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DOINGS AT SCHOOL

BASKET BALL PRACTICE BEGINS IN EARNEST

Teachers Compare Notes Regarding Their Visits Last Monday—The Next Number of Lecture Course.

The next number of the high school lecture course will be given November 3 by Mr. Battis the impersonator. This is considered the best number in the course.

A quiz test was given in Illinois history by Prof. Stout last week Wednesday.

Miss Blanche Shipman was absent Friday of last week on account of the sickness of her mother.

The high school pins arrived last Friday and nearly every student is wearing one.

Miss Zada Corson lost about five dollars last Friday morning. She hung her pocket book under her coat and at noon it was found lying on the floor with the money gone.

The zoology class studied the hydra Monday. A very good specimen was seen by the aid of the microscope.

The oratorio of "Queen Esther" given by the high school netted about twenty-five dollars. We wish to thank those who gave their services to benefit the school and congratulate them on the manner in which they acted their parts. Prof. Gee, the director, left for Fairdale Tuesday where he will have charge of another entertainment.

The physics class is still plugging away at simple mechanics.

Miss Leotta Wells, a former pupil of the Genoa schools, now of Belvidere, was a visitor Monday.

On Monday after the dismissal of school, at the regular teachers' meeting in Prof. Stout's office, the teachers reported on the work of the various schools which they visited last Monday. The object of this is to gain new ideas, make their work and outline of study better. This method has done much toward the upbuilding of schools throuout the county.

Word has been received from Prof. Norton, formerly of Hampshire, who has charge of the Harvard private school in Chicago, that he has "made good" with both directors and students. He also said that he has complete charge of the athletics. Prof. Stout thinks he will arrange a series of basket ball games with the Harvard school teams just to give our boys a little trip and an opportunity to witness a game at the C. Y. M. C. A. If he should so decide it would leave the girls out as there are none of their sex in the private school.

On Monday the following teachers from the Kingston school visited the several rooms here: Miss Schiller, Miss Garard and Miss Conklin.

Basket ball is now beginning in earnest, both teams being out twice a week for practice. By the first of next month the hall will be put in shape for a couple of weeks' practice before the first public game. Mr. Stout is now making dates with such teams as are in our class and will produce good exhibitions this winter. He is trying to arrange a game with the Filipino team of the DeKalb Normal school. They are noted for their running abilities and put up a strong game. The first public game will be played a little later than one month from now.

Farm for sale—140 acres on Genoa road three miles north of Sycamore. For terms inquire of J. B. Stephens, Fred G. or George G. Maxfield.

DESERTS CRIPPLE CHILD

Jake Fransson Leaves Son to shift for Himself at Racine

The following article appeared in the Rockford Republic last week:

"Jake Fransson was the name given by a cripple lad of 16 years, picked up as vagrant in the railroad yards by Officer Quinn Tuesday night. The young man is crippled to an extent which will not permit the use of one leg and says he was left to shift for himself by his father at Racine. The father deserted the family at Genoa some time ago, taking only the crippled boy with him. The mother and two children were left at Genoa and when the father deserted him at Racine the crippled boy started to make his way back home.

"He had a note which it was thought would take him back on a forenoon train, and a friendly fireman took him along."

ELOPE IN AUTO

DeKalb Young People Fall Parental Consent and Run

Miss Celia Cherry of Cortland and A. B. Stuben of DeKalb eloped in an automobile late Thursday afternoon, and early Monday forenoon secured a license to wed in Chicago, being wedded there a couple of hours later. It seems that the young people had planned to marry, but when their intentions were made known the parents of the bride objected, on the grounds that she was too young, she being 18 years of age.

Failing to secure the parental consent they secured an automobile, and with a tank full of gasoline defied the fastest horse on the farm.

Stuben is a storekeeper in the wire mills at DeKalb.

NOW WHO IS 'IT'?

DeKalb Base Ball Team Shut Out Sunday by Batavia.

Not long since a DeKalb paper claimed the championship of several counties (including Kane) for the baseball team of that city, despite the fact that Batavia had outclassed them on one occasion by a score of 15 to 2. Last Sunday the Fox River boys again proved their superiority by shutting out the Barb City bunch by a score of 3 to 0. The fact is DeKalb can only claim championship of this county, and that under protest.

Buys Stillman Pharmacy

Geo. H. Hunt has purchased the drug store at Stillman Valley, the deal having been made last week. Mr. Hunt now has a string of three pharmacies, at Genoa, Monroe Center and Stillman. He has made a remarkable success of the business, building up an excellent trade. It shows what advertising, neatness and application will do.

Birthday Dinner

Mrs. John Gray celebrated her birthday anniversary at the home of Mrs. L. Robinson last Friday, the latter serving dinner in honor of the occasion. The following were present: Mesdames Henry Holroyd, Clara Koch, George Stanley, Rachael Dean, Mary Burroughs, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Buck.

Diphtheria at Beloit.

Diphtheria has appeared in Beloit, Wis., and the mayor of that city has issued an order directing the flushing of all hydrants in the vicinity of school houses and all "dead ends" in that city in order to do away with the possibility of these places becoming the source of disease germs. The order by the mayor is a good one.

WIDOW GETS \$3000

IMPORTANT WOODMAN CASE DECIDED BY CIRCUIT COURT

Money Claimed by Children of First Wife Goes to the Second Wife—Policy Was Not Altered.

The circuit court at Rockford Monday rendered a decision of particular interest to Woodmen circles throuout the county.

The suit grew out of a policy of \$3,000 left by Charles L. Miller of Monroe center. Miller took out the policy in the Woodmen in 1889, making the same payable to his wife, Ollie Miller. She died and Miller married again, his second wife being Lucy V. Miller. The husband neglected to make a change in the beneficiary named in the policy and upon his death the policy read as if payable to his wife, Ollie Miller, then deceased. Mrs. Miller retained A. D. Early and brought suit against the Woodmen for the amount of the policy, setting forth that under a change in the by laws made in 1902, before her husband's death, she was entitled to the insurance. The children of Miller's first wife also put in claims for the insurance and it was the society's inability to determine to whom to pay the money that brought the matter into court. The Woodmen, through E. D. Reynolds, filed a bill of interpleader, offering to pay the money to the persons entitled to receive it but claiming to know not to whom the money should be paid.

W. L. Pierce was guardian of Jacob L. Miller, one of the defendants, and an order was entered, relieving Pierce as guardian and naming A. E. Fisher. The action of the court was on the bill of interpleader, and on the cause being heard, a decree was ordered giving the money to the widow, Lucy V. Miller. The children of the first wife made their claim to the insurance on the ground that the policy was vested with their mother.

WOLVES STEAL PIGS

Take Entire Litter of Eight on the Wm. Whipple Farm

Wolves are again making their presence in the country known in a manner that is not at all pleasing to the farmers. On Wednesday night of last week Frank Hoffman and Wm. Whipple lost eight pigs on the latter's farm on the Sycamore road.

The litter was only three days old and was quite a distance from the house on the evening mentioned, and the wolves had no difficulty in getting away un molested.

They have become so bold that they have appeared in broad daylight on several occasions. John Renn has often sighted a big fellow at the edge of the woods near his place.

All efforts to trace the wolves to their lair seem to be futile. The only way to catch them would be to set traps if any such contrivance can be found.

Milk Shippers' Union Prices.

The prices per eighteen-gallon can of standard milk, as suggested by the board of directors of the Milk Shipper's union for the following months are as follows, f. o. b. Chicago:

October	95 cents.
November	\$1.15.
December	\$1.15.
January	\$1.10.
February	\$1.10.
March	\$1.05.
April	\$1.05.

Lacqueret makes old woodwork and floors look new, 25c, 40c and 75c, at Hunt's Pharmacy.

ORATORIO A SUCCESS

Castata put on After Only Two Weeks of Rehearsal—A Success

The oratorio of "Esther, the Beautiful Queen" was put on last Thursday and Friday evenings by local talent and was a success both as an entertainment and financially, the gross receipts being better than eighty dollars.

Prof. Gee had only two weeks in which to drill the chorus, but in that short time he did some marvelous work and at the final rehearsal brought out results that surprised even those who were taking part. No doubt the work would have been better with a few more full dress rehearsals, but the same might be said of any undertaking, no matter how long it had been in preparation. The effect would have been much better had the stage been larger and the setting more palatial. The audience considerably overlooked these deficiencies however and gave the individual characters and chorus credit for what they had accomplished.

The cast was exceptionally good. Miss Irene May as Queen Esther won the audience at her first appearance. She carried herself gracefully and acted the part well by gesture and expression. Miss May is a soprano of marked ability and not only produces full round tones, but articulates distinctly. Prof. H. F. Stout's rich baritone was well adapted to the character which he represented, every note being as clear as a bell. A better alto than Miss Florence Clefford could not have been found for the role of Zeresh. The duets by Haman and Zeresh were heartily applauded. Little Helen Barcus as Ormond was just as much at ease on the stage as any of the big folks. It being impossible to find anyone willing to act as Mordecai, Prof. Gee assumed the role himself and did well considering that he makes no pretention of singing high tenor.

Lack of space forbids describing the minor characters individually. The roles were all well placed.

For holding the "whole show" level and keeping all the characters and chorus on their feet credit must be given the accompanist, Mrs. C. A. Patterson. Many little errors were covered up and hidden from the audience by her presence of mind.

Married in Riley

On Wednesday evening, Oct. 11, 1905, at 8 o'clock, Miss Gertrude Guse and Mr. Albert Sandman were united in marriage by Rev. A. C. Staats, pastor of the German Lutheran church at Marango. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Guse, in Riley, and was witnessed by a large number of friends. The bride was attended by Misses Minnie Naatz and Anna Gluth and the best men were Messrs. Frank Guse and Herman Sandman.

After Loafers.

At the last meeting of the Barrington village board the marshal of that humming little village was instructed to go after the loafers and stop lounging on the street corners and other public places. Barrington intends to lead the strenuous life, and if its citizens get that tired feeling they must remove themselves from public view.

Butter Up One Cent

Butter went up a cent on the Elgin board of trade today. The official price was 22 cents. There were no sales. The New York market is steady at 21 1/4 cents.

AN ENTERTAINMENT

RARE TREAT IN ELOCUTIONARY WORK FRIDAY EVENING

Mrs. Lelia Mae Ayers of Rockford Assisted by Local Musical Talent—For Benefit of Public School.

On this (Friday) evening Genoa people will have an exceptional opportunity to hear good elocutionary work of a very high class. By noticing the program it will be seen that the numbers are not those that we have been hearing every time an elocutionist comes to town. U. S. Senator Shelby H. Cullom says of her: "She is one of the best, if not the best, I have ever heard." The musical part of the entertainment will be furnished by home talent. Miss Dorothy Kenyon will assist Mrs. Ayers in some of her numbers. Mrs. Ayer gives a song and dance number that is something out of the ordinary, which is said to be very entertaining, but which is, however, entirely circumspect. Reserved seats can be obtained at Hunt's pharmacy on Friday. Reserved seats 25 cents; general admission 15 cents and 10 cents. The following is the program:

- "Old Ace" (race for a wife)... Dramatic Mrs. Ayers
- "The Night Wind"..... Descriptive Mrs. Ayers
- Instrumental Solo..... Miss Florence Clefford
- "The Creed of the Bells"..... Religious Mrs. Ayers
- "My Name's Tommy"..... Humorous Mrs. Ayers
- Ladies' Quartette..... Mrs. Marquart, Mrs. Olmsted, Miss Davis and Miss Clefford
- "The Deest ict Skule"..... Humorous Mrs. Ayers
- "The Minuet"..... Musical and Dance Mrs. Ayers
- "What's a Philosopher"..... Humorous Mrs. Ayers
- Male Quartette..... Messrs. Chapel, Shork, Stout and Schoonmaker
- "The Gypsy Flower Girl"..... Tragic Mrs. Ayers
- "The Money Musk"..... Musical Mrs. Ayers
- Song and Dance..... Mrs. Ayers and Dorothy Kenyon
- Vocal Solo..... Miss Irene May
- "The Marble Dream" (In costume)..... Grecian posings with music and pantomime "Jeus Lover of my Soul" Mrs. Ayers
- Swiss Good Night..... Mrs. Ayers

FATAL CORN SHREDDER

Importance of Law Passed by Wisconsin Legislature Shown by Statistics

Over a year ago the Wisconsin legislature passed a law requiring all corn shredders to be equipped with a safety device for the protection of the man who was feeding. The danger of accidents, and the importance of the law is strikingly set forth by the statistics just completed by Prof. Geo. N. Knapp of the department of farm engineering of the University of Wisconsin.

In response to a circular letter sent to 1,000 physicians in the fifty-eight counties of Wisconsin in which corn is grown, 387 replies were received by Prof. Knapp. The report shows seventy-one accidents by shredders in 1905 and 414 accidents by shredders in former years, against 235 accidents by all other kinds of farm machinery in 1904, and 967 in former years.

Selz, Schwab Strike

After being out three months the Elgin boot and shoe workers Friday evening declared off the strike on Selz, Schwab & Co. The union will place as many of its members back in the shop as is possible, the others, who are employed at some other trade, will seek for work in other places.

HAS MANY FRIENDS

Prof. Stout Spoken of as a Successor to L. M. Gross.

The DeKalb Review of last week said:

"Prof. Stout of Genoa visited the DeKalb public schools Monday. He is quite strong politically, and many of his neighbors are looking forward to have him succeed Prof. L. M. Gross if at any time he would not be a candidate for re-election. Mr. Stout has many friends among school people."

The Review speaks truly. Mr. Stout is one of the most eligible men in the county to succeed Mr. Gross, when the latter gentleman steps down. He is a natural organizer and leader and has succeeded in putting the Genoa schools on a footing with the best in the state.

FAMINE IN CRANBERRIES

Thanksgiving Prospects Given Setback by a Threatened Dearth.

And now, while the people of the nation are trying to decide on just what day Thanksgiving will come this year, comes the melancholy news that the Thanksgiving cranberries will be scarce and high in price during the coming fall and winter. The late frosts last spring and the ravages of the cranberry worm are blamed for the threatened shortage, which it is thought will be a serious one. The Wisconsin crop will be only about 75 per cent of the average, while in New Jersey the growers think they will be in luck if they get 50 per cent of the usual crop.

THE OCTOBER TERM

Many Cases on the Docket Including Criminal and Common Law

The docket for the coming term, beginning next Monday at Sycamore, is the longest in several years, comprising eleven criminal cases, which number will probably be doubled after the report of the grand jury; also ninety-three cases in common law and seventy-two cases in chancery.

Peter Hart has a damage suit against the city of Sycamore in the sum of \$2000 for alleged losses by fire a year or more ago, due, as plaintiff claims, to faulty alarm box.

The County Census

A recent canvas of DeKalb county shows that there are 9,737 persons in the county under 21 years of age and that out of the number 6,784 are enrolled in the public schools. This report is submitted by superintendent of schools, L. M. Gross to the board of supervisors. There are 150 fairly well furnished school houses throuout the county and thirteen unsanitary and otherwise unfit for use. In most of the districts it is possible to maintain school for the greater part of the school months.

