best part of each day to preparing three meals with the usual cleaning up afterward? However, they decided to try the Atkinson box.

A comfortable cottage was built, three miles from the nearest village, on the seashore, and the two incapable southern women who had never needed to lift a finger in their lives for real housework took possession. In the south, although we complain because it is the fashion to do so, about servants, we very seldom find it necessary to do without them; there is always old Aunt Jane, who was mother's cook, or Malvina, who likes a job occasionally even if she is old, to come and help. So it was felt to be a great experiment to do without even one servant; but the glorious view, the dear little home, the freedom and the solitude, were worth the trial.

The Aladdin oven consists of a box with the shelves inside; under it is placed a common kerosene lamp. The heat is shut between layers of asbestos and a thermometer outside the door indicates the heat inside. The lamp, which holds a gallon of oil, is filled once a day after breakfast, and burns 24 hours, or even longer, if you keep it very low and as the food often cooks 12 hours, very little heat is needed.

Breakfast is put on the stove after supper in the evening and is quite ready by six o'clock the next morning. It is equally good at 8:30 o'clock. Dinner goes in after breakfast, and supper after dinner. It does not matter if you reverse this order and have your dinner later and luncheon instead of dinner, or if you only turn the lamp low enough if you do not eat the dinner put in the stove at nine a. m. till 7:30 p. m. This was often the case with us when we were away on picnics or excursions.

Every evening after supper one lazy woman washed the tea things—a sort of survival of the fittest, for everything not absolutely necessary was soon discarded for the faithful and essential few, and a centerpiece and a few flowers took the place on the table of the usual ornamental dishes and silver—while the other, in her pretty muslin and ribbons, gayly prepared the simple breakfast, placing it on the shelves, shutting the door, and turning down the lamp for the night. This took about 15 minutes, usually, more or less; then they both departed and joined congenial friends waiting to enjoy the sunset with the cook or perhaps to discuss Maeterlinck's latest play with the waitress.

The next morning at 8:30, after a delicious swim in the sea and a leisurely toilet, the box was opened and a steaming hot, well-cooked breakfast was ready. Azrail did the lazy one wash the breakfast things; there never are any pots or pans. Meanwhile the pretty cook, in a crisp white dress put in the dinner. This usually consisted of roast beef, peas, rice, roast potatoes, tomatoes, and a sweet pudding, and took about half an hour to prepare. The beef was on its china platter, the vegetables in their own French china dishes and the pudding in its pretty decorated Japanese covered dish. As soon as they were all in, off went these happy women for a long morning filled with sailing, gardening, books and walks—all the joys of an idle summer day. They reached home at one o'clock, hungry and gay, rushed in, opening the box, and took out the very best dinner one would wish to eat—hot, savory and nutritious. The supper was then prepared, and again all the afternoon was before them to enjoy as they wished.

The stove is not perfect by any means, nor will it do everything exactly like an ordinary range; of course not. It has its limitations, as we all have.

The objections usually urged against it is that it will not heat water for household use. As well might you refuse to go on the railroad because it cannot go along on the water or use the telegraph because it cannot carry bundles or a furnace because, although it uses tons of coal, needs an attendant and wastes much heat, it will not do the cooking—which is really very thoughtless and inconsiderate of the furnace. What the Aladdin oven will do is to take the place of a cook, whose principal labor is not so much cooking the food as watching to see that it does not burn from the fierce fire she kindles. However, so serious does this objection about water seem to be that I have not yet induced one person to buy an oven and follow my example. Yet there are many ways of getting all the hot water you want, and when you want it. We have an oil stove and a wash boiler with a spigot in it that gives us an abundance of water.

The food that is roasted, stewed or baked is best, as might be expected from the slow cooking, and is so delicate and excellent in flavor that the ordinary cooking seems coarse and poor after it. If you must have freedom to buy jacinths to delight your soul, perhaps you will not sigh for delicacies that take much labor to prepare and cook. If you really desire them you can always make them over an ordinary oil stove or in a chafing dish, while the Aladdin oven, in a dignified and untroubled manner, attends to preparing the real nutritious food for the day. Of course those who can hire a cook need not try one. Why should they, indeed?

EVELYN WAINWRIGHT.

