

## NOTES FROM THE COURT HOUSE

### Emma Corson Files Bill to Clear Cloud From Land Title

### R. E. WHITE COLLECTS NOTES

### Sandwich School Controversy Still Rages—Judge's Decision Sustained By Judge Stransky

Emma W. Corson of the city of Genoa filed her bill in the circuit court to remove clouds from her title to the north-west 1/4 of the north-west 1/4 of section 5, township 42, north range 5 against Nathan Budlong and others.

She states that she recently acquired the title to the property from William A. Geithman, subject to an indebtedness of \$6,000. That she and the persons whom she acquired title to the premises are now and have been in possession of the same for the past 20 years and have paid taxes thereon. Notwithstanding the fact that she is owner, yet she has learned from an examination of the record that certain parties have some apparent interest in the premises which impairs her record title and depreciates the value of them. These clouds she desires to have removed by a decree of the court.

Raymond Wertman, age 12 years and the son of Florence Homan, a resident of DeKalb, was brought up before Judge Pond in the county court on petition filed by State's Attorney Poust, to determine whether he is feeble-minded and a subject of institutional care. Numerous complaints have been made to the authorities at DeKalb about the boy on account of attacking small children. Last Saturday he fired a shot gun out of a window into neighbors dwelling and narrowly missed murdering some of them.

He was examined by a commission of physicians who pronounced him a mental defective and recommended his commitment to the Lincoln State School Colony.

On information filed by State's Attorney Poust in the county court, Ernest Perkins of DeKalb was tried before Judge Pond charged with violating the prohibition act. He entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$100 and costs.

Frank Bryan an inmate of the DeKalb Infirmary was brought up before Judge Pond for examination as to his sanity. The petition was filed by James Darnell, superintendent of the institution. Bryan suffered with delusions of grandeur. That is he imagines he is very wealthy, the owner of several towns and the court house. He was pronounced insane by a jury and ordered committed to the Elgin State Hospital.

Ralph E. White of Genoa obtained judgment by confession in the circuit court against A. A. Baker for the sum of \$474.25. The claim is based on two notes executed by the defendant, one for \$170, dated January 25, 1921 and the other for \$250, dated June 8, 1921.

Judge Slusser convened the circuit court on Thursday morning and after the entry of several orders and the partial hearing of one case adjourned until February 13.

The suit to remove clouds from the title and for partition brought by Virginia Robinson against Lulu Sinclair Ray C. Myers and William Montanov was dismissed. The suit was settled and costs were paid.

A motion was entered by the Fisk Motor Co. of DeKalb to set aside the decree of divorce entered in the case of Elizabeth Lundberg against Chas. A. Lundberg, and requesting leave to intervene. The motion was set for an early hearing by the court. Elizabeth on January 10, 1922 was granted a decree of divorce from her husband, Chas. A. Lundberg, on grounds of infidelity. She was given permanent alimony by the decree which was made a lien on the real estate and an order of injunction was issued against certain parties. The Fisk Motor Co. is affected by injunctive part of the decree and now seeks to be heard.

Judge Stansky of Carroll County sitting in the circuit court of DeKalb County, at a hearing held on Wednesday refused to dissolve the injunction granted by Judge Irwin last

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## A PROCLAMATION

### Governor Small is Trying to Help Farmers Destroy Corn Borer

Whereas, the department of Agriculture has reported to me that an insect injurious to corn and other staple crops, known as the European corn borer, (Pyrausta Nubilalis), not now or heretofore known to be present in Illinois, is present in the states of New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Michigan, and is probably present in the States of Rhode Island, Connecticut and Maine, and that there is a danger of carrying this insect into Illinois on certain products shipped from said states into Illinois:

Now, therefore, I, Len Small, Governor of the state of Illinois, by virtue of the power and authority conferred on me by law, do hereby prohibit and declare unlawful from and after the fifth day of January, 1922, the importation into or within the state of Illinois from the said states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Michigan, corn on the cob, and any part of the corn plant except the seed shelled, broom corn, sorghums and Sudan grass, except the seed thereof; and do furthermore prohibit the shipment into or within the state of Illinois from the counties of Rockingham, New Hampshire and Barnstable, Bristol, Essex, Middlesex, Norfolk, Plymouth, and Suffolk, Massachusetts, of celery, green beans in the pod, beets with tops, spinach, rhubarb, oat and rye straw as such when used as packing, all cut flowers or entire plants of chrysanthemums, aster, cosmos, zinnia, hollyhock, and cut flowers or entire plants of gladioli and dahlia, except the bulbs thereof, without stems, unless the same have been inspected by a state or federal inspector and are accompanied by a certificate of such inspector, showing that they are free from the said European corn borer and hereby proclaim and direct that any shipment of the above mentioned states, coming into the state of Illinois from the said states and counties which do not comply with the provision of this proclamation relating thereto must be destroyed or returned to the original consignee, as the owner may elect; and do hereby make proclamation thereof to all persons concerned, especially admonishing all officers of the state of Illinois, charged with enforcement of the laws of this state, to be diligent in preventing and punishing the acts herein prohibited.

The law provides a fine of from five hundred dollars to five thousand dollars for violation of any of the above proclamations.

## COACH STAGG IN DEKALB

### Came to Investigate College Baseball Men—May get Paddock

Coach Stagg of the Chicago University was in DeKalb Saturday in response to a letter from Rodney A. Wright in regard to participation of college men in professional and semi-professional athletics.

Several days ago Coach Stagg had an article in the Chicago Tribune stating that he was pleased that the cleanup finally came and it was a good thing, long needed by the schools. In response to a letter from R. A. Wright, asking him why he did not extend the cleanup to a larger area, Coach Stagg came to DeKalb.

After a two-hour's conference Coach Stagg intimated that among others, Paddock was classed as a professional on account of his participation in professional and semi-professional games about DeKalb last summer.

Paddock is attending the University of Wisconsin at Madison this year and was elected captain of the 1922 baseball team.

If the charges are carried through it will be hard for Paddock to have to stop playing baseball and give up the title of captain also.

It will be remembered that Paddock was the one main stay on the DeKalb baseball team last summer and he certainly is a nice "little" pitcher.

## Knew His Lesson.

"Tell us something about Esau," directed the catechism teacher, Vincent, after clearing his throat, explained that "Esau was a man who wore fables and sold the copyright to a publisher for a bottle of potash." Detroit Varsity News.

## NURSE TO VISIT EVERY SCHOOL

### Health League Intends to Employ Five Nurses

### TO GUARD HEALTH OF EVERYONE

### Public Health League of DeKalb County Permanently Organized

The meeting of the voting members of the newly organized public health league of DeKalb county was held at the court house at Genoa on Saturday, February 4 to formally adopt the constitution prepared by the temporary organization and elect officers. That increasing interest is shown in the work of the League was evidenced by the attendance which filled the court room.

The constitution as prepared by the temporary organization was adopted and following officers elected to serve until the annual meeting that occurs the last Saturday in May: President, Dr. J. Stanley Brown of the Northern Illinois State Teachers College at DeKalb; vice president, Warren Hubbard, county superintendent of schools; secretary, W. M. Fay; treasurer, Robert F. McCormick.

An executive committee of nine, consisting of the above officers and the following were elected: George S. Hyde, chairman of the board of supervisors of DeKalb county; Dr. G. S. Culver of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium board; Mrs. A. E. Simpson of Waterman; Mrs. A. J. Kohn of Genoa and Mrs. John MacQueen of Kirkland.

A special committee consisting of one member from each of the organizations that are now financing a public health nurse was appointed with the addition of Dr. Rodney Wright, district health officer to prepare a plan of financing the league to be presented to the executive committee of the league as soon as complete. Also this committee with the assistance of the public health nurses is to prepare and agree on a plan of work that will meet with the approval of the organizations financing the same and this will be presented to the executive committee for approval.

Dr. Rodney Wright presented the matter from the view point of the health authorities of the state, stating that the work being done in DeKalb county is being carefully watched by state authorities and given all the encouragement possible because of its great importance to the future welfare of the people of the state, with five public health nurses in the schools an attempt will be made to cover all of the schools beginning February 1. The value of the work is now being demonstrated in the efforts being made to suppress contagious diseases by careful attention to the spots of infection by these nurses. This alone is worth the cost of service. Eradication of "bugs" in the hair and of other vermin when found is surely a great help which is appreciated by the other pupils of the schools who do not have them and by the teachers who do not understand how to control such matters. When any contagious disease develops among the children in the schools or when assistance of the kind the nurses can give is needed any school in the county can have the examinations made by applying to the secretary but if there are no urgent cases the schools are to be visited in a systematic manner that will cover the largest territory with the least amount of travel. A mistaken notion has been taken by some that the nurses determine from examinations what is the trouble with the child but as this is function of the doctor the nurses only suggest that appearances indicate that certain conditions might be true and that if they appear serious, a doctor should be consulted. Many minor defects are discovered which can only be determined to be growing serious by follow up work which means more than one visitation of the schools per year. Then if the conditions warrant it a note is sent to the parents suggesting that they consult a doctor.

It is not compulsory for the parents to observe the notes sent by the nurses but if they have the future welfare of their children at heart all

## ESTHER E. KELLEY

### Born in Jamestown, New York 1837; Died near Charter Grove Jan. 31

Esther E. Kelley, daughter of Jeremiah Libby Brown and Judith Richardson Brown, was born in Jamestown, New York, June 15, 1837, and died at the home of her daughter, Mattie, (Mrs. Everett L. Smith), near Charter Grove, Illinois, January 31, 1922.

In 1836 her father visited Illinois and bargained for a farm near Peoria. In August 1837 her parents, with her sister, Julia, brother James P. and sister, Judith (who became Mrs. Andrew J. Sowers), her father's sister, Jane and her husband, Ezra Starr Gregory and their daughter, Mary Jane, who became Mrs. John Patterson, all in one wagon, drawn by two horses, left Jamestown for new homes in Illinois.

When they got to Peoria they learned that parties with which they had bargained could not give good title to the land. They then went to St. Charles where they stayed for a few days and there traded their team, harness and wagon for a claim just south of Genoa; team, harness and wagon to be delivered at claim.

On September 20, 1837, they wended their way along the trail thru willow meadows, treacherous marshes and timber, to their new home, bogged down within half mile of destination and finished the journey on foot. The next day they got the wagon out of the bog and delivered team, harness and wagon, and, on the following day the folks with whom the trade was made packed up and moved away, to return no more.

Here Esther grew to womanhood. In the meantime her sisters, Abbie, who became Mrs. George Patterson, and Ruth Sina and her brother Jeremiah W. were born and her mother died; her father took Eliza A. Jackson for his second wife, and sister Emma, who became Mrs. Rufus W. Hollenbeck, brothers Dillon S. and Charles A. and sister Lizzie, now Mrs. Fred H. Holroyd, were born.

Esther E. Brown was married to Daniel H. Kelley October 22, 1857 and to them were born Jeremiah L., Norman D. and Mattie, now Mrs. Everett L. Smith.

Of her own children, only Mattie survive her.

Her grand children surviving her are Mattie's daughter, Esther, now Mrs. Loyal S. Nutting, two sons and daughter of Jeremiah L. Kelley and four sons and one daughter of Norman D. Kelley.

Her brothers surviving are James P., Jeremiah W., Dillon S., and Chas. A., and her only surviving sister is Lizzie M., now Mrs. Fred H. Holroyd.

To her, as to most of us, has and will come, there came— "You! hope and despondency, pleasure and pain,

—Mingling together like sunshine and rain; And the smile and the tear and the song and dirge,

Ever followed each other, like surges upon surge."

Through it all, Esther's good heart and her sublime faith enabled her to enjoy the sunshine and patiently endure the pain. Her final reward came, when in the arms of her son-in-law who loved her as a mother and whom she loved as a son, she painlessly passed from life to perfect rest. Contributed.

## PECULIAR SUIT FILED

### Defendants Never Heard of Plaintiff and Do Not Know Where He Lives

A suit entitled Trespass on the Case has caused considerable laughter lately. A person named H. Anderson has filed suit against Attorneys Ed. Stoff and E. W. Brown. In a short talk with Ed he said he had never heard of the fellow before and doesn't know where he lives. Ed says he doesn't know what constitutes the gist of the action and there is no way of finding out until the declaration is filed. The damages laid in the praecipe are \$500, Ed says it might just as well be \$5,000 so that there could be a good fight.

They should at least consider seriously their duty in the matter. A healthy child makes for a healthy community. Let us try to help them

## Net Income



## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

### Contributed by Members of the G. T. H. S.—Iolene Gallagher, Editor

## A Rare Treat

Miss Helen McPike, a pianist from the Caruthers School of Music in Chicago was here Monday and rendered an excellent program as follows: Solfeggio—Bach; Etude—Chopin; Shepherd's Hey—Granger; Northern Lights—Torjussen; Wedding Day—Grieg; Shadow Dance—Mao Dowell.

The auditorium was well filled with town guests. It is hoped that this program will initiate a series of such entertainments and that our school may become, as it should, the center of community interest.

