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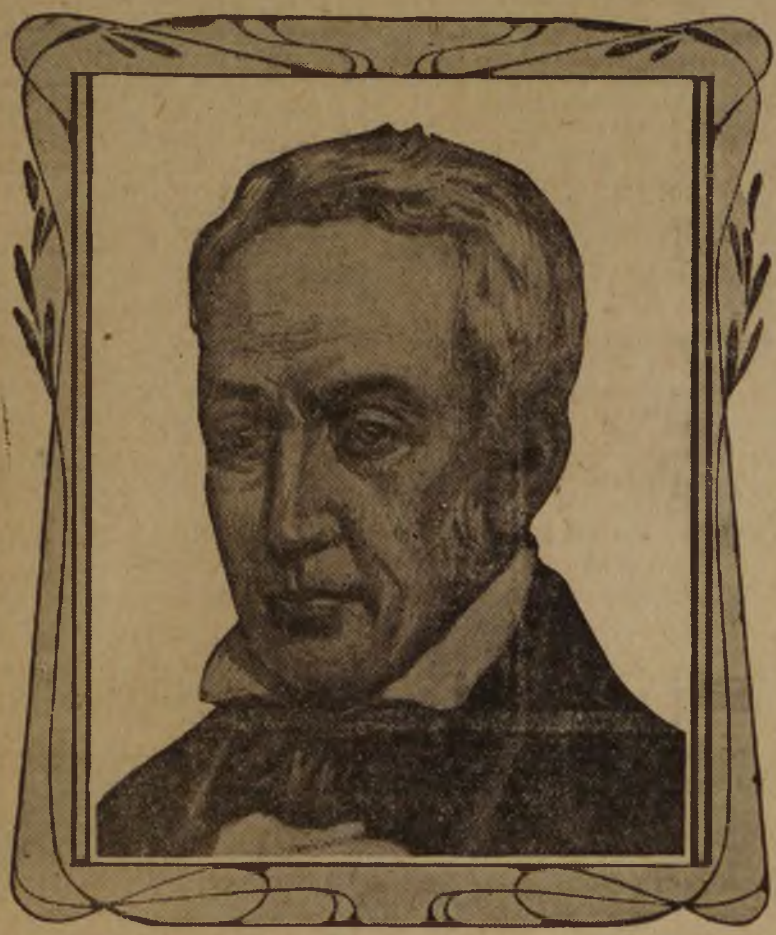
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Governors of Illinois



JOHN REYNOLDS—1830-1834.

John Reynolds, fourth governor of Illinois, was born in Montgomery county, Pa., Feb. 26, 1789, coming to Illinois in 1800. He was elected judge, served three terms in congress and was one of the state financial agents to negotiate for funds to carry on internal improvements. He was elected governor on the Democratic ticket, defeating William Kinney, Whig, by nearly 4,000 votes. He resigned as governor Nov. 17, 1834, to take a seat in congress. Although a staunch Democrat, he was bitterly opposed to Douglas and supported Lincoln for the senate in opposition to Douglas. He died in Belleville in 1865.

FAMILY REUNION

Children of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Renn at the Parental Home

A family reunion occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Renn Sunday, at which time all their children and families who live in this part of the country were present.

The occasion was just a good social family affair and Mrs. Renn had everything arranged to suit her children, and altho well along in years she still enjoys preparing such feasts.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Renn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Renn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoffman, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sowers and family.

DEKALB COUNTY TAX

Nearly Half Million Paid by People of This County Shows Our Wealth

The wealth of DeKalb county is indicated by the amount of taxes paid. The aggregate amount of taxes levied in the county for 1907 and now being collected for the several purposes is as follows:

State tax.....	\$ 53,793.91
County tax.....	60,219.57
Town tax.....	9,844.92
Road and Bridge tax.....	81,701.97
Corporation tax.....	76,221.05
Special Gravel tax.....	2,662.57
District School tax.....	164,375.90
District Road tax.....	724.50
Dog tax.....	2,069.00
Township High School tax.....	25,027.91
Canada Thistle tax.....	2.00
Total tax.....	\$474,723.30

ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

Price Advanced One Cent by Members of Board of Trade

The price of butter Monday was quoted at 33 cents and firm on the Elgin board of trade, an increase of one cent over the price of a week ago. The output for the Elgin district the past week has been 459,700 pounds.

Former markets:

Jan. 27, 1908, 32c.

Feb. 4, 1907, 32c.

Feb. 5, 1906, 27c.

Feb. 6, 1905, 31c.

New York prices were quoted steady at 33 cents for extras.

Rockford Postmaster Dead

Colonel T. G. Lawler, postmaster of Rockford and former commander in chief of the G. A. R., died Monday.

NEIGHBORLY AFFAIR

OLD TIME HOUSE WARMING TAKES PLACE IN NEY

HARRY SMITH'S NEW HOME

House is Filled With Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, about Ninety Being Present

There was something doing at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith in Ney last Thursday, Jan. 30, and there were about ninety people present to assist in the doings. Never was a new house so thoroly warmed. There could be no doubt regarding the popularity of the host and hostess when one glanced over the sea of smiling faces that filled the rooms. Not only was the immediate neighborhood represented, but a large number came from the neighborhood where they formerly resided.

They had a dinner out there too, the guests all coming well prepared for that part of the program. In short it was a regular Ney dinner, and those who have ever felt into a chair at a table in that neck-o' the woods know the meaning of the words.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were presented with a handsome dining table by the guests.

The following were present:

Messrs. and Mesdames
Thomas Ratfield
Frank Fellows
Curtis Mackey
Ellis Mackey
Grant Anthony
Fred Griebel
John Deamond
Charles Johnson
August Hartman
Jake Burkhardt
John Corson
John Stockwell
Harvey Burroughs
James Reid
Albert Corson
John Peterson
George Dalby
Fred O'Bright
James Furt
Horton Corson
Cole Kitchen
Will Eichler
Chester Shipman
Alvin Fague
Fred Patterson
Dell Sears

Mesdames Neering, Jerry Vandresser, Martin Anderson, Herman Eichstead, and Clara Piper.

Misses

Della Sheldon
Carrie White
Maggie White
Florence Eichler
Lizzie Bahr

Messrs.

George White
Henry Bahr
Fred Pearson
Jones Corson
George Eichler

Mayne Mayo
Elsie Eichstead
Ruth Dalby
Grace Eichler
Lila Kitchen

Messrs.

L. D. Kellogg
Harry Dunbar
George Corson
Clyde Shipman
Emery Barber

CROWDS CHEER GAGHAN

Veteran Northwestern Engineer Drives Locomotive Last Time

Along the line of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad Friday afternoon crowds gathered at stations between Chicago and Sterling, Ill., to wave fond farewells to Engineer Larry Gaghan, who was making his last run before his retirement on pension.

Gaghan probably is known to more persons along the line than any engineer who ever traveled over it. His service on the Northwestern covers a period of 50 years and much of that time has been spent on an engine between Chicago and Sterling. His retirement is not due to decrepitude, although he is 72 years old, but was ordered because the rules of the road showed that he had reached the age limit.

Sell Ranch; Large Profit

C. S. Kilbourne and William George of Aurora and John B. Roberts have sold their ranch near Whitehall, Ill., at a profit of \$95,000, after holding the property for five years. They bought the property in 1902 for \$45,000, expended \$10,000 on it in improvements, and have just sold it for \$150,000. The ranch is known as the Aurora, and comprises 3,032 acres of land in the Illinois bottoms.

Sandwich Church Destroyed

Fire at Sandwich Methodist morning totally destroyed the First Methodist church. The loss is estimated at \$25,000. Authorities are at a loss to discover the origin of the blaze, but the theory that it was incendiary is not advanced.

"Zeke, the Country Boy" at opera house to-night, Thursday Feb. 6.

HAMPSHIRE'S NEW CHURCH

Plans Now Being Drawn for the Handsome Edifice

Plans for a \$20,000 Catholic church to be built at Hampshire by the St. Charles Borromeo society are now being drawn by Herman Gaul, a Chicago architect. The plans will be finished within a few weeks and work upon the new edifice will begin about March 1. Rev. C. J. Huth, pastor of the Hampshire Catholic church, is in charge of the work.

Hampshire Catholics say that when the new church is finished it will be one of the most elaborate and costly edifices in Kane county. It will be located upon a corner site within a block of the present church. Hampshire, Burlington and Genoa Catholics have united in raising funds to erect the structure.

It will be one story in height, 45x120 feet with a steeple 120 feet high. The building will be constructed of pressed brick and cut stone with a slate roof. A steam heating plant will be installed and the auditorium of the edifice will be elaborately decorated. It will have a seating capacity of more than 500 persons.

Rev. C. J. Huth, who has been pastor of the parish for a number of years, is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the church. Charles Schiesser and P. S. Schneider are the other members of the committee.

Rev. Huth stated Wednesday morning that work would begin upon the edifice as soon as possible, probably the first of March, and that it will probably be finished by June 1.

ST. PAUL OFFICIALS IN ORIENT

Will Look After Trade in Japan and China

J. H. Hiland, third vice president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad in charge of traffic; and F. A. Miller, general passenger agent of the same line, left on the steamer Mongolia last Thursday for Japan and China.

The object of these railroad officials in visiting the Orient is to look over the business that may be secured from the Orient when this road shall have entered Seattle. The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul is well on its way west, and if nothing unforeseen occurs, it should be in Seattle in about one year's time.

Arrangements will be made with a Japanese steamship line to handle through traffic.

The Real American Bird

The honored American eagle must take a back seat in favor of the hen. She now reigns supreme in the minds of 80,000,000 people in the United States, who consume daily 44,000,000 eggs.

Did you ever stop to think what the hen does for us? We pay her \$300,000,000 per year. He eggs for one year if shipped in one train would make a solid line of cars from Washington, D. C., to Chicago, Ill., a distance of over 900 miles. Her 16,000,000 eggs a year if made into a necklace would reach from the earth to the moon and back. If made into an omelet, the omelet would be large enough to completely envelop the entire earth. With the money spent on eggs we could build two Panama canals a year and a congressional library every seven days. We paid more for eggs last year than the teachers, the corn raisers or the corn growers earn.

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DIED IN BELVIDERE

MRS. MYRON DEAN SUCUMBS TO CANCER

REMAINS BROUGHT HERE

Funeral Services Held Here Thursday, Rev. T. E. Ream of Morton Park Officiating

Mrs. Myron Dean died at her home in Belvidere Sunday night, Feb. 2, after an illness of eleven weeks, cancer being the direct cause of death.

The funeral services, which were private, were held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown, Thursday, Feb. 6, at about 2 o'clock, Rev. T. E. Ream of Morton Park officiating.

Lenna Z. Brown, daughter of James P. and Susan Brown, was born in Genoa May 17, 1867, being one of a pair of twins. Her twin sister is Mrs. Lora Z. Adams of Belvidere. In October, 1886, she was married to Mr. Myron Dean of Genoa. Two children, a boy and a girl, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dean. The daughter, Jessie, survives with her father to sorrow over the death of a devoted mother and wife. The son, Earl, died a few years ago in Genoa.

Besides her father and mother she leaves seven sisters and four brothers and a large number of other relatives and friends who mourn over her untimely death.

After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Dean resided on a farm near Charter Grove where Mrs. Dean was loved by all who knew her. She was a devoted mother and nothing pleased her more than in making her home pleasant for husband and children. She was a good neighbor and found a place in the hearts of those who came to her for help. Mrs. Dean was an ardent worker in the Missionary society, being at one time president of the society at Charter Grove.

About nine years ago Mr. and Mrs. Dean moved to Anamosa, Iowa, where they resided six years, then returning to Genoa. Last March they moved to Belvidere, where death claimed the wife and mother.

The plan of draining the "big slough," south of Harvard and lying in the towns of Dunham and Marengo, is again agitated, this time, it is believed, with a fair prospect of something being done and that in the near future. As originally planned the district that now includes this land embraces about 4,000 acres, which has been too wet for cultivation, but under a proper system of drainage would become the most productive land in McHenry county.

For Collector

I am a candidate for the office of collector for the town of Genoa at the coming spring election and solicit your support. Respectfully,
CHAS. E. ADAMS
20-1f

For Highway Commissioner

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of highway commissioner for Genoa township at the coming town caucus, and respectfully solicit your support.
JOHN PETERSON
21-1f

Court House News

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Emery C. Hayes to Geo. T. Donohue WD lot 9 and e 1/2 to bk 14 \$300.00
A. L. Johnson to Mary T. Donohue, WD lot 16 bk 5 Eureka Park \$225.00
G. E. Stott to Marten Malana, WD lot 2 bk 1 Oak Park \$200.00
Thos. Archholzer to Casper Staub WD pt sw 1/4 sec 24, \$600.
Mary T. Donahue to Geo. T. Donahue, WD lot 16 bk 5 Eureka Park, \$100.00.

OLD CRESCENTS MEET

Survivors of Famous Ball Team of Thirty Years Ago

The survivors of the old base ball team, the "club" which made this neck o' the woods famous thirty years ago, held their annual reunion at Sycamore Wednesday, Feb. 5.