## JURY IMPEANELED TO PROBE MAGILL CASE

MANY WITNESSES GATHERED AND SPECIAL BODY BEGINS HEARING TESTIMONY.

Ex-Banker and Wife, Accused of Causing Death of Former's First Spouse, Arrive at Clinton, and Are Immediately Locked Up.

Clinton, Ill., July 30.—Lot R. Herlick, special assistant state's attorney, announced Monday that 73 witnesses have been gathered by the state who will testify in the case of Fred Magill and Faye Graham Magill, accused of murder in connection with the death of Magill's first wife, Mrs. Pet Magill. They are expected to appear before the special grand jury which was impaneled shortly before 11 a. m. by Judge W. G. Cochrane and which at once began hearing testimony.

The grand jury is composed of farmers chosen from the 13 townships which compose DeWitt county. In his charge to the jury, Judge Cochrane explained the law upon which an indictment may be found.

"Before you return an indictment, you must be satisfied first that a crime has been committed and, second, that it is probably true that the person charged with the crime is guilty," said the court. "You have nothing to do with the defense. You must do your duty and act according to the evidence, regardless of public clamor or public demand."

Secrecy Is Enjoined.

He enjoined secrecy upon the inquirers and warned its members that he would impose the \$500 limit fine prescribed by the statutes should any of the jurors reveal any of the proceedings. The same punishment, the court said, would be inflicted on any person who sought to obtain information from any of the jurors. It was learned that operatives of a Chicago detective bureau arrived in Clinton Sunday night and started to work up evidence in behalf of the state.

The general prediction is that the jury will vote indictments for murder.

Witnesses Are Called.

W. F. Gorman, a member of the coroner's jury which returned a verdict of suicide, was the first witness before the grand jury. He testified as to the position in which Mrs. Magill's body was found when he reached the Magill home on the morning of May 31. He was followed by C. W. Williamson and Henry Hensley, druggists, and E. L. Freudenstein, owner of a clothing store. Freudenstein is the man who was summoned to the Magill home by Mrs. Pet Magill several days before her death and who declares she spoke of being tired of life. It is said all of the druggists in the town will be questioned as to whether or not any member of the Magill household bought chloroform, strychnine or other deadly drugs.

Pair Smuggled Into Jail.

Fred H. Magill and Faye Graham Magill were smuggled into the Clinton jail at two a. m. Sunday under cover of darkness.

They were placed in separate cells on the second floor of the jail, with no other prisoners near them, practically in solitary confinement. This may be the means by which the authorities hope to secure a confession from the man and woman who, since their arrest, have not spoken a single word or made a single admission that could be construed as bearing on their case.

"Whatever you do, don't talk," was the warning given to the Magills by Attorney Daney, in San Diego, in the presence of Sheriff Campbell. He reported it three times, and his clients strictly adhered to it.

MRS. LUCINDA M. MORTON DIES.

Aged Widow of Indiana's War Governor Passes Away.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 29.—Mrs. Lucinda M. Morton, widow of Oliver P. Morton, Indiana's war governor, died late Sunday at her home in this city. She was 82 years old. Mrs. Sarah Gill, a sister with whom Mrs. Morton lived, and Miss Emma Hart, a niece, were the only relatives present when she died. She had been in feeble health for some time. The aged woman had many times expressed the wish that she might live until the monument the state of Indiana erected to the honor of her illustrious husband was unveiled. The statue was unveiled last Tuesday, but while alive she was unable to witness the exercises on account of sickness.

Michigan Soldier Is Killed.

Calumet, Mich., July 29.—Jhalmer L. Bokkola, a private in Company G, of Houghton, was shot and killed Sunday just as three Copper county militia companies were about to start a sham battle. The bullet, it is said, came from without the ranks and it is believed that a deliberate attempt was made by outsiders to kill one of the soldiers.

Lake Steamer Burns.

Auburn, N. Y., July 29.—Steamship Frontenac burned on Cayuga lake at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Nine of the 50 passengers were drowned and several injured. The accident happened opposite Farley's Point.

Striking Pipemen Obtain Increase. Springfield, Ill., July 30.—The striking pipemen at the Wabash shops returned to work Monday. The company granted them an increase of wages from 28 to 31 cents per hour.

