

Hollow Ash... Hall

BY MARGARET BLOUNT.

CHAPTER VII.—(Continued.)

"Rats, Mr. Magnum! Do you pretend to be wiser than the whole country side?"

"By no means, my love."

"Well, every one says the place is full of ghosts!"

"Yes, my dear."

"What every one says must be true."

Mr. Magnum did not dare to say no.

"And so the place is haunted," replied his better half, triumphantly.

"Ugh! I would not live in that old house for the whole world," said Kitty, shrugging her shoulders.

"Does Mr. Cowley like it?" asked Mrs. Magnum.

"No—I think not."

"Then why does she stay?"

Mr. Magnum coughed and looked embarrassed.

"My dear, Mr. Cowley is a very peculiar man—very. I am afraid he generally does what he likes, without consulting his wife."

"And she lets him?" exclaimed Mrs. Magnum, shutting her lips, viciously.

"I am afraid she does."

"Well, if women will be fools, they must. But I only wish I was Mrs. Cowley! Do you feel tired, Miss Marjorie? You don't look quite well."

"I am rather tired," replied the governess, very quietly.

"Then pray don't sit up longer than you like."

Miss Marjorie took the hint, put away her work, said good-night, and left the room. Two pairs of eyes followed her with anything but loving looks.

"Nasty, proud thing! I hate her!" said Kitty, in a low tone.

"And so do I!" replied her mother, with emphasis. "But she will be going next month, so we need not trouble ourselves about her."

CHAPTER VIII.

Miss Marjorie did not, however, go to her own room. She took a cloak from its peg in the hall, threw it over her head, opened the front door softly, and went out. Mrs. Magnum would have been shocked out of all her propriety if she had seen her pacing up and down the garden walks alone; but just at that moment Miss Marjorie cared little for Mrs. Magnum, or anything she could say.

The night was dark and starless, the air chill and raw. But after that heated room it was a positive luxury to feel the fresh, damp wind coming from the hills. After those sharp, unnerving voices it was soothing to listen to the leafless trees breathing and whispering of the coming of the rain. Storm and cold and darkness—they were all preferable to that snug parlor and its disagreeable inmates; and so Miss Marjorie paced up and down, up and down, and thought.

Thought of another time which had been far happier than this! A time when she was also a companion, but not Miss Magnum's companion! A time when there was one voice that always softened when it spoke her name; when there were eyes that brightened at her coming—lips that welcomed her as only privileged lips might do! She thought of long, pleasant evenings, spent with books and work and music, around a cottage fire. Of quiet walks and talks by summer moonlight. Alas! where had those blissful moments fled? Why had the dearest, the sweetest of ties failed her? Why, from that wealth of love and tenderness had she been cast out into the cold world alone?

She had been foully slandered; she had been cruelly distrusted; she had been heartlessly deserted! Over and over again she said this to herself. Yet on that night, as she walked up and down the gravel path, the sense of injury and of wrong seemed to die away and in their place came a wild yearning for the olden time—but for one moment of the happiness of yore!

"Oh, that it were possible
In this dull life of pain,
To find the arm of my true love
Around me once again!"

she murmured, as she clasped her hands above her aching heart. Where was he? What was he doing now? Beautiful and bright, he had risen like a star above her lonely path; had won her heart, and worn it for a time; had bound her to him by the most sacred ties; then left her for years, perhaps forever! Where was he—where was he? And she stretched out her arms to the sullen night sky in her vain and passionate appeal to him who would come no more.

The sky grew darker. A drop of rain touched her cheek. She turned to go in, yet, with a strange, uneasy feeling, she lingered a moment beside the gate looking out upon the dark road that led into the village. Then her eyes wandered away beyond Banley, and out towards the hill where the haunted house stood. How strange the unseen and unacknowledged link that bound her to the people there! What would they say when she went to them and told her tale? Would they think her mad or would they take compassion upon her for the sorrow she had undergone, and admit her to their family circle as a welcome and honored guest? Was it likely? Had they ever heard her name? Yet how well she knew theirs; and how much she could tell of their daily life and

habits, from the stern banker down to his favorite daughter, Rose! "Cousin Rose! Cousin Rose!" She said it aloud twice, and then started and flushed guiltily, lest any one should have heard her.

Some one had heard! Not Mr. Magnum—not even Kitty, but a tall, handsome young man, who had been walking along the public road, with his hands in his pockets and his head bent down. He had passed the garden gate without even looking that way, but the low voice made him start and turn round. In an instant he had leaped the iron fence, and stood by Miss Marjorie's side.

"Have I found you at last?" he exclaimed. "I have looked for you all over England, and in vain. Now, Marjorie—"

But Miss Marjorie looked in his face, gave a low cry, and fainted.

He caught her in his arms and kissed her passionately.

"Marjorie, my love, my darling, look up and speak to me!"

Slowly she revived. Slowly she came to the knowledge that life was no longer a blank—that he had returned, and that he loved her still.

"Oh," she sighed, "is this a dream?"

"No dream, but truth, my darling."

"Are you sure? I have dreamed so many times."

"But you are awake now. Awake, to hear me say that I wronged you—that I was a jealous, suspicious fool—to listen to a word against you; awake to see me kneel at your feet and ask your pardon! Look, Marjorie! I won't rise till you say you have entirely forgiven me!"

"My love—my love!" answered Miss Marjorie, bending over him with a radiant smile. And then the long misery of the past was wiped away and forgotten.

"But where have you been?" she asked, when the first surprise was over. "Where have you been, and how did you know I was here?"

"I have been in Australia, my love. I would not come back till I could lay a fortune at your feet, as some amends for all I have made you suffer; and I can do it now. Thanks to a spade and pickaxe, I am a rich man, and you shall have a new silk dress every day, and eat off gold and silver plate, if you like, Marjorie!"

"As if I cared for that!" she said, kissing him.

"No, I know you are not mercenary; but still, money is one of the best things you can have, my child. Money and love—love and money; any one who can get those two things may think himself remarkably well off in this vale of tears, Miss Marjorie! And you have both; and if you don't feel obliged to me for getting them, you are a very ungrateful young woman, I must say."

"Oh, I do, I do, but how in the world did you know I was here?"

"I did not. This is the strangest part of the story. I came home to England lonely and sad enough. For three years in Australia I have been trying to find you out, through agents and advertisements, in vain. Where have you been?"

"I taught in a school at Brixton for two years after I lost you; and then one of the pupils, daughter of this Mr. Magnum—"

"The gentleman who owns this house?"

"Yes; his daughter was educated at that school, and she thought I would make a suitable companion for her mother, who is ill, or who fancies herself so, at least. I have been here a year, I shall leave the place in a month's time."

"In a week—in a day!" was the impetuous reply. "Do you suppose I am going to have you slaving here now I am home again? You will pick up your traps to-night and be ready to go with me when I call for you to-morrow, which will be as soon after breakfast as I can get over from Banley. Do you hear?"

"Yes, but I must give some notice."

"Not a bit of it. Are they kind to you?"

"Not very."

"Do you like them?"

"Not at all."

"You don't mean to say that they have ill-used you?"

"Oh, no."

"But, in fact, you hate them?"

"Exactly."

"Poor darling! And you have had a year of this drudgery?"

"Never mind; it is all over now."

"That it is."

"But finish your story. Tell me how you happened to find me here."

"Do you know that my uncle Cowley is here?"

"Yes."

"Shut up with all his family in a house full of ghosts?"

"I have heard of it."

"I went straight to his house in Mecklenburg square, only to find it empty. The housekeeper gave me the present address, and, on reaching Banley, I found his name in everybody's mouth. If he had seen half the sights and heard half the sounds villagers relate he must be a lunatic by this time. In the place of waiting till to-morrow to pay my visit, I thought I would go to-night, and see if there was any truth in these marvelous tales. And while I was walking along, thinking of ghosts and hobgoblins, I heard a little

voice plainly say in the darkness, 'Cousin Rose!—Cousin Rose!' It was the voice I had been hungering and thirsting to hear for three long and weary years. Now you know the whole. Were you thinking about Rose?"

"Yes."

"You will like her dearly. She is a good little thing, and will make a sister of you the moment I tell her your story. Will you go there with me to-morrow?"

"Will they welcome me?"

"Of course they will, you goose! Oh, Marjorie! My own Marjorie! they will love you for my sake, even as I love you for your own, you wicked, fascinating, cruel little monster!"

"He! he! he! That's prime!" exclaimed a boyish voice in the shrubbery; and Marjorie started from her lover's arms.

"Julius, is that you?" she cried.

"I should rather think it was!" the promising youth replied, standing out upon the gravel path. "I've been watching you for ten minutes at the least, and haven't you been going on kissing and hugging! Oh, my! won't mother go into a tantrum when she hears of it! I shan't have to learn any more Latin lessons! You'll have to pack, Miss Marjorie, as sure as eggs is eggs! Heigho, jeminy, and a rig-dum!"

His exulting dance was speedily brought to an end. Mr. Cowley, who had kept silent so far from sheer astonishment, now grasped him firmly by the collar.

"You young scoundrel!" he exclaimed, "how dare you speak in that manner to Miss Marjorie?"

"She's my governess; I'll say what I like to her!" was the impertinent reply.

"And she is my wife! And if you dare to say a word about her—to look at her insolently—to insult her in the smallest way—I'll give you such a flogging that you will never want to utter a lady's name as long as you live! Do you hear, sir?" and he shook him in the air as a terrier shakes a rat.

"Oh, my! let me go! I'll call my father!" said the frightened boy.

"Hold your tongue, you whelp! Where is the key to the garden gate?"

"In the hall, sir."

"Go and get it—and don't let anyone see you! Be quick!"

Julius, thoroughly subdued, ran up the steps, and in a moment reappeared with the key.

"What are you going to do, Charles?" inquired Miss Marjorie, wonderingingly, as he opened the gate and held out his hand to her.

"I am going to take you away with me."

"Impossible."

"I don't know what that word means!"

"But I have not even got on my bonnet."

"Never mind, your cloak will protect you, and we have not far to go. Into that house you shall never step again, after the specimen of your treatment I have just seen."

He drew her out upon the footpath, and turned to the boy, who stood with open mouth at the gate.

"Lock it, and go in," he said.

"But what am I to say to mother?"

"Tell her that Miss Marjorie has gone away with her husband," was the laughing reply. "Come, my love, draw your cloak well round you. I never ran away with a lady before; but, upon my word, this eloping with one's wife is a very pleasant business!"

And so, while Julius ran in with his wonderful news, and sent Mrs. Magnum into a fit of screaming hysterics, the strangely re-united pair walked on arm in arm right through the darkness towards the haunted house.

(To be continued.)

NO TIME FOR CHARITY.

Mrs. Russell Sage Says Fashionable Women Are Too Busy.

Mrs. Russell Sage, wife of the New York capitalist, says that fashionable women have no time to devote to charitable work, and, provided they give of their means to worthy objects, they should be excused from the active duties of distributing benefactions. She resents the assertion, however, that society women are lacking in sympathy for the distress of others and says that as a rule they are not extravagant. She asserts that there are not twenty families in New York who spend more than \$200,000 a year and not fifty families in the United States whose yearly expenditure equals that amount. There are a few who may exceed that amount.

"Do you think, Mrs. Sage, that a New York society woman has much time for anything but her social duties?" was asked, "is it your opinion that she can give part of her time to charity?"

"I think her social duties take up every minute of her time. She would be the last woman I would approach for assistance in active charitable work. I have lived in New York thirty-eight years and in that time I have never received assistance from the source you mention. I do not mean to say that they do not give generously to many worthy causes. They simply have not the time to do charitable work and keep up their social obligations."

She spoke most beautifully of Helen Gould and mentioned their joint interest in several charitable institutions. She also spoke of a prominent leader of society who is known to all New Yorkers who inherited an income of \$200,000. Out of that she kept up her position as one of the first leaders of society and established a very worthy mission school.

He that would have fine guests, let him have a fine wife.—Ben Johnson.



Raymond had just been over to the hall with his basket of flowers, mostly, from the woods and fields.

Decoration day always found him on hand; and although his contribution was simple, he was glad to be able to do even a little toward furnishing material for this touching memorial service.

Raymond was the grandson of a veteran of the civil war, and this year he wanted to do something more than usual, to let the old friends of the grandfather whom he had never known understand his loyalty, both to his grandfather's memory and the country that he had died for.

Suddenly he remembered an old tattered flag that stood in a corner in the attic, and beside it a musket, rusty and time-stained. Then he looked at Rover.

"Can you do it, Rover?" Raymond's eyes asked the question. The soft brown eyes of the dog answered, "Try me."

"All right, Rover, I will."

Rover's tail ceased its impatient tattoo upon the floor, and with a yelp of delight he followed his master up the attic stairs. Half an hour later the boy and the dog sat side by side upon the door-step. The boy held a flat piece of wood in one hand, and his jack-knife in the other. Occasionally he lifted a faded flag, and slipped the end of the worn stick through a hole which he was whittling in the new piece of wood.

At last he sprang to his feet, saying, "All ready now, Rover! Do you think you can hold that in your mouth?"