A Soft "Winter."

License to wed was issued at Dixon recently to Norman Hausen and Lillie Wood, both of Franklin Grove. The groom gave his age as 72 and that of his bride as 40. The groom's first wife, from whom he has been separated, died less than four weeks ago, and the wedding creates something of a sensation in the village of Franklin Grove.

The New Assistant

Rev. Cellard, the new assistant pastor of the M. E. church, conducted services here last Sunday evening. Mr. Cellard, who is a student at Northwestern University, is a good speaker and will no doubt find favor in the eyes of Genoa people.

DIED AT HOSPITAL

ELIAS WILLIAMS DID NOT SURVIVE THE OPERATION

Had Been in Poor Health all Summer—Funeral Services Held at Monroe Center Monday.

Elias Williams died at Sherman hospital, Elgin, Saturday, Oct. 14, aged 43 years, 9 months and 11 days. He submitted to an operation on the first of the week for stricture of the bowels, but the case was so far advanced that surgical aid was of no avail.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. church in Fairdale, Monday afternoon at 1:30. Rev. T. E. Ream of this city officiating. Several from Genoa were in attendance.

Elias Williams was born in New York state on January 3, 1859. For the past twenty-six years he has made his home in Northern DeKalb county, living at South Grove, Fairdale and Genoa, having spent the last sixteen years of his life in this city.

A few years after coming to Illinois he was united in marriage to Miss Catherine James of Fairdale, on December 19, 1880, and to them eight children were born, four of whom died before their father. There are four who survive him, as follows: Mrs. Bessie Tennyson of Rockford; Charles, Harry and Florence, all of Rockford. Besides his children he leaves his aged father, two sisters and three brothers, all residing in New York state.

Mr. Williams joined the Genoa camp of Modern Woodmen several years ago and was a member in good standing at the time of his death.

By his friends Mr. Williams was considered to be a hard-working, honest man, and he had many friends in Genoa who deeply regret his untimely death.

BUY DAKOTA LAND

John Leonard and John Wolin Each Take Up 320 Acres.

John Leonard and John Wolin of this place have each bought a half section of land in North Dakota last week thru the agent, J. E. Stott. They accompanied Mr. Stott to the Missouri Valley country last week and were favorably impressed with the conditions as they exist today and the future prospects of the country. Messrs Leonard and Wolin will be neighbors, their land adjoining. The latter will soon sell his stock and machinery and prepare to take possession of his new home. Mr. Leonard sold his stock two weeks ago.

The land is near Mandan station and is considered the best in that territory.

COON-WETTERING

Young People Not of Age, Married last Week

The marriage of Samuel Coon and Louisa Wettering took place last week. Justice Becker officiating. Both young people live at Hampshire, Illinois. The parents of the young people, who are aged 19 and 16 respectively were obliged to sign written statement, consenting to the marriage. Wm. Coon of Genoa and William Wettering of Hampshire, went before County Clerk Lynch, both agreeing to the union. The young married couple left here for an extended wedding trip.

They will return to Hampshire after the first of January. Mr. and Mrs. Coon will reside on the Coon farm.

If you want good seasoned wood see J. E. Bowers.



S. P. Averill of Battle Creek, Mich., traveling insurance solicitor for the Order of Red Men, attempted suicide at Hinton, W. Va., cutting two large gashes in his throat.

Four business blocks in Concord, N. H., were badly damaged by fire, the loss being \$35,000, the Pickering Furniture company being the heaviest sufferer.

The trial of John W. Hill, former chief of the filtration bureau of Philadelphia, who is charged with forgery and falsifying the records, which was to have begun Tuesday, has been postponed until after the November election because of the excited state of the public mind.

The divorce suit of Concepcion Vasquez, the Filipino woman, against First Lieutenant Sidney S. Burbank of the Sixth infantry, which has attracted wide attention in the army, has been decided in favor of Mrs. Burbank in the court at Iloilo, P. I., the wife being given a decree with the custody of their daughter and being allowed monthly alimony.

John Smith, proprietor of a poolroom at McKeesport, Pa., shot his wife at their home and then, followed by a crowd, fled to his poolroom and shot himself. The woman will live, but the man will probably die.

Miss Laura Rhodes, aged 38, committed suicide with poison near Terre Haute, Ind.

The Arcola, Ill., Carnegie library building was dedicated with elaborate ceremonies.

John Hanson, a farmer, aged 60 years, while driving across the railroad tracks at Valparaiso, Ind., was struck by a train and instantly killed.

The Masonic grand lodge, which met in Louisville Monday, will be asked to adopt a resolution calling upon the general assembly to appropriate a sufficient sum of money to restore the broken statue of Henry Clay now standing in the Lexington cemetery.

The condition of Gov. Hogg of Texas is worse. Physicians performed an operation Monday evening.

Kate Gannett Wells of Boston, the author and lecturer, is suffering from severe injuries sustained in a runaway accident while driving at Keene, N. H.

At the fall meeting of the Yale corporation Rev. Harlan P. Beach, M. A., present education secretary of the student volunteer movement, was elected professor of the theory and practice of missions.

Archbishop P. W. Riordan of San Francisco was received by Cardinal Gotti, prefect of the congregation of the propaganda at Rome, to whom he presented a report on the affairs of the archdiocese.

Announcement has been made that the board of managers of the Michigan asylum for the insane at Kalamazoo has selected Dr. Atwood R. Wood of Worcester, Mass., a well-known alienist, to succeed the late Dr. W. M. Edwards as superintendent of the asylum.

The Southern Pacific Railway company has made a deposit with the Chihuahua government to guarantee the construction of the railway line between Guaymar and Guadalajara.

It was reported at Fall River, Mass., that the Cotton Manufacturers' Association will this week announce an advance in the wages of the 25,000 mill operatives.

At the celebration of the 150th anniversary of Zion church, the mother of German Lutheran church in Baltimore, a letter was read from the Emperor of Germany conferring the Order of the Crown on Dr. Julius Hoffman, the pastor.

An attempt was made to wreck the west-bound express on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad near Stamford, Conn., a large bar of iron being found wedged between the rails a few minutes before the train was due.

Attorney General Stead decided at Springfield, Ill., that Mayor McCaskin of Rock Island may still file an amended petition and have his name placed on the official ballot as an independent candidate for congress in the fourth district.

The president has accepted the resignation of Eugene A. Tucker, associate justice of the supreme court of Arizona, to take effect the 14th instant and appointed Paul Jensen of Nebraska to succeed him.

Milton D. Stone, a prominent and wealthy lumberman of Jamestown, N. Y., was instantly killed while hunting near Westfield, N. Y. The gun of Frank Sears, a companion, was accidentally discharged, the entire charge of shot taking effect in Stone's body in the region of the heart.

Professor Robert L. Greene of Notre Dame University was held to the federal grand jury at Goshen, Ind., charged with violating the postal laws by sending a postal card to a Vermont sheriff denouncing the proposed execution of Mrs. Rogers.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago Produce. Butter—Extra creamery, jobbing, 21c; prime to retailers, 21 1/2c; prints, 22 1/2c; drats, 12c; seconds, 17 1/2c; renovated, 18 1/2c; dairies, Cooleys, 19c; drats, 17 1/2c; ladies, 18 1/2c; packing stock, 18 1/2c.

Eggs—Fresh stock at mark, new cases included, 15 1/2c; cases returned, 15c; drats, 15 1/2c; prime drats, 16 1/2c; whitewood cases, 20 1/2c; extra high grade, packed for city trade, 22 1/2c.

Cheese—Full cream, daisies, 11 1/2c; twins, 11 1/4c; young Americas, 11 1/2c; long horns, 11 1/4c; Swiss block, 11 1/4c; drum, 13 1/2c; Limburger, choice, 8c; off grades, 6 1/2c; brick, 10 1/2c; off grades, 7 1/2c.

Fish—Black bass, 15c; carp and buffalo, 2c; pike, 7c; pickerel, 5c; perch, 4c; sunfish, 2c; croppies, 3c. Live poultry—Turkeys, per lb; 12 1/2c; chickens, fowls, 11c; roosters, 7c; springs, 10c per lb; ducks, 11c; geese, 17 1/2c per doz.

Fruits—Apples, car lot loads; New York \$2.75 per 100 lbs; Pennsylvania, \$3.50 @ 3.75 per 100 lbs; Illinois, \$2.50 @ 2.75 per 100 lbs; local lots bu boxes, \$1 @ 2.50; bris, \$1 @ 2.25; crabapples, \$2.25 per 100 lbs; peaches, per 6-basket crate, \$1 @ 1.25; Michigan, 85c @ \$1.50 per bu; 15 @ 20c per 1-5 bu basket; pears, Michigan, \$2.75 per 100 lbs; plums, case, 25 @ 60c; 1-5 bu basket, 12 1/2 @ 20c; grapes, 13 1/2 @ 20c per 8-b basket.

Melons—Gems, crates, \$1.25 @ 2; citron, \$3 per bu. Green vegetables—Carrots, home-grown, \$1.25 per 100 bunches; cabbage, \$1.25 @ 1.35 a crate; celery, 15 @ 60c per box; cucumbers, 75c per doz; radishes, 50c @ 75c per 100 bunches; spinach, 25c per tub; tomatoes, 35c @ \$1 per bu box; lettuce, head, 50c @ 75c per head; 10 @ 20c per case; beets, \$1.25 @ 1.50 per 100 bunches; turnips, 75c per sack; string beans, 50c @ 75c per sack; cauliflowers, 75c @ \$1.75 per crate; green onions, 80 @ 10c per bunch; onions, 35 @ 50c per bu; Spanish, \$1.25 per crate; sweet corn, 15 @ 20c per sack; kohlrabi, \$1.25 @ 1.50 per 100 bunches; potatoes, car lot on track, 35 @ 40c per bu; mushrooms, 35 @ 50c per lb; squash, 75c @ \$1 per doz; water cress, 25c per box; lima beans, \$1.75 @ 2 per 2 1/2 cts; horse radish, 60 @ 75c per bunch; eggplant, 40 @ 60c per doz; pumpkins, 75c per doz.

Markets—Market steady; prices follow: Self-working, common to choice, \$45 @ 75 per ton; No. 2 hurl, common to choice, \$45 @ 100 per ton; dwarf, \$55 @ 65 per ton.

Grain Quotations. WHEAT—Chicago—No. 2 red, \$1.87 @ \$1.87 1/2. New York—No. 2 red, \$1.94 @ \$1.94 1/2. Minneapolis—No. 1 northern, \$1.75 @ \$1.75 1/2. St. Louis—No. 2 red, \$1.89 1/2. Duluth—No. 1 northern, \$1.84 1/2. Corn—Chicago—No. 2 mixed, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2. New York—No. 2 mixed, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2. St. Louis—No. 2 mixed, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2. Milwaukee—No. 1 northern, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2. Toledo—No. 2 red, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2.

CORN—Chicago—No. 2, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2. New York—No. 2, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2. St. Louis—No. 2, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2. Milwaukee—No. 1, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2. Toledo—No. 2, \$1.35 @ \$1.35 1/2.

LIVE STOCK. CATTLE—Chicago—\$1.50 @ \$1.50 1/2. Omaha—\$1.50 @ \$1.50 1/2. Kansas City—\$1.50 @ \$1.50 1/2. St. Joseph—\$1.50 @ \$1.50 1/2. New York—\$1.50 @ \$1.50 1/2.

HOGS—Chicago—\$3.25 @ \$3.25 1/2. Omaha—\$3.25 @ \$3.25 1/2. Kansas City—\$3.25 @ \$3.25 1/2. St. Joseph—\$3.25 @ \$3.25 1/2. New York—\$3.25 @ \$3.25 1/2.

SHEEP AND LAMBS. Chicago—\$4.75 @ \$4.75 1/2. Omaha—\$4.75 @ \$4.75 1/2. Kansas City—\$4.75 @ \$4.75 1/2. St. Joseph—\$4.75 @ \$4.75 1/2. New York—\$4.75 @ \$4.75 1/2.

William Bailey was murdered at Waverly, S. D., by Nels Mehrens, a saloonkeeper. Bailey had fought and whipped a friend of Mehrens.

Fire caused a \$50,000 loss at Sidney, Ill., the Knights of Pythias building, George Cole's general store and Cole & Son's restaurant and meat market being destroyed.

George Sisco was found dead in a saloon at Spring Valley, Ill. It was not known there was a corpse in the place until the barkeeper brought him a glass of beer.

The North Carolina Pine association and the South Carolina pine were consolidated, with a combined capital of \$20,000,000 and an output of 90,000,000 feet a month.

The Shubert Theatrical company of New York has been incorporated at Albany, N. Y., with \$300,000 capital. The directors are Lee Shubert, D. Shubert, Joseph W. Jacobs and William Klein, of New York.

John Seeley was arrested at San Francisco and will be sent back to Pittsburg, Kan., where it is alleged he jumped a \$500 bail bond. Seeley was arrested in Pittsburg, where he acted as mail clerk, on Jan. 4, 1902, and charged with opening United States mail.

A special train bearing the New England delegates of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union left Boston for Los Angeles, Cal., where the annual convention will be held next week. Among the women were Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens of Portland, Me., president of the national organization.

CAMPAIGN GOIN BACK TO COFFERS

New York Merchant Seeks Return of Contributions Made to Politicians.

ASK ATTORNEY GENERAL TO ACT

Pass Resolutions Declaring That Money Belonging to Policy Holders Has Been Diverted and Demanding Reimbursement by the Officials.

New York dispatch: The Merchants' association of New York, through its board of directors, adopted resolutions calling upon the district attorney of New York county to ascertain whether or not an indictment can be found against the officers of life insurance companies who have contributed the funds of the companies to political campaign committees.

The resolutions in part are as follows: "Whereas, in the judgment of this board the excuse offered for these payments violates every sound principle of business morality, and would justify the illegal diversion of public and private trust funds of every description; and,

"Whereas, The penal code provides, in substance, that any officer, director, trustee or manager of a corporation who intentionally appropriates, or causes to be appropriated, any of its funds to his own use or to that of any other person than the true owner or person entitled to the benefit thereof, steals such property and is guilty of larceny; and,

"Whereas, This board believes that the interests of the community demand that this misappropriation, if a crime, should be visited with adequate punishment; that law should be enforced irrespective of the station of the offender; and that nothing should be more operative as a check upon corrupt use of the money of corporations than conviction of the offender as a common thief; therefore,

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this board, prompt and energetic steps should be taken by the district attorney of the county of New York to ascertain whether an indictment cannot be found against the presidents of such companies and other officers concerned in said payments, and that it is the opinion of this board that the attorney general of the state should institute civil proceedings for the return of the said sums to the treasurers of the respective companies."

Wants the Money Refunded. The Merchants' association also asks the attorney general to begin civil suit looking to the restitution of the money contributed to campaign committees by the presidents of the insurance companies.

District Attorney Jerome is asked to reconsider his determination not to ask for an extraordinary session of the grand jury to consider the insurance scandal at this time.