## Genoa Wins Again

The Genoa high school basketball team added another victory to their string last Saturday night on the slippery floor at Maple Park. It was one of the hardest fought games this season. The game was intensely close and exciting. The crowd was rooting hard for Maple Park, but Genoa did not lose heart. Part of the first half Maple Park led by a small margin, but at half Genoa stood in front 9 to 8. The game continued close and the third quarter ended 14 to 14. It will be remembered that good teamwork showed up in the last quarter of the Genoa—Stillman Valley game, Saturday night, the boys came back with the same pluck and again teamwork was displayed. When the game ended the score stood Genoa 28, Maple Park 15. Geithman and Bartle were the high scorers for Genoa with eight points each, but Adler was the human streak of lightning that shot everywhere. Stowe showed up well for Maple Park with six points.

## Plato Center Next

The strong Plato Center teams come to Genoa on Friday, February 10. Plato Center has beaten Hampshire twice this year and have four victories to Genoa to their credit in the last two years; two at Plato Center one at the tournament at Maple Park and one on the home floor.

Genoa is playing the best ball of the season now and in the last two games have shown the winning punch in the last quarter that they lacked in the Plato game. On the home floor with the home crowding rooting we should win. To do so, the first team must overcome two obstacles in Bradley and Hitzroth, Plato's high scorers. The second team must keep their eyes on Glidden, Ramm and Smith. These will probably be the hardest fought games so far this season, so let's have a record crowd to boost!

## Agricultural Meeting

Saturday afternoon about thirty farmers attended a meeting at the high school. Mr. Allen, the assistant county advisor, spoke about root rot. The farmers put the corn on the corn tester. Every one in Mr. Waggoner's classes is now watching the temperature.

## ASSEMBLY

A program was given by the Junior class Friday afternoon as follows: A musical reading, "Little Brown Baby," Florence Brown; song "My Rosary," Nellie Geithman; reading, "The Taxable Possibilities of Future Conversation," Iolene Gallagher; song, "The Spanish Cavalier," school; song, "Loyalty," school.

Rhea Saul assumed chairmanship at the end of the program and led a short but lively "pep" session.

## CITY TO HAVE NEW WELL

### Special Election for Bond Issue Carried Saturday About 2 to 1

A rather light vote was cast last Saturday to determine whether or not the city would install a new pump and sink a new well in order to provide a more adequate water supply for the city. The issue carried about 2 to 1, the largest vote being polled in the first ward.

There was really no reason why any one should have been against the proposition for the city surely is in need of a first class well and one that doesn't break every few weeks. As stated before the taxes will not be increased because of this new bond issue, it being specifically stated that the money will come out of the proceeds accumulated from the tax money secured under the present rate.

## SMALL FIRE TUESDAY NIGHT

### Home Occupied by Mr. Monk on Washington Street, Scene of Blaze

The Genoa fire department was called out Tuesday night to extinguish a small blaze in the roof of the old White house on Washington St., now occupied by Mr. Monk.

It is thought to have started from a defective chimney. A handy Pyrene fire extinguisher did the work and necessitated the use of very little water thereby eliminating practically all damage except the burned roof.

## MILK PRICE FIXED AT \$1.70

One dollar and seventy cents per hundred pounds will be the price paid by the Borden company for milk testing four per cent butter fat during February. The quotation was received by superintendent of the Borden factory from the New York office Wednesday.

This is an increase of five cents per hundred over the price by the company during the last half of January but 15 cents below that paid during the first half of the month. The rate this month for 3.5 per cent butter fat test product is \$1.48 per hundred. The price paid by the Borden company for milk February 1921 was \$2.25 per hundred.

## PIERCE VOTED IN SCHOOL

At the school election held in Pierce township Tuesday, to decide whether the people of that township were in favor of a township high school or not it carried, 41 for and 2 against in a light vote.

## The Pampered Zone.

Christopher Mobley remarks that "the fat man is his zone enemy." Apparently, then, he obeys the injunction to love one's enemies.—Boston Transcript.

## Domestic Science

Hot lunches are being served at the school now, starting last Wednesday. Each pupil has to sign his name to a slip of paper if he wishes anything hot that day. So far soup and cocoa have alternated. The students who are unable to go home for lunch fully appreciate the hot food.

The first lunch was served in the new dining room last Thursday when the 9th grade domestic science girls served a luncheon to the teachers. The luncheon consisted of waffles and home baked apples and cream and cocoa. The luncheon was enjoyed by everyone.

## GENOA TEAMS

### DROP TWO

### In Two Exciting and Hard Fought Games Friday Night

### MARENGO AND KIRKLAND WIN

### Kirkland Took First Game 15 to 16—Marengo Won second tilt 20 to 33

The Genoa Athletic Association's basket ball teams came off second best last Friday evening in two fast and furious tilts on the local gym floor.

A large crowd witnessed the two "scraps" and every thrill imaginable was forthcoming.

The first game between Genoa and Kirkland was a hard fought battle from the first tip off at center. The first half of the game was Genoa's by a narrow margin and then Kirkland overcame the slight lead and were about 6 points ahead when the last quarter started. Right then is when the fire works started. Playing rather a rough game of basket ball or a mild game of foot ball the two teams started to show real speed and it was anybody's game right up to the last second of play. Kirkland nosing out Genoa by one point, Score 15 to 16.

In the second game the boys were up against a real proposition in trying to dethrone the Marengos from the winning pivot. In basket shooting they had a real floor player in McMillian who was responsible for 21 points for Marengo. The game as a whole was much faster than the previous game and the boys extended themselves but of no avail. Superior team work and an eye for baskets couldn't be denied and that's why Marengo won. Mansfield for Genoa was the leading point getter, being responsible for 8 markers. Score 20 to 33.

On Friday night the high school tackles the fast Plato Center bunch and from the present noise heard hereabouts it will be some scrap.

## GENOA COMMUNITY CLUB MEETS

### Reports of the Good Work in Giving Children Milk in School Read

The regular meeting of the Genoa Community Club was held at the rest room on Monday afternoon, February the sixth.

The philanthropic committee submitted the following report on the milk fund for the month of January: Donations, Mrs. E. W. Lindgren, \$1.50 Miss Charlotte Swan, \$1.00; Thimble Club \$2.00.

The following ladies also donated funds for one child for one month: Mrs. A. J. Kohn, Mrs. A. Stewart and Mrs. F. O. Swan. Total donations for month \$7.01. Total cost to Community Club \$2.44. Total cost of milk for school \$51.42.

Mr. F. O. Swan will donate straws (500 each week for balance of school year.

The club voted to furnish money for the milk fund the remainder of the school year.

At the close of the business meeting the following program was given: "Talks on Community Welfare"—Rev. Hoffmeister; "Piano Duet"—Vera Sowers and Margaret Elkor; "Talk on Bonds"—Miss Flora Buck.

## FARMERS BUY MANY BLANKETS

Every county farm bureau in the state is represented in the 3000 orders which have been received by the Illinois Agricultural Association this winter for blankets made from wool in the state wool pool. These blankets have been sold to farmers at the cost of their manufacture and distribution and have provided a farmer market for 100,000 pounds of 1921 wool pool.

At the beginning of the project the I. A. A. was warned by buyers for large Chicago stores that there was no demand for as high a quality and heavy weight pure wool blanket as was being made from the pooled wool. The volume of orders has contradicted this warning. A number of these orders came from city people who paid two dollars more than the price given farm bureau members.

## Largest Lake in Japan.

The largest lake in Japan—Lake Biwa—is only 77 miles long.

## A FRIEND IN NEED A FRIEND INDEED

Writes Mrs. Hardee Regarding  
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound

Los Angeles, Calif.—"I must tell you  
that I am a true friend to Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound. I have  
taken it off and on  
for twenty years and  
it has helped me  
change from a delicate  
girl to a stout,  
healthy woman.  
When I was married  
I was sick all the  
time until I took  
Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound.  
I was in bed  
much of my time with  
pains and had to  
have the doctor every  
month. One day I  
found a little book in  
my yard in Guthrie,  
Oklahoma, and I read  
it through and got the  
medicine. Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound—and  
took eight bottles and  
used the Sanative Wash.  
I at once began to get  
stronger. I have got  
many women to take it  
just by telling them what  
it has done for me. I  
have a young sister whom  
it has helped in the same  
way it helped me. I want  
you to know that I am a  
"friend indeed," for you  
are a "friend in need."  
—Mrs. GEORGE HARDEE, 1043  
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**Pithy Paragraphs.**  
Thousands of men are striving, with  
their best light, to introduce Christian-  
ity into their business, and you and I  
are not helping them by shouting  
"greed" into their ears.—Marion D.  
Shutter.

The new church will be founded on  
moral science. Poets, artists, musi-  
cians, philosophers, will be its prophet  
teachers. The noblest literature of the  
world will be the Bible. Love and  
labor, its holy sacraments. Truth its  
supreme being—and instead of wor-  
shipping one savior, it will gladly build  
an altar in the heart for every one  
who has suffered for humanity.—  
Ralph Waldo Emerson.

The piling up of armaments is causing  
general bankruptcy, anarchy and  
perpetual and universal war. If gov-  
ernments, after the lesson of the war,  
do not agree simultaneously to limit  
their armaments, they commit suicide.  
—Baron d'Estournelles de Constant.

**Slow to Learn.**  
"De difficulty of learnin' by experi-  
ence," said Uncle Eben, "is shown by  
de fact dat we kin go on year after  
year bein' surprised when de weather  
turns freezin' cold in January."

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is worth the price.

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## Important News Events of the World Summarized

### Washington

William W. Wilson of Chicago, former representative from Illinois, has been appointed general counsel of the alien property custodian's office, it was announced at Washington.

Joseph W. Powell, president of the Emergency Fleet corporation at Washington, announced that he would terminate his connection with the corporation March 4.

Secretary Hoover declared before the Interstate commerce commission at Washington that a billion dollars spent upon American railways would do more to restore prosperity than two billions spent abroad.

President Harding appeared before the semi-annual meeting of the business organization of the government at Washington and expressed appreciation for the efforts made during the last six months to cut down expenditures.

President Harding expects to confer with senate and house leaders at Washington on means for financing a soldiers' bonus.

The Australian wool clip for 1921-1922 will be 631,290,000 pounds, according to advices to the Department of Commerce at Washington. This is equivalent to 1,940,000 bales compared with 1,900,000 bales in 1920.

The soldier bonus should be paid out of special taxes, such as increased first and second-class postage and tobacco levies, Secretary Mellon declared before the house ways and means committee at Washington.

Henry Ford's proposal for the government projects at Muscle Shoals, Ala., was submitted to congress at Washington by Secretary Weeks.

Forty tons of corn was burned beneath the boilers of the Norwegian steamer Sannager, when all its coal was exhausted in the recent storm off the coast near Norfolk, Va.

The public debt decreased approximately \$50,000,000 in January, according to figures announced by the treasury at Washington, which showed the public debt on January 31 to be \$23,377,544,236.

Six men, comprising the crew of the waterlogged schooner Optimist, were taken off that vessel by the steamship Aspecto about 400 miles from the Azores, the Navy department at Washington was informed.

### Domestic

Henry Ford purchased the properties of the Lincoln Motors company at Detroit, Mich., for \$8,000,000 at a receiver's sale. Two other bidders refused to go over this mark. Ford's bid, being placed first, was accepted.

In what is announced to be the largest single liquor raid ever made in California, federal prohibition operatives destroyed more than 10,000 gallons of wine at a ranch ten miles south of Sacramento.

Matt Dotson, village marshal, shot and killed his brother, Al, at a dance at Decorah, Ia. The officer was taking Jack Morris, who was intoxicated, from the hall when Al Dotson interfered.

Fire believed to have started from a defective flue of the New Mexico Normal university at East Las Vegas, nearly destroyed the building. The main library of the university was burned.

J. C. Parrish, deputy sheriff of Walker county, Georgia, and Cecil Parrish, his seventeen-year-old brother, and Thomas Partin, in booze search, are dead as a result of a gun fight.

Secretary Davis of the Department of Labor is a patient at a Battle Creek (Mich.) sanitarium. He arrived there suffering from what was termed nearly a physical breakdown.

Anna Patricia Briscoe, aged five years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Briscoe, living near Morris, Ill., died from sleeping sickness. She had been asleep for a week.

Frank Dunkle, storekeeper and postmaster at Berwick, Ia., was freed from blame by a jury for the death of Cecil McKay, the burglar who was killed when he entered the Dunkle store.

State soldiers, rangers and federal officers, led by airplanes, swooped down on the thickly wooded section of the Trinity river bottoms of Freestone county, nine miles east of Fairfield, Tex., and captured seven stills and made fifty arrests.

The passage of laws permitting the manufacture and sale of beer and light wines, without saloons, was recommended at Chicago, by the January Cook county grand jury in its final report.

Following similar action taken at its Baltimore shops, the Western Maryland railway announced that it had discontinued the operation of its car and locomotive repair shops at Elkins, W. Va.

A. C. Townley, president of the National Nonpartisan league, was released from the Jackson county jail at Jackson, Minn., after serving a 90-day sentence for violation of the state espionage act.