The Crescent base ball club association was organized in 1906, the object being to hold annual meetings of the surviving members of the club. The first meeting was held at the Great Northern Hotel in Chicago in February, 1906, at which time the following were present: O. H. Smith, Frank W. Wyman, J. B. Stephens, C. H. Buell, of Sycamore, Ill.; P. K. Jones of Belvidere, Ill.; W. G. Dustin of Dwight, Ill.; John Hadsall, Genoa, Ill.; M. C. Goodwill, Galesburg, Ill.; R. D. Holmebeak, Elgin, Ill.; Lester Barber and John DeYarmond, Marengo, Ill.; H. B. Lee, C. W. Mosher, Chicago, Ill.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS

Record in DeKalb County Shows Negligence of Physicians and Nurses

The records during the year 1907 from the county clerk's office give the number of deaths as 199. There were issued from the office 275 marriage licenses. The number of births reported to the office during the year were 527. Of these the males and females were equal, being 262 of each, the sex of three not being reported. Of the parents 199 fathers were foreigners and 181 mothers were foreigners, the rest being of native birth. There were reported five pairs of twins. Dr. Blagden reported the largest number of births, 59.

SELLS SPRINGFIELD NEWS

Col. Frank O. Lowden Disposes of His Interests to C. H. May

Congressman Frank O. Lowden of Oregon, has sold his four-fifths interest in the Springfield Evening News to Charles H. May. Mr. May is the publisher of the Peoria Herald-Transcript, and was formerly publisher of the Galesburg Mail. J. McCan Davis of Springfield retains a one-fifth interest. The paper will remain under the editorship of O. P. Bassett, and there will be no changes in the force.

A Pleasant Evening

Last Tuesday evening Fred Scherf came in town and gathered up a load of the Royal Neighbors and gave them a sleigh-ride out to his home in the country where the evening was spent with pleasure, mixed with a short session of work pertaining to the order. Mr. Scherf seemed inclined to make the acquaintance of the camp goat, but the ladies informed him that the "Billy" was not present. A most enjoyable time was had and fruit and sweetmeats served.

Successful Leap Year Dance

The young lady members of the S. S. Club gave a leap year dancing party on Tuesday evening at Crawford's hall. The decorations in yellow were simple and tasteful. Features of the evening were the music by Harden's orchestra, the "Flower Dance" and "Gentleman's Extra." The club members wore white gowns with yellow chrysanthemums. Miss Kirk led the grand march with Mr. Carmichael. Miss Canman presided at the frappe table. The out of town guests pronounced it well worth while to have braved the storm in order to participate.

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OF GENERAL INTEREST

ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS OF EXCHANGES

ARRESTED FOR FLIRTING

Aurora Girl is Sent to County Jail Because She Couldn't Pay a Fine of \$25.00

A valuable horse and buggy were stolen from a farmer near Hinckley one night recently. A reward of \$25 is offered.

A Kentucky man is reported to have died from swallowing a frog in spring water he was drinking. Here is another gruesome argument against prohibition.

Pneumonia claimed another of the pioneer residents of Boone county late Monday afternoon when Warren Andrews died at the age of 94 years. Mr. Andrews had been a resident of Boone county since 1850 and of Belvidere for the last seven years.

Aurora Beacon: Marcia Johnson, arrested on a charge of flirting in the streets, was given a fine of \$25 and costs in police court and falling to procure the twenty-five, took a trip to the county jail at Geneva where she will serve out her sentence.

Senator Hopkins has introduced a bill asking for an appropriation of \$50,000 for the improvement and enlargement of the government building at Elgin. The present quarters are cramped, and additional room is an absolute necessity for the carrying on of the work.

Nearly fifty old soldiers answered the call of "taps" every day during the last year, according to the net decrease shown by the pension rolls. The gross decrease during the fiscal year was 49,634, and nearly all of that shortening of the roll was caused by death. The total number of pensioners at the close of the year was 967,371.

James Gellatly, of Hamilton county, Nebraska, his wife and nine children, and mother, Mrs. Gellatly, arrived in Chicago Tuesday to undergo medical treatment designed to prevent hydrophobia. They believe they have contracted it by drinking milk from a cow which was suffering with the disease, having been bitten by a dog suffering from rabies.

Sylvester Ward of Sycamore who left home over ten years ago, has written home for the first time. During his absence he has crossed the Atlantic ocean 32 times, served in the Boer war under the British and had many other experiences fully as interesting. He is now in London and from the tone of his letters to his parents has seen enough and is homesick to see them all again.

Chicago is a great railroad center, and is now the terminal of thirty-five railway systems, the aggregate length of which is over 100,000 miles—more than 40 per cent of the total railway mileage of the United States. It is an interesting fact that more sleeping cars leave and arrive in one day in Chicago than in any other city in the world. Chicago is a great city, and the wickedest city in the world.

The longest telephonic system in the world used for dispatching trains on railroads was completed Wednesday afternoon, and extends from Aurora to Galesburg, a distance of 129 miles. The C. B. & Q. railroad has the system in operation and the same is working to perfection. The change was originally planned for an experiment, and was brought about by the scarcity of telegraph operators, and the recent difficulties among the telegraphers.

Books for All Ages.
The publisher who advertises "books for all ages" tacitly recognizes that the seven ages of man call for different intellectual food. The pictures and fairy tales for children and the philosophy and criticism for serene old age are accepted as a matter of course. But the debatable land is that between 16 and 25, and this especially for girls. It is highly undesirable for Mary that she should read everything at hand. It is equally undesirable for the man of letters that he should be restricted in his product to the book suitable for the sweet girl graduate. As life opens before her she should have books which will interpret it for her. Meantime, for the men and women who are in the midst of life's actual struggle, there should be other books—no less delicate through covering a larger field. The demand of mature men and women who rely upon the imaginative writer to help them in their relations with other folk is not for wicked books. Nothing could be less to their purpose. A clever novelist has recently said that our time asks "not brutal books, not indecent books, but truthful books." American mothers may learn from French mothers what girls should and should not read. They must also learn how to make a prohibition effective without its being either irksome or suggestive of disobedience. When a girl once discovers that her mother's book fits her no better than her mother's bonnet it will be a gain for girlhood and for literature.

Will American Women Be Stirred?

It is rather odd that English women, who have the name of being conservative and retiring, should furnish the most pronounced illustration of suffrage agitation. The "suffragette" movement, carried to the extent of violent protest and resulting in the arrest and punishment of a number of ladies of rank and high social standing who participated in the demonstration, is still in vivid remembrance, nor has it subsided. In fact, the "suffragettes" appear to be in some respects more determined than ever. They are even sending out missionaries to stir up the American women to "revolt." One of them has arrived in New York, but apparently gets little encouragement. The women suffragists of the United States are quite as earnest in the cause as their English sisters, and in many ways more practical, declares the Troy (N. Y.) Times. They can point to the full suffrage won in a number of states and qualified suffrage in various other sections. American women, often represented as impulsive and hasty, in reality as a whole show calmer judgment and are more deliberate in action than those of other lands. As witness, observe the difference between the self-restrained suffragists of this country and the somewhat tumultuous "suffragettes" of conservative England.

That art is long is again illustrated by the delay in the completion of the equestrian statue of Lafayette in Paris, for which \$60,000 were subscribed, chiefly by American school children, nine or ten years ago. A bronze model of the statue was unveiled with elaborate ceremonies during the last Paris exposition in 1900. The sculptor, Paul Wayland Bartlett, was not satisfied with this model, and he has been at work on the figure ever since. The latest reports from him indicate that he has finally produced a statue which commends itself to his judgment, and he will soon be ready to have it cast in bronze. In the meantime the model that was unveiled in 1900 has fallen to pieces and its ruins have been removed from the pedestal. Americans in Paris are wondering when the completed figure will be set up. The reputation of Mr. Bartlett, the sculptor, is such that one may safely look for a fine work of art when he says that he has done his best with it.

The funeral of Prof. Seymour of Yale, where the family wore no mourning and the rites were of the simplest, was presumably just as he wished it. Many a man would prefer that no emblems of mourning be worn for him, even by his widow, but it is seldom that such wishes are respected. Women do not necessarily prefer to don the gloomy garb, but seldom feel equal to defying the conventionalities to the extent of rejecting it.

Canada has now her own mint and is going to coin her own money. The colony has given the mother country another delicate intimation that, though "daughter in her mother's house, she is mistress in her own."

Referring to the proposed plan to replace defective organs of the body with others in which the mechanism is in better working order, there are a number of persons who can stand now and improved brains.

PORTUGAL QUIET ON SURFACE ONLY

STRICT MEASURES BY THE NEW CABINET KEEP DOWN THE REVOLUTIONISTS.

Franco Is Forced Out—Former Dictator Hiding—Police Learn the Assassins Had Carefully Planned to Kill All the Royal Family.

Lisbon, Feb. 4.—Under a new regime, with a new king and the establishment of a new cabinet, Portugal seems to be for the moment at peace. There is an underlying current of revolutions, however, and the strictest measures are being taken to preserve order.

At noon Monday an official statement was given out that perfect order existed throughout Portugal.

Franco, the once dictator, was forced to resign because of the bitterness of the people against him and the new cabinet will strive for the welfare of the fatherland under the presidency of Rear Admiral do Amaral. Another official statement given out was to the effect that the president of the cabinet would be supported by all the groups of monarchists, who had agreed to forget previous differences.

Franco Forced to Quit.
The situation for Premier Franco after the assassination of the king and crown prince became impossible. During the days which preceded the tragedy and during the tumultuous manifestations on the streets, with the later discovery of vast stores of arms and bombs, public opinion backed him in his efforts to maintain order, but the murders changed the entire complexion of the situation. He has not been seen on the streets since his meeting with the king immediately after the latter's arrival from Villa Vicosa, but all possible places where he might be have been closely watched and guarded.

Murders Carefully Planned.
The investigations of the police show that the murders were carefully planned. On Saturday the assassins met secretly in the back room of a cafe and there laid out every step of the plot, which they were enabled to do as all the details relating to the home-coming of the king had been made public. To each was assigned a post in the work of shooting down the members of the royal family, but lots were drawn for the selection of each particular victim. Those who drew Queen Amelia and Prince Manuel failed to carry out their bloody task.

Slain in Their Carriage.
Lisbon, Feb. 3.—King Carlos of Portugal and the crown prince, Luiz Philippe, were shot to death Saturday, as they sat in the royal carriage, by a band of revolutionists.

His majesty, accompanied by Queen Amelia, Crown Prince Luiz and Prince Manuel, were returning from the Villa Vicosa, where they had been temporarily residing, when a company of men leaped from behind a barrier and, leveling carbines at the royal family, fired.

The move was so sudden that none of the king's guards could prevent the assassination. Immediately after the regicides had fired, however, the police returned with a volley and killed three of them.

A boy king, who henceforth will be known as Manuel II., is now the ruler of the Kingdom of Portugal, and the revolution into which the instigators of the bloody events of Saturday had hoped to plunge the country has not yet at least engulfed the nation.

People Stricken with Grief.
The only word of indication that universal order in Portugal has possibly been broken came from Oporto in the form of a rumor that a republic had been proclaimed there, but this was not confirmed. Lisbon, from a scene of revolutionary outbreaks, seems sincerely prostrated with grief. The streets are silent and the people, wearing emblems of mourning, pass slowly and sorrowfully, discussing the murder of the king and the crown prince.

The cowardly shooting of the king in the back calls forth words of execration on the regicides, while the government declares that the murders will only strengthen the cause of the monarchy and ensure the fidelity of the people. The army apparently still is loyal and no organized movement of the republicans to launch a republic is under way, so far as outward appearances go.

Early Sunday morning Premier Franco proclaimed the accession of Prince Manuel to the throne, the naval and military chiefs and the high dignitaries of state swore allegiance to the new king, and Portugal still lived under a monarchy.

The principal regicide killed has been identified as Manuel Buica, a sergeant in the Seventh cavalry, and a teacher in an elementary school. For eight years he acted as a private tutor in this city. He was about 30 years of age.

Col. T. G. Lawler Is Dead.
Rockford, Ill., Feb. 4.—Col. Thomas G. Lawler, former commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, died at his home early Monday. Bronchial pneumonia, which followed an attack of grippe two weeks ago, was the cause of death.

Fatal Fire in Kansas City.
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3.—Five persons were injured, one fatally, in a fire which destroyed Ladis Court, a three-story apartment house on the West side of this city, Sunday night.

DECLARATION BY HUGHES

MAKES PUBLIC HIS VIEWS ON THE ISSUES OF THE DAY.

Pays Tribute to Roosevelt—Says Sherman Anti-Trust Act Should Be Made Explicit.

New York, Feb. 1.—Gov. Charles E. Hughes, whose nomination for the presidency by the Republican national convention in Chicago next June is being urged by the New York county committee and other Republican county committees in New York state, has made open declaration of his views of national issues and principles.

Until Friday night, when he was welcomed by scores of well-known Republicans at a reception tendered him at the Republican club, Gov. Hughes has maintained silence on all questions affecting the country and the definition of his position on federal issues has consequently been expectedly awaited.

First acknowledging the high honor paid him by the club, and reviewing briefly the record and policies of the Republican party, Gov. Hughes paid a high tribute to President Roosevelt for his earnest efforts to right abuses.

The governor then denounced socialism as un-American, urged the necessity of stringent measures to prevent corrupt practices in elections, and, in relation to special privileges, declared there must be no encroachment on the common right for the purpose of serving the interests of the few at the expense of the many.

The speaker said he did not believe in governmental ownership of railroads, but that regulation of interstate transportation was essential.