On behalf of Thomas J. O'Donnell of Denver and other Colorado policy holders of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, W. B. Crisp, a lawyer of this city, wrote to Attorney General Mayer of New York state, asking that he institute civil proceedings at once to compel the officers of the Mutual to make restitution of the sum of \$92,500 which they admit has been contributed to political campaign committees in recent years.

Hyde to Tell Everything. It is practically certain now that James Hazen Hyde will appear before the Armstrong legislative insurance commission as a witness. His friends have urged him all along to appear before the committee and make a clean breast of everything questionable in the Equitable management under the old administration. Persons whose names surely will be brought into the scandal if Hyde pursues such a course have been exerting an influence on him to remain outside the committee's jurisdiction.

Agents of a New York insurance company have been leaving at the offices downtown artistic cards inscribed with these words: "Forget it."

BANKER BIGELOW TO RETURN

Milwaukee Financier to Be Witness at Trial of Cashier Goll. Milwaukee, Wis., special: Frank G. Bigelow, the defaulting Milwaukee banker who is serving a sentence of ten years in the government prison at Leavenworth, Kan., must return to Milwaukee Nov. 20. Steps were taken to secure his attendance at the coming trial of Henry Goll, who is alleged to have been associated with Mr. Bigelow in defaulting over \$1,500,000 from the First National bank of this city. Judge Quarles heard arguments in the application of Goll's attorneys for the return of Bigelow while the Goll trial was in progress and decided that Bigelow must return.

English Liberals Gain Election.

London cable: The liberals have won a notable victory in the election of J. O. Andrews to represent the Barkston Ash division of the West Riding of Yorkshire, scoring a big majority over the unionist candidate.

Crazed by Robbery, Man Dies.

La Crosse, Wis., special: Crazed by a highway robbery of which he was the victim, Peter Jorten, 73 years old, a wealthy land owner of Blair, Wis., committed suicide by hanging.

HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE.



Where is the man the Gendarme is looking for?

ILLINOIS LABOR CHIEFS GATHER

President Cohen Calls Attention to Dangers Surrounding the Open Shop.

WORKERS CONTROL SITUATION

Exercise of Self-interest in Making Purchases Would Put Powerful Weapon in Hands of Those Affiliated With Unions.

Danville, Ill., Oct. 18.—Greater solidarity and the elimination of internecine strife, so as to more successfully meet the organized opposition of employers, was the keynote of President Barney Cohen's address to the delegates assembled here to attend the twenty-third annual convention of the Illinois State Federation of Labor.

President Cohen called the attention of the delegates to the aggressive policy of associations of employers which, he said, was everywhere apparent, and suggested intelligent utilization of the purchasing power of the organized workers as a weapon with which to fight the open shop. He declared that the open shop, stripped of the sentimental talk of personal liberty with which the employers surround it, really means the open door to a decrease in wages and a lengthening of the hours of labor.

Another recommendation contained in the report which met with the approval of the delegates was for the formation of women's labor leagues in every city and town in the state. Cohen declares that the women are largely the purchasers in every workman's home, and that only through organization can they be educated to select articles made under union conditions.

Denies Convict Labor Reports.

In his report, President Cohen refers in detail to the remedial legislation enacted in the last General Assembly through the efforts of the legislative committee of the State Federation in conjunction with other union officials. He denies the reports which have been circulated that prisoners in the penal institutions are suffering for lack of work as a result of the convict labor law which became effective in July, 1904. Letters from the various wards and figures are shown in support of his contention.

In urging greater solidarity and the centralization of power by the trade unions, Cohen says in his report: "In our system of organization we should leave no weak spots to lessen our effectiveness or help unite our antagonists. It seems to me essential that every trade union local should be in good standing, not only with the international of its craft, but should also be in complete affiliation with the central labor body of its town or city and with the state federation."

Warns Unions Against Wrangling. "It should never be forgotten by wage earners that while our preponderance of numbers gives us a powerful weapon if rightly used, that same numerical strength is a source of weakness if we are divided among ourselves. We neutralize our efforts by pulling in opposite directions."

"Subsidiary to the recommendation made, but worthy of special mention, I would urge that during the coming year every district in Illinois be covered by branch locals of the Women's Union Labor League. Wives, sisters and daughters of workmen should keep in constant touch with each other so as to utilize their purchasing power to benefit union workers by demanding the label on every article."

PENNSYLVANIA COURT KNOCKS OUT EDUCATION

Holds Part of Law Regarding School Instruction to Be Contrary to United States Constitution.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., dispatch: Judge Wheaton of the Luzerne county court handed down a decision declaring unconstitutional part of the mine employment act of 1905. The portions of the act prohibiting the employment of boys under 16 years of age in any of the breakers or outside of the mines is allowed to stand, together with the section providing penalties therefor, and also the repealing section.

PAPER TRUST PLANS TO FIGHT

May Be Driven to Organize Like the Illinois Steel Company. Milwaukee, Wis., dispatch: "If we lose the suit against us recently instituted by the government we shall dissolve and form another company which will answer the same purpose," said President J. A. Kimberly of the General Paper company. "As we expect to win, this matter has not yet been given much consideration. Nearly all the harm that can be done us has already been done. The price of print paper has gone down from \$2.25 to \$1.90 per 100, mainly because eastern concerns have come in and taken our business away. I do not believe the General Paper company is contravening the Sherman law in any particular." The proposed company would be constructed on the lines of the Illinois Steel Company.

BABE STUBS ITS TOE AND DIES

Blood Poison Follows Removal of Splinter by Surgeon. Sunol special: A splinter in his big toe caused the death of Claud Chamberlain, the 2-year-old son of W. W. Chamberlain. The child was playing in his bare feet when, on stubbing his toe, he ran a splinter under the nail. Dr. J. Wells was called and the piece of redwood removed. The incident was thought no more of by the child's mother until the following day, when the boy complained of pains in his limb. Again the physician was sent for, but blood poisoning had set in and he was unable to save the child's life.

WILL NOT PAY COLOMBIAN DEBT

Panama Government Denies Reported Offer to Bondholders. Panama cable: The government denies the report that Panama will pay \$1,000,000 to Colombia's foreign bondholders. Panama will pay only its share of the debt in proportion to the population of the isthmus at the time the independence of Panama was declared, and conditionally on Colombia's agreement to pay the sums borrowed from the treasury of the former state of Panama.

HOPE TO RELEASE PEORIA BANKER

Attorneys for Dougherty Contend School Elections Were Held Illegally.

BASE CASE ON CHANGE IN DATE

Shift From November to April Is Held to Invalidate the Corporate Existence of the City Board of Education.

Peoria, Ill., dispatch: Charging that all school elections for the last nineteen years have been illegal, that Peoria has not properly had a board of school inspectors during this time and that every cent spent on school improvements and teachers' salaries was illegally appropriated, the attorneys for N. C. Dougherty, the defaulting banker and school superintendent, claim that they have good grounds for a defense. Working on this theory, the attorneys say they will put up a hard fight when the indictments and awful pain of locomotor ataxia. They are sold by all druggists or direct by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

More definite rumors are being given out concerning the probable action of the federal grand jury, and it is now said that if the present body does not get to the investigation of the officials of the failed Peoria National bank a special grand jury will be called. Judge Bethea and District Attorney R. W. Childs of Chicago were present at the opening session of the United States court Monday, but because several grand jurors missed their trains little was accomplished.

SAY ELECTIONS WERE ILLEGAL

For the last nineteen years the school elections have been held in the month of April, and it is said that this date was changed from November, contrary to law. It is on this contention that Dougherty and his attorneys are said to base their hope of escape from the 140 indictments which have been returned against the former school superintendent. In this connection Judge J. C. Pinkney gave an opinion as follows:

"There is nothing in the amendment that operates as a repeal of the special charter creating the Peoria school district for the reason that under the terms of our school charter in order for the act of 1885 of the general school laws to operate as a repeal, alteration or change, the general act of 1885 would necessarily have to refer specifically to our special charter. No such reference being made, it is my opinion that the old charter is in force."

Mr. Pinkney, however, said that in his opinion the courts would validate the acts of the boards that had held power in the last nineteen years on the ground of public policy.

SCHOOL ACT IN OUTLINE

The act of the legislature passed in 1869 created a school district embracing all territory in Peoria, creating a body politic and corporate to be known as the "board of school inspectors of the city of Peoria," to which it gave perpetual existence. The statute states that "all following elections for such inspectors shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November of each successive year."

Although the exact date of the changing of the school elections from November to April is not known, it is supposed to have been either in 1886 or in 1887, shortly after the passing of the state act.

It is the opinion of attorneys that, even if the elections were illegal, the fact would not affect Dougherty's case, as he is responsible as an individual, if not as superintendent of schools.

Apparently alarmed at a strong display of Bailey sentiment and threats of political ostracism, the mass meeting of independents, which was called for Monday night to urge the resignation of O. J. Bailey from the school board, was postponed suddenly. It was to have been a ward meeting, and there is some talk of concentration for the purpose of taking definite action.

CARNEGIE GOES BACK ON WORD

Offers Library Donation to La Crosse and Then Changes His Mind.

La Crosse, Wis., dispatch: After offering a donation of \$10,000 to North La Crosse for a public library, Andrew Carnegie, after the city had complied with the conditions, has refused to give the money for the library. Mr. Carnegie gives as his reason for a change of mind that the city of La Crosse now has a good library and that it is the duty of the city to provide library facilities for the suburbs.

AVOID CONTEST OVER MILLIONS.

Pittsburg, Pa., dispatch: The differences said to have existed between Mrs. W. S. Flower and the other members of the family of the late Charles Lockart are reported to have been settled and a contest for the \$70,000,000 estate avoided.

CONFERENCE ON INDIANS.

Lake Mohonk, N. Y., dispatch: All the arrangements have been completed for the three days' conference to be held here, beginning Wednesday, to consider the interests of the American Indians and other dependent people.

CHEF SHOTS HIS ASSISTANT.

St. Joseph, Mo., dispatch: Frank Kennedy, chef at a leading hotel, shot and fatally wounded Frank Boyer, his assistant, because the latter was late in reporting for work.

THIN BLOOD—WEAK NERVES

One Follows the Other, but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Quickly Cure Both.

The steady use of a particular set of muscles tends to chronic fatigue, which produces faulty or difficult motion, trembling, cramps and even paralysis stresses among the classes most threatened in this way with the loss of their power to earn a living. The following instance shows that nerve power may be recovered after it seems entirely lost, if the right means are taken. Mrs. O. S. Blacksten, of No. 584 North Bow-

man street, Mansfield, Ohio, says: "For years my hands have become so numb at times that I would drop anything I attempted to lift. Later they became so bad that I could not sew any longer, and at last I could scarcely do anything at all with my hands. At night the pricking sensations would come on worse than ever, and my hands and arms would pain so that I dreaded to go to bed. My family doctor gave me some nerve tablets. They helped me a little, but only for a short time after I had taken them and if I happened to be without them for a day or two I would be as bad as ever or even worse. Finally I got a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and began to take them.

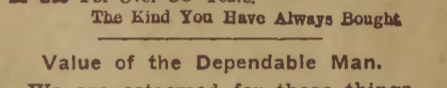
"The result was surprising. By the time I had taken the last pill in my first box I could see a gain. Thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I am now all right. I can sleep undisturbed by pain, and for two years I have been as well as ever." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills feed the nerves by making new, rich blood and in this way have cured nervous diseases of every description from simple restlessness to paralysis. They have banished the tortures of neuralgia, the weakness of nervous prostration, the disability and awful pain of locomotor ataxia. They are sold by all druggists or direct by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

TAKES CHAIR IN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY.

William J. Hussey, astronomer of Lick observatory, has accepted the chair of astronomy in the University of Michigan to succeed Prof. Asop Hall. Prof. Hussey is now on his way home from Egypt, where he conducted an expedition to Assouan, on the Upper Nile, to observe the total solar eclipse.

IMPORTANT TO MOTHERS.

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VALUE OF THE DEPENDABLE MAN.

We are esteemed for those things, qualities and characteristics that are so much a part of us that others may depend upon always finding them. In proportion to our dependability are we of use to others. It is the man upon whom dependence can be placed that is wanted everywhere. Brilliance is a quality that in its nature is subject to severe and sudden fluctuations. Ordinarily the thing that is wanted is not brilliance, but simple faithfulness and ability to do a day's work, within the work time and in a workmanlike manner. The world needs dependable men. —Washington Times.

NATIONAL MEMORIAL TO GLADSTONE.

Earl Spencer is to preside at the unveiling in London of the national memorial of the late Mr. Gladstone on Oct. 21, and the ceremony will be performed in the presence of a representative assemblage of politicians and civic notabilities. Invitations are being sent out, but the program has not yet been settled. Statues of the deceased statesman already exist in Westminster abbey and the central hall of the houses of parliament, the former having been erected at the public expense and the latter by private subscription. This national memorial, however, is not to be a statue only, but an important monumental group. The bronze statue itself represents Mr. Gladstone in the picturesque robes of chancellor of the exchequer and is said to be an impressive rendering of a fine personality.

COFFEE NEURALGIA.

Leaves When You Quit and Use Postum. A lady who unconsciously drifted into nervous prostration brought on by coffee, says:

"I have been a coffee drinker all my life, and used it regularly, three times a day. "A year or two ago I became subject to nervous neuralgia, attacks of nervous headache and general nervous prostration which not only incapacitated me for doing my housework, but frequently made it necessary for me to remain in a dark room for two or three days at a time. "I employed several good doctors, one after the other, but none of them was able to give me permanent relief. "Eight months ago a friend suggested that perhaps coffee was the cause of my troubles and that I try Postum Food Coffee and give up the old kind. I am glad I took her advice, for my health has been entirely restored. I have no more neuralgia, nor have I had one solitary headache in all these eight months. No more of my days are wasted in solitary confinement in a dark room. I do all my own work with ease. The flesh that I lost during the years of my nervous prostration has come back to me during these months, and I am once more a happy, healthy woman. I enclose a list of names of friends who can vouch for the truth of the statement." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Ten days' trial leaving off coffee and using Postum is sufficient. All grocers.

JOAN OF THE SWORD HAND

By S. R. CROCKETT, Author of "The Raiders," etc.

CHAPTER VIII.

Prince Wasp.
"So," he said, as he faced the secretary, now somewhat compositely styled, Johann, Count von Leon, "so, young sprig, you think to court a foolish princess. You play upon her with your pretty words and graceful compliments. That is an agreeable relaxation. Only—you have in addition to reckon with me, Ivan, hereditary Prince of Muscovy."

And with a sweep of his hand across his body he drew his sword from its sheath.
The sword of the young secretary came into hand with equal swiftness. "Follow me, Count von Leon," said the prince.

And with his lithe and springy walk the Prince of Muscovy passed again into the alleys of the rose garden till he reached the first open space, where he turned upon the secretary.

"We are arrived," he said, "our business is so pressing, and will be so quickly finished, that there is no need for the formality of seconds. Though I honor you by crossing my sword with yours, it is a mere formality. I have such skill of the weapon, as I dare say report has told you, that you may consider yourself dead already, Guard!"

But Johann Pymont had been trained in a school which permitted no such windy preludes, and with the fencer's smile on his face he kept his silence. His sword would answer all such boasts, and that in good time.