Rover's eyes said, "Of course I can!" as his tail gave three excited thumps. Good, faithful Rover! Raymond knew that he could be depended upon to be his color-bearer. Now



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The sound of approaching footsteps and the beat of a drum floated up to the spot where the boy and the dog were making ready to honor their country's fallen heroes.

From a window of the cottage a pair of tear-dimmed eyes watched the strange preparations.

Raymond hastily donned an old soldier cap, and shouldered the rusty gun. He hoped that he looked like a soldier. Rover's admiring eyes assured him that he did.

"Now, Rover," said Raymond, patting the dog's head, "I'm going to let you hold the flag."

Rover never was happier than when he could carry a bundle; but this was such an unexpected privilege that for a second or two the flagstaff veered like a weather-vane with each delighted thump of his stub of a tail. Then, seeing his master's motionless attitude, Rover took pattern; and as the little company of veterans drew near, the color-bearer and his master attracted instant attention.

Every man in Company C loved Raymond; loved him for his own sake, for he was a bright and lovable boy, and also for the sake of the brave comrade who had marched with them through many a weary campaign, and at last had given his life for his country.

There was a quick order from the front, and instantly every man lifted his hat, and the band struck up the "Star-Spangled Banner;" and Raymond, with his faithful dog beside him, and his grandfather's tattered flag waving in the breeze, was the hero of the day.—Helen M. Richardson.

Thousands of Unknown Dead.

One of the largest national cemeteries in this country is located at Salisbury, N. C. There are 11,000 unknown dead in the cemetery, which is kept in splendid repair by the government.

The society hand-shake isn't exactly what you'd call "a pretty how'd you do?"

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Teachers Are Contented Boarders.

A farmer's wife, writing to the American Agriculturist, says that it has been her good fortune to take summer boarders for the past seventeen years, and she sums up her experience thus: "I have had boarders of all ages, from the baby with its nurse to the aged grandmother, but my favorites are maiden ladies and school teachers. They are most always contented."

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An "M. D.'s" Open Letter.

Benton, Ill., May 20—R. H. Dunaway, M. D., of this place, in an open letter, makes the following startling statement:

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R. H. DUNAWAY, M. D.

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War Bicycles Exhibited.

One of the special bicycles built for the use of the British troops in South Africa which went through the campaign with Gen. Ian Hamilton's column was recently exhibited in London, where its excellent condition, considering the knocking about it had received, excited general comment. England seems busy with the organization of cyclist soldiers, and many companies of wheelmen will figure in the Easter maneuvers.

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Albany Merchant Killed and Two Other Men Receive Fatal Injuries.

Riot and bloodshed, coming Thursday night at the close of a day of comparative peace, added a long list to the victims of the strike on the United Traction company's lines at Albany. One citizen was killed and another was fatally wounded, while one non-union workman had his skull fractured and cannot recover. A large number of others were wounded more or less seriously. Obedient to orders to shoot if assaulted, guardsmen of the Twenty-third Regiment opened fire at dusk upon a mob of strikers, sympathizers and innocent bystanders. The hurling of a stone against the soldiers was the signal for the attack.

William Walsh, a merchant, was fatally shot by national guardsmen while sitting in front of a store on Broadway; removed to hospital, where he died during the evening.

The fatally injured are: Leroy Smith, merchant and prominent citizen, shot while sitting in front of his store in company with Walsh.

William Marshall, a non-union motorman, skull fractured.

Others injured are: George Booze, citizen, cheek slashed open by bayonet.

Gilbert Hall, non-union motorman, shot by mob.

William Rooney, citizen, shot by national guards.

An incident of Friday was the arrival of the Ninth regiment from New York city. More non-union men arrived also, and cars were started from the North Albany barns, as well as from the Quail street barn, the company operating fourteen cars, seven from each barn, and opening up the Central avenue branch. The Ninth regiment came to Albany with 524 officers and men, in command of Colonel William C. Morris. E. Leroy Smith, who was wounded by a bullet discharged by Lieutenant Wilson of Company E, Twenty-third regiment, died in the Albany hospital. Albany's Committee of Thirteen, which is much like the Citizens' union in New York, issued an address severely condemning the police for their inability to suppress the disorder and charged them with being in league with the strikers.

Murder Mystery in Washington.

The entire Washington (D. C.) detective force is engaged on a murder case which has all the contradictory and mysterious elements of the Sherlock Holmes stories. An uproar was heard in a family hotel—the Kenmore—Wednesday morning about 2 o'clock; three shots were fired; a voice cried twice for help; a wild commotion ensued; and in the morning the police found in one of the hotel rooms the dead body of James Seymour Ayres, Jr., 21 years old, of unoffending disposition and apparently unblemished record. He had been shot three times. The victim was a clerk in the census bureau and was appointed from Michigan. His father, J. S. Ayres, Sr., is an insurance agent and lives at Grand Rapids.

Oil Struck in Illinois.

For several years it has been generally known that the southern portion of Coles county, Illinois, lay within the oil and gas belt which extends from Findlay, Shelby county, east to the Indiana fields, but no particular attention was paid to the fact until a few days ago, when three prominent Indiana experts and capitalists, who have inspected the territory, announced their findings. At Findlay both gas and oil have been struck. At Windsor one well on the Smyser farm was opened that expelled a current of gas, which, when lighted, could be seen here, a distance of twelve miles. Last Tuesday, while drilling on the Sargent farm, crude oil was struck, which readily burned.

Stranger Commits Suicide.

A mystery developed at Burlington, Ia., in the suicide by shooting of a well-dressed middle-aged man, a stranger, in Crapo park. His handkerchief bears the name of F. Shephard. An envelope of a Chicago druggist containing morphine was found in his pocket, but not a cent in money or valuables. The first joint of the man's forefinger is missing and may be the only clue to identification.

Marriage Stirrs the Elite.

Society circles at Cincinnati were stirred by the announcement that Miss Marjorie Harmon, daughter of Judson Harmon, ex-attorney general of the United States, was secretly married to George Heckle of Boston. Miss Harmon was a brilliant debutante of last year and had met Mr. Heckle during a visit of the family in the east.

Knockout for Oshkosh Fight.

The Jack Root-"Kid" Carter twelve-round contest, which was to have taken place at the rink in Oshkosh, Wis., Thursday night, was declared off by Adjutant General Boardman, who, acting for Governor La Follette, notified Manager Moore of Appleton that under no consideration would he permit the contest to be held.

Edwin F. Uhl Dies.

Edwin F. Uhl, former assistant secretary of state and ambassador to Germany under the Cleveland administration, died Friday at Grand Rapids, Mich. He had been ill nearly a year, suffering from a complication of diseases, among them Bright's disease. Mr. Uhl was president of the Grand Rapids National bank, director in the Fifth National, and had large interests in various manufacturing institutions. His wife, two sons and two daughters survive him.

WHAT WE HEAR FROM ASSINIBOIA, WESTERN CANADA.

"Don't Think of Coming, but Come."

To the Editor: The above is the emphatic manner in which a friend in Yorkton writes to a friend near St. Paul, Minnesota, and it is pretty nearly right, too, with the advantages that Western Canada offers to those seeking homes. The Assiniboia district is one of the best. The writer from whose letter we quote goes on to say:

"John, if you miss this chance you are foolish, for you can get out cheaper when there are so many coming, and I would not tell you to come if I thought you could not do well, and if you don't come in the spring you will have to go away back, for you do not want to think that there is no one living out here but us. I saw nice buildings out here than I ever saw before, and if the country was no good what would they want them for? John, if you sold everything you have and came out here you would be worth more than ever you were before, and if you can bring your team. You can get anything you want on tick, and when they do that with strangers they are not afraid they can't make enough to pay for it. I saw as nice wheat as I ever saw in my life, and if they could not grow grain what would the flour mill be for, and it cost \$20,000."

Now this was what Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick, of Yorkton, Assiniboia, Western Canada, wrote to a friend.

There will be opened up this summer new districts in Saskatchewan and Assiniboia at low prices, particulars of which can be had of any agent of the government of the Dominion of Canada, whose advertisement appears elsewhere in the columns of your paper. Yours truly, An Old Reader.

Wouldn't Be Necessary.

Teacher—Now, Tommy, suppose you had two apples, and you gave another boy his choice of them, you would tell him to take the bigger one, wouldn't you? Tommy—No, morn. Teacher—Why? Tommy—"Cos 'twouldn't be necessary.—TH-Bits.

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Longevity of Queen's Train-Bearers.

All the eight ladies who acted as train-bearers to the queen on her wedding day, sixty-three years ago, are still alive. All save one are married. The Lady Victoria Howard is the one exception.

The Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern Railway has got out a neat booklet descriptive of the beautiful summer resorts at Spirit and Okoboji Lakes in Northwestern Iowa. Free copies will be mailed upon application to Jno. G. Farmer, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

"There's a movement afoot in various states to prevent any but regular physicians practicing hypnotism." "It's slightly in line with the legislation which forbids sluggers putting each other to sleep."—Philadelphia Times.

Johnson—Do you mean to insinuate that I can't tell the truth? Parkinson—By no means. It is impossible to say what a man can do until he tries.

BO! FOR OKLAHOMA!

New lands soon to open. Be ready! Morgan's Manual, with supplement containing proclamation, map showing allotments, County seats, etc. B. Supplement & Map, 50c. Agents Wanted. DICK T. MORGAN, Perry, O. T.

Chicago, with 70,000 arrests in a year and 4,000 miles of streets to be patrolled, has 3,309 policemen.

Big Estates Doubled.

It is declared by Wall street men that the estates of Commodore Vanderbilt and Jay Gould have about doubled in the hands of the later owners. The Vanderbilt properties were worth \$30,000,000 and the Gould interests \$70,000,000.

The decorations of Uncle Sam's great buildings at the Pan-American Exposition are exceptionally fine. Maroon and green are used and the effect is most pleasing. The whole dome is decorated with flags, and some 400 flags, including the national colors and departmental flags, will be hung about the building.

If You Have Rheumatism Send no money, but write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., box 143, for six bottles of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure, express paid. If cured pay \$5.00; if not it is free.

Boston has much vacant land, the assessed value of which is \$62,000,000.

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What we best conceive, we fail to speak.—Browning.

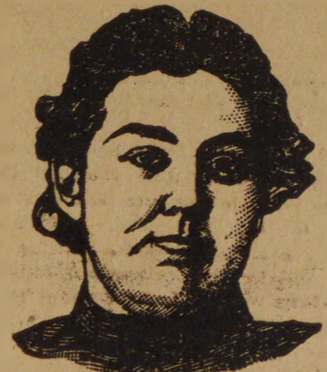
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Advertisement for Wickless Blue Oil Stove. Features: Toasting - broiling, baking - ironing. Heat is not diffused throughout the house—there is no smell, soot, or danger, and the expense of operating is nominal. Made in many sizes; sold wherever stoves are sold. If your dealer does not have it write to nearest agency of STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

Advertisement for Cascarets. Bad Breath. Undigested, decaying food remnants, in the mouth and stomach, giving off pestiferous gases, are the cause of that awful breath, so repulsive as to cause a halt in friendship, affection, love,—any form of intimacy. Nobody can stand its overpowering stench, and it is a cause of terrible misery to those afflicted and their dear ones. There is only one way to cure it—disinfect the digestive canal with CASCARETS! Clean it out, keep it clean, let CASCARETS stimulate the lining of mouth and stomach, and put it in shape to work naturally and properly. Nothing but CASCARETS will bring about the desired result. BE SURE YOU GET THEM!

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GENOA, ILL., MAY 23, 1901.

Here and There.

A Boone County boy captured nine wolves and received \$45.00 reward last week.

Belvidere people are making an effort to get Evangelist Sunday to hold revival meetings there this fall. They are conducting negotiations now and the opera house will either be hired or a tabernacle built.

The Younger brothers who have been in the Minnesota penitentiary since 1876 for robbing the Northfield bank and killing the cashier, have been released on parole. They have been so long immersed in the penitentiary that they did not care to be let out.

Actual work is being done on the Electric road in the north east part of town. Holes for posts are being dug on Thirteenth, Pleasant Tenth, Oak and Fourth streets. The company, to all indications are in earnest and the Sycamore-DeKalb electric road will not exist in imagination only.—Chronicle, (DeKalb.)

C. A. Goding of Genoa lost a pocket-book containing \$150 Tuesday on the road between Genoa and Belvidere. A young man riding a bicycle was seen to stop and pick it up. He then inquired the way to Elgin and started toward this city with his find. The police were notified Wednesday night and have been looking for him.—Advocate (Elgin).

An old time drinker says: "Let any victim of the liquor habit eat tomatoes sprinkled with salt, consuming as much as possible. Let the eating of tomatoes and salt to excess be continued for several days and the tomato eater will find liquor offensive, undrinkable, or if drunk, ungrateful to the stomach, so much so that it will be thrown up." This is the cheapest gold cure yet heard of and is said to be effectual.—Ex

The officials of the post office department always have some sort of trouble on hand. Just now they are worrying over the case of a man who advertises that he will cure deafness for a certain sum. To those who send the required amount, the advertiser sends 2,000 pills with directions to take not more than one a day, guaranteeing a cure when all the pills have been used. As the truth or untruth of this claim cannot be determined for about five and a half years, the authorities do not know what course to take.