Of trusts and combinations, the governor said:

"The Sherman anti-trust act should be clarified and made more explicit. The law may be made stronger and more effective by being made more definite. Sweeping condemnations, of uncertain meaning, do not aid but rather embarrass the prosecution of those who are guilty of pernicious practices. Combinations and practices in unreasonable restraint of trade and which menace the freedom of interstate commerce should be condemned in precise terms."

SIX KILLED BY A CYCLONE.

Fatal Storm Ravages Strip of Country in Mississippi.

Wesson, Miss., Feb. 1.—Six persons were killed outright by a cyclone which laid waste a strip of farming country three-quarters of a mile wide and several miles long just north of here Friday.

Brook Haven, Miss., Feb. 1.—A cyclone is reported to have done damage over a territory of considerable extent north of here Friday. Wire communication to the north has been lost completely.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 1.—A message from Hazelhurst, Miss., reports considerable damage to property and some loss of life as a result of a tornado which passed a few miles south of that place Friday afternoon.

DIES IN FRAT HOUSE FIRE.

Minneapolis Boy Burned to Death at Cornell University.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 1.—From the ruins of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity house at Cornell university, which burned Friday, were taken the charred remains of J. S. Kiehle, a junior in mechanical engineering. His body was found near the elevator shaft where the fire originated. It is supposed that Kiehle was on his way to an upper floor to save "Ted" Seelye of the Cornell Cross Country team, who was known to be an occupant of a room there. Seelye, scantily clothed, escaped to a balcony porch and down a ladder. Kiehle was from Minneapolis.

FLEET ENTERS THE STRAIT.

Battleships Anchor for the Night in Possession Bay.

Punta Arenas, Strait of Magellan, Feb. 1.—A wireless message was received here Friday evening that the American battleship fleet, which passed Point Dugness and entered the Strait of Magellan at two o'clock in the afternoon, would anchor for the night in Possession bay and arrive at Punta Arenas at noon Saturday.

Possession bay is some 20 miles westward of Point Dugness and about five miles from the entrance to the strait narrows, and affords good anchorage.

Milwaukee Woman Found Dead.

New York, Feb. 3.—A handsome woman of perhaps 37 years, supposed to be Almyra Wilcox, who conducted a millinery establishment in Milwaukee was found dead Sunday in her room at the Hotel Chelsea, where she registered last Monday. Death had occurred during the night and powders discovered in the room led the coroner to believe that an over portion of some narcotic had proved fatal. This view was concurred in by a physician who had treated the woman for insomnia. Letters written by her told of four sleepless nights.

Sends Himself to Workhouse.

Toledo, O., Feb. 4.—Handcuffed and shackled, Police Judge James Austin, Jr., was carried to the patrol wagon and taken to the workhouse Monday, where he will serve a short time with the inmates for the experience to be gained. The judge sentenced himself to the workhouse because he wanted to learn by experience that punishment was imposing upon others.

THAW ACQUITTED; PUT IN ASYLUM

WHITE'S SLAYER FOUND NOT GUILTY ON THE GROUND OF INSANITY.

Is Sent to Matteawan—Must Now Convince Lunacy Commission His Discharge Will Not Imperil the Public Safety.

New York, Feb. 3.—"Not guilty—on the ground that he was insane at the time of the commission of the act charged in the indictment."

This was the verdict in the Thaw case.

It was returned shortly before one o'clock Saturday by the jury in whose hands rested the destiny of Harry K. Thaw, on trial before Justice Dowling for the murder of Stanford White.

Justice Dowling immediately ordered the young Pittsburgh millionaire committed to the Matteawan asylum for the criminal insane until he can convince a lunacy commission that his discharge would not imperil the public safety.

Following a consultation his counsel announced that they would make no motion for a habeas corpus writ, and the defendant left for Matteawan on the 4.54 p. m. train.

Jury Reaches Agreement.

Events moved rapidly in the Thaw case Saturday. Just when counsel on both sides had virtually given up hope of the jury's reaching a verdict, word was brought to Justice Dowling at 12:35 o'clock that a finding had been reached.

Thaw, who had been hastily summoned from his cell in the Tombs was unprepared for the crucial moment, and there was an appreciable pause before he could be summoned to the bar. He looked pale and shaken, but he had a smile for his wife as he made his way to his accustomed seat. His wife and his brother Josiah Thaw were the only members of his family in court when the verdict was read.

Thaw was commanded to stand and face the jury and they, in turn, were directed to stand facing the defendant.

"Jurors, look upon the defendant; defendant, look upon the jurors," called Clerk Penny. "Gentlemen of the jury, have you agreed upon a verdict?"

"We have," replied Foreman Gremels.

"What say you—is the defendant guilty or not guilty?"

There was a moment of suspense in the courtroom. The breathing of those who looked on was almost suspended. Thaw stood like a man carved of stone.

"Not Guilty," Say Jurors.

"Not guilty—on the ground that he was insane at the time of the commission of the act charged in the indictment."

Thaw, still standing, bowed and smiled his acknowledgments to the men who had just acquitted him of criminal guilt for the murder of Stanford White. Then he turned to his wife, who greeted him with an encouraging little nod of the head and a smile.

The verdict seemed to please the district attorney's office as well as counsel for the defense. Mr. Jerome has maintained since the beginning of the trial that Thaw is medically, if not legally, insane. Indeed, during the first hearing, he risked his case by openly declaring his conviction before the jury.

As for the crowd in the courtroom, they took the verdict without demonstration, as they had been specifically warned by Justice Dowling before the jury entered the room against any outburst of enthusiasm.

Thinks He Will Be Free Soon.

Matteawan, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Harry K. Thaw began Sunday the routine of a simple life which the authorities at the State Hospital for the Criminal Insane say will make his long stay in the Tombs prison in New York city seem like the height of gayety in comparison.

During the day Thaw declared to one of the attendants that he probably would not be in the hospital more than one week. He said his lawyers would sue out a writ of habeas corpus in his behalf and he was sure he would be allowed his liberty as the result of a hearing in court or an inquiry before a commission.

VON DER AHE IS BANKRUPT.

Former Baseball Magnate Has Lost All His Fortune.

St. Louis, Feb. 4.—A petition in voluntary bankruptcy was filed Monday by Chris Von Der Ahe, for many years a principal figure in the baseball world and owner of the St. Louis American association team from its organization in 1876 until his retirement in 1898.

According to the petition he alleges he has but \$200 assets to offset \$27,865.35 liabilities. Many of his largest debts are notes for money borrowed for the support of the team he owned.

Boilermakers End Strike.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 4.—Vice President Gallivan of the International Union of Boilermakers announced Monday that the strike of boilermakers against the several railroads in Minnesota was declared off. Mr. Gallivan said that weather conditions have been against the men, as the roads have not needed the equipment that they ordinarily need in severe winters.

Laugh and Grow Fat; No.

There is nothing in the maxim "laugh and grow fat" or else the joke-smiths fall to grow mirthful over their own merry-making.

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"Tell him about six dollars," drawled Hiram Hardapple. "Let me see, it was that poor village doctor, wasn't it?"

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Sorrowing Widow Had to Have Picture by Which to Remember Hubby.
To be exhumed after he had been buried for 20 days and told to sit up and "look pleasant" was the tough luck that befell a corpse out at Woodlawn cemetery, New York, the other day. Henry Brown, a train dispatcher on the One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street elevated road, died December 6 of rheumatic gout and was buried decently and in order. Some two weeks after the funeral it occurred to Mrs. Brown that she would like a photograph of her husband, having none that did him justice. Immediately she petitioned the Bronx health department for permission to exhume Henry and snapshot him. The health department was somewhat dazed, but granted the request, and so, with a photographer and an undertaker, Mrs. Brown went to Woodlawn and had the three weeks' corpse dug up. Brown was taken both profile and full face.

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A Baffled Palmetto Journalist.
There is a chewing gum slot machine in the waiting-room at the Seaboard Air Line depot in Cheraw

The Girl from Tim's Place

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SYNOPSIS.

Chip McGuire, a 16-year-old girl living at Tim's place in the Maine woods is sold by her father to Pete Bolduc, a half-breed. She runs away and reaches the camp of Martin Frisbie, occupied by Martin, his wife, nephew, Raymond Stetson, and guides. She tells her story and is cared for by Mrs. Frisbie. Journey of Frisbie's party into woods to visit father of Mrs. Frisbie, an old hermit, who has resided in the wilderness for many years. When camp is broken Chip and Ray occupy same canoe. The party reach camp of Mrs. Frisbie's father and are welcomed by him and Cy Walker, an old friend and former townsman of the hermit. They settle down for summer's stay. Chip and Ray are in love, but no one realizes this but Cy Walker. Strange canoe marks found on lake shore in front of their cabin. Strange smoke is seen across the lake. Martin and Levi leave for settlement to get officers to arrest McGuire, who is known as outlaw and escaped murderer.

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

"It's the spites," whispered Chip to Ray. "They allus act that way when it's stormin'."

The next day the gale began to lessen, and by night the moon, now half-full, peeped out of the scurrying clouds. At bedtime it was smiling serenely, well down toward the tree-tops, and Chip's spites had ceased their wailing.

Fortunately, however, Martin's quest for game had been successful. A saddle of venison, a dozen or more partridges and two goodly strings of trout hung in cold storage.

But utter and almost speechless astonishment awaited Old Cy at the ice-house when he visited it the next morning, for the venison was gone, not a bird remained, and one of the two strings of trout had vanished.

In front, on the sand, was the same tell-tale moccasin tracks.

"Wall, by the Great Horn Spoon! if that cuss hain't swiped the hull business," Old Cy ejaculated, as he looked in and then at the tracks. "Crossed over last night," he added, noting where a canoe had cut its furrow, "an' steered plumb for my icehouse! The varmint!"

But Martin was angry, thoroughly angry, at the audacious insolence of the theft, and the thought that just now this sneaking half-breed was doubtless enjoying grilled venison and roast partridge in some secure shelter. It also opened his eyes to the fact that this chap would hang about, watching his chance, until they started out of the wilderness, and then capture the girl if he could. For a little while Martin pondered over the situation and then announced his plans.

"There's law, and officers to execute it," he said, "if a sufficient reward be offered; and to-morrow you and I, Levi, will start for the settlement and fetch a couple in. I'll gladly give \$500 to land this sneak behind the bars. If he can't be caught, we can at least have two officers to guard us going out."

All that day he and Levi spent in hunting. Another deer was captured, more birds secured, and when evening came plans to meet the situation were discussed.

"You or Ray must remain on guard daytimes near the cabin," Martin said to Old Cy. "My wife and Chip had better keep in it, or near it most of the time; and both of you must sleep there nights. One or the other can fish or hunt, as needed. We must be gone a week or more, even if we have good luck; but fetching the officers here is the best plan now."

Levi was up early the next morning, and had the best canoe packed for a hurry trip ere breakfast was ready. No tent was to be taken, only blankets, a rifle, a bag of the simplest cooking utensils, pork, bread and coffee. A modest outfit—barely enough to sustain life, yet all a woodsman carries when a long canoe journey with many carries must be taken.

There were sober faces at the landing when Martin was ready to start—Chip most sober of all—for now she realized as never before how serious a burden she had become.

No time was wasted in good-bys. Martin grasped the bow paddle, and with "Old Faithful" Levi wielding the stern oar, they soon crossed the lake and vanished at its outlet.

And now, also, for the first time, Angie realized how much the presence of these two strong and resourceful men meant to her. All that day she and Chip clung to the cabin, while Old Cy, a long, lanky Leatherstocking, patrolled the premises, rifle in hand.

"We hain't a mite o' cause to worry," he said when nightfall drew near. "The pesky varmint's a coward, 'n' knows guns are plenty here, an' we folks handy in usin' 'em. I've rigged a fish line to the ice house door so it'll rattle some tinware in the cabin if he meddles it again. I sleep with one eye 'n' both ears open, an' if he comes prowlin' round night-times, he'll hear bullets whizzin' an' think Fourth o' July's opened up arly."

But for all his cheerful assurance, time passed slowly, and a sense of real danger oppressed Angie and Chip as well. Ray shared it also. He was not as yet hardened to the wilderness, and like all who are thus tender,

its vast somber solitude seemed ominous.

Only the hermit, with his moonlike eyes and impassive ways, showed no sign of trouble. What this half-breed wanted, other than food, he seemed not to understand; and while he helped about the camp work and followed Old Cy like a dog, he was of no other aid.

One, two, three days of watchful guard and evenings when even Old Cy's cheerful philosophy or Ray's banjo failed to dispel the gloom, and then, just as the sun was setting once again, a canoe with one occupant was seen to enter the lake and head for the landing.

CHAPTER VII.

An unexpected canoe entering a lake so secluded and so seldom visited as this lake must needs awaken the keenest surprise, and especially in the case of a party situated as this one was. Ray, who had just returned from a berry-picking trip over at the "blow down," and Old Cy, carrying his suggestive rifle, were at the landing some time before this canoe reached it, while Angie and Chip waited almost breathlessly on the cabin piazza. A stout, bare-headed Indian, clad in white man's raiment, was paddling. He glanced at the two awaiting him at the landing, with big black, emotionless eyes, and then up to the cabin.

