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GENOA, ILLINOIS, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1905

NEW SERIES, VOLUME II, NO. 10

ORDER FOR \$4,882.92

ISSUED IN PAYMENT FOR
CEMENT WALKS

Contractor Hannah is the Recipient—
Other Bills Aggregating \$358.04 Al-
lowed by Board

Genoa, Ill., Nov. 10, 1905.
Minutes of regular meeting of
village trustees. Called to order
by Pres. J. E. Stott. Present:
Hammond, Whipple, Schmidt,
Browne, Smith and Malana.
Minutes of last regular meeting
read and approved.

The following bills were read
and approved by finance com-
mittee:

Ellis Conley, draying	5.35
C. D. Schoemaker, printing	2.75
As. B. Clow & Sons, lead pipe	34.54
F. Hannah, cement walk	482.92
Bert Van Dresser, street work	2.40
O. Christensen, salary	65.00
Henry Downing, special police	2.00
Law Doyal, street work	11.36
Chas. Withers, street work	2.60
Genoa Electric Co., light	138.39
As. Spence, special police	2.00
Geo. H. Ide, lumber	81.16
Clint Korabough, draying	2.92
Mill. Getthman, special police	1.75

Moved by Smith, seconded by
Schmidt that the bills be allowed
and orders drawn on the treasurer
for the amounts. All yes. Motion
carried.

The clerk was instructed to
procure a new minute book.
Petition by citizens for a walk
across the St. Paul Ry. on Brown
street was read and referred to
the street and walk committee.

Moved by Hammond, seconded
by Malana, that we return \$10.00
license to Eli Brainard. All yes.
Motion carried.

Petition by citizens of Genoa
for electric light on corner of
Brown street and R. R. Ave. read.
Moved by Browne, seconded by
Hammond, that the petition be
granted. All yes. Motion carried.

Moved by Hammond, seconded
by Malana that we pay Fletch
Hanaah with the following orders:
\$300.00 due Nov. 1, 1906;
\$96.75 due May 1, 1906; \$1000.00;
\$1500.00 due May 1, 1906; \$1086.17
due Nov. 1, 1906. Motion carried.

Moved by Hammond, seconded
by Brown that the board adjourn.
Motion carried.

T. M. FRAZIER, V. C.

Hopkins Files Protest

Senator Hopkins has filed a
protest with the postal depart-
ment at Washington against the
numbering of rural free delivery
boxes, says the DeKalb Adver-
tiser. He says the country mer-
chants are opposed to the plan
because it would divert much of
their business to the mail order
houses. With the boxes number-
ed the mail order houses would
simply have to address their ad-
vertising matter to such a box
number on such a route. It cer-
tainly would be against the inter-
ests of the regular merchants to
have the numbering system put
in.

Industrial Opportunities

A new folder giving concise
information regarding industrial
openings along the Chicago &
North-Western Railway, with par-
ticulars as to factory buildings
and desirable sites available for
immediate use and other infor-
mation of much value to manufac-
turers seeking new locations.
There are hundreds of splendid
openings for manufacturers, job-
bers and retail dealers in territory
reached by the North-Western
Line.

This folder contains a full
description of several important
extensions of The North-Western
Line that open some of the finest
territory in the West. Free on
application to agents Chicago &
North-Western Line. 10 4t

Everybody's excursion to Chi-
cago on all regular trains, Satur-
day Nov. 18, via the Illinois Cen-
tral, \$1.75 for the round trip.

WEDDED ON COAST

Miss Jessie Wyde Becomes Bride in
Los Angeles, Calif.

Genoa friends of Miss Jessie
Wyde will be surprised to learn
that she became a bride in Cali-
fornia immediately upon her ar-
rival in Los Angeles some days
ago. She did not tell her friends
of her prospective marriage and
with the exception of the imme-
diate members of the family the
announcement will come as a
complete surprise.

Miss Wyde is now Mrs. Schuy-
ler Hodson. The family received
word Monday that the marriage
was celebrated at Los Angeles
immediately upon her arrival
there and that the groom had a
home already for their oc-
cupancy. Her friends here will
wish her every happiness and
prosperity.

The bride went some years ago
to California with her sister, then
Miss Myrtle Wyde, both daugh-
ters of Mr. and Mrs. John Wyde,
of Belvidere, formerly of this city.
Miss Myrtle was married there
and Miss Jessie returned here last
spring. It seems, however, that
the romance which called her
back to the coast had approached
its culmination and that she re-
turned there to become a bride,
her husband being a brother of
her sister's husband.

ROCK RIVER M. E. REPORT

Secretary's Report Shows Methodists in
Flourishing Condition

A. D. Traveller, secretary of
the Chicago Home Missionary
and Church Extension society of
the Rock River Methodist con-
ference, in his annual report re-
views the work of the society for
fifteen years and shows that in
this period fifty-four new churches
were organized and funds were
furnished to aid in the construc-
tion of sixty-eight new churches.

The estimated value of the new
churches is \$957,300; number of
church members enrolled, 10,450;
Sunday school members, 16,105;
total amount of funds received in
this period, \$396,360.

Mothers' Meeting

Mothers meeting will be held
in the second primary room
Friday Nov. 17, at 3:30 p. m.

The teachers of the third and
fourth grades will have charge
of the meeting. Mothers of pupils
in these grades are especially in-
vited to attend.

The following program will be
given:

"A Confessional"—Mrs. Aus-
tin.

"Child Training on practical
lines"—Mrs. Henry Burroughs.

"Mother and teacher"—Birdie
Drake.

"Moral education"—Grace L.
Colton.

Excursion Tickets to International Live Stock Exposition, Chicago

Via the North-Western Line, will
be sold Dec. 16 to 20, inclusive,
limited to return until Dec. 24,
inclusive. Apply to agents Chi-
cago & North-Western R'y. 10 5t

DeKalb Druggists Fined

Five DeKalb druggists and one
saloonist were brought up before
a magistrate Monday for selling
liquor illegally. Each defendant
was assessed a fine of \$100 and
costs, making a total of \$103 60.

Excursion to Chicago via C. M.
& St. P. Ry., November 18, \$1.74
for the round trip, good to return
until Nov. 20. Tickets good on
all regular trains up to and in-
cluding train leaving Chicago at
1:30 p. m. Monday. J. M. Har-
vey, Agt.

Picnic hams, 8 cents a pound
at T. M. Frazier's.

OF GENERAL INTEREST

ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS
OF EXCHANGES

Financial Troubles of Elgin-Belvidere
Electric Line Settled—Curiosity Costs
a Powder-filled Face

New compartment sleeping
cars for service between Chicago,
St. Paul and Minneapolis in The
Pioneer Limited trains of the
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul
Ry. are under construction. The
new cars are a departure from
any compartment cars heretofore
built in this respect, that former-
ly drawing rooms have been lo-
cated at the end of the cars over
the wheels whereas in the new
cars the drawing rooms are in the
"center" of the cars. Two of
the new cars, the "Onalaska" and
the "Ontonagon" will be placed
in service on "The Pioneer" at
once. They are the first cars of
this pattern ever built.

Kirkland Enterprise: Mrs. Ed
Richardson of Genoa was a guest
of Mrs. R. S. Hollingsworth a
few days of this week. On
Thursday Mesdames Hollings-
worth and Richardson were enter-
tained at dinner by Mrs. John
McKee.

Kirkland Enterprise: An agent
for Ringling Bros. circus was
here last Friday and purchased
of Wm. Abel & Son ten head of
gray horses for their shows. The
animals were beauties, ranging
from 1600 to 1900 pounds in
weight, were all gray, and it goes
without saying, brought a fancy
price. They also sold a carload
to another party last week, and
have horses left, and good ones
too.

It begins to look as though the
postoffice department had re-
solved to put the ban on the pub-
lication of the names of the win-
ners in social card games. While
it has been supposed that such
matters were items of legitimate
news, it appears that they come
under the rules of the anti-lottery
law and their publication may
cause the exclusion of offending
newspapers from the mails.
Such was the effect recently in a
case in Iowa.

A farmer living in the southern
part of the state, through motives
of curiosity, took apart his tele-
phone transmitter. While ex-
amining it the granulated carbon
fell out. The stuff looked like
gun powder to the farmer and he
replaced it with that material.
Then he called up "Central" to
see if his telephone would still
work. An electric spark set off
the powder and the experimental
farmer was badly injured in the
explosion. This experiment may
be genuine, but it is much after
the fashion of the little boy and
the toy baloon—wanted to see
what it was made of.

The financial troubles of the
Elgin-Belvidere Electric line
seem to have been satisfactorily
adjusted, and the plans of the
future so arranged that nothing
will interfere with the pushing
of the line to completion as fast
as possible. According to Judge
Baylies of Chicago, the road is
now properly financed, and money
is provided for future necessities.

Carl Roberts of Wyanet, Ill.,
recently husked and cribbed 100
bushels of corn in nine and one-
half hours, says the Review of that
place. The story seems hardly
credible, but is stated as a fact
nevertheless. Roberts won a
wager of \$20 by the remarkable
feat.

John Andrews, a well-known
farmer residing one-half mile
south of Caledonia was instantly
killed last week by a fall from
the windmill tower on his farm.

LOST ARM IN SHREDDER

Clayton Schrieber of Leaf River the
Latest Victim of Machine

Clayton F. Schrieber, living
near Leaf River, was the victim
of a corn shredder accident last
week, his right arm being torn off
at the elbow.

Schrieber was at work at his
place near Leaf River and was
spending the day shredding corn.
The machine was running at the
usual speed while Schrieber was
operating it. In some unaccount-
able manner he caught his right
arm in the machinery. The
member was drawn in to the el-
bow. The machine stopped with
a jar, the arm being tightly
wedged in the machinery. While
the victim of the terrible accident
suffered untold agony, friends
had to take the machine apart
before the torn and mangled arm
could be extracted.

M. E. Church Notes

Services will be held next Sun-
day, Nov. 19, at the M. E. church
at the usual time. Morning
preaching service at 10:30 and
evening preaching service at 7:30.
A short song service in the evening
will precede the preaching.
The public is cordially invited.

Next Sunday afternoon at 2:00
o'clock Rev. T. E. Ream will
preach at Charter Grove. A cor-
dial invitation to the public.

The first quarterly conference
of the Genoa charge for the new
church year will be held at the
Genoa M. E. church next Tues-
day afternoon, Nov. 21, at 4:00
o'clock.

Prayer meetings are always
held at the Genoa church on
Thursday evenings at 7:30. The
public is cordially invited.

Rev. Sellard will preach at the
Ney M. E. church next Sunday
afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

The Epworth League service
next Sunday evening will be one
of unusual interest. The topic is
"My Covenant with God's People."
Leader: Miss Nellie Strong.
The public is cordially invited.

The Ladies' Aid Society will
meet in the church parlors next
week Friday, Nov. 24. All mem-
bers requested to be present.

Choir rehearsal will be held as
usual on Saturday evening at 7:45.
All members of choir and singers
interested in Christmas music are
especially requested to be pres-
ent.

The Charter Grove church and
Sunday school are planning a
fine Christmas program to be
given on the evening of Decem-
ber 22.

Shoe Factory Notes

Miss Minnie Lembke is very
sick.

Daisy Hammond was on the
sick list Tuesday.

Albert Hall has moved into
the Quanstrong flat.

The employees worked over
time Monday evening.

Mr. Selz of Chicago made the
shop a visit on Tuesday.

Tuesday the ghost walked and
all had smiles on their faces.

Gilbert Cummings commenced
work in the finishing room last
week.

Lulu Groves of Rockford is
again at work in the stitching
room.

E. Adler moved into Charley
Brown's house on Emmett street
last week.

Misses Daisy Hammond, Della
Lord and Alexander Amboise
visited in Kirkland Sunday.

Many children inherit constitu-
tions weak and feeble, others
due to childhood troubles. Hol-
lister's Rocky Mountain Tea will
positively cure children and make
them strong. 35 cents, tea or
tablets. Slater & Douglas'.

SCHOOL ACCREDITED

GENOA HIGH SCHOOL HAS AT
LAST REACHED GOAL

Students Who Complete Course May En-
ter Illinois University Without Furth-
er Examination

After waiting a long time the
new desks have arrived. Several
new ones have been placed in the
high school and intermediate
room. For the first time since
the term opened there are now
seats enough to accommodate all
the pupils. All the old double
seats have been removed which is
a great improvement.

Irvine Crawford is taking a
course of stenography at night
school in the Brown Business Col-
lege at Rockford, attending every
other night.

A large number from the high
school helped do justice to the
supper at the M. E. Church last
Friday night.

The librarian states that pupils
who have books should return
them within a week, according to
rules. Some have had books in
their possession since the opening
of school.

Miss Mabel Pierce entertained
a number of high school friends at
her home in the country last Fri-
day evening, about sixteen being
present. Refreshments were
served and all enjoyed the event.
Misses Bertha Ort and Georgia
Walker of Kingston were among
the guests.

Maynard Corson visited the
school Friday.

Vay Kellogg was a Sycamore
visitor Friday evening.

Blanche Shipman, Ida Awe and
Rhoda Hannah were absent Mon-
day morning.

Eddie and Earl Metzler en-
tered the lower grades this week,
having recently moved here from
Dixon.

Miss Claire Fransen has quit
school and moved to Rockford
with her mother.

The third number of the lecture
course is advertised for Tuesday
evening of next week.

At last the goal, for which the
board of education and Superin-
tendent Stout have been working,
has been reached, and there is
great rejoicing in the educational
circles of the community. The
Genoa high school is now fully
accredited to the University of
Illinois, the necessary points in
the different branches having
been attained. The certificate
has been received and as soon as
it is framed will be hung on the
walls of the high school room.

Train Leaves Track

The C. M. & St. P. passenger
train that leaves Chicago at eight
o'clock was derailed three miles
out of the city and delayed two
hours Sunday night. The train
had orders to side track to allow
an inbound train to pass them
and the brakeman, when the
signal was given to go ahead,
turned the switch the wrong way,
and before the train had gained
much speed it run off the rails.
However no one suffered any
more than a shaking up.

Thanksgiving Day Excursion Rates
Via the North-Western Line.
Excursion tickets will be sold at
low rates to points on the North-
Western System within 200 miles
of selling station, Nov. 29 and 30,
good returning until Dec. 4 1905,
inclusive. Apply to agents Chi-
cago & North Western R'y. 10-2t

The C. M. & St. P. R'y has
granted reduced rates to the
Woodmen "blow out" in Chicago
on the 18th of November. The
fare will be \$1.74 for the round
trip.

\$1.75 Genoa to Chicago and re-
turn, via Illinois Central.

IN CIRCUIT COURT

The New Court House is Being Thorough-
ly Dedicated

After three weeks of work,
Judge Bishop presiding, the De-
Kalb county circuit court ad-
journd last Friday until next
Monday.

Since the previous report cases
have been acted upon as follows:

Mary A. Conners vs. the City
of DeKalb, an action for damages
claimed to have resulted from a
fall in a newly dug ditch which
had been carelessly filled, which
case occupied the court for sever-
al days, resulted in a verdict of
not guilty, exonerating the corpor-
ation from damages. Motion for
new trial.

John Rogers vs. Halver H. Lar-
son et al, assumpsit. Testimony
heard and judgment for plaintiff
for \$544.80.

Eliza J. Williams vs. Randall
Cossem, case, change of venue
from Kane county. Dismissed
on call for noncompliance with
rule.

H. H. Freeman & Co. vs. E. B.
Millard, appeal. Continued on
motion of plaintiffs at their costs.

People ex rel vs. Commission-
ers of Highways of Shabbona,
petition for mandamus. Margaret
Beyrhold defaulted for want of
answer.

Francis M. Funkhauser vs. Lil-
lian W. Funkhauser, divorce.
Decree of divorce for complain-
ant as per draft.

Court will resume its sessions
next Monday, November 20; a
new panel of 36 jurymen has been
summoned to appear, and Judge
Ruth will preside. At that time
the following cases will be taken
up for hearing in the order
named: Mansfield vs. C. B. & Q.
Railway Co., Emma B. Morrison
vs. Fidelity and Casualty Co., of
New York, Harney Bros., vs
Goldberg. Hiram Page vs. Lucy
B. Page, divorce.

The sheriff's office force is busy
summoning jurors, and there will
be a large number of them at the
county seat the next few weeks.

Besides the 36 who will appear
next Monday there will be 12 on
December 4 to hear a drainage
case from DeKalb in the county
court and the following Monday,
December 11, 36 will be sum-
moned to hear cases in the
county court. It is also probable
that a third panel or 35 more will
be needed in the circuit court.—
True Republican.

Advertised Letters

The following letters and post-
als remained uncalled for in the
postoffice at Genoa, Ill., Nov. 13,
1905:

Letters: Mr. John Owens, Mr.
T. S. Fauntleroy, Miss C. F. Reed,
Mrs. Chas. Johnson. Foreign:
Christian Madsen, Mr. Geo. Par-
ron. Postal: Mr. Richard A.
Dreyer. When calling for above
please say advertised.

Geo. J. PATTERSON, A. P. M.

Excursion Tickets to Chicago

Via the North-Western Line, will
be sold at reduced rates Nov. 18,
limited to return until Nov. 20,
inclusive, on account of Modern
Woodmen Initiation. Apply to
agents Chicago & North-Western
R'y.

Butter Goes Up

The official price of butter was
Monday reported firm at 23½.
Twenty-three and a half cents
was bid but there were no butter
offerings. Last week's price was
half a cent lower.