Editors who receive complimentary tickets to county fair and other places are often looked upon as deadheads, but the managers of the Woodford, Ill. county, who have some experience in such matters, had the following printed on the complimentary tickets used: "This ticket has probably been paid for ten times by the paper to which it is issued. It will be honored in the hands of any man, woman or child, white, black, red or yellow, who favors the association by presenting it. It is good for entrance and grand stand and bearer, if driving, will be entitled to pass team free. The association recognizes the fact that its splendid success is due to the notices so freely given by the press, and what we cannot render an equivalent in cash, we return our grateful thanks."

Major James H. Brown and Attorney George Brown accompanied Engineer Charles V. Weston over the surveyed route of the Sycamore & Southern Electric road, as we reported. Mr. Weston is making an investigation as to the feasibility of building the road and expects to be able to report in a short time. The trip was made from Morris to Marengo in a car. From Marengo to Lacon the drive will be made later on the road. The object of the trip was to get the country gas data and make inquiry as to the prospects of the road. Written questions were held at the various towns to be filled out and after all are in the engineer will then be able to ascertain what the prospects are, and if his report is favorable it is understood that the road will be built. —City Weekly (Sycamore).

AROUND THE COURT HOUSE.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

W. L. Ellwood to Peter Christiaason west half lot 3 block 1, I. L. Ellwood's DeKalb. \$500.

John Samuelson to August Huberg, part assessor's lot 28 sec 32, Sycamore. \$1200.

Chris Myer to John G. Munch, part lot 3 block 14, Hall's, Sandwich. \$75.

Nathan Applebee to Charles Crunton, e 1/2 sec 4 sec 36, Malta. \$4800.

Thomas Armstrong to Augusta J. Armstrong, lot 6 block 3 and original Sandwich lot 1 block 15, Gage's, Sandwich. \$750.

Augusta J. Armstrong to Charles L. Scott, lot 6 block 3, Sandwich. \$1500.

Russell Huntley to Wilson Love, lot 9 block 3, DeKalb. \$100.

Holland Huntley to Wilson Love, lot 7 block 3, DeKalb. \$50.

W. L. Ellwood to Wilson Love, lots 5 and 7 block 7, W. L. Ellwood's, DeKalb. \$800.

John B. Aurner to Ola Persons, southeast corner assessors lot 4 sec 23, DeKalb. \$800.

A. W. Fiske to Irvin Pew, part block 14, DeKalb. \$2205.

George Rundle to Katie Uehlin, lot 12 block 2, Ellwood's syndicate. \$600.

PROBATE.

Estates of—

The people vs John McGlynn, petition to commit delinquent boy; continued for service until Monday, May 20.

Mary S. Seaton. Will set for hearing June 11.

S. L. Olmstead. Will set for hearing June 11.

Amasa C. Lord. Appraisal bill inventory and widow's release and selection approved.

Andrew Lovell. Report and just and true account approved.

John Lipp. Report approved; proof of heirship; Helen Lipp appointed guardian of Lena L. Lipp; bond \$1500.

Elizabeth C. Schnelder. Proof of heirship.

S. G. Miller. Widow's release and selection approved.

P. M. Roos. E. D. Dennis' note allowed at \$238.69.

E. I. Barker. Widow's release and selection approved.

William Farnum. Wm. Farrell appointed guardian of Wm. and Chas. Farnum; bond \$2800.

James Howison. Letters issued to Charles Howison; bond \$17,000; no appraisers; July term for claims.

J. H. Rogers. Inventory approved.

John P. Koenke. Proof of notice to creditors.

William Vosburg. M. W. Cole's notes of \$221.10 allowed.

R. R. Greenfield. Report approved; Lewis Rogers, Louis Rohrer and Geo. Parks appointed appraisers; July term for claims.

Lewis Zeigler. Final report of executor set for hearing May 27.

Philena Stephens. J. B. Stephen's note of \$150 allowed.

S. G. Miller. Inventory approved.

Michael O'Conner. Permission given to erect monument.

Almaria Gage. Final report of executor filed.

Horace Fraser. John A. McClurg appointed guardian of William H. and Iowa E. Frases; bond \$1200.

Sylvester Pasley. Leave given to grant right of way across land.

C. F. Church. J. J. Ronan's account of \$27.27 allowed.

Isiah Hall. Julia Drive's account of \$2600 set for hearing May 27.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

W. H. Settle, Cortland, 57.

Mary M. London, Cortland, 57.

John Cox, DeKalb, 23.

Mary Kane, DeKalb, 22.

E. W. Campbell, DeKalb, 33.

Catherine Brand, Grand Rapids, Mich., 22.

W. L. Grove, DeKalb, over 21.

Annie McCreson, DeKalb, over 18.

R. E. Westberg, Belvidere, 27.

Beda L. Blomquist, DeKalb, 27.

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Veal Cutlet - - - 15	Breakfast Bacon - - - 15	Fried Perch - - - 15
Mutton Chops - - - 15	Salt Pork, Broiled - - - 15	Salt Mackerel - - - 15
Boiled Ham - - - 15	Fried Sausage - - - 15	Fried Eggs - - - 15
Liver and Bacon - - - 15	Lake Trout - - - 15	Scrambled Eggs - - - 15

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Not all of these defects may be found on any one machine, and none on Milwaukee	2 What harvesting machine has the most ready adaptability to all conditions of grain?	3 What is the lightest draft harvester on the market, and why?	4 What harvesting machine has neither side draft nor neck weight?	5 What harvester is built with main frame and platform sills of tubular steel, which are rigid and unbreakable?	6 What harvester has the greatest elevator capacity and the surest delivery to the packers?	7 What harvester is most convenient to operate, using the smallest number of levers?	8 What harvester is raised or lowered, both ends at once without leaving soil, by a single lever?	9 What harvester is provided with an accurate knoter, a double-acting compressor and a non-choking device?	10 What harvester has the greatest traction power, and is entirely successful on soft ground?

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J. H. Vandresser, E. H. Browne,
V. C. Clerk

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Ammon Frazier, J. W. Sowers,
Noble Grand, Sec'y.

COURT OF HONOR:—Genoa District No. 418 meets every second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at eight o'clock p. m. Visiting brothers and sisters are cordially invited.
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Honeyed Medicines. Though modern medicine has done much to rob its drugs of their nauseous tastes, there are many in frequent use which nothing has been found to more than thinly disguise. That is why a Frenchman has recently been trying to cause bees to make medicated honey. According to a Paris paper, he has been successful in producing many different kinds of honey, each of which contains, effectually hidden, a standard remedy against some particular disease. He has managed it in this way: The bees are, of course, divided into many swarms. These are not allowed to roam, but each swarm is kept under glass and given only flowers that have been duly medicated, and contain the desired properties. The result is that when the bees transmute their labor into honey, the honey contains all the necessary principles of the drug to be administered. In this way this Frenchman has obtained different kinds of honey by which influenza, coughs and colds, indigestion, asthma and many other ills are said to be readily, if indirectly, reached.

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Correspondence

Correspondents will hereafter please send in their communications by Tuesday afternoon.

KINGSTON KINKS.

Personals.

Lee Taylor, of Fairdale, was in town Thursday.

Charles Corson, of Genoa, was in town Thursday.

Edward Bell spent last week with Belvidere friends.

Roy McKee was up from Kirkland Saturday evening.

Frank Williams, of Belvidere, was seen in town Friday.

Leonard Irish, of Genoa, Sundayed with Kingston people.

Miss Nettie Hadden is visiting friends in Malta and Chicago.

Byron Munn moved his household goods to Genoa Monday.

Prof. John Clark made a business trip to Sycamore Saturday.

Arthur Thurlby and John Heldon drove to Belvidere Saturday.

George Waite, of Herbert, was seen upon our streets Saturday.

A number from here attended the show at Sycamore Saturday.

Homer Witter is clerking in Dempsey Bros' store in Belvidere.

Pure as the water from a running spring—Rowen's soda water.

Will Morris was calling on old friends here Wednesday of last week.

J. S. Brown and Byron Munn drove to Genoa Wednesday of last week.

Charles Adams and wife, of Genoa, Sundayed with Kingston people.

Miss Olive Byers spent Saturday and Sunday in the "city by the lakeside."

A. G. and J. L. Stewart, of Genoa, were in town on business Thursday.

O. W. Vickell and wife were the guests of Rockford friends and relatives Friday.

George Thompson, of Rockford, made an over Sunday visit with his family here.

Mrs. M. L. Ives, of Kirkland, visited her sister, Mrs. H. L. Shorey, Sunday.

A party of six Sycamore young people picniced in the grove north of town Sunday.

J. A. Kepple and daughter Bessie, of Belvidere, were visiting in town Saturday.

D. B. Arbuckle attended a meeting of the board of supervisors at Sycamore Thursday.

Mrs. Streeter, of Kirkland, was entertained by her sister, Mrs. J. W. Foster, Saturday.

David Lord and wife, of Genoa, were calling on friends in town Saturday evening.

Mrs. Bert Wyllus, of DeKalb, visited at the home of A. N. Wyllus and wife Thursday.

Prof. Frank Palmer passed through town on the 6:56 passenger Saturday evening.

One thousand people wanted—at Rowen's soda and ice cream parlors Saturday evening.

Floyd Bassett, Frank Haynes and William Lawton wheeled over from Blood's Point Sunday.

William Howe and wife, of Sycamore, were entertained at the home of their son John Thursday.

George Robinson and W. Rich, of Sycamore, were calling on friends here Tuesday of last week.

Oscar Lucas and wife, of Belvidere, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor Sunday.

William DeWolf and wife, of Belvidere, were guests at the home of Frank Parker and wife Saturday.

It was a good story but perhaps if the truth was known May T. bought them in a fish store around the corner.

M. W. Cole and Thomas Gathercole were visitors at the home of Judge William Pond and wife in DeKalb Sunday.

J. H. Uplinger is now better equipped to do furnace work than ever before. He has an experienced man in that line.

W. W. Huse, J. H. Smith, B. J. Kurtz and F. Baker, of Rockford, were quartered at the McCollom hotel Thursday.

James Plopper returned to his home in Pullman, Ill., Saturday evening after a few days visit at the home of Fred Smith and wife.

Will Wesley returned from Marion, Ind., where he has spent the past few months, Friday. He will assist Arnold and Foster in painting roofs.

B. H. Sullivan, of Plankinton, S. Dakota, was here Thursday interesting a number of our farmers in Dakota land.

Mrs. Orilla Orr, after a few days visit at the home of J. W. Foster and wife, returned to her home in Belvidere Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Uplinger received the sad news that her sister at Lincoln, Neb., was not expected to live, Friday. She left the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soost and daughter, Nelie, were passengers to Elgin Friday. Their trip was for the treatment of Nellie's eyes by Dr. Snyder of that place.

J. H. Uplinger received a large supply of fly nets and summer blankets last week. We think you are plenty early enough J. H. as our December weather has not left us.

We visited Uplinger's hardware store Saturday and found him well supplied with a large supply of twine, pumps and all kinds of farm machinery. John is head over heels in work.

The prayer room of the M. E. church, in which the Ladies' Aid society serve their suppers, was found inadequate for the number of patrons and last week a kitchen filling the requirements was built.

COLVIN PARK.

Ollmann Bros. shipped a car of oats Wednesday.

Miss Alma Cupp, was visiting her sister-in-law Sunday.

John Schwabke, lost a fine two year old colt Wednesday.

Fred Ollman is doing some carpenter work for Mrs. Konecky.

Joe Britten and Miss Ida Stray were calling on Belvidere friends Sunday.

G. Cupp who has been working on the section, resigned and is working for Mr. Colvin.

Mrs. J. Babbler and Ida Stray were Kingston callers one day last week.

J. H. Britten and J. H. Babbler were seen walking on our streets Friday evening.

C. G. Meyres shipped a car load of hogs and two cars of fine horses to Chicago last week.

Colvin Park Cramery Company is receiving little over 11,000, pounds of milk daily and it keeps, Mr. J. H. Britton and Mr. J. Ackerman quits busy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lue Ollman of Freeport have been visiting their parents. Mrs. Konecky and Mr. and Mrs. Ollman, and returned home Saturday. He is a fireman on I. C. R. R. Running from Freeport to Clinton.

CHARTER GROVE.

Joshua Siglin was in Chicago Wednesday.

Mrs. John Bell was an Elgin visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Lucinda Dean, of Genoa, visited her brother, Ira Evans, last week.

The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. Fred Naker Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Hattie Wells, of Dubuque, Ia., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Horace Campbell.

Dan Brehe and wife spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. John Babbler, at Colvin Park.

Will Whitacre went to Freeport Tuesday and passed the examination in telegraphy and now holds the position of night operator here, Roy Evans being transferred to Rockford.

OLD RILEY.

