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GOATS SLUG THE BALL AND TAKE ANOTHER FROM BELVIDERE GRAYS

Five Three-baggers made of which the Goats Get Three—Grays the Strongest Team met this Year

The Belvidere Grays went down again before the Goats in a slugging match last Saturday. In all five three-baggers were made, three being placed to the credit of Genoa, Rorabaugh, Kirby and Neurauter being "the men behind the gun." As predicted it was as pretty a game as has been played this summer. The Grays are the fastest bunch the Goats have butted into during the entire season, and the latter would have lost the honors had they not used the stick well. Blake, the Belvidere third baseman, did more kicking than the one whose name is "Maude" ever dreamed of, but the rooters can forgive him for that on account of his superb qualities as a ball player. Nor does he outclass the others in the team. All handled the ball perfectly.

But the Genoa team is composed of the same kind of material, and it would be a toss-up as to which is nearest akin to greased lightning.

Yeoman, the first man at bat for the Grays, leaned on the stick for a three-bagger, which was followed by two singles. This terrific onslaught netted two runs for the visitors. It appeared that Genoa's stock would drop below par until Neurauter showed what he had up his sleeve. Not another hit was made by the Grays until the sixth.

There was nothing doing in the first and second inning on the Goat's side of the score sheet. In the third, singles by Rorabaugh, Kirby and Neurauter and a two-bagger by Lauman netted them four runs. Singles by Rorabaugh, Kirby and Sager added two more to the string in the fourth. Neurauter led off with a three base hit in the fifth but died on third as the next three men never reached first. A three bagger by Rorabaugh, duplicated by Kirby, in the sixth put one more man over the plate.

The Grays made their best showing in the seventh when four singles were made in succession and two runs earned.

The score follows:

GENOA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rorabaugh, c.	4	3	7	3	0	0
Kirby, 1b.	5	1	3	9	0	0
Sager, 3b.	5	1	1	2	0	0
Furr, ss.	5	0	0	4	3	0
Patterson, 2b.	4	1	1	5	2	3
Neurauter, p.	4	1	3	2	2	0
Lauman, cf.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Reuhlman, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Foote, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 38 7 13 27 13 6

BELVIDERE	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Yeoman, 1b.	5	1	2	9	0	0
Blake, 3b.	5	2	2	4	0	0
Stage, ss.	5	0	0	1	0	0
Sally, c.	5	0	1	1	0	0
Rowe, 2b.	4	0	0	1	2	1
Lane, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Gibson, lf.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Bartelt, rf.	4	2	1	0	0	0
Reynolds, p.	4	0	1	0	4	0

Totals 38 6 8 24 11 1

Genoa.....0 0 4 2 0 1 0 0 X-7

Belvidere ..2 0 0 0 1 2 0 1-6

Earned runs—Genoa 6, Belvidere 4. Two base hits—Lauman. Three base hits—Rorabaugh, Kirby, Neurauter, Yeoman, Blake. First on balls—Neurauter 2, off Reynolds 1. Struck out—by Neurauter 7, by Reynolds 2. Double play—Furr to Patterson to Kirby. Stolen bases—Rorabaugh, Neurauter, Lauman, Blake. Umpire, Anderson.

Batting Average

Games	AB	Hits	Pctg
Patterson	18	61	.311
Kirby	31	124	.306
Ackerman	21	86	.251
Rorabaugh	23	90	.289
Miller	10	42	.262
McKee	24	85	.247
Arbuckle	5	17	.235
Neurauter	25	88	.210
Sager	29	119	.202
Foote	18	69	.188
Lauman	24	92	.153
Furr	23	85	.153
Reuhlman	11	50	.100
Nelson	10	37	.054

WEEKLY SCHOOL NOTES

Interesting Items as Chronicled by our Correspondent, Abram Crawford

Fire drill took place on Friday and everything went well, considering the large number of pupils, including the new arrivals in the primary department who have had little practice. The fire alarm is given by three rings of an electric bell. On this occasion the building was emptied in less than three minutes. This time will be reduced with practice.

The basket ball field has been marked off and the goals put up. The first regular practice by the boys took place on Tuesday evening of this week. The boys practice on Tuesday and Thursday while the girls have Wednesday and Friday. Captain Leonard of the girls' team had out about ten candidates at the first practice. It should be a strong team as the girls have played together two seasons and can have the same line up this year with one exception.

On Monday Prof. Stout started reading the book entitled "Letters from a Self-made Man to His Son," by Geo. H. Lorimer.

This week ends the first month of school.

Miss Hazel Robinson visited the school Monday.

Miss Margaret Foote and Miss Belle Holroyd are new pupils in the high school.

Clarence Olmsted was elected president of the senior class.

Miss Mabel Ainlay started in the grammar room Monday.

The zoology class dissected the crayfish Monday.

Members of the German class have been putting in some long hours on their lessons. They say it's worse than Caesar.

During the two years Mr. Stout has been in Genoa he has endeavored to find a dustless crayon that will make a heavy line. The dustless crayon now in use is so hard it leaves a mark which cannot be seen across the room. He now has in mind a chalk which, tho not dustless, seems to be a success. The dust is so heavy it will drop into the trays at the bottom of the black board instead of flying about to the great discomfort of all in the room.

Misses Gilkerson and Belle Colton of Riley visited the school Friday.

FARMERS' UNION FAILS

Meetings Dwindle in Interest and Batavia Farmers Quit

The farmers' union is having its troubles at Batavia. Recently it organized to fight the cut in milk prices made by the Kee and Chappell creamery. At first the organization was strong and all seemed in favor of fighting the thing to the end.

The first meeting that was held was largely attended, the second showed a slight decrease in attendance and at the last meeting only sixty out of the 300 farmers were present.

Those who were present held a warm and exciting meeting and decided that they would not accept the scale, but would take their milk elsewhere. But they were not in the majority, and the others, who were not at the meeting, walked up one by one into the office of the creamery this morning and signed up for the price offered by the company. This loses the victory for the union, and the few members left will probably disband and sign like the rest.

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

EXCHANGE GLEANINGS

ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST TO GENOA AND VICINITY

Mrs. Henry Schmidt Commits Suicide at DeKalb—Elgin Watch Company Hiring Men in Girls' Places

Fred B. Vanston of Rockford is the loser of \$500 worth of cattle because he had poor fences. A herd of thirty-three broke into a corn field and gorged themselves with the bumper corn so thoroughly that eight of them have died and eight more will die.

The Rockford, Beloit and Janesville electric road has been sold to Cleveland capitalists for \$1,250,000, the deal having been completed yesterday.

H. H. Smith of Kirkland has bought the Belvidere Ice company of P. H. Moan and Joe McElroy, and takes immediate possession.

William T. Eby, Detroit, Mich., holds the world's record for number of brick laid in one day, 8,000. He lays an average of 5000 bricks per day, and works so fast that he is able to command \$100 an hour for his services.

Mrs. Henry Schmidt, sixty years of age committed suicide at DeKalb by drinking carbolic acid. She leaves her husband and one grown son, George.

Fire at Belvidere last Friday night destroyed a large portion of the Hollister lumber yards, entailing a loss of nearly \$10,000.

It is reported from Elgin that men are supplanting women in the watch factory. In 1893 the management began hiring women in the places of the men and continued to do so for years until at the present time there are about three women to one man. Now it is said that as fast as women leave the best jobs men are being put in their places.

Sycamore Tribune: The preserve Works have just finished this season's corn pack after a three weeks' busy run. During that time they put up 56,000 cases or nearly 1,500,000 cans, considerably in excess of any previous year. They are now beginning the canning of pumpkins of which three to four hundred tons can be used.

A project for the erection of a Masonic temple in Rockford for the exclusive use of the Masonic branches and the Eastern Star lodges of the city has been started by prominent Masons of Rockford.

A bus load of Sycamore young people had a jollification in the woods near Genoa Saturday afternoon.—Tribune.

Thanks

The Marengo News last week tossed the following bouquet at our feet: "The Genoa Republican-Journal entered upon its second volume last week and increased its size from a six-column quarto to a seven-column quarto which is an evidence that Brother Schoonmaker is prospering. He certainly ought to prosper as he is giving the Genoa people an excellent local paper."

Team Stolen

Sheriff Smith of Belvidere has notified officers of neighboring towns to be on the lookout for a pair of geldings, a sorrel and a chestnut, stolen several miles south of Belvidere. The animals were hitched to a light top buggy and wore red and yellow fly nets.

Butter Market

There were no offerings on the Elgin board of trade, a bid of 20½ cents for butter being ignored by producers. The market was declared firm at 20½ cents and the output for the district was reported at 696,700 pounds.

WINTER'S ENTERTAINMENT

Another High School Lecture Course Scheduled for this Season

On account of the fact that last year's lecture course was a fair success in every way it has been decided to run one this year again as an auxiliary to the high school. There will be but five numbers this year instead of seven and the price of the course will be twenty-five cents cheaper. The five numbers will contain three of the same companies as last year. They are as follows: Wm. Sterling Battis, the impersonator who gave us the best number on our course last year will return and give us another delightful evening. Those who did not hear Mr. Battis last year missed the most delightful evening's entertainment given in Genoa for a considerable time. Even those who ordinarily are not interested in an elocutionary effort of any sort were lavish in their praises of the work of Mr. Battis. All of those will wish to hear him again for he will give an entirely different program.

The jubilee singers known as Glazier's Carolinians will give us another evening of negro melody and mirth. They are too well and favorably known in Genoa to require comment. Dr. J. R. Reitzel, who gave us an intensely interesting and educational lecture will be with us again. Those who really wish to learn from the platform will be glad to hear him once more.

The two numbers that are new are "The Silvers" a company of bell ringers who also excel in other entertaining such as juggling, magic, etc. This entertainment is the only one in the course that hasn't an educational tinge but some fun must be mixed in for all of us. This company comes well recommended.

Prof. Williamson comes with another form of entertainment. His is an electrical display lecture. Various phases of electricity are considered and the latest inventions shown, such as wireless telegraphy, the X ray, etc. It is needless to say that such an entertainment will be exceedingly interesting and profitable. No Saturday night dates will be accepted so that business men may attend without neglecting their business when they are most needed. Tickets will be sold for the course of five numbers for one dollar and a quarter.

ARRESTED AT ROCKFORD

Cripple Supposed to be Implicated in Marengo Robberies

Ray Hammond, a cripple, has been arrested at Rockford charged with being implicated in the recent robberies of business places at Marengo. The Marengo authorities have been looking for him ever since he disappeared.

This brings to mind the fact that there was a vagrant cripple in Genoa about the time the stores were burglarized. Perhaps the same Ray Hammond can explain a few things about that midnight visit. Anyhow it might be well to ask him a few questions.

The Woodman Boom

The DeKalb Woodman lodge has an ambition to have the largest membership of any order in DeKalb county, if not in this part of the state, says the Review. Workers are out to get a class of 30 to 50 to be initiated about November 1st. The grand officers of the order have promised to be there to assist in the work and an elaborate banquet will be a part of the exercises of the occasion. It is to be a big day in Woodman work in DeKalb.

DEATH CLAIMS TWO

DR. McALLISTER ANSWERS THE SUMMONS MONDAY MORNING

Funeral Services Held Wednesday Afternoon—John Cooper Died Last Thursday in Kingston Township

AFTER an illness of several months Dr. James C. McAllister died at his home in this city last Monday, Sept. 25, aged 89 years, 11 months and 17 days. He had been very feeble for several years and long since gave up active practice.

James C. McAllister was born in the city of Albany, New York, on the 8th day of October, 1815.



Dr. James C. McAllister

He was one of a family of twelve children born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAllister.

When a young man he graduated from a medical college of high standing at Castleton, Vermont, and after practicing medicine for a short time in New York State, he moved to Illinois in 1850 and settled at Kingston in DeKalb Co.

On November 3, 1853, he was united in marriage to Miss Orrilla P. Palmer at Kingston, Ill., where Mr. and Mrs. McAllister made their home for nearly 30 years.

About twenty-four years ago he moved from Kingston to Genoa where he has since resided.

Dr. McAllister was not only counted as one of the old settlers in northern Illinois, but was known everywhere thruout this immediate section of the state as a most successful physician, and with the exception of two years at Belvidere and one year in the state of Iowa he had practised medicine in Northern DeKalb Co. for nearly fifty years.

Besides his bereaved wife he leaves to mourn his departure one daughter, Mrs. Jennie Griffin, living at Ottawa, Ill., and only one brother, Alexander, residing at Hinsdale, Ill. He also leaves several nephews and nieces, some of whom live in this vicinity.