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A Korean Village.

The Koreans have a ponderous two-wheeled ox-cart which they claim was the original wheeled vehicle. Unlike Japan, where only a hand plow is used, the Koreans cultivate their fields with oxen. The last of the rice crop had been gathered and the threshing floors of the farm houses in the villages were busy places. There are no solitary farm houses in this country; the farmers live in villages and go out to their fields early in the morning.

The Missionary with a Gun. In many of the villages through which we passed, churches are established; and occasionally we stopped to speak to some native Christian. The "Moksa," or missionary, is a person of distinction, and his passage an event. Of course, all speech is in Korean; there is no such widespread knowledge of English as in Japan.

As we traversed the country-side the absence of the shrines and idols that mark every Japanese highway was noticeable. Now and then we saw a neglected booth, erected for the propitiation of some evil spirit. At a tree in the mountains we came to a tree with stones heaped around it; it supposedly embodied an evil spirit, and every traveler casts a stone at it. The hillsides are covered with grave mounds, regarded as sacred, and before some of these are tablets, now and then sculptured crudely into human form. Broadly speaking, however, Korea may be regarded as a country without a religion.

The country itself is beautiful, largely mountainous, but with fertile valleys. There are many wild fowl, geese, ducks and pheasants, and it is quite usual for the itinerant missionary to carry a gun to provide the meat for his meals. In the interior the missionary occasionally bags a deer or a wild boar; and there is always the possibility of meeting a tiger. Some missionaries, who are a hundred miles from a beefsteak, eat pheasant three times a day because they cannot afford bacon or ham.

From Fifth Avenue to Korea. After a 16-mile tramp, we reached at dusk the village which was our destination. The welcome that was given to the missionary was really beautiful to behold. Old men and young, with little children in their train, came forward with beaming faces, and with the ancient salutation of "Peace." They caught the missionary's hands, squeezed his arm or affectionately patted his shoulders.

ther on where no missionary had visited, a group of believers (that word is commonly used in Korea) had recently sprung up, numbering ten families. They had been visited each Sunday by the Christians from our village and given instruction, but they wanted the missionary to visit them and establish a catechumen class. Mr. Hall's program was too full on the present tour to admit of this. In our stopping place the elder further reported, there were 40 candidates for baptism to be examined. This particular community illustrates the phenomenal Christianization of this country, which is now less than a generation removed from the rank heathenism and a seclusion which earned for it the title of "The Hermit Nation." The settlement comprises 38 houses and of these 25 are Christian.

Practically the entire village turned out for the evening service, most of them carrying Bibles and hymn books. The singing was led by the missionary, there being no organ. The congregation is dependent upon his visits for new tunes, though they retain with surprising correctness the ones formerly learned. Mr. Hall also taught the people, by having them repeat the words after him, the first question and answer of the Westminster Shorter Catechism, which has lately been rendered into Korean. The time-honored figure, "drank in every word," best expresses the attitude of the congregation toward the sermon.

While the missionary preached, I watched the people. All except the children were in white. Many of the women, who were curtained off from the men, had babies on their backs or at their breasts. Some of the men wore the wide, horn spectacles of the Chinese scholar. All except the few unmarried ones had their hair done up in top-knots, with a brain squeezing black net band around their heads. Most wore the horse-hair inner cap.

The children wore clothes of many colors—pink, yellow and green predominating. Candidly, all would have looked better for an application of soap and water: the Korean has not yet fully learned the godliness of dirt. None of the people showed the foreign influence in their clothes, as is the case in Seoul, where even the top-knot is beginning to disappear. In the latter place I saw a boy in church whose dress consisted of Japanese imitation of American shoes; stockings with black, yellow and green



# STATE HEALTH LAWS

NEW ONES BROADER AND MORE SPECIFIC THAN THE OLD.

Health Board Not Now Hampered with Questions of Authority, and the Result Will Be Beneficial to State.

Springfield, July 29.—New, broader and more specific health laws which have just gone into effect in Illinois promise much in the way of safeguarding the public health. The old act passed in 1877 has been so amended and revamped that almost all of its imperfections have been eliminated and for the first time in 30 years the state board has an effective statute. Recent experiences indicate that it will do the work.