And so it fell out.
From the very first crossing of the swords Prince Wasp found himself opposed by a quicker eye, a firmer wrist, a method and science infinitely superior to his own. His most dashing attack was repelled with apparent ease, yet with a subtlety which interposed nothing but the most delicate of guards and parries between Prince Ivan and victory. This gradually infuriated the prince, till suddenly losing his temper he stamped his foot in anger and rushed upon his foe with the true Muscovite fire.

But the blade was turned aside, the long-delayed answering thrust glittered out, and the secretary's sword stood a couple of hand-breads in the boaster's shoulder.

The prince staggered, cried out some unintelligible words in the Muscovite language, and pitched forward slowly on his face among the trampled leaves and blown rose-petals of the palace garden.

The secretary grew paler than his wont, and ran to lift his fallen enemy. But, all unseen, other eyes had watched the combat, and from the door by which they had entered, and from behind the trees of the surrounding glade, there came the noise of pounding footsteps and fierce cries of "Seize him! Kill him! Tear him to pieces! He has slain the good prince, the friend of the people! The Prince Ivan is dead!"

The secretary eyed this unkempt horde with haughty scorn, and his fearless attitude, as he stripped his stained sword through his handkerchief and threw the linen away, had something to do with the fact that the rabble halted at the distance of half a dozen yards and for many minutes contented themselves with hurrying oaths and imprecations at him.

At last they did come on, not all together, but in irregular, undisciplined rushes. Johann's sword streaked out this way and that. There was an answering cry of pain, a turmoil among the assailants as a wounded man whirled his way backward out of the press. But this could not last for long. The odds were too great.

Then suddenly came a voice: "Back, on your lives, dogs and traitors! Get

ward thrust of their friends. Still the ring narrowed, and the pair of gallant fighters would doubtless have been swept away had not a diversion come to alter the face of things.

Out of the gate which led to the wing of the palace occupied by the Princess Margaret burst a little company of halberdiers, at sight of whom the crowd gave suddenly back. The Princess herself was with them.

"Take all prisoners, and bring them within," she cried. "My brother is from home, or you dare not thus brawl in the very precincts of the palace!"

And at her words the soldiers advanced rapidly. A further diversion was caused by the Sparhawk suddenly cleaving a way through the crowd and setting off at full speed in the direction of the river.

The Princess and her guard were left with only the secretary and the unconscious body of the Prince of Muscovy.

"Sirrah," she cried severely to the former, "is this the first use you make of our hospitality, thus to brawl in the street underneath my very windows with our noble guest the Prince Ivan? Take him to my brother's room, and keep him safely there to await our lord's return. We shall see what the Prince will say to this. And as for this wounded man, take him to his own apartments and let a surgeon be sent to him."

So, merely detailing half a dozen to carry the Prince to his chambers, the captain of the guard conducted the secretary to the very room in which an hour before he had met the brother of the Princess. Here he was confined, with a couple of guards at the door. Nor had he been long shut up before he heard the quick step of the Princess coming along the passage-way.

"So," she said, as soon as the door was shut, "you have killed Prince Wasp!"

"I trust not," said the secretary, gravely; "I meant only to wound him. But as he attacked me I could not do otherwise than defend myself."

"Tut," cried the Princess, "I hope you have killed him. It will be good riddance, and most like the Muscovites will send an army—which, with your Plassenburg to help us, will make a pretty fight. It serves him right, at all events, for Prince Wasp must always be thrusting his sting into honest folk."

"The laws are strict against dueling," she continued. "The Prince Ivan is in high favor with my elder brother, and it will be well that you are seen no more in Courtland—for the present, that is. But in a little the Prince Wasp will die or he will recover. In either case the affair will blow over. Then you will come back to teach me more foreign customs."

She smiled and held out her hand. Johann kissed it, perhaps without the fervor which might have been expected from a brisk young man thus highly favored by the fairest and sprightliest of princesses.

"To-night," she went on, "there will be a boat beneath that window. It will be manned by those whom I can trust. A ladder of rope will be thrown to your casement. By it you will descend, and with a good horse and a sufficient escort you can ride either to Plassenburg—or to Kernsburg, which is nearer, and tell Joan of the Sword Hand that her sister the Princess Margaret, send you to her."

She went to the door, and with her fingers on the handle she turned her head about with a pretty, vixenish expression. "I am so glad you stung the Wasp. I love you for it!" she said.

At seven it grew dark, and at ten all was quiet in the city. The river rushed swiftly beneath, and the noise of it, as the water lapped against the stone foundations of the summer palace, helped to disguise the noise of oars, as the boat a dark shadow upon greyish water, detached itself from the opposite shore and approached the window from whose open casement Johann Pymont looked out.

A low whistle came from underneath, and presently followed the soft, reeling whiff of a coil of rope as it passed through the window and fell at his feet. The secretary looked about for something to fasten it to, and finally decided upon the iron uprights of the great desk at which the Prince had stood earlier in the day.

No sooner was this done than Johann set his foot on the top round and began to descend. The boat seemed very far away, a mere spot of blackness upon the river face.

But presently, and while making up his mind to practice the gymnastic of rope ladders quietly at home, he made out a man holding the ladder, while two others with grappled boat hooks kept the boat steady fore and aft.

A shrouded figure sat in the stern. The secretary was handed from one to the other of the rowers till he reached the shrouded figure in the stern.

"Draw this about you, Count," a low voice whispered, and in another moment Johann found himself under the shelter of one cloak with that daring slip of nobility, the Princess Margaret of Courtland.

They touched the shore almost at the place where the Sparhawk had landed in the morning when he escaped from the city rabble, and a stone's throw further up the bank they found the horses waiting, ready caparisoned for the journey.

So soon as he had distinguished the

slim figure of the secretary landing from the boat the Sparhawk appeared on the crest of the hill.

"Good-bye! For the present, good-bye, dear Princess," said Johann, with heart in his voice. "God knows, I can never thank or repay you. My heart is heavy for that. I am unworthy of all your goodness."

"Let there be no talk of parting except for the moment," she said. "Go, you are my knight. Perhaps one day, if you do not forget me, I may be yet far kinder to you!"

And with a kiss and a little sob the Princess sent her lover, more and more downcast and discouraged by reason of her kindness, upon his way. So much did his obvious depression affect Margaret of Courtland that after the secretary had reached the top of the river bank, she suddenly bade the rowers wait a moment before casting loose from the land.

"Your sword! Your sword!" she called aloud, risking any listener in her eagerness; "you have forgotten your sword!"

Now it chanced that the Sparhawk had come up with the little party of travelers.

"Do not trouble, I will bring the sword," he said to Johann, with his usual impetuosity, and without a Moscow.

Instinct, his magnetism, his power of expression, his scholarly attainments—these made him great and assure him of being always one of the chief figures of the stage. He did not belong merely to England, for his art swayed America also. After 1833 Irving made tours of the United States at intervals of two or three years, and he was admired and loved by American playgoers as no other foreign actor ever has been.

Irving was not only notable as an actor, but admirable as a man. His perseverance, pluck, energy, charm of manner, generosity and his high-mindedness were known to his friends, and among those friends he numbered many of the prominent men of England. He was a delightful and eagerly sought companion and possessed to a large degree the social qualities of tact and diplomacy.

When she saw the figure come bounding towards her down the pebbly bank she gave a little cry, and, dropping the scabbard, she threw her arms impulsively about the Sparhawk's neck.

"I could not let you go like that—without ever telling you that I loved you—really, I mean," she whispered, while the youth stood petrified with astonishment, without sound or motion. "I will marry none but you—neither Prince Ivan nor another. A woman should not tell a man that, lest he despise her; but a princess may, because the man dare not tell her."

"And what said you?" asked the secretary of his companion, as they rode together through the night out on their road to Kernsburg.

"Why, I said nothing—speech was not needed," quoth the Dane coolly. "She kissed you?"

The Dane shrugged his shoulders in the dark.

"Well, I take what the gods send," he replied. "She was a pretty girl, and her Princessship made no difference in her kissing, so far as I could see. I serve you to the death, my Lady Duchess; but if a Princess loves me, by the way, why, I am ready to indulge her to the limit of her desires!"

"You are an accommodating youth," sighed the secretary, and forthwith returned to his own melancholy thoughts.

(To be continued.)

Business Is Business.
A story is told of a man in Arkansas town who, in addition to his being president of the local board of aldermen, was also the proprietor of the best hotel in the place.

It appears that a visitor from the east one day remarked to this man that the town might be made a good deal healthier if a certain large swamp near by were drained.

"W-a-l-l," drawled the politician and hotel man, "all my borders says the same thing. In my position as president of the board of aldermen I'd shorely advocate the improvement in a minute if it warn't for my son."

"Why," exclaimed the easterner in surprise, "why should your son object?"

"W-a-l-l, stranger," replied the Arkansas man, "he runs the drug store."—From Harper's Weekly.

The Coffee He Smuggled In.
Some years ago a deputy collector of Uncle Sam's held an office down on the northern border of Maine. Late one fall, after a busy season keeping tabs on the smugglers, the deputy received a call from one of the boys around town, who informed him "on the quiet" that a certain man living some ten miles back in the country smuggled in 160 pounds of coffee the night before.

Tired as he was, the deputy hitched up his team, and arrived at the farmer's place just before dark. The deputy told him what he had heard, and the farmer admitted that he still had possession of the goods. Inviting him into the house, the farmer introduced the deputy to his wife, whom he had married in Canada the day before. Her maiden name was Coffee, and she weighed 160 pounds.

DEATH TAKES SPLENDID ACTOR.

Sudden Calling of Sir Henry Irving Widely Regretted.
As the foremost English actor of his period and one of the foremost stage managers; as the force which did more than any other in decades to place the stage and the dramatic profession upon a dignified and lofty level; as the medium through which a true revival of Shakespeare and the classic drama was made possible; as the man who won official recognition from the crown for the achievements of the stage, in being the first actor to gain the distinction of knighthood, Sir Henry Irving, whose sudden death at Bradford, England, is announced, always will bulk big across the history of the English drama.

After 1871 Irving held the indisputable primacy of the stage in England, if not in the world. His versatility, his scope, his keen dramatic



The Late Sir Henry Irving.

Gov. Deneen Announces Representatives to Lincoln Convention.

Gov. Deneen has announced the appointment of the following delegates to represent Illinois at the National Prison association meeting, to be held at Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 21-26:

Mrs. Ophelia L. Amigh, Geneva; Benjamin Brown, E. A. Sively and Dr. Frederick Howard Wines, Springfield; Thomas J. Clark, Quincy; M. M. Mallory, Pontiac; Everett J. Murphy, Joliet; Rev. W. N. Rutledge, Chester; Rev. T. W. Thornton, Joliet; A. S. Wright, Woodstock; Abraham Baldwin, Woodlawn Park; Rev. Samuel Falows, Charles E. Felton, Hugo S. Grosser, Dr. H. H. Hart, T. D. Hurley, Rev. Emory Lyon, Julian W. Mack, John J. McManaman, Professor Graham Taylor, Richard S. Tuthill and John L. Whitman, Chicago.

Teachers' Certificates.
Supt. Bayless of the public instruction department has issued a circular defining the requirements of applicants for state teachers' certificates, under the new law. Any teacher graduated by the school of education of the University of Illinois or either normal university or any state normal school may obtain a certificate and on filing a satisfactory thesis passing an examination in six subjects. Any teacher of three years' successful experience, two of which shall have been in Illinois, may obtain a certificate on passing an examination in sixteen branches which are outlined in the circular.

Provides for Widow.
The will of John Carey, deceased, has been presented at Hillsboro for probate. The testator devised all his property to his wife, Sarah Carey, for her life, and after her death directed a division among his children. The sum of \$100 is bequeathed to his grandson, William Keller, and \$50 is directed to be paid for masses for the repose of his soul. His sons, William Carey and Martin Carey, are named as executors of the will.

CASUALTIES DUE TO FOOTBALL.
Many Deaths and Injuries the Last Five Years.
Forty-five deaths and hundreds of serious injuries is the record of football for the last five years, according to a canvass made by the New York Herald. In almost every instance the death or injury was due directly to the heavy mass plays, against which, the Herald says, President Roosevelt and the country at large are protesting so vigorously.

Sixteen died as a result of internal injuries, four from broken necks, six from concussion of the brain, eight from broken backs, three from paralysis, two from heart failure, one from lockjaw, one from blood poisoning, due to a cut received in a game, one from hemorrhages, and two from meningitis, induced by spinal injuries suffered in play. The injuries included ten legs and fourteen collar bones broken and four skulls fractured.

TOO MANY CHURCHES, HE SAYS.
Minister Thinks Much Money is Wasted on Structures.
The Rev. M. W. Stryker, president of Hamilton college, is a sermon at Birmingham, N. Y., made the sensational statement that there are too many

churches in this country, and that it would be better if many of them were burned. Five thousand churches, he said, might be disposed of in that way. He declared the cause of religion would be better conserved if the people of a community were gathered into one large church and the money expended in erecting unnecessary churches used in carrying on religious work.

Wives Dined by the Dozen.
Lerethod, the Basuto chief, who died from drink, left a hundred wives to mourn his loss. The young wives were not permitted to go outside the village walls, the shopping, etc., being effected by the older women. They lived in huts built for them by the chief, and when they dined they dined a dozen or more at a time. These dusky damsels, says one who saw them, seemed cheerful and contented, and were very pleasant. Some of them were very good-looking, others were not so.

Oil Lands Are Leased.
The Standard Oil Company has concluded a lease for the Jacob Goble farm of 160 acres, at Charleston, paying a royalty of \$2,000 cash and giving the owner of the land one-fourth of all the products. The 180-acre farm of W. M. Briggs of Charleston was sold for \$38,000 to L. E. Harshman of Belmont and C. E. Hamilton of Tower Hill. Seven wells are already in operation on this land.

Elope in Automobile.
Miss Celia Cherry of Cortland and A. B. Stuben of De Kalb eloped in an automobile for parts unknown. Arrangements had been made for a wedding in the near future at the home of the bride, but her parents refused to give their consent at the last, as their daughter is only about 18 years of age. The elopement resulted.

Governors Will Address Y. M. C. A.
Governor Deneen, ex-Governor Van Sant and Evangelist "Billy" Sunday will deliver addresses at the dedication of the new Y. M. C. A. building at Sterling on Nov. 1.

Odd Fellows Buy Home.
The Odd Fellows' lodge of Mattoon has purchased the handsome new Holmes building on Charleston avenue, where the lodge headquarters will be located. The consideration was \$24,648. The Mattoon lodge is the largest in the state outside of Chicago.

First Sale of Corn.
J. F. Van Voorhees of Jerseyville sold 20,000 bushels of corn, this year's crop, for 25 cents a bushel. This is the first sale of new corn made in Jersey county.

ILLINOIS NEWS

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

FIND BODY NEAR AN OLD MILL.

Chicago Restaurant Patrons Are Said to Get Queer Milk.
The milk and foodstuffs of scores of restaurants in Chicago will probably soon be under the critical eyes of inspectors and chemists of the Illinois pure food commission for analysis for poisonous matter and adulterations. Numerous complaints have been made to Commissioner Jones lately against impure and adulterated milk and eatables that have been served in dozens of restaurants and lunchrooms. Assistant Commissioner Patterson said that it is likely that a general investigation soon will be begun by the inspectors of the department.