As his canoe now grated on the sandy beach close by, he laid aside his paddle, stepped forward and out, drew his craft up, and folding his arms glanced at Old Cy again, as if waiting for a welcome. None was needed, however, for on the instant, almost, came an exclamation of joy from Chip, and with a "Hullo, Poppy Tomah," she was down the bank, with both hands in his.

A faint smile of welcome spread

to the cut of his clothing, as all women will, had ere now absorbed the appearance of this swarthy redskin, and was not quite sure whether to invite him to share their table or say nothing.

But the Indian solved his own problem, for spying the outdoor fire to which Old Cy now retreated, he bowed again and strode away toward it.

"Me cook here?" he said to Old Cy. With an "Of course, an' you're welcome to," the question was settled.

Chip soon drew near, and now for the first time the Indian's speech seemed to return, and while Old Cy busied himself about the cooking, these two began to visit.

Chip, as might be expected, did most of the talking, asked questions as to Tim's place, when he was there, and what they said about her running away, in rapid succession. Her own adventures and how she came here soon followed, and it was not long before he knew all that was to be known about her.

His replies were blunt and brief, after the manner of such. Now and then an expressive nod or grunt filled in the place of an ordinary answer. He knew but little about the recent happenings at Tim's place, as he had stayed there only one night since Chip had departed with her father—as he was told. He had been away in the woods, looking for places to set traps later, and had no idea Chip was here.

As to Pete's movements, he was equally in the dark, and when Chip told him what her friends here suspected, he merely grunted. As he seemed to wish to do his own cooking, Old Cy, having completed his task, offered him a partridge and a couple of trout fresh from the icehouse, also pork and potatoes, and left him to care for himself.

He became more sociable later, and when supper was over and the rest had, as usual, gathered on the piazza of the new cabin, he joined them.

And now came a recital from Ray of far more interest to these people than they suspected.

"I saw a bear over back of the ridge this afternoon," he said, "or I don't know but it was a wildcat. I'd just filled my pail with berries, when way up, close to the rocks, I saw something moving. I crouched down back of a bush, thinking it might be a bear, and if it was, I'd get a chance to see it nearer. I could only see the top of its back above the bushes, and once I saw its head, as if it was standing up. Then I didn't see it for quite

that Ray saw skulking along the ridge, but the half-breed.

Believing Chip's father had taken her out of the wilderness, or more likely up-stream to find a place with these campers, he had come here to seek her. To find her here, as he of course did, only convinced him that his suspicions were true and that her father had thus meant to rob him.

Two determined impulses now followed this discovery: First, to make the girl he had bought a prisoner, carry her into the woods, and then, when the chance came, revenge himself on McGuire. No sense of law, or decency even, entered his calculation. He was beyond such scruples, and what he wanted was his only law.

The fear of rifles, which he knew were plenty enough at this camp, was the only factor to be considered. For days he watched the camp from across the lake, hoping that the girl he saw canoeing with a boy so often might come near enough for him to make a capture. Many times, when darkness served, he paddled close to where the cabin stood, and once landed and watched it for hours.

Growing bolder, as the days wore on, he hid his canoe below the outlet of the lake and taking advantage of this outcropping ledge with its many fissures, secreted himself and watched.

But some shelter, at least to cook and eat in, he must have, and this he found in a distant crevasse of this same ledge, and from this he sneaked along back of it until he could hide and watch the camp below. From this vantage-point he saw that the girl no longer went out upon the lake, but remained near the cabin; then, later, he noticed the two men leave the lake one morning. This encouraged him, and now he grew still bolder, even descending the ridge and watching those remaining at the cabin, from a dense thicket.

From this new post he saw that but one man seemed on guard, and almost was he tempted to shoot him from ambush and make a dash to capture his victim. Cautious and cunning, he still waited a chance involving less risk.

And now he saw that certain duties were performed by these people; that one man and the boy always started the morning fire; that the girl invariably went to the landing alone for water, at about the same time. Here for the moment she was out of sight from either cabin, and now in this act of hers, he saw his opportunity to land from his canoe near this spot before daylight, and hide in the bushes fringing the shore here and below the bank, watch his chance and seize and gag her before an outcry could be made. To tie her hands and feet and to push the other canoe out into the lake, thus avoiding pursuit until they could get a good start, was an easy matter.

It was risky, of course. She might hear or see him in time to give one scream. The old man who had said foolish things to him, and now seemed to be on guard, would surely send bullets after him as he sped away; but once out of the lake, he would be safe. It was a dangerous act; yet the other two men might return any day, and with this in prospect, this wily half-breed now resolved to act.

Old Cy was up early that fatal morning. Somehow a sense of impending danger haunted him, and calling Ray, he unlocked the cabin door and began starting the morning fire. He wanted to get breakfast out of the way as speedily as possible, and then visit this ridge, feeling almost sure that he would find where this half-breed had been watching them.

When Ray came out, and before the hermit or Chip appeared, Old Cy hurried over to the ice-house, and now Chip came forth as usual, and without a word to anyone, she took the two pails and started for the landing. It was, perhaps, ten rods to this, down a narrow path winding through the scrub spruce. The morning was fair, the lake without a ripple.

Above the ridge, and peeping through its toppling of stunted fir, came the first glance of the sun, and Chip was happy.

Old Tomah, her one and only friend for many years, was here. A something Ray had whispered the night before, now returned like a sweet note of music vibrating in her heart, and as if to add their cheer, the birds were piping all about.

For weeks the cheerful words of one of Ray's songs had haunted her with its catchy rhythm:—

Dar was an old nigger and his name was Uncle Ned.
He did long 'go, long 'go."

They now rose to her lips as she neared the lake. Here she halted, filled a pail, and set it on the log landing.

From behind a low spruce one evil, sinister eye watched her.

And now Chip, still humming this ditty, glanced up at the rising sun and out over the lake.

A crouching form with hideous face now emerged from behind the bush; step by step, this human panther advanced. A slow, cautious, catlike movement, without sound, as each moccasined foot touched the sand Nearer and nearer that unconscious girl it crept! Now 20 feet away, now ten, now five!

And now came a swift rush, two fierce hands enclosed the girl's face and drew her backward on to the sand. Ray and the hermit were beside the fire, and the Indian just emerging from the hut where he had slept, when Old Cy returned from the icehouse.

"Where's Chip?" he questioned. "Gone after water," answered Ray. And the two glanced down the path.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Large Philippine Cigars.

The largest cigars come from the Philippine Islands, some of them being 18 inches in length.

Illinois State News

Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities and Towns.

TOWN BIDS ENGINEER GOOD-BY.

Crowds Shout as Gaghan Goes Through on Last Trip.

West Chicago.—Larry Gaghan, the oldest locomotive engineer in point of service on the Chicago & Northwestern railway, made his last trip through here the other evening. The entire town turned out to bid him a fond farewell. Whistles of locomotives and factories blew as the veteran of the throttle whirled through the town. Business was suspended for an hour.

KILLED IN HOTEL FIGHT.

Two Men Battle Over Woman Until One Is Shot to Death.

West Frankfort.—Charles Cannon of West Frankfort was shot and killed on the second floor of the American hotel. Thomas Parrott, a painter of the same city, was arrested in Benton by Sheriff Thomas Odum and admitted that he and Cannon had trouble over two women who were with the men at the time of the killing. Coroner Adams held the inquest.

COUNTY SEAT IS DEDICATED.

Petersburg's New Library Completed and Ready for Use.

Petersburg.—Menard county's seat of justice, just recently completed, has

OBJECT TO FROST.

Chicago-Milwaukee Receivership Disputed by Charles Dawes.

Chicago.—Hurry from Washington to Chicago, after hearing of the Chicago & Milwaukee Electric railroad receivership, Charles G. Dawes filed with Judge Grosscup of the United States circuit court his objection to the appointment of A. C. Frost as one of the receivers. The statement says: "I object to A. C. Frost as receiver for the reason that from my investigation of the affairs of the road I have discovered that he has induced the security holders to purchase the bonds of the road upon statements of net earnings which are absolutely misleading."

HOG BRINGS \$450 AT SALE.

Breeders from Various States Gather at Mount Sterling.

Mount Sterling.—The Zeckman Allen Hess Duroc Jersey bred sow sale here attracted a large number of breeders from various states, as well as from this vicinity. The top price paid was for the sow Split Silk, bred to Inventor, which went to T. E. Laurie of Jacksonville at \$450. The average price of the 39 animals sold was \$48. The buyers included A. D. McKell of Platte, S. D.; Sheldon Bros. of



Menard County Seat.

been dedicated to the use of that district. The handsome structure, which is made so by the simplicity of its architecture, is also the home of the Petersburg library, and residents of the place look upon it with a feeling of pride. The edifice is one story in height and was erected at a cost of several thousand dollars. Installation of the effects of Menard county is taking place.

Will Erect a Slav Church.

Pana.—The Slavonic and Polish residents of this city are planning the erection of a \$20,000 church. The site has been selected. The new edifice will be built under the direction of the St. John of Nepomuk society. The Slavs and Poles now attend services in the Irish Catholic church.

Give Skin for Friend.

Edwardsville.—To aid John Kunitzer, a youth whose back was broken over two months ago by a fall of coal in the Home Trade coal mine, 11 of his young Bohemian friends have sacrificed bits of skin from their arms, which were grafted to his body.

Two Convicted of Murder.

Peoria.—Martin Brophy and John Baiter, aged 22 and 23 years respectively, who murdered Floyd Churchill at Princeville last October, was sentenced to 14 years imprisonment in the Joliet penitentiary, following a verdict.

Man Held In Love Tragedy.

Percy.—Thomas Duval, brother of Simon Duval, a prominent citizen of this town, has been arrested here on a charge of being implicated in a murder with Mrs. James Hinkle, which took place near Benton, Scott county, Mo.

Train Hits Open Switch.

Peoria.—Scores of passengers were endangered when a passenger train on the T. P. & W. struck an open switch and hit a freight engine at Bushnell, 50 miles west of this city. Several trainmen were injured.

Much Corn Being Hauled.

Stonington.—At Stonington the three elevators received 564 loads, which averaged 50 bushels to the load. The corn sold for 50 cents a bushel or \$25 a wagon load. A total of \$14,100 was thus paid out by the elevator.

Pastor Refuses \$1,500 Salary.

Taylorville.—M. L. Pontius, pastor of the Christian church, has received a call to the First Christian church in Quincy at a salary of \$1,500 a year. He will not accept. He came here last September from Paxton.

Peoria Ministers Want Sunday. Peoria.—The Ministerial association is making an effort to secure Billy Sunday to conduct a revival in this city.

Professional Cards

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

A. M. HILL, M. D.
Office over Witt and Shorck's jewelry store.
Hours: 6:30 to 8 p. m., 12:30 to 2 p. m. Residence on East Main street. Calls promptly attended to day or night.

DR. T. N. AUSTIN

Physician and Surgeon.
Office over J. Lembke's store.
Office hours: 7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 2:30 p. m. and 6:30 to 8 p. m. X-ray laboratory in connection.

DR. E. A. ROBINSON

Physician and Surgeon
Office and residence, corner Main and First Sts.
Hours: 10:00 to 12:00 a. m. and 1:00 to 3:00 p. m. Calls promptly attended.

C. A. PATTERSON

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

G. W. MARKLEY, M. D.

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

Genoa Lodge No. 288

A. F. & A. M.

Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.
Geo. J. Patterson, W. M. W. M. Adams, Sec.

EVALINE LODGE

NUMBER 344

Meets second Tuesdays of each month in Martin Malana, Perfect. Fannie M. Heed, Sec.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS

Meets every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. hall. H. H. SHURTLEFF, N. G. J. W. SOWERS, Sec.

Genoa Lodge No. 163

M. W. A.

Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month. Visiting neighbors welcome. J. H. VanDresser, Ven. Consul E. H. Browne, Clerk

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Livery and Sale Stable. Having increased my stock with good, gentle horses,

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UP TO DATE RIGS

Busses and carriages for weddings, parties and funerals.

W. W. Cooper

Phone 68

C. F. HALL CO. CASH DEPARTMENT STORE DUNDEE, ILLINOIS

Improvements Completed

Carpenters and painters leave us this week. We now have stock rooms only in our basement. The selling space on our first floor has much increased and on our second floor nearly doubled.

Facilities were never better for displaying all sorts of ladies' wearing apparel. Enlarged space in Suit, Cloak, Waist, Skirt and Millinery Departments. Remember reduced prices still hold good on ladies' Cloaks and Jackets.

Outside the larger cities, there is now, we claim, no better equipped store in Northern Illinois.

New Goods

Large shipment of Dress goods just received this week from Wilson, Larabee & Co., of Boston, Mass. Standard qualities in newest patterns. Note the prices—

Fancy 27 in. Tricots, all wool, all colors, per yd.....25c
Shark Skin, in all colors, at per yd.....29c
Novelty worsted dress goods 27 in. all wool.....25c
Special 54 in. all wool Mummy Cloth, in black only, per yd.....35c
Fine line of Cashmeres, Mohairs, Panamas, all high grades at, per yd

39c 49c

For Men and Boys

Reduction sale of Overcoats in men's, boys' and youth's sizes continues thru this week. Fine chance to get a high grade coat at a low price.