Under the old law the state board was constantly hampered with vexatious legal questions regarding the extent of its authority. In many instances these questions caused delays at critical moments and the health officers in the performance of their duties frequently found it necessary to take the bit in their teeth regardless of legal technicalities. Now this is all changed and the state board of health and its agents are given such authority as the urgency of their duties demand.

Early in his administration Gov. Deneen's attention was called to the defects in the old law. He took an interest in the matter and it was largely through his efforts that the legislature was induced to frame more comprehensive and efficacious legislation on the subject. For a number of years health officers and physicians, associations and others interested in sanitary affairs had implored the assembly to rectify matters, but their efforts were scattering and little good was accomplished.

**Board Has Supreme Authority.**  
Under the provisions of the amended health act, the board of health is given supreme authority in matters of quarantine, with the power to establish protective measures or to modify or relax the quarantine established by local authorities. The state, county, township and village officers of the state are called upon to carry out and enforce the rules and regulations of the board, and provision is made for the fine or imprisonment of persons who violate these rules and regulations.

This act makes it the duty of the state board of health to investigate into the cause of dangerously contagious or infectious diseases, especially when existing in epidemic form, and to take measures to restrict and suppress the same. It also provides that whenever any dangerously contagious or infectious disease shall become, or threaten to become epidemic, in any village or city, and the local board of health or local authorities shall neglect or refuse to enforce efficient promptness or efficiency the state board of health or their secretary may enforce such measures as the said board or its executive officer may deem necessary to protect the public health.

This provision of the laws makes the secretary of the state board of health the state health officer and places the power for immediate action in the hands of one who devotes his entire time to the protection of the public health, and who is in constant touch with the local authorities in all parts of the state.

**Free Antitoxin Protects Public.**  
The board is given adequate appropriation to carry on a campaign for the suppression of diphtheria throughout the state through the free distribution of diphtheria antitoxin. At first thought, the matter of supplying the needy and indigent with this would seem to be merely a meritorious public charity, but it is not in this light that public health officers look upon it. The importance of the free distribution of antitoxin does not lie in placing the remedy in the hands of the afflicted poor, but in the protection of those in all walks and stations of life, from the spread of the disease. Diphtheria in a community means more than an affliction upon the family. It means a distinct menace to the entire people.

That the distribution of antitoxin may be productive of the maximum of benefit, it is essential that it be readily available and in perfect condition. On this account the state board of health will establish between 400 and 500 agencies throughout the state where any reputable physician may obtain fresh antitoxin of the highest quality in a sterilized glass syringe, with sterilized needle, simply by pledging himself to fill up a blank clinical report, and send the report to the state board of health. This antitoxin will be furnished free of charge, for the use of the rich and the poor. It is assumed that the prompt and general use of diphtheria antitoxin will have the same effect in the limitation and mortality of diphtheria that vaccination has had over smallpox.

**Insures Life of Laboratory.**  
Another provision of the new health laws of the state guarantees the permanency of the laboratory of the state board of health, an institution created within the past two years solely to render the highest type of scientific accuracy available in the restriction and suppression of the preventable disease. The laboratory has been, since its creation, not one for technical investigation, but for the

early, practical diagnosis of communicable disease, and the splendid service it has rendered and is rendering to the people is told best by the thousands of physicians who utilize its services in their daily work.

It is here that tuberculosis is diagnosed from specimens of sputum, that the existence of typhoid fever or malaria is shown by the examination of small drops of blood, and that diphtheria is proven by microscopic inspection of smears from the infected throat. In containers which are distributed through agents in every county in the state, physicians are enabled to send in these specimens, by mail and, except in very few localities, the results of examination may be learned, by telegraph or telephone, on the same day that the specimen is sent. The recognition of this laboratory by the general assembly indicates that it will continue to perform its helpful offices for all time to come.

While the people throughout the state are chiefly interested in the public health work of the state board of health—its supervision of sanitary matters and the suppression of disease—a great part of the labors of the board lies in the examination and registration of physicians and in the protection of the people from impostors, charlatans and quacks. Through the provisions of a new law, enacted by the last assembly, the powers of the board are rendered much broader in this branch of its service, particularly in the investigation of medical colleges and in the determination of the qualifications of those who seek medical licensure in the state.