J. F. Lee, a traveling salesman, lodged a complaint against the milk and pie he was served with recently at a first-class cafe.

"I paid enough for the milk," the traveling man said, "to get the pure lactical fluid. If a cow gave the milk it must have been a funny kind of a cow. Talk about 'Blue John,' the man who invented that brand of milk could get cues enough from that I had to drink to win in any contest. Just below the top it was a dully heavy blue that looked like it would be a fat ingredient for an artist's pastel colors."

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William D. Stannard of Chicago won the diamond badge in the tournament of the Rockford Gun club Sunday, in the shoot-off of the double tie with Engstrom of Chicago. J. R. Graham, Langside, won the silver loving cup event. Stannard won the high gun of the day among professionals and Engstrom had the highest amateur average. Leading marksmen from several states were in attendance.

Salesman a Suicide.
H. W. Bishop, a traveling salesman whose home was in Litchfield, committed suicide at St. Louis by taking poison. He left a letter addressed to his wife saying that financial difficulties caused him to take his life. Bishop was a member of a prominent central Illinois family.

Cairo Raises Quarantine.
At a meeting of the Cairo board of health it was decided to raise the local quarantine. The state quarantine is still in force, but it will no longer be necessary to secure a permit to enter Cairo.

Admits Forgery.
Louis Krueger, a former prominent merchant of Hoyleton, pleaded guilty to two counts of forgery, and was given an indeterminate sentence in the penitentiary.

Safe Burglars Get \$25.
Burglars broke into Asa Todd's hardware store at Belle City and robbed the safe of \$25. They have not been apprehended.

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NEW MARRIAGE LAW DECISION.

Court Rules Against Opinion of the Attorney General.

A decision rendered in the Cass county circuit court is of interest as bearing on the new marriage laws in Illinois. On July 11 Ezra Logue, a well-to-do farmer of East Cass, and Mrs. Emma Webber were married at Virginia, the latter having been divorced within the year. Logue, an unwilling bridegroom, was cited to the opinion of Attorney General Stead, who holds the law is retroactive. On his high authority he declared the marriage void, and took his bride immediately after the ceremony to the home of her father, John Cowan at Chandlerville, and since, it was alleged, refused to contribute to her support. In her suit for separate maintenance, her attorney, Hon. Charles Martin, took the directly opposite view from Mr. Stead, and his rendering of the law was upheld by Judge Thomas Mehan of Mason county. The marriage was declared legal and the fair plaintiff won the suit.

SIX HEIRS TO IMMENSE ESTATE
Fifty Million Dollars Will Be Divided Among Illinois People.

Edward, Ida and Reuben Fisher, of Peoria, and three Pekin members of the same family, Calvin, Frank and Alice Fisher, are heirs to an estate valued at over \$50,000,000. The property belongs to the estate of Adam Fisher, who died in Pennsylvania several years ago and which has been in litigation since. Attorney Henry Clay of Pekin has just returned from the east and says that the estate will be settled up in a short time.

Killed by Bursting Wheel.
In the engine room of the Penwell coal mine at Pana the fly-wheel burst, and pieces of it flew through the top works of the mine. Twelve by twelve timbers were severed as if they were paper in various parts of the works. Roy Palmer, the engineer, attempted to stop the engine, when part of the wheel plowed through the floor and lifted him to the outside of the building. He sustained a broken arm and other injuries, from which he died. Walter Tracy was struck by a piece of the wheel and cut on the arm slightly.

Dunkards Elect Officers.
The Dunkards of the southern Illinois districts concluded their annual conference at Cerro Gordo to meet next year at Big Creek church, Parkersburg. The new officers elected were: Moderator, Michael, Flora; Reading, clerk, F. W. Gerber; secretary, J. G. Blickenstaff; members of standing committee, Solomon Buckley; member of missionary board, W. H. Shull; district trustee, C. A. Gibble; foreman missionary committee, J. C. Winne; treasurer missionary committee, George Sessenbaught.

Guilty Mother Is Insane.
After being out forty-five minutes the jury in the case of Mrs. Margaret Falbe of Reeb station, on trial in the circuit court at Belleville for the murder of her 6-year-old daughter, Dorothy, by drowning her in a vinegar factory lake on the night of June 30 last, returned a verdict finding Mrs. Falbe guilty and declaring her to have been insane at the time she committed the murder and insane at the present time. Mrs. Falbe was returned to jail pending the order of the court.

Joliet Stockyards Burn.
The stockyards of the Rock Island railroad in Joliet were burned Sunday. The loss is estimated at \$10,000. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary. The yards were used jointly by all the roads entering Joliet and had a capacity of 20,000 head. A high wind scattered burning brands throughout the railroad yards and residence district, but no damage resulted.

Express Office Is Robbed.
While Agent Hudnell, the American express agent at Nokomis, was at supper, a package containing \$1,250 was stolen from the office. The money was for the Nokomis National bank. Robert Anderson, son of a well-known family, was arrested at Fillmore by Big Four detectives and charged with the theft. All the money except about \$50 was recovered.

Loses Eye Chasing Dog.
Ed Merrill of East St. Louis lost the sight of his right eye as the result of falling upon a sharp stick while chasing a dog near his home.

Fly Wheel Crushes Watchman.
Hamilton Newberry, night watchman, was caught in a fly wheel in the Raymond electric light plant and killed.

Aid in Beautifying City.
The woman's club of Pana awarded the prizes for the most beautiful yard flower beds in the city. Miss Augusta Uhl and Miss Ruth Wilcockson won first prize, \$3, and Miss Irene Cremelle second prize \$1.

Laborer Dies of Injuries.
Cero Pele, aged 31, an employe of the Missouri Pacific railroad at Baxter, died at St. Mary's hospital, East St. Louis, from injuries received while assisting loading coal on the tender of a locomotive.



Found himself swaying over the dark water.



The prince staggered.

mans to the rescue! Danes, Teuts, Northernmen to the rescue!"

Following the direction of the sound, Johann saw a young man drive through the press, his sword bare in his hand, his eyes glittering with excitement. It was the Danish prisoner of the guard-hall at Kernsburg, that same Sparhawk who had fought with Werner von Orseln.

The secretary placed himself back to back with his ally, and their two bright blades waved every way.

A second time the courage of the crowd worked itself up, and they came on.

Those before would have gladly fallen behind but could not for the

DOINGS OF THE WEEK ABOUT THE TOWN

THOS. EDISON, the inventor, has announced his opinion that the majority of people spend too much time in sleep, with the result that they are made dull and sluggish and unable to do good work. He advises less sleep. Now this is a great theory and perhaps practical for the all-night saloon and dance hall, but most of us who have made the experiment in the way of staying out late at night have not found the few hours' sleep as refreshing as Mr. Edison would make us believe. However, his recommendation will no doubt be put to test by some of us. It is a pleasant theory to consider.

GLIDDON-ANDERSON NUPTIALS

Wedding Wednesday Afternoon at Bride's Home on Derby Line.
 A quiet but beautiful home wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Peter Anderson on Derby Line, when Mr. James A. Gliddon of Burlington, Ill., was united in marriage to Miss Lorah L. Anderson, youngest daughter of Mrs. Peter Anderson, well known in this community.

There were present about a dozen guests to witness the ceremony, these being the members of the immediate families of the bride and groom.

Rev. T. E. Ream of Genoa read the service, using the ring ceremony.

After the wedding all present partook of a bountiful dinner graciously served by the bride's mother and her sister, Mrs. Reed of Sycamore.

The happy couple took a short wedding trip through Wisconsin to spend their honeymoon with relatives of the groom there. After their return they will go to housekeeping on a farm near Burlington.

It makes no difference how long you have been sick, if you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well, 35 cents at Slater & Douglas's

Soap For the Toilet.
 Cut up a pound of pure white soap and put it in an earthenware pot, add a little water and place before the fire. When the soap begins to soften, mix it with oatmeal into a thick paste. Melt it again, and before it is quite cold make into squares and balls. To perfume it pour in the scent you wish to use when the soap is taken from the fire, and stir it well in. Raspberry juice makes a delicious scent for soap.

Brazilian Stew.
 Brazilian stew is delicious. To make, well grease the bottom of a saucepan. Put in the meat and shred thinly any vegetables you like and enough onion to well flavor. Lay these on top, sprinkle with pepper and salt and cook over a very slow fire for two or three hours. No water is needed.

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Ayer's Pills greatly aid the Cherry Pectoral in breaking up a cold.

Dan George spent Sunday at Huntley.

F. O. Swan was a Chicago visitor Sunday last.

A. B. Clifford is visiting at Valparaiso, Ind.

Will Cooper had business at the county seat Saturday.

Mrs. Eliza A. Brown is visiting her sisters in Sycamore.

Willard Hawkins called on his parents at Elgin Sunday.

Mrs. O. S. Low spent several days last week in DeKalb.

Jane Rorabaugh called on friends at Kirkland Tuesday.

Jas. R. Kiernan and Ralph Patterson were at Union Saturday.

Miss Julia Bowers of Sycamore spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mitten were Sycamore visitors last Saturday.

John Pratt and family were guests of DeKalb friends Sunday.

Lawrence and Anna Kiernan were Hampshire visitors Sunday.

Alva Sowers of Evanston was here over Sunday visiting his parents.

Mrs. David Buzell and son of Elgin have been visiting Genoa friends.

Wm. Eickler and Leslie Blundy were Chicago passengers Sunday evening.

Miss Fannie Lord returned Friday after several weeks' visit at Rockford.

John Felgenhauer visited his daughter, Mrs. Will Lang, in Chicago this week.

Misses Margaret Corson and Blanche Patterson spent Sunday at Charter Grove.

Mrs. Hiram Wells of Irene has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merritt.

Misses Zoe Stott and Gertrude Inslee were visiting friends at DeKalb Saturday and Sunday.

Word has been received from George Harvey that he is seriously ill at Los Angeles, Calif.

Jacob Rorabaugh and family have moved into the Tower house recently vacated by Wm. Oursler.

Miss Alma Lundgren of Marengo was the guest of Miss Della Geithman a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith entertained the latter's cousin, Mrs. Emma Lane, of St. Charles last week.

Miss Sadie Brown of Elgin was a guest last week at the home of her aunts, Henrietta and Charlotte Brown.

Henry Merritt visited at Davenport, Iowa, last week. His daughter, Mrs. Young, returned home with him.

Fred W. Duval accompanied Dr. C. A. Patterson to Minnesota last Sunday where they will spend about four weeks.

Misses Minnie Lembke and Edith Smith returned last Wednesday after a two-weeks' visit at Elgin and Dundee.

Carleton Ross of McHenry is working in the Republican-Journal print shop while Mr. Holly nurses his smashed fingers.

"Kling" Rorabaugh who was in partnership with Elias Williams in the dreying business has taken entire control, having made the deal last week.

Freda Kohn, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kohn, has been dangerously ill during the past two weeks with a complication of ailments.

Mrs. Chas. Walters has the agency for the Wonderful Medicine Co. of Notre Dame, Ind. Ladies desiring treatment should consult Mrs. Walters.

K. Jackman & Son are placing a new foundation under the engine at their east elevator and making other improvements. A new cement walk will be laid in front of the office.

For good seasoned cord wood see J. E. Bowers. 5-31

Miss Ella White was a Sycamore visitor Thursday.

John Riddle of Elgin called on Genoa friends this week.

Pine Tar 10 cents a can for busking at Hunt's Pharmacy.

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

Wanted—Second hand cook stove. Inquire at this office.

Lee's Egg Tar Shampoo Soap leaves no odor, try it, only 25c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

Mrs. L. Robinson and Mrs. Rachael Dean have been visiting at Irene this week.

Jas. A. Patterson is making several improvements on his dwelling on Sycamore street.

Board for one or two in furnace heated house, with privilege of bath. Inquire at this office.

Mrs. Kate Wright and Mrs. Ella Driscoll visited at the home of Ralph Patterson Saturday.

The G. W. C. will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Burroughs at two o'clock.

Why don't you deposit your money in the Farmer's State Bank and get 3 per cent interest for six months? Try it. 37-14

The Farmers' State Bank has for sale the lots in Morningside Addition. If you wish to purchase call and see them.

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

Rev. Gideon Bingley, a converted Jew, will preach at the A. C. church next Sunday, both morning and evening. Public cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Robins will soon move to Chicago to reside, Mr. Robins having given up his position as electrician at the Eureka Electric factory.

J. W. Wylde and son, Lee, were in Chicago Wednesday and purchased a carload of steers which will be fattened on the farm that Lee is managing east of town.

Barney Geithman and wife returned Wednesday from a three weeks' visit with their son, Ed., at Riceville, Iowa. Milt Geithman drove to Sycamore to meet them.

For Sale—4 acres of land, good house, barn, chicken house and other outbuildings. Plenty of fruit and shrubbery, city water. All in good repair and at a price that is right. D. S. BROWN.

For Sale—Nice span Norman colts, black, coming 4 years, weight 1350, sired by Henry Olmstead horse; bay coming 3 years, weight 1200, sired by Darnell horse. CHAS. WALTERS.

F. A. Holly, of the Republican-Journal force smashed three fingers of the right hand in the job press Monday and as a consequence will be laid up for some time. The injury caused excruciating pain.

A piece of land belonging to the late Joseph Scherf will be sold at public auction on Thursday, Oct. 26, at the door of the Exchange bank. Sale will take place some time between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Matched teams from DeKalb and Genoa will bowl at the Geithman & Hall alleys this (Friday) evening, and it promises to be an interesting contest. The local team is made up as follows: Milt Geithman, Dr. C. H. Mordoff, Fred Reuhlman, John Canavan and L. M. Olmsted.

A. B. Clifford has sold his south farm, known as the old Richardson place, to Contractor Jas. J. Hammond, the deal having been made this week. It is one of the finest pieces of land in the county and the buildings are much better than the average. It is understood that the price paid was \$120 per acre or a total of about \$19,000. Mr. Clifford contemplates buying a fine farm near Valparaiso, Ind.

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The publisher of the Republican-Journal was agreeably surprised last week by receiving a vote of thanks from the Genoa Horse Thief Dective Association for publishing an article as submitted by the secretary. The consideration shown by the association is appreciated by the editor. The writer has during his ten years' career in the newspaper business given hundreds of dollars' worth of advertising for various societies, and this is the second time only, in that period, that the courtesy has been acknowledged by a vote of thanks. Is it any wonder that we should make our most polite bow on this occasion?