Charles A. Lattin, who spent
his life in Sycamore, died sudden-
ly in DeKalb Thursday night.
He was the son of Carlos Lattin,
who at one time owned more than
half the land which is now the
city of Sycamore; he was 50
years of age.

THROWN FROM TRAIN

JAMES GALLAGHER KILLED IN
CHICAGO WEDNESDAY

Is Hurlled from Rear Platform of Kelly's
Train as It Makes Sharp Curve near
Pacific Junction

James Gallagher, whose mother,
sister and two brothers reside in
this city, was instantly killed in
the suburbs of Chicago Wednes-
day morning by being hurled
from the rear end of the train on
which he was acting as brakeman.

As soon as Conductor Kelley
heard of the accident he tele-
graphed the sad news to the rela-
tives here.

The body was picked up by
Brakeman Ryan on the Elgin
train which was closely following
Kelley's. Just how the accident
occurred will probably never be
known as no one has been found
who saw him fall. It is quite evi-
dent, however, that he was thrown
from the rear end of the last car
as the train was making a good
speed, the curve just east of Pa-
cific Junction. The rest of the
train crew did not miss Jim until
they had reached Western Ave-
nue.

There are no bruises on the
body to show that it had come
in contact with the wheels or
trucks in any way, a broken
back or internal injuries, caused
by the fall, probably being the
cause of death.

The body was taken to a
mortgage at the corner of Madison
and 40th streets to await the
arrival of relatives. Jos. Gallagher
and Undertaker Teyler went to
Chicago in the afternoon and
brought the remains out Thurs-
day.

The news of Jim's death was a
severe shock to his mother, broth-
ers and sister, he being a great
favorite in the family.

NEXT LECTURE

Wonders of Electrical Science by Prof.
Louis Williams

This is the topic of the next
lecture course number. Prof Lou-
is Williams, a good science
demonstrator, will give the num-
ber and all his work will be dem-
onstrated with the actual apparat-
us.

To miss this number you will
miss one of the treats of the sea-
son. There are only three more
numbers of the course to be given
and they are all known to be good.

Dr. Reitzel, the famous travel-
ing lecturer comes Dec. 11 and
the "Carolinnians" Jubilee Singers
come Jan. 10. Any one wishing
a ticket for all three of these ex-
cellent entertainments can have
one with a reserved seat for sev-
enty-five cents.

You will go to two of these
anyway and it will pay you to at-
tend all three and you can get
the three for seventy-five cents
while two single admissions cost
seventy cents.

Tickets at Hunt's Pharmacy
Saturday.

Hampshire Couple Elope

Pearl Smitting of Starks station
and William Wattering of Hamp-
shire have eloped and their
friends declare that before they
return they will be husband and
wife. The girl is not yet 15 years
of age. She is a daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. George Smitting. The
father has opposed her keeping
company with Wattering and has
gone so far as to order the young
man from the Smitting home but
Mrs. Smitting favored the young
man and encouraged him in his
attentions to her daughter.

If you want to buy a house or a
lot or a farm worth the money,
call on or address D. S. Brown at
the Exchange Bank, Genoa, Ill.

WORLD'S NEWS - TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS

William P. Thomas, 39, employed as a clerk in the Philadelphia postoffice for the past nine years, has been held in \$1,500 bail by United States Commissioner Bell, charged with rifling letters.

Tony Ponsal, convicted on the charge of circulating counterfeit money at Youngstown, O., has been sentenced by United States Judge Taylor to six years' imprisonment at the Ohio penitentiary.

The British steamer Bavaria, bound from Barry for Bordeaux, has been lost off Belle Isle, France. Part of her crew has been landed at Nourmoutier, France. The captain and fourteen men are missing.

George B. Reed, a prominent citizen of Kent county, Delaware, committed suicide in an unusual manner. Securing a double-barreled shotgun, he sat in bed and discharged the weapon with a broomstick.

The annual state Sunday school convention of Michigan opened Tuesday at Traverse City with 750 delegates present.

Five persons were injured, among them being Miss Edith Robertson and R. G. Root, both of Rockford, Ill., in a train collision at Pueblo, Colo.

A department of mines and mining in the president's cabinet was urged by President Richards of the American Mining Congress in an address before the eighth annual session of that body in El Paso, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Keifer of South Bend, Ind., celebrated their golden wedding Tuesday.

Crown Prince Gustavus of Sweden is visiting the Danish court at Copenhagen. Among the first persons he called on was Prince Charles of Denmark.

Mrs. George B. McClellan, mother of Mayor McClellan, has arrived in New York from Antwerp. She was greatly pleased when reference was made to the mayor's reelection.

Michigan's potato crop is 16,000,000 bushels short.

A Rock Island east-bound passenger train was wrecked near Valencia, Kan., four persons being injured, Engineer James Scarf seriously.

Depositors of the German Bank of Buffalo have made renewed charges to Governor Higgins of New York against Banking Superintendent F. D. Kilbourn that negligent examination caused the loss of \$700,000 in uncollectable loans.

Two men who blew open the safe in the postoffice at Ludington, Mich., and escaped with several hundred dollars, after keeping the residents of the town at bay with revolvers, were arrested by Chicago inspectors and identified at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Eaton of Garden Plain, Ill., Monday celebrated their seventieth wedding anniversary. Five generations were present.

Julien Tiersot, who comes to America to lecture for the Federation of the French Alliance, arrived on the steamer La Savoie. The topic of his lectures is "Ancient and Modern French Music."

Lieutenant A. J. Lynch of New York, stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, has been ordered before a general court martial for failure to pay debts, neglect of duty and disobedience of orders and passing worthless checks.

Consul General Robert J. Wynne will sail for New York Nov. 15 and will proceed to Washington to testify in the legal prosecutions growing out of the investigation of the postoffice frauds.

Mme. Schumann-Heink, who is playing at Indianapolis, has signed a contract with Henry Wolsehn, the New York manager, to appear for the next two seasons in concert, oratorio and grand opera.

Governor William D. Douglas of Massachusetts has gone to Washington at the head of a delegation of the Boot and Shoe Manufacturers' association and will call upon President Roosevelt in relation to the removal of the duty on hides.

Thomas Byrnes, 26 years old, a member of one of the best families in Memphis, was arrested in that city while in the act of setting fire to the building of the George Arnold Grocery Company, and later confessed to starting nine fires in the business district, one of which caused the death of Charles Soule.

Within plain sight of hundreds Eric Horejs, a switchman, was run down and instantly killed by a hose cart responding to a fire alarm in Milwaukee.

Secretary Galbreath, several members of the executive committee and a number of delegates are at El Paso, Texas, to attend sessions of the American mining congress.

Elmer H. Dearth, former state insurance commissioner of Minnesota, indicted on a charge of receiving a bribe of \$200, has withdrawn his plea of not guilty and entered a demurrer to the indictment on the ground that the offense stated does not constitute a public offense.

The price of coal at Indiana mines has advanced another 25 cents on account of the shortage of cars.

The United States Steel Corporation has bought the famous Durango iron mountain in Mexico, said to be of solid ore.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago Produce. Butter—Extra creamery, 23 1/4c; prints, 24 1/4c; firsts, 20 1/4c; seconds, 17 1/2c; renovated, 18 1/2c; dairies, Coolidge, 20c; firsts, 18c; ladies, 18c; packing stock, 15 1/4c.

Cheese—Full cream, daisies, 13 1/2c; young Americas, 13 1/2c; long horns, 13 1/2c; Swiss, block, 12 1/2c; drum, 13 1/2c; Limburger, choice, 10c; off grades, 6 1/2c; brick, 10 1/2c; off grades, 7 1/2c.

Fish—Black bass, 15c; carp and buffalo, 2c; pike, 7c; pickerel, 5c; perch, 4c; sunfish, 2 1/2c; croppies, 2 1/2c.

Live poultry—Turkeys, per lb, 11 1/2c; chickens, fowls, 9c; roosters, 7c; springs, 10c per lb; ducks, 11c; geese, 36c@10.

Fruits—Apples, Jonathans, \$6.50@7 per box; Greenings, \$4@4.50 per box; 20-oz., \$4.50 per box; Kings, \$4.50@5 per box; crabapples, \$6 per box; pears, Michigan, \$2.75@3 per box; 1 1/2c@2 per box; \$5c@1 1/2c; grapes, 20@21c per 8-lb basket.

Green vegetables—Beets, \$1.75@2 per 100 bunches; carrots, home-grown, \$1.50 per 100 bunches; cabbage, \$1.70@1.75 per crate; celery, 40c-41.25 per box; cucumbers, 75c@1.10 per dozen; radishes, not house, 25@50c per doz; spinach, 60c per tub; tomatoes, \$1.22 per case; lettuce, 25c@2.75 per box; cauliflower, 50c@60c per case; potatoes, car lots, on track, 63@68c per bu; turnips, 75c per cask; string beans, \$1.15@1.50 per crate; kohlrabi, \$1.25@2.50 per 100 bunches; mushrooms, 20@40c per bu; squash, 50c per doz; watercress, \$1.50 per bu; sweet potatoes, 20@40c per 24 qts; horseradish, 75c per bunch; eggplant, 50@60c per doz; pumpkins, 40@50c per doz.

Broomcorn—Market firm; selfworking, common to choice, \$5.00@5.50 per ton; husk, common to choice, \$5.00@5.50 per ton; dwarf, \$6.00@6.50 per ton.

Elgin Butter Market. No offerings or sales. Official quotations, 2c; market steady.

New York Produce. Butter—Regular creamery, common to extra, 16 1/2c; held, extra, 22 1/2c; state dairy, common to extra, 15 1/2c; renovated, common to extra, 15 1/2c; western factor, common to extra, 15 1/2c; western imitation creamery, extra, 18 1/2c; 18c; 17c.

Cheese—Irregular; state full cream, small, colored and white, September, fancy, 13 1/2c; late made, choice, 13c; fair to good, 12 1/2c@12 3/4c; skim, full to light, 3 1/2c@11c.

Firm; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy, selected, white, 35@38c; watercress, 23@25c; mixed fancy, 30c; western finest, 28c; average prime, 25@27c; southern, 20@26c.

Grain Quotations. WHEAT. Chicago—No. 2 red, 87 1/4c@89 1/4c. New York—No. 2 red, 93 1/4c. Minneapolis—No. 1 northern, 83 1/4c. St. Louis—No. 2 red, 83 1/4c. Duluth—No. 1 northern, 81 1/4c@81 3/4c. Kansas City—No. 2 hard, 78 1/4c@81c. Milwaukee—No. 2 northern, 83c.

CORN. Chicago—No. 3, 44 1/4c@44 3/4c. Average—American mixed, 55 1/4c. New York—No. 2, 63c. Peoria—No. 3, 43 1/4c. St. Louis—No. 2, 41 1/4c. Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 46 1/4c. Milwaukee—No. 2, 44 1/4c.

OATS. Chicago—Standard, 30 1/2c@31 1/4c. New York—Mixed, 35 1/2c. St. Louis—No. 2, 30c. Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 29 1/4c. Milwaukee—Standard, 29 1/4c.

LIVE STOCK. Chicago—\$1.40@1.45. Omaha—\$1.50@1.55. St. Joseph—\$1.75@1.75. New York—\$1.60@1.65. HOGS. Chicago—\$4.25@4.12 1/2. Kansas City—\$4.65@4.95. St. Louis—\$4.00@4.05. St. Joseph—\$3.75@3.85. New York—\$3.40@3.50.

Rev. J. Addison Seibert, former pastor of Adams Square Congregational church at Worcester, Mass., has been called to the pastorate of the First Congregational church in Kansas City.

Secretary Shaw left Washington Tuesday night for New York city, accompanied by Mrs. Shaw and two daughters. The daughters will sail for Europe Saturday on the steamer Moltke.

Samuel R. Gummers, the American consul to Morocco, will represent the United States at the international Moroccan congress soon to be held at Algiers to settle the extent of international control over internal Moroccan affairs.

A bulletin issued by the census bureau places the total product of the manufacturers of New Mexico at \$5,705,880, an increase of 40 per cent in five years.

Arthur Goldstein, who was arrested in Milwaukee charged with stealing \$8,000 worth of jewelry, has been taken back to Minneapolis.

In a circus train wrecked near Arkansas City, Ark., several employees may have been killed. Many of the animals escaped and others were crushed to death.

Edward Flegel, brother of Councilman John Flegel, committed suicide at Port Wayne, Ind., by taking morphine. His wife got a divorce about six months ago and he took to drink.

Substantial advance in wages will be demanded by car men of the Rock Island road, according to officers of the protective board, who are preparing a scale to be submitted to the company.

Charles Higgins, a strike-breaker, employed at the Wehrle foundry in Newark, Ohio, was shot and killed. Charles Carlin, a striker, was arrested on suspicion.

LIQUOR DEALERS FACE HOT FIGHT

Anti-Saloon League Plans Local Option Campaign for Illinois.

PROPOSE TO RAISE BIG FUND

Leaders Look to Secure \$100,000 with Which to Carry on the Battle in the Legislature and Say They Can Get Larger Sum.

Peoria, Ill., dispatch: Local option in Illinois and a fight to the finish was the slogan sounded Monday evening at the opening meeting of the Illinois Anti-Saloon League. The Liquor Dealers' Protective Association will be met at every point.

Flushed with success of overthrowing Governor Herrick of Ohio, for which they claim the credit, the national and state officers in attendance at the meeting here declare they will win their fight in Illinois. Plans looking to the raising of \$100,000 to aid the cause will be started at this convention. This is the sum said to have been set aside by the liquor dealers when they met in Peoria several months ago.

"If they increase their fund we will do the same," said National Organizer Baker. "We propose to win this fight and to do it quickly. There will be no middle ground and victory now is almost in sight. We are going into the next state legislature and fight harder than we did last spring and we came pretty close then. We hope to win this time."

Reform Leaders are Lauded. "Thank God for the folks, for the Hanlys, for the La Follettes and for the Roosevelts of today." This sentence is the climax of the address by Rev. P. A. Baker of Columbus, Ohio, national superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League. The large audience which filled the First Methodist Episcopal church cheered the mention of the political reformers with hearty applause.

The speaker called attention to the dangers that accompany extremes, saying that the rush of success may bring a relapse due to ultra-confidence.

"As ministers of the gospel," said the speaker, "we should teach high ideals, but if I were elected to the state legislature I would not attempt to make laws according to my highest ideals, but would endeavor to lift legislation to a higher plane. In doing so I would enact those laws up to which the public has been educated and place only those laws on the statute books that would be sustained by the people, always keeping one ideal in mind, that of lifting legislation to a more advanced plane."

Tells of Ohio Campaign. "Now, as to the Ohio campaign. It was positively a nerve-racking campaign. The tariff and railway legislation, which were looked upon as the probable issues, were cast aside by Secretary Taft in his speech in an Ohio town, when he declared that he would not vote to continue the boss ring in power in Cincinnati. This sounded the keynote for the campaign and the Anti-Saloon Association proceeded to carry out the intention to clear the offices of the objectionable men.

"Governor Herrick interfered with the process of the legislature on the local option measures. The Anti-Saloon Association had demanded that Herrick be not nominated, but party leaders cast aside these pleadings and renominated him. They predicted his election by 83,000. That sounded good, but the moral conscience of the people had not been learned. They had not learned that no man is strong enough in himself to defy the people. Election day came around and Herrick was defeated, running from 65,000 to 80,000 behind his ticket."

RESENTS INSULT BY MINISTER Town Marshal Called a Pumpkin Head Slaps Parson's Face.

Chillicothe, O., special: The village of Frankfort is excited over the sensational encounter between Rev. M. Wilson of the Presbyterian church and Strawder McNeal, who is the marshal of the place. Frankfort is a dry town, but there has been a great deal of whisky and beer imported, and in the pulp Rev. M. Wilson blamed the marshal for it. The pastor referred to the marshal as a pumpkin-head and a coward for failing to do his duty, and the marshal, who was present, jumped from his seat and called the pastor a liar. A riot was imminent, but the marshal left the church without trouble. Next morning the two men met in front of the postoffice and the marshal slapped the minister's face. Bystanders interfered and there were no arrests.

IS NO RESPECTER OF PERSONS Clerk Refuses Roosevelt's Unpaid Message and is Discharged.

Norfolk, Va., dispatch: Because he failed to receive and transmit a message from President Roosevelt to Mrs. Roosevelt during the president's recent southern tour a Western Union night clerk here has been dismissed. The clerk insists he merely carried out the rule not to accept any unpaid messages, but the explanation is not accepted by the officials of the telegraph company.

HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE.



Twenty-three years ago the Chinese exclusion act came into operation. Find an American.

BURN AND PILLAGE AT VLADIVOSTOK

Uprising Follows Departure of Armored Cruisers on Sunday.

CHINESE BUILDINGS IN RUIN

Great Mob, Egged on by Soldiers and Sailors Who Expected to Depart for Home, Makes Attack on Officers' Quarters.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 15.—The upheaval in Russia following the promulgation of the reform manifesto has now reached Vladivostok and Yenisiek and other extreme points of the empire. Confirmation has been obtained of the reported uprising at Vladivostok, where the condition of affairs is critical. Many persons have been killed and the foreigners have taken refuge on the ships in the harbor. Public buildings, stores and houses have been pillaged and burned by the mob.