Charles F. Pickett of Waterloo, formerly congressman from the Third Iowa district, announced that he is a candidate for the vacancy created by the resignation of W. S. Kenyon from the United States senate.

Involuntary bankruptcy proceedings were instituted at Freeport, Ill., in Federal court against John and Benjamin Endle of Hanover, Ill., former officers of the defunct Hanover Union State bank.

John Kavanaugh suffered a paralytic stroke in the Marshall county court at Mountsville, W. Va., when he was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for setting fire to his home to collect insurance.

F. W. Bedard, superintendent of the Urbana & Champaign Railway, Gas and Electric company, was "horse-whipped" in front of the Illinois Traction system at Champaign by Miss Jessie Dunleis.

### Personal

George Washington Jackson, one of the best-known engineering contractors in the United States and the city's traction expert in the pending 5-cent fare litigation, died at Chicago of pneumonia.

Former Mayor C. T. Campbell, past grand sire of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, is dead at London, Ont., aged eighty.

Emil Ring, fifty-eight, prominent musician, is dead at Cleveland, O. He came from Bohemia in 1858 to direct a singing society there.

Edward H. Shaughnessy of Chicago, second assistant postmaster general, died at the Walter Reid hospital in Washington from injuries received in the Knickerbocker theater disaster.

Mgr. Joseph Francis Buh, pioneer member of the Catholic clergy in northern Minnesota, died at a hospital at Duluth, Minn. He was ninety years old and was considered the oldest priest in the Northwest.

Col. Henry E. Rivers, governor of the National Soldiers' home at Danville, Ill., from 1917 to 1920, was found dead in bed at his home in Paris, Ill.

### Foreign

Announcement was made at Edinburgh of the death of the duke of Leinster (Maurice FitzGerald), sixth of his line and premier peer of Ireland. He was born in 1837 and succeeded to the title in 1913.

A dispatch reports that Gen. Christian De Wet died at Johannesburg. General De Wet was commander in chief of the Free State forces in the South African war.

A mysterious attempt to poison with drugged chocolates Dr. Lewis R. Farnell, rector of Exeter college and vice chancellor of Oxford, has created a sensation at London. He is responsible for discipline.

The United States army transport Cantigny, with 1,100 officers and men of the American forces in Germany, from Coblenz, on board, sailed from Antwerp Friday evening for America.

The American relief administration has notified President Hoinsehl at Vienna that \$200,000 has been allotted for the relief of Austrian intellectual workers.

The government economy committee, headed by Sir Eric Geddes, will recommend a cut of £40,000,000 in army and navy expenditures, according to the London Westminster Gazette.

Dr. Walter Rathenau, former German food controller and latterly German representative at various economic conferences with the allies, has been appointed German foreign minister at Berlin.

The German republic has been recognized by Frederick Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former crown prince, who until the World war expected to sit in Berlin as kaiser, but who now is an exile, says a Berlin dispatch.

Ferdinand Bey, Turkish nationalist representative in Paris, sent a letter to Premier Bonomi of Italy, expressing "profound surprise and keen regret" that his government was not invited to Genoa.

Germany's floating debt on February 1 is announced at Berlin as 255,078,210,000 marks.

Deaths in England and Wales from the present epidemic of influenza have totaled 13,000, according to figures issued at London. The epidemic is receding.

One hundred and ten persons were killed and numbers of others injured when a railway train was buried by an avalanche at Itogawa station in Japan.

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The Heathen Come to Light. A Wisconsin newspaper, the Boston Transcript says, reports the following: The young people here have a new game called "Christianity." Here is how they play it: The Christians, who are the girls, get one one side, and the boys on the other are the heathen; then the heathen cross over and embrace Christianity. It has become very popular.

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Every Dad Knows It's True. "Johnny," said a neighbor to the little boy next door, "how do you like your elephant that waggles his head and your camel and your games and that railroad train that runs around on its own track?" "Well, I don't know how I like them. Dad plays with them all the time. But he had to go back to the office tomorrow and then I'll get to."

Double and Single. "Marry him if you will, but be warned," the dear friend said. "He will lead a double life." "Maybe he will," responded the maiden who was no longer in life's spring, "but I'd rather he led a double life than that I led a single one."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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It isn't a bit queer. It merely shows that women were the same then as now. What woman would ever confess to being a thousand years old?

Kissing Custom Centuries Ago. Three hundred years ago it was a sign of hospitality for the lady of the house to welcome the men guests in her husband's presence with a kiss. It might be on lips, forehead or cheek. An interesting reference to the freedom of kissing in olden times is introduced by Sir Walter Scott in "The Fair Maid of Perth," where one of the characters says: "Thou knowest, the maiden who ventures to kiss a sleeping man, wins of him a pair of gloves."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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These rolls make excellent sandwiches, using for fillings either lettuce and mayonnaise, sliced or chopped ham, chopped seasoned cucumbers, egg and mayonnaise with a very little chopped onion and parsley, or other filling desired.

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**Domestic Economy.**

Many a woman's idea of economy is to discover that her husband doesn't need any new clothes.

**Babylon Had Woman's College.**

In an ancient Babylon province there have been discovered records on clay tablets belonging to the period of about 2400 B. C., showing that a woman's "college" or "university" had been established in a suburb of the city called Burna, and that women had equal rights with men in commercial, property and political affairs.

**Might Say "Human Nature."**

When we read Thackeray's remark in his note on happiness: "And if Eve had been perfectly happy would she have listened to the tempter?" we begin to doubt his understanding of the feminine nature.—Boston Transcript.

**TESTING AIR IN OLD MINE**

Of All Methods, the Lowering of a Miner's Safety Lamp is Acknowledged to Be Safest.

Raising and lowering a bucket several times, to bring into a long-disused mine fresh air from the surface, is common practice. Methane may be expected in abandoned shafts or pits driven in coal measures or carbonaceous slates, or where a heavily timbered shaft is partly filled with water. If methane is suspected, it is best to lower nothing but a miner's safety lamp. If the light is not extinguished, the descent can be considered reasonably safe. When no safety lamp is available, and it is necessary to test with an open light, care should be taken to immediately withdraw all persons in close proximity to the shaft or pit as there may be an explosion.

Generally, there is no physiological warning of oxygen deficiency in the air. The first decided feeling is one of extreme weakness accompanied by dizziness, better described as partial paralysis, and the victim collapses practically without warning. To guard against this danger, a man should not enter old workings without having a rope tied around his body and at least two men on the top. The rope should be kept taut. If a distress signal is given, the explorer will not only be prevented from falling, but can be quickly pulled to fresh air and his life saved.

**Simplicity of Character.**

Simplicity of character is the natural result of profound thought.—Haslitt.

**His Interpretation.**

A profane man was reminded of the Scriptural command: "Swear not at all." "I do not swear at all," was his response. "I only swear at those who annoy me."—Boston Transcript.

**Intelligence of Animals.**

"Some animals," wrote the small boy in his composition on the above subject, "are more intelligent than others. I once saw a talking horse at the circus, and father says there were spelling bees when he was young. The only bees I have met so far are the stinging kind."

**His Quantness.**

"Uncle Johnberry is a mighty queer old man," mused the gaunt Missourian. "Why, actually, he don't 'pear to care at all when some other old rip comes around and outrags him about his rheumatiz!"—Kansas City Star.

**Onions the Oldest.**

Onions have caused more tears for more years than any other subject in the world; they have been wept over since before the pyramids were built. There are hieroglyphic tears on ancient obelisks of the land of the Pharaohs showing that the Egyptian slaves had them for lunch. In point of antiquity the onion is the oldest and most aristocratic of vegetables.

**Love, the Leveler.**

There is one field in which the wise man and the fool meet on a common level. That is when they fall in love and take their pens in hand.—Oregon Journal.

**Improves Sound of Drum.**

Musicians find the drum an unsatisfactory instrument for lack of harmonic overtones. From India comes the description of a drum, the parchment head of which is loaded with an adherent composition containing finely divided iron. Such composition lies in a central circle. Around the edge a second ring-shaped membrane is secured and the effect of the loading is to produce good harmonic overtones.

**Quota an Ancient Game.**

The game of quota was probably played in the streets of Jamestown, St. Mary's City, Port Tobacco, Dumfries and Piscataway, ancient towns in Tidewater Virginia and Maryland by the early citizens of those places. It was no doubt played in the stable yard of the barnyard of southern az. eastern homes more than a century before America began to think of a Declaration of Independence. White men in buckskin clothes and coonskin caps, and Indians nearly naked looked on as the players tossed the horse-shoes and did or did not "ring" the "lob."

**Immense Demand for Needles.**

The world uses up an average of 8,000,000 needles a day.

**Ye Poor Editor.**

The editor of a newspaper or magazine has to answer more foolish questions to the square inch than any other man on earth. Read 'em and weep!—Exchange.

**Japan Has Widows' Headdress.**

Japanese widows designate themselves by the arrangement of their hair, and also signify whether they desire to marry again.

**Embarrassing Query.**

A parrot had its cage near the door connecting the drawing room and the dining room. One evening, as the men of the party were filing into the dining room, the parrot eyed each entrant as if trying to recognize them. As the most diminutive of the gentlemen passed in, the parrot, evidently puzzled, said distinctly, "And who the deuce are you?"

**Odd Russian Belief.**

One of the strange tales told throughout Russia is that Czar Alexander I did not die at Taganron on the Don in 1825, as was popularly supposed, but permitted the body of a soldier to be buried, then stole away to Tomsk, where he lived to an old age as a religious hermit.

**Dried Orange Peel.**

Dried orange peeling is an excellent preventive of moths and produces no unpleasant odor.

**Aristotle in Error.**

Before anything was known about the laws of gravitation, it was commonly believed, on the authority of Aristotle, that every body had a "natural" place, and that its normal state was one of rest in that place. Thus a stone was supposed to sink in water because its natural place was at the bottom of the water.

**Wilbur P. Raymond  
Candidate for County Clerk  
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Born on farm, Cortland township, March 21, 1871.

Taught three years in DeKalb county rural schools.

Attended Wells Training School, Oregon, Ill., and took short course in the University of West Virginia.

Passed Civil Service examinations and served seven years in Railway mail service.

Had been reading law for a year when the battleship "Maine" was blown up, volunteered, and served with the Rockford Rifles, Third Illinois Infantry, American Expeditionary Forces, in Porto Rico to the close of the Spanish-American war.

Re-entered Railway Mail Service 1899, Resigned in 1911.

Represented Cortland as Supervisor. Has been Republican county committeeman, and is member Non-high school board of DeKalb county.

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**RELICS OF AGES LONG PAST**

England Has Three of the Most Remarkable That the Whole World Has to Offer.

A loaf of bread more than 600 years old, it is said, is to be found at Ambleston, in Derbyshire, England. It was included in a grant of land from the crown in the reign of King John, and has remained in the Soar family ever since.

Almost as great a curiosity as this is a house 1,100 years of age, and yet fit for habitation. This old dwelling, the oldest inhabited house in England, was built in the time of King Offa of Mercia. It is octagonal in shape, the walls of its lower story being of great thickness. The upper part is of oak. At one time the house was fortified and known by the name of St. German's Gate. It stands close to the River Ver, and only a few yards from St. Albans abbey.

A marriage proposal 3,400 years of age is in existence in the British museum. It is the oldest marriage proposal of which there is any definite record. It consists of about ninety-eight lines of very fine cuneiform writing, and is on a small clay tablet made of Nile mud. It is a marriage proposal of a Pharaoh for the hand of the daughter of the king of Babylon. It was written about the year 1530 B. C.

**Making the Hammer Safer.**

The hammer is a useful tool, but its use is not quite free from danger to the user or from injury to materials. The flat, highly polished surface is likely to glance off the nail unless the blow is squarely delivered; and when the nail is of cast metal, its head often flies off and inflicts quite severe injuries.

One firm had innumerable accidents from this cause, and some of the men were permanently injured. Thereupon, the managers tried hammer heads with scored faces as an experiment, and owing to the success of the experiment, the polished faced hammer has been abolished in that firm's factory, except for special classes of work.

When the hammer's face is scored or roughened it is very much less likely to glance off the nail head. The fact that this type of hammer has proved so conspicuously successful and safe, has encouraged many manufacturers to place it on the market.

**The Beaver.**

A family that figures prominently in the annals of New York owes the origin of its great wealth to a humble but industrious rodent, the beaver. The same rodent has conferred its name upon a downtown street in that city. There survives the tradition of a Beaver brook that once meandered its picturesque way through what is now the downtown section.

But the beaver himself is a vanished species in this country. The beavers that inhabit the little ponds in the zoological gardens are immigrants from Canada.

In these restricted areas, surrounded by high wire fences, these citizens by adoption are as busy as were their ancestors who once ranged along the streams that watered the woods.—Chicago Journal.

**Could Drink a Big Fog.**

It takes a big block of fog to make one good swallow of water, says Dr. W. J. Humphreys of the United States weather bureau at Washington. The densest fog off Newfoundland banks contains some twenty thousand droplets in a cubic inch. Dr. Wells and Dr. Thurau of the bureau of standards found. To get one gulp of water, enough fog to fill a space 3 feet by 6 feet by 100 feet long would have to be condensed. In a fog of that size there are 60 trillion particles of water, or three times as many particles as the number of dollars spent by the United States during the world war.