**Inspectors Enforce Laws.**  
Aside from the newer offices imposed upon the board by recent laws, the general broadening of the powers of the state board of health will permit the more effective accomplishment of things which have been undertaken in the past. For several years there has been maintained a corps of efficient and experienced sanitary inspectors ready at any moment to respond to calls for assistance from any part of the state. Within the past year this inspection force has been increased in numbers and in efficiency until to-day Illinois is not excelled by any state in the union in this important branch of public health work.

The regular inspectors for the board, and the special inspectors who are constantly held in reserve for emergency calls, have done much in the restriction of fever and other communicable diseases within the past few years. Without the waste of time necessary in prolonged correspondence, these inspectors are sent at once to the place where persons are afflicted by disease to cooperate with local officials.

The work of the inspectors is augmented by the various publications of the board devoted to the communicable diseases, which in simple phrases, designed for the easy comprehension of the people, give complete information as to the best means for preventing disease and controlling its spread.

**Analyze Water Supply.**  
The decrease in typhoid fever in Illinois, during the past two years, is doubtless due to the vigilance of the board of health and to the excellent system devised by the board in 1905, in cooperation with the state water survey, by which water analyses are made for any citizen entirely without cost. Such analyses, now available to all, though formerly a matter of considerable individual expense, have drawn attention to innumerable dangerous sources of water supply the abandonment of which has saved many communities from fatal epidemics of typhoid fever and other water-borne diseases.

Another factor which has limited the water-borne diseases in Illinois has been the work of the board of health in investigating and promulgating information in regard to sewage disposal, especially by means of the septic tank. To demonstrate to the health officers of the various localities that this device will render offensive and dangerous sewage wholly innocuous, the board has maintained for a year past, the sewage disposal plant at the city of Urbana which is constantly in operation, disposing of the sewage of that municipality.

In aerial disinfection the Illinois board has probably done more within the past two years than any other public health organization and, as a result of its exhaustive investigations and labors, the board has been able to offer to physicians and health officers a method of disinfection with formaldehyde with the assurance that it is more effective and less dangerous than any method employed up to this time. While the so-called "Illinois method" of formaldehyde disinfection has met with some opposition, the objections to it have been proven of little importance, and the consensus of opinion, as expressed through the medical journals, is that in the development of this method, a great stride has been made in the prevention of disease.

**Teaches Care of Babies.**  
Not unlike the crusade against consumption, in demonstrating the efficiency of an intelligent campaign of education in the interest of public health, has been the work of the state board of health in saving the lives of babies through teaching the mothers of the state sane and rational methods of infant feeding. A circular on infant feeding, which has run through several large editions, has been sent broadcast throughout the state, the advent of the present heated season creating demands for thousands of them.

## A WOMAN'S SUFFERINGS.

A Dreadful Operation Seemed to Be the Only Outcome.

Mrs. Clyde Pixley, Bridge St., Belding, Mich., writes: "I had inflammation of the bladder and the trouble had gone so far in five years that my physicians said nothing but an operation would cure me. Awful bearing down pains, backaches and headaches tortured me, there were spells of dizziness and faintness, the kidney secretions were like blood and passed with intense pain. I had lost 30 pounds when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and was dreadfully nervous. In one week I felt better and to-day I am a well woman and have been for a long time."

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## WAITING FOR THE FUN.

Youngster Had Reason to Expect "Something Would Happen."

An old gentleman, rather portly and clad in a somewhat youthful suit of light gray flannel, sat on a bench in the park enjoying the day, relates the Woman's Home Companion.

"What's the matter, sonny?" he asked a small urchin who lay on the grass just across the walk and stared intently. "Why don't you go and play?"

"Don't wanter," the boy replied. "But it is not natural," the old gentleman insisted, "for a boy to be so quiet. Why don't you run about?" "Oh, I'm just waitin'," the little fellow answered. "I'm just waitin' till you get up. A man painted that bench about fifteen minutes ago."

**Dr. McCosh's Impression.**  
"Ah, I have an impression!" exclaimed Dr. McCosh, the president of Princeton college, to the mental-philosophy class. "Now, young gentlemen," continued the doctor, as he touched his head with his forefinger, "can you tell me what an impression is?"