Mrs. Ben Whiteman and daughter Myrtle were Marengo visitors Wednesday.

Most of the people from here went to Marengo Friday to see the elephant. All report a good show and plenty of dust.

Charley Ratfield worshiped at Marengo Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Fellows spent Saturday and Sunday in Marengo.

Attendance at the Riley Sunday school Sunday, 32; collection, \$1.50.

The death of Mrs. Stonbraker which has been looked for for some time occurred Saturday evening. She leaves two little children to mourn the loss of a mother.

The Victoria Union Band met with Miss Ester Gustafson Saturday, May 25.

Mrs. Frank Fellows received the sad news that her brother John, who runs a steam ditcher, had both legs broken and also got badly bruised.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar received the sad news that their daughter, Mrs. Ida White, lost here only child, a son by drowning.

While Bruce Fellows and another young man were out riding Sunday night their horse became frightened and upset the rig, tipping them out and cutting Bruce's face quite badly.

There will be a musical entertainment at the Riley Center church Sunday, May 26, at 2 p. m. Sunday school that day will be at 1 p. m. Instead of 10:30 a. m.

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Old Ladies Party.

Mrs. George H. Ide gave a very pleasant party last Tuesday to a number of old ladies at her home which was greatly enjoyed by those present. An intertarding visit was indulged in and refreshments was served before the party broke up. Those present were Mesdames A. N. Hollebeak, E. R. Stewart, H. R. Patterson, Eliza Brown, Mary Browns, Henry Halroyd, Maria Richardson, Lucinda Dean, K. Jackman.

Local Paper Deserves Support.

The effort of any newspaper to build up a town is practically nullified unless it is backed up by the business men of the town. A stranger turns from the news columns of a paper to its advertising columns, and if he fails to find there the business cards of the merchants and professional firms he comes to the conclusion that the editor is not appreciated, in which case it is a good place to keep clear from. No town ever grew without the active assistance of its papers. Nor can papers grow and build up their localities without the assistance of the town. Business men should realize this and remember that in lending support to their local paper they are not only building up their own business, but are helping to support that which is steadily working for the growth of the whole town.—Press and Printer.

The Misses Lulu and Lila Oaks were Chicago passengers yesterday where they go to visit with relatives for a time.

Postponed Lecture.

Owing to the bad state of the weather last Tuesday the lecture to be given at Mrs. Ferslew's rooms at the Pacific Hotel has been postponed until next Saturday, May 25, at 2 o'clock. All ladies are cordially invited to attend. No charges.

Fred S. Hall and Wife and Miss Hattie Ganoung Will Visit Europe.

Fred S. Hall and wife, of Chicago, visited with relatives here Sunday and Monday, and on Monday morning was a caller at the JOURNAL office.

He informed us that next Sunday himself and wife and Miss Hattie Ganoung, Mrs. Hall's sister, will leave Chicago for a three months' trip through Europe, and arrangements are made for the GENOA JOURNAL to be sent to reach them on arrival at Rome, Venice, Milan, Heidelberg, Paris and London.

They will be joined in the East by James Greenwood and wife and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Coteville, Pa., making a company of six, who will sail from New York, via the North German Lloyd steamer "Aller," which will leave port Saturday, June 1 and goes direct for Mediterranean points.

Their trip will include Gibraltar, Naples, Rome, Florence, Venice, and trips through Switzerland, Germany, Spain, France and England; sailing from London home.

Rockford Gets Woodmen Picnic.

Big Order Will Make Merry in That City in 1902.

Rockford has landed the big picnic of the Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin Association of the Modern Woodmen of America for 1902. The place of holding the picnic was settled at a convention held in Freeport last week.

The fight for the picnic was a lively one, Janesville being Rockford's opponent. About seventy delegates, representing twenty camps were present. Louis Bausher was chairman and Dr. Burns secretary.

There was a good deal of wire pulling and the Rockford delegates were exceedingly busy for a short time. When the vote was taken it was found they had worked to good advantage, it standing 38 for Rockford to 33 for Janesville.

Officers were elected as follows: President—T. F. Hopkins. Vice President—C. H. Woodsey. Secretary—E. B. Andrews. Treasurer—Raymond McDannell. The officers are selected from the town in which the picnic is to be held.

A Crossbeak That Whistles the Scale.

The people in the vicinity of Main and Sycamore streets have been considerably entertained by the whistling of a bird belonging to Dr. McAllister.

It was captured about a year ago and was then but a few days old. It has been taught, by Mrs. Knowles, to whistle and its running the scale so perfectly is what has attracted the attention of people since it has been allowed to be out of doors. There is but one other bird like it in town and it is owned by Mrs. Deliaann Totten and it probably could have been taught as much if it had been trained when it was young. It is now about three years old.

We copy the following from the encyclopedia Britannica, regarding this rare bird. "These birds are of the Finch species and is known as the Bullfinch and are distinguished by the varied plumage of the cock—his bright red breast and his grey back, set off by his coal black head and quill—is naturally attractive; while the facility with which he is tamed, with his engaging disposition in confinement, make him a popular cage bird, to say nothing of the fact (which in the opinion of so many adds to his charm) of his readily learning to "pipe" a tune, or some bars of one, though this provision of his natural notes is hardly agreeable to the ornithologist."

\$15 a Week Exempt.

What has been known as the Case garnishment law was repealed by the state legislature, and the Bundy bill passed. This measure provides an exemption of \$15 a week to a wage earner who is the head of a family and requires the payment of the exempted wages to the defendant without regard to the law. Advance notice of the intention to garnish is required, and the defendant is given a chance to pay over the excess of the exemption without incurring court cost.

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MINOR EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Items of General Interest Told in Paragraphs.

COMPLETE NEWS SUMMARY.

Record of Happenings of Much or Little Importance from All Parts of the Civilized World—Incidents, Enterprises, Accidents, Verdicts, Crimes and Wars.

Mrs. McKinley passed another favorable day. President encouraged to make engagements for informal appearance on public occasions.

Papal order of knighthood conferred on Alexander McDonald, who founded hospital at Dawson.

The Johnson and Fitzgerald bids on Grand Rapids water works contracts found to be collusive.

Grover Cleveland's home quarantined on account of diphtheria of his daughter, Esther.

Presbyterian General Assembly received reports of the year's work in the church.

Cincinnati man planning to found religious sect on teachings of R. G. Ingersoll.

Arapahoe Indians defy government authorities at Shoshone reservation.

Relations between France and Portugal strained. France practically having ceased diplomatic relations with the kingdom. Portugal may be requested to recall minister.

Mrs. McKinley improved sufficiently to sit up a short time Sunday. Crisis believed to have passed and that she will steadily improve.

Man believed to be William Gardhouse of Brampton, Ont., jumped into Niagara River, going over the falls.

Great strike of machinists in many cities began Monday.

Gen. Chaffee issued orders for the last of the American troops to leave Peking. They started for Taku Monday. German force may be sent to Cheng-Ting-Fu district.

Sultan of Turkey apologized to foreign ambassadors for stopping their mails.

Mystery of Father Phillips' death at New York still unsolved.

Two killed and three fatally injured in accident at steel works in Youngstown, O.

Gen. Mascardo, with 321 Filipino insurgents, surrendered in Zambeles Province to Capt. O'Neil.

British trying to persuade Viceroy Liu Kun Yi to permit landing of English troops at Nankin.

Phillips sold 1,500,000 bushels of May corn on the Chicago board of trade, closing his deal in that option with a total profit of \$625,000. May make \$160,000 more.

S. R. Callaway resigned presidency of New York Central to become head of the locomotive trust.

American troops left in Peking will be supplied with munitions and supplies for six months.

Mrs. McKinley showed marked improvement Friday after passing a favorable night. She is not yet out of danger, but the doctors are more hopeful of recovery. Passed restless night.

Four boys killed, five others probably fatally burned, by exploding fireworks at Bemidji, Minn.

Body of Father Phillips of St. Gabriel's church, Hazelton, Pa., friend of the miners, found in rooms of quack doctor at New York. Murder suspected.

Woman made \$100,000 profit on sale of 200 shares Northern Pacific, but would not take it because it meant wreck of someone's fortune.

Blanche Reynolds, aged 7, of Harbor Beach, Mich., beaten to death by three playmates.

Hypnotic subject killed during an exhibition at Woonsocket, R. I.

Steamships Moana and Louise Lamont lost in storm off Australian coast and forty-eight lives lost.

Two thousand merchants in Peking petitioned for retention of American troops in that city. American methods of preserving order highly praised.

General Cailles negotiating for surrender of Filipino force. Aguinaldo flooded with letters from anti-imperialists and museums.

Presbyterian general assembly at Philadelphia elected as moderator the Rev. Dr. Henry C. Minton of San Anselmo, Cal.

Illness of Mrs. McKinley at San Francisco assumes grave nature, making necessary the abandonment of the trip of the presidential party. Patient is unconscious part of the time and takes little nourishment.

Paris banks withdrew \$40,000,000 from London to be used for the Russian loan.

Five thousand dozen bottles of Queen Victoria's sherry to be sold at auction.

Michigan university to erect \$100,000 building for medical department.

French forces compelled submission of native African tribes in the Tehad province.

Mrs. Nation declared guilty of joint-smashing at Topeka. Will probably be fined.

General Fitz John Porter dying at Morristown, N. J.

Gov. Yates vetoed the fraternal insurance and ejection bills.

Mrs. Martha Ewart of Denver attempted to kill Joseph E. Choate, cousin of Ambassador Choate.

Federation of musicians in convention at Denver adopted resolution declaring rag time music rot.

THE OHIO IS LAUNCHED.

Big Battleship Companion of the Oregon Now in the Water.

The launching of the battleship Ohio took place at San Francisco Saturday. It was the great event which attracted to the Pacific coast President McKinley and his cabinet, the majority of the Ohio congressional delegation, Gov. Geer of Oregon, the governor of Nevada and numerous other state officials and congressmen. The steel clad hull slid from its cradle twenty-three minutes after the hour of noon in the presence of the chief executive and several thousand spectators. The President met the employes of the builders at the wharf and was presented with a souvenir which the men prepared for him. When all but the last rope holding the ship was gone Miss Barber, niece of Mrs. McKinley, pressed an electric button, causing the knife to drop, severing the cord which held the last stay. As the ship began to glide down the ways, Miss Helen Deshier dashed the bottle of champagne which hung by a ribbon from the bows and christened the vessel.

LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 70 1/2 @ 71 1/2; No. 3 red, 70 1/2; No. 4 red, 69 1/2; No. 1 hard, 71 1/2; No. 2 hard, 70 1/2; No. 3 hard, 69 1/2; No. 4 hard, 68 1/2; No. 1 yellow, 53 1/2 @ 54 1/2; No. 2 yellow, 53 1/2 @ 54 1/2; No. 3 yellow, 52 1/2 @ 53 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 51 1/2 @ 52 1/2; Oats—No. 4 white, 29 1/2; No. 2, 28c. Mess pork, regular, \$14.00 @ 14.50; old, \$13.00 @ 13.50; lard, regular, \$7.50 @ 7.75. Butter, creamery, extras, 18 1/2 @ 19c; first, 18 1/4 @ 18 3/4; dairies, choice, 14c. Cheese, new twins, 10 1/2 @ 10 3/4; dairies, 10 1/4 @ 10 3/4; Young America, 10 1/4 @ 10 3/4. Live turkeys, 5 1/2 @ 5 3/4; hens, 9 1/2 @ 9 3/4; young roosters, 3 1/2 @ 3 3/4; young chickens, 2 1/2 @ 2 3/4. Beans, hand-picked, \$1.75 @ 1.80. Apples, good to choice, \$1.25 @ 1.75. Potatoes, Rural, 40 1/2 @ 40c; Burbanks, 40 1/2 @ 40c; Peerless, 38 1/2 @ 38c; Hebron, 38 1/2 @ 38c. Cattle—Native shipping export steers, \$1.95 @ 2.85; dressed beef and butchers' steers, \$1.80 @ 1.90; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3.00 @ 3.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.80 @ 3.75; cows and heifers, \$2.15 @ 2.40; canners, \$1.25 @ 2.85; bulls, \$3.30 @ 3.75; Texas and Indian steers, \$1.60 @ 2.25; cows and heifers, \$1.50 @ 2.00; 1000-lb. cows—Fries and light, \$5.50 @ 5.75; parkers, \$5.00 @ 5.75; butchers', \$5.00 @ 5.80. Sheep—Native muttons, \$1.40 @ 1.75; lambs, \$5.00 @ 10; spring lambs, \$5.00 @ 7.25; culis and bucks, \$3.75 @ 5.75.

Dowie Denounces His Enemies.