A state of war has been declared in Vladivostok. Private advices say the Chinese quarter has been entirely destroyed and that the uprising is now under control.

The American embassy has received from Consul Greener at Vladivostok details of the outbreak, which began Sunday afternoon immediately after the departure of the Russian armored cruisers Gromoboi and Rossia. "The people, who had gathered in great crowds in the streets, became excited by inflammatory speeches. Many soldiers and sailors were also in an angry mood, having expected to go home with the squadron.

Mob Burns Buildings. The mob began to break windows and pillage, and in the evening set fire to the theater, the Golden Horn hotel, to several blocks of Chinese buildings in the northern part of the city and to the officers' residences and other buildings in the eastern quarter. The fires burned all night, and seventy buildings were consumed. Troops were summoned to restore order and fired frequent volleys, killing many persons.

Just before the American consul telegraphed Tuesday the commandant of the fortress of Vladivostok, assisted by priests and the leaders of the workmen's organization, addressed the mob, urging the people to keep the peace, but the consul said he feared the attempt would be in vain.

Mr. Greener added that twenty-four merchant vessels in the harbor were crowded with inhabitants. The consul was on board a steamer when he sent his dispatch, and he expects to remain there.

Poles Claim to Be Loyal. Count Witte has received from the Warsaw committee of the social democracy of Poland and Lithuania an indignant telegraphic denial of the charge that the present movement in Poland is designed to secure separation.

The Poles here also deny that they desire separation, understanding fully that Poland is between the hammer and the anvil.

The Polish delegation here is working hard to secure the co-operation of the liberals, social democrats and workmen's organizations in another general political strike in aid of the Poles' battle for autonomy, but thus far, while they have met with much sympathy, no action has been taken for their assistance.

AMBASSADOR AT WASHINGTON RECEIVES ADVICES FROM BRAZIL. Washington dispatch: Ambassador Nabuco of Brazil has received dispatches from the Brazilian foreign office announcing that the mutiny in the Santa Cruz fortress at Rio resulted in the killing of Major Digno and the wounding of a second lieutenant. The ambassador's advices say that the mutiny was one of the non-commissioned men against their superior officers.

Mrs. Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., Meets Success in Labrador Undertaking. New York dispatch: Mrs. Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., who has been exploring in Labrador and for whose safety fears were entertained, reported her successful completion of the expedition. The following telegram signed by her and dated at Chateau Bay, Quebec, was received by Herbert L. Erdigman of Brooklyn: "Successful. Will return home by the steamer King Edward."

SUITS ARE BEGUN TO TEST REBATES

Action Is Begun Against Shippers and Railroads at Milwaukee.

INVOLVES PRIVATE CAR LINES

Government Officials Contend That These Concerns are Only a Means Through Which the Carriers Manage to Evade Published Tariff.

Washington dispatch: Action has been commenced in Milwaukee under the anti-rebate clause of the interstate commerce act against the Pabst Brewing company, the Milwaukee Refrigerator Transit company, and the following railroads: Pere Marquette; Missouri, Kansas & Texas; Erie; Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific; St. Louis & San Francisco, and the Chicago & Alton.

These cases are regarded as of great importance by the Attorney General and will be pressed to as speedy hearing as a just regard for the interests of the defendants will permit. Other prosecutions are expected to follow between now and the first of the year and the program of the administration to keep the subject of interstate commerce law prominently before the public while the rate legislation is pending will be carried out.

Hope to Prove Rebating. The actions begun in the Wisconsin courts grow out of an investigation conducted by the commission during the past year, hearings being held at Chicago last May and in October. No finding was announced by the commission, but the facts developed were considered of such importance that they were submitted directly to the Department of Justice for action. The charge has repeatedly been made that the private car lines were generally used to cover rebating schemes by the railroads, and the commission expects to prove the charge in this case.

In the prosecution of the case District Attorney Butterworth at Milwaukee will be assisted by Charles Quarles, brother of former Senator Quarles. Mr. Purdy, assistant to the Attorney General, and Assistant Attorney General Pagin have also assisted in the preparations of the bills that are to be filed today.

Mr. Moody's Statement. Attorney General Moody made public the following statement concerning the suits:

"This case arises out of the following state of facts, which have been investigated by the interstate commerce commission, and by that body and also by private interests adversely affected brought to the attention of the Attorney General, and by him carefully considered.

"It appears that the Pabst Brewing company are large shippers of beer over the various railroads running from Milwaukee. Some of the principal stockholders of that corporation organized and own the Milwaukee Refrigerator Transit company, a corporation operating private cars. To the latter corporation the control of the shipments of the Pabst Brewing company was given by an agreement entered into between the two corporations named.

"The various railroads mentioned as defendants, while receiving as freight money the open and published rates for the transportation of commodities, have paid to the transit company, in whose private cars the beer was transported, a commission of about 12 per cent upon the amount of the freight money collected, with the effect, of course, that the net amount received for transportation by the railroad companies is so much less than the published and open rate.

"This petition is designed to test the legality of such payment, and is brought under the provision of the so-called Elkins law, which provides that a failure strictly to observe the published rates shall be a misdemeanor, and further provides that 'it shall be unlawful for any person, persons or corporations, to offer, grant, or give, or to solicit, accept, or receive, any rebate, concession, or discrimination in respect to the transportation of any property in interstate or foreign commerce, . . . whereby any such property shall, by any device whatever, be transported at a less rate than that named in the tariffs published and filed by the carrier.'"

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POISON FOR BAND OF INDIANS Twenty-Three Yaquis Die from Drinking Whisky Prepared by Rancher.

El Paso, Tex., dispatch: Twenty-three Yaqui Indians were killed by drinking poisoned liquor which a rancher had led to trap them. The Indians were on the war path and threatened to kill the rancher, who saw his only hope in poisoning the entire band. They drank freely of the liquor and died in great agony.

PAIR SLAIN ON BRIDAL NIGHT Newly Wedded Husband Found Dead With Revolver in Bride's Hand.

Norfolk, Va., dispatch: A special telegram says that Helen Hope, who was married to Randolph C. Johnson at Pergumans, N. C., was found dead in her bridal chamber with a pistol in her hand and a bullet wound through her head. Johnson was lying across the bed, dead, with three bullets in his head and body.

REWARD FOR ALLEGED SWINDLER Reward Offered by Dubuque Police for John Hoover's Arrest.

Dubuque, Iowa, dispatch: The local police authorities are making every effort to apprehend John Hoover, charged with swindling Thomas Mulgrew, a coal dealer, out of \$4,000 on a forged deed to farm property. A large reward is offered for his arrest. It has been learned that he operated extensively in the northwest during the last six months and cleared over \$40,000.

MERCHANTS ASK DEEP WATERWAY

Want Connection Between the Great Lakes and the Gulf of Mexico.

WOULD AID RATE REGULATION

Congress To Be Asked for Appropriations to Complete the Work Simultaneously with the Opening of the Panama Canal.

Chicago dispatch: Members of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, to the number of nearly 200, unanimously adopted a resolution at their banquet Friday night in which they voiced their desire for the construction of a deep water way by the government connecting the great lakes and the Gulf of Mexico, and urged the senators and congressmen from this state to use every honorable means in their power to secure an appropriation by congress for the work.

The resolution as read by Captain C. H. Smith of Aurora, president of the Western Wheel Scraper Company, following the address of Congressman Madden, in which he urged the people of the south to unite with the people of the middle west to secure a great water way connecting the lakes with the gulf for freight and government vessels. He declared that it would constitute a section of the interstate commerce law that would never be repealed and whose ability to fix and regulate freight rates none could question or gainsay.

The resolution concluded with the declaration that every immediate effort should be exerted to secure the necessary appropriation for the construction of the water way, to the end that it may be opened to the shipping of the nation simultaneously with the opening of the Panama canal to the shipping of the world. A copy will be sent to each Illinois senator and representative.

In the course of his address Congressman Madden said that the freight rate from Boston to Atlanta was no more than that charged from Boston to Chicago and the distance to the southern city was twice as great.

"The reason why the railways make the rate half as cheap as that to Chicago," he said, "is that they have to compete with the ship freight rates of the Atlantic coast. We do not have the advantage of such competition and consequently our freight costs us more."

In speaking of the proposed construction of a waterway for freight vessels he declared that every man that believes in fair play should aid in securing such a passageway and exert his influence in the fight against arbitrary and unfair freight rates.

Menace to the Country. "The time has come," he said, "when the transportation lines of the country are held and controlled by a few hands that are a menace to the country. Put too much power in a man's hands, politically or commercially, and he becomes arrogant. To the people should be protected from the aggressions of these powerful corporations into which they have breathed the breath of life. I believe we must have a restraining influence over the transportation lines for the protection of the various parts of the country."

Mr. Madden said that the time had come when the government should exercise control over the large corporations, and especially the transportation lines, and advocated that congress pass a law giving the interstate commerce commission power to readjust a rate whenever a complaint is made if it is unjust, and that the commission have authority to put the new rate in immediate force.

INVALID REWEDES HIS OLD WIFE Becomes Reconciled in Hospital and Marries at Bedside.

Kankakee, Ill., dispatch: Married thirty-five years, divorced eight months ago, then remarried Monday in the emergency hospital was the romantic experience of Eli Savere and Mary Savere. The aged groom recently was removed to the hospital in this city, seriously ill. His former wife learned of his condition, and came here from Iroquois to nurse him. The remarriage was planned and carried out at the bedside of the groom.

MUTINEERS ARE TO BE HANGED Court Passes Sentence on Two Sailors Convicted of Murder.

Wilmington, N. C., dispatch: Judge Purnell in the United States court sentenced Arthur Adams and Robert Sawyer, convicted of mutiny and murder on the schooner Harry A. Berwind, off this coast early in October, to be hanged January 26 in this city. Counsel for the prisoners are given thirty days to perfect an appeal. The jury in the case of the third of the defendants, Henry Scott, was unable to agree on a verdict.

Supreme Court Grants Plea of Indiana Life Prisoner.

LaPorte, Ind., special: Haley Gipe, a young man convicted of murder and given life sentence, has been taken to New Castle for the new trial granted him by the supreme court. A year ago a Mrs. Starbuck and infant child were found in a well with everything pointing to deliberate murder. Gipe was arrested and convicted of the crime.

JOAN OF THE SWORD ISLAND

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CHAPTER XI.—Continued.

The Prince of Courtland turned an angry countenance upon his friend, but the keen-witted Muscovite looked so kindly and yet so sadly upon him that after a while the severity of his face relaxed as it had been against his will, and with a quick gesture he added, "I believe you love me, Ivan, though indeed your words are no better than red-hot pincers in my heart."

"Love you, Louis?" cried Prince Ivan. "I love you better than any brother I have, though they will never live to thwart me as yours thwarts you—better even than my father, for you do not keep me out of my inheritance!"

Then in a gayer tone he went on: "I love you so much that I will pledge my father's whole army to help you, first to win your wife, next to take Hohenstein, Kernsberg and Marientfeld. And after that, if you are still ambitious, why—to Plassenburg and the Wolfmark, which now the Executioner's Son holds. That would make a noble kingdom to offer a fair and willful queen."

"And for this you ask—?"

"Only your love, Louis—only your love! And, if it please you, the alliance with that Prince of your honorable house, of which we spoke just now!"

"My sister Margaret, you mean? I will do what I can, Ivan, but she also is willful. You know she is willful! I cannot compel her love!"

The Prince Ivan laughed.

"I am not so complaisant as you, Louis, nor yet so modest. Give me my bride on the day Joan of the Sword Hand sleeps in the palace of Courtland, as its princess, and I will take my chance of winning our Margaret's love!"

CHAPTER XII.

Woman's Wilfulness.

Joan rode on, silent, a furlong before all her men. Behind her sulked Maurice von Lynar. Had any been there to note, their faces were not strangely alike in feature, and yet more curiously unlike in expression. Joan gazed forward into the distance like a soul dead and about to be reborn, planning a new life. Maurice von Lynar looked more like a naughty schoolboy whom some tyrant Fate, rod-wielding, has compelled to obey against his will.

Soon Castle Kernsberg floated up like a cloud before them above the blue and misty plain. But no word spoke Joan till that purple shadow had taken shape as stately stone and limestone and she could discern her own red lion flying abreast of the banner of Louis of Courtland upon the topmost pinnacle of the round tower.

Then on a little mound without the town she halted and faced about.

"Men of Hohenstein," said the Duchess, in a clear, far-reaching alto, "you have followed me, asking no word of why or wherefore. I have told you nothing, yet is an explanation due to you."

"It is the will of Joan of the Sword Hand! It is enough!" repeated the four hundred lances, like a class that learns a lesson by rote.

A lump rose in Joan's throat as she tried to shape into words the thoughts that surged within her. She felt strangely weak. Her pride was not the same as of old, for the heart of a woman had grown up within her—a heart of flesh. Surely that could not be a tear in her eye? No; the wind blew shrewdly out of the west, to which they were riding.

"I thank you, noble gentlemen," said Joan. "Now, as you say, let us ride into Kernsberg."

"And pull down that flag!" cried Maurice, pointing to the black Court-



Lay waiting on the slopes of the Jagernbergen.

land Eagle which flew so steadily beside the coronated lion of Kernsberg and Hohenstein.

"And pray, sir, why?" said Joan of the Sword Hand. "Am I not also Princess of Courtland?"

From woman's wilfulness all things somehow have their beginning. To woman's wantings may be traced all restraints and judgments, from the sword flaming every way about Edengate to the last merchant declared bankrupt and "dyvour" upon the exchange flags of Hamburg town. Eve did not eat the apple when she got it. She hastened to give it away. She

only wanted it because it had been forbidden.

So also Joan of Hohenstein desired to go down with Dessauer that she might look upon the man betrothed to her from birth. She went. She looked, and within her there grew up a heart of flesh. Then, when the stroke fell, that heart uprose in quick, intemperate revolt, and what might have issued in the dull compliance of a Princess, whose whole life was settled for her became the imperious revolt of a woman against an intolerable and loathsome impossibility.

So in her Castle of Kernsberg Joan waited. But not idly. All day long and every day Maurice von Lynar rode on her service. The hillmen gathered to his word, and in the courtyard the stormy voices of George the Hussite and Peter Balta were never hushed. The shepherds from the hills went to and fro, marching and countermarching, wheeling and charging, porting musket and thrusting pike, till all Kernsberg was little better than a barracks.

But there were two, at least, within the realm of the Duchess Joan who knew no drawbacks to their joy, who rubbed palm on palm and nudged each other for pure gladness. These (it is sad to say) were the military attaches of the neighboring peaceful State of Plassenburg. Yet they had been specially cautioned by their Prince Hugo, in the presence of his wife Helene, the hereditary princess, that they were most carefully to avoid all international complications. They were on no account to take sides in any quarrel. They must do nothing prejudicial to the peace, neutrality, and universal amity of the State and Princesdom of Plassenburg. Such were their instructions.

They promised faithfully.

Yet these two soldiers of fortune lay waiting on the slopes of the Jagernbergen, talking over the situation.

"A man surely has a right to his own wife!" said Jorian, taking for the sake of argument the conventional side.

"Narren-Possen, Jorian!" cried Boris, raising his voice to the indignation point. "Clotted nonsense! Who is going to keep a man's wife for him if he cannot do it himself?"

"The trouble is that so far she feels no necessity to be any one's wife," said Jorian.

"That also is nonsense," said Boris, who, spite his defense of Joan, held the usual masculine views. "Every woman wishes to marry, if she can only have first choice."

"There they come!" whispered Jorian.

Boris rose to his feet and looked long beneath his hand. Very far away there arose from the level green plain first one tall column of dense black smoke and then another, till as far as they could see to the left the plain was full of them.

"God's truth!" cried Jorian, "they are burning the farms and herds' houses. The Muscovite is out! These are Cossack fires. Bravo!! We shall yet have our Hugo here with his axe! He will never suffer the bear so near his borders."

"Let us go down," said Boris, "or we shall miss some of the fun. In two hours they will be at the fords of the Alla!"

"What do you here? Go back!" shouted Werner von Orseln, who with his men lay waiting behind the flood-banks of the Alla. "This is not your quarrel! Go back, Plassenburgers!"

"We have for the time being demitted our office," exclaimed Boris. "The envoys of Plassenburg are at home in bed, sick of a most sanguinary fever. We offer you our swords as free fighting men and good Teuts. The Muscovites are over yonder. Lord to think that I have lived to forty-eight and never yet killed even one boarded Russ!"

"You may mend that record shortly, to all appearance, if you have luck!" said Von Orseln grimly.

Now this is the report which Captains Boris and Jorian, envoys (very) extraordinary from the Prince and Princess of Plassenburg to the reigning Duchess of Hohenstein, made, upon their return from the fords of the Alla, to their home government.

Jorian, being of the rotund and complaisant faction, acquiesced in the proposal that he should do the writing. But as he never got beyond, "To our honored Lord and Lady Hugo and Helene, these—," there needs not to be any particularity as to his manner of acting the scribe.

Then he remembered that he knew where a secretary was in waiting. He would go and borrow him. Jorian entered their bedroom with a beaming smile, and the secretary held by the sleeve to prevent his escape. Both felt that the report was as good as written. It began thus:

"With great assiduity (a word suggested by the secretary) your envoys remembered your Highnesses' princely advice and command that we should involve ourselves in no warfare or other local disagreement. So when we heard by the troops of the Prince of Courtland, we were deeply grieved."