No answer. "What, no one knows? No one can tell me what an impression is?" exclaimed the doctor, looking up and down the class.

"I know," said Mr. Arthur. "An impression is a dent in a soft place." "Young gentleman," said the doctor, removing his hand from his forehead and growing red in the face, "you are excused for the day in the judge."

**Chinese Jews.**  
American interest in China since the Boxer rebellion has extended to the Chinese Jews, who settled at Kalfungfu during the Han dynasty, that ruled China from 200 B. C. to 200 A. D. The Kalfungfu colony is mentioned occasionally by European travelers, among them Marco Polo in the fourteenth century, while in 1500 and 1704 they were visited by Jesuit missionaries. To-day, according to Alfred K. Glover, writing in the Overland Monthly for May, the Chinese Jews are almost extinct, but their records and historical tablets are carefully preserved.

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**Largest Wooden Structure.**  
The Parliament building in Wellington, New Zealand, is the largest wooden structure in the world. In Wellington and some other New Zealand towns almost every house is constructed of wood. So likewise are large churches and business houses.

By following the directions, which are plainly printed on each package of Defiance Starch, Men's Collars and Cuffs can be made just as stiff as desired, with either gloss or domestic finish. Try it, 16 oz. for 10c, sold by all good grocers.

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A short absence quickens love; a long absence kills it.—Mirabeau.

## FIVE FALL INTO GRAVE.

Remarkable Incident That Disturbed Solemnity of Funeral.

Instead of the accustomed quiet which prevails at the burial of the dead, great excitement and fear attended the burial the other day of Michael Sereno, a prominent merchant of Westport, when by the collapsing of a grave the coffin and several persons attending the services were hurled into a small pit.

The final prayer had been said by the preacher, and the assistant to the undertaker stepped to the foot of the coffin to arrange the rope for letting the coffin into the grave. At that moment one of the pallbearers accidentally kicked out the crosspiece that supported the coffin. The coffin quickly descended into the grave, the body going feet first. The assistant hastened its descent by tumbling on it. Several persons rushed to the edge of the grave, causing the soil to yield, and in a few seconds five persons were lying in the pit half covered with dirt.

They were pulled out, the coffin was dug out and laid flat, and after the grave had been re-dug the burial was completed.—N. Y. Press.

## TWO SISTERS HAD ECZEMA.

Cuticura Cured Scalp Troubles of Two Illinois Girls—Another Sister Took Cuticura Pills.

"I must give much praise to all the Cuticura Remedies. I used but one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment, as that was all that was required to cure my disease. I was very much troubled with eczema of the head, and a friend of mine told me to use the Cuticura Remedies, which I did, and am glad to say that they cured my eczema entirely. My sister was also cured of eczema of the head by using the Cuticura Remedies. Another sister has used Cuticura Resolvent and Pills and thinks they are a splendid tonic. Miss Edith Hammer, R. F. D. No. 6, Morrison, Ill., Oct. 3, '06."

**"Going Some."**  
Two of our colored brethren were engaged in heated argument. The "retort courteous," without the qualifying adjective, had been passed and returned.

Suddenly the larger of the two moved up aggressively. "Yuh nygah, yuh! If Ah hit yuh, Ahm agoin' to knock yuh so fah dat der ain't no railroad train kin bring yuh back!"

The other looked at him a moment speculatively. Then: "Nizgah you-seff yuh brack map o' Africa! If Ah hit yuh, Ahm goin' to knock you so fah dat it'll cos' eight dollars to sen' yuh a postal card!"

Whereupon the tall one, realizing that the limit had been reached, passed his "chaw," and peace reigned again.—Judge.

Sheer white goods, fa fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

**Strange Bequests.**  
In his will Stephen Swain of the parish of St. Olave, Southwark, England, gave to John Abbot and Mary, his wife, sixpence each, "to buy for each of them a halter, for fear the sheriffs should not be provided."

John Aylett Stow left the sum of five guineas for the purchase of the picture of a viper biting the hand of his rescuer, to be presented to an eminent K. C. as a reminder of "his ingratitude and insolence."