"It would take about a half hour to count an inch of fog particles," says Dr. Humphreys. "Placed side by side 2,500 to 3,000 droplets would be needed to fill that length."



**THE MARKED BIRD.**

MR. WOODPECKER is a marked bird, as you all know who have seen him, for the red spot on the back of his head is plainly seen when he is pecking away at a tree, or even if half hidden by leaves the red spot is pretty sure to be seen and to reveal his working place, even when the sound cannot be located. Mrs. Woodpecker does not wear this red spot, for she is the one who caused her mate to be so marked, and why, do you suppose?

Listen and I will tell you what is said about it in Birdland, for there is always a little bird, you know, that gives away secrets and that is how this one was learned.

Long, long ago a certain Mrs. Woodpecker, so the story goes, had a great deal of trouble with her husband, because he went away from home early and stayed late and never brought anything home to help support the birdlings. Mrs. Woodpecker pleaded and peeped at this all in vain. Mr. Woodpecker declared he could not find enough insects for himself, let alone bringing some home.

Little Mrs. Woodpecker tried to watch her mate and flew after him



One Day Mrs. Woodpecker Asked the Goblins to Help.

when he went away, but he was too clever in dodging for her to follow him, for he could easily hide against the bark of a tree and she could not find him.

Of course, she could hear him hammering, but his bright eyes always saw her afar off and he was on the wing

and away before she could get near.

So one day Mrs. Woodpecker became very desperate and asked the goblins to help her. "I can't get him to bring home a thing for the children to eat," she said, "and they eat so much I am just worn out. Do tell me what to do. If I could follow him and catch him at work then I should be certain he finds plenty of food, but I cannot prove that he does not, for I can never surprise him."

The little goblin was sitting on a rock, out of which he had just jumped and, laying a finger on one side of his nose, he thought a minute. "I have it, Mrs. Woodpecker," he said, jumping up. "I will get the fairies to let you have some of the red like my cap. You can paint his head red some night when he is asleep, and with a red cap like mine you can see him anywhere in the forest."

Mrs. Woodpecker went home with a light heart and that night she met the goblin, who had an acorn cupful of red paint for her. But the rest was not so easy, for when she flew home with the paint and tried to paint her husband's head while he slept he kept waking up and asking, "Who is tickling the top of my head?" and poor little Mrs. Woodpecker could not mark her mate.

But the next morning, just as he was flying away, Mrs. Woodpecker was so upset she lost her temper and after him she threw the paint brush which struck the back of her husband's head and left a spot of red paint.

Of course he did not know about the paint and thought his wife was cross, but there it was; and then Mrs. Woodpecker followed and caught her lazy husband, for now that she could see him some distance away, she took good care that he should not see her until she was beside him.

It was no use to deny it now, for she saw with her own eyes that there were plenty of insects and he had to do his part after that toward supporting the family.

And that is the reason that Mr. Woodpecker wears a red spot on the back of his head and his wife does not so the little bird from Birdland told the story.

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**CENTRAL STATES FAIR**  
First Big Exhibition on Half Million Dollar Fair Grounds Aug. 18-26

The dates for the first annual Central States Fair and Exposition to be held at the half million dollar fair grounds on the Lincoln highway near North Aurora, were announced Saturday.

Opening Friday, August 18 next, the exposition will continue for 10 days, closing Sunday, August 26. A total of \$125,000 in race purses, premiums and free attractions will be offered by the association.

Clifford Trimble, secretary of the association, was able to announce the dates of the first exhibition following receipt of a telegram from Secretary Lindley of the Illinois state fair informing him that the Springfield event would not be held until late in September. The Aurora dates are the one formerly claimed by the state fair.

**Will Have No Opposition**

"The Central States association is extremely fortunate in getting August dates," Secretary Trimble said today. "We will have no opposition as there will not be another big fair in the west on the same dates. The Great Western Racing circuit will also open at the Central States fair. At a meeting of the circuit stewards in Chicago February 21 and 22, the purses will be agreed upon. Our association will hang up a total of \$125,000 in race purses, premiums and free attractions.

The contract for the erection of four more big buildings at the grounds was awarded to John McKimmie, of Aurora. His total bid for the four buildings was \$45,236. The buildings to be erected are: Women's buildings, 100,300 feet; Horticultural, Agricultural and Fine arts and educational buildings each to be 100x200 feet.

**You Know 'Em Like That.**  
Cynical Doctor (to chronic complainer)—Well, how are you feeling today? Is there anything that doesn't hurt you?—Nashville Tennessean.

**It Can't Be Done.**  
A good son makes a bad husband. Heaven pity the woman who has to try to live up to a man's memory of his mother!—"Enamelina," in London Opinion.

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**NOTES FROM THE COURT HOUSE**

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September in the Sandwich school case. Taxpayers owning fifteen sections of land who sought to get out of the Sandwich district and into the Somonauk district are by this decision kept in Sandwich and must pay their school taxes there. The Sandwich district covers all of Sandwich township and also parts of LaSalle and Kendall Counties. Some time ago ex officio boards consisting of the county judge, county clerk and county superintendent of schools in each county, in accordance with the law then in force, granted petitions to detach this territory and add it to the Somonauk district. The supreme court of Illinois later held this section of the statute invalid and the territory was given back to Sandwich. Still later the legislature passed an act validating the acts of the ex-officio boards and the territory again became Somonauks.

Certain taxpayers of Sandwich through Attorney E. M. Burst of Sycamore brought suit and secured a temporary injunction preventing the county clerk of DeKalb county from extending any taxes in the Sandwich district without including the fifteen sections. The complainants contended on the hearing before Judge Stransky that the certified copies of the petition for detachment filed in LaSalle and Kendall counties did not give the ex-officio boards jurisdiction and that an original petition should have been filed in each county as was done in DeKalb county and required by the validating act. Also that the Kendall county board had no right to meet with the DeKalb county board in Sandwich but should have acted in Kendall county.

The contentions of the complainants for injunction were overruled. L. B. Olmstead of Somonauk and C. A. Darnell of Plato who appeared for the Somonauk district, elected to stand by their demurrer and stated they would appeal from Judge Stransky's decision to the supreme court. The decision saves the Sandwich district about \$7,000 for the year 1922.

**Appreciation.**  
Charlie likes to dine with one of the neighbors who has a large family. On returning one day from one of these trips she heaved a deep sigh and said: "My, but it must be nice to have a party family."

**Cotton One of Oldest Industries.**  
The culture of cotton in this country dates back 300 years, the first cotton seed having been planted in 1621 as an experiment. The test was a success, and the crop has been grown in this country ever since.

**Swiss Santa Rings Bell.**

In the quaint little town of St. Gallen, Switzerland, which has retained many of its curious medieval customs. Santa Claus makes his visits ringing a gigantic cowbell, says Popular Science Magazine.

In St. Gallen, every Christmas eve twelve men array themselves in white trousers and shirts, embroidered wool suspenders, and bright red ties. Each one fastens an enormous cowbell on to a wide leather belt, and covers his head with an enormous mask of cardboard, the upper part of which is decorated by stenciled designs.

One of the twelve is called "Samichlaus." It is his duty to give the good children presents. The other eleven remain at a little distance on the outskirts of the jolly crowd that follows them on their rounds, giving candy to the grownups and entertaining everybody with their clowning.

**Cave-Dwelling Snakes.**

Until recent times no reptiles were known to have adapted themselves to existence in the darkness of caverns. Now, however, it is known that in the Malay peninsula a snake, a species of coluber, inhabits certain caverns, feeding upon the bats.

These cave-dwelling snakes attain a length of between eight and nine feet. Their coloring simulates that of the walls of the caverns. The rock is a yellowish limestone, traversed with blackish veins, and these markings and colors are curiously reproduced in the snakes, many of which lurk on the ledge in the semi-darkness near the entrances, watching for the bats.

**The Game of Whist.**

All great discoveries are works of time, and the game of whist is no exception to the rule. Its merits were not recognized in early times, and under the vulgar appellation of "whisk and swabbers" it long lingered in the servants' hall ere it could ascend to the drawing room.

At length some gentlemen in England who met at the Crown coffee-house in Bedford Road, studied the game, gave it rules, established its principles, and then Edward Hoyle, in 1743, blazoned it forth to all the world.

**"We Must Hang Together," Etc.**

Benjamin Franklin is the author of the quotation: "We must all hang together or assuredly we shall all hang separately." He said it at the signing of the Declaration of Independence, July 4, 1776.

**FALCONRY AN ANCIENT SPORT**

Amusement, Practiced in East, Can Be Traced to Period That Antedates Era of Christianity.

Falconry, the art of training falcons and hawks to the chase, has been traced back to a period before the Christian era. It was practiced in the East and also in Europe long before its introduction into England. The English kings used to amuse themselves with this sport, which was for a long time the leading amusement, such as baseball is in America today.

Falcons use two kinds of birds—the long-winged, dark-eyed falcons and the short-winged, yellow-eyed hawks. The former take their prey by rising above it in the air and swooping at it from a considerable height and striking it to the ground; the latter pursue in a straight line, and overtaking the object of the chase by superior speed, clutch it and bring it down.

The larger falcons are sent after winged prey of all kinds, crows, magpies, rooks, herons and wild fowl. The smaller falcons, such as the merlin and hobby, are flown at larks; while of the short-winged hawks, the sparrow-hawk is flown at blackbirds and thrushes, partridges early in the season, and quails, the goshawk taking pheasants, partridges and wild fowl, rabbits and hares.

With all birds of prey the females are invariably larger and more powerful than the males, and the sexes are consequently selected according to the game they have to pursue.

**ALWAYS 'SKELETON' AT FEAST**

Egyptian Merry-makers Had Custom Which Must Have Been Something of a Check on Revelry.

Accounts which have come down of Egyptian banquets indicate that among the wealthy people and those Egyptians who were "in society" they were very elaborate affairs with a great variety of rich and high-priced and high-priced food and many wines—wines rare and strong.

But no matter how jovial and happy and hilarious the feast, a mummy was there as a reminder of death. At the conclusion of the most substantial part of the banquet and when the wine began to flow most freely, an attendant, perhaps one of the waiters, would carry around a coffin containing the image of a dead body carved in wood, and as the Greek historian, Herodotus tells us, "made as like as possible in color and workmanship, and in size generally about one or two cubits in length." The business of the waiter was to show this to each member of the gay and joyous company and say, "Look upon this, then drink and enjoy yourself, for when dead you will be like this."

Herodotus wrote about 2,500 years ago that "this practice they have at all their drinking parties."

**Sugar Once a Delicacy.**

We are apt to forget how short a time it is since sugar was regarded as a costly delicacy, proper to be used by the wealthy alone or as a medicine. In the early colonial days it sold at about 75 cents a pound, in the loaf, and granulated sugar was unknown. It was with the growth of the custom of drinking coffee and tea that it became a food staple. When it was introduced to England in medieval times it was as "Indian salt," a rare and precious condiment, although the art of boiling sugar was known in India before the Seventh century, and in Egypt much earlier. The Dutch brought sugar to Manhattan, and a New York Gazette of 1730 carried this advertisement: "Public notice is hereby given that Nicholas Bayard, of the City of New York, has erected a house for refining all sorts of sugar and sugar candy, and has procured from Europe an experienced artist in that mystery."—New York Evening Post.

**Heads "Sized Up."**

The size of a man's cranium has nothing to do with the size of his head. Truly big-headed men are usually so modest you have to push them into their honors.

Often big bones are bestowed by a pitying providence to compensate for the lack of gray matter their bigness would suggest.

Napoleon was a small man with a bullet-shaped head. He was dictatorial and imperative. But then you can forgive such a fellow, when he has the goods. It's the would-be's that try men's souls.

Many of the nation's greatest men have very ordinary-sized heads when measured by their hat bands. In fact, they offer no suggestion of the big head when viewed from any angle.—Grit.

**Aid to Prayer.**  
Prayer is always most effective when mixed with equal parts of sweat.—Baltimore Sun.

**Seldom.**

No woman likes a husband who flirts—unless he's some other woman's husband.

**TO THE VOTERS OF DEKALB COUNTY**

I am a candidate for sheriff of DeKalb County, subject to the Republican Primary in April, 1922.

I believe in an impartial enforcement of the laws and that my experience in life fit me for the office. I respectfully solicit the support of all the voters.

William F. Hemenway  
Oct. 17, 1921 .51-1f

**CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY CLERK**

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the will of the voters at the primaries on April 11. I respectfully solicit and will appreciate your support.

14-1f, Charles H. Talbot

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

I am a candidate for the office of sheriff of DeKalb County subject to the will of the voters at the primary election next April. I will appreciate your support. Look over my record!

Genoa has never been honored with a county office.  
E. E. Crawford, Genoa, Ill

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**

Estate of Edwin H. McDonald Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Edwin H. McDonald deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County, at the Court House in Sycamore at the April Term, on the first Monday in April 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 23rd. day of January A. D. 1922.

Susannah McDonald,  
E. W. Brown, Administratrix.  
Atty. 13-3t.