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Bargains for Feet and Hands
 Ladies' and Girls' Wool Golf Gloves, 10c
 Fleece bed Slippers, 10c
 Men's sample light weight wool hose, 10c, 15c
 Ladies' hip length wool hose, 49c
 Boys heavy Cotton Hose, 2 pair for, 15c
 Ladies' Ribbed top fleeced Hose, 10c, 13c
 Ladies' white sole ribbed hose, 5c
 300 pairs children's 25c worsted hose, 15c
 Men's leather glove sale, 10, 15c

Great Underwear Offers
 Children's fleeced Union Suits, 19c; Ladies', 25c
 Men's silk lined underwear, Wright's \$1.00 makes, 79c
 Children's fleeced Underwear any size, 25c
 Men's heavy fleeced Shirts or Drawers, 2 garments for, 75c

Crockery Sale Friday
 Decorated Cups, Saucers, Pitchers, Bowl, Plates, Platters, beautiful ware, all matched, choice for piece, 10c

Cloaks and Suits Ladies' Wear
 Late styles, full cut, long plaited Coats, inlaid collars, \$6.49
 Fashionable bronclcloth and kersey long style Coats, plain or fur collars, elegant make, \$7.89 \$9.69
 Special value in large size skirts, bargain offers, \$1.98 \$2.69 \$2.98
 Ladies' Suit bargains, this week at, \$6.69 \$9.69

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

STOP! THINK!

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

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There is a difference in stores as well as in clothes. Some stores go in for "cheapness," others for "quality." Which do you prefer? You may pay your money and take your choice. You should consider quality first, as a good article is worth what you pay for it, while a poor article is dear at any price. If good style, perfection of fit, thorough reliability, at a fair price, you are after, then our store is the Clothing Store for you. We sell nothing but reliable goods, we have an enormous stock to pick from, styles absolutely correct, and no fancy prices attached to our goods. If you once try them you will come again. We sell everything in Men's and Boys' wear.

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will be in Genoa the first Wednesday of each month, beginning Wednesday, July 5. Will cure headaches, give good vision and perfect satisfaction. You take no chances and do not pay for them until you know they do all that is claimed.
Don't Forget the Date.

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Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.
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Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. hall.
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Meets first and third Thursdays of each month in Slater's hall, Genoa.
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KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

The Bradford brothers are now running the creamery here.

Mrs. O. W. Vickell is entertaining her mother from Rockford.

John Heldson was here from DeKalb on business Monday.

A baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McClelland last Friday.

James Laverty is seriously ill at his home in Elgin with typhoid fever.

Rev. C. S. Clav had a telephone put in at the M. E. Parsonage last Saturday.

Jesse and Edgar Burton were out from Chicago Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mac Catlin and daughter, Claire, returned to their home in Chicago last Saturday.

Mrs. Nora Johnson was here from Sycamore a few days last week visiting relatives.

John Taylor and Misses May Taylor and Mae Conklin visited relatives at Belvidere Friday and Saturday.

Herbert

Mrs. L. Shelley went to Chicago Monday, where she is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Grace Carpenter.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Davis church were entertained at dinner at the home of Mrs. Hammond last Thursday. Quite a number were in attendance.

Eddie Sheehan from near Margo is employed in the pickle factory.

The dance at Reid & Davis' hall Friday evening was well attended. Most of those present were from surrounding towns.

Frank Reid received a car of lumber this week, which will be used to build a new barn.

Earl Powell and Miss Emily Davis spent several days in Chicago last week.

Fred Read went to Chicago Tuesday night with a car of hogs.

S. Davis received another car of tile this week. More than the usual amount of tiling is being done by the farmers in this vicinity this fall.

The social at Dan Meyers' new barn last Friday evening was a very pleasant affair.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marston and children drove up from Elva Saturday and were guests of S. E. Powell over Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Witt has bills out announcing the sale of her stock and farm machinery Tuesday, Oct. 24.

Wade Hatch and Peter Paulson returned from their trip to South Dakota Saturday evening. They were very favorably impressed with the farming lands of South Dakota, and Mr. Paulson purchased a large farm in South Dakota.

Chas. Meyers shipped three cars of horses Monday night. One was consigned to W. Winsted

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Harrington and children of Malta were here recently and visited Mr. and Mrs. D B Arbuckle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Gross are entertaining the latter's sister, Mrs. Emma Harlvison of Creston. Mr. Gross is slowly improving in health.

Misses Rita Little and Mamie Codv came Friday evening from Aurora to visit Prof. F. L. Bennett. Mrs. Bennett entertained a number of her lady friends in their honor Saturday evening.

Mrs. Myra Gibbs visited last Friday at Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Trumbauer in DeKalb. Mrs. Trumbauer left Monday for Chicago, where she will undergo an operation.

The Misses Grace and Blanche Pratt entertained several of their friends at their home last Thursday evening. Refreshments were served and it was a late hour when the guests departed, having spent a most delightful evening

Conn and two to Chicago. This is the largest shipment of horses ever made at one time by one person from Herbert.

F Plane was here from Belvidere Saturday on business connected with the new telephones. Those having telephones in their houses are much pleased with them and find them a great convenience.

Passengers on the Spring Valley passenger train miss the popular brakeman, Will Puckett, this week. He is taking a well-earned vacation, celebrating the event by getting married. Miss Myrtle Wheeler of Elva is the bride.

The much-looked-for rain came Tuesday and was gladly welcomed by many whose wells and cisterns have been dry.

Employees at the pickle factory are kept busy preparing the pickles for shipment. Two carloads were shipped to Louisville, Ky., and Kansas City, Mo., this week and two more will be shipped to New Orleans, La., and Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Some Seasonable Advice
It may be a piece of superfluous advice to urge people at this season of the year to lay in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost sure to be needed before the winter is over, and much more prompt and satisfactory results are obtained when taken as soon as a cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system, which can only be done by keeping the remedy at hand. This remedy is so widely known and so altogether good that no one should hesitate about buying it in preference to any other. It is for sale by G. H. Hunt.

Half Rates to Los Angeles, Cal.
Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, from all stations to Los Angeles, October 17 to 21, inclusive, with favorable return limits on account of W. C. T. U. Convention. Three fast trains to the Pacific Coast daily. "The Overland Limited" (electric lighted throughout), less than three days enroute. Another fast train is "The California Express" with drawing room and tourist sleeping cars. The best of everything. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y. 3-4t

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh which cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by him.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Weekly Resume of Business Transacted at the Court House

PROBATE

ESTATE OF—
B. L. Shipman—Inventory approved.

W. P. Aisley—Accounts of \$38 15 and \$25 allowed.

MARRIAGE LICENCES

Howard Butts, Sycamore, 18; Mabel Reynolds, Sycamore, 16.

John J. Helming, Chicago, 42; Minnie Riddell, DeKalb, 31.

Aaron Metzler, Dixon, 35; Geneva A. Bouslough, Dixon, 24.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Henry Morrell to Mary Mullet lot 2 Golding's sub DeKalb—\$4000.

Geo. F. Ottman to Snyder & Warner—pt nw 1/4 nw 1/4 sec 9, Kingston—\$1100

Emily McCollom to Snyder & Warner—lots 1 and 2 blk 3 (ex w 12 ft) Kingston—\$2500

Notice of Sale of Real Estate

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of a decree entered by the County Court of DeKalb County in the state of Illinois, on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1905, in a certain cause wherein Jennette Robinson, as Administratrix of the estate of Fred T. Robinson, deceased, is petitioner, and Fred G. Robinson, Hazel Robinson, Richard McCormick, as guardian of said Hazel Robinson, Geo. H. Hunt, C. F. Deardurff and George W. Sowers are defendants, I will, on Monday, the 30th day of October, A. D. 1905, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the building located on the east half (1/2) of lot seven (7) of block three (3) of Merriman's addition to the village of Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and state of Illinois, sell at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, situated in the said County of DeKalb and belonging to the said estate of Fred T. Robinson, deceased, to-wit: The east half (1/2) of lot seven (7) of block three (3) of Merriman's addition to the village of Genoa, also lot fifteen (15) of block two (2) of Traver's addition to the village of Genoa, all said real estate being situated in the village of Genoa, in township forty-two (42) north, range five (5) east of the third P. M., in the County of DeKalb and state of Illinois. Said sale will be made for cash, to be paid one-tenth (1/10) thereof on the day of sale and the balance on confirmation of said sale by the court and delivery of conveyance, and will be made free and discharged of the dower and homestead rights of the said Jennette Robinson and of said Hazel Robinson, but subject to the right of said Geo. H. Hunt to retain possession of said east half (1/2) of lot seven (7) of block three (3) of said Merriman's addition to the village of Genoa, under the terms of his lease, until its expiration on March 10th, 1907, reserving the rents to the 30th day of November, 1905, to the present owners. All rents accruing under said lease subsequent to said 10th day of November, 1905, to pass to the purchaser of said property.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1905.
JENNETTE ROBINSON,
Administratrix of the Estate of Fred T. Robinson, deceased.

Plans to get Rich

are often frustrated by sudden breakdown, due to dyspepsia or constipation. Brace up and take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They take out the materials which are clogging your energies, and give you a new start. Cure headache and dizziness too. At Hunt's Pharmacy, 25c, guaranteed.

\$33.00 to the Pacific Coast

Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line daily, Sept. 15 to Oct. 31, to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle and Tacoma and other Pacific Coast points. Very low rates to Helena, Butte, Spokane, Ogden and Salt Lake City. Daily and personally conducted excursions in Pullman tourist sleeping cars to San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, through without change. Double berth only \$7.00 from Chicago and \$5.75 from Omaha. Choice of routes, For rates tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y. 3-5t

Lacquered makes old woodwork and floors look new, 25c, 40c and 75c, at Hunt's Pharmacy.

GOOD for OLD and YOUNG



August Flower keeps the children healthy and strong—
Full of vigor and frolic the whole day long, So when Mamma needs more they rush off in high glee,
And shout to the druggist: "Please give it to me!"

Inability to get up brisk and fresh in the morning, lack of appetite, pallor, muddy complexion and poor spirits—these all indicate a disordered stomach and digestion—in adults and children, too. They also indicate the urgent need of taking Green's August Flower regularly for a few days.
It's a reliable old remedy for all stomach troubles, never fails to cure indigestion, dyspepsia and chronic constipation, and is a natural tonic for body and mind.
Two sizes, 25c and 75c. All druggists.

Hunt's Pharmacy

Administrator's Notice

Estate of James G. McAlister, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of James G. McAlister, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of DeKalb county, at the court house in Sycamore at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 8th day of October, A. D. 1905.
CHARLES A. BROWN, Administrator.

Administrator's Notice

Estate of John Cooper, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of John Cooper, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of DeKalb county, at the court house in Sycamore, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 10th day of October, A. D. 1905.
ELIZA COOPER, Administratrix.

New Cure For Cancer

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklin's Arnica Salve. Jas. Walters of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a

cancer on my hip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklin's Arnica Salve healed it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

To Land Agents and Homeseekers

The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesdays of each month to December inclusive sell round trip tickets at only one fare plus \$2.00 to point's in the following states: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mexico, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, Tennessee, North Carolina, North Dakota South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Wy-

oming, and Virginia; also to Alberta, Assinibain, Canadian North-west, Manitoba, Western Ontario and Saskatchewan. For further information apply to any Great Western agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., St. Paul, Minn.

Mothers Meeting

The second meeting of the year will be held in the first primary room on Friday, Oct. 20, at 3:30 p. m. The following program will be given:

"Mother, the Center of Home Life"—Mrs. Rowen.

"Woman and the School"—Mrs. Rosenfeld.

Questions and general discussion.

Picnic hours, 8 at T. M. Frazier's.

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It pays to use EXCELSIOR FLOUR, for bread or pastry, it is what all cooks say of it.

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EDWARD F. SWINNEY LONG A POWER IN FINANCIAL WORLD



Edward F. Swinney, retiring president of the American Bankers' Association, has been at the head of the First National Bank of Kansas City since 1890, and for three years prior to that date held the position of cashier. He was born near Lynchburg, Pa., in 1857, and received his education in the public schools. In 1875 he came to Mis-

souri and was made cashier of a bank in Fayette. A few years later he became cashier of a bank in Colorado City, Texas. Mr. Swinney is treasurer of the Kansas City board of education, and a director in the Fidelity Trust company and the Missouri Savings association. He is also noted as an expert wing shot.

Sioux Feared Massacre

Gray dawn was breaking at the Pine Ridge agency when an Indian runner broke headlong into the village of the surrendered Sioux. He stopped at the tepees of the principal warriors long enough to shout a message, and then leaving the camp where his end rested against an abrupt hill, he made his way with a plainsman's stealth to the group of agency buildings, circling which had extended beyond crowning ridge after ridge were the white Sibley tents of the soldiers.

Breakfast was forgotten in the troubled camp of the Sioux. The chiefs and the greater braves rushed to quick council, and the lesser warriors, the squaws and the children stood waiting with dogged patience in the village streets.

The council was over. An old chief shouted a word of command that was caught up and passed quickly to the farthest outlying tepee. An army might have learned a lesson from that which followed the short, sharp order. Mounted men shot out from the village, and as fast as feet-footed ponies, pressed to their utmost, could accomplish the distances every butting ridge was topped with the figure of rider and horse, silhouetted against the morning sky.

Every sentinel warrior had his eyes on the camps of the white soldiery. Suddenly from the east of the agency, where lay the Sixth Cavalry, there came a trumpet call that swelled and ended in one ringing note that sang in and out the valleys.

The motionless figure of one of the hill-top sentinels was moved to instant life. A signal ran from ridge to ridge, finally to be passed downward into the camp of the waiting Sioux who sprang into action at its coming. The pony herds of the Sioux were grazing on the hills to the west, unrestrained by their freedom by larlat or herdsmen. In number they nearly equaled the people of the village, a few ponies for emergency use only having been kept within the camp. Upon these jumped a score of warriors, who broke out of the shelter of the tepees for the hills where the herds were foraging on the snow-covered bunch grass. It seemed but a passing moment before every pony in that great grazing herd was headed for the village. The animals were as obedient to the word of command as is a brave to the word of his chief.

During the gathering of the herds the women of the camp had slung their papposes to their backs, had collected the camp utensils and were standing ready to strike the tepees, while the braves, blanketed, and with rifles in their hands, had thrown themselves between the village and the camps of the soldiers of Gen. Miles. The Sioux who had surrendered less than a week before were preparing to stampede from the agency and to

Senator Clark's Troublesome Pipe. This story is told about ex-Senator J. S. Clark of Calais, Me. One day, while awaiting his turn in a barber shop in Calais, he was talking with a friend, and was so deeply interested in the conversation that he allowed his pipe to go out several times. Each time he would ask Melvin Noble, a local practical joker, for a match.

About the time he wanted the fifth match Noble said: "I don't begrudge you the matches, Jed, but I think it would be cheaper for you to put a grate in your pipe and burn coal."

Tennyson's Honeymoon. Tennyson waited for his bride ten years. When the wedding day came the dresses arrived too late. The cake arrived late also. But that did not spoil either the wedding or the honeymoon. The couple first went to Lynton, enjoying, as became a poet and poet's wife, long rambles through the woods and over the heather. In spite of the weeping Devonshire climate. Thence they passed to the English lakes. Tennyson spoke of the country round and about as the Garden of Eden.—Philadelphia Press.

RAISED FROM A DEATH-BED.

Mr. Pitts, Once Pronounced Incurable, Has Been Well Three Years.