Dr. McAllister was a man of sterling character, honest, helpful, sympathetic, and there are scores of friends, knowing his life and character, how rise up to call him blessed.

He was a member of the Masonic order for more than forty-six years, having joined that order June 15, 1859. He became a member of the Genoa lodge on April 3, 1890, and was elected a life member on April 14, 1897.

When he was a young man 22 years of age he accepted Christ as his savior and announced to the world, by being baptized in the Christian faith and uniting with a Presbyterian church, his deter-

ation to live a Christian life.

Like his father before him he lived within a few days of being 90 years of age, and this he attributed to his temperate mode of living. He was a working Christian in his younger days and for several years was active in Sunday School work at Kingston. A few days before his death he said to his beloved wife: "I haven't long to stay, but it is all well with me." When asked if he would not like to live to see his 90th birthday, he replied: "God's will be done, not mine."

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at 1:30 at the house and at 2:00 o'clock at the M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Ream officiating, using as his text Job 5 ch 26v

WHO GETS MACHINE?

ONLY ONE WEEK IN WHICH TO CAST VOTES

Contest for Votes has been Lively During the Past Week—Prospects for Large Final Vote

The Republican-Journal's sewing machine contest waxes warm, and the prospects are that there will be a large vote polled next week. All the contestants are putting forth every effort to land the prize. Many coupons have been given out recently, although not all have been voted. Several new names have been added to the subscription list. Many have renewed, but there are hundreds more who could pay up arrears and renew at this time, thus helping some contestant and bringing in money which the publisher could use.

Bear in mind that the contest closes next Wednesday evening, Oct. 4, at eight o'clock. Vote early in the week and as often as you like.

The contest now stands as follows:

Mr. R. B. Field	5603
Miss Golda Evans	5114
Miss Mable Corson	4204
Miss Ella Duval	500
Mrs. Dollie Nelson	200

MARRIED IN WISCONSIN

Mr. Paul Lapham and Mrs. Lyda Anderson Cupid's Victims

At the home of the bride's brother, G. W. Richardson, Dane, Wisconsin, on Wednesday evening of this week at eight o'clock, occurred the marriage of Mr. Paul Lapham and Mrs. Lyda Anderson of this city.

Both of these victims of cupid have many friends here who wish them joy. Mr. Lapham has been machinist at the shoe factory for years and counts his friends by hundreds. No less popular is the bride who has conducted an excellent boarding house here for some years. She is a sister of Mrs. C. A. Snow and E. H. Richardson.

The groom recently purchased the house now occupied by E. H. Richardson and he and his wife will make it their home in the near future.

BELVIDERE SUNDAY

Goats Will Play a Double Header on That Day

The Goats go to Belvidere Sunday and play a double header with the Grays of that city. Manager Goding will put the strongest team possible into the field and expects to win one if not both of the games. There is no reason why it cannot be done despite the fast company the Goats are mixing with.

Veteran will Retire

J. B. Babcock, the Nestor of newspaper editors in this part of the state, will close the door of the sanctum behind him at the end of this month.

He and his son, F. D. E. Babcock, known to his many friends as "Tad" have concluded a sale of the Marengo Republican to Charles Scofield and Charles Fillmore, owners of the Marengo News, and the two papers will be merged into one. The publication will probably be called The Republican-News.

A Good Sale

There was not a large crowd of buyers at the Walters sale Monday, but despite that fact Auctioneer Abraham obtained good prices for the stuff. The machinery in particular sold well and the cows brought all they were worth.

WORLD'S NEWS - TOLD IN - PARAGRAPHS

At a meeting of Boston citizens it was decided to erect a memorial to the late Mayor Patrick A. Collins.

Hog cholera and hog plague have become epidemic around Carthage, Ill., 1,000 hogs dying in the last two weeks.

The sixty-eighth year of the University of Michigan opened with fully 4,200 students enrolled in the various departments.

John Carlson, a prominent farmer, was found dead two miles east of Lacon, Ill. It is supposed his team ran away, but not a mark was found on his person.

In a dynamite explosion at the Dover Blast Furnace Company at Canal Dover, Ohio, three men were terribly injured. George Funkhouser, eyes burned out and arm blown off, will die.

Secretary Hitchcock is back in Washington from his summer home at Monadnock, N. H., where he has spent the past three months.

Teresa, a daughter of General Santiago de La Guardia, minister of war, is married to P. L. Fellinger, manager of the Panama Banking Company.

The Anglo-Japanese treaty, signed Aug. 12, is an ironclad agreement respecting the interests of both nations in India and Asia.

The crisis in Austro-Hungary has become serious, threatening the disruption of the dual monarchy.

Six powers have sent a note to the sultan announcing determination to at once take charge of Macedonian finances.

A Danish explorer is preparing for a second expedition into Greenland to secure facts for geographical societies.

The zemstvo congress in Moscow adopted a political programme demanding, among other things, equality in personal rights for all citizens of Russia.

A third woman has sued for the fortune left by Millionaire Rouss of New York.

New Orleans physicians continue their investigations and are confident they will find the yellow fever germ.

Baron Komura, the Japanese peace envoy, in a statement expressing his gratitude for the courtesy shown him.

Wilson Evans, director of the Commercial Museum of San Francisco, has reached Santiago, Chile, for the purpose of studying the commercial relations of Chile, and the United States with a view to the extension of these relations.

Mrs. Roosevelt visited Harvard Monday for the purpose of investigating the rooms engaged for Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at Claverly hall.

Camilla Jenatton, the German automobileist who will enter the automobile races on Long Island for the Vanderbilt cup next month, arrived on the steamer Finland from Antwerp.

Two girls in New York are involved in a peculiar "Black Hand" case, one being arrested for writing threatening letters to her father and the other being clubbed in her home.

Five lives are lost in rear-end collision near Philadelphia.

J. P. Morgan, it is said, has peremptorily ordered Perkins to resign as vice president of the New York Life Insurance company.

Eleven New York contractors charged with importing English tile setters will surrender to United States officials.

New Orleans is encouraged by few new cases of yellow fever reported and disease is now believed to be of light type.

The St. Louis Board of Public Improvements, after an inspection of the grade crossings in Chicago, plans to abolish them in St. Louis.

The death of Mrs. Harriet Hadley, wife of George Grove Hadley, reputed to be a wealthy coal operator of West Virginia, at the Donair apartment house in San Francisco is being investigated by the authorities.

Governor Frank W. Higgins of New York has returned home on the steamer Celtic from Liverpool after a few weeks' trip abroad.

The quadrennial assembly of the German Evangelical Synod of America is in session at Rochester, N. Y., and will continue until Thursday.

A bronze tablet marking the location of Langdon's shipyard at Badgers Island, Kittery, Me., where John Paul Jones' ship Ranger was built in 1777, was dedicated Saturday, the one hundred and twenty-sixth anniversary of the sea fight between the Bon Homme Richard and Serapis.

H. H. D. Peirce, third assistant secretary of state, who was delegated by the President to look after the comfort of the peace envoys at Portsmouth, has returned to Washington and resumed his duties at the state department.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago Produce. Butter—Extra creamery, jobbing, 10 1/2c; pieces to retailers, 20c; prints, 21 1/2c; firsts, 18 1/2c; seconds, 17c; renovated, 18 1/2c; dairies, Cooleys, 18 1/2c; firsts, 17c; ladles, 16 1/2c; packing stock, 15 1/2c @ 16c.

New York Produce. Creamery common to extra, 17 @ 20c; state dairy, common to extra, 16 1/2 @ 19 1/2c; western imitation creamery, extras, 18 1/2 @ 20c; firsts, 17 1/2 @ 19c; renovated, common to extra, 16 @ 19c; western factory common to extra, 15 1/2 @ 17 1/2c.

Elgin Butter Market. Butter—offerings or sales; official; 20c; steady.

Grain Quotations. WHEAT. Chicago—No. 2 red, 85 1/2 @ 86 1/2c; No. 3, 84 1/2 @ 85 1/2c; Minneapolis—No. 1 northern, 85 1/2c; St. Louis—No. 2 red, 82 1/2c; Duluth—No. 1 northern, 82 1/2c; Kansas City—No. 2 hard, 77 1/2 @ 78c; Milwaukee—No. 1 northern, 85 1/2c; Toledo—No. 2 red, 83 1/2c.

CORN. Chicago—No. 2, 53c; Live Stock. CATTLE. Chicago—\$1.50 @ \$1.55; Omaha—\$1.50 @ \$1.55; Kansas City—\$1.45 @ \$1.50; St. Louis—\$1.50 @ \$1.55; New York—\$1.50 @ \$1.55.

SHEEP AND LAMBS. Chicago—\$2 @ \$2.50; Omaha—\$1.90 @ \$2.15; Kansas City—\$2 @ \$2.50; St. Louis—\$2 @ \$2.50; New York—\$2 @ \$2.50.

By the will of Charles Parsons, late president of the State bank at St. Louis, \$80,000 is given for the endowment of a Martha Parsons professorship at Parsons college at Fairfield, Iowa. The estate is valued at more than \$1,000,000.

United States Senator Redfield Proctor gives \$150,000 to found a Vermont state sanitarium for consumptives.

The grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias of Minnesota have elected Carroll S. Bartman, St. Paul, grand chancellor.

Fred Davis, aged 25, employed as driver at the Scales coal mine, near Booneville, Ind., was fatally injured by a mule falling upon him.

Bishop Hendrix is sued in Caruthersville, Mo., for \$25,000 by a minister he expelled from a Methodist conference for his alleged spiritualist doctrine.

The Muscogee, I. T., oil field, which gave promise of being one of the greatest in the midcontinent belt, is gradually dwindling almost to nothing.

Frank Mikel, an Italian who shot into a crowded street car a mile from the business district of Kansas City, Mo., because he had been ejected from the car, was chased by a mob of men and badly beaten before the police rescued him.

Four thousand members of the American Bankers' association are expected to attend the annual convention of the order at Washington, D. C., Oct. 10 to 13, and an elaborate programme has been arranged.

The Cunard line steamer Lucania, which sailed from Liverpool Saturday for New York, had among her passengers W. R. Hearst and wife and General James G. Wilson.

The mayor of Des Moines, Iowa, vetoed a resolution of the council granting a permit for a brewery.

Mrs. Mary Klugmann, 46 years old, was burned to death and eleven other persons were injured by fire in a remarkable series of accidents at St. Louis.

Denver has been selected as the place of meeting of the national grand lodge of the Sons of Hermann of the United States in September, 1909. President William Folsom has wired Governor McDonald, signifying the acceptance of his invitation.

Edward Brandt of Sterling, Ill., was struck and killed by a Chicago & Northwestern passenger train while driving across the tracks.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans at Gettysburg, Pa., elected Katie E. Harcastle of Philadelphia president.

HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE.



Nine years ago Li-Hung-Chang arrived in New York. Find a servant.

COAL OPERATORS TO FIGHT UNIONS

Plan to Shut Down Mines Until Workers Agree to Accept Reduction.

SIX STATES TO BE INVOLVED

Meeting to Be Held at Chicago to Develop Agreement Between Bosses That Is Expected to Crush Mitchell's Organization.

Pittsburg, Pa., dispatch: On April 1, 1906, every coal miner in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, West Virginia and part of Kentucky will close down for an indefinite period if predictions made here by prominent operators shall be verified.

A meeting of the coal operators of all these states has been called to be held Nov. 22 at Chicago. It is the plan of the originators of this move to shut down the mines and keep them closed until the United Mineworkers are ready to accept a reduction of from 10 to 15 cents a ton on the present mining rate.

This is the programme which is to be carried out if the eastern contingent, or the anthracite operators, can bring it about. The bituminous coal operators favor advancing the price of coal by closing down the mines to limit the output.

Operators Oppose Union. Herman Justl, commissioner for the Illinois Coal Operators' association, sent out the call. This will be the first time the anthracite coal operators will have entered into an agreement with the bituminous coal operators. The object of this is to stifle the increasing growth of unionism in the eastern coal mines.

There exists an agreement among the western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois coal operators known as the interstate agreement, whereby the operators annually meet the United Mineworkers of the various districts and settle on a mining rate for the year. The anthracite coal operators are unwilling to deal with the miners' union and have about 30,000 miners employed in eastern Pennsylvania under individual contracts. To kill the miners' union the anthracite employer must have the assistance of the soft coal operators of the west.

Plan to Starve Miners. All the wage scales in the states named expire April 1; in fact, nearly all the mining scales of the country expire on that date. It is to meet this crisis that the meeting has been called in Chicago next November. The coal miners are getting better wages than ever in the history of the industry, taking working facilities into consideration. The interstate price is based on 85 cents per ton for coal mined and run over an inch and one-quarter screen.