Men's Union Suits, samples, (are more comfortable and wear better than other underwear) at, per suit.....75c

Closing Out of Fur Stock

Our Furs (like our Men's overcoats and ladies' cloaks and Jackets) will not be carried over to another season. All have been reduced in price from 1/4 to 1/2 and will be closed out. Large varieties of styles and kinds. It will surprise you to find the values you can get at 75c \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.00 \$2.25 \$3.00 Better grades as high as \$10.00 Old price marks in plain figures show what furs originally sold for. They are worth all we asked for them but we do not carry over goods.

Furs For Men

Included in this reduced price Fur Sale, is our full line of Men's Fur Coats. Also a fine line of Fur Lap Robes.

New in 5 & 10c Dept.

Infant's Flannel Skirts, all colors, at.....10c
Men's Canvas Gloves, or Mittens, per pair.....5c
Fancy Baskets.....10c

From Other Departments

Women's Union Suits.....39c
Best Prints at, per yd.....43c
Flannelettes, short lengths.....43c
Flannelettes, off the piece, regular 15c goods, per yd.....63c
Unusual offers in Horse Blankets.
Special sale of Rugs.
Ask to see our large Bargain Rug at.....98c
Infant's and Children's waists and skirts, combined, flannelette, all colors.....15c

Two Items

We sell none but ALL SOLID LEATHER SHOES—the only sort to buy. We sell groceries, at lowest prices. We can afford to,

because we do not deliver them.

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

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

To stop that pain in the back that stiffness of the joints and muscles, take Pineules. They are guaranteed. Don't suffer from rheumatism, backache, kidney trouble, when you get 30 days' treatment for \$1.00. A single dose at bed time proves their merit. Get them today. Sold by L. E. Carmichael, Druggist. Mar. 1

Riley Center

Mrs. D. J. Seanor visited at Chas. Nelson's Tuesday.

Clyde Corson and wife visited at Alva Ratfield's Sunday.

Mrs. T. Ratfield entertained the L. P. club Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Driver, a son, February 2, 1908.

Mrs. L. E. Mackey visited at the home of Zeria Gilliland Monday.

Several from here attended the surprise party at Harry Smith's Thursday.

In spite of the storm Saturday about thirty-six attended the Helper's dinner at Oscar Anderson's. All had a very pleasant time. The next meeting will be at the parsonage of Rev. Shutze in Marengo.

Cemetery Treasurer's Report

GENOA, ILL., JAN. 10, 1908

To the Trustees of Genoa Cemetery:

Gentlemen: I herewith submit for your approval report of receipts and expenditures for the Genoa Cemetery since my last report.

1907
Jan. 14 Balance rendered.....\$519.31

RECEIPTS

Feb. 22	R. B. Field	Part Lot 308	25.00
Mar. 9	C. Maderer	N 1/2 Lot 284	30.00
Apr. 8	F. W. Kohne	S 1/2 Lot 191	12.50
20	F. Ohlinger	N 1/2 Lot 93	12.50
May 10	F. J. Abraham	N 1/2 Lot 49	12.50
17	A. Lietzow	S 1/2 Lot 387	25.00
June 10	A. Porter	Lot 214	25.00
July 29	Mary Thomas	Lot 23	25.00
Aug. 5	J. A. Patterson	for oats on new addition	10.50
Dec. 2	G. H. Ide	Lot 325	25.00
			\$728.31

EXPENDITURES

Feb. 15	S. Abraham, Sexton balance due for 1906	\$ 35.16
Apr. 8	Reg Oakes, labor	6.38
16	S. Abraham Sexton	10.00
19	C. D. Schoonmaker, publishing statement	3.00
28	Reg Oakes, labor	8.75
May 1	S. Abraham sexton	5.00
1	S. Abraham sexton	10.00
13	Reg Oakes, labor	6.35
20	Reg Oakes, labor	4.50
June 1	Reg Oakes, labor	7.75
5	Ellis Confer, labor	11.00
15	Reg Oakes, labor	12.26
22	Harry Whipple, labor	2.63
	Will Sheppard, labor	2.63
25	S. Abraham, sexton	40.00
29	Harry Whipple, labor	3.07
	Reg Oakes, labor	3.07
July 18	Harry Whipple, labor	3.25
25	Reg Oakes, labor	4.38
26	A. Sell and C. Frese, labor	2.37
27	John Downing, Jr., labor	3.00
Aug. 2	Guy Brown, labor	2.63
3	C. Thorwarth for Toolshed	30.00
6	S. Abraham, sexton	20.00
	Will Rosenka, labor	1.50
9	Reg Oakes, labor	8.75
10	Thos. G. Sager, mdse.	2.75
	Perkins & Rosenfeld, mdse	5.00
21	Reg Oakes, labor	10.50
24	Reg Oakes, labor	9.63
30	S. Abraham, sexton	15.00
Sep. 4	Jackman & Son, seed	10.45
	Tibbitts, Cameron Lumber Co., cement	3.90
6	F. O. Swan, mdse	.32
11	Reg Oakes, labor	12.25
21	Reg Oakes, labor	4.38
Oct. 5	Reg Oakes, labor	4.38
7	Ralph Patterson, labor	5.00
19	E. P. Smith, sprinkling	5.00
26	Reg Oakes, labor	7.00
Nov. 16	Chris Lauman, labor	2.25
25	Tibbitts Cameron Lumber Co.	9.25
27	Chris Lauman, labor	10.12
30	S. Abraham, sexton	15.00
Dec. 2	Chris Lauman, labor	.75
3	Perkins & Rosenfeld, mdse	3.17
	Perkins & Rosenfeld, mdse	1.70
24	S. Abraham, sexton	5.00
1908		
Jan. 3	Tibbitts Cameron Lumber Co. mdse	1.07
Jan. 10	Balance on hand	337.11
		\$728.31

Besides above cash balance I hold for said Cemetery notes with interest accrued amounting to \$1431.48. I know of no indebtedness against said Cemetery.

Approved Jan. 30, 1908

DILLON S. BROWN
FRANK H. JACKMAN
JAMES E. STOTT

Trustees

THE STORY OF KHAKI.

A Lasting Dye That Was Discovered by Accident.

Khaki, the olive colored canvas cloth worn by soldiers in hot climates, owes its present use to a lucky accident, as is the case with many inventions. This cotton stuff has been worn in India by British troops for many years. Its tint was a greenish brown, but it always faded when it was washed with soap.

A business man from Manchester while traveling in India chanced to enter into conversation with an English officer, who remarked carelessly that the first manufacturer who could produce a cotton drill that would not fade would make his fortune.

The young Englishman never forgot this hint. He came home, found a skillful dyer and with him began the search for an olive dye which when used on cotton cloth would not yield to soap or soda. They spent years in these experiments, all of which proved fruitless.

One day they found among several scraps of dyed cloth one which retained its color under the most severe tests. The puzzling fact was that it had been cut from the same piece of cloth and subjected to the same processes as the other scraps, all of which faded. The two experimenters were greatly perplexed and for months tried in vain to solve the riddle. The one little fragment of khaki was the only one which kept its color against all attacks.

By chance one day they found that the dye in which this scrap had been dipped had remained for a time in a metal dish of a peculiar kind. The secret was found. The metal of the dish in combination with the chemicals of the dye had furnished the one thing needful. They tried the experiment with other pieces. The dye held, and their fortunes were made.—Chicago Record-Herald.

WASH DAY IN FRANCE.

In Many Homes Laundering is Done Only a Few Times a Year.

It was unfortunate perhaps that we had arrived during the "lessive." That is always a most important function in France. In almost all the big houses in the country (small ones, too) that is the way they do their washing. Once a month or once every three months, according to the size of the establishment, the whole washing of the household is done. All the linen—master's, servants', guests'—house is turned out, the linen closets cleaned and aired. Every one looks busy and energetic. It is quite a long affair—lasts three or four days. I often went to see the performance when we made our "lessive" at the chateau every month.

It always interested our English and American friends, as the washing is never done in that way in either of their countries. It was very convenient at our place, as we had plenty of room. The "lavoir" stood at the top of the steps leading into the kitchen gardens. There was a large square tank sunk in the ground, so that the women could kneel to their work, then a little higher another of beautiful clear water, all under cover. Just across the path there was a small house with a blazing wood fire; in the middle an enormous tub, where all the linen was passed through wood ashes. There were four lessiveuses (washerwomen), sturdy peasant women with very short skirts, sabots and turbans, made of blue and white checked calico, on their heads, their strong red arms bared above the elbows. The Mere Michou, the eldest of the four, directed everything and kept them well at work and allowed very little talking. They generally chatter when they are washing and very often quarrel. When they are washing at the public lavoir in the village one hears their shrill voices from a great distance. Our lingere, Mme. Hubert, superintended the whole operation. She was very keen about it and remonstrated vigorously when they slapped the linen too hard with the little flat sticks, like spades, they use. The linen all came out beautifully white and smooth. It hadn't the yellow look that all city washed clothes have.—Mme. Waddington in Scribner's Magazine.

Toast to Laughter.

Here's to laughter, the sunshine of the soul, the happiness of the heart, the leaven of youth, the privilege of purity, the echo of innocence, the treasure of the humble, the wealth of the poor, the bead of the cup of pleasure. It dispels dejection, banishes blues and mangles melancholy, for it's the foe of woe, the destroyer of depression, the enemy of grief. It is what kings envy the peasants, plutocrats envy the poor, the guilty envy the innocent. It's the sheen on the silver of smiles, the ripple on the water's delight, the glint of the gold of gladness: Without it humor would be dumb, wit would wither, dimples would disappear and smiles would shrivel, for its glow of a clean conscience, the voice of a pure soul, the birth cry of mirth, the swan song of sadness.—Life.

Bargains in Residence Property

IN EUREKA PARK

One of the best for.....\$1,850
Only \$850 cash required, balance on easy contract.

Good 8 room house.....\$1,400
1/2 cash, balance to suit.

ON GENOA STREET

Modern 8 room cottage with city water, toilet, bath, electric lights and furnace.....\$2,500

Another with furnace, city water and in good repair for.....\$2,000

ON STATE STREET

Fine large residence, furnace heat, with 4 acres of ground for.....\$3,600

IN CITIZENS' ADDITION

Comfortable cottage and barn for.....\$800

Small cottage with 2 lots for.....\$700

CENTRALLY LOCATED

Large residence with all modern improvements for.....\$3,500
Desirable vacant lots in any part town.

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**A New Pair
For a Hole**

Troubled with your stockings? We've got an article that we guarantee against holes or runs for six months. No "rip" or "enda"—if a hole develops you get a new pair.

Everweave Hosiery

The newest idea in stockings. Made to wear; not only to sell. That's why we guarantee them absolutely.

FOR SALE BY
F. O. HOLTGREN

Our Tenth Monster Mill End Sale

Opens in Our Store Tuesday, Feb. 11,
and Continues until Saturday, Feb. 22.

An event momentous with saving possibilities—manufacturers' clearance of oddments, endments and surpluses at amazing sacrifices.

THE MILL END SALE—THE GREATEST SALE OF ALL, the most popular, biggest and best economizing event on the merchandising calendar of this section, regardless of all other sales. This will be the peer of all our former Mill End Sales. Understand the Mill End Sale importance. It has a character all its own. Its different from any other sale event. It brings you into direct dealing with the manufacturer. Its the manufacturers opportunity to realize something on short ends, odds and ends and surpluses. It is your opportunity to profit at the manufacturers' expense.

This year the manufacturers have made greater sacrifices than ever before. Many were caught in the "artificial" panic; orders were split and many cancelled; surpluses abound as never before and we have bought more goods and at lower prices than for any previous event of the kind. Don't under-estimate its value to you. Here is a list of facts and figures, an object lesson in practical economies a demonstration of timely opportunities, a collection of good reasons why you should buy abundantly. Every item listed gives more than regular value—one-third, one-half and even two halves more.

OUR STORE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY MONDAY, FEB. 10, IN ORDER TO
ARRANGE OUR STOCKS FOR THIS GREAT SALE
Mill Ends of Prints, Gingham, Percales, Etc.

These Mill End Prices will create a sensation in housekeeping circles, and a double one when the fact that prices on Domestic Pieces are bounding skyward is taken into consideration.

Standard Calicoes, Indigo Calcutta blue, blue and gold, silver grey, shepherd plaids, red and black, pink and comforter prints, also light shirting prints, sold from piece at 7c, Mill End Price.....04 7-8c

Standard apron check Gingham all size checks blue and brown, worth .09c, Mill End Sale Price.....05 3/4c

Heavy Blue Twilled Shirting Prints, stripes, etc., fast colors, 14c quality, Mill End Sale Price.....10c

Lancaster Dress Gingham, pretty stripes and checks, 27 in. wide, 45c quality, sale price.....10c

Dark Percales, suitable for Wrappers, dresses, etc., large assortment to select from, worth 12c.....09c

Light figured Madras, 32 in. wide, a popular material for waists, etc., a 15c quality, per yd.....10c

36 in. good quality bleached Muslin, .08c quality, Mill End Sale Price.....06c

35 inch Unbleached Pepperell R Muslin, worth 10c a yard, at this sale price.....07 1/2c

Lonsdale and Hope Bleached Muslin, regular 14c quality, at this sale price.....08 1/2c

36 inch Lonsdale Cambric, sells regularly at 16c, Mill End Sale Price.....10c

Fine Quality English Long Cloth, 36 in. wide, book fold, 15c quality, Mill End Sale Price.....10c

Pillow Cases of Good Muslin, 45 x 36 in., hemmed and laundered, Mill End Sale Price.....13c

The Old Masters.