E. E. Pitts, 60 Hathaway st., Showhegan, Mo., says: "Seven years ago my back ached and I was so run down that I was laid up four months. I had night sweats and fainting spells and dropped to 90 pounds. The urine passed every few minutes with intense pain and looked like blood. Dropsy set in and the doctors decided I could not live. My wife got me using Doan's Kidney Pills, and as they helped me I took heart, kept on and was cured so thoroughly that I've been well three years."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Her Wasted Repentance. The business woman had to spend so much money on car fare that she was not adverse to sitting and looking ahead of her while the conductor went by. One day, however, when she had ridden up and down and across town without paying—the conductors had neglected to collect and it was one of her principles not to force money on people—she concluded to be honest and pay.

Besides, she was obliged to have a transfer.

The conductor took her fare with some surprise, for she had ridden a mile or two, then said to her: "Madam, you get your transfer on the corner."

"I'll never be honest again," said the business woman, as she got off.—New York Press.

BABY'S AWFUL ECZEMA.

Face Like Raw Beef—Thought She Would Lose Her Ear—Healed Without a Blemish—Mother Thanks Cuticura.

"My little girl had eczema very bad when she was ten months old. I thought she would lose her right ear. It had turned black, and her face was like a piece of raw meat, and very sore. It would bleed when I washed her, and I had to keep cloths on it day and night. There was not a clear spot on her face when I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and now it is completely healed, without scar or blemish, which is more than I had hoped for. (Signed) Mrs. Rose Ether, 291 Eckford St., Brooklyn, N. Y."

Students in Serious Trouble. Students at the University of Nevada will be tried for issuing, as the father of a freshman has testified, two warrants for assault and battery and has had them served on students who maltreated his young son. The freshman refused to join in the college yell and he was ducked in the lake on the campus and subjected to other indignities, for which his father now demands satisfaction from the boy's tormentors.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896. W. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, etc. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Tinker Leads Wesleyans. The Rev. T. G. Harper of Wisbey, the newly elected president of the Wesleyan Reform Union, was originally a Bedfordshire tinker, reared at Elstow, where John Bunyan was born.

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

Another defect of the English language is brought to light in the statement that there are only sixty words in it that have no rhymes.

Quality Brings the Business. Seven million (7,000,000) Lewis' Single Binder" straight 50 cigar now sold annually. Made of extra quality tobacco. Many who formerly smoked 100 cigars are now smoking Lewis' Single Binder. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

A Baltimore man announces that the ideal salary is \$15,000 a year. Now, if you can only persuade your employer—

Hundreds of dealers say the extra quantity and superior quality of Defiance Starch is fast taking place of all other brands. Others say they cannot sell any other starch.

The announcement of the failure of a French sugar firm is made public. It takes sand to win out in the sugar business.

Storekeepers report that the extra quantity, together with the superior quality of Defiance Starch makes it next to impossible to sell any other brand.

Baseball is played on the diamond, but that is no reason why it shouldn't also be played on the square.

"Acetylene Jones." See his advertisement in this paper and write him to-day for free booklet.

He who is chased by a dog is apt to bark his shins.



Electricity in Agriculture.

For at least half a century men have been discussing the possibilities in the application of electricity to the growing of plants. I saw in an old paper published before 1850 a long article on some experiments being made in the application of electricity to growing plants, and also predictions as to the future of such a combination. Within the last fifteen years a great many experiments have been made along this line. The students of agriculture have not, however, put very much faith in the use of electricity in the growing of crops. There may be, however, more in it than now seems possible. The experiments made in the last ten years have occurred in almost every country of Europe and America, and from latitudes varying from the polar regions to the tropics. While the results have not been altogether favorable, yet the majority of experiments have shown a decided increase in the speed with which plants grow when they are subjected to electrical conditions. Where electricity has been used in the growing of plants, there has been a noted increase in the digestible, nitrogenous matter in seeds, of the sugar in sugar beets, and of the elements that produce sweetness in berries. It must be realized that most of these experiments are carried on in green houses and very little in the open fields. Several of the late writers on electricity in its relation to agriculture figure out that in the experiments up to this time there has been an increase of 45 per cent in the crop where electricity was applied on land of average fertility. The better the land is cultivated, the more scientifically it is handled, and the more it is manured, the greater is the increase per cent. A striking fact is that on poor soils electricity does not seem to affect the plants. This would seem to indicate that the work of the electricity is to hasten the preparation of the plant food. This may be by stimulating the bacteria in the soil or by stimulating the energies of the plant in reaching out after the food. This would be further borne out by the fact that there are some vegetables that cannot endure the electrical treatment unless they are watered. If watered they make a very rapid increase. Among the plants thus sensitive are peas, carrots, and cabbage. There may be some electrical power in the sunshine, because it has been discovered in these experiments that when the electrical treatment is given during a sunny period, the vegetables are damaged and the treatment has to be discontinued during the hot periods on sunny days.—Charles Comstock, Cass Co., Mich., in Farmers' Review.

An Honest Opinion.

Mineral, Idaho, Oct. 16th.—(Special.)—That a sure cure has been discovered for those sciatic pains that make so many lives miserable is the firm opinion of Mr. D. S. Colson, a well-known resident of this place, and he does not hesitate to say that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills. The reason Mr. Colson is so firm in his opinion is that he had those terrible pains and is cured. Speaking of the matter he says:

"I am only too happy to say Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me lots of good. I had awful pains in my hip so I could hardly walk. Dodd's Kidney Pills stopped it entirely. I think they are a grand medicine."

All Sciatic and Rheumatic pains are caused by Uric Acid in the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills make healthy kidneys and healthy kidneys strain all the Uric Acid out of the blood. With the cause removed there can be no Rheumatism or Sciatica.

Did you ever notice that the man who whines and the man who wins are not the same?

Farmers and Merchants will be interested in announcement of "Acetylene Jones" in this paper.

Every sixty-ninth birth it is twins.

The Rod in School.

The Bavarian government issued directions that no child in any school shall be punished except by a rod, and two sizes are prescribed, as also the number and dimensions of the two twigs, reminding one of the time when in the deeds of many schools in England, three hundred years ago, it was laid down that every scholar "shall give 2d to a poor scholar appointed by the master to provide rods."

It is only quite a few years that the charge at Elton for a birch of half a guinea in every boy's bill has ceased to be made, and the present provost, when appointed head master, was presented by the captain of the school with a birch rod tied up with blue ribbon.

The Elton rod consists of three long twigs without branches, bound with string for about a quarter of their length. The instrument used at Winchester, which has not been altered since 1467, is formed of four apple twigs inserted in a wooden handle.

Four cuts are called a "scrubbing" and six cuts a "bibbling," because in former days, when a boy was "sent up for six," he was introduced to the head-master by the Bible clerk.

Mineral, Idaho, Oct. 16th.—(Special.)

That a sure cure has been discovered for those sciatic pains that make so many lives miserable is the firm opinion of Mr. D. S. Colson, a well-known resident of this place, and he does not hesitate to say that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills. The reason Mr. Colson is so firm in his opinion is that he had those terrible pains and is cured. Speaking of the matter he says:

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A nervous, irritable mother, often on the verge of hysterics, is unfit to care for children; it ruins a child's disposition and reacts upon herself. The trouble between children and their mothers too often is due to the fact that the mother has some female weakness, and she is entirely unfit to bear the strain upon her nerves that governing children involves; it is impossible for her to do anything calmly.

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HOW A FRIENDSHIP GREW

The Story

Whether Hand Sapollo got a more enthusiastic welcome in homes where Sapollo was an old and tried friend, or where it was a stranger, is a question. Where women had come to rely on Sapollo for rapid, thorough cleaning in every part of the house except the laundry, they commenced without loss of time, to avail of this new prize. Grubby little hands, and stained, worn older ones, whitened, softened, and smoothed out as if by magic, callous spots disappeared, and complexions cleared. Children ceased their strenuous objections to the scrubbing up process, because it became a

Do you want a clear and healthy skin?

It freshened up the hands after dish-washing, removing the most disagreeable feature of that necessary task. It was found to keep delicate baby skins from chafing better than salve or powder, and the crowning note in the song of delight came when an adult member of the family used it in a full bath, and realized that a Turkish Bath at a cost of one dollar was outdone by a small fraction of the little, ten-cent, velvety cake.

But, strange though it may seem, there were people who had not learned to prize Sapollo. To these the advertising of Hand Sapollo came as a surprise. Sapollo, a scouring soap,

THE FIRST STEP away from self-respect is lack of care in personal cleanliness. The first move in building up a proper pride in man, woman, or child is a visit to the bathtub. You can't be healthy, or pretty, or even good, unless you are clean. Use HAND SAPOLIO. It pleases everyone.

adapted for the hands, the face, the general toilet? Impossible, it would be horrid. Who ever heard of such a use? Finally a bold shopper carried home a cake. Does it look like kitchen Sapollo? No one is sure, and a cake of that is bought, and comparison made. Behold a family using both the Sapolios for every conceivable purpose, and comparing notes! After easily and quickly cleansing a greasy pan with Sapollo, Jane thought the other would be gritty, and was astonished at the smooth, dainty lather.

Let something good be said. James Whitcomb Riley, in "The Reader" for October. When over the fair fame of friend or foe The shadow of disgrace shall fall; instead Of words of blame, or proof of thus and so, Let something good be said. Forget not that no fellow-being yet May fall so low but love may lift his head. Even the cheek of shame with tears is wet, If something good be said.

No generous heart may vainly turn aside In ways of sympathy; no soul so dead But may awaken strong and glorified, If something good be said. And so I charge ye, by the thorny crown, And by the cross on which the Savior bled, And by your own souls' hope of fair renown, Let something good be said!

Possibly Editor Stead has a dim, misty idea that it is his mission to detach the khan of Tartary from the tail of the Russian bear.

If you don't get the biggest and best it's your own fault. Defiance Starch is for sale everywhere and there is positively nothing to equal it in quality or quantity.

A Comeback. "I always pay as I go." "You must be going pretty slow if you go as you pay."

Storekeepers and Hotelkeepers Should investigate acetylene gas. Write "Acetylene Jones" to-day.

Divine, coming from "diurnal," the Greek god of Day, is "diving-to-day."

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

Italy has the largest murder rate.

Another was certain it would harden

THE DISTRICT SCHOOL OF SPOTLESS TOWN CLASS IN ALGEBRA Let housewife equal X plus E; Let E the sign for Sapollo be; For dirt let minus X be had; Then all these symbols we will add. The X and minus X drop out. (As anyone can see no doubt) And leave what must the housewife please— The happy symbol we call ease.

the hands and could scarcely realize how soft and "comfy" they felt after the washing.

Then began the excitement of adventure; what would the new soap NOT do? A girl tried a shampoo. Her hair, pretty, soft and silky "went up" perfectly, with none of the unmanageableness that generally exists for a full week after the usual process. A man used the delightful lather for shaving, and felt no need for cold cream afterwards. A pimply face was treated to a daily bath-

ing with the full suds, and promptly became clear. Tartar on the teeth yielded to it, and that

WHY TAKE DAINTY CARE of your mouth and neglect your pores, the myriad mouths of your skin? HAND SAPOLIO does not gloss them over, or chemically dissolve their health-giving oils, yet clears them thoroughly by a method of its own,

had a tendency towards hardening of the skin regained their natural condition, till another family had joined the chorus of friendly acclaim. And so it is everywhere, those who know the "elder brother" welcome the newcomer, for the sake of the first known, and those who meet both for the first time are plunged into a whimsical worry as to which they could better spare if they had to make a choice.

TRY HAND SAPOLIO. Its steady use will keep the hands of any busy woman as white, untanned and pretty as if she was under the constant care of a city matron. It is truly "The Dainty Woman's Friend," in the suburbs or on the farm.

Those ugly dark brown streaks on the neck, arising from tight collars, and the line where the sunburn stops, can be wiped out by the velvety lather of HAND SAPOLIO. It is, indeed, "The Dainty Woman's Friend."

Passing of the Indian.

It is a lamentable thing that the redskin should be steadily growing extinct, for of all the aboriginal races with which the white man has come into contact he is in many respects the finest and possesses some of the greatest qualities. But he remains a nomad, though he is restricted to a few reservations; he refuses to adapt himself to American civilization. In spite of the best attempts of American philanthropy his degeneration steadily continues. "Lo, the poor Indian," is no longer the noble savage, after Rousseau's own heart, whom Fenimore Cooper delighted to idealize in his romances. He is savage without being noble, incurably idle, and, instead of being a pattern of chivalry, is treacherous and uncertain. Cooper's books may require youth as a necessary quality in the reader, but even so they have been left sadly out of date by events.—London Telegraph.

One of the grand dukes who is over 80 years of age has become a reformer. At that age there is scarcely any other alternative.

President Roosevelt, in his recent article in The Outlook, about Mr. E. A. Robinson's poems, incidentally mentioned three or four American poets, whose work, like that of Mr. Robinson, in Mr. Roosevelt's judgment, belong to the first rank. Two of those names were Clinton Scollard and Madison Cawein; and by an odd coincidence The Outlook's Magazine number for October contains poems by both of these authors.

Don't you know that Defiance Starch besides being absolutely superior to any other, is put up 10 ounces in package and sells at same price as 12-ounce packages of other kinds?

England and Japan may not think so much of their little plan to divide the control of the Orient when China gets that army of 1,000,000 men organized.

Acetylene Gas. All country people will be interested in reading about it in another part of this paper.

A man would almost rather find a hair in the butter than to have his wife find one on his shoulder.

Dealers say that as soon as a customer tries Defiance Starch it is impossible to sell them any other cold water starch. It can be used cold or boiled.

Red-tape is the bandage around decrepit and mummified things to keep them from falling apart.

I do not believe Pugh's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN F. BOYKS, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 18, 1900.

What man has done woman thinks she can do better.

FINE AND PRISON FOR LAND FRAUD

Ten Months in Jail Is Penalty Inflicted on Member of Congress.

COMPASSION FOR AN AGED MAN

Court Permits Feebleness of Doctor to Sway Him to Cut Term in Two, but Doubles Cash Penalty—Judge Allows Appeal.

Portland, Ore., dispatch: "The sentence of the court is that you shall be imprisoned for a period of ten months and pay a fine of \$500."

Congressman John N. Williamson listened with set features as this sentence was pronounced upon him by Judge Hunt. A last futile effort had been made by his counsel to avert the impending judgment by the plea that sentence would interfere with the defendant's performance of his duties as a member of congress. The objection was overruled. Squaring his shoulders, as if to gather himself to meet the impending blow, Williamson turned to hear the penalty of his violation of the law.

The words were soon spoken and Dr. Van Gesner and Marlon R. Biggs, former United States commissioner, successively rose to their feet to hear the sentence imposed on each of them.

Out of compassion for the age and feebleness of Dr. Gesner his term of imprisonment was fixed at only five months, half the time which Congressman Williamson must serve, but his fine was doubled, being made \$1,000. Biggs received the same sentence imposed upon Williamson, ten months' imprisonment and a \$500 fine.