Some of the western coal operators want this reduced to 70 cents a ton, and the coal miners will be met with this proposition this coming January at the wage conference. The eastern coal operators will not be represented at this gathering. Of course, the coal miners' representatives will refuse to accept the reduction and the mines may be closed down until either side is starved out.

Shutdown to Advance Prices. As a result the anthracite coal operators have begun piling up coal and will do so all winter. The soft coal

WIFE TAKEN AT SPOUSE'S BIER

Arrested Because of Indications of Death by Poisoning.

Cadillac, Mich., dispatch: Mrs. H. N. Fellows and Fred Tinker were arrested in Big Rapids, Mich., on request of Sheriff Faquette, who obtained a warrant from them here. They were on their way to Newaygo, Mich., to the funeral of Mrs. Fellows' husband, who died here after an illness of three weeks, during which there were symptoms of poisoning.

FRESHMEN WIN THE CANE RUSH

Beloit College Affair is Lively, but Nobody is Injured.

Beloit, Wis., dispatch: The annual class cane rush between sophomores and freshmen of Beloit college occurred Friday afternoon in the city park before hundreds of citizens. The freshmen carried the canes to the battlefield, and were victorious, as the class is the largest the school has ever had. No one was hurt, although the struggle was decidedly lively.

TAINTED MONEY BANKER'S THEME

Illinois Financiers Listen to Able Address by President Durham.

CURE FOR THE ITCHING PALM

Presiding Officer Declares That Get-Rich-Quick Fever, Epidemic in the Land, Will Require Much Medicine to Eradicate.

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 27.—More than 100 delegates attended the opening session of the fifteenth annual convention of the Illinois Association of Bankers.

Mayor James S. Neville delivered the address of welcome. The response was by Frank G. Allen of Moline. Other speakers were E. D. Durham, of Onarga, state president; W. L. Moyer, president of the National Shoe and Leather bank of New York; Frederic F. Norcross of the American Society company, and F. A. Grandall, president of the Chicago chapter of the American Institute of Bank Clerks.

In his annual address President Durham said in part: President's Address.

"It is significant that the year just closing has coined two significant terms—'frenzied finance' and 'tainted money.' The former tells of a reckless disregard of long established rules for the government of financial transactions; of the unsafe and rash policy adopted by the management of the get-rich-quick concerns. The exploitation and explosion of such concerns is slowly but surely teaching a return to the old paths. Yet the get-rich-quick fever is epidemic in the land and will require much medicine to cure. Education for the masses along financial lines is sorely needed, and I am not sure that it would not be a good investment for the bankers' association to take the initiative in providing it.

Man Behind the Money. The second expression, 'tainted money,' is a more severe arraignment. It tells of a tainted man near. Only the man behind the money can give it taint. It is use, not origin, that gives it taint. There is probably no association of business men that has a greater measure of public respect and confidence than ours. As an association we can do much to elevate public standards. Our state has been peculiarly fortunate in having so few of the many cases of thievery and breach of trust discovered among bank employees of the country during the year."

WHIPS HIS DAUGHTER TO DEATH

Horrible Crime in Indian Territory. Executed in Indian Territory.

Armore, I. T., dispatch: The crime for which Rufus Binyon, a negro, was executed here was most atrocious. Near Ran, I. T., in May, 1900, he whipped his 8-year-old stepdaughter, May Hawthorne, to death, then placed her body in the fireplace and made an effort to cremate it. The mother of the child discovered the crime in time to prevent the cremation. Binyon was brought to the federal jail here in chains and quickly convicted. Bishop Arnett of Ohio made a direct appeal to the president to change Binyon's sentence to life imprisonment, but the president declined to interfere.

TWO HURT LOOPING THE LOOP

Performers Probably Fatally Injured at Carnival in Belleville, Ill.

Belleville, Ill., dispatch: Two performers doing almost identical feats were probably fatally injured within a few minutes of each other during the carnival and street fair. The rope holding the net placed to catch Mme. Demona, who loops the loop in a large ball, broke, precipitating the woman to the ground, a distance of ten feet. Hardly had the woman been removed to a hospital when Harry Russell, in attempting to loop a double loop and leap a gap, fell from his bicycle while crossing the latter and landed on his head.

JURY CONVICTS AN EX-BANKER

Frank S. Komp Found Guilty of Perjury at Kenosha, Wis.

Kenosha, Wis., dispatch: Frank S. Komp, formerly president of the Kenosha state bank, was convicted on a charge of perjury by a jury in the circuit court. Attorneys for Komp moved an arrest of judgment on grounds that the evidence was insufficient. Judge Belden will hear the arguments on this motion later.

DEATH OF FORMER GOVERNOR

Father of Illinois Appellate Court System Expires at Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., special: Former Gov. John Marshall Hamilton, credited with being the father of the present appellate court system of Illinois and the creator of the state board of health, is dead at his residence, 4720 Madison avenue. He died early Saturday morning after a month's illness, from congestion of the lungs and complications.

Plan Smokeless Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., dispatch: H. C. Frick, George Westinghouse, Jr., and Gen. A. H. Warner of Marietta, Ohio, are promoting a power scheme to make Pittsburg smokeless.

SHORT SUPPLY OF GRAIN IN EUROPEAN RUSSIA

University of Finance Statistical Committee Notifies Consul of Big Falling Off in Crops.

Chicago dispatch: In a cable received by N. W. Engallicheff, Russian vice consul in Chicago, from the Russian statistical committee of the University of Finance the crop of European Russia, including seventy-two governments, is reported as follows: Wheat, 788,000,000 poods (472,800,000 bushels).

Rye, 991,000,000 poods (637,071,000 bushels). Oats, 654,000,000 poods (735,625,000 bushels).

The Trade Industry Gazette's estimate is as follows: Wheat, 735,000,000 poods (441,000,000 bushels).

Rye, 920,000,000 poods (591,428,000 bushels). Oats, 635,000,000 poods (714,375,000 bushels).

Estimate on Russian crop last year: Wheat, 664,669,000 bushels. Rye, 938,600,000 bushels. Oats, 911,900,000 bushels.

The figures show a shortage this year from last year, according to the Russian statistical committee: Wheat, 191,869,000 bushels. Rye, 301,529,000 bushels. Oats, 176,275,000 bushels.

The shortage according to the Trade Industry Gazette is: Wheat, 223,609,000 bushels. Rye, 347,172,000 bushels. Oats, 197,525,000 bushels.

Wheat and rye shortage, according to statistical committee, 493,398,000 bushels.

ROBS 4-YEAR-OLD CHILD OF 5 CENTS; FINE IS \$75

Chicago Police Justice Deals Out Heavy Penalty to Man Who Took Pennies From Boy.

Chicago, Ill., dispatch: Justice Callahan in the South Chicago court fined a thief 1,500 times the amount of his theft. The defendant, Michael Worsmark went to the bridewell to serve out the fine.

He stole 5 cents according to a policeman, and Justice Callahan fined him \$75. Worsmark, it was alleged, was intoxicated, when he met near his home the child of a neighbor. The boy, 4 years old, had five pennies in his chubby fist, and displayed them to Worsmark. The latter was thirsty and "broke." He seized the pennies and shuffled away.

The child ran after him screaming, and a policeman, who had seen Worsmark's action, intervened. He gave the child its money and took Worsmark to the station. When arraigned he pleaded guilty to a charge of disorderly conduct.

"What was he doing?" asked Justice Callahan.

"He took 5 cents from a baby," the officer replied.

"From a child? I guess \$75 will be about right for him," the justice decided.

SUBMITS TO THROAT OPERATION

Duchess of Marlborough Under the Surgeon's Knife.

New York dispatch: The duchess of Marlborough, who was Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt, was operated on Monday for an affection of the throat by Dr. H. Holbrook Curtis at a private hospital. The duchess withstood the operation in a most satisfactory manner and Dr. Curtis believes that it will prove successful. The duchess went to the hospital, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, and Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay. The exact nature of the trouble could not be learned.

END OF ILLINOIS MINE STRIKE

Struggle That Has Cost Participants \$250,000 Is Closed.

Springfield, Ill., special: The strike of the machine miners in the Chicago and Alton subdistrict, in which 1,800 miners were affected, was broken Saturday night, when the Diverton miners, 300 in number, voted to return to work. All machine mines in the subdistrict resumed operation Monday. It was stated by a prominent operator that at least \$250,000 had been lost by operators and miners by reason of the shut down.

INVALID DROWNS IN THE LAKE

Body of Former Supreme Judge's Son Found at Notre Dame.

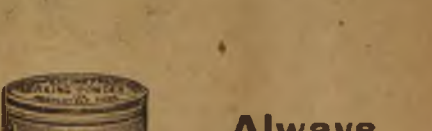
Notre Dame, Ind., dispatch: The body of Charles Howard, son of Timothy Howard, ex-judge of the Supreme court, was found floating on St. Mary's lake, at Notre Dame university. Howard was 40 years old and had been missing from his home in South Bend since last Friday. He was an invalid and may have been mentally deranged at the time of his drowning. Circumstances indicate that the drowning was accidental.

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Never Loses Its Strength



Always the Same

Calumet Baking Powder

Is Most Healthful, Wholesome and Economical

How He Knew. It was a beautiful day, without a single cloud in the sky. The man who was buying some food in a delicatessen store remarked on the weather.

"Yes, it's fine, but it's going to rain," replied the dealer.

"Impossible," said the customer. "I'll bet you a fever," said the dealer, "that it rains before the day is over, although I hate to take your money."

The money was put up and the customer went away chuckling.

Before night the rain was falling in torrents. The man who lost the bet stopped at the delicatessen store to see the winner.

"How did you know it was going to rain?" he demanded of the storekeeper. The latter chuckled.

"See that ice chest?" he asked pointing to a big box in the corner.

The customer saw the ice box. It was sweating big drops of water.

"That chest," said the storekeeper, "is my barometer. When there is rain in the air it begins to sweat; when it is imminent it sheds those big drops you see now. I've had it over two years and it never yet prophesied falsely."

"Never too late to learn," sighed the customer, "but sometimes a little knowledge comes high."

Six Doctors Failed.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 25th (Special)—After suffering from Kidney Disease for three years; after taking treatment from six different doctors without getting relief, Mr. J. O. Laudeman of this place found not only relief but a speedy and complete cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills. Speaking of his cure Mr. Laudeman says:

"I suffered from Kidney Trouble for three years and tried six doctors to no good. Then I took just two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they not only cured my kidneys, but gave me better health in general. Of course I recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills to others and I know a number now who are using them with good results."

Mr. Laudeman's case is not an exception. Thousands give similar experiences. For there never yet was a case of Kidney Trouble from Backache to Bright's Disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills could not cure. They are the only remedy that ever cured Bright's Disease.

Sight Injured by Hard Work.

Prof. Hilgard, a cousin of the late Henry Villard and for thirty-one years connected with the University of California, is threatened with total blindness and has been compelled to suspend work.

Those Who Have Tried It will use no other. Defiance Cold Water Starch has no equal in Quantity or Quality—15 oz. for 10 cents. Other brands contain only 12 oz.

An exchange devotes some space to an article on "How to Make Use of Macaroni." A good plan is to eat it.

No chromes or cheap premiums, but a better quality and one-third more of Defiance Starch for the same price of other starches.

An Iowa man says only the rich have brains. This is poor news.

Kemp's Balsam

Will stop any cough that can be stopped by any medicine and cure coughs that cannot be cured by any other medicine.

It is always the best cough cure. You cannot afford to take chances on any other kind.

KEMP'S BALSAM cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, grip, asthma and consumption in first stages.

JOAN OF THE SWORD LAND

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CHAPTER V.

Johann, the Secretary.
Ten miles outside the boundary of the little hill state of Kernsberg, the embassy of Plassenburg was met by another cavalcade bearing additional instructions from the Princess Helene. The leader was a slender youth of middle height, the accuracy of whose form gave evidence of much agility. He was dark-skinned, of an olive complexion, and with black hair which curled crisply about his small head. His eyes were dark and fine, looking straight and boldly out upon all comers.

"Your Excellency," he said to the Ambassador, "I bring you the most recent instructions from their Highnesses Hugo and Helene of Plassenburg. They sojourn for the time being in the city of Thorn, where they build a new palace for themselves. I was brought from Hamburg to be one of the master builders. I have skill in plans, and I bring you these for your approval and in order to go over the rates of cost with you, as Treasurer of the Plassenburg and the Wolfsmark."