"Nevertheless, judging it to be for the good of our country that we should have a near view of the fighting, we left our arms and armor behind us, and went out to make observations in the interest of your Highnesses' armies."

"We found the soldiers of the Duchess Joan waiting at the fords of the Alla, which is the eastern border of their province. There were not many of them, but all good soldiers. The Courtlanders came on in myriads, with Muscovites without number. These last burned and slew all in their path."

"The men of Hohenstein being so few and those of Courtland with their allies so many, the river was overpassed both above and below the fords. Whereupon I pressed it upon Werner von Orseln that he should retreat to a place of greater hope and safety, being thus in danger on both flanks."

"This Werner von Orseln had fought all the day, and though most recklessly exposing himself, was still unhurt. His armor was covered with blood and black with powder after the fashion of these wild hot-bloods. His face also was stained, and when he spoke it was in a hoarse whisper. The matter of his discourse to us was this:

"I can do no more. My people are dead, my powder spent. They are



Jorian and Boris dictate a diplomatic report.

more numerous than the sea sands. They are behind us and before, also outflanking us on either side."

"Then we advised him to set his face to Hohenstein and with those who were left to him to retreat in that direction. We accompanied him, bearing in mind your royal commands, and eager to do all that in us lay to advance the interests of amity."

"In this manner the remnant of the soldiers of the Duchess Joan reached Kernsberg in safety—a result which, we flatter ourselves, was as much due to the zeal and persuasiveness of your envoys as to the skill and bravery of Werner von Orseln and the soldiers of the Duchess."

"And your humble servants will ever pray for the triumph of peace and concord, and also for an undisturbed reign to your Highnesses through countless years. In token whereof we append our signatures and seals."

"BORIS.
"JORIAN."

"Is not that last somewhat overstrained about peace and concord and so forth?" asked Jorian anxiously.

"Not a whit—not a whit!" cried Boris. "Our desire to promote peace needs to be put strongly, in order to carry persuasion to their Highnesses in Plassenburg. In fact, I am not sure that it has been put strongly enough!"

"I am troubled with some few doubts myself!" said Jorian, under his breath.

And as the secretary jerked the ink from his pen he smiled.

(To be continued.)

ONE OF LINCOLN'S STORIES.

Senator Foraker Uses Anecdote to Draw a Parallel.

Before Senator Foraker was elected to the office he now holds he practiced law in Cincinnati, says the New York American. It is said of him that his fees were larger than those of any other attorney in Ohio. It is generally known that he is a poor man so far as earthly possessions go. Senator Platt, of New York, asked him not long ago why he held himself down to a \$5,000 job, whereas if he confined himself to legal practice he could grow enormously rich.

"I am told that you get bigger fees," said the New Yorker, "that any other attorney out your way."

"Which reminds me of one of Mr. Lincoln's stories," answered the Ohioan. "When he was a boy one of his mother's neighbors was so poor as to excite the pity of all those who knew her. She had a world of children, and it was said of them that they never had enough to eat. When young Abe was trudging schoolward one morning he met one of the boys. His heart melted at the sight of the gaunt and hungry appearing lad, and quickly his hand went into his luncheon basket and drew forth a ginger cake. He broke it in twain and the boy gobbled it up. He gave him the other piece, and that went down the boy's throat in one gulp."

"You like ginger cakes, don't you?" inquired Abe of the widow's boy.

"I does," was his answer, "I likes 'em more and gits less of 'm than any boy in Sangamon county."

"And that is my story," continued the senator. "When I practiced law I liked big fees better than any one on earth, and got fewer of them than any other lawyer out my way."

Making a Sure Thing of It.

Johnson—Were you satisfied with your uncle's will?

Billings—Entirely. I took the precaution to become the attorney in the case.—Topeka Journal.

EASTERN SAGE VISITS AMERICA.

Honorable P. Ramanathan to Lecture in This Country.

There is now in Washington one of the most eminent and interesting foreigners who ever arrived in this country, the invited guest of Mr. Albert S. Dulin, regent of the Vedanta university. This distinguished personage is none other than the Honorable P. Ramanathan, K. C., C. M. G., solicitor-general of Ceylon, India—a great Jnana Yogi, or sage, and reputed to be one of the "Wise Men of the East." Mr. Ramanathan is considered to be the most learned jurist, philosopher and master of the English language in India. His works on jurisprudence are considered the best legal collation ever compiled by a Hindu scholar. His commentaries on religion and philosophy are voluminous, the most celebrated of which is his wonderful work entitled "An Eastern Exposition of the Gospels of Jesus." Unlike many Orientalists who have visited England and America for the purpose of proselyting Brahmanism and Buddhism, Mr. Ramanathan finds in our own Bible the essence of all religion and philosophy and expounds its marvelous spiritual teachings as only a Jnana Yogi can. The light he has thrown upon the Gospels of St. Matthew and St. John stands out in brilliant and luminous contrast with the expositions of these gospels as presented by our Christian theologians, either ancient or modern.

He comes to this country by the invitation of Myron H. Phelps, Albert S. Dulin and many other well-known educators distinguished for their learning



Hon. P. Ramanathan.

and spiritual knowledge. At Washington he will have the opportunity of expounding the Vedanta and Yoga philosophy this winter before the literary, scientific and philosophical audiences which will greet him.

Interest in Mr. Ramanathan's visit to America is being greatly intensified by the fact that he will not only deliver many lectures while here, but that his visit is of special significance when it is known that he comes to join hands with Albert S. Dulin, the founder of the International Vedanta, in establishing a new educational system of culture which will make for a higher individual and international civilization. It is believed by those who are familiar with the purpose that has called this great Hindu sage to America at this time that an educational system will be evolved by these gentlemen this winter which will contain the essence of all that is good in our present methods, but reinforced and enlarged by the learning and wisdom of the Orient.

Reward for Many Years Service.

After continuous employment for forty years, without losing a single day's work for any reason whatever and without a vacation during all those years, Vine Hovey, agent at Forest City, Mo., for the Burlington railroad, has been given a vacation which will last two years, his full pay going on for that length of time. Hovey is the oldest man in point of service on the Burlington system. At one time in Nevada he owned a mining claim near the famous Virginia mine for which he was offered \$450,000. He wanted \$1,000,000 and finally parted with it for a pair of old horses. Subsequently it was found that this was more than the claim was worth.—Exchange.

Large Sum for Opera Seats.

James Stillman, the New York banker, has established a new record as patron of opera, having obtained for the coming season two parterre boxes for a total of 101 performances, which at the rate of \$100 a performance, makes a total outlay on the part of the banker of \$10,100 for the pleasure of witnessing grand opera from the "diamond horseshoe." The owners of the celebrated first row of boxes—those upholstered in red plush and supplied with gold chairs—are, with a few exceptions, kind enough to allow certain of their friends to occupy their precious vantage points—for a consideration—and that consideration is \$100 per performance.

Nearest Star to Solar System.

Alpha Centauri, a bright star of the southern hemisphere, not visible in the United States, is the nearest star to the solar system. Yet it is 275,020 times as far from the earth as is the sun. That is, it is 25,000,000,000 miles away. The light of this nearest star requires four and one-third years to travel to the earth. Yet other stars are so much farther away from the earth that the distance to Alpha Centauri is a mere yardstick with which to measure their greater distances.

ILLINOIS NEWS

Choice items from over the state, specially selected for our readers

NINETAILS FOR WIFE BEATERS

Alton Judge Has no Mercy for Husbands Who Are Recreant.

Husbands who fail to contribute money for household expenses in Alton may face the whipping post. Magistrate Benjamin Rose, an Alton police judge, thinks seriously of acting upon the suggestion of a St. Louis woman, who has written him signing herself "Citizen," commending him for his efforts to establish women's rights in allowing the prudent housewife to pick her husband's pockets and urging him to use his influence for the establishment of a whipping post for cruel husbands. She flatters the Alton justice by comparing his wisdom with that of Solomon and says she surely will solve the divorce problem. Recently Judge Rose sentenced Ernest Burton to jail for wife abandonment because he admitted that he had deserted his wife because she had picked his pockets of 10 cents. He has received many communications from women commending his decision and urging him to keep up the crusade against thoughtless husbands.

WEALTHY FARMER IS MISSING

Police Authorities at Mount Carmel Searching for Henry Huffinger.

The police authorities of Mount Carmel have sent out information regarding the disappearance of Henry Huffinger, a wealthy young farmer, who has been missing since the middle of last month. It is feared he has met with foul play. The young man had gone to a village several miles away to make some purchases, but since then has not been seen. A number of small articles were found scattered along the road, indicating he had started on his way back home. There is no clew to his whereabouts. About five weeks ago Clyde Showalter, a young merchant, disappeared from Mount Carmel and nothing has been seen of him since then. When last seen he had considerable money with him, and his wife, who has offered a reward of \$500 for information leading to his whereabouts, fears he has been murdered for his money and his body thrown into the Wabash river. Both men were well known in southern Illinois.

THINK TRAIN VICTIM MURDERED

Elgin Police Find Man's Pockets Inside Out and Revolver Near.

The body of a man mutilated beyond recognition was found on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad just east of Elgin, and peculiar circumstances connected with the finding lead the officials to believe that the man was murdered and robbed and his body placed on the track. His pockets were turned wrong side out, and a revolver with one empty chamber was found near the scene. The body was well dressed. The body was strewn along the track for half a mile, and was ground to a pulp. The coroner has adjourned the inquest pending an investigation. The only marks of identification are the initials "A. F. A." found on the collar.

Color Rush at Urbana.

The Illinois freshmen defeated the sophomores in the annual color rush at Urbana after three-quarters of an hour devoted to fierce conflict. No one was injured, though several contending classmen were removed in fainting condition. The freshmen tied their colors to the top of a pole, which their enemies were unable to reach despite their terrific charges.

Beats Wife With Slab.

A heavy oak slab containing a number of large nails was the weapon used by Frank Crossland of Metropolis in a fatal assault on his wife, the result of domestic troubles. The attack occurred on one of the principal streets and the victim was beaten in a terrible manner about the head. Crossland is in jail.

File Big Mortgage.

The American steel foundaries of Granite have filed a mortgage in Edwardsville to the Colonial trust company of New York for \$6,000,000, to secure 6 per cent bonds of thirty-year tenure. The charge for recording the instrument was \$31.

Sets Fire to Train.

Some one set fire to a Clover Leaf train standing in the yards at Madison and before the flames could be extinguished a car of railroad supplies was destroyed.

Second Accident in Mine.

Andrew Rogers was killed by falling stone in the Dering mine at Westville, in the same mine in which Peter Aurill lost his life earlier in the day.

Install Shurtleff's New President.

Rev. Dr. John D. S. Riggs was installed Friday as president of Shurtleff college at Upper Alton. The ceremonies were attended by large numbers of alumni, friends of the college, and prominent Baptists throughout the state.

Charleston to Paris Road Licensed.

The secretary of state has licensed the corporation of the Charleston & Paris Traction company, which intends to construct a road from Charleston to Paris.

STATE ASSESSMENT RETURNS

Property Is Valued at Over Five Billions of Dollars.

The actual value of property in the state of Illinois is \$5,041,228,725, according to assessment returns received by the state board of equalization.

Returns from every county in the state, as made by local assessors on town and city lots, lands and personal property, give the total tax value as \$1,008,225,745, one-fifth of the property's true value.

These figures do not include railroad property, the capital stock of corporations, and other property assessed by the board of equalization.

The assessed value last year was \$993,487,840. Eighty counties show an increase of \$15,566,722 over last year's assessment, while in twenty-two there is a decrease of \$328,967, making the net increase over 1904 \$14,737,805.

Cook county shows an increase of \$4,535,173. The next largest increase is in Logan county, where it amounts to \$1,862,536. The largest decrease is \$153,371, in Monroe county.

The total assessment in Cook county is \$405,865,754. The next wealthiest county in the state is McLean. The report shows that the assessed value of property there is \$20,880,592. La Salle is third with \$18,046,017, and Sangamon stands fourth with \$17,524,084. Sangamon leads Peoria county by \$72,516.

The poorest county in the state is Hardin. Reports show that the assessed value of all its property is only \$430,313. The Pope county assessment is \$860,582, and Johnson county reports \$985,797.

FORBIDS FOOTBALL IN SCHOOL

Death of Alton Player Causes Board to Take Stern Action.

The Alton board of education has adopted a resolution placing a ban on the Rugby game of football, owing to the death of James Squires, a member of the Alton high school team, from injuries he sustained in a game more than two weeks ago. The football players have been forbidden to engage in any more games and have canceled their schedule. At Squires' funeral Rev. J. A. Scarritt, the officiating minister, declared that football is as bad as bull fighting.

Work on Tanner Monument.

Work on the monument to be erected at the grave of the late Governor John R. Tanner in Oak Ridge cemetery, Springfield, has been commenced. It is the intention of the contractors to lay the foundation this fall and to erect the superstructure next spring. The mausoleum is being erected by the John R. Tanner Monument association at a cost of \$22,000. It is to be constructed of white granite. The John R. Tanner monument will be erected just south of the Lincoln monument.

Sues His Mother-in-Law.

Thomas Boozan has begun suit in the Circuit court of Knox county against his mother-in-law, Mrs. Pauline Abbott, for the sum of \$5,000, which the plaintiff will claim on the trial of the case is due him from the defendant for the estrangement of his wife's affections. The suit is the sequel to a divorce suit between Mr. and Mrs. Boozan, which will be heard at the present term, it being the contention of the head of the family that the estrangement was brought about by his mother-in-law.

Death of Banker.

Francis J. Walker died at Champaign at the age of 89 years. He was in business constantly in that city for forty-eight years and was universally loved. He was vice-president and a director of the Champaign National Bank. Mr. Walker was a Royal Arch Mason, a Knights Templar and a member of Western Star Lodge, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons.

Farmers Elect Officers.

The Monroe county farmers' institute held a two days' session at Waterloo. The following officers were elected: President, Herman Muller of Renault; vice-president, Henry Stumpf; secretary, Louis P. Goedert; treasurer, Conrad Kolmer.

Celebrate Golden Wedding.

At Tinwell Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Long celebrated their fiftieth or golden wedding anniversary. They were married at Beardstown, Cass county, on Nov. 8, 1855, and have lived in the county the last thirty-five years.

Boy Killed Near Scotland.

Lee Draper, seven years old, fell under the wheels of a wagon loaded with corn near Scotland, and was killed. He was an orphan, making his home with Charles Miller, an uncle, of Prairie township.

Opera House for Duquoin.

The Duquoin opera house company has been incorporated, with a capital stock of \$15,000. The incorporators are W. R. Hayes, Samuel Cotton and John Forrester. A new opera house will be erected at a cost of \$25,000.

Casey Has Natural Gas.

Duff Bros. & McClintock, who hold a natural gas franchise in Casey, have completed the laying of their pipe system. Casey is the first city in the eastern Illinois oil and gas field to use natural gas.

QUAIL PLENTIFUL THIS YEAR

Restrictive Laws Tend to Increase Game Supply in the State.

The quail season opened Friday in Illinois and will last until Dec. 20, a period of forty days. The birds are unusually numerous this season throughout central Illinois, and the advance guard of hunters report fine sport. Restrictions placed upon these birds by the game laws in the last few years are having their effect, and the sport at the present time is fine. Hunters report a steadily growing opposition among farmers to trespassing upon farms in search of game, and it is difficult to find fields that are not marked by warning signs or with owners on guard. Prairie chickens are still scarce, although gradually growing more plentiful with each season. J. W. Grapes of Bloomington went to Big Island, returning with twenty-eight fine birds. Blue bill ducks are more plentiful than usual this year, but mallards and teal are scarce. A few canvasbacks have been shot, but as they are a deep water duck they are not partial to Illinois.

BOY DRUMMER TEN YEARS OLD

Mount Pulaski Lad Is Phenomenon in His Line.

Cary L. Robards, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Robards, is well known at Mount Pulaski and in neighboring towns as a drummer boy possessing more than ordinary talent for beating music from the snare drum. He is truly a "natural born" drummer and was named after his great-grandfather, Cary Tibury, who was a noted drummer in the war of 1812. At the early age of 2 years Cary could beat good time with the sticks, and when but 5 he led the Lincoln school drum corps at Springfield in the big parade on Bryan's day during the campaign of 1900. He figured prominently in the campaign of 1900 and 1904 at many rallies throughout central Illinois and always attracted attention and won admiration wherever he played.

ALLEGED SWINDLER IS CAUGHT

Man is Said to Have Worked the School Supply Scheme.

Word was received by Sheriff C. N. Clark of the arrest at Lexington, McLean county, of a man who is wanted in this county for swindling the Farmers' Exchange Bank at Fisher out of \$135. The game worked by the man was elaborate. He obtained from school officials their names by representing himself to be a representative of a Chicago supply firm. These names were then forged to orders, which he represented at the banks as having been given to him for supplies furnished to the schools in those districts. The scheme was tried on the banks at Rantoul and LeRoy without success, but it worked at Fisher, and it is said that a bank at Mahomet also cashed orders amounting to \$90.

Rowdy Captures Cane.

John Ryan of Sterling is mourning the loss of a fine cane which he carried for several years past, and which he lost in a peculiar way. In endeavoring to kick an obnoxious character out of his place of business he kicked so hard that he fell over backward, the force of the swing he gave his kick upsetting him. In his fall he threw up his hands and let go of the cane. The man he was after grabbed the cane and ran off with it. Mr. Ryan offers a reward for the return of the cane.