The third trial of Williamson, Gesner and Biggs on the charge of conspiring to suborn perjury in connection with timber land entries in Crook county, ended on the night of Sept. 27, with a verdict of guilty. In passing sentence the court said:

"Mr. Williamson, an indictment was brought by the grand jury, charging you with conspiracy to suborn perjury. Your plea of not guilty was entered and upon trial you were found guilty. The time has now arrived to impose penalty. Have you anything to say before sentence is pronounced upon you?"

Ready for Sentence. With his hands in his pockets, his face like a mask, Williamson replied: "I guess it has all been said, judge."

Judge Hunt then said: "The time is now at hand when I must do my duty, painful to me as it is. Nothing that I might say at this time could remind you more forcibly than the occasion itself most of your situation. Your intelligence, your honorable public position and your own self-respect combine, I am sure, to impress upon you your grievous error. The circumstances of your case afford a striking warning to careers free from that taint which should always and does some times follow the too-prevalent belief that what is wrong as against an individual may be countenanced as against the government itself."

Protects Public Ownership. "But the law demands that this dangerous doctrine be suppressed and that public as well as private ownership of lands be protected. The same good faith, honesty and fair dealing should pervade every dealing in the matter of public lands and every purchase of private property between man and man. This, and this only—no more, but no less."

"The sentence of the court is that you shall be imprisoned for a period of ten months and pay a fine of \$500. At the request of your counsel, made by formal motion, the execution of this sentence is suspended pending an appeal and such other matters as the law authorizes may be had in your behalf in the full preservation of your rights."

INCREASE IN POSTAL RECEIPTS

Report on Business in Large Cities is Issued by Department.

Washington dispatch: The postal receipts for the fifty largest cities in the United States during September aggregated \$6,513,500, against \$5,907,203 for the corresponding month in 1904. The report on the subject shows that Portland, Ore., on account of the exposition there, had the heaviest percentage of increase. Likewise St. Louis, Mo., shows the greatest percentage of increase and decrease because of the high record made during the exposition a year ago. The heaviest decrease under normal conditions was at Dayton, O., and the heaviest increase at Brooklyn, N. Y., with Los Angeles second. The receipts of the five largest cities were as follows: New York, \$1,311,713; Chicago, \$1,095,237; Philadelphia, \$446,256; Boston, \$415,821; St. Louis, \$219,704. New Orleans increased 73 per cent in spite of the prevalence of yellow fever.

NEGRO FOR MINISTER TO HAYTI

Dr. H. W. Furniss of Indianapolis Succeeded W. F. Powell.

Washington dispatch: The resignation of William F. Powell as United States minister to Hayti has been submitted to the President and accepted. As his successor the President has determined upon Dr. H. W. Furniss of Indianapolis, a prominent negro. Dr. Furniss is the present consul to Bahai, Brazil. He will assume his duties as minister to Hayti about Nov. 15.

Line to Timbuctoo.

Since July 1 the French have established a steambot service from Kull-koro, in the Western Soudan, to Timbuctoo, a distance of nearly 1,000 kilometers or 621 miles. Next year the service will be effected on the Niger by larger vessels, which will carry passengers as well as goods. The present service has been organized by Lieut. de Blencé of the French navy, with four other officers, acting under M. Ponty, governor of Upper Senegal and the Niger. According to M. de Blencé, who is in Paris, Timbuctoo may now be considered as within the reach of tourists, who can get there in nineteen days from the banks of the Seine. One day will be occupied in going from the capital to Bordeaux by rail, eight days by steamer from the latter point to Dakar, one day by train from Dakar to St. Louis, three days by water to Kates, two to Kull-koro by train, and thence on to Timbuctoo by the new service in four days.—London Telegraph.

Analysis of Medicines Open to All.

"There is no public demand and there is not the slightest public necessity for a law compelling the publication of the formula of proprietary medicines," says the Committee on Legislation of the Proprietary Association. "Every Health Commissioner and every Pure Food Commissioner in the country, as well as every private physician or chemist, if he pleases, has the right to make an analysis of any proprietary medicine and to publish the result and to tell the public what he thinks, and there is nothing in the world to prevent such action. But that is not what the agitators for such legislation want. Their object is to destroy the sale of such remedies entirely."

Sees Life in Bright Colors.

Henry Gassaway Davis, the venerable West Virginian, who ran for vice president on the ticket with Parker last year, is now nearing his eighty-third year, but he is still a wonderfully vigorous man, with a bright eye, a resounding voice and an erect frame. He enjoys life to the full, too, and always looks on the bright side of things. "The trouble with too many men," he says, "is that they are cynical and look at life through smoked glasses. Although at my age I see that much that is held in estimation fairly admits of sarcastic treatment, I must say I have mighty little taste for the sarcasm. The fact is, to be a cynic and 83 at one and the same time is against the nature of things."

Long Survives Distinguished Son.

The mother of the late Gen. Walter Q. Gresham is still living, hale and hearty at the age of 98, five miles from Louisville, Ky., in the same house where Gen. Gresham was born.

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ADOPTS DIVORCE CANON

Lutheran Synod at Milwaukee Restricts Re-marriage.

The general council of the Evangelical Lutheran church Monday took a flatfooted stand against the marriage of divorced persons other than the innocent party in adultery and desertion cases. Its declaration followed a general discussion of the matter and was embodied in the following canon: "The general council recommends to its district synods to insist upon the uniform practice of its ministers to decline to marry divorced persons unless the divorce has been granted on the grounds of adultery or wilful desertion, in which case the innocent party may be married, but not within a year after the divorce had been granted."

Don't Borrow Trouble

It is a bad habit to borrow anything, but the worst thing you possibly can borrow is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and worn out by pains and poison's of dyspepsia, biliousness, Bright's disease, and similar disorders don't sit down and brood over your symptoms, but fly for relief to Electric Bitters. Here you will find sure and permanent forgetfulness of all your troubles, and your body will not be burdened by a load of bebt disease. At Hunt's Pharmacy. Price 50c. Guaranteed.

Opposed to Sunday Funerals

Opposition to Sunday funerals as they affect members of the Masonic fraternity of Illinois was one of the subjects discussed Wednesday by the grand lodge in annual session at the Medinah Temple, Chicago. It was the sentiment of many of the members that, in cases where the funeral of a brother Mason might reasonably be held on any other day save Sunday, it should be done.—Ex.

Lost—Masonic emblem watch charm. Finder please leave same at this office.

The philosophers of olden times recognized and understood nearly every elementary principle of mechanics with which we are familiar to-day. That these principles are as old as the human body is shown by the fact that in our frames the bodily motions of every day life utilize the lever, pulley and tackle, hinge, pivot, and many others. The bones furnish support, and the power is applied through the agency of the muscles. There are 527 muscles in the human body, 221 pairs and five single ones. Their power and strength is incredible, for it can be readily demonstrated by simple calculation that the muscles which work the elbow joint exert a force of 200 pounds in raising a ten pound weight! The total capacity of a man's muscular system is about 1/2 horse power. To supply the energy for such a working capacity a man requires food and water, and these must first be transformed into blood before they can be utilized by the tissues. The blood serves to supply the muscles with the food they use for their work, as well as material to repair damage and breakage from overwork and abuse. If the blood is pure and rich the repair is made promptly and well, but if it becomes thin and weak, the results are poor, breakdowns occur, rheumatism and neuralgia get a foothold, and the machinery of the system cannot work properly. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes pure blood; helps you to put on flesh and muscle. Dr. Pierce guarantees that the "Discovery" contains no alcohol or narcotic, that it is made entirely from roots and herbs, it is nature's tonic and alternative—assists the stomach to take from the food the elements required to make rich red blood and thus cures indigestion and Dyspepsia.



The "Golden Medical Discovery" has restored the health of thousands of those who were utterly hopeless, giving them back natural appetite, physical vigor, beautiful sleep and mental strength.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Chronicle by an Able Corps of Correspondents

Burlington

Mrs. Frank Sweet returned to her home in McConnell, Illinois Tuesday night after a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives here.

S. D. Mann of Genoa was calling on friends here Thursday of last week.

Miss Bertie Sweet was an Elgin visitor last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. E. C. Chapman visited with relatives in Genoa last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shanahan of Fairdale, Ill., spent Friday with relatives.

Prof. H. F. Stout was hunting in this vicinity last Saturday.

H. C. McDonough of Chicago was in town Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schlick were Elgin visitors on Tuesday.

John Seyler was in Genoa on business Monday.

Joe Mott and wife visited the former's brother, Martin, at Clare Ill., Monday.

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

Riley Center

Mrs. Herman Eichstadt is recovering from her recent sickness.

Ed Dunbar and wife visited at L. E. Mackey's Sunday.

J. O. Corson and wife entertained company from Genoa Sunday.

Frank Fellows and wife were shopping at Marengo Monday.

The pumpkin pie social at the Center was well attended Friday. Every one had a good time and all the pie they could eat, besides sundry other good things.

Rev. Wherahiko Rawer, a native of New Zealand, preached at the Center church Sunday. He gave a fine sermon, choosing for his subject the work our missionaries have done in the last sixty years. He said his forefathers were cannibals. He will give a lecture on life in the South Sea Islands and the ways and customs of the natives, at the church next Friday evening. Admission 10 cents. Every one should attend.

Full of Tragic Meaning

are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think what have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which he writes: "I had a fearful cough, that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds, which completely cured me." Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases; prevents grip and pneumonia. Hunt's Pharmacy; guaranteed; 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Administrator's Public Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of DeKalb County, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Dillon S. Brown, Administrator, of the estate of Joseph Scherf deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the September term, A. D. 1905, of said court to-wit: On the 16th day of September 1905, shall on the 26th day of October next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the front door of Brown & Brown's Bank in Village of Genoa, in said county, the real estate described as follows: Part of lot one (1) of the quarter section corner on the north side of the said section 18 and run thence west 20 rods, thence south 21 rods, thence east 20 rods, thence north 21 rods to the place of beginning containing 3 acres more or less, in DeKalb County, Illinois, on the following terms, to-wit: Cash 25 per cent of the amount bid, on the day of sale, balance on approval of sale by County Court and delivery of proper deed of conveyance.

The purchaser to give approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the purchase money. DILLON S. BROWN, Administrator of the estate of Joseph Scherf, Deceased. Dated this 16th day of September 1905. G. E. Stott, Attorney, Genoa, Ill.

Indigestion, costipation, dyspepsia, kidney and liver disorders, and all stomach troubles positively cured by using Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets at Slater & Douglas'

South Riley

Quite a heavy rain visited this section Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Dell Sea's entertained Mr. and Mrs. Loomis of Marengo one day last week.

There was a surprise party held Tuesday evening at the home of George White of Ney in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry White of Iowa. Relatives and old acquaintances were the guests.

Miss Bertha McKey started Tuesday evening for Pipestone, Minn., to visit her uncle, S. L. Gillilan, for a number of weeks.

Mrs. W. Howlet and Willie Merrill of Genoa visited at C. McKey's a short time on Sunday afternoon.

Clate Corson and Miss Hilda Swanson visited friends here Sunday.

Clarence Fillweber called on friends here Monday.

Mrs. Henry White and mother visited at Ell McKey's Sunday.

AUCTION SALE

WM. BELL, Auctioneer.

Having rented my farm I will sell at public auction on the W. P. Ainlay farm, 3 miles north and 1/2 mile west of Genoa, on

Thursday, Oct. 26
 Commencing at 12:00 o'clock sharp, the following property:

61 Head Live Stock 61

10 choice dairy cows, new milkers; full-blooded Durham bull, 2 years old; bay mare, 10 years old; span of gray mares, 3 and 4 years old; bay horse, 11 years old; bay colt, 2 years old; 2 sucking colts, 18 hogs, 26 spring shoats.

Machinery, Etc.

Milwaukee grain binder, corn plow, hay rake, riding plow, walking plow, 3-section harrow, seeder with shovels, farm wagons, pair bob sleds, 3-inch tire truck wagon and hay rack, 3 milk cans, triple wagon box, nearly new; good top buggy, set double harness, set single harness, 15 acres standing corn, 10 acres shock corn, 15 tons Timothy hay in barn.

Terms of sale: All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On sums over \$10.00 a credit of 6 or 12 months as desired will be given on approved notes bearing 6 per cent interest. Free lunch at noon.

Melissa H. Ainlay.

G. E. STOTT, Clerk.

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

Dragging Down Pains

are a symptom of the most serious trouble which can attack a woman, viz: falling of the womb. With this, generally, comes irregular and painful periods, weakening drains, backache, headache, nervousness, dizziness, irritability, tired feeling, etc. The cure is

WINE OF Cardui

The Female Regulator

that wonderful, curative, vegetable extract, which exerts such a marvelous, strengthening influence, on all female organs. Cardui relieves pain and regulates the menses. It is a sure and permanent cure for all female complaints.

At all druggists and dealers in \$1.00 bottles.

"I SUFFERED AWFUL PAIN
 In my womb and ovaries," writes Mrs. Naomi Bake, of Webster Grove, Mo., "also in my right and left sides, and my menses were very painful and irregular. Since taking Cardui I feel like a new woman and do not suffer as I did. It is the best medicine I ever took."

New car line to Southern California. Pullman tourist sleeping cars through to Los Angeles without change, daily from Chicago, beginning September 15 via the Chicago, Union Pacific and Northwestern line and the newly opened Salt Lake route. Great reduction in time schedules via this route. Colonist one way tickets on sale daily from Chicago beginning September 15, only \$33.00 to Los Angeles. Correspondingly low rates from other points. Double birth in tourist sleeping cars, \$7.00 from Chicago. For tickets, sleeping car reservation and full particulars apply to the nearest agent of Chicago & North-Western R'y or to S. A. Hutchison, Manager, 212 Clark St., Chicago. 10-7

A Judicious Inquiry
 A well known traveling man who visits the drug trade says he has often heard druggists inquire of customers who asked for a cough medicine, whether it was wanted for a child or an adult, and if for a child they almost invariably recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The reason for this is that there is no danger from it and that it always cures. There is not the least danger in giving it, and for coughs, colds, and croup it is unsurpassed. For sale by G. H. Hunt. Opera house Friday night,

Administrator's Notice
 Estate of Johanna Lettow. Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Johanna Lettow deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County, at the Court House in Sycamore at the December Term, on the 1st Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1905. ALBERT J. LETTOW, Administrator.

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

The Food Value of a Soda Cracker

You have heard that some foods furnish fat, other foods make muscle, and still others are tissue building and heat forming.

You know that most foods have one or more of these elements, but do you know that no food contains them all in such properly balanced proportions as a good soda cracker?

The United States Government report shows that soda crackers contain less water, are richer in the muscle and fat elements, and have a much higher per cent of the tissue building and heat forming properties than any article of food made from flour.

That is why **Unedda Biscuit** should form an important part of every meal. They represent the superlative of the soda cracker, all their goodness and nourishment being brought from the oven to you in a package that is proof against air, moisture and dust—the price being too small to mention.

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THREE DAYS SPECIAL CLOAK SELLING

THURSDAY
 Children's Day

FRIDAY
 Misses and Children's Day

SATURDAY
 Ladies' Misses' and Children's Day

Special Prices will be made on Every Garment during this sale. Children's Garments on Thursday - Misses' and Children's Garments on Friday - Ladies', Misses' and Children's Garments on Saturday

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