Prices which run to five figures are frequently given for paintings by what are called "the old masters." But what of the original cost? A collector who has been making inquiries quotes the following startling figures:

Michael Angelo, he found, was paid only about \$40 a month while he was at work on his cartoons of the battle of Pisa. Leonardo, who acted as his assistant, received the same wage.

Correggio received less than \$10 for his "Christ In the Garden," while Carracci's "Resurrection" brought its painter still less. Albert Durer was seldom paid in cash for his pen and ink portraits. A bag of flour, a pair of boots or some such equivalent satisfied him.

Rembrandt, "the mightiest genius," received as his highest price under \$500 for his "Night Watch." Valesquez worked chiefly for the Spanish government. He was paid on an average \$35 a picture.

Colds on the Chest

Ask your doctor the medical name for a cold on the chest. He will say, "Bronchitis." Ask him if it is ever serious. Lastly, ask him if he prescribes Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for this disease. Keep in close touch with your family physician.

We publish our formulas
Ayer's
We banish alcohol from our medicines
We urge you to consult your doctor

When you tell your doctor about the bad taste in your mouth, loss of appetite for breakfast, and frequent headaches, and when he sees your coated tongue, he will say, "You are bilious." Ayer's Pills work well in such cases.
—Made by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.—

We Keep in Stock all the Standard Cough Syrups and Patent Medicines

We Have a Large and Well Selected Stock of Sponges
and Chamois Skins. Feather Dusters and Whisk Brooms

Toilet and Fancy Goods

Toilet Soaps	Infant Powders	Toilet Cases
Bath Soaps	Tooth Powders	Fine Combs
Face Powders	Sachet Powders	Dressing Combs

Writing Paper and Envelopes	STATIONERY	Pen Holders
Plain and Fancy		Paper Knives
Boxed Stationery		Pencil Tablets
Writing Tablets		Mucilage
Writing Inks	STATIONERY	Erasers
Fine Pens		Pencils
		Pocket Books

Rubber Goods Syringes, Nursing Bottles, Nipples
Breast Pumps, Bands, Etc., Etc.,

Your patronage is always appreciated, and no matter how small your purchases, you may rest assured it will be our constant aim to sell you the best goods that can be obtained and at reasonable prices.

L. E. Carmichael, Druggist

THEO. F. SWAN

GREAT DEPARTMENT STORE

ELGIN, ILLINOIS

DOINGS OF THE WEEK

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

WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC.

RATES: 5 lines or less, 25 cents for first week and 15 cents for each following week, over five lines, 5 cents per line first week and 3 cents per line for each following week.

FOR SALE—Two houses on Genoa street, one on East Main street and vacant lot in Oak Park addition on Main street. Houses all new and modern. Will be sold cheap for cash or on easy payments. JAS. J. HAMMOND 37-11

FOR RENT—Rooms over Hunt's Pharmacy. Inquire at the store. 4-11

FOR SALE—4 residences in Genoa, 160 acres raw land in McPherson county, S. D. and 10 acres raw land in Brown county, S. D. \$10.00 an acre. W. H. SAGER, Genoa, Ill. Phone No. 5. 41-11

HOUSE for Rent on Genoa street, with city water, cistern and electric lights. Inquire at Jas. J. Hammond. 13-11

WANTED—to know why it is not a good thing to advertise in the want ad column. People read these ads. You are doing it now. 11

Advertising Rates

Space Advertising—3 and 10 cents per column inch. Full page, \$10.00. Local—5 cents per line. Want, Found and Lost Ads—See Want Column. Cards of Thanks—5 cents per line. Resolutions—3 cents per line. Church and Society Notices of meetings, when no admission fee is charged—Free.

Read the Want ads.

If you have found it, lost it, want to sell or buy it, no matter what it is, use the want ad column.

Valentines at G. W. Burzell's. Linen Sale at F. W. Olmsted's. Mrs. Will Gnekow is on the sick list.

Mrs. Sturtevant is visiting in DeKalb.

Dr. A. M. Hill was in Sycamore last Friday.

Fred Renn shipped a car of sheep last week.

Rev. W. B. Slaughter is quite sick with the grip.

G. W. Cook of Hampshire was in Genoa Monday.

R. B. Field was in Chicago last Friday and Saturday.

Jesse Geithman of Belvidere was here over Sunday.

Rev. T. E. Ream of Morton Park was a Genoa caller Monday.

Mrs. Geo. W. Johnson has been seriously ill during the past week.

Linen Sale at F. W. Olmsted's.

C. J. Rose of Elgin was the guest of E. A. Sowers over Sunday.

Miss Nell Scott is entertaining a lady friend from Aurora this week.

"Zeke, the Country Boy" at opera house to-night, Thursday Feb. 6.

W. L. Kelly of Elgin spent Sunday at the home of H. A. Perkins.

Mrs. R. B. Field visited her sister, Mrs. C. A. Briggs, in Chi-

cago Thursday.

R. W. Jones of Barrington, Ill., spent Sunday with his son, W. H. Jones and family.

Misses Birdie Drake and Jessie Parker visited the Belvidere schools last Friday.

Miss Mable Gray of Iowa is being entertained by Miss Della Olmsted this week.

A coat of china-lac will make your old furniture look like new. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Mrs. Charles Geithman of Freeport is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown.

W. W. Coultas county superintendent of schools, visited the public school here Monday.

A brooch or scarf pin will make a nice birthday present. Look over our line. G. W. Burzell.

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Linen Sale at F. W. Olmsted's.

We have an extra fine line of warranted silverware, suitable for birthday or wedding gifts. G. W. Burzell.

M. D. Lefevre has gone to Zearing, Iowa, where he will hang out his shingle as veterinary surgeon.

Perkins & Rosenfeld sell the celebrated china-lac. Try it on your old furniture, it will make it look like new.

Lost—A basket ball, between Sycamore and Genoa, on Jan. 31. Liberal reward to finder. Return to Logan Olmsted.

We have an excellent line of warranted cutlery. Look it over; the goods speak for themselves. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

E. J. Buss left Tuesday for Colorado. He will look over the country and may locate there if he is satisfied with the outlook.

The Ira J. Mix ice house is being filled this week with a fine grade of ice. The other ice houses about town were filled last week.

Christian Science services are held at Slater's hall every Sunday at 4 p. m. Everyone is welcome. Subject for next Sunday is "Spirit."

Mrs. Will Lembke is visiting her sister in Elgin this week. She went there to assist in taking care of her sister's baby who is

very ill.

Fred Malana, who has been working for the C. B. & Q. at Galesburg, has taken a good position with the C. M. & St. P. at Kansas City.

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

The Ladies' Aid Society of Charter Grove will serve a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Earnest, Thursday, Feb. 13. Everybody is invited.

The editor made an effort to take up his newspaper work on Monday after an illness of two weeks, but was compelled to give up and again take to his bed.

Will Suhr and mother who have been visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity for the past few weeks, returned to their home in Nebraska Tuesday evening.

Illinois Central train No. 4, east bound, due in Genoa at 8:14 p. m. now stops to let off passengers from Rockford and beyond and to take on Chicago passengers.

E. H. Olmstead took Mrs. Olmstead's Sunday school class, consisting of sixteen girls, sleigh-riding to his home Tuesday evening where they spent a few hours together.

If you wish to see yourself how Perma-Lac beautifies the home, send your name and address to Bradley & Vrooman Co., Chicago, and they will mail you a costly booklet "A Perma-Lac Home."

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

The Illinois Central railroad will have on sale one way colonist's tickets to certain points in west and northwest daily during March and April. Inquire of your Illinois Central agent for rates, etc. May 1

At the next regular meeting of the local lodge M. W. A., Feb. 13 there will be election of delegates to the county convention which will be held at DeKalb on Wednesday, April 1. A full attendance is requested. E. H. Browne, clerk.

Colvin Park

Lysle Vosburg is on the sick list.

Peat's prize wall paper at C. Cole's.

Chas. Cole was a Kingston caller Thursday.

Fred Smith of Genoa was in town Sunday.

Walter Rubeck was a Kirkland

visitor last week.

Mr. Yalden of Genoa was in this vicinity Thursday.

Mrs. Will Ollman was on the sick list the first of the week.

Misses Lucy Rubeck and Alice Mayberry were Sycamore visitors last Tuesday.

Several from here attended the Jubilee concert at Kingston Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Arbuckle visited at E. J. Vosberg's a few days last week.

Traveling was very difficult on the north and south roads Sunday some being almost entirely blocked by drifts.

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

John Babbler's barn was broken into Wednesday night and a horse blanket stolen. It is understood that the blanket has an identification mark on it, so that it would be easy to prove the property.

ANECDOTE OF A FLOWER.

A Russian Nobleman Gave the Century Plant Its Name.

About two centuries ago a Russian nobleman traveling in Mexico saw and admired the maguay plant, which is a native of Mexico.

The plant was so much admired by the Russian for its beauty and utility that he was eager to have growing specimens in his own country.

So when leaving Mexico he procured some roots to take home to the czar as a present.

On his first visit to court, after he reached the capital city, he told of the wonderful plant and asked permission of the czar to present to him the specimens which he had.

The czar graciously granted his request and gave the roots to the court gardener, who promised to give the plants his best attention, but unfortunately before he could plant them properly as he intended he was taken suddenly ill and died without having accomplished anything.

Another gardener was appointed. In the meantime the roots lay in the sack in which they were first placed. The new gardener, not knowing their value, threw the sack away, and it lay unheeded in a corner of the garden day after day.

Some time afterward his little daughter picked up one of the roots and in a playful mood planted it, but paid no further attention to it. The czar had forgotten all about it. In course of time the ruler died and also the second gardener.

The plant in after years put out a few spikes for leaves, but did not thrive in the cold air of Russia. It grew very slowly, and its origin was not known to any one save the wife of the former gardener and the child that planted it.

Years passed, and still the strange plant, with its thick, long, straight leaves, now nearly six feet tall, did not bloom, but as it grew taller it attracted notice, and the new czar sometimes looked at it and wondered if it would ever bloom.

In time he, too, died, and still the maguay bloomed not.

But just after the coronation of another czar a stalk shot up from the root of the plant and rapidly grew to the height of twenty feet. Soon many clusters of small buds appeared, which slowly unfolded and became white blossoms. The wonderful plant had bloomed at last.

The gardener said it was 100 years old and had bloomed in honor of the new czar. Word was sent to him, and he and his whole court visited and admired the flowers and the plant.

The poor exile from the sunny skies of Mexico had earned its reward and a new name, for ever since that day it has been known as "the century plant."

Where He Was Lacking.

A man who had served two terms in congress was making a campaign for a third term. In the course of a speech in the town hall at Broomcorn Junction, a village near the farther boundary of his district, he said:

"It is true, fellow citizens, that I have not always been able to do as much as I should like to do in the matter of internal improvements in this district, but I have never lost sight of your interests for a single moment. You have no idea of the obstacles that lie in the way of a congressman who tries to secure appropriations for public buildings, the improvement of navigable streams and the like for the benefit of his constituents, but I want to assure you, fellow citizens, that I have labored constantly in your behalf to the very best of my ability."

"We know it!" shouted an old farmer in the audience. "That's why we want an abler man!"

BURLINGTON

Paul Feustel was in Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Pearl Smith is numbered among the sick.

Henry Smith of Genoa was a guest of L. Shefneer Tuesday.

Frank Wallace of Rockford was home Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mesdames Schneider and P. Grollemond were Elgin callers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Godfrey were at St. Charles Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Edith Bishel spent several days of last week with Miss Stella Blazier at Hampshire.

Cecil Smith of Rockford spent Sunday evening at the home of his mother, Mrs. Ada E. Smith.

There is no school in the primary room this week owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss Agnes Powers.

No charge for cashing checks on Marengo, Sycamore or Belvidere at Farmers' State Bank, Ge-

noa. Also interests on deposits. No charge for issuing drafts.

Don't forget the masquerade dance at Kirk's hall Saturday evening, February 8. Numerous prizes will be given and a good time is assured all who attend. Music by the Burlington orchestra.

There was a good attendance at the L. A. S. dinner at the home of Mrs. Shefneer last Thursday. The ladies cleared \$10.50.

Their next dinner will be at the home of Mrs. F. Sandall, February 27.

New Lebanon

John Awe is on the sick list. Barney Stuter went to Hampshire Tuesday.

Will Japp visited with his parents Tuesday.

L. S. Ellithorpe made a business trip to Elgin Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Renn made a visit to Belvidere Friday, returning Saturday.

Fred Awe was in Chicago last Saturday purchasing goods for

his store.

F. Renn shipped the sheep which he bought last fall to fatten on his farm to Chicago last Thursday.

Antonius Aurelius.

'Antonius Aurelius, king of Araucania, the first and the last of his dynasty, had once his day of fame. He was the man who would be king, and for a short time he was one.

Aurelius began life as an ambitious Frenchman; he ended it as a German under the name of Herr von Tonneins, dying in great poverty at Marseilles, but for a brief period in the fifties of the last century he was king over the Araucanian Indians in South America. When Von Tonneins founded his monarchy he found it necessary to have his court, so he traveled over to Europe and created his own orders and titles. Then he reigned till his court was broken up by the government of Chile, and Aurelius as a roi en exile returned to Marseilles.