Must Stamp the Letters.

Rural letter carriers will hereafter refuse to take unstamped mail from the boxes along their respective routes. Heretofore farmers have been dropping unstamped mail in the boxes and deposited the pennies for postage, but such methods will not be permitted in the future. The stamps must be affixed by the patrons or the mail matter will be left in the box.

Girl's Skull Crushed by Colt.

A probably fatal accident befell Marie McCollum, the nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCollum, living four miles northeast of Paris. The child was assisting an older brother to capture a colt, when the animal kicked her in the forehead. The skull was crushed.

Crushed to Death.

Eugene Palmer, inspector of locomotives on the Illinois Central, was caught between an engine and car at Clinton and killed. He was formerly an engineer on the Baltimore & Ohio.

New Bank for Norris City.

A certificate has been issued authorizing the First National bank of Norris City to begin business with a capital of \$25,000.

East Indian Lectures in America.

Prof. Sathianadham, from the presidency college, Madras, India delivered five lectures at the Harvard theological seminary. He has had a brilliant career as teacher and author in his native country.

Russian Honored by Japan.

Dr. Elger of Warsaw, a Jewish doctor in the Russian army, who is at present a prisoner of war in Japan, has been elected an honorary member of a scientific section of the University of Tokio.

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CONGRESSMAN FULLER'S petitions asking for renomination to congress from the twelfth district, are in the field. According to the new primary law it is necessary to secure five per cent of the vote cast upon the petition. The indications are that Mr. Fuller will have no opposition. If there are any who have had any idea of asking for the honor, they have no doubt reached the conclusion that there is no chance to defeat the present incumbent. Mr. Fuller has established a record for himself in Congress, not only as a faithful servant of his constituents, but as a man of broad ideas which he is capable of expressing with oratorical powers second to few in the nation. We cannot afford to set aside such a man.

A Mob at Henderson, Texas, broke all records last Saturday when three negroes were taken from the jail and lynched. The act of hanging negroes in Texas was not remarkable itself, but the fact that not a loud word was spoken nor a shot fired during the triple murder breaks the record. This is doing even better than the

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mobs of Russia. The negroes who were lynched probably felt highly honored in being handled by such a mob. Can not the blood stained mobs of Russia take a lesson from this.

AFTER a little more than two years of uphill work in trying to make a go of it in Belvidere the Northwestern Printing and Publishing Co. has at last given up the ghost. The plant will be sold at auction Saturday of this week to satisfy the mortgage. It is not likely that any attempt will be made to launch the Northwestern Daily again. The field is not large enough for two dailies.

THE deer hunting season has opened in Wisconsin. Now for another long list of accidental deaths. Not deaths of deer, but of hunters. If every green hunter who goes to the wilds were given an entire county in which to shoot at random there would no doubt be less mourning as an aftermath.

THE corn crop this year in the United States is about 2,000,000,000 bushels. Plenty of chances for the husking machine to get in its work and a great opportunity for the hand husker to invent new stories of his staying powers.

THE man who can invent perpetual international peace will be honored forever, but the person who invents a practical bail for an ash pan will be glorified.

FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

The Tree Game Combines Sport and Useful Information.

A nice amusement for the country is a tree party. Ask mother some pleasant day to let you invite a number of your friends over to spend the afternoon. When tired of playing romping games form a circle on the grass and pass among the guests numbered cards, on which are pasted real leaves from different kinds of trees.

Opposite the number ask the players to write the names of the trees from which they think the leaves were taken. The player who makes a correct list is crowned with a wreath of ferns or oak leaves.

On the other side of the cards have the following questions written for your guests to answer:

What part of a tree is like a dog? The bark. What part of a tree is like going away? Leave. What part of a tree is like an elephant? The trunk. What part of a tree is like a hog? Root. What tree is not I? Yew. What tree never fades? Evergreen. What tree will never be younger? Elder.

A Lad With an Appetite.

A Tartar boy was noticed by a traveler picking up bits of tallow dropped from a candle and eating them as you would candy. To see how much he would eat this man gave the whole candle. The boy was delighted and munched it down and eagerly looked for more. He was given a second and then a third candle, when the man thought candles were too expensive to be gobbled up in this reckless fashion. He gave the boy, who was five years old, several pounds of sour frozen butter—dreadful stuff. The young Tartar ate it greedily. The traveler, seeing that he was still hungry for more delicacies, next offered a large piece of yellow soap.

Did the boy refuse this? Not he! He ate every bit of it and asked for more.

Game of Globe Party.

One player takes a handkerchief, and, throwing it at another, cries, "Europe!" A timekeeper then begins counting ten rather rapidly, and the person to whom the handkerchief is thrown must name some place, river, mountain, person or thing connected with the countries of Europe before No. 10 is reached. It may be arranged that the person answering correctly puts the next test question; if incorrectly or unable to answer, a forfeit must be paid.

The players must be alert and alive, for often the one throwing the handkerchief looks at one while throwing it in quite another direction.

Buried Countries.

1. That man has raised my anger many times.
2. I am afraid the operation is painful, but you will profit by it.
3. It is odd how many girls wed Englishmen.
4. Your aunt and I agree, Cecelia, that you must go away to school.
Answers: 1, Germany; 2, Spain; 3, Sweden; 4, Greece.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Chronicled by an Able Corps of Correspondents

Burlington

Walt Kirk was a Genoa visitor last Friday.

Tom Casey of Genoa was in town Friday.

Ed Craft was in Elgin on business last Wednesday.

Ben Ellithorp of Elgin was a caller last Wednesday.

A. Fuller of Kingston was here on business Thursday.

Cecil Smith of Rockford spent Sunday with his mother.

Alfred Cochran was in Genoa on business last Thursday.

H. Hattendorf was in Plato Center on business Tuesday.

Mrs. John Mann visited with friends and relatives over Sunday.

Henry Phingston transacted business in Genoa last Wednesday.

Mrs. C. C. Godfrey visited her parents in St. Charles over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Bischell returned Sunday evening from a few days' visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Jas. Hutchison of Genoa visited at the home of her son, James, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Perkins of Elgin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lamboley.

Mrs. Alfred Beal is visiting with relatives in McHenry and Crystal Lake this week.

Mrs. M. J. Witter of Kingston and Mrs. C. M. Koch of Genoa spent Saturday and Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Shipman of Riley visited at the home of the latter's brother, EJ Rogers, Tuesday.

The Ladies Aid were entertained at the home of Mrs. Samis on last Thursday. At noon a most inviting chicken pie dinner was served. A large crowd attended and the Ladies' are well pleased with the snug little sum that was made.

No charge for cashing checks on Marengo, Sycamore or Belvidere at Farmers' State Bank, Genoa. Also interest on deposits. No charge for issuing drafts.

A Disastrous Calamity

It is a disastrous calamity when you lose your health, because indigestion and constipation have sapped it away. Prompt relief can be had in Dr. King's New Life Pills. They build up your digestive organs, and cure headache, dizziness, colic, constipation, etc. Guaranteed at Hunt's Pharmacy; 25c.

South Riley

Boyde Wallace spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. Dell Sears called on Mrs. Frank Fellows Monday.

Miss Sylvius spent the Sabbath with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson were on our streets Sunday.

Bertha Mackey has returned from her visit at Pipestone, Minn.

Several from here attended the foot ball game at Marengo Friday, between Marengo and Harvard. The former won by a score of 5 to nothing.

There will be a basket social in this district, no. 6, Nov. 24. A thanksgiving program will be given beginning at 8 o'clock. A prize will be given to the lady who brings the oddest basket, also home made candy for sale, everyone come and have a good time.

Try a can of Chinalac. Nothing like it for making old furniture look like new. Any woman can apply it. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

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Pure Pennsylvania Buckwheat Flour at T. M. Frazier's.

Herbert

Mrs. Ledford was a passenger for Sycamore last Friday.

Fred Reek went to Chicago Monday night with a car load of hogs.

S. Davis received a car of bran and a car of Indiana block coal this week.

Thomas Reed is now an employe of the People's bank at Belvidere.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Witt are here from Oklahoma, the guests of relatives.

Mrs. Lydia Graves went to DeKalb last week where she will remain for some time.

Mrs. J. King of Nevada, Iowa, was called here by the serious illness of Mrs. Wm Witt.

Lew Thornton, who was confined to the house with an attack of blood poison, is able to attend school again.

Mrs. Wm. Witt who has been in a critical condition for some time is somewhat improved at present writing.

W. H. Robinson has refused the agency for the C & N W. at Cherry Valley, deciding this to be the better position.

A. F. Hatch returned Saturday from an extended visit of several months with relatives at his old home in New York state.

Mrs. L. Shorey went to Henrietta Monday to see her little grandson, who is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

The ladies of the Davis church are making preparations for their annual bazaar and fair which will be held at Reed & Davis hall Dec. 14.

A large crowd was in attendance at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Davis church which was held at the home of Mrs. Merrill last Thursday. A fine dinner was enjoyed and an interesting program given.

While Wrate Hill was engaged in unloading a car of bran Tuesday his horses became frightened by the falling of a car door and started at a lively gait down the street but were stopped by coming in contact with a barbed wire fence. One of the horses received a few cuts.

A FOOLISH PLAN



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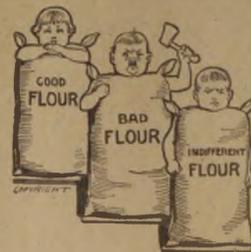
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That Are of
General In-
terest to All

DOINGS OF THE WEEK ABOUT THE TOWN

John Riddle of Elgin was here Tuesday.
J. D. Page of Harvard was here Monday.
When in doubt try Puritan flour Slater & Douglas's.
Slater & Douglas have the best line of under wear.
F. A. Holly spent Sunday at his home in McHenry.

Albert Hall has moved into the Quanstrong flat building.
Prof. Quick of Chicago spent Sunday with his wife in this city.
Jos. Kessel, the barber, was a Chicago visitor Sunday and Monday.

Miss Della Kiernan of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday at home.
Mrs. Flint of Elgin visited with Genoa friends the first of the week.

Walter Farrall of Elgin was calling on Miss Mary Ginnell Sunday.

Chas. Maderer moved into his comfortable new home on Emmett street Tuesday.

Mrs. O. W. Taylor and daughters were guests the past week of relatives at Nev.

E. Adler has moved into the new house recently built by C. A. Brown on Emmett street.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kinney of Chicago were Sunday guests at the home of J. A. Patterson.

Michael Getzleman and wife of Hampshire called on the latter's son, Chas. Maderer, Monday.

Mrs. Wright of Sandwich was a guest at the home of her brother, R. S. Mitten the first of the week.

Mrs. M. M. Galloway of Chicago was a guest last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Jackman.

Mrs. S. A. Waite and grand-children of Pingree Grove were guests at the home of L. Robinson Saturday.

Mrs. J. E. Whitwer returned to her home in Janesville, Wis., Friday after a two weeks' visit with Genoa friends.

Miss Lila Chamberlain of Chicago was a Sunday visitor at the home of her mother, who lives south of Genoa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fenton of Sycamore were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown, Saturday.

L. E. Patterson left for Woodstock Monday where he has purchased half interest in E. A. Sowers' billiard and pool parlors.

New waistings at Olmsted's. Furs, Furs, Furs at Olmsted's. Choice box stationery at Hunt's Pharmacy.

Get a ticket on the chair at F. W. Olmsted's. New cloaks every week at F. W. Olmsted's.

It doesn't take a fat purse to trade at Olmsted's. Chocolate chips—the kind the girls like—at Hunt's Pharmacy.

Good material and good workmanship at F. W. Olmsted & Co. Olmsted & Co. have a splendid line of new fur coats and felt boots.

Jackman & Son sell kindling and cobs. Put some in for the winter.

Fred Browne and W. J. Prain were DeKalb visitors last Friday evening.

For drugs, sundries and coun-
tous treatment call at Hunt's Pharmacy.

A large number from here at-
tended the dance at Herbert last Friday night.

Fred Johnson of Sandwich spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

John Leonard left Sunday for Chicago where he has secured employment.

Parties having wood to saw or corn to shell call on Geo. Kanies, 'phone 82.

We have a few second hand stoves for sale at a bargain. See them. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

The fast trains on the I. C. R. R. will return passengers to Genoa Sunday morning and evening.

Stoves, stoves, stoves of all descriptions, all kinds and at all prices at Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duffy left last Thursday morning for Harrison, Ohio, to spend the winter.

Fred Holroyd has returned after a two months' trip thru the western states as salesman for the Eureka Electric Co.

Probably the youngsters are expecting a new suit this fall. Just come in and satisfy their needs at Olmsted & Co.

Put in a load of kindling or cobs. Just the thing for a quick fire in the cold winter morning. Jackman & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lorenzen and children of Rockford were here several days last week the guests of the latter's father, E. P. Foote.

Jas. Hammond has excavated and is now putting in the foundation for a new house on the corner just east of the place he recently sold to Mrs. King.

While starting the gasoline engine at Jackman & Son's elevator Tuesday J. W. Sowers sprained his ankle necessitating a short lay-off from his work.

Miss Pearl Pickett will do your sewing in your own home either by the day or week. Leave orders with her at the home of O. M. Barcus, on East Main street.

It has been decided that the I. C. will be the route for Chicago and return Saturday. See E. H. Browne for time of trains going and returning also liberal return limits.

I am ready to do grinding and crushing at Andrew Olmsted's mill every Saturday. Will guarantee you your feed back. There will be no tolling done. 10-21* Wm. Hecht.

The G. W. C. will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Sager next Wednesday at the usual hour. At the meeting this week Mrs. J. A. Patterson was admitted as a member. The club is now delving into French history which, altho a difficult study is decidedly interesting.

Mrs. Electa Patterson is on the sick list.
For sale—21 good fall pigs and one boar. J. E. Bowers. 10-17
Lost—Steel coal chute. Re-ward it returned to Jackman & Son.

S. L. Waters and wife of Chicago visited Mrs. Waters over Sunday.

Mrs. John Black of Winsloe, Ill., was the guest of Mrs. D. S. Lord Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Chapman of King-ton is the guest of her niece, Mrs. D. S. Lord.

Headquarters for washing machines. Three kinds in stock. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Mrs. Ed. Nasu who recently submitted to an operation in a Chicago hospital is recovering nicely.

Why don't you deposit your money in the Farmer's State Bank and get 3 per cent interest for six months? Try it. 37-11

The Farmer's State Bank has to sale the lots in Morningside Addition. If you wish to purchase call and see them. 15-11

If you want to buy a residence at any price from \$500 to \$5000 come and see me. I can fit you. D. S. Brown, at Exchange Bank, Genoa, Ill. 15-11

Ellis Conter has signed the contract with the government to carry the mails between the depots and post office, taking up his duties this week.

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I want to sell a residence, well located, fit to live in and at a price that is right. If you want to buy, call and investigate. D. S. Brown.

The Republican-Journal has recently turned out a large variety of souvenir postal cards with Genoa views, ordered by E. H. Browne, who now has them on sale.

Rorabaugh's team and dray had

a collision with the milk car as it was being placed on the siding at the Illinois Central depot Wednesday evening. The wagon tongue was broken and one horse was crippled, tho not seriously. The car was moving slowly which accounts for the slight damages.

The committee of the M. W. A. on transportation has arranged with the I. C. for the \$1.75 rate to Chicago and return Saturday, the 18th. Members of the M. W. A. should bear in mind that the Illinois Central lands the passengers within three blocks of starting point of the grand parade and the meeting place, Armory D, is close to depot.

Mrs. King bought S. H. Stiles' barn last week and it was moved onto the lot in the citizens' addition, recently purchased of James Hammond. The work of moving was in charge of Wm. Abraham.

Three horses for sale—One black horse 4½ years old, trotter; one sorrel mare 5 years old; one gray horse 10 years old. All good, broken single and double. Thos. Aichholzer, creamery, New Lebanon, Ill.

The cement block wall for Amber Durham's new house on Emmett street is finished and makes one of the most substantial as well as attractive foundations in the city. The blocks are all rock faced, giving the appearance of having been cut from stone. The blocks are hollow, thus making them a protection against frost.

C. A. Goding is the sole agent for the old I. W. Harper Rye and there never was a barrel of it shipped to Genoa to any other dealer. Bernheim Distilling Co., Louisville, Ky. 8-3mo

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh, being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. I. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

R. D. Holmbeak of Egin visited his parents Monday. \$3.00 to \$5.00 a day can be earned by competent and refined ladies. Call or write to room 302 Garden City Block, Chicago. 10-21*

Chas. Saul, who has been manager of E. A. Sowers' billiard parlors at Woodstock, has returned to Genoa and taken a position in the shoe factory.

Attorney G. E. Stott, Dr. T. N. Austin and Undertaker S. S. Slater were in Chicago Tuesday. Who can fathom the meaning of such a combination?

Dr. Vaughn was the guest of his uncle, Jas. Hewitt the first of the week. He will soon begin

practicing in Wisconsin, having recently graduated from a medical college.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred. G. Robinson at Aberdeen, S. D., last Sunday. Mrs. Robinson was formerly Miss Ella Hines.

Jos. A. Patterson left for Sioux City, Iowa, Saturday, and from there will go to South Dakota for a few days. He will return the latter part of this week.

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FARM ORCHARD AND GARDEN



[Mr. Wragg invites contributions of any new ideas that readers of this department may wish to present, and would be pleased to answer correspondents desiring information on subjects discussed. Address M. J. Wragg, Waukegan or Des Moines, Iowa.]