Dessauer took, with every token of deference, the sheaf of papers so carefully unwrapped and sealed with the seal of Plassenburg.

"I thank you for your diligence, good master architect," he said, "I shall peruse these at my leisure, and I doubt not, call upon you frequently for explanations."

The young man rode on at his side, modestly waiting to be questioned. "What is your name, sir?" asked Von Dessauer, so that all the escort might hear.

"I am called Johann Pyrmont," said the youth, promptly, and with engaging frankness; "my father is a Hamburg merchant, trading to the Spanish ports for oil and wine, but I follow him not. I had ever a turn for drawing and the art of design!"

"Also for having your own way, as is common with the young," said the Ambassador, smiling shrewdly. "So, against your father's will, you apprenticed yourself to an architect?"

The young man bowed. "Nay, sir," he said, "but my good father could deny me nothing on which I had set my mind."

"Not, he," muttered Dessauer under his breath; "no, nor anyone else!"

It had been a favorite scheme of dead princes of Courtland to unite to their fat acres and populous mercantile cities the hardy mountaineers and pastoral uplands of Kernsberg. There had come to Joan's father, Henry, called the Lion, and the late Prince Michael of Courtland, a thought. One had a daughter, the other a son. So with that frank carelessness of the private feelings of the individual which has ever distinguished great politicians, they decreed that, as a condition of succession, their male and female heirs should marry each other.

This bond of heritage-brotherhood, as it was called, had received the sanction of the Emperor in full Diet, and now it wanted only that the Duchess Joan of Hohenstein should be of age in order that the provinces might at last be united and the long wars of highland and lowland at an end.

The plan has taken everything into consideration except the private characters of the persons principally affected, Prince Louis of Courtland, and the young Duchess Joan.

It was the last day of the famous tournament of the Black Eagle in the princely city of Courtland. Prince

of Beauty, looked down upon them with interest, seeing that they were men who came, and that one at least was young.

Fifty knights with white plumes on their helmets had charged fifty wearing black, and the combat still raged.

"The Blacks have it!" said Dessauer, after regarding the melee with interest. "We have come in time to see the end of the fray. Would that he had also seen the shock!"

And indeed the Blacks seemed to have carried all before them. They were mostly bigger and stronger built men, knights of the landward provinces, and their horses, great solid-bodied Saxon chargers, had by sheer weight borne their way through the lighter ranks of the Baltic knights on the white horses.

Not more than half a dozen of these were now in the saddle, and all over the field were to be seen black knights receiving the submission of knights whose broken spears and tarnished plumes showed that they had succumbed in the charge to superior weight of metal. For, so soon as a knight yielded, his steed became the property of his victorious foe, and he himself was either carried or limped as best he could to the pavilion of his party, there to remove his armor and send it also to the victor—to whom, in literal fact, belonged the spoils.

Of the half-dozen white knights who still kept up the struggle, one shone pre-eminent for dashing valor. Set upon by more than a score of riders, he still managed to evade them, and even when all his side had submitted and he alone remained—at the end of the lists to which he had been driven, he made ready for a final charge into the scarce broken array of his foes, of whom more than twenty remained still on horseback in the field.

But though his spear struck true in the middle of his immediate antagonist's shield and this opponent went down, it availed the brave white knight nothing. For at the same moment half a score of lances struck him on the shield, on the breastplate on the visor bars of his helmet, and he fell heavily to the earth. Nevertheless, scarcely had he touched the ground when he was again on his feet. Sword in hand, he stood for a moment unscathed and undaunted, while his foes, momentarily disordered by the energy of the charge, reined in their steeds ere they could return to the attack.

But at this moment the Princess Margaret, sister of the reigning Prince, rose in her place and threw down the truncheon, which in such cases stops the combat.

"The black knights have won," so she gave her verdict, "but there is no need to humiliate or injure a knight who has fought so well against so many. Let the white knight come hither—though he be of the losing side. His is the reward of highest honor. Give him a steed, that he may come and receive the meed of bravest in the tourney!"

The knights of the black were manifestly a little disappointed that after their victory one of their opponents should be selected for honor. But there was no appeal from the decision of the Queen of Love and Beauty. For that day she reigned alone, without council or diet imperial.

The white knight came near and said something in a low voice, unheard by the general crowd, to the Princess.

"I insist," she said aloud; "you must unhelm, that all may see the face of him who has won the prize."

Whereat the knight bowed and undid his helmet. A closely-cropped fair-haired head was revealed, the features clearly chiseled and yet of a massive beauty, the head of a marble emperor.

"My brother—you!" cried Margaret of Courtland in astonishment.

The Ambassador looked curiously at his secretary. He was standing with eyes brilliant as those of a man in fever. His face paled even under its dusky tan. His lips quivered. He had straightened himself up as brave and generous men do when they see a deed of bravery done by another, or like a woman who sees the man she loves publicly honored.

"The Prince!" said Johann Pyrmont, in a voice hoarse and broken; "it is the Prince himself."

And on his high seat the States Councillor, Leopold von Dessauer, smiled well pleased.

After the tourney of the Black Eagle Leopold von Dessauer had gone to bed early, feeling younger and lighter than he had done for years. Part of his scheme for these northern provinces of his fatherland consisted in gradual substitution of a few strong states for many weak ones. For this reason he smiled when he saw the eyes of his secretary shining like stars.

Von Dessauer was lying awake and thinking of the strange chances which help or mar the lives of men and women, when a sudden sense of shock, a numbness spreading upward through his limbs, the rising of them to his eyes, and a humming in his ears announced the approach of one of those attacks to which he had been subject ever since he had been wounded in a duel some years before—a duel in which his present Prince and his late master, Karl, the Miller's son, had both been engaged.

The Ambassador called for Jorian in a feeble voice. That light-sleeping soldier immediately answered him.

"Give me my can of medicine,"

said the old man; "that in the bag of rough Silesian leather. So! I feel my old attack coming upon me. It will be three days before I can stir. Yet must these papers be put in the hands of the Prince early this morning. Ah, there is my little Johann; I was thinking about her—him, I mean. Well, he shall have his chance."

He made a wry face as a twinge of pain caught him. It passed and he resumed.

"Go, Jorian," he said, "tap light upon his chamber door. There is much to order ere at nine o'clock he must adjourn to the summer palace to meet the Prince."

Jorian rapped low, with more reverence than is common from captains to secretaries of legations. At the sound Johann Pyrmont clasped his hand to the hip where his sword should have been.

"Who is there?" he asked, turning about with keen alertness, and in a voice which seemed at once sweeter and more commanding than even the most imperious master-builder would naturally use to his underlings.

"I—Jorian! His Excellency is taken suddenly ill and bade me come for you."

Immediately the secretary opened the door, and in a few seconds stood at the old man's bedside.

Here they talked low to each other, the young man with his hand laid tenderly on the forehead of his elder. Only their last words concern us at present.

"This will serve to begin my business and to finish yours. Thereafter the sooner you return to Kernsberg the better. Remember, the moon can not long be left out of the sky with out causing remark."

The young man took the Ambassador's papers and went out. Dessauer took a composing draught and lay back with a sigh.

"It is humbling," he said to Jorian, "that to compose your wits you must do it through the heart, but in the case of the old through the stomach." "Tis a strange draught he hath gotten," said the soldier, indicating the door by which the secretary had gone forth. "If I be not mistaken, much water shall flow under bridge ere his sickness be cured."

As soon as he had reached his own chamber Johann laid the papers upon the table without glancing at them. He went again to the window and looked across the city.

"To-day I shall see the Prince!" he said.

It was exactly nine of the clock when he set out for the palace. He was attired in the plain black dress of a secretary, with only the narrow, corded edge and collar of rough scoured gold.

At the great door of the outer pavilion he intimated his desire to the officer in charge of the guard.

(To be continued.)

HIS TRIUMPH WAS SWEET.

Man Who Was Refused a Stamp Returns to Boast of Success.

"Do you remember," said a middle-aged man, as he entered a stationery store and was asked what could be done for him—"do you remember of my being in here about four weeks ago?"

"I can't say that I do," was the reply.

"Don't you remember I asked you to give me a postage stamp to put on a letter, and you refused to do so without the cash?"

"Postage stamps cost money."

"Yes, I know, but I explained to you that I was in love with a widow and had written to ask for her hand. You said it didn't make a damned bit of difference to you who I was writing to and you didn't care a copper whether I got the widow or not. You ought to remember that."

"Yes, I think I do. Well, what what is it to-day? Still after a postage stamp?"

"No, sir, I'm not. I came in here to tell you that in spite of your mean-ness the widow is mine. When I went out of here I found a cent on the sidewalk and bought a postal card with it, and she accepted my love the same as if I had sent a letter."

"Then you are happy, no doubt?"

"I am, sir. The widow is worth seven hundred dollars, fat as butter and as good-natured as a goose, and I am walking around on eggs. Yes, sir, I am a happy man, sir, and you be hanged, and go to grass, sir, and I wouldn't patronize you if penholders were selling five for a cent. That's all Good-day, sir."

Lovers Are Drowned.

Indianapolis, Ind., dispatch: Willis H. Bonham, a stenographer employed at the headquarters of the International Typographical union, and his sweetheart, Lucy D. Miles, were drowned in the White river at Broad Ripple park while canoeing.

Mother Dying, Sons Flee.

St. Paul, Minn., dispatch: Alfred Anderson, aged 13, and John Anderson, aged 3, are lost in the woods about Lake Amelia, near Minneapolis. They fled from their dying mother to avoid being separated.

Professor's Leg Is Broken.

While showing the Elgin high school football players how to carry back a kicked ball Prof. C. G. Behout, who was acting as coach, was thrown by a tackle and had his right leg broken near the ankle.

Sons of Veterans to Peoria.

The National Association of the Sons of Veterans at Gettysburg, Pa., elected Col. H. V. Speelman of Cincinnati commander-in-chief and selected Peoria, Ill., as the place of next meeting.

Army Surgeon a Suicide.

Atlanta, Ga., dispatch: Capt. F. C. M. Godfrey, assistant surgeon of the United States army, killed himself at his quarters at Fort McPherson by blowing out his brains with a revolver.

BULLET ENDS LAWYER'S LIFE

John V. Streed Is Found Dying at Cambridge From Wound in Head.

MYSTERY ENVELOPS THE CASE

Revolver, With One Chamber Empty, Is Found Beneath the Body, While the Attorney's Pistol Was in a Drawer in His Room.

Cambridge, Ill., Sept. 27.—John V. Streed of Cambridge, vice president of the state organization of the Swedish-American Republican league and one of the widest known attorneys of Henry county, is dead as the result of a bullet wound inflicted in the back of his head. The coroner's jury is wrestling with the question whether he was murdered or committed suicide.

The body was found at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning at the door of an outhouse at the back of the lot on which the postoffice building, in which he had office and living rooms, stood. The body showed signs of life, but it was evident that the man was in a dying condition. Shortly after 10 o'clock the breathing stopped and the mystery which hung over the case deepened.

No word was uttered by the victim from the time the body was discovered until death sealed his lips.

Body in Pool of Blood.

Arthur Crawford, a butcher of Cambridge, discovered the bleeding form when he was starting his day's work. The body lay on the ground, the head being surrounded by a great pool of blood. One foot was on the step of the small outhouse, and blood being found on the step, it was surmised that the shooting occurred while Mr. Streed stood in the door.

Under the body when it was moved there was found a revolver, thirty-two-caliber and hammerless. Five of the chambers were loaded, but the sixth was empty. It is supposed that the bullet from this sixth chamber was the one which entered Mr. Streed's head.

The attorney's own revolver was found in a drawer in his room.

In the pool of blood in which the head lay was found a handkerchief, giving rise to the belief that the dying man had taken it from his pocket after he had been wounded.

Lamps Were Burning.

Mr. Streed had his law offices above the postoffice on East street and had living rooms on the opposite side of the hall above the Chronicle office. It was to those rooms that he proceeded when he left the city early at 11 o'clock Monday night after returning from a drive to Alpena, twenty miles west. He is married, but his wife is now in Michigan visiting at the home of her parents. He had no children.

When the body was found it was fully dressed and it appeared that the clothes had not been removed after he left the stable.

Tuesday morning after the body had been discovered and men went to Mr. Streed's rooms they found two lamps burning, one in the front and the other in the back room.

Case Is Puzzling.

On the table in one of the rooms were numerous letters and it seemed that Mr. Streed had been reading the letters previous to his departure. There is difficulty in reconciling people here to a theory of either murder or suicide. Mr. Streed had no enemies so far as known, hence there appears no motive for murder, yet the direction of the bullet wound in the head makes some people certain that the man was not fired by his own hand.