Starch, like everything else, is being constantly improved, the patent Starches put on the market 25 years ago are very different and inferior to those of the present day. In the latest discovery—Defiance Starch—all injurious chemicals are omitted, while the addition of another ingredient, invented by us, gives to the Starch a strength and smoothness never approached by other brands.

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## DEATH IN A NEW GUISE.

Scheme That Landed a Hungarian Judge in Town Jail.

In a little village on the Hungarian frontier, not far from Presburg, a peasant woman recently received 400 kronen (\$85) from her husband in America.

She promptly deposited it in the local branch of the postoffice savings bank, and then the next day went to withdraw the whole amount. The bank official was somewhat surprised, and asked for an explanation, when she said that Death had appeared to her during the night and threatened to take her away with him unless she had the 400 kronen ready for him the next night.

The gendarmes were communicated with, and when "Death" made his promised appearance he was found to be very much alive, in the person of the local judge.

The woman's money is still in the bank, and the judge is in jail.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

**Blackest of All.**  
The millionaire from Pittsburg was observed to be loitering outside of the pearly gates.

"Why don't you hurry up and knock?" queried a shade.

"I'm waiting for that other chap to get ahead of me," whispered the Pittsburg millionaire.

"And who is he?"

"Why, a grafter from San Francisco. By the side of him I will seem as innocent as a lamb."

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Terrified Teuton—Neln! He pass too kvick.

Constable—Would yer swear to the driver again?

T. T.—Himmel! But I know no more words.—The Bystander.

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Shakespeare has no heroes; he has only heroines.—Ruskin.



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## KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

E. C. Bell was here from Deerfield last Thursday.

Mr. Leemaster of Mannheim is the new day operator at the tower.

Mrs. M. L. Ives of Kirkland called on friends last Saturday.

Phil Arbuckle was entertained by friends in Cherry Valley over Sunday.

El May has come from Lamont, Iowa, to see his sister, Mrs. Lauce Dibble.

Mrs. Frank Churchill of Kirkland spent Sunday with her uncle, Frank Parker.

The Baptist congregation held services on O. W. Vickell's lawn Sunday evening.

Agent Frank Holcomb and wife of Henrietta were Sunday visitors in Rockford.

Dorothy Rogers of Oak Park came here last Friday to see her cousin, Grace Benson.

John Lettow entertained John Wilson of Belvidere over Friday evening and Saturday.

Miss Zora Fairchild of Elgin was a guest of Miss Maude Benson Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Gladys Burgess and Bertha Ort were DeKalb visitors Tuesday evening and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bacon returned from their visit at Valley Junction, Wis., Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bickler entertained his niece, Miss Mattie Wakely, of Bloomington last week.

Messrs. Anderson and Chellgreen made a business trip to Chicago on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and children of Hinckley spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Aurner.

Mrs. Lou Huling, nee Campbell, of Chicago spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Aurner and friends.

Mrs. Burke came from Rockford last Thursday to spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. O. W. Vickell.

Word came from Belvidere Tuesday that Eli Brainard, formerly of this place was very ill with appendicitis.

Miss Eva Carlson of Chicago was a guest of Miss Selma Arison and Mrs. Carrie Laventy from Sunday until Tuesday.

Lost—On Tuesday, July 30, a lady's grey shawl between Kingston and Kirkland. Finder please return to Frank Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tazewell and daughter, Margaret, went to Malden last Saturday to attend the funeral of her uncle.

Mrs. J. J. Sheley and children of Cherry Valley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holroyd last Wednesday and Thursday.

Elmer Swanson who spent a few days last week with his cousin, Alfred Johnson, returned Friday to his home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sexauer of Belvidere and Ralph Sexauer of Rockford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sexauer last Saturday and Sunday.

The third hymn song service was rendered at the M. E. church Sunday evening during Rev. Tuttle's absence at the Davis appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Hatterson, after a week's visit at the home of her uncle, John Moyers, returned to their home in Amberst, Wisconsin, Sunday.

John Helsdon, Sr., returned from the Monroe St. hospital, Chicago, last Thursday. He is improved in health but is very weak after the operation.

Miss Lou Lawrence of Belvidere was a guest of her former teacher, Mrs. Ida Breed, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lettow, a few days last week.

There will be an ice cream social Saturday evening between the stores of L. C. Shaffer and F. P. Smith. The Genoa concert band will give an open air concert.