PLAN FOR THE WINTER'S RATION.

It is time that every dairyman should carefully consider what he is going to feed his cows during the coming winter. Those who have an abundance of clover hay have much to be thankful for, as this contains a large proportion of protein, so essential in milk production. He that can give his cows all the good hay they will consume need give no thought to the high price of commercial foods.

One of the very best grain rations to go with clover hay is a combination of half and half ground oats and barley, oats and corn or oats and wheat. If there is no clover, wild hay, timothy or corn fodder must take its place. As these are all deficient in small amount of linseed meal or some other highly nitrogenous food to balance up the ration, or if there is an abundance of oats at hand they may be made the principal of the grain ration, as they are very rich in protein. Either good wild hay, timothy or corn fodder, or a combination of two of these or of all three with a grain ration made up almost exclusively of ground oats makes as cheap and almost satisfactory a ration as can be compounded by science. If the good milkers are given all of this roughage they will consume, and about one pound of ground grain to each cow, of the animal feed, and divided into two feeds, there is no doubt that the results will be satisfactory, providing the cows are inclined to give milk, are comfortably housed, regularly fed and receive kind treatment. We would, of course, prefer some sort of succulence, as roots, or to have the corn fodder in the shape of silage.

While we have come to believe that the silo is the best and the cheapest means of handling corn fodder, we do not claim that silage is indispensable in obtaining good results, as we have ourselves made quite ordinary cows bring a revenue of \$50 per year without either roots or silage.

Fall pruning of the vine is much more prevalent than formerly, and is fast growing in favor. The prejudice that February only was the proper time to prune vines is fast passing away. Although the vine has yielded its fruit and lost its foliage, the sap is still at work performing its functions in maturing and ripening the wood. This being the case it is fair to presume that the less it has to do, i. e., the less wood it has to ripen, the more perfectly it will do its work; hence the removal of all wood not needed for next year's fruiting is so much relief to the vine. The wood if to be used for propagating purposes is all the better for not being hardened sufficiently to stand exposure during winter. The weather this month is milder and more favorable for pruning and more comfortable for the operator than mid-winter. The snow, and often intense cold, render winter pruning anything but an agreeable job.

SELECTION OF SEED POTATOES.

Potatoes to be used for seed ought to be selected the previous fall. Only medium-sized tubers should be used. The practice of selecting small potatoes of unmarketable size for seed is contrary to the principles of plant breeding. Growers should select seed which is typical of the potatoes they wish to produce. Neither the largest nor smallest are best, but those of uniform size.

These potatoes during the winter should be kept in a cool cellar, where they will be subject neither to frost nor to heat from the furnace. If a cellar furnishing the proper conditions cannot be secured, then the potatoes should be banked in the fall and covered securely with straw and earth to keep them from freezing.

It is often thought that in order to get good seed potatoes it is necessary to purchase from Maine each year, or from some point farther north. This practice, while occasionally advisable, is not necessary each year. If we select our best tubers for seed and keep them as they should be kept, they will be as good seed potatoes as can be secured anywhere.

In cutting the seed tubers each piece cut should be of good size, and should contain one bud or more. The number of buds which is contained in each piece of potato is not so important as it is that each piece be of good size. The cutting should receive the personal supervision of the farmer, and not be entrusted to hired help, unless it is most reliable.

If the potatoes are cut into long, thin strips, a large surface is exposed from which evaporation takes place. Where the planting is followed by dry weather as it was last spring, the piece of potato may dry out so that the bud will never commence growth.

FALL PLANTING.

There is doubtless a question in the minds of many about planting in the fall or waiting until spring. It may be that there are only a few trees grape vines or berry bushes to be planted, but to those who need these few things it is a matter of importance.

The decision as to whether or not to buy and plant in the fall largely depends on where it is to be done. In the prairie States north of Texas, I would say not to do it, but over a large portion of the country, especially east of Ohio and Kentucky, I would say to plant at that time. The objection to fall planting in the central part of the country is the damage that comes from the drying out of the tops and roots during following winter, before they have become firmly fixed in the ground. The sudden changes of temperature and especially the long and windy cold spells are very trying to newly planted trees. It is not so bad on berry bushes or anything that does not have much exposed surface above ground. Where the climate is moist and they are planted early enough to form rootlets before cold weather, there is likely to be ability to safely endure it; but when there are not roots with tender, absorbent parts, and in moist soil, to take up water to replenish that which is carried off through the tops there is sure to be injury done.

In many cases it is a decided advantage to plant in the fall. In nearly all parts of the East and South and on the Pacific Slope, this is true. Nor should the ordering be put off until late. The earlier the nurserymen have the orders the sooner they can prepare to fill them, and the sooner they can be delivered. The cost is usually a little less in fall than in spring, and sometimes the stock is of a better grade.

One thing that can be done almost anywhere is to buy nursery stock in the autumn and heel-in or bury until spring. Then it can be taken up and planted in good season, and often before it is possible to get it from the nurseries at that time of year. But the heeling-in must be well done. The soil should be sifted and trampled well between the roots after opening all large bundles, and the earth piled up to their tops. In the prairie region I used to literally bury all stock that I got in the fall and it paid me to do it.

In many important European markets receipts of American apples have practically doubled every year for the past years. In 1901 there were exported from this country 1,600,000 barrels of apples. In 1902, 2,200,000 were shipped out. Cold storage and rapid transit have brought the whole world in touch with the Ozark apple grower. Apples have been sold in Hamburg and Liverpool within 18 days from the time they hung on the trees in our Ozark orchards.

A PLEASING PLANTITUDE.

If half a feller's dreams of fame, Contentment, riches, honored name, Were realized, he'd have you see, No time at all for misery. His face would wear no worried frowns, He'd never know the ups and downs, The ins and outs that make folks blue— If half a feller's dreams came true.

He'd want no more than half, I'm sure, To warrant him he'd ne'er be poor In worldly goods; to guarantee His heart would be as light and free; To prove, forthwith, beyond a doubt, He'd win in all he went about, O'ertake each thing he desired pursue— If half a feller's dreams came true.

As towering peak, as arching sky, A feller builds his dreams as high; As mighty continents and seas, A feller's dreams are broad as these! And so it's easy, quite, to see Such opulent immensity, Would well suffice, though cut in two, And only half our dreams came true. —Exchange.

NOTES ON THE TULIP TREE.

This beautiful large tree is a member of the magnolia family. In some sections it is known as yellow poplar or whitewood tree and in others as the tulip tree. The large tulip-shaped, fragrant flowers appearing in June readily suggest this latter name. The leaves are large, fresh looking and most singularly lobed, their peculiar form having given rise to a local name in some places of the "fiddle tree." Their fall coloring is a pleasing yellow. It is in the winter season that its handsome, evenly tapered trunk, especially in young specimens, can be admired.

When established, its growth is rapid, and in time it becomes a very large tree. It is not easily transplanted unless quite young, and then its removal should only be attempted in the spring, says Gardening.

We are pleased to announce that we have found the tulip tree reasonably hardy in central Iowa, and know of many specimens 25 to 30 feet high standing in Madison, Polk and adjoining counties. They were brought here by the early settlers, who came from Indiana, and brought them directly from the forest.

HOW TO STORE HONEY?

Honey absorbs moisture, and if kept long in a cool, damp place it will become thin and watery and lose its original flavor. It may not spoil if it freezes if the air surrounding is perfectly dry, but damp cold is injurious. If the honey gathers dampness and then freezes, the combs will crack and the honey run down the outside, and it never looks or tastes quite as nice as it did before.

An ideal place to keep honey is where it is dry all the time and never freezes. The kitchen, a warm room over the kitchen, or the attic is the best place I know of without preparing a special place warmed artificially. Perhaps it is not necessary to hint that mice must be excluded. Extracted honey, too, needs to be kept in a warm, dry place, unless it is in sealed cans completely excluding the air. One reason why more honey is not used is because so few persons know how to keep it in its original excellence.

INSTITUTE NOTES.

The farmer's institute is not complete without the farmer's wife and daughter. They take more interest in the discussions than the good man imagines. They are entirely competent to take part and should be invited and urged to do so.

The institutes that do not have night sessions make a mistake. The townspeople should always be invited to these and the addresses should be of a character to interest both town and country. Townspeople are more interested in farm matters than farmers sometimes imagine, and every night session of an institute would do much to awaken interest in the day discussions and promote good feeling between the town and country.

The institutes are teaching farmers how well they can talk on farm questions. We have seen many a farmer, when called upon to speak on some topic on which he was known to have experience declare positively that he could not do so. When at last he was good naturedly forced to give his views, he surprised both himself and his neighbors by the fluency and fitness of his remarks.

The institutes are showing farmers how they may co-operate in many ways; for example, in mutual insurance, in co-operative buying and selling, in the establishment of horse companies, creameries, canning factories and other enterprises which fall without active co-operation. They are fast molding the different elements in a community in to a harmonious whole imbuing them with a common life, showing them how nearly they are brethren in fact as well as in name. Americanizing the foreigner and teaching the native American the sterling virtues which a large percent of our foreign population have. Out of this harmonious blending will arise one of the finest examples of independent, self-reliant, intelligent farm life that any country has ever seen.

Mr. Miller of Nebraska writes: "I enclose you some leaves from what I bought for Vincennes grape. Can you tell me what it is? I also bought such things as Paconies, and I find by good authority that the nurseryman who furnished the stock has sent me Yucca. I bought Althea and Hydrangea, and they furnished Lilacs. I spent \$50 and have but little that I bought, and nothing true to name."

In reply to Mr. Miller will say that it is only another instance of misplaced confidence. It was his duty before placing an order of this size with an agent to know positively if the company that he represented existed, and that he was going to get fair treatment. It is no worse than the patent-right swindler, the cloth-vender, the Bohemian oats graft and dozens of other swindlers that are all the time being perpetrated. We think it is a fair rule to adopt to only deal with firms at home, or those that advertise in reputable farm papers, who have a standing not only at home but abroad.

The leaves received in the letter are not from grapes at all, but are currant leaves, showing conclusively that currant bushes had been substituted for grape vines.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Wm. A. Potter*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

You may call the ancient coffee pot one of the old settlers.

"SPIRAL" RAILROADS IN AFRICA.

Engineers Have Successfully Overcome Unusual Difficulties. In the construction of the Amabele-Butterworth railway, in Cape Colony, unusual difficulties had to be surmounted, and the result is, from an engineering point of view, one of the most remarkable railways in existence. After passing through the Kei hills the line winds round another hill, and then, at the lower level, goes under its own track. This portion of the railway is known as the "spiral." At another point the line travels along the bank of the Mangulu river for two miles and then doubles back for a mile and a half, so that after covering three and a half miles the train is really only half a mile to the good. This section is called the "zigzag," and, with the spiral, is unique in South Africa. All along the Kei heights the route is through cuttings or on embankments. Some idea of its extraordinary character may be formed from the statement that in eighteen miles the line falls, or rises, to the extent of 1,560 feet.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Get at the Cause.

Sacramento, Ky., Nov. 13th (Special)—A typical illustration of the way Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure Rheumatism is well told by Catherine Devine, who is very well known here. She says: "For over four years I was greatly troubled with Rheumatism. It used to take me worst in my legs and feet. At times I would be so bad I could not put my feet to the ground. As I am over seventy-three years of age I began to think I was too old to get cured and should have to bear my Rheumatism the best way I could. But I heard about Dodd's Kidney Pills and thought I would give them a trial. So I got a box and began taking them. Well, I must say Dodd's Kidney Pills did me a wonderful lot of good. They eased the pain from the first, and today I am in better health than I have been for many years."

Strange Blunder of Great Jurist.

The proverbial inability of eminent lawyers to frame their own wills so as to command the support of the courts has been again illustrated by the invalidating of the will of the late Chief Justice Paxton of the Supreme court of Pennsylvania. He devised a large portion of his landed property for the establishment of an agricultural school for poor boys. Under the Pennsylvania law wills containing charitable bequests must have the signatures of subscribing witnesses. But the chief justice forgot all about the witnesses and his bequest has been held void.

ITCHING SCALP HUMOR.

Lady Suffered Tortures Until Cured by Cuticura—Scratched Day and Night.

"My scalp was covered with little pimples and I suffered tortures from the itching. I was scratching all day and night, and I could get no rest. I washed my head with hot water and Cuticura Soap and then applied the Cuticura Ointment as a dressing. One box of the Ointment and one cake of Cuticura Soap cured me. Now my head is entirely clear and my hair is growing splendidly. I have used Cuticura Soap ever since, and shall never be without it. (Signed) Ada C. Smith, 309 Grand St., Jersey City, N. J."

Ruins of Fortified Village.

In building the foundation for a lunatic asylum, workmen at Carshalton discovered the ruins of a fortified British village covering about four acres. The pottery and other objects found in it indicate that the fortress had been occupied up to half a century before Christ.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years a doctor pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly falling to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH CURE, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only medicinal cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from five drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. It offers one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Paul Elder and Company, San Francisco, announce for publication in November "The Critique of Socialism," by Edward F. Adams, first delivered as an after dinner address before the Ruskin club of Oakland. It is stated to be an arrangement of Socialism in style somewhat droll, but with a serious purpose.

The Isthmian Canal.

Now that the Canal Treaty has been ratified, we may expect to see work resumed in a short time, and the great canal-ships, carrying huge loads of Pillsbury's Vitos to all parts of the world. By the way, have you ever eaten Vitos? You'll like it better than any other cereal food.

Longest Lived British Title.

The Earl of Aberdeen belongs to perhaps the longest lived family in the British peerage. The title, which was granted in 1682, was in the possession of the fourth bearer only in 1860.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Wm. A. Potter*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

DETROIT A THEIST AND STATUE HE ERECTED TO THE DEVIL



Seemingly all Detroit was drawn to Stanton and McGraw avenues to gaze with varied emotions at Herman Menz's statue of the devil, says a dispatch from the Michigan city.

Churchgoing people, especially those residing in the neighborhood in which the home of Menz is located, are scandalized over the leering counterfeit of his satanic majesty that looms heroically from its base in the infidel's front yard, surmounting the following inscription:

HOMO NON EST CREATIO, SED EVOLUTIO; DEUS NON FECIT HOMINEM, SED HOMO FECIT DEOS.

"Man is not a created being, but the product of evolution. God did not make man, but man has made gods," is the translation.

"He is my friend," laughed the German contractor, pointing to his statue. "He spoke the first and last truth. The devil rules the world, doesn't he? Then why shouldn't I erect a monument to him?"

As a matter of fact, Menz doesn't believe in a devil any more than he believes in the existence of a God, and has erected his offensive statue to show his contempt for all religion. It is not the first time he has essayed to express his peculiar antipathy to religious belief, as during the last summer meetings in Tent Evangel he appealed to the local authorities to put a stop to the gathering or else make them pay a license, "like any other human show." He alleged that religious singing affected his nerves.

There had been much curiosity as to what Menz was doing behind the hood that screened his creation from observers, but no one had any idea of the real nature of the work until the veiling was torn aside yesterday. It had been Menz's original intention to have the unveiling take place with formal ceremonies last Sunday, to emphasize his contempt in the very faces of the masses wending their way churchward, but rain interfered, with his plans.

The statue and pedestal are of imposing proportions, the whole measuring about fourteen feet in height. Satan is shown in a stooping position, behind a pupil, looking over the landscape with a truly devilish glare, horns protruding from the sides of his head. Carved on the stone, directly in front, is the big, ugly fork. The ground on which the pedestal rests has an extreme elevation.

Forced Officer to Pay Debt.

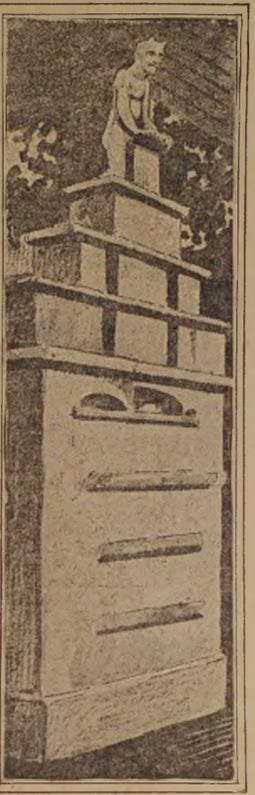
Brigadier General Frederick D. Grant is bound to see that his officers pay their debts. One of them owed \$94 to his post club for some time and Gen. Grant, on being appealed to, questioned the officer. The latter said he would pay in small installments, but in a few days he applied for leave of absence. The general said that under the circumstances it would be too expensive for the applicant to go on leave, since by his own admission he could only pay a few dollars per month on the debt. The officer's plea that he was in poor health proved in vain and not until his debt was liquidated did the general grant leave.

Linguist in State Assembly.

Dr. John Dineley Prince, professor of Semitic languages and literature in Columbia university, has been elected to the New Jersey state assembly from Passaic county. This is a decidedly cosmopolitan district, and Dr. Prince was peculiarly fitted to make a successful campaign there, being a linguist of celebrity. His speeches were delivered in a great variety of languages, including Italian, French, German, Swedish, Norwegian and Danish. In addition to these he reads and speaks Turkish, Arabic, Dutch, Welsh, Gaelic, Spanish and Roman (the gypsy tongue). Besides all this he is well acquainted with numerous dialects of all the languages.

Can Not be Alfonso's Wife.