Mr. Streed's business affairs were in good condition and his domestic relations were happy. His practice was increasing and he apparently had no reason for taking his own life. The whole affair is shrouded in great mystery.

LYNCH NEGRO IN ARKANSAS

Mob Hangs Miscreant in Front of His Victims' Home.

Conway, Ark., dispatch: Frank Brown, a negro, was taken from the jail here late Friday night to the outskirts of the town and hanged by a mob. The lynching was so quietly done that few of the townspeople knew of its occurrence. The negro was held for attacking Mrs. Lawrence, killing her 6-year-old son and stabbing her baby daughter. He was hanged in front of the house occupied by Mrs. Lawrence.

Lynch Mob in Peoria.

Over 300 ministers of the central Illinois Methodist Episcopal conference attended the forty-ninth annual conference, which was held in Peoria, Bishop Charles H. Fowler presided. Arrangements were made for the golden anniversary of the conference, to be celebrated next year. The first step toward a union of Methodists in Peoria was started at a reception given by Dr. Fowler, when over 1,000 Methodists met the bishop personally. The Deacons' hospital movement for Peoria was given impetus when it was announced that \$20,000 had been subscribed toward the purchase of additional ground and a permanent fund for maintenance. Twenty-five applicants for ministerial degrees were examined and advanced.

Pana Miners on Strike.

One hundred and fifty miners at the New Bent coal mine at Pana struck on account of the scales, which the miners claim are out of order and untrue. An inspector was appointed by the miners to examine the scales.

Greater Danville.

At a special election, by a vote of 747 to 23, Danville voted to annex Oakland, Elmwood, Vermilion Heights and other outlying territory. It will add several thousand to the population of Danville.

Vermin County Wealth.

The total assessment of Vermilion county, as increased by the Board of Review, which has just finished its labors, is \$87,857,055, ranking it among the richest counties in Illinois.

Illinois News

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

SERIOUS ACCIDENT IN MINES

Ledley Handel Is Instantly Killed and Several Miners Injured.

Following closely on the fearful mine accidents in Pana, in which seven other miners were killed, while a dozen other miners were injured, casualties are reported at both Stonington and Decatur. At Stonington, Ledley Handel was crushed to death between the lift-car and the beams at the top of the shaft. Adam Fletcher and Daniel Jennings are in a semi-conscious condition, after a fall of ninety feet, while trying to escape Handel's fate, and Charles Cushing is suffering from injuries sustained in springing into a cross-tunnel from the rapidly ascending car. The accident was due to loss of control of a defective hoist engine in the charge of Marion Brown.

In Decatur, Fred Kinnefeldt was severely injured in the Decatur company's coal mine by a falling "nigger-head." His left ankle was fractured and his body was badly bruised. G. W. Salogna had the tendons of his back torn and wrenched by the fall of a 400-pound piece of iron.

LINCOLN COLLEGE HEAD.

Lincoln college, one of the oldest educational institutions of Illinois, opened its forty-first year under the management of a new president, Prof. J. H. McMurray, late president of Central college, Huntington, Ind. Mr. McMurray was born in a log cabin in Ohio. After finishing the district

school he entered Oberlin college and was graduated from it in June, 1893. The following year he entered Oberlin college and took the degree of bachelor of arts in 1897. Mr. McMurray spent a year in graduate work in geology in the University of Chicago. Later he studied at Harvard, receiving honors and the master's degree. He received a commission from Harvard as one of six to carry on investigations for the United States fish commission at Wood's Hall, Mass. For eight years he has occupied the chair of science at Central college and for the last three years has been president. At the same time he has been general secretary of education for the United Brethren church, having supervision of the different schools of that denomination.

VETERANS REUNITE AT AURORA

Forty Members of Eighty-ninth Regiment Answer Roll Call.

The twentieth reunion of the Eighty-ninth Illinois regiment, better known as the "railroad regiment," was held in Aurora. When President Charles T. Hotchkiss of Chicago called the meeting to order forty of the members responded to the roll call. Dr. W. A. Mathews offered prayer, which was followed by the address of welcome to the city by Mayor Henry B. Douglass. The association re-elected the following officers: President, Charles Hotchkiss, Chicago; vice president, W. E. Ward, Galesburg; secretary, A. D. Curran, Bristol. The next annual meeting will be held in Aurora in September, 1906.

Methodists at Peoria.

Over 300 ministers of the central Illinois Methodist Episcopal conference attended the forty-ninth annual conference, which was held in Peoria, Bishop Charles H. Fowler presided. Arrangements were made for the golden anniversary of the conference, to be celebrated next year. The first step toward a union of Methodists in Peoria was started at a reception given by Dr. Fowler, when over 1,000 Methodists met the bishop personally. The Deacons' hospital movement for Peoria was given impetus when it was announced that \$20,000 had been subscribed toward the purchase of additional ground and a permanent fund for maintenance. Twenty-five applicants for ministerial degrees were examined and advanced.

Pana Miners on Strike.

One hundred and fifty miners at the New Bent coal mine at Pana struck on account of the scales, which the miners claim are out of order and untrue. An inspector was appointed by the miners to examine the scales.

Greater Danville.

At a special election, by a vote of 747 to 23, Danville voted to annex Oakland, Elmwood, Vermilion Heights and other outlying territory. It will add several thousand to the population of Danville.

Vermin County Wealth.

The total assessment of Vermilion county, as increased by the Board of Review, which has just finished its labors, is \$87,857,055, ranking it among the richest counties in Illinois.

WON'T MOLEST SUNDAY SALOONS

Governor Deneen Cannot Interfere in Municipal Affairs.

No power is vested in the governor of Illinois to interfere in local municipal affairs to bring about the enforcement of the law, says Attorney General Stead in an opinion rendered at the request of Gov. Deneen.

The attorney general was asked by Gov. Deneen to interpret the law relative to the powers of the governor in the matter of enforcing the dram shop act. Officers of the Christian Women's Temperance union in St. Clair county appealed to Gov. Deneen to close the saloons on Sunday in that community, and called the attention of the executive to the action of Gov. Folk of Missouri in closing the saloons in St. Louis. The attorney general's opinion points out the difference in the laws of the two states.

"The whole theory of the constitution and laws of the state of Illinois," says Attorney General Stead, "is that local communities shall be governed and the laws administered therein by the officers duly elected or appointed for that purpose by such communities, as provided for by the laws of the state. The governor of this state has no direct authority from the constitution to interfere with any such officers in the discharge and performance of their duties."

"There are certain cases, however, wherein the governor may order out the militia to suppress riots, etc., but such authority would not extend to the enforcement of the dram shop act."

WOMAN GIVES ALL TO CHARITY

Leaves \$75,000 to City of Watseka and Thousands to Missions.

The estate of Miss Nancy H. Lawrence of Watseka, valued at \$200,000, has been left by her will to charity. By the terms of the will, probated in the Iroquois county court, the city of Watseka is to receive the residue of the estate, after other legacies have been paid, for the establishment of some charitable institution which shall be selected by the executors. Other bequests are made as follows: State executive committee Y. M. C. A., \$10,000; Deaconesses' home, Chicago, \$5,000; State Audubon society, \$1,000; Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, \$10,000; Women's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, \$10,000. The executors, also are directed to pay to the Methodist Episcopal and Presbyterian churches at Watseka the income from 230 acres of land, in equal parts, provided that the former shall pay to its minister an annual salary of \$1,200 and the latter shall pay to its minister an annual salary of \$1,400.

MOTHER STOPS AN ELOPEMENT

Flags Train With Red Laprobe and Foils Plans of Lovers.

Miss May Webber, daughter of A. J. Webber, the wealthiest citizen of Saline county, and Harry Burns, an Illinois Central station agent, were married at the bride's home in Galatia, after an attempt to elope which the young woman's mother foiled by flagging the train carrying the young people, with a red laprobe.

Young Burns and Miss Webber drove four miles to Rileyville to catch an Illinois Central train. In the meantime the parents of the young lady secured a rig and followed in hot pursuit, arriving in Rileyville just as the train containing the runaway pair was pulling out.

Not to be outdone, Mrs. Webber seized a red laprobe, jumped from the buggy and flagged the train, while her husband drove alongside the train and commanded the pair to get off. On the way back the parents related.

Pastors Name Moderator.

Rev. Benjamin Thomas of Greenville has been elected moderator of the presbytery of Springfield at the meeting in Petersburg. Ministers were enrolled as follows: Rev. Frank P. Debolt, from the presbytery of Kittingan to supply the church at Winchester; Rev. James E. Foster, from the presbytery of Bloomington, to supply the church of Pisgah at Orleans. Rev. Ellis M. Steen presented testimonials from the presbytery of Sangamon of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, and was enrolled.

Miners Remain on Strike.

The referendum votes cast by the machine miners of the Chicago & Alton subdistrict on returning to work under the decision of National President Mitchell have been counted. The miners at Thayer voted to return to work, but those at Auburn, Virden and Divernon voted against the decision, which says that the miners must shoot coal with two pounds of powder or less, thus relieving the operators from employing shot-firers.

Knocked From Engine.

While riding on an engine to his work Guy Shaw, aged 18, employed on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois at West Frankfort, was knocked from the train by a protruding car on a switch and killed.

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SEEKS TO INTIMIDATE WOMAN

Jilted Man Threatens to End His Life, but Girl Is Obdurate.

Because Miss Irene Bear, of Bearville, three miles northwest of Decatur, jilted him, Frank Epley, near Warrensburg, attempted to "fake" a suicide to obtain his unrequited love. Epley first sent the girl a letter saying he intended to kill himself by shooting; unless she quickly relented, and that he would warn her of his taking off by firing two shots into the air and a third into his temple. He fired the three shots all right, but none of the bullets found lodgement in his body.

Miss Bear, hearing the shots as per letter, notified her father, a prominent farmer, who forthwith telephoned Coroner T. C. Buxton, in Decatur. The latter went to Bearsdale, but found no dead body; instead he found Epley sound asleep in his own bed.

After the coroner left Epley started his parents by announcing that he had swallowed carbolic acid with suicidal intent. He did take a few drops, but only enough to burn his lips and lend color to his tale. Miss Bear was notified of the latter episode, but coolly kept a'loof from such a reckless lover.

EIGHTH CAVALRY CHIEF.

George W. Huntoon, who was elected president of the survivors of the Eighth Illinois cavalry at their fortieth annual reunion in Memorial hall, Chicago, was born in Evanston in 1842 and has always lived in that city and

in Chicago. Mr. Huntoon attended the public schools in Evanston and joined the army when the civil war broke out. He served the entire four years and was mustered out as a sergeant in Company A of the Eighth Illinois cavalry. He is a member of the Evanston post of the Grand Army.

BLUE SCUM IS CLEW TO OIL

Rich Find of Crude Petroleum Is Made Near Galena.

There is much excitement in Jo Daviess county over the discovery of crude petroleum near Galena. The petroleum is found in the river sands and soil and the presence of the liquid riches is revealed in the bubbling jets. The oil was first discovered in the southwestern part of the county on Mississippi river lands adjoining Sand Prairie. Clinton, Iowa, and Savanna, Ill., prospectors were the original finders and a corporation has been formed, with a capital of \$100,000, which has for its object the drilling for and refining of the oil and to place it upon the market. For years fishermen in and about Savanna and Galena have suspected the presence of oil in the sands. The bluish scum on the river in various localities gave rise to the idea, but no steps were taken until recently to ascertain whether or not there was oil in the sands and soil in sufficient quantity to pay. Recently a jet of oil was discovered bubbling from the sand in the vicinity of Galena. The substance was found to be crude petroleum and the result was the organization of the company to work the soil and sands.

Fail to Get Pardons.

Among the pardons denied by Gov. Deneen were the following: Thomas Ryan, Cook county, murder; John Bush, Cook county, perjury; Alvin Ryan, Cook county, petit larceny; John Harvey, Cook county, assault; Harry Bird, Cook county, murder; Frank Tepio, Cook county, assault to kill; Lulu May, St. Clair county, murder; Pietro Petinso, Cook county, murder; William Lembke, McLean county, larceny as bailer; John Cooperwood, Madison county, murder; Gates Seybold, Adams county, manslaughter; Edward Henson, Greene county, murder; John Davis, Vermilion county, murder; Andrew J. Thornton, Union county, murder; Enoch A. Williams, Vermilion, murder; Frank Walker, Clark county, murder; William Roach, Cook county, murder.