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E. E. Crawford was at DeKalb Monday.

Walter Walrd was in Sycamore Sunday.

Frank Wallace was at Elgin Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Miller was in Belvidere Sunday.

Mrs. J. Canavan was a Chicago passenger Monday.

The Genoa Hatcheries pay highest prices for eggs.

Howard Stanley of Chicago is visiting friends in Genoa.

We pay highest prices for eggs at the Genoa Hatcheries.

E. Adler and James Hutchinson motored to Elgin Monday.

C. H. Maderer and A. Kyler motored to Chicago Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller of Fairdale were callers here Tuesday.

Stiles and Maderer pay high prices for eggs at the Genoa Hatcheries.

Mrs. H. S. Burroughs entertained the R. N. of A. at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frazier announce the birth of a son Thursday, February 2.

Mrs. Harry Whipple was in Chicago Tuesday buying for the I. W. Douglas store.

Mrs. Will Lembke was in Chicago Monday in the interest of the Genoa Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Luna Anderson of Burlington was the guest of Mrs. James Hutchinson Tuesday.

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet at 3 o'clock at the rest rooms Saturday, February 11.

The Missionary Societies will meet at the home of Mrs. John Geithman Tuesday, February 14.

Mrs. Emma Duval and son, Milburn of Elgin spent the week end at the John Lembke home.

Eggs! Eggs! at the Genoa Quality Hatcheries. 3c paid above market prices for them.

Miss Freda Tegtmann and Mrs. Chas. Arndt were united in marriage in Chicago last Saturday.

Twenty million people have taken Tanlac with the most gratifying results. Baldwin's Pharmacy.

Tanlac's best advertising comes from the people who have actually used it. Baldwin's Pharmacy.

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Constipation and Headaches are conquered by HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGGET TABLETS—without fail, try them. Baldwin's Pharmacy. Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Patterson, Mrs. H. S. Burroughs and Mrs. Lewis Scott were at Belvidere Wednesday.

Chas. Corson returned home Sunday evening from Pennsylvania where he has been with a carload of horses.

Prof. Williams, emeritus, of Cornell college, Ia., called on Genoa friends and relatives the middle of this week.

3c paid above market prices for eggs at the Genoa Quality Hatcheries.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Evans entertained the H. B. club at 500 (this) Thursday evening. Luncheon was served.

Mrs. Louisa Geithman who has been visiting the past five months at Providence, R. I. returned home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Scott saw Mary Pickford in "Suds" at Sycamore Tuesday evening.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid Society will hold a Bakery Sale at the Rest

Rooms Saturday afternoon, February 11 at 2:30 p. m.

The strength and sturdiness of our people is being undermined by Constipation—it reduces the value of your food, impoverishes your blood, weakens your whole system. Take HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGGET TABLETS for Constipation. You'll get results every time. Baldwin's Pharmacy.

Donald Gverly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Con. Overy went to the DeKalb Sanatorium last Sunday where he will receive treatments.

Dan Wallace Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wallace and Francis McFarland of Elgin were guests at the Frank Wallace home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Patterson entertained the Jolly Eight club at cards Wednesday. A dainty luncheon was served at the close of the afternoon.

Myron Faber spent the week end at Paw Paw. Mrs. Betz returned with him and will visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Faber.

Beautiful novelty beads to help brighten your winter dress, can be had at Martin's, in many shades and in various shapes and lengths.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wyllys and son, Robert of Sycamore and Mrs. W. Blake of Ashton were visitors at the Wm. Watson home Wednesday.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Genoa Mercantile Co. was held at I. O. O. F. Hall Tuesday evening. After the business meeting luncheon was served.

Over a quarter of a million well-known men and women from different parts of the country have signed written endorsements for Tanlac—Baldwin's Pharmacy.

The Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul announce that they will stop the fast trains thru here for passengers going to Kansas City, Omaha, Sioux City, St. Paul and points beyond.

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If your name begins with B, D, L, G, T, admission free Friday at the Grand theater. If with K, N, Q, S admission free Saturday. At the Grand theater Friday and Saturday. Six reel feature, "Hyprocrita", 1 weekly also a comedy. Admission, children 10c, adults 20c plus 3 cents tax.

A birthday anniversary dinner was given at the home of Fred Renn Sunday in honor of the birthday of John Renn, who was 80 years old and the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd J. Minnegan. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore of Sycamore and Mrs. Mae Sowers and Mrs. Alice Brandoff of Elgin. A delightful four-course dinner was served.

Mrs. Roe Bennett was pleasantly surprised at her home Saturday evening when the H. G. L. club and their husbands came to remind her that she had a birthday on the following day, Sunday. After several hours were spent at 500 an appetizing luncheon, which was provided by the self-invited guests, was served. Favors for high score were awarded Mrs. Chas. Naker and A. J. Johnson.

Little Miss Dorothy Tilley celebrated her third birthday on Saturday, February 4 entertaining six of her little friends. Those present were Maud McCoy, Florence Pratt, Willard Reid, Marvin James, Evelyn and Donald Merritt. After enjoying sev-

eral games, refreshments were served, each little tot wishing their hostess something nice as they blew out the birthday candles before departing for their homes.

Mrs. A. L. Holroyd was completely surprised at her home on Locust St. Tuesday afternoon by the members of the Jolly Diners Club and Mrs. F. O. Holtgren. The occasion was Mrs. Holroyd's birthday anniversary and she will long remember this pleasant afternoon with her neighbors and relatives. A dainty and artistic Valentine luncheon was served late in the afternoon.

## NEW LEBANON

L. Gray and family were Sunday guests at the Chas. Coon home.

Miss Lizzie Bahe of Dawson, Minn. spent the week at the Wm. Coughlin home.

Will Burerer and family of Hinckley were Sunday callers at Wm. Beckers.

John Japp and family spent Sunday at the home of F. Scherer of Garden Prairie.

Wm. Kiner and wife of Marseilles were over Wednesday visitors at E. Kiner's.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Emil Jenny at Elgin Friday.

Martha Krueger of Chicago spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krueger.

Arthur Hackman and family motored to Paw Paw Sunday and spent the day at Chas. Hackman's.

A large number from this vicinity attended the funeral of Herman Hartman in Sycamore Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Japp and son, Arlo and A. Hackman and family spent Tuesday evening at the Chas. Coon home.

J. Botcher and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hackman, M. Primm and family spent Tuesday evening at the W. Drendel home.

J. Anderson and family, R. White and family, Mrs. Thomas Powers and daughter and son spent Friday evening at the M. Primm home.

Mrs. William Botcher is at Wm. Senska's home at Sycamore taking care of her mother, Mrs. E. Heldmen, who is very ill at this writing.

## FOR SHERIFF OF DEKALB COUNTY

I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of Sheriff of DeKalb County before the Republican primaries April 11, 1922. If you are satisfied with the service I gave during my previous term as sheriff I would appreciate your vote.

JAMES SCOTT

Squaw-Flower.

A variety of trillium is called squaw-flower. It is also called bath-flower, birth-root and three-leaved nightshade. This dark trillium grows coarse and rank compared to the wake-robins. The blossoms are a dull red, with white stamens. The leaves are much larger than those of the painted trillium, though the general shape is the same—a diamond design.

Reasonable Curiosity.

A writer in a contemporary complains of the unsatisfactory working of country telephones. We know of one impatient farmer, a new subscriber, who harnessed the old mare and drove down to the village to find out if his voice had come through yet.—London Punch.

## AUCTION SALE

Having decided to dissolve interests and quit farming, the undersigned will sell at public auction on the Preston farm, 3 miles east of Genoa on the Derby line road on Monday, February 20, the following described property:

Monday, February 20 Commencing at 1 p. m.  
4 HORSES; 7 COWS; 20 SHOATS Farm Machinery Etc.

Terms: \$25 and under, cash; sums over that amount 6 months time will be given on notes bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

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## Then Cupid Gets Busy.

"He talked to her about his misunderstanding self—the infallible sign that a woman has found favor with a man."

—From "The Ghost Girl," by Mary Marlowe.

## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

State of Illinois, }  
DeKalb County, } ss.  
Estate of Peter A. Quantarong, Deceased.

To creditors, heirs and distributees of said estate:

You are hereby notified that on Monday, the 17th day of April 1922, the Executrix of the last Will and Testament of said deceased, will present to the County Court of DeKalb County, at Sycamore, Illinois, her final report of her acts and doings as such Executrix, and ask the Court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate, and her administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do.

Hattie O. Quantarong Wyde,  
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# The Green Pea Pirates

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Author of "WEBSTER—MAN'S MAN," "THE VALLEY OF THE GIANTS," Etc.

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CHAPTER XII—Continued.

After breakfast Commodore Gibney ordered that the prisoners be brought before him. The cook served them with breakfast, and as they ate, the commodore reminded them that it was only through his personal efforts and his natural disinclination to return blow for blow that they were at that moment enjoying a square meal instead of swinging in the rigging.

"I'm going to give you two yeggs a chance to reform," concluded Mr. Gibney, addressing Tabu-Tabu. "If you show us where we can get a cargo of black coral and work hard and faithful helpin' us to get it aboard, it may help you to comb a few gray hairs. I'm going to take the iron's off now, but remember! At the first sign of the double-cross you're both shark meat."

On behalf of himself and the king, Tabu-Tabu promised to behave, and McGuffey kicked them both into the small boat. The mate and two seamen followed in another boat, in which the air-pump and diving apparatus was carried, and Tabu-Tabu piloted them to a patch of still water just inside the reef. The water was so clear that McGuffey was enabled to make out vast marine gardens thickly sprinkled with the precious black coral.

"Over you go, you two smokes," rasped McGuffey, menacing the captives with his rifle. "Dive deep, my hearties, and bring up what you can find, and if a shark comes along and takes a nip out of your hind leg, don't expect no help from B. McGuffey, Esquire—because you won't get any."

For nearly two weeks the Maggie II lay at anchor, while her crew labored daily in the gardens of the deep. Vast

at all these months we've been asleep under a cabbage leaf, commuin' with potato bugs?"

"Not for a minute," replied the commodore. "Why, I got a dozen matched pearls here that's fit for a queen. Big, red, pear-shaped boys—regular bleedin' hearts. There's ten thousand each in them alone."

"Well, I'll—I'll brew some grog," gasped Captain Scraggs, and departed forthwith to the galley. Fifteen minutes later he returned with a kettle of his favorite nepenthe and all three adventurers drank to a bon voyage home. At the conclusion of the toast Mr. McGuffey set down his glass, wiped his mouth with the back of his hairy hand, and thus addressed the syndicate.

"In leavin' this paradise of the South Pacific," he began, "we find that we have accumulated other wealth besides the loot below decks. I refer to your royal highness, the king of Kandavu, and his prime minister, Tabu-Tabu. When these two outlaws was first captured, I informed the syndicate that I would scheme out a punishment befittin' their crime, to-wit—murderin' an' eatin' you two boys. It's been a big job and it's taken some time, me not bein' blessed with quite as fine an imagination as our friend, Gib. However, I pride myself that hard work always brings success, and I am ready to announce what disposition shall be made of these two interestin' specimens of aboriginal life. I beg to announce, gentlemen, that I have invented a punishment fittin' the crime."

"Impossible," said Captain Scraggs. "Shut up, Scraggs," struck in Commodore Gibney. "Out with it, Mac. What's the program?"

"I move you, members of the syndicate, that the schooner Maggie II proceed to some barren, uninhabited island, and that upon arrival there this savage king and his still more savage subject be taken ashore in a small boat. I also move you, gentlemen of the syndicate, that inasmuch as the two aggrieved parties, A. P. Gibney and P. Scraggs, having in a spirit of mercy refrained from layin' their hands on said prisoners for fear of invalidin' them at a time when their services was of importance to the expedition, be given an opportunity to take out their grudge on the persons of said savages. Now, I notice that the king is a miserable, skimp, saved-off and hammered-down old cove. By all the rules of the prize ring he's in Scraggs's class." (Here Mr. McGuffey flashed a lightning wink to the commodore. It was an appeal for Mr. Gibney's moral support in the captain's scheme to put up a job on Captain Scraggs, and thus relieve the tedium of the homeward trip. Mr. Gibney instantly telegraphed his approval, and McGuffey continued.)

"I notice also that if I was to hunt the universe over, I couldn't find a better match for Gib than Tabu-Tabu. And as we are all agreed that the white race is superior to any race on earth, and it'll do us all good to see a fine mill before we leave the country, I move you, gentlemen of the syndicate, that we pull off a finish fight between Scraggs and the king, and Gib and Tabu-Tabu. I'll referee both contests and at the conclusion of the mixup we'll leave these two murderers marooned on the island and then—"

"Tats," snapped Captain Scraggs. "That ain't no business at all. You shouldn't consider nothin' short of capital punishment. Why, that's only a petty larceny form of—"

"Quit buttin' in on my prerogatives," roared McGuffey. "That ain't the finish by no means."

"What is the finish, then?"

"Why, these two cannibals, bein' left alone on the desert island, naturally bumps up agin the old question of the survival of the fittest. They get scrappin' among themselves, and one eats the other up."