Henry Labouchere of London Truth squelches the story that King Alfonso of Spain is to marry Princess Victoria Eugenia of Battenburg, only daughter of Princess Beatrice, by directing attention to the fact that he can marry only a born Roman Catholic. He could not take Victoria Eugenia anyhow, because her father was the outcome of a morganatic marriage, which is contrary to the rules of the game as practiced by the Hapsburgs, Hohenzollerns and Spanish Bourbons.



EDUCATIONAL IDEAL OF TO-DAY.

London Journal Declares for Cultivation of Specialties.

It is realized nowadays that the educational ideal must be twofold—pure culture and applied culture, science and the humanities, the training of the mind for its own sake and the acquisition of the knowledge most useful in the different walks of life. The old heresy that all study was academic and that the only knowledge useful in business was that acquired empirically has, we hope, gone for good. A knowledge of the scientific foundations of any industry, of its economic conditions and of the methods of similar industries elsewhere is generally regarded as at all events a most desirable endowment for any man of business. The best chemical and mechanical talent must go into the breweries and the engineering shops and the factories if these are to compete with foreign enterprise, and to secure this talent there must be educational institutions which make its production their special business.—London Spectator.

MAKES GOOD LIVING AS GUIDE.

Young American Girl Does Well in Novel Occupation.

There is in Athens a young American girl, Miss Florence Stone, who makes a good living as a professional guide. Some time ago while traveling in Europe with her mother, Miss Stone received word that her fortune had suddenly been lost. Happening to be in Athens she determined to remain there and do what she could toward their support. She tried teaching English for a while, but was not particularly successful in getting pupils. Then at the suggestion of a prominent American woman whom she had accompanied on one or two sightseeing expeditions she offered her services to parties of tourists as a professional guide and has made a success of it. With education and culture, as well as a perfect knowledge of modern Greek, she is better able to impart interesting historical information than the ordinary foreign guide.

Worthy of Good Husband.

The West Somerville young woman who wrote to the South Dakota census department that she wanted a husband and wished to get into correspondence with a "refined, moral person" among the surplus bachelors of the prairie state should be encouraged. Any girl with initiative enough to write such a letter, courage enough to avow her wish for a good husband and energy enough to become the wife of a western farmer should have no difficulty in finding a proper partner. Some girls who want husbands—and that all want them is but natural—are looking for a good, soft spot on which to sit down while hubby does the work. This girl finds no terrors in the prospect of laboring in a farm kitchen and sitting on the household throne for which the author of us all destined woman.—Boston Globe.

Cooking Schools for Washington.

Led by Mrs. Roosevelt, the wives of cabinet officers have decided to raise the standard of the culinary art in Washington. With this end in view cooking schools will be conducted in private homes for busy women in official life, so that, as in days of yore, hostesses may have the pleasure of preparing with their own hands dishes for their guests. Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Root are well versed in domestic lore and will do their best to save some of the nation's notables from dyspepsia.

NOT A TRACE LEFT

Rheumatism Thoroughly Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

There is one remedy that will cure rheumatism in any of its forms and so thoroughly eradicate the disease from the system that the cure is permanent. This remedy is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and the proof of the statement is found in the experience of Mr. T. S. Wagar, of No. 72 Academy street, Watertown, N. Y. He says:

"The pain was in my joints and my sufferings for over two years beyond description. There was an intense pain in my shoulders that prevented me from sleeping and I would get up and walk the floor at night. When I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the improvement was gradual, but by the time I had taken four boxes I was entirely cured and I have not had the slightest touch of rheumatism since that time."

Mr. Wagar's wife is also enthusiastic in her endorsement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says: "I have tried the pills myself for stomach trouble and have experienced great relief from their use. My daughter, Mrs. Atwood, of Gill street, Watertown, has used them for female weakness and was much benefited by them. I regard Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People as an extremely valuable family medicine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the worst cases of bloodlessness, indigestion, influenza, headaches, backaches, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, nervousness, spinal weakness, and the special ailments of girls and women whose blood supply becomes weak, scanty or irregular. The genuine Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or any harmful drugs and cannot injure the most delicate system. At all druggists or from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50.

Monks Use An Auto.

The monks of the St. Bernard hospice in Switzerland are up-to-date. They have purchased an automobile to carry provisions up the mountain. In order not to frighten teams they had a horse hitched to the motor wagon. The government's permission had to be obtained, because of the bridges, some of which were not intended for such heavy loads.

The Richest Man.

Croesus was king of Lydia, a country of Asia Minor, in the seventh century before Christ, and was renowned for his prodigious wealth. His country was conquered by Cyrus and annexed to Persia, 546 B. C. His wealth gave rise to the expression, "As rich as Croesus." But with all his money he could not buy food so wholesome, nourishing and palatable as Pillsbury's Vitos, the leading cereal food of the day.

COSSACK'S PASSION FOR VODKA.

His Happiness Centered on Strong Drink and Food.

Ernest Poole, in his striking article in the October Everybody's, on present conditions in Russia, which he has called "Peasant Cattle," quotes a brutal Cossack as follows:

"For what more can a man want than vodka? To close the door of your room, to lie down on your bed with a big gallon bottle of vodka lying across your stomach, and plenty of good cold meat and eggs on the chair by your pillow—that's living. Thank the good God, who only makes us stop meat and eggs in Lent, but lets us keep on with our vodka. We have a clever trick for these jolly bedroom hours. You put the candle in a little dish of water, so when you booze off the candle burns on and on till the flame strikes the water with a big splutter and goes out. This trick was found out hundreds of years ago, and now we all know it; so every one in the village can get drunk without danger of setting fire to anything."

"We have different ways of drinking. The poor man who can only have one bottle, he sucks it in through a straw, because by drinking it slower it gives you the same feeling as if you had two bottles. But the rich Cossack who has three or four bottles—he can just pour it down in big glasses."

FROM TEXAS

Some Coffee Facts From the Lone Star State.

From a beautiful farm down in Texas, where gushing springs unite to form babbling brooks that wind their sparkling way through flowery meads, comes a note of gratitude for delivery from the coffee habit.

"When my baby boy came to me five years ago, I began to drink Postum Food Coffee, having a feeling that it would be better for him and me than the old kind of drug-laden coffee. I was not disappointed in it, for it enabled me, a small delicate woman, to nurse a bouncing healthy baby 14 months."

"I have since continued the use of Postum for I have grown fond of it, and have discovered to my joy that it has entirely relieved me of a bilious habit which used to prostrate me two or three times a year, causing much discomfort to my family and suffering to myself."

"My brother-in-law was cured of chronic constipation by leaving off the old kind of coffee and using Postum. He has become even more fond of it than he was of the old coffee."

"In fact the entire family, from the latest arrival, (a 2-year old who always calls for his 'potie' first thing in the morning) up to the head of the house, think there is no drink so good or so wholesome as Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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If I could show you the difference between the shoes made in my factory and those of other makes, you would understand why Douglas \$3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other \$3.50 shoe on the market to-day.
W. L. Douglas Strong Made Shoes for Men, \$2.50, \$2.00, Boys' School & Dress Shoes, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50.
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Fast Color Eyelets used; they will not wear so easily.
Write for Illustrated Catalog of Fall Styles.
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Draw Your Own Comparisons!

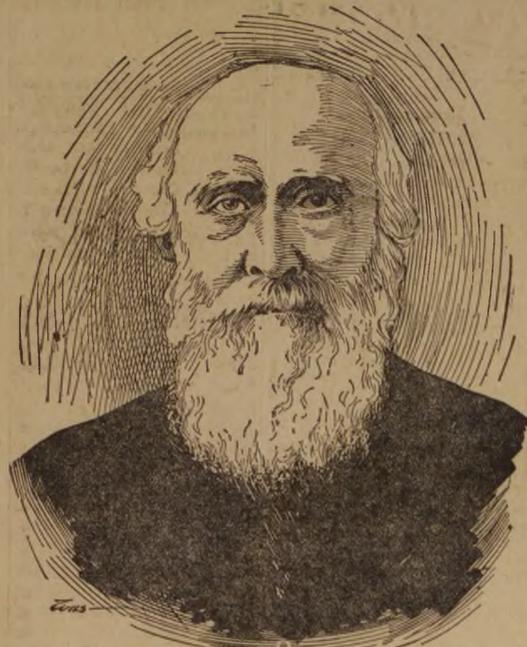
TEXAS is the only State in the Union with room enough for a population great enough to consume its total production of food, fabrics and building material.
Big enough? Yes! Now here is the comparison.
Suppose you are an Iowa farmer. According to Government reports the average value of crops in Texas is \$2.00 per acre more than in Iowa; and the average returns on Texas farms are twelve per cent greater. The average acreage of Texas farms is 357 acres as compared with 157 acres in Iowa. With products yielding better returns with a minimum amount of labor, mild winters and plenty of room does it not seem to you that Texas promises much?
The possibilities are never brighter than now for men seeking to better their condition. In five years' time these possibilities will be gone. You should make the change now while the prices of farming lands are reasonable and investment opportunities are not overdue. Why not locate in a progressive locality and grow up with the country? It will certainly pay you to investigate conditions whether you immigrate to Texas or not.
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W. M. J. RUDDY, (Owner), Murdock, Minn.
Chippewa County, Minn. Farm for Sale—220 acres land, 8 miles from Murdock and 95 miles from Minneapolis. 2000 bearing trees, 5000 bushels hay land and the pasture; good dwelling and out-buildings; all improvements that class. Through pictures I will describe for \$1,100 on easy terms.
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FOUNDER OF THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION DEAD



SIR GEORGE WILLIAMS
Sir George Williams, founder of the Young Men's Christian Association, who died Nov. 6 at his home in London at the age of 84, had been frequently honored by members of the organization throughout the world. He was made the presiding officer at several of the international conventions and was an earnest worker in the cause up to the time of his death.

SPLENDID RECORD OF Y. M. C. A.

Now Great Power for Good Among the World's Workers.
Sixty-one years ago Mr. George Williams of Hitchcock, Williams & Co. London, and eleven other young men held an informal meeting in a room in St. Paul's church. They organized a Young Men's Christian Association "for improving the spiritual condition of young men engaged in the drapery and other trades."

Mr. Williams was elected president of the little society. He inaugurated a course of lectures, extended the organization to all parts of London, to all parts of Great Britain, to all parts of Europe. It came to Boston in 1851 and spread to all parts of the United States.
It grew amazingly in numbers and in influence. It was so great an organization on its semi-centennial in 1894 that Queen Victoria made its founder Sir George Williams. He remained at the head of the British society until his death.
Men have been knighted for achievements in military and public life, for services to the state or in the cause of literature and science. George Williams was knighted because he founded and organized the Y. M. C. A.

There are now 7,376 Y. M. C. A. Associations in the world. Of these, 1,813 are in the United States, Canada, and Mexico, having a membership of 373,502. The American associations own property to the value of \$26,200,000 and expend annually in their work \$4,492,000.

The little society of George Williams has grown into a great international association working through nearly a million members. It has worked with the churches of all denominations, has extended its activities to every country in the world, and while it has undoubtedly brought the several branches of the Christian church closer together.
Independent of its relation to the churches, the Y. M. C. A. has worked on lines laid out by the founders and, in the larger cities and on the railways of all nations, on the merchant fleets of all the maritime powers, in the armies and in the navies of the great military powers, has pushed its active work to the benefit of mankind.

Sir George Williams could look back over sixty-one years and see the growth of his corporal's guard of 1844 to a great army of earnest crusaders.
The Man and the Hour.
Conditions in Russia are ripe to-day for a great man. And by the same inscrutable law which has obtained all-wise the great man is on the spot. M. De Witte takes up the mighty burden of Russia's woes as a giant might take up a hurt child, bind up its wounds and comfort it. The new hero stands for humanity. All the moral force in the world is with him. Men may wonder that the most autocratic ruler on earth should meekly submit to a man of the people, and that an oppressed, despairing nation should look up at his coming with new hope. But it has been the law through all the ages. Somehow, from somewhere, the man of the hour comes and triumphs.—Albany Times-Union.

A Border Battlefield.
Five skeletons have been unearthed on the Border battlefield of Hallidon Hill during the plowing operations on the farm of Campbell, which is situated on the site of the battlefield. An ancient vault has also been discovered. Swords, cannon-balls and other implements of war have been dug up of recent times, one sword bearing the Percy crest now being in possession of the duke of Northumberland. Edward III routed the Scots at Hallidon, and won Berwick-on-Tweed for England.—Weekly Scotsman.

A Cougar's High Leap.
Frank Parker came in last week from his ranch in the Coast Range, some thirty miles west of here. He informed us that a few nights before he left they heard considerable of a racket about the place and next morning found their house cut dead and also two goats. The animal leaped an eight-foot fence with a goat without disturbing a hair.
With the assistance of a neighbor and his dog the animal, which proved to be a cougar, was treed and killed.—Junction City Times.

MEDICAL INSPECTION A FARCE.

Much-Heralded New Plan Presents Few Advantages.
The much-thrilled medical inspection of first-class passengers arriving at New York by steamer did not prove very terrifying. To begin with, W. K. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Vanderbilt escaped inspection by the simple process of going ashore in a tug before it began. Then it is recorded that passengers who said they were residents of this country passed quickly, while foreigners, even the most important had to endure considerable questioning. The actual medical inspection appears to have been conducted for the most part by surgeons looking at the passengers while they stood in a strong light before the immigration officials. In older and simpler times the declaration of the ship's surgeon was counted of some value. Now, with the courtesy which is a notable characteristic of the treatment of those who land in this country, it is tacitly assumed that the surgeon is not a man of character and that those who are employed on land must be.—Hartford, Conn., Times.

CONSULS AS BUSINESS AGENTS.

Kansas City Journal Points Out Flaw in the System.
Under the present arrangement a consular officer is a commercial agent pure and simple. When he is expected to piece out his salary with agent's commissions he usually secures the agency for several American manufacturers and exporters and quite naturally he devotes most of his time to his outside business. When a consul on commissions is asked to make an investigation in a certain direction for an American company in which there is little promise of substantial pay he will not devote as much serious attention to this business as he will to selling his own goods on commission. Thus the average consul is merely a foreign salesman doing business on his own account under the guarantee of the United States. This is a good thing for some favored manufacturers and exporters, but it is exceedingly bad for others.—Kansas City Journal.

TO ESCAPE DREAD PNEUMONIA.

Fresh Air and Simple Living All That is Necessary.
The pneumonia season, which in these latitudes and especially along the lakes, lasts from early fall to early summer, fairly open, and for the next seven or eight months many people will live in dread of a disease that is on the whole more easily prevented than most ills of the flesh with which mankind has fallen heir. Fresh air is the deadly enemy of the pneumonia germ. To exclude it from living, working and sleeping rooms is to invite an attack of the disease by removing the most effective means of defense. In short, to escape pneumonia it is only necessary, speaking in general, to avoid excesses of every kind and live simply, cleanly and rationally. If one can bring himself to make that by no means heavy sacrifice nature can be depended upon to do the rest.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Best Cough Cure
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A GIANT LAID LOW.

Crippled and Made Ill by Awful Kidney Disorders.
John Fernaays, fruit raiser, Webster, N. Y., says: "I used to lift railroad ties easily but wrenched my back and began to suffer with backache and kidney trouble. I neglected it until one day a twinge felled me like a log and made me crawl on hands and knees. I was so crippled for a time that I couldn't walk without sticks, had headaches and dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were muddy and full of brick-dust sediment. Doan's Kidney Pills made the pain disappear and corrected the urinary trouble. I have felt better ever since." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Spread of Steam Power.
In 1805 the world had not a single steamship on the ocean, a single mile of railway on land, a single span of telegraph upon the continents or a single foot of cable beneath the ocean. In 1905 it has 18,000 steam vessels, 500,000 miles of railway and more than 1,000,000 miles of land telegraph, while the very continents are bound together in instantaneous communication by more than 200,000 miles of ocean cables, and the number of telephone messages sent aggregates 6,000,000,000 annually, and one-half of them in the United States alone.

A Great Monarch.

Wealthier than any brother sovereign; master of legions, which number over a million; lord of more than one-sixth of the surface of the globe, with subjects of many colors and races, amounting to over one-hundred and twenty million souls, the Czar of all the Russias will not be invincible until he adopts Pillsbury's Vitos as his regular breakfast diet.

The November "Arena," as usual, bold and outspoken on the political, social and economic problems that are stirring the thought of the nation, though it also carries a number of other contributions that will appeal to the general reader.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease
A powder. It rests the feet. Cures Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25 cents. Accept no substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

"A Halt in the Desert," the initial story in the November "Sports Afield," is a tale of the humanities—one that will profoundly stir the finer chords of your nature.

Defiance Starch should be in every household, none so good, besides 4 other brands for 10 cents than any other brand of cold water starch.

To read "The World's Work" is to watch modern civilization and the significant happenings in every branch of human endeavor.

All Up-to-Date Housekeepers use Defiance Cold Water Starch, because it is better, and 4 oz. more of it for same money.

Our north pole may be familiar to the astronomers of Mars. Let them keep an eye on Mr. Peary.

Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5c cigar. The highest price 5c cigar to the dealer and the highest quality for the smoker. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

No one questions the sex of Lucifer, the fallen angel.