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GRADERS HERE

Gang of Men at Work on the New C. M. & St. Paul Siding

A gang of men with scrapers and horses arrived in Genoa Tuesday morning and grading for the new half mile side track east of town will soon begin.

There were two flat cars of scrapers unloaded, all being taken to a point east of the Eureka Park addition where the graders will camp in tents. The gang will be here some time as there is quite an elevation to be cut down.

Got off Cheap

He may well think, he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant, and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at Hunt's Pharmacy; guaranteed.

Our Fall Opening

And first formal showing of the season's best in millinery will occur on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 28, 29 and 30. The season's hats show many innovations, many novelties and styles that are distinctive and new. All get their best showing here and our display will be very complete. We invite you to attend. Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

Low Rates to Springfield

Via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. One fare for round trip to Springfield, Ill., for the Illinois State Fair Sept. 29th to Oct. 7th, is offered from all stations in Illinois on the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. Details from any ticket agent or from F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

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DOINGS OF THE WEEK ABOUT THE TOWN

Fruit at Frazier's.

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

Ren Robinson visited his sister at Elgin Tuesday.

For Sale—Yearling bull, D. W. Swanson, Genoa. 3-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk visited in Milwaukee last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Riddle of Elgin are visiting here.

Sweet Burley tobacco, 40c per pound at T. M. Frazier's.

Miss Hazel Robinson was here from Elgin over Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. Hewitt is in Belvidere this week visiting her sister.

Miss Irene May sang at a concert in DeKalb Tuesday evening.

Attorney Ralph Holmbeak of Elgin called on his parents Thursday.

Ed. Tully has moved into the G. C. Rowan house in the west end of town.

Have you seen the new samples of fall and winter clothing at Holtgren's?

Rooms to rent, neatly furnished and well heated. Inquire of Mrs. G. F. Donohue. 2-tf

Fresh supply of molasses golf chips, an elegant confection, at Hunt's Pharmacy.

Money to loan on farms at 5 per cent interest at Farmer's State Bank, Genoa. 1-tf

Try our White Pine Cough Syrup with Tar, for your cold. Full 4 oz. bottle 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sowers visited at the home of Alfred Corson in Marengo Tuesday.

The shoe factory hands are enjoying (?) a short vacation while inventory is being taken.

Lost—A velvet hat on the Genoa-Kingston road. Finder please leave same at this office.

For comfort, fit and wear have your fall and winter suit tailor made. See Holtgren's new samples.

Miss Mary Donahue returned Wednesday from California where she has been visiting for nearly a year.

Earl Prouty left Monday for Grand Rapids, Mich., where he will visit his brothers, Ward and Ernest.

Mrs. S. A. Waite, son Frank and grand children of Pingree Grove are visiting at the home of L. Robinson.

Chas. Leth, now occupying the Rowan house on Sycamore street, will move into the Lettow house on Main street.

W. F. Oursler moved his household goods to Elgin last week. His son and daughter, Frank and Sadie, are both employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cooper are now occupying the Fred Robinson house on Jackson street, recently vacated by John Adams.

The house recently occupied by E. Tully in the Eureka Park addition, has been purchased by R. B. Greffith of Nicktown, Pa.

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

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

The Genoa party returned last week from the north well pleased with the summer's outing, and feeling quite ready to again take up the routine duties of life.

The Kirkland Enterprise states that Charles Cunningham, day operator at the station, departed Thursday for a month's vacation and visit at his home at Bath, Canada. F. M. Hood is relieving him. Dame Rumor says there will be a companion when he returns.

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

Miss Della Kiernan was out from Chicago over Sunday.

John Brown was a Sunday guest of Miss Sabie Leonard.

Miss Blanche Shipman is visiting friends at Joliet this week.

Mrs. Ralph Patterson visited relatives in Chicago last week.

Fred Abraham was out from Chicago a few days the past week.

Carl Harvey and Frank Shultz were Chicago sight seers Saturday.

Mrs. Ed. Rogers was here from Burlington the first of the week.

Mrs. Wilbur Luce left this week for an extended visit at Reeman, Mich.

Mrs. Kathryn Green fell last week and sustained painful but not serious injuries.

Mrs. Henry Crawford of Storm Lake, Iowa, is visiting Genoa friends this week.

Mrs. F. T. Robinson returned from the East last week after a several weeks' visit.

Mrs. Wm. Burke and Mrs. Siver of Elgin were guests of Mrs. W. F. Dummer this week.

Mrs. H. H. Wolcott and daughter of DeKalb were Sunday visitors at the home of O. S. Low.

Arthur Taylor's mother has moved to Genoa and will occupy a house in the Eureka addition.

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

Orders taken for the finest quality of engraved calling cards and wedding invitations at the Republican-Journal office. 1-tf

The Farmers' State Bank has for sale the lots in Morningside Addition. If you wish to purchase call and see them. 1-tf

The DeKalb County Medical Association will meet in DeKalb tomorrow afternoon. Doctor C. H. Mordoff of this city is secretary.

Olof Ottoson who has been in the employ of Jim Reed during the past four years has leased the Burbank farm and will take possession at once.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Edna Abraham next Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 3. Mrs. Jenni Stanley, secretary.

The oratorio "Esther, the beautiful Queen" will be put on in the near future by Prof. C. W. Gee of Marengo, under the auspices of the Genoa school.

Rev. and Mrs. Satterfield of Chicago have been visiting Genoa friends this week. They will leave for California soon to spend the year. Mr. Satterfield was at one time pastor of the Genoa M. E. church.

The Goats will play the DeKalb ball team once more on Sunday, Oct. 8. If DeKalb wins this game they can claim the county championship. Likewise Genoa.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Holroyd Thursday, Sept. 28, at 2:30 p. m. All members are requested to be present.

For the Illinois State Fair the Illinois Central will sell excursion tickets to Springfield, Ill., and return at the low rate of \$4.00 for the round trip. On sale daily Sept. 29 to Oct. 7; good for return until Oct. 9. S. R. Crawford, agent.

The first Mothers' Meeting of this school year will be held in the first primary room at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, Oct. 3. Those interested are cordially invited to be present. A special invitation is extended to mothers of pupils entering school this fall. Carrie Colton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ide of Belleville, Kas., are visiting at the home of the former's brother, G. H. Ide.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schwind of Freeport were here last week. Mr. Schwind at one time worked in the shoe factory here.

Have you ever tried La Sylva Sachet Powder? It is the daintiest and most lasting Sachet Powder on the market. Hunt's Pharmacy.

Farm for sale—140 acres on Genoa road three miles north of Sycamore. For terms inquire of J. B. Stephens, Fred G. or George G. Maxfield. 3-tf

Dr. and Mrs. Truax of Iowa, former residents of this place, are guests at the home of H. H. Slater. They are on their way to the Pacific coast to spend the winter.

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

Mrs. A. B. Clefford entertained a number of friends Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Ava Abraham, her step daughter. The evening was spent in a manner pleasing to all.

Rheumatism, gout, packacke, acid poison, are results of kidney trouble. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea goes directly to the seat of the disease and cures when all else fails. Slater & Douglas.

Good advice to women. If you want a beautiful complexion, clear skin, bright eyes, red lips, good health, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. There is nothing like it, Tea or tablets. Slater & Douglas.

A large number partook of the chicken pie dinner and supper at the M. E. church Wednesday and the fancy articles sold well. The total receipts were entirely satisfactory to the ladies who had worked with a vim to make it a success.

We desire to thank the many kind friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement, also the singers and those who sent flowers. Mrs. Eliza Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Streeter.

We have a communication from A. J. Lettow in which he states that we erred in writing his mother's obituary. The statement was made that Mrs. Lettow was too ill to summon aid, which was incorrect. The children had tried to induce their mother to live with one of them or have some one stay with her, but to no avail.

The Odd Fellows will install officers at the regular meeting next Monday evening. After the work a good supper will be served in the dining room connected with the hall. All Odd Fellows, including visiting brothers of the order, are urged to attend with their families. Those who are not happy in the possession of a family are entitled to invite one lady—the ONLY one.

Free Lessons in Home Arts

With the coming of the long evenings of autumn and winter comes the desire to make idle hands busy with some pleasant fascinating work. Our free lessons in home arts will solve the problem. Our free lessons in pyrography (wood burning) are given every Friday afternoon and evening. The classes are under the instruction of Mrs. C. H. Pegler who has so successfully taught our classes the past seasons. Pyrography is more popular than ever this season, many new ideas and styles have been introduced making the art more fascinating than ever. Our free lessons in Norwegian Hardanger and other needle work are given every Thursday afternoon and evening. Mrs. Joneson, instructor, learned the art where it originated in Hardanger, Norway, and has successfully taught our classes the past four seasons.

Theo. F. Swan, Elgin, Ill. Contest only one week more.

Darktown Swells

The moon show at the opera house Monday evening was not well attended owing no doubt to the indifferent advertising. The tenor singer, serpentine dancer and hoop manipulator attracted the most attention, all performing well. The balance of the show was not up to the standard.

M. E. Church Notes

Rev. J. E. DeLong will preach at the Charter Grove M. E. Church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. T. E. Ream will preach at the Ney M. E. church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This will be his last service there before conference.

Next Sunday will be the last services of the M. E. church for the present conference year. Services will be held at the usual time. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. and evening service at 7:30 p. m. There will be special singing at the evening services. The public is most cordially invited to attend both services.

There will be an Epworth League service of unusual interest next Sunday evening. Topic: "The Christian and His Bible." Leader: Wm. McCoy. This will be a Bible study rally service. All Leaguers and friends are cordially invited to be present.

The Epworth League held a meeting on Thursday evening for the purpose of organizing a Bible study class. This will be a splendid course of study and no doubt the class will be quite large.

Prof. H. F. Stout will hereafter have charge of the Bible class in the Sunday school and Rev. Ream will have charge of the young

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peoples' class which has been recently organized.

Choir rehearsal will be held next Saturday evening at 7:45 o'clock in the church auditorium. All members are urged to be present.

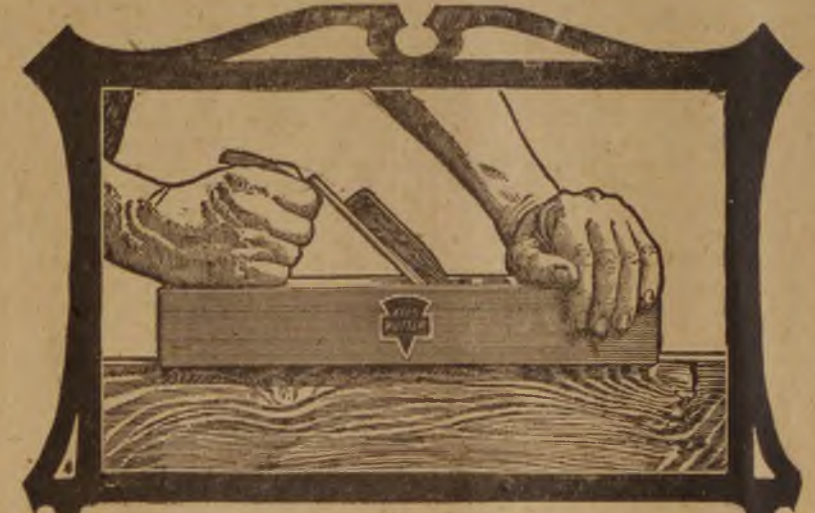
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Mr. G. W. Fowler of Hightower, Ala., relates an experience he had while serving on a petit jury in a murder case at Edwardsville, county seat of Cleburne county, Alabama. He says: "While there I ate some fresh meat and some mouse meat and it gave me cholera morbus in a very severe form. I

was never more sick in my life and went to the drug store for a certain cholera mixture, but the druggist, sent me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy instead, saying that he did not have what I had sent for, but that this medicine was so much better he would rather send it to me in the fix I was in. I took one dose of it and was better in five minutes. The second dose cured me entirely. Two fellow jurors were afflicted in the same manner and one small bottle cured the three of us." For sale by G. H. Hunt.

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A MOTHER'S LOVE.

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EVALINE LODGE NUMBER 344 Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. hall. Martin Malana, Perfect. Fannie M. Heed, Sec.

Genoa Lodge No. 163 M. W. A. Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month. Visiting neighbors welcome. J. H. Van Dresser, Ven. Consul. E. H. Browne, Clerk.

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KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Alec Crawford was here from New Lebanon Sunday.

Ed Stuart's new home on Main street is being built rapidly. Chas. Burton has so far recovered as to be down town again.

Mrs. Bennett of Courtland visited her son, Prof. Bennett, over the Sabbath.