Our Annual Table Linen Sale February 6-7-8, Thursday, Friday and Saturday For 3 Days Only 50 different patterns to select from at prices ranging from 22c to \$1.35 per yd.

L You Save Money by Buying Your Linens Now. Remember This Sale Lasts Only Three Days. I

An all Cotton bleached Damask per yard.....22c, 30c, 35c
70 inch mercerized bleached Damask splendid value per yd.....47c
62 inch Linen, bleached, per yd.....47c
62 inch, a good heavy piece of half bleached, pure Linen, per yd.....47c
70 and 72 inch, all pure Linen, heavy quality, pretty new floral and dotted designs all special values. 35 different patterns to select from for per yd.... 68c, 72c, 78c, 85c, 95c, \$1.15, \$1.35

Napkins

Napkins to match table cloths at per dozen..... 98c, \$1.15, 1.25, 1.35, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.25, 2.50 and 3.00

Toweling

S Cotton Toweling per yd.....5c
A Part Linen Crash per yd.....7c
A good all Linen bleached and unbleached per yd.....10c
20 inch bleached and unbleached all Linen toweling per yd.....13 15c
20x 36 hemstitched linen towels.....25c
Turkish towels.....10 and 15c

Shoes, Coats, Furs

Still on sale. Buy one of those \$1.00 coats

New Spring Dress Goods

- Netting for Waists in Ecru, Cream and White -

- New Corset Cover Embroidery -

- The latest in Belts, Back Combs, Purses -

- Spring Gingham and Percales now in -

- Tennis Flannel Wrappers on sale -

- Marshall Field Thread 5c per spool -

- Linen Sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday -

Frank W. Olmsted

WHITE SWAN FLOUR

Is the whitest flour on the market, and is sold by thousands of merchants all over the country as their leading brand. Ladies of Genoa and vicinity who have tried White Swan Flour are greatly pleased with the results. A flour so white and of such quality is bound to please. Try a sack.

MORE BALDWIN APPLES

We have a few more barrels of Baldwin apples which we will dispose of at \$3.25 a bbl.

Duval & King, Genoa

HEARD IN BOSTON.



Aunt Hester—Did 'oo play kissing games at the party?

Emerson Highghed—Well, they participated in osculatory pastimes, which I consider a rather uninteresting and juvenile diversion.

IT SEEMED INCURABLE

Body Raw with Eczema—Discharged from Hospitals as Hopeless—Cuticura Remedies Cured Him.

"From the age of three months until fifteen years old, my son Owen's life was made intolerable by eczema in its worst form. In spite of treatments the disease gradually spread until nearly every part of his body was quite raw. He used to tear himself dreadfully in his sleep and the agony he went through is quite beyond words. The regimental doctor pronounced the case hopeless. We had him in hospitals four times and he was pronounced one of the worst cases ever admitted. From each he was discharged as incurable. We kept trying remedy after remedy, but had gotten almost past hoping for a cure. Six months ago we purchased a set of Cuticura Remedies. The result was truly marvelous and to-day he is perfectly cured. Mrs. Lily Hodge, Cambewell Green, England, Jan. 12, 1907."

A Complaining Voice.

"I wuz born in a log cabin an' never learned to read an' write until I wuz 21 years old."

"Well?"

"An' yit I've never been even mentioned for the presidency. History is a fickle jade."—Washington Herald.

Easy Money

For men and women who will give whole or spare time selling our Family Health Tablets, Liniment and Salve. No experience necessary. Big profits. Exclusive territory. Vosena Company, 1170 15th St., Washington, D. C.

First Postoffice Scheme.

The first postoffice scheme was a private enterprise and was inaugurated about 1644.

Brown's Bronchial Troches have a world-wide reputation for curing coughs, sore throats and relieving bronchitis and asthma.

The trouble with a jealous woman is that she can't keep the lid on.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. See.

A virtuous deed should never be delayed.—Alexander Dow.

It's the judgment of many smokers that Lewis' Single Binder 5c cigar equals in quality the best 10c cigar.

Experience begotten of matrimony is a great teacher.



More proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saves women from surgical operations. Mrs. S. A. Williams, of Gardiner, Maine, writes:

"I was a great sufferer from female troubles, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored me to health in three months, after my physician declared that an operation was absolutely necessary."

Mrs. Alvina Sperling, of 154 Cleybourne Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes: "I suffered from female troubles, a tumor and much inflammation. Two of the best doctors in Chicago decided that an operation was necessary to save my life. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound entirely cured me without an operation."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

AGENTS both sexes, clear up daily. Best furniture polish ever invented. 15,000 cases sold daily. Results to same people over and over again. Lightning seller. Future impossible. Send 2 cts. (coin) for sample outfit and exclusive territory. Sterling Polish Co., 16 Main St., Sterling, Ill.

PRIMARY BILL WINS IN ILLINOIS HOUSE

VOTE OF 88 TO 33 PASSES JONES-OGLESBY MEASURE.

FOR DIRECT PLURALITY

System of Nominations for Most Offices Is Provided and Party Conventions Are All Wiped Out.

Springfield, Ill.—A big victory was won by the state administration Wednesday when the house passed the Oglesby-Jones direct plurality primary bill by a vote of 88 to 33, 11 votes more than the required majority. Having already passed the senate, the bill went to Gov. Deneen for his signature.

Following is a complete summary of the measure.

Title—A bill for an act to provide for the holding of primary elections by political parties.

Purpose—To allow the voters to pick their party candidates by a direct plurality vote at the primaries without the intervention of delegate conventions.

Scope—The bill applies to the nomination of all candidates for elective state, congressional, senatorial, county, city and village (including officers of the municipal court of Chicago), town and judicial offices, members of the state board of equalization, clerks of the appellate courts, trustees of sanitary districts and for the election of precinct, senatorial and state central committeemen, by all political parties. Provided, this act shall not apply to the nomination of candidates for electors of president and vice president of the United States and trustees of the University of Illinois, nor to township and school elections.

Special Provision for 1908 Primaries—The name of no candidate for offices in the scope of the bill shall be placed on the official ballot for the general election in November, 1908, unless the candidate shall have been nominated under the provisions of this act. All nominations made prior to July 1, 1908, of candidates for offices covered by the bill and to be voted on in November, 1908, are declared of no effect.

Definition of "Political Party"—A political party which at the general election next preceding the primary polled more than two per cent. of the entire vote cast in the state is a political party within the state and can nominate candidates for all offices covered by the act. A party which polls two per cent. of the entire vote within any congressional or senatorial district is declared a party within such district, and shall nominate candidates for congress, state board of equalization and for senatorial offices. A party which has polled two per cent. of the entire vote in a county is a political party within said county and shall nominate all county officers in said county. A political party that polls a two per cent. vote in any city or village is a political party within said city or village and shall nominate all city or village officers. The same scheme applies to the nomination of town officers and officers of any other political subdivision.

Primary Dates—A primary shall be held August 8, 1908, for the November general election. In succeeding years primaries shall be held on the second Tuesday in April for the nomination of candidates for the November elections; the second Tuesday in April for candidates at the June judicial elections; on the last Tuesday in February each year, for nominations for the elections held on the first Tuesday of April; on the second Tuesday in March for the nominations for the elections held on the third Tuesday in April. Primaries for other offices are to be held three weeks preceding the election.

Polls—Polls shall be open from six a. m. to five p. m. Voters may absent themselves from their work for two hours in order to vote. Applications for such absence must be made before the day of primary and the employer may specify the hours.

Party Organization—The following committees shall constitute the central or managing committees of each political party: A state central committee, a congressional committee for each congressional district, a senatorial committee for each senatorial district, a county central committee for each county, a city central committee for each city or village, and a precinct committee for each precinct. Nothing shall prevent a political party from electing other committees in accordance with its practice.

State Central Committee—It shall be composed of one member from each congressional district, to be elected at the primaries. Within 30 days after their election the state committeemen shall meet in Springfield and organize.

Precinct Committeemen—At the primaries August 8, 1908, and at the April primaries every two years thereafter, each primary elector may write or attach to a space left on the ballot the name of one qualified elector of his party in the precinct for member of the precinct committee. The high man wins.

County Committee—It shall consist of the precinct committeemen in the county.

Senatorial Committee—In senatorial districts of three or more counties, it shall be composed of one member

elected from each county in the district. In districts of two counties, it shall consist of three members, one to be elected from the county polling the smaller vote. In the senatorial districts of one county, and in districts wholly within one county and partly within one and partly within another, it shall consist of three members elected from the district. The senatorial committee shall meet and organize within 30 days after its election.

Congressional Committee—It shall consist of the county chairman of the counties in the congressional district. In districts wholly within one county or partly in one county and partly in another, the committee shall consist of the precinct committeemen in the district.

City Committee—It shall consist of the precinct committeemen within the city.

Special Provision—The various political party committees now in existence are recognized and continued and shall exercise all powers given by the act until their successors are elected.

County Convention—On the second Wednesday after the April primary, each county central committee shall meet at the county seat and elect from its own members a chairman and other officers. This meeting is the county convention. At it shall be chosen delegates to the senatorial, congressional and state conventions. Delegates to senatorial and congressional conventions shall be picked by the precinct committeemen living within the respective congressional and senatorial districts. In the county convention, each delegate shall have one vote and one additional vote for each 50 or major fraction of 50 votes cast by his party in his precinct.

Senatorial Conventions—Shall be held on the third Wednesday after the April primary.

Congressional Conventions—Shall be held on the fourth Wednesday after the April primaries. It shall have power to select delegates and alternate delegates to national conventions and to recommend to the state convention the nomination of candidates from the congressional district for presidential electors.

State Conventions—Shall be held on the fifth Wednesday after the April primary. It shall have power to nominate presidential electors and candidates for university trustees, to adopt any party platform and to choose national delegates and alternates.

Calls—At least 33 days before the April primary the various committees shall issue calls for the respective conventions.

Legislative Ticket—At least 32 days prior to the April primary each senatorial committee shall meet and determine the number of candidates to be nominated by its party at the primaries for representatives in the general assembly. Within five days a certified copy of the resolutions shall be filed with the secretary of state and with each county clerk in the senatorial district. At the primaries each elector may cast one vote for each of as many candidates as the senatorial committee has decided shall be nominated.

Minority Representation in City Councils—In cities which have adopted minority representation in the city council the city committeemen shall 30 days before the primaries meet and fix the number of candidates for aldermen in each of the wards of such city to be nominated by their party.

Notices—At least 20 days before each primary the county clerk, or city, village or town clerk, shall prepare notices stating the time and place of holding the primary. Such notices shall be posted 15 days before the primaries.

Primary Election Officers—The judges of general elections shall act as judges of primary elections. Except in cities having election boards the primary judges shall select three electors to serve as clerks, not more than two of whom shall be of the same party. In cities having election commissions the regular clerks of election shall take oath, shall be subject to the same penalties as judges and clerks of elections, and shall receive the same pay as judges and clerks of elections.

Challengers—The precinct committee of each party may appoint in writing two party agents to act as challengers.

Balloting Places—Equipment for the primaries is to be provided by the officers who provide polling places for general elections. Boxes, poll books, tally sheets and other supplies are to be similarly supplied, and the expense is to be paid as in the case of general elections.

United States Senator—Any candidate for United States senator may have his name printed on the primary ballot of his party by filing with the secretary of state 30 days before the primaries a petition signed by not more than 3,000 primary electors nor more than 5,000 members of his party. The vote on candidates for United States senator shall be had "for the sole purpose of ascertaining the sentiment of the voters of the respective parties."

Petitions—A form is provided for petitions, which shall consist of sheets of uniform size. An affidavit shall go with each sheet. Anyone who swears falsely regarding the names is to be deemed guilty of perjury and on conviction shall be punished accordingly.

Number of Signatures Required—Candidates for state office, not less than 1,000 nor more than 2,000; congressional and senatorial candidates and candidates for judicial, county city or village offices, or for clerk of the appellate court or drainage trustees must obtain at least one-half of one per cent. of the

electors in their respective political subdivisions. Candidates for state central committeemen, at least 100 signatures of the voters in the congressional district. Other candidates for committeemen and other offices at least ten signatures from the political subdivision.

Filings—For all offices to be filled by the electors of the state, or any division greater than a county, petitions must be filed with the secretary of state not more than 60 days nor less than 30 days before the primary. Petitions for nomination to county offices shall be filed with the county clerk within the same time limit. Petitions for nomination for city and village offices shall be filed with the city or village clerk not more than 30 days nor less than 15 days before the primary.

Withdrawals—Any candidate for nomination or for committeeman may withdraw his name not less than 25 days before the primary where petitions are filed with secretary of state; 12 days in other cases.

Ballots—Not less than 20 days before the primary the secretary of state shall certify to the county clerks the names of all candidates for United States senator, for state committeemen, and for all other offices for which petitions must be filed in his office. In his certificate the secretary of state shall certify the names of the offices and the candidates in the order in which they shall appear on the ballot, the names to appear "in the order in which petitions have been filed in his office." The clerks, county, city, village or town, as the case may be, shall prepare the ballots. Primary ballots of all parties are to be uniform in size, quality and texture, but the primary ballot of no two parties shall be of the same color. At the head of the ballot words shall be printed indicating the party. The arrangement of offices on the ballot is specified in the bill. Specimen ballots shall be issued not less than five days before the primaries.