"Am I responsible for every death that occurs in Zion?" shouted John Alexander Dowie in his tabernacle at Chicago Sunday afternoon, while delivering a philippic against the press. "Answer me," he cried, as the faithful kept silent. "No," came feebly from about a hundred of the vast congregation. "I should think not," said Dowie. Then he gave an exhibition of his influence by asking a series of questions and demanding replies. "Do you believe in me?" "Yes." "Do you believe in doctors?" "No." "Would you have a doctor attend you if sick?" "No." "Do you believe in prayer?" "Yes." Dowie gave statistics in an effort to show that the mortality among Zion's disciples was far below the percentage given by the city health department. He then made an attack on the press in general. During one of his outbursts an elderly man arose and was quietly walking toward the door when Dowie shouted: "Ah! There goes a coward. He's been hit!" The man turned and pointing his finger at the speaker, cried: "No, sir; your harangue is merely tiresome."

Scalds Drunken Man to Death.

William Hall, a bachelor coal miner, 64 years old, died at Washington, Ind., from the effects of being drenched with boiling water, which was thrown upon him from a second story window. Hall was in a helpless state of intoxication at the time and was never able to explain from what building the water was thrown. When found by the police he was still drunk, but was suffering terribly from his burns. He was taken to Walter's Hotel, where death relieved his sufferings. The police think some woman is responsible for the old man's death, and are working on that theory.

Offer Reward for Student.

Nothing has been learned of C. E. Starbuck, the Harvard student who disappeared last Thursday. His parents and the police of Andover, Mass., have offered a reward. Starbuck lived with his parents at Andover and went to Cambridge every day by electric cars. Thursday he left his home at the usual hour and was seen in the Harvard yard about 11 a. m. He did not attend any of his recitations or lectures that day. It is believed he was so worried over this slight deficiency that it produced melancholia and that he wandered away while despondent.

Senator Found Not Guilty.

Senator S. D. Stokes was found not guilty of the murder of Rev. J. J. Woll, the Presbyterian minister, killed at Williamson, W. Va., last November. The trial, which bade fair to last all week, was brought to a sudden close by the failure of the prosecution to make a case.

Suicide at a Fishing Frolic.

Miss Julia Davis, aged 30, committed suicide at Quincy, Ill., by throwing herself into the North Fabius river near West Quincy. When she plunged into the water she said, "Here goes nothing." She was out with a fishing party composed of men and women.

Jockey Britton Is Dead.

Thomas M. Britton, the once famous jockey, committed suicide at a lodging house in Cincinnati by drinking carbolic acid. Britton left a note asking that his body be shipped to his mother, Mrs. Susan B. Franklin of Lexington, Ky. Britton was born at Berea, Ky., twenty-eight years ago and began to ride at the age of 12 for James Williams of Louisville. He had ridden for W. H. Laudeman, W. S. Barnes, J. E. Pepper and James Murphy.

BLOODY DEEDS OF A MANIAC

Succession of Tragedies in Evansville Sunday Morning.

THREE DEAD; THREE INJURED.

Murderer, After Killing a Married Couple, Fatally Wounding a Policeman and Seriously Hurting Others, Kills Himself—Foretells His Plans in Letter.

Three persons dead, a fourth dying, a score of men and women wounded, a barn burned, nine cows killed, a siege by police, and a mob of citizens demanding the life of a murderer are features of a tragedy enacted in Evansville, Ind., Sunday. All these unusual events are results of a fit of madness, caused by brooding over fancied wrongs, which took possession of Everett Conway. The series of crimes culminated when Conway, driven to bay and facing certain death at the hands of infuriated men, kissed his wife and babies good-by and fired a revolver bullet into his own heart. Conway, who lived next door to William Garrison, has long been at odds with his neighbor, claiming the latter worsted the elder Conway in the purchase of a dairy business two years ago. He had threatened to square accounts, and the prosperity of the dairyman preyed upon his mind, until he determined to avenge the supposed wrong. Taking a repeating rifle, Conway Sunday went to his neighbor's place. Meeting Garrison in the yard, he took careful aim, and sent a bullet through the dairy owner's heart. Conway's father, whose home also adjoins the Garrison place, was in the barn, and, attracted by the report of the shot, he ran out to learn the reason. The madman turned the rifle upon the elder man and fired, but the father was not shot and he fled, soon distancing his pursuer. Mrs. Garrison was the next to appear and become an object for Conway's fury. As she approached the man shot her, and she dropped dead at his feet.

Kills Cows and Burns Barn.

Conway entered the dairy barn, where he found nine milk cows. These he killed, reloading his rifle from a supply of cartridges he had in his pocket. When the last of these animals went down before his bullets the madman piled hay against the sides of the building and ignited it in half a dozen places. As the flames swept up the walls of the dairy Conway turned to seek more victims, but all intelligent persons on the premises had fled. Barricading himself in the house Conway opened fire upon the officers with a repeating shotgun. By this time a crowd of several persons had assembled, and the tiny leaden pellets scattered among the spectators. Officer Wallis was struck five times and cannot recover, while fully twenty men and women were wounded by the shot.

Writes Letter Telling of Plans.

The deed was premeditated, as Conway had sent the following letter to a local paper, asking its publication: "Well friend readers, what I will do will be a plenty. I will tell you why. This man Garrison has bullied the whole ranch since he has been here, but he run against a snag when he landed on me, so I think he will sink. He got the ranch under control, and

he got it for nothing. My dad gave him everything he got. He run the whole family away and has caused my dad to disown me. I am from Kentucky and you know what's in them people. He threatened to kill me, and you know the jig is up. I need not tell you what I am going to do. For it will be in sight, so come and see."

MRS. LYMAN J. GAGE IS DEAD.

Wife of Secretary of the Treasury Succumbs to Illness.

Mrs. Lyman J. Gage, wife of the secretary of the treasury, passed away at 9:30 Friday evening at Washington. In spite of her illness of nine weeks death came suddenly, and it has greatly shocked the official and social community here, for it is no disparagement to the other women in official life to say that Mrs. Gage was the most popular and best known woman of the McKinley administration. Beyond all question she had given up her life to her official station, and her name must be added to those who have been sacrificed in the relentless treadmill of political and social life in Washington. Mrs. Gage was peculiarly a martyr, because she went to Washington with no previous official experience. The result was that she entered upon her social duties with such a scrupulous regard for other people, that she, who had scarcely known a sick day in her life, broke down under the strain last fall and never fully recovered. After the funeral services at Washington Secretary Gage will accompany the body back to Chicago, and the burial will take place in the family lot at Rosehill. The services there probably will be private.

Asks Aid for Alaskans.

E. W. Clarke, special treasury agent at Seattle, Wash., has issued an appeal on behalf of the destitute natives of the Aleutian islands and Alaska generally. The failure of their regular hunting supplies and the recent epidemic to which they have been subjected are given as the direct causes of present distress. Supplies and contributions received will be distributed by the revenue cutter service.

Railway Fraud in Russia.

Investigation of the frauds recently discovered in the management of the Russo-Polish and Vistula railroads, discovered some time ago, shows that the peculations amounted to 31,000,000 roubles (about \$15,500,000). Forty arrests have been made in Warsaw and others are expected. The frauds were carried out by wholesale declarations of deficient freight rates.

Dinner Party for Cambou.

A dinner party was given in honor of Ambassador Cambou Sunday evening at the residence of James Deering in Chicago, where the ambassador is being entertained during his present visit to Chicago. Those at the table were Mesdames Caton, Strobel, Howe, Keep and Patterson, and Messrs. Potter Palmer, Robert Lincoln, Howe and Deering.

Shot by Daughter's Sultor.

Dennis Reed, an 18-year-old boy, shot and seriously wounded George Williams at Metropolis, Ill. Reed had called on Williams' daughter against the father's orders. Williams stepped into the room, objected to the young man's presence in his house, and the shooting followed.



THE LATE MRS. LYMAN J. GAGE.

Must Obey Eight-Hour Law.

That the eight-hour law must be enforced by contractors for the city of New York was made known in a decision rendered by the appellate division of the Supreme court. It was in the case of Eugene Lentihen, who made a contract with the city in June, 1899, for removing the Forty-second street reservoir. Comptroller O'ler refused to pay the contractor because he had made his men work more than eight hours and had not paid them the prevailing rate of wages.

Smallpox Epidemic in Alaska.

Following are private advices received by mail at Seattle from Sitka, Alaska, dated May 11: "Drs. Moore of Skaguay and Linhart of Juneau have been investigating the smallpox epidemic here and at the Indian ranch. Russian town, and the Indian mission. Dr. Moore said there could be no question of the seriousness of the situation. At the mission there were found over thirty children suffering from smallpox."

MANY MACHINISTS STRIKE

Fifty Thousand Men Out for Nine-Hour Day.

LEADING CITIES ARE INVOLVED.

Six Thousand Out at Cincinnati and More Than That Number Quit at San Francisco—Few Strikers in Indiana or Illinois.

Approximately, 50,000 machinists throughout the country struck Monday for a nine-hour day, a scale of wages equal to the ten-hour per day scale, and other demands. This is the estimate of President O'Connell of the National Association of Machinists, based on the telegraphic advices that have reached him today from the machinists' headquarters in the various cities. The strike thus far has not extended to the allied trades, save in one or two instances, as at Scranton, Pa., where men in a part of the allied

BIG FAIR DEDICATED.

Buffalo Makes the Occasion a Holiday.

The big buildings of the Pan-American exposition were formally dedicated Monday. The inclemency of the weather could not keep the holiday crowds off the streets, and later when the sun came out for a few minutes the city soon took on a gala appearance. The crowds were astray early and the trains brought thousands of recruits to their ranks. The exposition grounds and the business districts of the city, where the military and civic parade formed, were the centers that attracted the largest numbers. The following telegram of congratulations from President McKinley was read by President Milburn: "San Francisco, Cal., May 20.—William I. Buchanan, Director General Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, N. Y.—Fellow Citizens of the United States and Fellow Americans from All Our Neighboring Nations: I send you greetings from the shore of the Pacific, with fervent prayers for the benediction of heaven upon this beneficent enterprise, with sincere congratulations to all those whose energy and devo-

SCOTLAND'S WORLD'S FAIR.



VIEW OF THE PRINCIPAL BUILDINGS AT THE GLASGOW EXPOSITION, WHICH WAS OPENED MAY 7.

trades are out.

The machinists out on strike are numbered as follows: Cincinnati, 6,000; other Ohio cities, 2,400; Philadelphia, 1,335; other Pennsylvania cities, 8,600; San Francisco, 6,500; other Pacific coast cities, 75; Hartford, 2,500; other Connecticut cities, 3,165; New York, 2,000; Chicago, 55; other Illinois cities, 417; Milwaukee, 1,600; Wisconsin and Michigan, 1,450; Boston, 1,500; New England cities outside of Connecticut, 950; Baltimore, 800; Plainfield, N. J., 1,000; other New Jersey cities, 1,495; cities in many states, 925. Total, 42,767.

Dealings with Sultan of Jolo.

Gen. J. C. Bates, who has just returned to San Francisco from the Philippines, said concerning his dealings with the sultan of Jolo: "The Mohammedans, who recognize the sultan of Jolo, differ from the other natives of the islands in the fact that they do not desire independence. In fact, they told me that they preferred to have the protection of a strong nation and frankly declared that if the United States did not want to take them they would appeal to some other great country. Gen. Otis put \$10,000 in silver at my disposal and after they had given all the concessions that the government wished made this was given to them as presents, but they did not get a cent until they had come to our terms."

Harvard Student's Had Fall.

H. A. Rich, a Harvard sophomore, fell from the fifth story of Weld hall at Cambridge, Mass. He was removed to the Cambridge hospital in an unconscious condition. It was found that he had broken his left arm, had a compound fracture of his left thigh and that he also had concussion of the brain. Rich's home is in Dighton, Mass.

Shah of Persia Is Dying.

"The shah of Persia is dying of kidney disease," says a dispatch from Tiflis to the London Daily Express. "The malady has progressed too far to permit him to make the intended visit to Contrevelle. It is expected that his death will be the signal for a Russian coup in Persia."

Takes Too Much Morphine.

C. S. Sutton, auditor of the Santa Fe and Pacific railway, lies at his home in Los Angeles suffering from the effects of an overdose of morphine. It is reported that he will recover. There are two surgeons in constant attendance. It is rumored that Sutton was a heavy loser by the crash in Wall street. His friends will neither confirm nor deny these rumors. Even the officials of the road have their lips sealed.

Not Worried by Murder.

The Washington police are making slow progress in clearing up the mystery attending the murder of James Seymour Ayres, the young census clerk from Michigan who was shot to death in the Kenmore hotel Wednesday morning. They are convinced that Ayres was shot by another guest of the Kenmore hotel, that the murderer was probably a man who felt that he was avenging a wrong and that a woman was mixed up in the affair, but that is as far as their investigations have led them.

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

AMUSEMENTS THE SUBJECT ON LAST SUNDAY.

"Let the Young Men Now Arise and Play Before Us"—Second Samuel, Chapter II, Verse 14—Sports as a Means to an End—The Home Life.

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Washington, May 19.—This discourse of Dr. Talmage is in accord with all innocent hilarities, while it reprehends amusements that belittle or deprave; text, II Samuel II, 14, "Let the young men now arise and play before us."