Mrs. M. J. Murphy left last Thursday for her home at Douglas, Wyoming.

Clarence Uplinger was here from Sherburne, Minn., Sunday visiting relatives.

Miss Grace Pratt and niece, Mamie Gibbs, visited friends at Hampshire Sunday.

Mrs. H. M. Stark and daughter, Mrs. Ambruster were Elgin visitors last Thursday.

John Uplinger has a new tinner who came to work last Thursday. His home is at Forreston.

Miss Edith Tindal was here from Kirkland Tuesday in the interest of her music class.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Smith of Spring Valley visited his brother's family a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Burchfield are rejoicing over the birth of a baby girl who came to them last Friday.

Medames Walke, Helsdon and Sexauer attended the W. C. T. U. convention held at DeKalb Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Cooper and daughter, Miss Blanche, of Fairdale were guests of Mrs. John Moyers last Wednesday.

The Kingston base ball team defeated Riley on the local diamond Sunday afternoon by a score of 16 to 6.

Mrs. H. M. Stark and Mrs. Will Ambruster and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carlson at Elgin last Thursday.

Frank Thorsberg was quite badly injured last Friday by being dragged through a barb wire fence by a runaway team.

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Colvin and daughter, Vera, were here from Belvidere Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bicksler.

Mr. and Mrs. Noyce Graves were here from Elgin Saturday and Sunday visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Wallace McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Witter and Mr. and Mrs. John Hanson and children visited at George Strong's near Irene last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ambruster and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stark visited Mr. and Mrs. James Mitland near Sycamore Sunday.

Announcement of the coming

\$33.00 to the Pacific Coast Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line daily, Sept. 15 to Oct. 31, to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle and Tacoma and other Pacific

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Advise that May be to your Advantage in the Future

When you have the "blues" and can see no silver lining to the dark clouds that are constantly above you, read the twenty-seventh Psalm.

When your pocket book is empty as an editor's, read the thirty-seventh Psalm.

When your neighbors are unkind to you and even those near and dear to you slight you, read the fifteenth chapter of John.

When you are discouraged about your work and nothing seems to go right, read the 126th Psalm.

When you are all out of sorts and hardly know what the matter is, read the twelfth chapter of Hebrews.

When you are losing confidence in mankind read the thirteenth chapter of I Corinthians.

If you can't have your own way, then silence is golden and you will get relief by reading the third chapter of James.

When you are afflicted with all the maladies mentioned above it is time to read the paper you now hold in your hand.

An Argument No argument is necessary to prove our store an inexpensive, safe and satisfactory place to buy. Try it and you will be convinced. New offers every week. Note special prices: 300 men's 50c fleeced ribbed shirts 25c; ladies' white sole ribbed hose 5c; full size blankets 39c. Closing out sale of heavy mixed wool walking skirts 75c. Child's fleeced union suits 19c; child's 58 to 88 all solid leather shoes 49c. 200 odd pieces underwear, wools and cottons, choice 25c; good tennis flannel 4c yd. Men's suit offers for the week: Fine black square cut wool suits \$9.65, \$10.65, \$14.85. Sizes 3 to 8 boys' fancy overcoat \$1.29. Flannelette night gowns 39c; special \$1.00 gown 62c. Linen toweling 6 1/2 c yd. Special fleeced shirts or drawers, 2 garments for 75c. See our millinery department for saving prices. A large assortment of the latest styles. Bargains which small dealers cannot furnish. New coats and furs, for ladies and Misses now on sale. Remember dinner ticket, horse ticket, introduction ticket and refunded car fare offers. Show round trip R. R. ticket if you come by train. C. F. HALL Co., Dundee.

The Girl that Flirts No man admires a flirt; no man cares for a girl or a woman who is willing to trade pride for flattery. The girl who flirts thinks she is

Illinois Central R. R. Annual Stockholder's Meeting at Chicago October 18. Personal Attendance of Individual Holder's Desired. Free Ticket To The Meeting Public notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at the Company's office in Chicago, Illinois, on Wednesday, October 18, 1905, at 12 o'clock noon. To permit personal attendance at said meeting there will be issued

To Each Holder of One or More Shares of the capital stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company as registered on the books of the Company at the close of business on Tuesday, September 26, 1905, who is of full age,

A TICKET ENABLING HIM OR HER TO TRAVEL FREE over the Company's lines from the station on the Illinois Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered address to

Chicago and Return such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the

Four Days Immediately Preceding and the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting and the

Four Days Immediately Following when properly countersigned and stamped during business hours on or before Saturday, October 31, 1905—that is to say, between 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. in the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. G. W. Braunton, Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any holder of stock registered as above, on application, in writing, to the President of the Company in Chicago, but each stockholder must individually apply for his or her ticket. Each application must state the full name and address of the stockholder exactly as given in his or her Certificate of Stock together with the number and date of such certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the Company. Oct. 18, 1905. G. W. BRAUNTON, Secretary

wise, and that she is making a great hit with the fellow with whom she flirts. She would have a very different idea of the matter, very truly remarks the Galena (Mo.) Republican, if she could hear his real opinion—if she could hear his account of the incident as he tells it to the "other fellows." There is no such thing as a "harmless" flirtation. No person may put his finger in the fire without getting the mark. No girl can indulge in flirtation without being considered "cheap" and "shallow." The fact that the other girls do the same thing is no excuse.—Exchange.

Cured of Lame Back After 15 Years of Suffering "I had been troubled with lame back for fifteen years and I found a complete recovery in the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm," says John G. Fisher, Gillingham, Ind. This liniment is also without equal for sprains and bruises. It is for sale by G. H. Hunt.

Administrator's Public Sale of Real Estate By virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of DeKalb County, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Dillon S. Brown, Administrator of the estate of Joseph Scherf deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the September term, A. D. 1905, of said court to wit: On the 18th day of September 1905, shall on the 20th day of October next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the front door of Brown & Brown's Bank in Village of Genoa, in said county, the real estate described as follows, to wit: Part of lot one (1) of the northwest quarter of section 18, Township 42, north range 5, east of the 3rd. P. M. commencing at the quarter section corner on the north side of the said section 18 and run thence west 40 rods, thence south 21 rods, thence east 20 rods thence north 21 rods to the place of beginning containing 3 acres more or less, in DeKalb County, Illinois, on the following terms, to wit: Cash 25 per cent of the amount bid, on the day of sale, balance on approval of sale by County Court and delivery of proper deed of conveyance.

The purchaser to give approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the purchase money, DILLON S. BROWN, Administrator of the estate of Joseph Scherf, Deceased. Dated this 18th day of September 1905. G. E. STOTT, Attorney, Genoa, Ill.

COURTHOUSE NEWS Weekly Resume of Business Transacted at the Court House

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Alfred Thatcher wd Loren A Foster e 1/2 sw 1/4 sec 13 and ne 1/4 nw 1/4 (ex S 8 A) sec 24 \$13750.

Albert Hinds Jr wd Tobia Watne w 1/2 se 1/4 (ex 2 1/2 a se 1/4 cor) sec 30, Clinton \$9193.94.

H. A. Kellogg wd E. H. Olmsted lt 10 blk 3 Citizen's Genoa \$75.

John G. Riddle wd Helena A. Stephenson lt 11 blk 3 Citizen's Genoa \$105.

E. H. Olmsted wd H. R. Stephenson lt 10 blk 4 citizens Genoa \$500.

John Wirtz wd Edw. H. Wirtz ne 1/4 sec 26 Victor \$11,000.

Hedda Worcester wd Otto A Worcester nw 1/4 sw 1/4 sec 17 Kingston, \$2500.

Otto A Worcester wd W. W. Sawyer nw 1/4 sw 1/4 & aw 1/4 nw 1/4 - 5 1/2 ac 1/2 nw 1/4

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ESTATE OF— Burtis Shipman decd bond of Admr approved, letters issued to Kline Shipman, no appraisers, November term for claims.

Jeanette Leonard decd, Guardian's inventory approved.

Judge Pond being away on his vacation the September common law term was opened by Judge Slusser of DuPage County presiding, who also held probate court Monday and Tuesday.

Joseph Sherf, decd, decree for sale of real estate to pay debts entered, proof of heirship made.

Alexander M Stewart decd, Inventory approved.

John M Schoosmaker decd, proof of heirship made.

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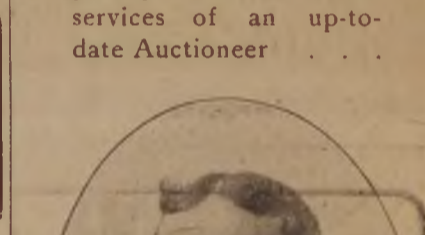
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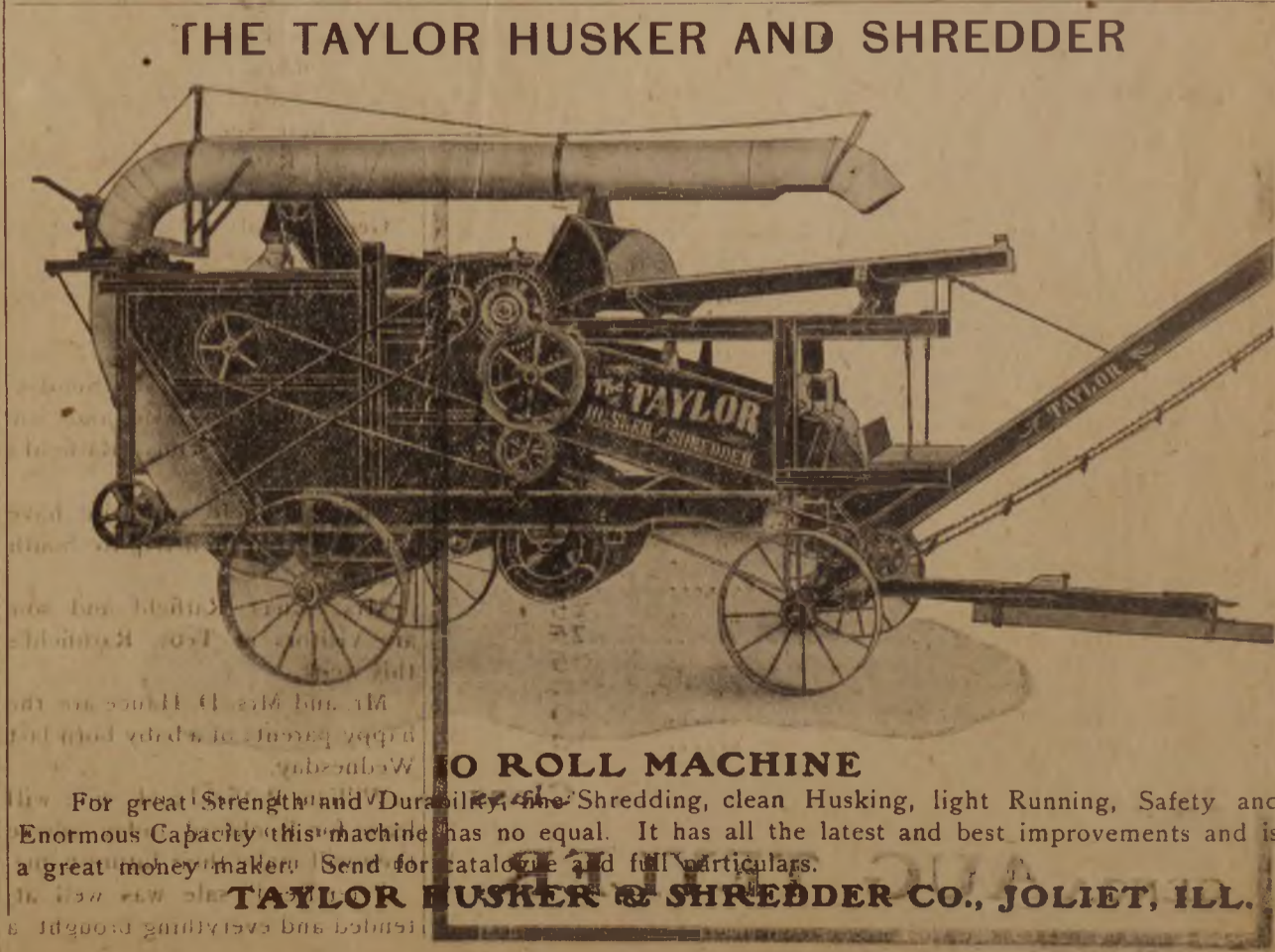
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FARM ORCHARD AND GARDEN



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

FALL PLANTING.