Qualifications of Electors—No person shall vote at a primary unless he declares his party affiliation. In cases where registration is required for the regular election, only registered voters may vote at the primary preceding such election. No person shall vote at the primary who shall have signed the petition of a candidate of any party with which he is not affiliated, or the petition of an independent candidate, or if he shall have voted at a primary of another political party within a period of two years next preceding such primary. A proviso saves electors from losing their votes at a primary because of participation in city, village or town elections that are nonpartisan. If challenged the voter must sign an affidavit attesting his qualifications.

Count—The provisions regarding the count of ballots are almost identical with those of the general election laws.

Returns—Within 48 hours the primary judges shall deliver the poll books, ballots and tally sheets to the clerk that issued the primary ballots. They must be preserved for three months.

Canvassing Boards—The officers who by law canvass the returns of regular elections shall canvass the primary returns. At the end of the canvass the boards shall make proclamation of the results of the primary and shall execute a certificate, which, unless contests are filed, shall be filed within ten days in the office of the secretary of state or of the clerk, county, city, village or town, whose duty it is to print the official ballot for the election, nominations for which have been made at the primary.

Certificates of Nomination—Within one day after these certificates have been filed by the canvassers, the secretary of state or the proper clerk, as the case may be, shall issue a certificate of nomination to each of the candidates so proclaimed nominated, except United States senator. Certificates of election shall be issued to the persons proclaimed to be elected members of the various party committees.

Party Nominees—The person receiving the highest number of votes at a primary as a candidate of a party for the nomination for an office shall be the candidate of that party for such office, and his name as such candidate shall be placed on the official ballot at the election then ensuing. A proviso covers the election of one assessor in Cook county outside of Chicago as prescribed by law.

Vacancies—In case a candidate should die or withdraw, the managing committee of the party for the territorial area in which the vacancy occurs shall nominate a candidate to fill the empty place on the ticket.

Contests—May be made as in the case of regular elections.

Saloon Closing—Dramshops shall not be opened during the holding of a primary as in the case of regular elections.

Penalties—A fine of not exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding one year, or both, are provided for illegal voting, vote buying or selling and other frauds, corruption or manifest misbehavior.

Conclusion—All other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the new primary act are repealed, and provision is made that the invalidity of any portion of this act shall not affect the validity of any other portion thereof, which can be given effect without such invalid part.

Error of Cartoonists.

Most of the cartoonists picture Speaker Cannon as swinging his gavel with his right hand, when as a matter of fact the speaker is left-handed and does not swing his gavel with his right hand once in a thousand times.

THIRTY YEARS OF IT.

A Fearfully Long Siege of Daily Pain and Misery.

Charles Von Soehnen of 210 A St., Colfax, Wash., says: "For at least thirty years I suffered with kidney troubles, and the attacks laid me up for days at a time with pain in the back and rheumatism. When I was up and around sharp twinges caught me, and for fifteen years the frequent passages of kidney secretions annoyed me. But Doan's Kidney Pills have given me almost entire freedom from this trouble and I cannot speak too highly in their praise."

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

The Retort Venomous.

"So this is your widely advertised dollar table d'hôte dinner, is it?" said the indignant would-be diner, as he pushed aside an entree which he could not masticate. "Why, this is the last place in the world I would recommend to friends."

"Don't blame you, sir," said the sad-faced waiter. "Send your enemies here."

For 12c

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1 pkg. "Quick Quick" Carrot.....\$.10
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1 pkg. La Crosse Market Lettuce..... .15
1 pkg. Early Dinner Onion..... .10
1 pkg. Strawberry Muskmelon..... .15
1 pkg. Thirteen Day Radish..... .10
1,000 kernels gloriously beautiful flower seed..... .15

Total\$1.00 Above sufficient seed to grow 35 lbs. of rarest vegetables and thousands of brilliant flowers and all is mailed to you POSTPAID FOR 12c.

or if you send 16c, we will add a package of Berliner Earliest Cauliflower. John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis. E. & W.

By His Own Hand.

Everyone is the son of his own works.—Cervantes.

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It is easier for a man to acquire a bad reputation than it is for his children to live it down.

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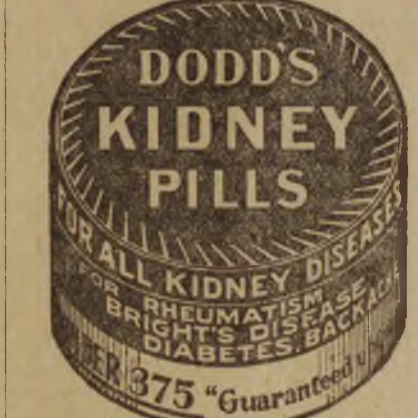
A milkman doesn't cry over split milk if there is a pump handy.

Lewis' Single Binder Cigar has a rich taste. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

No, Alonzo, a nervous woman isn't necessarily nervy.

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

Some men just can't foot a bill without kicking.



Chimney Troubles

Cured to Stay Cured

Does the rain beat in your chimney, running down and discoloring the walls inside? Does your chimney fail to create a strong, regular draft at all times? Are you tired of the trouble and expense of replacing galvanized iron extensions or galvanized iron revolving tops? Would you like to own a Chimney Top that would do away with all chimney troubles, and that would last as long as the chimney stands?

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AGREEING WITH THE ASSESSOR.

His Reason for Building Unneeded Addition to House.

Representative Birdsall of Iowa objects to the high rentals charged in Washington during the congressional season. He says he feels like an Irish farmer he knew out in his district. The farmer had bought a place out of savings as a farm-hand and renter. The tax assessor came around one day and put a valuation on Pat's new property which Pat thought excessive. His protest, however, was unavailing.

One day a neighbor visited Pat and found him building an addition to his house, and obviously the house was plenty big enough without it.

"Isn't that a piece of extravagance?" he asked Pat.

"Think again it might be," said Pat, "but I'm after havin' the ould place warth phat the assisser says it is."

Dentist.

A person who finds work for his own teeth by taking out those of other people.

Habitual Constipation

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KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Chas. Phelps and father spent Thursday of last week in DeKalb. Fred Payne moved his household effects to the Meyers-Sexauer farm last week.

Mrs. E. A. Burke was numbered among the sick the fore part of this week.

J. F. Aurner has been confined to the house with rheumatism, but is some better now.

Miss Jessie Pond who was ill with pneumonia last week, is better at the present writing.

W. W. Coultas, county superintendent of schools, was a visitor at our public schools Monday.

Mesdames H. G. Burgess and E. J. Stuart were shopping in Rockford on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Frank Bradford and baby, of Belvidere came Tuesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Nina Moore.

Word comes from Sycamore that the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stark is recovering rapidly from the measles.

Rev. W. H. Tuttle, George McClelland and John Lettow solicited signatures on a local option petition. A large majority signed.

Mrs. R. C. Benson entertained the boys of her Sunday School class on Tuesday evening of last week. An oyster supper was served.

Miss Jessie Parker of this place and Miss Birdie Drake of Genoa, who teach in the Genoa school, were visiting schools at Belvidere last Friday.

Mrs. H. L. Allen left Kirkland for Fall River, Kansas, last Sunday evening. She had been entertained by relatives for a number of weeks in this vicinity.

Mrs. James Mackey was summoned to Genoa Monday because of the continued illness of her mother, Mrs. C. Baker who is suffering from a fractured hip.

A son, the first child, weighing 8½ pounds, was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pratt, last Saturday morning. The mother was formerly Maye Heckman. Mother and child are doing nicely.

There was a good attendance at the M. E. church last week on Thursday evening to hear the Jubilee Singers who filled the third number of the lecture course. Their singing was well received.

One of the DeKalb county Sunday School institutes will be held at the Baptist church, Tuesday, February 25. A good program has been arranged for the three sessions, morning, afternoon and evening.

C. C. Smith, who has been a guest of relatives returned to his home in Glasgow, Montana, on Wednesday evening of last week. John Kapple who came with him, will remain for a visit with his sister, Mrs. H. Stark at Sycamore.

Mrs. George Helsdon and two children of Belvidere and her brother, Ralph Ort of this place left this week for a visit at Bronson, Iowa, with her uncle and aunt. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Spore. Mrs. E. C. Bell will keep house for her brother, Geo. Helsdon, while his family are away.

The Baptist church was well filled Sunday evening by those who wished to hear Mr. Hanada, a Japanese student of Wheaton College, tell of his personal experiences in becoming christianized in this country. His father disinherited him because of his adoption of the Christian religion.

Word was received Tuesday of the death of Captain J. W. Foster at the home of his son, Chas., in Belvidere. The deceased was a pioneer of Kingston township, a former resident of our village but late of Aurora and a Civil War veteran. The remains were brought from Belvidere Thursday of this week and the funeral services were held at the M. E. church at 10 o'clock the afternoon of the same day, W. H. Tuttle, pastor, officiating. Interment in Kingston cemetery, Obituary next week.

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of highway commissioner in the town of Kingston and respectfully solicit your support at the coming spring election.
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ORGAN RECITAL

To be Given at Ney M. E. Church Wednesday Evening, Feb. 12

The organ recital which was to have been given at the Ney M. E. church Wednesday evening, Feb. 5, has been postponed to Wednesday, Feb. 12.

Following is the program:
1 Overture, "Zampa".....Harold
2 Reading, "Patsy".....Miss Zada Corson
3 Largo, "Cavaleria".....Handel
4 War March of Priests.....Mendelssohn
5 "Asleep at the Switch".....Miss Zada Corson
6 Variations on familiar airs.....Mr. Perkins
7 Vocal Solo, "Asthore".....Miss Zada Corson
8 Intermezzo, "Cavaleria".....Muscatelli
9 The Secret.....Gautier
10 "One, two, three".....Miss Zada Corson
11 Festival March.....Scotson-Clark
12 Mr. Perkins

FEIGNING DEATH.

A Trick Resorted to by Animals to Shun Their Enemies.

The feigning of death by certain animals for the purpose of deceiving their enemies and thus securing immunity is one of the greatest of the many evidences of their intelligent ratiocination. This simulation is not confined to any particular family, order or species of animal, but exists in many, from the very lowest to the highest. It is found even in the vegetable kingdom, the well known sensitive plant being an interesting example. The action of this plant is purely reflex, as can be proved by observation and experiment, and is not therefore a process of intelligence.

An experimenter, writing in Wisconsin fur Alle, says that he has seen the feigning of death in some of the lowest animals known to science. Some time ago while examining the inhabitants of a drop of pond water under a high power lens he noticed several rhizopods busily feeding on the minute buds of an alga. These rhizopods suddenly drew in their hairlike filaria and sank to the bottom, to all appearances dead. The cause was found to be the presence of a water louse, an animal which feeds on these animalcules. It likewise sank to the bottom and after looking at the rhizopods swam away, evidently regarding them as dead and unfit for food.

This was not an accidental occurrence, for the observer has seen the same wonderful performance twice since. Through the agency of what sense, he asks, did these little creatures discover the approach of their enemy? Is it possible that they and other microscopic animals have eyes and ears so exceedingly small that lenses of the very highest power cannot make them visible, or are they possessors of senses utterly unknown to and incapable of being appreciated by man? Science can neither affirm nor deny either of these suppositions.

Most animals are slain for food by other animals. Most of the carnivora and insectivora prefer freshly killed food to carrion. They will not touch tainted meat when they can procure fresh; hence when they come upon their prey apparently dead they will leave it alone and go in search of other quarry unless they are very hungry. Tainted substances are dangerous to get into the stomach. Certain ptomaines render it sometimes very poisonous. Long years of experience have taught this fact to animals, and therefore most of them let dead or seemingly dead creatures alone.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Matthias Hain, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last will and testament of Matthias Hain, late of the county of DeKalb and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of DeKalb county, at the court house in Sycamore at the May term, on the first Monday in May 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.
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22-3t JOHN HINES, Executor.

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Paid For His Opinion.
On a tour in Canada Rudyard Kipling had a little disagreement with the landlord of the hotel at which he was staying, says London Tit-Bits. Just before leaving the hotel the famous author asked to see the proprietor, and upon that worthy appearing he was greeted thus: "I want to tell you that of all the hotels under the shining sun I have never seen one that for unmitigated, all round, unendurable discomfort could equal yours." When Kipling got his bill one item in it read, "To impudence, \$3."

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Near the isolated country seat where I spent my boyhood there was a footbridge but little more than a mile away. For the first ten years of my life I was forbidden to cross it, and until then I never walked on the turnpike road.

One day father told William and me that he would take us to walk over the bridge and to the other side of the river. This was blissful news.

He conducted us by a winding country road up the opposite bank of the stream. Suddenly the view called out my youthful admiration. Across the river appeared a large house standing in beautiful grounds not very distinctly seen through the

trees. Spacious gardens were surrounded by walls, there was a large greenhouse, and beyond stretched a meadow.

"Oh," I exclaimed, "what a beautiful house, papa! Don't I wish I could live there! What a time we could have!"

My father smiled. "We are going to live there, my son," he said.

"Truly, papa?"

"Yes."

"Oh, I am so glad! There must be plenty of nuts there."

"You have never seen the house before?" asked father.

"Of course not. We have never been here before."

"True. Take a good look at the grounds. What do you think of them?"

I did so and announced they were much larger and finer than ours.

"My child," said father, "you are doing what much wiser and older people have done before. You are looking from a distance at a beautiful place with envious eyes. It is a very pretty place. It is Boxfield, your own home, where you have lived all your life."

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