"By the toe-nails of Moses," muttered Mr. Gibney in genuine admiration, "but you have got an imagination after all, Mac. The point is well taken and the program will go through as outlined. Scraggs, you'll fight the king. No buckin' and grumblin'. You'll fight the king. You're outvoted two to one, the thing's been done regular, and you can't kick. I'll fight Tabu-Tabu, so you see you're not gettin' any the worst of it. We'll proceed to an island in the Friendly group called Tuvana-tholo. It lies right in our homeward course, and there ain't enough grub on the confounded island to last two men a week. And I know there ain't no water there. So, now that that matter is all settled, we will proceed to heave the anchor and scoot for home, Mac, tune up your engines and we'll get out of here a-whoopin' and a-flyin'."

It was an eight-hundred-mile run up to Tuvana-tholo, but the weather held good and the trade-winds never slackened. Ten days from the date of leavin' Kandavu they hove to off the island. It was a long, low, sandy atoll, with a few coconut-palms growing in the center of it, and with the exception of a vast colony of seabirds that apparently made it their headquarters, the island was devoid of life.

The bloodthirsty McGuffey stood at the break of the poop, and as he gazed shoreward he chuckled and rubbed his hands together.

"Great, great," he murmured. "I couldn't have gotten a better island if I'd had one built to order." He called aft to the navigating officer: "Scraggs, there's the ring. Nothin' else to do now but get the contestants into it. Along in the late afternoon, when the heat of the day is over, we'll go ashore and pull off the fight. And, by George, Scraggs, if that old king succeeds in lambastin' you, I'll set the rascal free."

Seeing that there was no escape, Captain Scraggs decided to bluff the matter through. "Let's go ashore and have it over with," he said carelessly. "I'm a man of peace, but when there's fightin' to be done, I say go to it and no tomfoolery."

"Clear away the big whaleboat with two men to pull us ashore," said Mr. Gibney to the mate. Five minutes later the members of the syndicate, accompanied by the captives, climbed into the whaleboat and shoved off, leaving the Maggie II in charge of the mate. "We'll be back in half an hour," called the commodore, as they rowed away from the schooner. "Just ratch back and forth and keep heavin' the lead."

They negotiated the fringe of breakers to the north of the island successfully, pulled the boat up on the beach, and proceeded at once to business. Mr. Gibney explained to Tabu-Tabu what was expected of him, and Tabu-Tabu in turn explained to the king. It was not the habit of white men, so Mr. Gibney explained, to kill their prisoners in cold blood, and he had decided to give them an opportunity to fight their way out of a sad predicament with their naked fists. If they won, they would be taken back aboard the schooner and later dropped at some inhabited island. If they lost, they must make their home for the future on Tuvana-tholo.

"Lot 'er go," called McGuffey, and Mr. Gibney squared off and made a beeline pass at Tabu-Tabu. To the amazement of all present Tabu-Tabu sprang lightly backward and avoided the blow. His footwork was excellent and McGuffey remarked as much to Captain Scraggs. But when Tabu-Tabu put up his hands after the most approved method of self-defense and dropped into a "crouch," McGuffey could no longer contain himself.

"The beggar can fight, the beggar can fight," he croaked, wild with joy. "Scraggs, old man, this'll be a rare mill, I promise you. He's been aboard a British man-o'-war and learned how to box. Steady, Gib. Upper-cut him, upper—wow!"

Tabu-Tabu had stepped in and planted a mighty right in the center of Mr. Gibney's physiognomy, following it up with a hard left to the commodore's ear. Mr. Gibney rocked a moment on his sturdy legs, stepped back out of range, dropped both hands, and stared at Tabu-Tabu.

"I do believe the nigger'll lick you, Gib," said McGuffey anxiously. "He's got a horrible reach and a mule kick in each mit. Close with him, or he's due for a full pardon."

"In a minute," said the commodore faintly. "He's so good I hate to hurt him. But I'll inight him to a finish."

Which Mr. Gibney forthwith proceeded to do. He rushed his opponent and clinched, though not until his right

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ly, spat, and spoke to McGuffey, so to voice: "By George, the joke ain't all on Scraggs," he said. Then turning to Captain Scraggs: "Help yourself to the mustard, Scraggsy, old tartop."

Captain Scraggs took off his hat, rolled up his sleeves, and made a dive for the royal presence. His majesty, lacking the scientific training of his prime minister, seized a handful of the Scraggs mane and tore at it cruelly. A well-directed kick in the shins, however, caused him to let go, and a moment later he was flying up the beach with the angry Scraggs in full cry after him. McGuffey headed the king off and rounded him up so Scraggs could get at him, and the latter at once "dug in" like a terrier. After five minutes of mauling and tearing Captain Scraggs was out of breath, so he let go and stood off a few feet to size up the situation. The wicked McGuffey was laughing immoderately, but to Scraggs it was no laughing matter. The fact of the matter was the king was dangerous and Scraggs had glutted himself with revenge.

"I don't want to beat an old man to death," he gasped finally. "I'll let the scoundrel go. He's had enough and he won't fight. Let's mosey along back to the schooner and leave them here to amuse themselves the best way they know how."

"Right-O," said Mr. Gibney, and turned to walk down the beach to the boat. A second later a hoarse scream of rage and terror broke from his lips. "What's up?" cried McGuffey, the laughter dying out of his voice, for there was a hint of death in Mr. Gibney's cry.

"Marooned!" said the commodore hoarsely. "Those two sailors have pulled back to the schooner, and—there—look, Mac! My Gawd!"

McGuffey looked, and his face went whiter than the foaming breakers beyond which he could see Maggie II, under full sail, headed for the open sea. The small boat had been picked up, and there was no doubt that at her present rate of speed the schooner would be hull down on the horizon by sunset.

"The murderin' hound," whispered McGuffey, and sagged down on the sands. "Oh, the murderin' hound of a mate!"

"It's—its mutiny," gulped Captain Scraggs in a hard, strained voice. "That bloody fiend of a mate! The sly sneak-thief, with his pleasant smile and his winnin' ways! Saw a chance to steal the Maggie and her rich cargo, and he is leavin' us here, marooned on a desert island, with two cannibals."

Captain Scraggs fairly shrieked the last two words and burst into tears. "Lord, Gib, old man," he raved, "what-evil will we do?"

Thus appealed to, the doughty commodore permitted his two unmatched optics to rest mournfully upon his shipmates.

He gulped and thoughtfully rubbed the knuckles of his right hand where the skin was barked off. He thought of the silly joke he and McGuffey had thought to perpetrate on Captain Scraggs by leading him up against a beating at the hands of a cannibal king, and with the thought came a grim, hard chuckle, though there was the look of a thousand devils in his eyes.

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CHAPTER XIII.

Nells Halvorsen often wondered what had become of the Maggie and Captain Scraggs. Mr. Gibney and Bartholomew McGuffey he knew had turned their sun-tanned faces toward deep water some years before Captain Scraggs and the Maggie disappeared from the environs of San Francisco bay, and Nells Halvorsen was wise enough to waste no time wondering what had become of them. These two worthies might be anywhere, and every conceivable thing under the sun might have happened to them; hence, in his idle moments, Nells Halvorsen did not disturb his gray matter speculating on their whereabouts and their then condition of servitude.

But the continued absence of Captain Scraggs from his old haunts created quite a little gossip along the

waterfront, and in the course of time rumors of his demise by sundry and devious routes came to the ears of Nells Halvorsen.

Hence "The Squarehead" was puzzled. In fact, to such an extent was Nells puzzled, that one perfectly calm, clear night, while beating down San Pablo bay in his bay scow, the Willie and Annie, he so far forgot himself and his own affairs as to concentrate all his attention on the problem of the ultimate finish of Captain Scraggs. So engrossed was Nells in this vain speculation that he neglected to observe toward the rules of the ocean highways that nicety of attention which is highly requisite, even in the skipper of a bay scow, if the fulsome title of captain is to be retained for any definite period. As a result, Nells became confused regarding the exact number of blasts from the siren of a river steamer desiring to pass him to port. Consequently the Willie and Annie received such a severe butting from the river steamer in question as to cause her to career and fill. Being, unfortunately, loaded with gravel on this particular trip, she subsided incontinently to the bottom of San Pablo bay, while Nells and his crew of two men sought refuge on a plank.

Without attempting to go further into the details of the misfortunes of Nells Halvorsen, he it known that the destruction of the Willie and Annie



It Was Just a Squib in the Shipping News.

proved to be such a severe shock to Nells' reputation as a safe and sane bay scow skipper that he was ultimately forced to seek other and more virgin fields. With the fragments of his meager fortune, the ambitious Swede purchased a course in a local nautical school from which he duly managed to emerge with sufficient courage to appear before the United States local inspectors of hulls and boilers and take his examination for a second mate's certificate. To his utterable surprise the license was granted; whereupon he shipped as quartermaster on the steamer Alameda, running to Honolulu, and what with the lesson taught him in the loss of the Willie and Annie and the exacting duties of his office aboard the liner, he forgot that he had ever known Captain Scraggs.

Judge of Nells Halvorsen's surprise, therefore, upon the occasion of his first trip to Honolulu, when he saw something which brought the whole matter back to mind. They were standing in toward Diamond head and the Alameda lay hove to taking on the pilot. It was early morning and the purple mists hung over the entrance to the harbor. Nells Halvorsen stood at the gangway enjoying the sunrise over the Punch-bowl, and glancing longingly toward the vivid green of the hills beyond the city, when he was aware of a "put," "put," "put," to starboard of the Alameda. Nells turned at the sound just in time to see a beautiful gasoline schooner of about a hundred and thirty tons heading in toward the bay. She was so close that Nells was enabled to make out that her name was Maggie II.

"Veil, aye be dam," muttered Nells, and scratched his head, for the name revived old memories. An hour later, when the Alameda loafed into her berth at Brewer's dock, Nells noticed that the schooner lay at anchor off the quarantine station.

That night Nells Halvorsen went ashore for those forms of enjoyment peculiar to his calling, and in the Pantheon saloon, whither his pathway led him, he filled himself with beer and gossip. It was here that Nells came across an item in an afternoon paper which challenged his instant attention. It was just a squib in the shipping news, but Nells Halvorsen read it with amazement and joy:

"The power schooner Maggie II arrived this morning, ten days from the Friendly Islands. The little schooner came into port with her hold bursting with the most valuable cargo that has entered Honolulu in many years. It consists for the most part of black coral."

"The Maggie II is commanded by Captain Phineas Scraggs, and after taking on provisions and water today will proceed to San Francisco, tomorrow, for discharge of cargo."

"By yiminy," quoth Nells Halvorsen, "aye but you that bane de ole man so sure as you bane alive. And aye bat new hat he shall be glad to see Nells Halvorsen. I guess aye hire Kanaka boy an' he bane pull me out to see de ole man."

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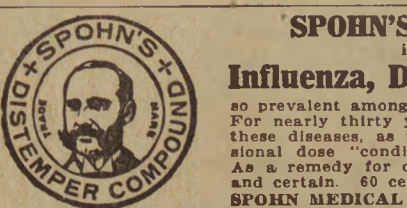
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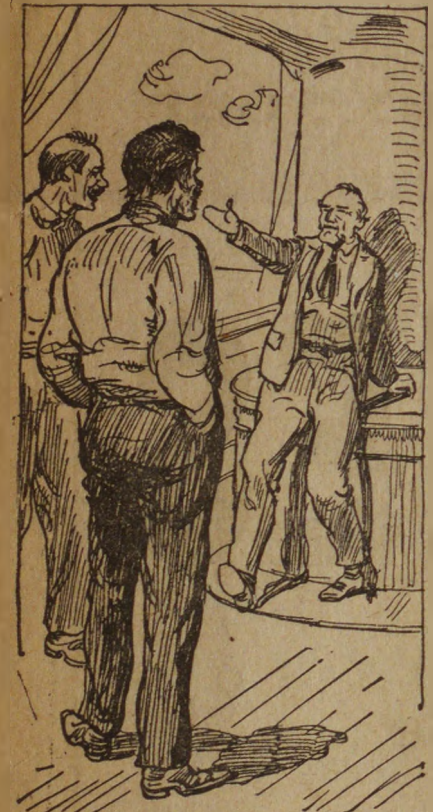
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"Are You Sure It Ain't All a Dream?"

quantities of pearl oysters were brought to the surface, and these Mr. Gibney stewed personally in a great iron pot on the beach. The shell was stored away in the hold and the pearls went into a chamofis pouch which never for an instant was out of the commodore's possession. The coast at that point being now deserted, frequent visits ashore were made, and the crew feasted on young pig, chicken, yams and other delicacies. Captain Scraggs was almost delirious with joy. He announced that he had not been so happy since Mrs. Scraggs "slipped her cable."

At the end of two weeks Mr. Gibney decided that there was "loot" enough ashore to complete the schooner's cargo, and at a meeting of the syndicate held one lovely moonlight night on deck he announced his plans to Captain Scraggs and McGuffey.

"Better leave the island alone," counseled McGuffey. "Them niggers may be a-layin' there ten thousand strong, waitin' for a boat's crew to come prowlin' up into the bush so they can nab 'em."