THE BEST COUGH CURE
Many a lonesome and expensive trip to Florida, California or the Adirondacks has been saved by the use of
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the best cough cure. If this great remedy will not cure the cough, no medicine will, and then all hope rests in a change of climate—but try Kemp's Balsam first.
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All work done and ranges equipped with patent oven thermometer, which makes baking and roasting easy. **OTEN THERMOMETER**

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YOU PAY WHEN CURED

Have Proved Their Worth.

The campaign undertaken by interested publications to undermine the faith of the people in proprietary medicines has drawn forth the following from a high medical authority: "It must never be forgotten that the interest of the manufacturer is to put out a remedy which is not only meritorious but safe. With a small army of enemies constantly on the alert, ready to seize upon and magnify every unfavorable circumstance, how few are the cases of accident or injury from the use of proprietary medicines! Complaints in regard to the use of such remedies are exceedingly rare and utterly insignificant, in comparison with the amount sold and the millions of people who avail themselves of these remedies."

Theodore Roosevelt's article in the November "Scribner's" describes "A Wolf Hunt in Oklahoma"—The account of his hunting trip made last April. It deals with an entirely different sort of hunting from that told of in "A Colorado Bear Hunt," which appeared in the October number, for this time, instead of being in the mountains, it is on the broad plains.

Insist on Getting It.
Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch. This is because they have a stock on hand of other brands containing only 12 oz. in a package, which they won't be able to sell first. Because Defiance contains 16 oz. for the same money.
Do you want 16 oz. instead of 12 oz. for same money? Then buy Defiance Starch. Requires no cooking.

The November Magazine Number of "The Outlook" contains many illustrated articles in addition to the usual historical treatment of the events of the week and editorial comment on political, economic and literary matters.

Here is Relief for Women.
Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered a pleasant herb remedy for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weakness, Backache, Kidney and Urinary troubles. At all Druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample mailed FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

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HEALS WITHOUT A SCAR
Sent prepaid for \$1 if your druggist cannot supply you.
OLNEY & McDAID,
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25 Bushels to the Acre Will be the Average Yield of Wheat.
The land that this was grown on cost many of the farmers absolutely nothing, while those who wished to add to the 160 acres the Government grants, can buy land adjoining at from \$8 to \$10 an acre.

Climate splendid, school convenient, railroads close, land taxes low.
Send for pamphlet "80th Century Canada" and full particulars regarding rate, etc., to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to the following authorized Canadian Government Agent—C. J. Broughton, Room 430 Quincy Bldg., Chicago, Ill.; W. H. Rogers, third floor, Tracton Terminal Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.; or T. O. Currie, Room 12, B. Cullahan Block, Milwaukee, Wis.
(Mention this paper.)

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troubled with ills peculiar to their sex, used as a douche is marvellously successful. Thoroughly cleanses, kills disease germs, stops discharges, heals inflammation and local soreness.
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F. W. Diemer, M. D., Manufacturer, Springfield, Mo.

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If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

FROM GIRLHOOD TO WOMANHOOD

Mothers Should Watch the Development of Their Daughters—Interesting Experiences of Misses Borman and Mills.



Every mother possesses information which is of vital interest to her young daughter.
Too often this is never imparted or is withheld until serious harm has resulted to the growing girl through her ignorance of nature's mysterious and wonderful laws and penalties.
Girls' over-sensitiveness and modesty often puzzle their mothers and baffle physicians, as they so often withhold their confidence from their mothers and conceal the symptoms which ought to be told to their physician at this critical period.

When a girl's thoughts become sluggish, with headache, dizziness or a disposition to sleep, pains in back or lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for solitude; when she is a mystery to herself and friends, her mother should come to her aid, and remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will at this time prepare the system for the coming change, and start the menstrual period in a young girl's life without pain or irregularities.
Hundreds of letters from young girls and from mothers, expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished for them, have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., at Lynn, Mass.
Miss Mills has written the two following letters to Mrs. Pinkham, which will be read with interest:
Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— (First Letter.)
"I am but fifteen years of age, am depressed, have dizzy spells, chills, headache and back-

ache, and as I have heard that you can give helpful advice to girls in my condition, I am writing you."—Myrtle Mills, Oquawka, Ill.
Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— (Second Letter.)
"It is with the feeling of utmost gratitude that I write to you to tell you what your valuable medicine has done for me. When I wrote you in regard to my condition I had consulted several doctors, but they failed to understand my case and I did not receive any benefit from their treatment. I followed your advice, and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am now healthy and well, and all the distressing symptoms which I had at that time have disappeared."—Myrtle Mills, Oquawka, Ill.
Miss Matilda Borman writes Mrs. Pinkham as follows:
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"Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my months were irregular and painful, and I always had such dreadful headaches.
"But since taking the Compound my headaches have entirely left me, my months are regular, and I am getting strong and well. I am telling all my girl friends what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Matilda Borman, Farmington, Iowa.
If you know of any young girl who is sick and needs motherly advice, ask her to address Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., and tell her every detail of her symptoms, and to keep nothing back. She will receive advice absolutely free, from a source that has no rival in the experience of woman's ills, and it will, if followed, put her on the right road to a strong, healthy and happy womanhood.
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"They Say It Cures Where All Others Fail"
—JUDGE & DOLPH DRUG CO.
"From present indications, it won't be very long before Mull's Grape Tonic is the only remedy sold for constipation and stomach trouble. It is the only one now in our store that is selling to amount to anything. Our customers are actually enthusiastic about it.
"They say that it cures constipation and stomach trouble where all others fail. That it builds up and strengthens the digestive organs and the whole general system. In fact, we hear more good words about this remarkable remedy than anything that we carry in stock.
"Those who have used Mull's Grape Tonic not only tell us that it is a certain cure for stomach trouble and constipation, but they tell others. We have new customers calling for it constantly who have been sent to the store by those who have been cured."
JUDGE & DOLPH DRUG CO., 515 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.
This reliable drug firm is in close touch with its customers and the result is a product so sufficient to warrant a trial of this great remedy.
There is nothing so good for young and old as MULL'S GRAPE TONIC. It builds up and puts the stomach, the bowels, the whole digestive system in perfect condition to do the nature's work. It is indeed nature's own true tonic, made from the products of nature's own storehouse. It does not shock or weaken the delicate organs and thus make a bad matter worse. It is healing, soothing, strengthening and pleasant to take.
MULL'S GRAPE TONIC CURES
Constipation and Stomach Trouble
and all the diseases which they cause. Your own physician will tell you that nearly every case of piles, biliousness, typhoid fever, sick headache, blood and skin diseases, appendicitis, nervous affections and every kind of female trouble are directly caused by indigestion and constipation. By removing the cause and curing the parent disease—MULL'S GRAPE TONIC cures these dangerous complications. 35 cents, 60 cents and \$1.00 size bottles, at all druggists. The \$1.00 size contains about 6 times as much as the 35 cent size and about 3 times as much as the 60 cent size. It pays to buy the largest size.
FREE Upon receipt of your address, your druggist's name and the way to pay postage we will mail you a sample free, if you have never improved, good Mull's Grape Tonic, and will also send you a certificate good for \$1.00 toward the purchase of more Tonic from your druggist.
MULL'S GRAPE TONIC CO., 148 Third Ave., Rock Island, Ill.

PRICE, 25 Cts. ANTI-GRIPINE
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KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Harry Heckman was home from Aurora over Sunday.

Miss Maude Bradford of Genoa visited her parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tazewell went to Elgin Sunday to visit relatives.

E. M. Burst, our States Attorney, was in town on business Saturday.

A. G. Prentiss returned Monday from his trip through Minnesota and the Dakotas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bell entertained Miss Ida Shad, of Lanark, Sunday and Monday.

Misses Bertha Ort and Georgia Walker were shoppers in Sycamore last Saturday.

M. W. Cole visited the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Pond, at DeKalb over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sexauer entertained their son, Ralph, of Rockford over the Sabbath.

Clarence Uplinger came from Sherburne, Minn., Sunday to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. D. M. Watson of Belvidere visited Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Helen Shaffer.

Two carpenters of the C. M. & St. P. were engaged in repairing the East Kingston tower last week.

Mrs. Mattie Sisson was here from DeKalb Tuesday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wyllis.

Mrs. James Laverty has moved her household effects from Elgin to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, in this village.

The Calendar social given by the Aid Society of the M. E. church last Thursday evening was well attended and a neat sum was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Conover of Kirkland were here Saturday evening and attended the concert by the Harry T. Butterworth Co. of Chicago.

The first number of the lecture course given by the Epworth League was held last Saturday evening at the M. E. church. The Harry T. Butterworth Co. of Chicago were the entertainers. The company consisted of Harry T. Butterworth, basso; Mrs. Hattie Rood Grace, soloist and whistler; and Miss Whitney, violinist. There was a large and appreciative audience present.

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

From Napier, New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that were sold in that market. Out of the entire list they found only one that they declared entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. This remedy is for sale by G. H. Hunt.

Administrator's Notice

Estate of Carl B. Crawford, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed administratrix of the estate of Carl B. Crawford, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of DeKalb county, at the court house in Sycamore, at the January term on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 7th day of November, A. D. 1905. LUELLA CRAWFORD, Administratrix.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleurisy. No matter what name the pains are called, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Slater & Douglas.

In Memoriam

Whereas, it has pleased an all-wise Providence to remove from the midst of Kingston Post, G. A. R. No. 395 our esteemed comrade, Andrew J. Miller, therefore Resolved, that in the death of comrade Andrew J. Miller, Kingston Post recognizes the loss of a charter member, who by his long continued association with us, and filling numerous offices in the post established his faith in the tenets of true loyalty to the flag and his country, and thus insured to his bereaved children those tangible benefits it is the privilege of those who remain loyal to their country to enjoy.

Resolved that we extend to the children of our deceased comrade our fraternal sympathy in this their hour of affliction. It is but little we can say to comfort the sorrowing, but we can and do point them to the promises of "Him who doeth all things well."

Resolved that these resolutions be spread upon the records of this Post. That they also be published in the Sycamore Tribune, Genoa Republican-Journal, and a copy thereof presented to the family of our deceased comrade, and that our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days.

I. A. McCollom, F. M. Leutz, G. D. Wyllis; committee.

Adopted November 8, 1905.

Son Lost Mother

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a cough or cold, I have taken Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Mr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected, and how to cure it. Quickest relief and cure for coughs and colds. Price 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed at Hunt's Pharmacy. Trial bottle free.

The M. W. A. all go to Chicago via the I. C. R. R., Saturday Nov. 18. See E. H. Browne or F. C. agent regarding trains going and returning.

"I Thank the Lord"

cried Hannah Plant of Little Rock, Ark., "for the relief I got from Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured my fearful running sores, which nothing else would heal, and from which I had suffered for five years." It is a marvelous healer for cuts, burns and wounds. Guaranteed at Hunt's Pharmacy; 25c.

AUCTION SALE

Wm. H. Bell, Auctioneer Having decided to quit farming, the undersigned will sell at public auction on the Geo. McClelland farm, 1 1/4 miles south-west of Kingston and 4 miles east of Kirkland, on Saturday, November 25, commencing at one o'clock sharp, the following property: Bay mare, 12 yrs old; black mare, 4 yrs old; bay horse, 17 yrs. old; colt 7 months old, new milch cow, with calf by side; 1 wagon and rack, Tower pulverizer, Tower cultivator, new surry, top buggy, 2 sets double harness, single harness, shoveling boards, bob sleds, 2 tons hay, gasoline stove, cook stove, chunk stove, hard coal burner, 2 bedsteads and springs, all kinds and sizes of crockery, 1/2 bbl. vinegar, bureaus, wash stands, other articles too numerous to mention. Terms of sale: All sums of \$1000 and under, cash; on sums over \$1000 a credit of 9 months will be given on bankable notes at 6 per cent interest per annum.

ROBERT W. OUTMAN.

M. W. Cole, clerk.

When You Have a Bad Cold

You want a remedy that will not only give quick relief but effect a permanent cure.

You want a remedy that will relieve the lungs and keep expectation easy.

You want a remedy that will counteract any tendency toward pneumonia.

You want a remedy that is pleasant and safe to take.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all these requirements and for the speedy and permanent cure of bad colds stands without a peer. For sale by G. H. Hunt.

Crackerjack Candy.

One cup of molasses, two cups of sugar, one tablespoonful of butter, two tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Boil until a little dropped in cold water cracks, then take from the fire, add a half teaspoonful of baking soda, beat briskly and pour into a pan upon popped corn and chopped peanuts.

Cheap Floor Stain.

A cheap floor stain is permanganate of potash. Allow one ounce to half a gallon of water or less if a light stain is required. Brush over the floor and next day rub with boiled linseed oil. On the third day polish with beeswax and turpentine.

For Nosebleed.

In case of nose bleeding don't hang your head over a basin. Sit upright, hold a sponge wrung out of cold water to the nose and sniff a little water into the nostrils.

To Whiten Piano Keys.

Wet strips of cotton flannel with oxalic acid and lay upon the keys, removing as they dry. Be careful that the acid does not drop upon the wood.

The Refrigerator.

A dish of powdered charcoal kept in the refrigerator will help keep the air sweet. It should be changed twice a week.

Subscribe now for the Republican-Journal.

A Tender Hearted Rebel. Matschenko, the ringleader of the Potemkin mutineers, is thus described in the Neue Freie Presse: "This 'bloodthirsty' mutineer possesses the civility and the smile of a little child. In his eyes you may read the melancholy of the steppes and the dreaminess of the woods. He never speaks of his aged mother, who lives in a small Russian village, without tears in his eyes. He presented every member of the Potemkin's crew with a souvenir and was heartbroken at the failure of his plans."

St. Helena.

St. Helena is one of England's moribund colonies, according to the report of the governor. It has a cable station and a garrison, but that is all. Only three British warships called in during last year. Considering the proximity of St. Helena to the West African coast and the splendid climate of the island, the governor wonders that it is not used as a sanitarium by the navy.

Man's Unreasonableness

is often as great as woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, manager of the Republican of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife for female trouble. "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters she was perfectly cured, and can now perform all her household duties." Guaranteed by Hunt's Pharmacy, price 50c.

Auction Season...

is here in full blast and perhaps you need the services of an up-to-date Auctioneer



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"I have used a great deal of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and hard colds on the chest. It has always done me great good. It is certainly a most wonderful cough medicine."—MICHAEL J. FITZGERALD, Medford, N.J.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's
SARSAPARILLA,
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You will hasten recovery by taking one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime.

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DUNDEE, ILLINOIS

Cloaks and Jackets

Great cash purchase. Ladies' Misses and Children's Cloaks.

Prices tell you nothing as to quality. These garments are fully equal to many which you will see advertised at almost double these prices.

Ladies' and Misses' 3/4 length Kersey coats, Bear skin cloth collars, \$5.48 and... \$4.98

Stylish Tan colored Melton cloth coats, 41 in. specials. \$6.87

Elegant 30 in. fitted jackets, all wool and satin lined throughout. \$4.98

High grade Melton cloth coats, 1/2 satin lined, elegant fur collar. \$8.98

Children's finest bearskin, Crushed Plush and Silk and Velvet coats, large assortment of the finest makes at \$4.69, \$3.98, \$3.29

Girls' full length coats, sizes 6 to 14, Kerseys, Camel's Hairs and Melton cloths, another large assortment. Prices \$1.98, \$2.69, \$3.29

Close out Prices

Special odd lots to close out. All fine materials and good makes at less than 1/2 price.

Ladies' all wool lined jackets, sizes 32, 34 and 36 only \$1.49 and. 99c

Girls' all wool 30 in. fitted jackets, worth up to \$6.50, sizes 12 to 16, plain fur collars, on sale at \$1.29. 99c

Big Special Values

Regular \$1.50 satins, heavy, 38 in. wide, per yd. 69c

Heavy 27 in. dress silks, 75c values, per yd. only. 49c

All wool golf gloves. 10c

Fancy 50c flannelette Kimonas. 38c

All colors dress linings per yd. 1 1/2c

Little Fellows Suits and Overcoats

Purchase of over 300 garments, sizes 3 to 8. On sale this week at \$3.29, \$2.29, \$2.69. \$1.98

Ladies' fleeced union suits. 25c

Ladies' heavy knit petticoats. 25c

To Men

Buy while our Abt samples and Rochester stock lasts. Only the finest makes were in these lots, such garments as are not usually offered by the average retailer. Judge by seeing our suits at \$9.65, \$7.65. \$8.95

Overcoats

Samples and odd garments. 1905 makes and very fine \$9.65, \$11.65, \$9.95. \$5.50

Other Good Things

Our Ladies' sample skirt sale. Our fire sale of horse blankets 1000 bargains in our 5 and 10c department.

Remember horse ticket, introduction ticket, dinner ticket and refunded car fare offer Show round trip railway ticket if you come by train.

OVERCOATS

Overcoat weather is here and so are the handsome, new overcoats. More beautiful or luxurious garments were never offered to the trade. We have the genteel, medium length Coat or the swagger long Coat. Come here for your new Overcoat and you will miss nothing that is new. Our

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Fur Coats from \$15.00 to \$50.00

17 grades to select from

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Winter's Warning

Have you stopped to think that winter is coming with all its cold weather, and that everybody will have to have something new in the line of clothing to keep themselves warm. We have already prepared for the cold weather and have a new line of

Cloaks, Jackets, Cravenets and Furs

Ladies' Tailor Made Suits and Skirts and Ladies' Waists for Winter

We have all the latest styles and they are made of the newest goods, the best ever sold for the price. We also have a new line of Gents' Boys' and Juvenile

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