There are two armies encamped by the pool of Gibeon. The time hangs heavily on their hands. One army proposes a game of sword fencing. Nothing could be more healthful and innocent. The other army accepts the challenge. Twelve men against 12 men, the sport open. But something went awfully. Perhaps one of the swordsmen got an unlucky clip or in some way had his ire aroused and that which opened in sportfulness ended in violence, each one taking his contestant by the hair and with the sword thrusting him in the side, so that that which opened in innocent fun ended in the massacre of all the 24 sportsmen. Was there ever a better illustration of what was true then and is true now—that that which is innocent may be made destructive?

What of a worldly nature is more important and strengthening and innocent than amusement, and yet what has counted more victims? I have no sympathy with a straightjacket religion. This is a very bright world to me, and I propose to do all I can to make it bright for others. I never could keep step to a dead march. A book years ago issued says that a Christian man has a right to some amusements. For instance, if he comes home at night weary from his work and, feeling the need of recreation, puts on his slippers and goes into his garret and walks lively round the floor several times there can be no harm in it. I believe the church of God made a great mistake in trying to suppress the sportfulness of youth and drive out from men their love of amusement. If God ever implanted anything in us, he implanted this desire. But instead of providing this demand of our nature the church of God has for the main part ignored it. As in a riot the mayor plants a battery at the end of the street and has it fired off, so that every thing is cut down that happens to stand in the range, the good as well as the bad, so there are men in the church who plant their batteries of condemnation and fire away indiscriminately. Everything is condemned. But Paul the apostle commends those who use the world without abusing it, and in the natural world God has done everything to please and amuse us. In poetic figure we sometimes speak of natural objects as being in pain, but it is a mere fancy. Poets say the clouds weep, but they never yet shed a tear, and that winds sigh, but they never did have trouble, and that the storm howls, but it never lost its temper. The world is a rose and the universe a garland.

Find Out for Yourself.
I project certain principles by which you may judge in regard to any amusement or recreation, finding out for yourself whether it is right or wrong.

I remark, in the first place, that you can judge of the moral character of any amusement by its healthful result or by its baleful reaction. There are people who seem made up of hard facts. They are a combination of multiplication tables and statistics. If you show them an exquisite picture they will begin to discuss the pigments involved in the coloring. If you show them a beautiful rose they will submit it to a botanical analysis, which is only the post mortem examination of a flower. They have no rebound in their nature. They never do anything more than smile. There are no great tides of feeling surging up from the depths of their soul in billow after billow of reverberating laughter. They seem as if nature had built them by contract and made a bungling job out of it. But, blessed be God, there are people in the world who have bright faces and whose life is a song, an anthem, a psalm of victory. Even their troubles are like the vines that crawl up the side of a great tower on the top of which the sunlight sits and the soft airs of summer hold perpetual carnival. They are the people you like to have come to your house; they are the people I like to have come to my house. If you but touch the hem of their garments you are healed.

Now, it is these exhilarant and sympathetic and warm hearted people that are most tempted to pernicious amusements. In proportion as a ship is swift it wants a strong helmsman, in proportion as a horse is gay it wants a stout driver, and these people of exuberant nature will do well to look at the reaction of all their amusements. If an amusement sends you home at night nervous, so that you cannot sleep, and you rise up in the morning not because you are slept out, but because your duty drags you from your slumbers, you have been where you ought not to have been. There are amusements that send a man next day to his work with his eyes bloodshot, yawning, stupid, nauseated, and they are wrong kinds of amusement. They are entertainments that give a man disgust with the drudgery of life, with tools because they are not swords, with working aprons because they are not robes, with cattle because they are not infuriated bulls of the arena. If any amusement sends you home longing

for a life of romance and thrilling adventure, love that takes poison and shoots itself, moonlight adventures and hair-breadth escapes, you may depend upon it that you are in the sacrificed victim of unsanctified pleasure. Our recreations are intended to build us up and if they pull us down as to our moral as well as to our physical strength you may come to the conclusion that they are obnoxious.

Live Within Your Means.
Still further, those amusements are wrong which lead you into expenditure beyond your means. Money spent in recreation is not thrown away. It is all folly for us to come from a place of amusement feeling that we have wasted our money and time. You may say it has made an investment worth more than the transaction that yielded you hundreds of thousands of dollars. But how many properties have been riddled by costly amusements.

The first time I ever saw the city—it was the city of Philadelphia—I was a mere lad. I stopped at a hotel, and I remember in the eventide one of these men plied me with his infernal art. He saw I was green. He wanted to show me the sights of the town. He painted the path of sin until it looked like emerald, but I was afraid of him. I shoved back from the basillisk—I made up my mind he was a basilisk. I remember how he wheeled his chair round in front of me and, with a concentrated and diabolical effort attempted to destroy my soul, but there were good angels in the air that night. It was no good resolution on my part, but it was the all encompassing grace of a good God that delivered me. Beware, beware, O young man! "There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof is death."

The table has been robbed to pay the club. The champagne has cheated the children's wardrobe. The carousing party has burned up the boy's printer. The tablecloth of the corner saloon is in debt to the wife's faded dress. Excursions that in a day make a tour around a whole month's wages ladies whose lifetime business it is to "go shopping," large bets on horses, have their counterparts in uneducated children, bankruptcies that shock the money market and appal the church and that send drunkenness staggering across the richly figured carpet of the mansion and dashing into the mirror and drowning out the carol of music with the whooping of bloated sons come home to break their old mother's heart.

Look Out for the Leakage.
Merchant, is there a disarrangement in your accounts? Is there a leakage in your money drawer? Did the cash account come out right last night? I will tell you. There is a young man in your store wandering off into bad amusements. The salary you give him may meet lawful expenditures, but not the sinful indulgences in which he has entered, and he takes by theft that which you do not give him in lawful salary.

How brightly the path of unrestrained amusement opens! The young man says: "Now I am off for a good time. Never mind economy. I'll get money somehow. What a fine road! What a beautiful day for a ride! Crack the whip, and over the turpicks! Come, boys, fill high your glasses. Drink! Long life, health, plenty of rides just like this!" Hardworking men hear the clatter of the hoofs and look up and say: "Why, I wonder where those fellows get their money from. We have to toil and drudge. They do nothing." To these gay men life is a thrill and excitement. They stare at other people and in turn are stared at. The watch chain jingles. The cup foams. The cheeks flush. The eyes flash. The midnight hears their guffaw. They swagger. They jostle decent men off the sidewalk. They take the name of God in vain. They parody the hymn they learned at their mother's knee, and to all pictures of coming disaster they cry out, "Who cares!" and to the counsel of some Christian friend, "Who are you?"

Passing along the street some night you hear a shiek in a grogshop, the rattle of the watchman's club, the rush of the police. What is the matter now? Oh, this reckless young man has been killed in a grogshop fight. Carry him home to his father's house. Parents will come down and wash his wounds and close his eyes in death. They forgive him all he ever did, although he cannot in his silence ask it. The prodigal has got home at last. Mother will go to her little garden and get the sweetest flowers and twist them into a chaplet for the silent heart of the wayward boy and push back from the bloated brow the long locks that were once her pride. And the air will be rent with the agony. The great dramatist says, "How sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child."

Sports a Means to an End.
Your sports are merely means to an end. They are alleviations and helps. The arm of toil is the only arm strong enough to bring up the bucket out of the deep well of pleasure. Amusement is only the bower where business and philanthropy rest while on their way to stirring achievements. Amusements are merely the vines that grow about the anvil of toil and the blossoming of the hammers. Alas for the man who spends his life in laboriously doing nothing, his days in hunting up lounging places and loungers, his nights in seeking out some gaslight foolery! The man who always has on his sporting jacket, ready to hunt for game in the mountain or fish in the brook, with no time to pray or work or read, is not so well off as the greyhound that runs by his side or the fly bait with which he whips the stream. A man who does not work does not know how to play. If God had intended us to do nothing

but laugh he would not have given us shoulders with which to lift and hands with which to work and brains with which to think. The amusements of life are merely the orchestra playing while the great tragedy of life plunges through its five acts—infancy, childhood, manhood, old age and death. Then exit the last earthly opportunity. Enter the overwhelming realities of an eternal world!

I go further and say that all those amusements are wrong which lead into bad company. If you go to any place where you have to associate with the intemperate, with the unclean, with the abandoned, however well they may be dressed, in the name of God quit it. They will despoil your nature. They will undermine your moral character. They will drop you when you are destroyed. They will not give one cent to support your children when you are dead. They will weep not one tear at your burial.

The Final Scene.
I was summoned to his deathbed. I hastened. I entered the room. I found him, to my surprise, lying in full everyday dress on the top of the couch. I put out my hand. He grasped it excitedly and said, "Sit down, Mr. Talmage, right here." I sat down. He said: "Last night I saw my mother, who has been dead twenty years, and she sat just where you sit now. It was no dream. I was wide awake. There was no delusion in the matter. I saw her just as plainly as I see you. Wife, I wish you would take these strings off me. There are strings spun all around my body. I wish you would take them off me." I saw it was delirium. "Oh," replied his wife, "my dear, there is nothing there." He went on and said: "Just where you sit, Mr. Talmage, my mother sat. She said to me, 'Henry, I do wish you would do better.' I got out of bed and put my arms around her and said: 'Mother, I want to do better. I have been trying to do better. Won't you help me to do better? You used to help me.' No mistake about it, no delusion. I saw her—the cap and the apron and the spectacles, just as she used to look twenty years ago. But I do wish you would take these strings away. They annoy me so! I can hardly talk. Won't you take them away?" I knelt down and prayed, conscious of the fact that he did not realize what I was saying. I got up. I said: "Goodby. I hope you will be better soon." He said, "Goodby, goodby."

That night his soul went up to the God who gave it. Arrangements were made for the obsequies. Some said: "Don't bring him in the church; he is too dissolute." "Oh," I said, "bring him in. He was a good friend of mine while he was alive, and I shall stand by him now that he is dead. Bring him to the church."

Delight in the Home Life.
Again, any amusement that gives you a distaste for domestic life is bad. How many bright domestic circles have been broken up by sinful amusements! The father went off. The mother went off. The child went off. There are today the fragments before me of blasted households. Oh, if you have wandered away, I would like to charm you back by the sound of that one word, "home." Do you not know that you have but little more time to give to domestic welfare? Do you not see, father, that your children are soon to go out in the world, and all the influence for good you are to have over them you must have now? Death will break in on your conjugal relations, and alas if you have to stand over the grave of one who perished from your neglect!

Ah, my friends there is an hour coming when our past life will probably pass before us in review. It will be our last hour. If from our death pillow we have to look back and see a life spent in sinful amusement, there will be a dart that will strike through our soul sharper than the dagger with which Virginus slew his child. The memory of the past will make us quake like Macbeth.

SLAVES' PASSPORT COIN.

Copper Pocket Pieces Used in Escaping from Bondage.

Mr. Charles L. Feller, 1645 East Pratt street, has in his possession a copper coin of the kind used by slaves as passports in their travels when running away from their owners during the anti-slavery agitation preceding the Civil War. The coin bears the date 1823, with "Liberty" in a laurel wreath on its face and on the reverse the kneeling figure of a slave woman and the inscription "Am I not a woman and a sister?" The condition of the coin is perfect and came into possession of Mr. Feller several years ago, who obtained it from an oyster dredger. The dredger found it with a lot of other coins in the ruins made by the great flood at Johnstown. Mr. Feller has a large collection of coins, and attached no particular value to this piece until a few days ago, when he read an account of a lot of these anti-slavery coins being dug up in the Middle West. Considerable interest was attached to the finding of them. According to the Boston Transcript, Mr. H. B. Thatcher of Bangor, Me., who is a noted coin collector, has one of the pieces of the same year as Mr. Feller's. Mr. Thatcher says he remembers that in his youth slaves went to his father's house at night and were taken in. His father would take them out of Bangor in his wagon and would carry them well on their way toward the Canada line. The coins were used by the slaves along their avenues of escape as signals by which they could show they were entitled to assistance without being compelled to speak and tell about themselves.—Baltimore Sun.

SELF-IGNITING FIRES.

Cracked Pane of Glass Started Celluloid Collar into a Blaze.
Fires that start themselves are much more common than people generally suppose. There is a mysterious property in dust which, under certain conditions, produces violent explosions. There have been instances in postoffices where the dust from the mail bags, suspended in the air of a closed room, has exploded with terrific force, the explosion being followed by flames. Dust explosions and fire are of frequent occurrence in drug stores and flour mills. The origin of many fires in tailor shops may be traced to the so-called dry cleaning of clothes. A rag that has been dipped in any one of the fluids commonly used by cleaners is thrown in a corner and when the shop is cleaned up and closed, thus confining the air, the rag will frequently of itself generate fire. Not long ago there passed along Eastern avenue, in this city, a load of hay, which suddenly became enveloped in flame. The driver was about to horse-whip a boy whom he saw near by smoking a cigarette. People who had been watching the load of hay driven along were certain that the boy was no time within 25 feet of the hay. The fire was clearly shown to have been caused by the tire of the wheel rubbing against an iron on the side of the wagon, thus producing sparks. In all manufacturing establishments a frequent cause of fire is the rubbing of leather belt against the edges of the opening through which it passes from place to place. One of the most stubborn fires that ever occurred in New York city was started by a plate glass window focusing the rays of the winter sun upon a celluloid collar, which burst into a blaze. Metal goods had been shown in the window before, and therefore the peculiar formation of this particular pane of glass never had been discovered. It was on Sunday, and almost before the fire was noticed half the block was in flames. Defective electric wiring has many sins to answer for in these days. Electricians who are supposed to be competent will cross wires and violate every principle of common sense, to say nothing of electrical science. Some of them lead strands of wire through wooden boxes, which, in the event of fire, become roaring fires. Many of our most destructive fires have been due to carelessness in electric wiring. Chicago News.