"I've thought of that, Mac," said the commodore a trifle coldly, "and if I made a sucker of myself once it don't stand to reason that I'm apt to do it again. Remember, Mac, a burnt child dreads the fire. Tomorrow morning, right after breakfast, we'll turn the guns loose and pepper the bush for a mile or two in every direction. If there's a native within range he'll have business in the next county and we won't be disturbed none."

Mr. Gibney's program was duly put through and the capital of Kandavu looted of the trade accumulations of years. And when the hatches were finally battened down, the tanks re-filled with fresh water, and everything in readiness to leave Kandavu for the run to Honolulu, Mr. Gibney announced to the syndicate that the profits of the expedition would figure close up to a hundred thousand dollars. Captain Scraggs gasped and fell limply against the mainmast.

"Gib, my dear boy," he spluttered, "are you sure it ain't all a dream and that we'll wake up some day and find that we're still in the green-pea trade;



Rocked a Moment on His Sturdy Legs.

eye was in mourning and a stiff jolt in the short ribs had caused him to grunt in most ignoble fashion. But few men could withstand Mr. Gibney once he got to close quarters. Tabu-Tabu wrapped his long arms around the commodore and endeavored to smother his blows, but Mr. Gibney would not be denied. His great fist shot upward from the hip and connected with the cannibal's chin. Tabu-Tabu relaxed his hold, Mr. Gibney followed with left and right to the head in quick succession, and McGuffey was counting the fatal ten over the fallen warrior.

Mr. Gibney grinned rather foolishly.

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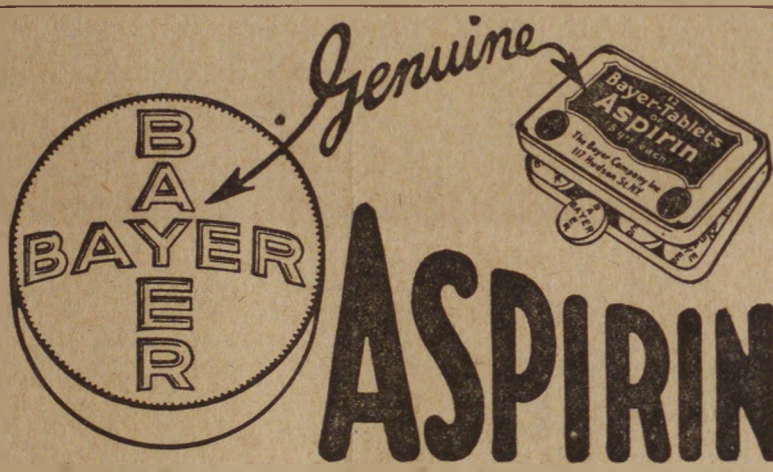
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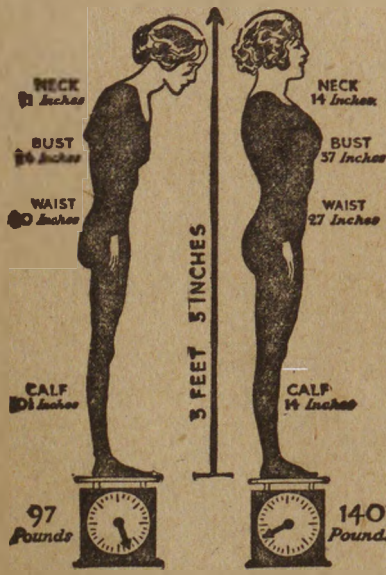
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## GERMAN STRIKE IS SPREADING

Berlin Firemen Fight Blazes With Small Tanks of Water.

### BIG SECTIONS UNPROTECTED

Train Crews Abandon Cars in Middle of Night—Uncouple Engine and Leave the Passengers at Mercy of Weather.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—People of this city saw the unique spectacle of the Berlin fire department rushing through the streets with small water tanks responding to fire alarms. They were forced to put out fires with buckets and hand pumps as a consequence of the strike in the municipal gas electric and water works.

To make matters worse, part of the fire department forces left their stations and joined the strikers, leaving large sections of the German capital unprotected. This was but one of the numerous instances of the ruthlessness with which the radical element are conducting the strike against the helpless population and the apparently powerless city, state and national governments.

There are heart rending conditions in some of the hospitals where there is neither heat, light nor water. A number of babies were born under such circumstances in the last 24 hours and there are many serious cases demanding operations, where the loss of an hour might mean a life, that could not be undertaken.

An appeal from some of these institutions to the strike leaders, in the name of humanity, to ameliorate these conditions, found no response.

Thousands of families throughout the city have had nothing warm to eat in the present bitter cold, since Saturday. Influenza and lung and throat diseases are increasing alarmingly. No street cars are running, and as hardly a dozen physicians in the city can afford to own automobiles, the response to sick calls has been slow.

In some parts of the city a shortage of bread is already felt, and the bakeries were surrounded by crowds who fairly fought for even a single loaf.

At pumps where horses are usually watered, long lines of people slivered in the icy blasts with buckets and pails waiting their chance to get a little water.

In the railway strike there is no change for the better. The workers at Leipzig, Stuttgart and Karlsruhe voted to join the strike, while in Koeningburg the municipal employees walked out as they have done in Berlin.

At Hanau the strikers stormed the railway station. They severely beat up those employees who remained at work, and took charge of the station. Between Halle and Kof, the heart of Germany, a passenger train was abandoned in the middle of the night. The train was left on a siding, while the engineer, fireman and conductor uncoupled the engine and went to their homes in Kof, leaving the passengers at the mercy of the weather.

Privy Councillor Weismann, who under the title of commissioner of public security, is the head of the government secret service, declared that the strike is developing from an economic and wage question into a political battle, taking on a strongly communistic character.

### POPE RECEIVES O'CONNELL

Pius XI Tells American Cardinal That He Loves and Admires America.

Rome, Feb. 8.—Cardinal O'Connell who arrived in Rome too late to participate in the election of the pope was received by the new pontiff. The cardinal later said:

"I have just returned from adoration of Pope Pius XI. He expressed regret that I had not arrived in time for the conclave and he gave me the following message for America:

"I hope that America, a country which I love and admire, will learn to love me."

### SAVINGS ESCAPE DEPRESSION

New York Funds Increase \$42,730,339 in Six Months Despite Wave of Idleness.

New York, Feb. 8.—Business depression and unemployment during the last year are not reflected in New York's savings of the vast army of wage-earners, according to report of the Savings Bank's association of the state of New York. Local savings institutions on January 1 owed their depositors \$1,984,437,851, an increase of \$42,730,339 over July 1, 1921.

### Farmer Bloc Wins Point

Washington, Feb. 8.—Majority members of the senate finance committee in framing tariff rates on farm products are understood to have approved the recommendations of the senate Republican agricultural tariff bloc.

### Mellon Tackles Big Job

Washington, Feb. 8.—With adjournment of the arms conference, Secretary Mellon indicated that the Treasury department is prepared to start negotiations immediately for the funding of the European war debt.

## LOANS FOR EX-SERVICE MEN

Commander MacNider Is Originator of Plan to Aid Men in Need of Assistance.

Buddies who are "broken in health and battling their way through red tape for their just disability compensation" will be the beneficiaries of a big rotating fund, details of which are being worked out at national headquarters of the American Legion.

The fund is designed to provide loans, without security and at a low rate of interest, to ex-service men in every state who are in need of assistance. Commander MacNider, who originated the plan, says that such a provision is of vital necessity in order that worthy men may keep their self-respect during a period of financial stress. Ex-soldiers who do not need the ready cash provided by the government's payment of adjusted compensation have signified their willingness to turn over their bonus to the fund.

Hundreds of instances of sick and wounded ex-service men falling back on charity while their claims were being reviewed are shown by Legion reports. Tubercular victims whose condition has been brought on by poison gas or exposure have gone to sanitariums in the West and have been denied immediate treatment and become public charges, it is declared. Some help for these men during the period of readjustment is of prime importance, according to MacNider.

### HELPED ENTERTAIN THE BOYS

Mrs. Jessie Erskine Danced in France—Now Treasurer of County Legion Committee.

Mrs. Jessie A. Erskine says she used to dance 9,000 steps a week at Tours, France.



for the edification and amusement of gobs, doughboys and leathernecks, some of whom, she admits, were attractive. Now she dances almost as many steps in holding down her job as treasurer of the Niagara county committee of the

American Legion, in New York state.

Mrs. Erskine was chief stenographer in the quartermaster department, and was also chief sister in the department of sports and pastimes, which was less official but just as interesting. She succeeded in being A. W. O. L. twice without being given her sailing papers.

### DIRECTS MORTARS OR SOULS

Eliot Porter, State Chaplain of Legion in Montana, Recognizes No Denominational Bars.

Eliot Porter's efficiency in directing trench mortars was no greater than his proficiency in directing souls. As state chaplain of the American Legion in Montana, he built up a splendid reputation for that which he won as captain in the British field artillery. Mr. Porter, who is a Presbyterian, was one of the three men who wrote the national ceremonial ritual for the Legion. He worked in conjunction with a Catholic priest and a Jewish rabbi. He recognizes no denominational bars in his Legion work, and at the 1921 convention nominated a Catholic to succeed him as state chaplain.



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"She's awfully thin."  
"Yes. Instead of bathing she merely polishes up the bones."

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And double your razor efficiency as well as promote skin purity, skin comfort and skin health. No mug, no slimy soap, no germs, no waste, no irritation even when shaved twice daily. One soap for all uses—shaving bathing and shampooing.—Advertisement.

That's the Kind.  
Jones—"Simmons seems to have a very active brain."  
Bones—"Ah, yes; but is it retroactive?"

### MOTHER! OPEN

CHILD'S BOWELS WITH CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

Your little one will love the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" even if constipated, bilious, irritable, feverish, or full of cold. A teaspoonful never fails to cleanse the liver and bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the sour bile, and undigested food out of the bowels and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup," which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Advertisement.

### NOT A MATTER FOR POLICE

Elderly Gentleman Meant Well, but He Had Not Allowed for Possible Contingencies.

The wisest person may sometimes make a serious mistake by judging entirely by appearances, as is shown by this case.

A careless young woman, in starting to leave a car, dropped her purse. A young man, who evidently intended to leave the car at the same time, saw her drop the purse, picked it up and put it into his pocket.

But his action had not been unnoticed. Just as he stepped from the car an elderly man gripped him by the arm and whispered: "If you don't give that purse to the young lady this instant I'll expose you."

"Yes, certainly!" gasped the astonished young man. Then, with a grin, "I beg pardon, Marie; you dropped your purse."

"Oh, thank you, Harry," she replied, as she took it.

"I hope you are satisfied," said Harry, turning to the elderly man. "The lady is my sister."—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

### An Even Break.

"She's a girl after his own heart, Hunter says."

"Yes, and he's a man after her money."

"But you know it's whispered on the quiet that she hasn't any money."

"Well, it's a notorious fact that he hasn't any heart."—Boston Transcript.

One can generally work off worry.



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Combines pleasure and benefit.

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### NOT BEGINNING OF ROMANCE MAY REMODEL UNION JACK

Beautiful Girl Mistaken in Thinking She Had Made Impression on Attractive Stranger.

They sat together; total strangers, on the narrow seat of a Fifth avenue bus.

She was beautiful and conscious of it. And she felt his eyes upon her. She turned her lovely head and met his gaze. He was good to look upon, dark and virile, and in his clear eyes was a look of question and pleading.

She turned away, her young blood thrilling with the premonition of romance and adventure.

Again she felt his longing but hesitant gaze fixed upon her averted face. She flashed him a fleeting look of encouragement.

Emboldened, he bent toward her, his eager breath fanning her flushed cheek and whispered, hoarsely:

"Say, can't you move over, lally, and glumme some more room?"—Judge.

### Vienna Taxes Advertising.

A tax on all forms of printed advertising has been decided upon by the municipality of Vienna. In newspapers the minimum tax will be 10 per cent for situations wanted up to 30 per cent for luxury articles and amusements.

Ireland's New Position in British Empire Likely to Bring Change in Famous Flag.

Among the lesser and more sentimental sacrifices the British feel they are making for Irish peace, there is the prospect of the changed Union Jack.

The diagonal red cross in the Union Jack stands for Ireland. The original national flag was the banner of St. George, a plain red cross on a white background. In 1606 the Scottish flag, a white diagonal cross and a blue background, was blended with the white upright cross, with a blue background of the diagonal white cross being added.

On the death of Charles I the cross of St. George again became the national flag, but in 1706, after the union with Scotland, the cross standard with the blue background was restored. In 1801 the red cross of St. Patrick was superimposed on St. Andrew's cross, making the present Union Jack.

A Bostonian Lesson.  
Pronounce "Cannes" with the Bostonian "a" as in "dance," to rhyme with "aunts" and not with "ants."—Boston Globe.

## Why does any healthy person want to be kicked into wakefulness in the morning?

Many people feel that they have to be agitated into wakefulness in the morning. They think that without the tea or coffee they take in the morning that they will not be able to meet the tasks and duties of the day.

Nothing could be more false than this reasoning. Any doctor can tell you this. For a healthy body does not require a stimulant. It gets all the stimulant it needs from food.