About eighty friends and relatives surprised Will Parker at his home south of town last Wednesday evening. It was to celebrate his fiftieth birthday and they presented him a beautiful chair. Ice cream and cake were served.

A number of our people attended an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Len Hill in North Kingston last Thursday evening. It was given for the benefit of the North Kingston cemetery association and \$32 was taken in.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dorsey and daughter of Chicago were over Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton. Joe attended our public school in the '90's and saw many old acquaintances after four years' absence.

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### South Riley

John Corson is on the sick list. Charles Gustavison and relatives were in Genoa Monday.

Rev. Ream came from Camp Epworth to preach at Ney and Genoa Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Buck returned from Minnesota Thursday, where she has been visiting her parents.

Miss Ollie Mackey visited with Nina Patterson part of last week. Lorenzo Robinson passed thru here last Friday enroute to Marango via the auto route.

The sock social held at the home of P. M. Reed for the benefit of the organ fund was a success. A large crowd was present and an excellent program was rendered. The proceeds were nearly \$18.

Miss Nellie Edgecomb visited at the home of Glen Buck Saturday.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and clears the whole system of coughs and colds. It promptly relieves inflammation of the throat and allay's irritation. Sold by Hunt's Pharmacy.

### Cogitation.

The gentlemen of the bar, who not infrequently have to take rebukes from the bench, greatly enjoy a chance to make a legitimate retort against the court. The story is told that a certain judge who during the plea of a rather prosy lawyer could not refrain from gently nodding his head in sleep was caught at this by the lawyer, who looked significantly at him.

"Perhaps," said the judge testily and prevaricatingly, "the counsel thinks the court was asleep, but he may be assured that the court was merely cogitating."

The lawyer talked on. Presently the judge, again overcome by his somnolency, nodded off and aroused himself with a little sudden snorting snore.

"If it please your honor," said the lawyer, "I will suspend my plea until the court shall have ceased to cogitate audibly."

"You may go on," said the judge, and he did not fall asleep again.

### WAYS OF SAVING WASTE.

Skimming River For a Living—Fishermen Who Net Corks.

Skimming a river for a living may be said to be one of the most striking examples of the utilization of waste. This is done in Paris. There is one individual at least in the French capital who makes it his daily business to skim the Seine. He is out at early morning in an old flat bottomed boat, armed with a skimming pan. With this he skims off the surface of the river the grease which collects there during the night and which he disposes of to a soap factory. Generally he makes a quarter or so by his morning's work, which enables him to live.

In Paris, says the Chicago Tribune, also there are a number of people who make a living out of waste corks, which they fish from the Seine. They collect on the river bank at daybreak, each with a short pole, at the end of which is a small net. They set to work to gather in the floating corks, subsequently selling them to the cork merchants in the neighborhood.

There are about a score or so of these cork fishermen, who have formed themselves into a sort of craft and who guard their interests jealously. If they catch sight of a stranger netting corks they fall on him in a body. Only recently the police rescued one of these novices barely in time to save his life.

The sweepings of a floor might well be considered as so much waste. Yet through a fire in London the other day, which consumed a quantity of sweepings stored in the basement, a certain firm lost several thousand dollars. The heap of dust and rubbish contained silver filings, which it was intended to extract later on.

This is done regularly at all works where silver or gold is used. In gold refiners' premises even the soot in the chimneys is not allowed to be treated as waste. It is found to contain minute particles of the precious metal, which are far too valuable to be lost.

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Everyone should use them, they are antiseptic, soothing and healing.

We have the Lapizol; large package, elegant powder, exquisite perfume, appreciated by dainty people. Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet and Violet Talcum, fine goods for less money. Nursery Talcum; large package, good goods, similar to Mennen's but larger package and more refined odor for 15c. Royal, Rose and Violet odors, glass jars, .10c.

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The Gems of Our Stock

\$1.25 and \$1.40—48 in. wide, for.....98c  
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## Nuns Veilings, Dainty Shades

\$1.25—46 in. wide, for.....79c

English Mohairs and Worsteds—dull and lustre finish, a miscellaneous lot, 43 to 46 in. wide. Regular \$1.00 goods for.....75c

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