PURIFICATION OF WATER.

Nikola Tesla Believes It Can Be Done by an Electrical Process.
Nikola Tesla, who is here arranging for the manufacture of apparatus for his wireless telegraph system, has interesting ideas about many things. Undoubtedly he is a brilliant electrician, capable of much useful achievement. He is highly imaginative, as all original investigators are of necessity, for there could be no creation without the creative mind. It does not follow that his imaginings are all vain, not by any means, though it is natural that his fancy might take unwarranted flights to Mars or other objects in remote space. Mr. Tesla is especially interested in an electrical process for purifying water, says the Pittsburg Dispatch. The project is feasible—at least from a scientific point of view—and it is to be hoped he will be able to make it practically in both the mechanical and economical senses. If the thing can be done on a large scale as cheaply as water can be filtered it will prove a boon to all mankind. In respect to the water supply of Pittsburg, however, Mr. Tesla's idea is not of immediate import. He is engrossed in perfecting the wireless telegraph—an undertaking that will tax his resources, material and mental, for some time. Pittsburg must be content with filtration for the present. It will be glad to get rid of 98 per cent of impurities after a long experience in taking its water unrefined, though the people will live in the hope that some day Mr. Tesla will take away the other 2 per cent of microbes and give them water pure and vivified.

Nature's Storehouse the Mountains.

The mountain dweller lives apart from the world. The present is the past when it reaches him. For centuries the Highlander has had his plaid and kilt; the peasant of Norway and the mountaineer of the German and Austrian Alps each a habit of his own, and every Swiss canton a distinctive dress. Mountains preserve the Gaelic tongue in which the scholar may read the refuge of Celt from Saxon, and in turn Saxon from the Norman French, just as they keep alive remnants like the Rhaeto-Roman, the Basque and a number of Caucasian dialects. The Carpathians protected Christianity against the Moors, and in Java the Brahmin faith took refuge on the sides of the volcano Gunung Lawa and there outlived the ban of Buddha.—Scribner's Magazine.

Hence Tommy Atkins.
Let it not be forgotten, however, that the "exquisite humor" displayed in the name Tommy Atkins belongs rather to the war office than to the public. That institution used to issue little pocket manuals, in which each soldier's name, age, date of enlistment, length of service, etc., were entered, and the method of filling in the form was explained by the use of a hypothetical name, not the John Doe of the legal profession, but—Tommy Atkins. The books were first so called, and then the soldiers.—The Academy.

Not Many Voters in Mississippi.
Mississippi has a total population of over 1,500,000 and yet the total vote of the state last November was under 20,000.

A WEEK IN ILLINOIS.

RECORD OF HAPPENINGS FOR SEVEN DAYS.

Trial of the Hadfield Murder Case at Marion.—Work of Mothers' Congress at Charleston.—Dates of the County Institutes for Farmers.

Illinois Farmers' Institutes.

A conference of Farmers' Institute delegates from the counties of the old Twenty-first congressional district, presided over by W. Kinsey, of Tamara, who is also president of the State Farmers' Institute, met at Couiterville for the purpose of selecting dates and places to hold the various county institutes. The following were elected:

St. Clair County—Belleville, Oct. 31 and Nov. 1.
Clinton County—Carlyle, Nov. 1 and 2.
Monroe County—Waterloo, Nov. 12 and 13.
Randolph County—Sparta, Nov. 13 and 14.
Perry County—Pinckneyville, Nov. 14 and 15.
Washington County—Nashville, Nov. 19 and 20.
Marion County—Salem, Nov. 20, 21 and 22.

The congressional round up will be held in connection with the Marion County institute at Salem. W. E. Broden, of Cutler, was endorsed by the conference for one of the members of the advisory committee of the state university, as provided for by the bill passed at the last session of the Illinois Legislature.

Work of Mothers' Congress.

The second annual meeting of the Illinois congress of mothers was held at Charleston. Several hundred delegates attended. The board of control was in session. The address of welcome was given by President Lord of the Eastern State Normal school. The response was by Roger B. McMueller, president of the Illinois congress of mothers. The address of the first evening was by Wilbur S. Jackson of the Chicago Institute, his subject being: "How Parents May Interest Children in the Study of Nature." A discussion followed, led by Mrs. Marian Foster Washburn, vice president of the mothers' congress. The convention was entertained by the local mothers' club and the several reading clubs of the city. The sessions were open to the public and the assembly-room of the normal school was filled.

Trial of Hadfield Begun.

The first day of the Hadfield murder trial at Marion, closed after hearing fourteen witnesses for the people and a few for the defense. X. Davis was the first witness examined, and testified that he saw the prisoner, dressed in the uniform of the Carter-Jordan on the train, with pistol in hand, and saw him shoot Jordan. Dr. Theodore Hudson related the story in much the same way. Officer Green said he saw Hadfield shoot Jordan and within a few minutes arrested him. What the defense will be is unknown, but probably an effort will be made to locate the crime in Jackson county. The train was moving at the time and near the county line, but, owing to the confusion, it may be a difficult matter to tell to a certainty where the shooting took place.

Cambron's Visit to Chicago.

M. Jules Cambron, the French ambassador to the United States, was the guest of Chicago for a day and from the time of his arrival over the Pennsylvania road at 9 a. m. until late in the evening, when a banquet was given in his honor at the Union League club was concluded, he was the central figure in a series of receptions and fetes. M. Cambron came to that city to officially recognize in behalf of the republic of France the union of the Alliance Francaise with the University of Chicago. The alliance's purpose is to increase the use and study of the French language in all countries.

Teachers Selected at Charleston.

The Charleston Board of Education met and selected teachers as follows: Superintendent, W. J. Sutherland; principal, William Wallis; C. F. Davidson, C. D. Marquis, A. Washburn, Elizabeth King, Jessie Ross, Susan Orvis, May Patton, Orra Neal, Mary Reat, Gay Anderson, Charlotte Davis, Mary McCrory, Ella Miles, Clara Scheyt, Mary Ritchey, Sadie Leitch, Fannie Vail, Myrtle Harding, Ella Guiney, Bessie Shaw, Maggie Daniels, Lora Clark, Grace Kane, Anna Romans, Eva Huffman, Ella Bails, Clara Balter, Myrtle Record, Phebe Robinson.

Fraternity Contest at Northwestern.

The contest between the fraternity and non-fraternity men at Northwestern university to secure control of the university weekly, the Northwestern, shows no signs of diminution. At the election, which takes place May 24, an editor in chief and a business manager are to be elected.

Not a Yellow Fever Case.

Dr. Fagan, secretary of the State Board of Health, dispatched Dr. J. C. Sullivan and Surgeon General Wyman, of the United States Marine Hospital Service, an expert on yellow fever to Gardner, Grundy county where they made a diagnosis of the case of Fred Leland, who recently came there from Jacksonville, Fla., and who was supposed to have yellow fever. They report that Leland is not only not suffering from yellow fever, but that he never had the disease.

A FAMOUS OLD HOUSE.

The house of Walter Baker & Co., whose manufactures of cocoa and chocolate have become familiar in the mouth as household words, was established one hundred and twenty-one years ago (1780) on the Neponset river in the old town of Dorchester, a suburb of Boston. From the little wooden mill, "by the rude bridge that arched the flood," where the enterprise was first started, there has grown up the largest industrial establishment of the kind in the world. It might be said that, while other manufacturers come and go, Walter Baker & Co., go on forever.

What is the secret of their great success? It is a very simple one. They have won and held the confidence of the great and constantly increasing body of consumers by always maintaining the highest standard in the quality of their cocoa and chocolate preparations, and selling them at the lowest price for which unadulterated articles of good quality can be put upon the market. They welcome honest competition; but they feel justified in denouncing in the strongest terms the fraudulent methods by which inferior preparations are palmed off on customers who ask for and suppose they are getting the genuine articles. The best grocers refuse to handle such goods, not alone for the reason that, in the long run, it doesn't pay to do it, but because their sense of fair dealing will not permit them to aid in the sale of goods that defraud their customers and injure honest manufacturers.

Every package of the goods made by the Walter Baker Company bears the well-known trade mark "La Belle Chocolatiere," and their place of manufacture "Dorchester, Mass." Housekeepers are advised to examine their purchases, and make sure that other goods have not been substituted.

An attractive little book of "Choice Recipes" will be mailed free to any housekeeper who sends her name and address to Walter Baker & Co., Ltd., 158 State Street, Boston, Mass.

Queer Ideas of Justice.

Some of the justices of this city appear to have taken a singular view of their duties and prerogatives, says a recent Manchester, England, dispatch. The case of Hugo Shaw and W. H. Hughes—who have rightly resigned a position for which they were clearly unfitted—has created a great sensation, and has drawn a letter from the home secretary in approval of the censure of the city justices. These two gentlemen have escaped lightly, for they were guilty of about as scandalous a breach of magisterial decorum as can be imagined. From the report furnished by the chief constable we gather that when a local publican was to be summoned for permitting drunkenness on his premises these two justices made repeated attempts to induce the police to refrain from prosecuting. Moreover, when the case was called on they were found on the bench, and when the police shifted the case to the other court, Messrs. Shaw and Hughes moved after them. Having done all they could to stop the case they thrust themselves upon the bench out of their turn. There is a strong hint in the chief constable's report that undue influence is frequently brought to bear on licensing cases in Manchester.

Teaches Tricks to Bantams.

Mrs. Rosalie Gandolfo is a St. Louis woman who has a penchant for bantam chicken pets and has a brood of them of which she is exceedingly proud, for she has trained them to perform tricks that are the wonder of the neighbors. Two of her roosters, especially favored by her, are named McKinley and Roosevelt. These two little fellows were perched on a newspaper's mammoth bulletin board on election day last November and kept the big crowds shouting with delight at their continual crowing. It seemed as if the little redbreasts knew when big returns came in for McKinley and Roosevelt, for as the figures were posted up they would emit louder than ever their "cock-a-doodle-do." The roosters will perch on Mrs. Gandolfo's fingers, fly to her arm, shoulder or head at command; will crow whenever their mistress tells them to, will eat out of her hand, will guard articles like a watch dog and in other ways will show the result of long and careful training. Mrs. Gandolfo, who is president of the Rosalie Woman's club, named after her, prizes her pets very highly and takes great pains in teaching them new tricks.

A Home for Stray Cats.

An uptown woman in New York, the widow of a supreme court judge, has devoted her attention to the welfare of stray cats. She has had constructed a cage thirty-two feet long and ten feet wide, where all homeless animals who are found in the vicinity receive food and shelter. The neighbors call it the "cat mission." The cage is fitted with cushions and has a house heated with hot water pipes in one end. A local milkman has the food contract for this asylum and leaves a large can of milk daily for the inmates. Over forty cats are being cared for at present, and news of the institution is spreading.

Condemned to Wear Wooden Collar.

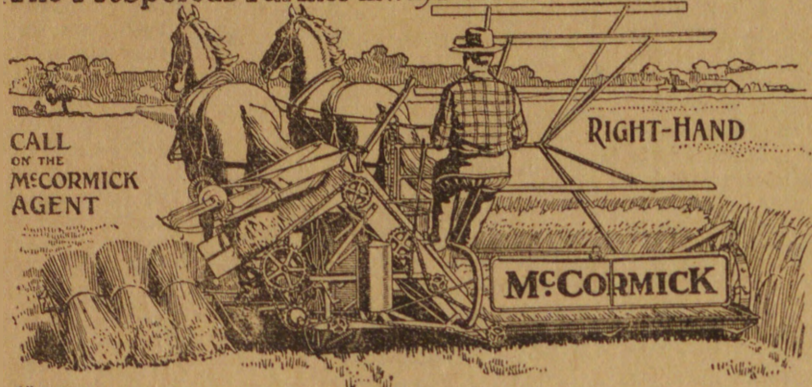
A man who had been condemned to wear a wooden collar was seen by some of his friends. "What have you been doing," they asked him, "to deserve this?" "Oh, nothing," he replied; "I only picked up an old piece of rope." And you are to be punished thus severely," they asked, "for merely picking up an end of rope?" "Well," answered the man, "the fact is that there was a bullock tied to the other end."—Herbert A. Giles, in "History of Chinese Literature."

Cohoon & Stanley.

Are agents for the
McCormick Harvesting Machine Co.
 and would like to have you call at their ware house and look at the new points that the company have added to their machines since last season. Sample machines are on their floors which they will be glad to show you in detail.