The thein and caffeine found in tea and coffee are irritating to the heart and nervous system. They jolt the nerves into undue activity. The result is a reaction. This is why regular tea and coffee drinkers think they must have their stimulant the first thing in the morning to wind them up for the day.

If you will stop using tea and coffee for a week, and drink

Postum, the pure cereal beverage instead, it will give Nature an opportunity to rid the system of the irritating substances that harass your nerves, upset digestion, increase your heart action, and make you nervous and irritable.

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# KINGSTON DEPARTMENT

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Fresh fish at the Meat Market this week.  
 Judge Pond of DeKalb was here Saturday.  
 Mrs. Susan Stark spent Tuesday in Sycamore.  
 Miss Leona Chellgreen went to Chicago Wednesday.  
 Mrs. B. F. Uplinger was an Elgin passenger Wednesday.  
 J. L. Volson of Rockford was a business visitor here Saturday.  
 William Hemenway of Sycamore was here on business Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bacon entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gieck of Elgin Sunday.  
 Mrs. Ackerman entertained Mr. and Mrs. T. Burke and children of Charter Grove Sunday.

Jake Dunlap returned home Monday from a week's visit in Freeport.  
 Mrs. Myron Cole of Belvidere visited relatives here last Friday.  
 Mr. F. P. Fanning spent the week end with his parents at Sandwich.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Aves entertained Rev. Madgen of Genoa Sunday.  
 Mrs. E. C. Burton visited her sister Mrs. Allie Lucas in Belvidere Tuesday.  
 Claude Johnson of Elgin came Tuesday to visit relatives and friends a few days.  
 Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Koch of Hampshire, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Koch.  
 Mrs. John Helsdon and grandson, Burnell Bell, are visiting relatives in Chicago this week.

Miss Elsie Anderson spent the week end with her parents in DeKalb.  
 Miss Nellie Bell of Elgin spent Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Helsdon.  
 Ralph Hansaw of Evanston spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hansaw.  
 Miss Polly Branch of Chicago spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. H. Branch.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worden and daughter, Jane, spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Witter.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ort entertained Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly Gray and children of Genoa Sunday afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burbanks and children of Cortland spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Susan Stack.

Last Wednesday night the Kingston Town Basket Ball team went to Kirksland and played there, winning the game 16-17.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Leon Uplinger and son, Morris spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Uplinger's parents at Rockford.  
 The High School pupils had a party in Knappenberger Hall Saturday evening. Games were played the first part of the evening and dancing the latter part.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson have rented the Henry Clark farm, north of Belvidere, just out of the city limits and move to their new home the first of March.  
 The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church is planning a bazaar, at which they will serve dinner and supper, and a program in the evening, the latter part of March.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Packard went to Chicago Monday to see the latter's mother, Mrs. Frank Lettow who is in the hospital. She is getting along nicely since her operation.  
 When Mr. William Aves was in the woods Tuesday forenoon after a load of wood his horse jumped throwing him from the wagon breaking one rib and was cut and bruised a great deal.  
 Howard Wardlowe and Llewellyn Welch of Chicago spent Thursday night and Friday at the W. H. Belt home. Mr. Welch took his third degree in the Masonic lodge Thursday night here.  
 Friday evening in Knappenberger's hall "Robert Warwick" in "The Fourteenth Man" and a two reel comedy may be seen, also views taken while the men were working in the river for the two lost children here.  
 Last Thursday afternoon the Thimble Club met at the home of Mrs. Leon Uplinger. The assistant hostesses were Mrs. Lee Smith, Mrs. Ralph White and Mrs. Frank Jackson. Their next meeting will be in March at the home of Mrs. Walter Cole.

**Robin Is Inventor.**  
 The robin lives in trees and partly on the ground, so that it sometimes hops, like birds that live in trees, and sometimes walks or runs, like birds that live on the ground. The robin is a plucky little fellow. He will stand up for himself, and refuses to let other birds put upon him. Generally he lives alone—sometimes with a mate, but never do you find robins in flocks.  
 This little bird can claim to be the inventor of pottery.  
 Look at a robin's nest and you will see that it is a clay pot, set into a pile of straw. When a robin has finished with a nest, take it and put it on the fire, having first thoroughly dried it. Leave it on the fire until all the straws have been burnt, and if it has not broken, you will find that you have a perfectly good earthen pot.—Pearson's Weekly.

**Lucky or Unlucky Number?**  
 There are those who insist that the dread of the number 13 is of modern origin, unknown to the ancients. Certain it is that many years ago there were those who regarded the number as fortunate. Among them was Pope Gregory the Great, who every morning gave a meal to twelve poor persons. One morning Jesus appeared as a thirteenth member of the company, and thereafter 13 was held to be a lucky and blessed number.—New York Tribune.

**Isolation Sometimes Good.**  
 Let the incommunicable objects of nature and the metaphysical isolation of man teach us independence. Let us not get too much acquainted. . . . We should meet each morning, as from foreign countries, and spending the day together, should depart at night, as into foreign countries. . . . No degree of affection need invade this religion. This is myth and rosemary to keep the other sweet.—Emerson.

**Metaphysics.**  
 The second great discovery of the Greek thinkers was metaphysics. Nowadays metaphysics is revered by some as our noblest effort to reach the highest truth, and scorned by others as the silliest of wild goose chases. I am inclined to rate it, like smoking, as a highly gratifying indulgence to those who like it, and as indulgences go, relatively innocent.—Prof. J. H. Robinson, in "Mind in the Making."

**Marriage, Hey!**  
 You said you were married, I think? Well, I suppose it is wise, after all. It settles, centralizes and confirms a man, I have heard. Yes, it makes the world definite to him; it removes his morbid subjectiveness, and makes all things objective; nine small children, for instance, may be considered objective. Marriage, hey! A fine thing, no doubt, no doubt—domestic—pretty—nice, all round. So you are married?—From "Pleats" by Herman Melville.

**Task Before America.**  
 America, too, will have to strain its energies, crack its sinews and all break its heart, as the rest of us have had to do, before it can become a habitation for the gods.—Thomas Carlyle.

**Try to Say Something Good.**  
 Have a good word for everybody. The only man who has a right to look down on others, is the man in an airship. Even the balloons speak well of those beneath them.—J. H. Turner.

**Peculiar Manx Cats.**  
 The origin of Manx cats is now attributed to the arrival of these cats on the Isle of Man from ships belonging to the Spanish armada that were wrecked there. They were probably brought from Japan or eastern Asia. They are a distinct species with short forelegs, and elevated hindquarters, and differ from other cats somewhat in call, ways, and character. They vary in color. People who have owned them for long periods say they are not good mousers or hunters. In character they are rather similar to a dog, being highly companionable and having some of the qualities of a guardian, but they are not considered hunters in any sense of the word.

**Sense of Obligation.**  
 "What a wonderful thing it would be if Shakespeare were alive today!" "I wish he were," said Mr. Stormington Barnes, earnestly. "I should like to meet him. I'm sure he would be very grateful to me for the manner in which I have interpreted his poetry."

**Her Present Occupation.**  
 "You say that your wife went to college before you married her?" "Yes, she did."  
 "And she thought of taking up law, you said?" "Yes; but how satisfied to lay it down."

**Her Mark.**  
 When melancholy marks a man for her own the color she uses is blue.—Boston Transcript.

**Sailors' Superstitions.**  
 There was when sailors would not think of sailing without a charm or pocketpiece of some kind to ward off bad luck. Wind beads were a favorite and in nearly every port were maidens to sell them. Tattoos were considered essential for bon voyage, especially the butterfly on the shoulder predominated for good luck. A pig tattooed on the foot was assurance the man would never drown. Sailors used to say not a man is known to have drowned if he possessed this significant charm against fate.

**Meter as a Measure.**  
 The meter is the unit of length in scientific work. Almost all the countries of the world, with the exception of the British empire and the United States, have adopted this unit along with the rest of the metric system of which it is a part. The meter is 39.37 inches or 3.28 feet, an absolute unit, while the foot is arbitrary. The meter is the ten-millionth part of some quarter of a terrestrial meridian, that is of a degree of longitude. It is, accordingly, based on an invariable distance and can be checked at any time.

**Avoid "Smoker's Throat."**  
 It is often said that you do not get oil of tobacco in cigars. This is a mistake. The oil is there and is no more burnt away or evaporated than in a pipe. It is drawn to and condensed in the end of the cigar between the lips of the smoker. For this reason cigars should never be smoked to the last inch. Certain connoisseurs will never smoke a cigar more than three-quarters of the way through. Smoking cigars to the bitter end produces "smoker's throat." As soon as a cigar begins to taste bitter, throw it away.

Islands at \$6,000 Apiece.  
 Islands off the Corsican coast were recently offered for sale at \$6,000 apiece.

## Want Ads

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For Sale

FOR SALE—Daveyport in excellent condition. Inquire of E. J. Tischler, Genoa.  
 FOR SALE—2 second hand Dodges, 1 Overland and 1 Buick automobile. Inquire of Duval & Awe Garage, Genoa.  
 FOR SALE—Lots No. 7 and 8 block 1 Nichols addition, also No. 17 double flat block No. 2 Travers addition, to village of Genoa. Wm. Ohlendorf Freeport, Illinois. 13-ft.  
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 FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet. Call Mrs. E. J. Tischler, Genoa.

NOTICE  
 The Prairie View Stock Farm will not have their sale this year but will sell their stock at private sale at any time. Hartman & Muhr. 10-ft

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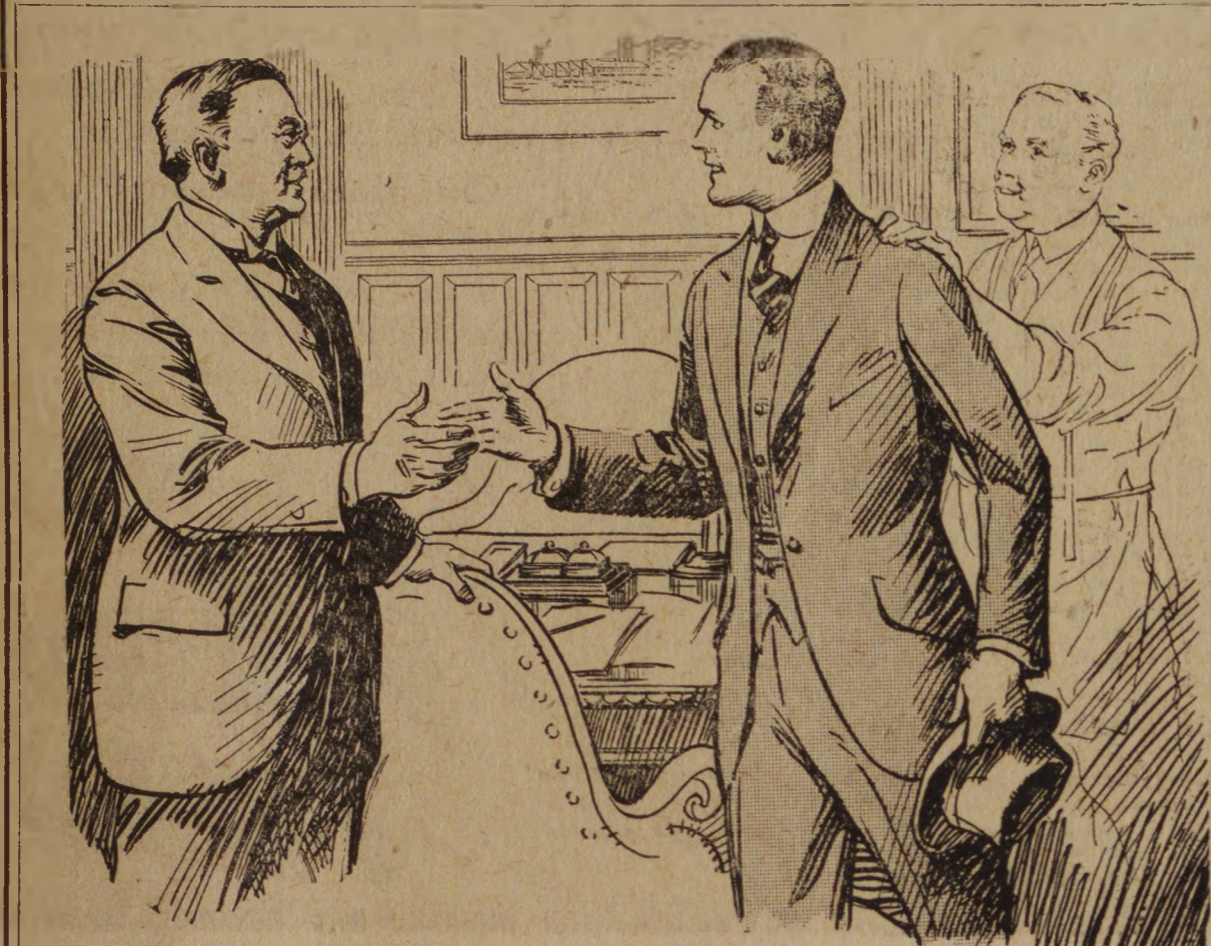
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