The McCormick Right-Hand Binder

The Prosperous Farmer always has a



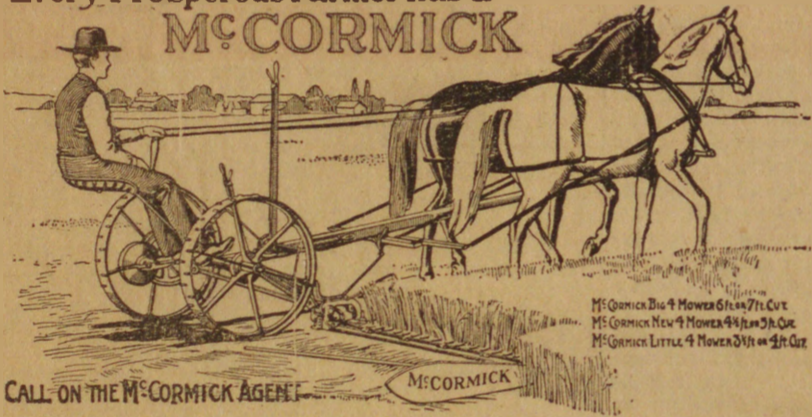
has these Leading Points, Light Draft, Perfect Work, Simplicity, Durability.

The MAIN WHEEL although the strongest ever put on a harvesting machine, is lighter than the main wheels on other binders.

Three years ago a European Government tested the McCormick binder in the field for two weeks, with seven other American machines, to determine which used the least twine in binding a given amount of grain. After the most painstaking measurements it was found that nineteen balls of twine on the McCormick bound more grain than twenty balls on any other binder.

The McCormick New 4 Mower

Every Prosperous Farmer has a
McCORMICK



Is the only mower that gets all the grass. It is a very easy matter for a poorly constructed machine to run over a dollar's worth of grass on an acre, leaving it in stubble where it is lost. It is the only mower with a draft rod extending from the inner shoe to the shifting doubletrees.

The McCormick Corn Binder



has the greatest success from the fact that it cuts and binds in the vertical position the only practical way to handle big corn that grows in fertile spots in every field, also because of our "locked joint" conveyor chain, the only chain ever made that will handle the stiff and stubborn corn stalks.

The McCormick is the only machine that makes a square butted bundle. Corn stands on a level floor while the bundle is being shaped and bound. Square butted bundles stand up well in the shock, a great advantage in curing the fodder.

Genoa, Illinois.

Scholar's Columbus Railroad Excursions.

The GENOA JOURNAL offers to give to the most popular scholar a full set of books of "The Life of Christopher Columbus" handsomely bound in three large octavo volumes. This set is a rare work of art in the binding and is, historically, of great value. These volumes can be seen at our office any time.

The conditions of the gift is that it will be given to a scholar who receives the greatest number of votes and is attending school in DeKalb county.

One vote will be allowed for each cent paid on subscription; either for new or delinquents.

Each week a coupon which will entitle the holder to ten votes will appear in the JOURNAL.

For a club of five subscribers paid up a year in advance 250 votes extra will be allowed.

The one receiving the most votes before June 1, next must present a letter from their teacher stating that they are attending school in district, or in town as the case may be.

The vote stands as follows:

Mary Tischler.....	5,825.
Charlie Holtgren.....	4,900.
Jennie Merritt.....	4,435.
Vay Kellogg.....	485.
Golda Evans.....	200.
Thresa Taylor.....	150.
Total vote.....	16,085.

Here is a Snap.

One hundred and twenty acres in Kane county. No improvements. Forty acres of fine timber and 80 acres of good plow land that rents well and readily. There is \$1400 worth of wood above the price of cutting, on the place. This piece can be bought for \$45 per acre. For particulars inquire at the JOURNAL office.

Notice.

I am now prepared to furnish the best photographs of groups or single persons on short notice. Copying and enlarging. Satisfaction or money returned.
 M. L. HAGAN.

Chinese Laundry,

Moy Sam, Proprietor.

GENOA, ILLINOIS.

White Shirts, 8c
Under Shirts, 6c
Collars, 2c
Lady's Shirt Waists, 15c

Electro Plating.

Gold, Silver and Nickel on any metal. Gold Plating on Chains, Charms and Rings given Quick attention. Satisfaction. Leave orders at post office box 163 or at The Journal office

J.A. Palmer,

Genoa, Ill.

Laurels Again!

The Paris Exposition has made the Gold Medal Award to

I.W. HARPER KENTUCKY WHISKEY

Gold medals were also awarded at New Orleans 1885 and World's Fair Chicago 1893.

For sale by C A G ding.

To The Kicker.

Here's to the kicker,
 The treacherous kicker,
 Who never is true;
 Who always is crying,
 And never is trying,
 For his own town to do;
 No use to correct him,
 You can't expect him,
 To go to the front like a man.
 White ones buste
 He is a coward and runs to
 O-jerious to every one,
 But when the brute dies, we'll pause
 With dry eyes on his future condition
 To dwell,
 And we'll envy the devil
 That handles the shovel
 When he roasts the rank kicker
 In—well, you know the place.

Sycamore and Genoa Stage.

Leaves Genoa postoffice daily, except Sunday, at 9:00 a. m. for Sycamore; returning, leaves Westgate Feed Stable, Sycamore, at 4:00 p. m., arriving in Genoa to connect with train going west.

ELLIS CONFER.

Railroad Excursions.

Various Rates to Various Points on Various Roads.

Home Seekers Excursions.

Via the C. M. & St. P. Ry. Feb. 19, March 5 and 19, April 2 and 16, May 7 and 21 and June 4 and 18, one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. For further information inquire of
 J. M. Harvey, Agent.

Kansas City Excursion.

The C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets to Kansas City and return at one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip, tickets on sale June 9th and 10th, good to return June 11 to 14.
 J. M. Harvey, Agt. 1

PICNIC.

For the Modern Woodmen of America picnic at Freeport, Ill., Thursday June 20, 1901 tickets will be sold from Genoa to Freeport and return at \$1.50 for round trip. Special train schedule will be announced later.
 S. R. Crawford, Agt.

Excursion to St. Paul, Minn.

Via Illinois Central May 27 to June 3rd. Good for return until June 15, a further extension may be had until July 15. One fare plus \$2.00 for round trip. For routes, etc. inquire of
 S. R. Crawford.

Pan-American Exposition.

For the above occasion the Illinois Central will sell excursion tickets from Genoa to Buffalo, N. Y. and return, via Michigan Central or L. S. & M. S. limited to 15 days, 20.35, limited to 5 days \$16.25; via all other lines, 15 day tickets, \$18.35, 5 day tickets \$14.75. Date of sales, May 7-14-21-28, 1901.
 S. R. Crawford, Agent.

St. Paul Excursion.

For the Head Camp meeting Modern Woodmen of America, the C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets to St. Paul, Minn. and return at one fare for the round trip, tickets on sale June 8th, 9th and 10th good to return leaving St. Paul not earlier than June 10th or later than June 18.
 J. M. Harvey, Agt. 1

Excursion to St. Paul, Minn.

Via the C. M. & St. P. Ry. Tickets on sale May 27th, 28th, 30th, 31st, June 2nd and 3rd. One fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip; tickets good for return leaving St. Paul not earlier than May 29th nor later than June 15th, except that an extension to July 15th, will be given by those depositing tickets with Joint Agent at St. Paul.
 J. M. Harvey, Agt. 52

Low Rates to Lincoln, Neb.

The I. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets at One Fare to Lincoln, Neb., from May 23 to 27, inclusive; good to return until June 4, 1901. Extension for return may be had until June 30. Side trip excursions can be had from Lincoln to all points in state of Nebraska at one fare for the round trip. For further particulars call on the undersigned.
 S. R. CRAWFORD, Agt.

Epworth League Convention, San Francisco, Cal., July 18-21 1901.

On account of above convention the Illinois Central R. R. will sell round trip excursion tickets to San Francisco. Tickets will be sold July 6 to 13 inclusive, good for return until Aug. 31 Rate \$50.00 for round trip via direct line or \$59.00 via St. Paul and Portland and return via direct line or vice versa. For further information apply to
 S. R. Crawford, Agt.

Home Seekers Excursions.

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. P. Railway will sell round-trip excursion tickets from Chicago, Milwaukee and other points on its line to a great many points in South Dakota North Dakota and other western and Northwestern States at about one fare. Take a trip west and see the wonderful country and what an amount of good land can be purchased for a little money. Further information as to rates, routes, prices of farm lands, etc., may be obtained by addressing F. A. Miller General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, N. Y. Excursion Notice for May.

FIVE DAY TICKETS.
 The C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets, May 7, 14, 21 and 28, at one fare plus \$1.00 for the round trip. Passengers must leave Buffalo on return trip not later than midnight of the Saturday following date of sale.

FIFTEEN DAY TICKETS.

Rate, one and one-third fare for round trip tickets, 11 days from Apr. 30 to May 31, good 15 days. For further information, steamer routes, etc., inquire of
 J. M. Harvey, Agt.

Home Seekers' Excursion.
 To nearly all points in the United States on sale at all ticket offices of the Chicago Great Western Ry., on the first and third Tuesdays of each month January to June, 1901, at the very low homeseekers' rate of one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. Tickets good for return within twenty one days from date of sale. Persons contemplating a trip will save money by calling on any Great Western Agent and obtaining detailed information regarding the homeseekers' rates, or address,
 F. H. LORD, G.P.A.
 Chicago.

The Pan-American Exposition held at Buffalo, N. Y. May 1st to Nov. 1st 1901.

On April 30th, and daily thereafter the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell through excursion tickets to Buffalo, good to return within 15 days at a fare and one-third for the round trip.

A special rate for every Tuesday in May will be one fare plus \$1.00 for the round trip. These tickets will be good leaving Buffalo until midnight on the Saturday following the day of sale.

The lowest rates will always be in force on the Chicago Great Western Railway, and its equipment and accommodations are unsurpassed. The company has issued a neat illustrated folder giving a map of Buffalo and the exposition grounds; a list of hotels; time-card of its trains and their eastern connections and much other valuable information.

For full information and Pan-American folders, address any Great Western agent or J. P. Elmer, General Passenger Agent, 113 Adams St. Chicago.

For Sale.

Billiard and pool table. Three pool and one billiard tables, all new. Located at Kirklind, Ill. C. J. McDowell, Genoa, Ill.

For Rent.

A good store room, suitable for a tailor-shop or clothing store. Inquire JOURNAL.

Head Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, St. Paul June 10-15, 1901.

I. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets Genoa to St. Paul at rate of \$10.26; on June 8, 9 and 10; good to return until June 18.
 S. R. Crawford, Agt.

Excursion to Milwaukee.

The Ill. Cent. R. R., will sell round trip tickets, Genoa to Milwaukee, Wis. for four dollars for the round trip; via Chicago and steamer. Date of sales July 21, 22, and 23; good for return until July 27, 1901. This will be a delightful trip via lake and rail route to Milwaukee. An extension for return may be had until August 10, 01.
 S. R. Crawford Agt.

Cheap Excursion to Louisville, Kentucky.

Account Triennial Corclay Knights Templar the I. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets, Genoa to Louisville Kentucky for \$10.35. On sale August 24th 25th and 26th, good to return until September 3rd. Extension for return may be had until September 16th.
 S. R. Crawford, Agent.

Grand and Petit Jours.

The following list of petit and grand jurors were summoned last week to appear at the June term of court:

Grand Jurors.

F. J. Cappsaddle,	George Lovering
Lester Brown,	A. R. Puffer,
J. H. Ball,	John Blake,
George Miller,	T. J. Mahaffey,
R. R. Brown,	E. O. Donnelly,
W. B. Millard,	J. M. Chambers,
C. S. Townsend,	Wm. Aurner,
John Labolle,	S. P. Sedgwich,
George L Taylor,	George Klein,
C. F. Noble,	T. W. Jordan,
John Divine,	E. C. Chandler,
C. B. Crawford,	

Petit Jurors—

John E. Green,	O. A. Johnson,
E. L. Larson,	Wm. Blair,
Henry Decker,	G. D. Artley,
A. F. Goff,	Frank Anderson,
George Baldwin,	John Fehr,
H. C. Giddings,	John Hoyt,
John Davis,	J. W. Dick,
Wm. J. Graham,	John Arnold,
Chas. Dyas,	George Farnes,
Wm. Armstrong,	D. A. Hobbs,
Henry Hartman,	A. A. Faxon,
John M. Johnson,	Floyd Holland,
David Dixon,	James E. Brooks,
E. S. Chambers,	Chas. Davey,
Edw. J. Bois,	Jabez Campbell,
Chas. A. Punt,	A. B. Hower,
Otis S. Bizzell,	H. H. Corson,
George Dearing,	A. Lincoln Holroyd.

Amusing.

It is amusing, to say the least, to watch the "cat scratches" of DeKalb county's two cities, DeKalb and Sycamore. It reminds us of two big boys in a quarrel as to which has the better right to the earth. A solution of shipper with a mixture of Samsponism properly applied before retiring after prayers would be a proper treatment.