At a convention of nurserymen held not long ago the question as to whether trees and plants were dug too early in the fall. While it is a question that more nearly concerns the grower of trees and plants than the planter, it is worthy of close consideration on the part of the latter.

That fall planting of nearly all trees and shrubs is preferable to spring planting has long been the feeling among growers who have studied the varied phases of nature. Unfortunately, planters who set out trees, either fruit or ornamental, shrubs or roses, in the fall, are apt to want them so early that the grower, to satisfy the demand, is obliged to dig and ship them before they have properly matured. The result is a large percentage of loss, which, of late years, has had the effect of practically doing away with fall planting, a serious mishap.

Trees and shrubs which have reached a proper stage of maturity are best planted in the fall, from the fact that they are dormant, or nearly so, so far as the trunk and tops are concerned. The sap is stored in the roots and hence the tree or shrub planted in the fall will take hold of the soil and make a strong root growth before the severe winter weather sets in.

When, however, these trees and shrubs are taken up in the fall before they have reached the proper stage of maturity, that is, the maturity of the past season's growth, they are weakened and unable to stand the winter.

While the grower and dealer are largely to blame for this state of affairs, by reason of taking up these trees and plants contrary to the laws of nature, which, in this connection, they thoroughly understand, the planter should bear the most blame for demanding an early delivery of the trees and plants.

A farmer grinds his ax or scythe and starts out to do the work for which some tools have been made. He carries along with him a whetstone to keep them in good order. The same may be said of a memorandum book, which may be carried along to what the memory and keep it in good order. This is worth a trial and should not be ignored.

If you find that your horse is lame or sick, treat him at once for the trouble.

FARMERS AT THE SHOWS.

Every farmer should attend the fairs and poultry shows, and should also exhibit, as any interest taken in fairs leads to improvement of the flocks. Many farmers are afraid to exhibit, not knowing how to prepare the fowls. It may require work for a while to get the fowls in proper condition, but the pleasure of winning will be ample compensation, although the prize money is also an inducement. To get ready for an exhibition begin about six weeks ahead with selected members of the flock, and twice a week oil the legs, combs, wattles and beaks, using a mixture of a gill of lard oil and a teaspoonful of crude petroleum. This will clean the cruds. Two weeks before the time for exhibiting feed sunflower seed three times a week. Wash the combs, wattles, legs and beaks once a week and sponge the combs and wattles with a mixture of one part of alcohol to two parts of water. Two days before shipping the birds make a soap-suds from castle soap, and have the suds strong and latherly. Take the tub and birds into a room heated to one hundred and five degrees, wash the birds thoroughly (do not be afraid to rub) and rinse them in another tub of clean, warm water. Put the birds in a very warm room, and as they will puff up their feathers, on account of the heat, each feather will dry separately and fall into its place. If this is not done the feathers will stick together. Now turn them into a cooler room so as to avoid sudden changes. Before they start, rub comb, wattles and legs with glycerine, which will protect against frost. At the show wipe off the glycerine, and sponge the comb and wattles with alcohol.

The past season has been another of the profitable small fruit seasons when almost everything that had reasonable care has yielded a good return. Some five or six years ago we had such a succession of drouthy years that it seemed as if it was a bad business if undertaken without some possibility of irrigation. We may have such seasons again and probably will, but we have much to encourage us in improved varieties and methods and we are now inclined to think that in good soils the growing of small fruit may be one of the best branches of fruit industry that can be undertaken in the west.

HARVESTING ONIONS.

The onion crop must have intelligent care at harvest time if they are intended for winter storage. They cannot be handled like potatoes and still remain in condition for winter use. Onions must be allowed to ripen naturally, in which event the bulbs will remain dormant until spring and retain their moisture inside the peel or skin. They must also be perfectly cured in the sun before they go into storage, which is best secured by allowing the crop to remain a few days in thin windrows after they are dug. Do not remove the tops until the crop goes to market. If they are thoroughly dry and cured the tops will so protect the onions that the danger of bruising will be largely overcome; also that of heating, either of which will greatly decrease their value as a market product. Sheep shears are a most valuable implement to use when topping onions. Don't cut too close to the bulb or it will be injured and will "leak" while in storage and thus cause others to become wet and spoil.

Onions for winter use should be handled and stored in bushel crates made of lath which can be piled in such a manner as to secure perfect ventilation; however, they will keep in fair condition in dry quarters, when sacked in coarse coffee sacks, such as potato shippers use, that hold two and one-half bushels. Don't pile onions deeply because the mass will be quite sure to heat and decay in a short time. Spread thinly on a dry floor where the damp night air can be excluded.

While gathering seeds to plant do not forget the apple and plum. They may be grown from seed in great and interesting variety, and by so doing contribute very largely to the work of improving the fruits of the North. We wish that we could also encourage the planting of seeds of roses like the Gen. Jac. and especially the hybrid of Ragosa roses, which will have the possibility of producing new and beautiful forms that are perfectly hardy in the North.

OZARK APPLES.

The land of the Ozarks! O widely 'tis known As the region where luscious red apples are grown. Raising peaches—Ebertas—what need we say more? And of strawberries, blackberries, carloads galore. In the fruit line we grow almost everything. But of all 'tis admitted, the apple is King!

'Tis a region abounding in valleys and hills, And among them flow numerous rivers and hills; To a farmer it oft seems forbidding and rough, But when planted in orchards 'tis fruitful enough. Raise the grain in the valleys, for much will they bring, But to make the hills fruitful an orchard's the thing.

Then, too, on the heights of the Ozark plateau, Corn and wheat and potatoes abundantly grow; We've good water, pure air, climate hard to excel. But our riches in orchards and berryfields dwell. And what's lovelier than orchards abound in the spring. Or in autumn, when apples the trees burdening?

By their apples the Ozarks won national fame, And in markets of Europe familiar the name. For its beauty Ben Davis is known the world over, And we've apples whose quality pleases far more; Yes, of several apples the praise we may sing, And we've orchards by miles where the apple is King. —Selected.

TEACHING CALVES.

A subscriber has trouble in teaching his young calves to drink. We confess that this is not one of the easy things to do, especially if we are in a hurry and want to accomplish the feat quickly. A little patience is necessary. Bear in mind all the time that the young calf is not very different from what we were at an early period in our history, and we do not know but what it may be truthfully said of some of us that this continues to be our normal condition. Gently place the calf's nose into the milk, which must always be blood heat. Put a very small amount of milk in the pail or receptacle in which your calf is fed, one half inch is sufficient, and push the little bovine's nose down onto the bottom of the pail. It will soon learn that you are performing a friendly act, and will get a taste of the milk and begin to suck, sip and bunt the bottom of the pail. Add to the milk and continue the good work until the calf gets enough. Do not put in enough to cover the nostrils. One or two such lessons and the calf will rapidly take care of all the milk it should have.

Not a pound of dried or canned fruit should enter the farmer's home by way of the grocery counter. Such stuff is good enough for the professional man and people who live in town, but the farmer, the "back-bone" of the nation, should live on better things. He should have home-grown and preserved fruits.

TREATMENT OF GOOSEBERRIES AND CURRANTS.

The best time to plant both gooseberries and currants in the middle states is in the fall, and the earlier the better, after the close of September. Both of these fruits prefer a deep, rather damp soil to any other, and to be in a partially shaded place, if possible. It is always possible to shade the soil about the roots even if but by the placing of stones there, and this the plants show their appreciation of. Even the English varieties, with their large fruit, put up with our hot summers when so treated, which they will not do when planted in a hot sunny place. In some gardens in our cities where but little direct sunlight finds its way, thriving plants of the English gooseberry and the currant fruit on the small twigs of previous seasons, hence it is well to prune back some of the shoots of every season, to induce a growth of twiggy nature. During winter or in very early spring this pruning should be done. Sometimes there are too many shoots in the center of the bushes, and in this case it is better to cut some clear away. Do not cut them to leave an eye or two behind, as these eyes would break into shoots again, making the plants even more bushy than before. Regarding sorts, of all the red currants tried none has pleased me better than the Cherry, Red Dutch and Fays. In white the "White Grape" does the best in our soil.

It would seem that taste for the black currant has to be acquired. But few of them are planted in our country, while in Europe, it leads all others, so much of the fruit is used in the making of preserves. In the line of gooseberries, our native sorts and their improved varieties have still to be our main reliance. Of the old sorts Downing and Houghton are much grown. Downing is a green one, Houghton red, and both, though rather small, are very productive. Both the gooseberry and the currant are satisfactory fruits to grow. What insect enemies they have are easily controlled. Although fall planting is to be preferred, the plants do very well set in early spring.

When horses are torn by coming in contact with barbed wire and the bleeding is profuse, it may, in many instances be stanch by folding cotton cloth two or three times and pressing the same against the wound. Where the part can be bound around tightly with strips of the same and kept in place, the pressure will, unless in very bad cases, result in stopping the flow of blood.

WHICH IS THE BEST ALL-ROUND FOWL?

We are often asked which we consider the best general purpose fowl. I can say to the person that wants to keep one variety that the Barred and White Rocks and the White and Silver Laced Wyandottes are in my estimation ahead of all other varieties as general purpose fowls. Of course there are many other breeds, but the above named varieties are hard to beat, especially when they have been bred in line for laying by selecting only known good layers each year and breeding these "in line" year after year we can be sure at least of having a strain of persistent layers.

A general purpose fowl must have a plump carcass when dressed; a quality and quantity of meat that will meet the demands of the market, and to be profitable they must be of a heavy laying strain, quick to mature and easy to raise. You should pay particular attention to selecting and breeding for the qualities necessary to produce the most prolific layers, as well as those noted for their vigor, hardiness and standard markings.

A reader asks: Can pines be planted in the fall? They cannot. There are none of the coniferous trees which embrace the pine, spruce, etc., that can be planted with success in the fall. Experience has demonstrated that spring is the best time for this, just as the growth starts.

CARE OF MARE AND FOAL.

It is quite common for the farmer to turn his work horses to pasture after the harvest is over, with the thought that the work horse can subsist on grass alone if he is not working. This will do fairly well for geldings or mares without colts, provided the pasture is good, but for mares suckling colts it is a very bad policy. The mare should have her oats just as she did when working. If she does not she will run down in flesh and consequently in the flow of milk. This will be detrimental to the growth of the colt. The way a colt is fed the first year of its life determines in a great degree his future value. It is computed that in a general way, every additional 10 pounds added to a draft horse's weight after he passes 1,400 pounds adds \$25 to his value. Hence anything that has a tendency to stunt the colt should be avoided.

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Send this coupon with your name and address and druggist's name who does NOT sell it, for a free box of Mull's Anti-Belch-Wafers to Mull's Grape Tonic Co., 148 Third Ave., Rock Island, Ill. Give full address and write plainly.

Sold at all druggists, 50c. per box.

In Defense of Famous Father.

Helen Longstreet, daughter of the famous general, has written in "Lee and Longstreet at High Tide" the story of the battle of Gettysburg in answer to certain criticisms that have been leveled at her distinguished father. She has gone to the records for her story and has filled out sundry gaps by reference to the memoirs left by her father.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will by Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in ½-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

Russian Decoration for American.

Charles J. Murphy, formerly a foreign agent for the United States Department of Agriculture, has received from Emperor Nicholas of Russia the decoration of the Order of St. Stanislaus. This honor was given him through the Russian embassy at Washington. It was a recognition of his services in behalf of Russia's peasants during the famine of 1891, when as foreign agent at Berlin of the Department of Agriculture, he started the movement for sending shiploads of corn to Russia. Mr. Murphy was formerly a resident of Iowa, but at present resides in New York.

Left Explicit Funeral Directions.

Miss Fannie Weeks, the treasury clerk who was killed a few days ago by falling into a geyser in Yellowstone park, left a will with these curious directions: "The casket shall be at Rock Creek cemetery, on high ground, in full sunshine. My grave shall be lined, bottom and sides, with granite blocks not less than one foot thick. A granite monument shall be placed at my grave. It shall not cost more than \$80 and shall bear the following inscription: 'Miss Fannie A. Weeks. Died, such a date. "He giveth his beloved sleep." My funeral shall be held from the New York Avenue Presbyterian church. The Order of the Eastern Star shall officiate. Mr. Wright in O street, northwest, shall be the undertaker."

GET POWER.

The Supply Comes From Food.

If we get power from food, why not strive to get all the power we can. That is only possible by use of skillfully selected food that exactly fits the requirements of the body.

Poor fuel makes a poor fire and a poor fire is not a good steam producer.

"From not knowing how to select the right food to fit my needs, I suffered grievously for a long time from stomach troubles," writes a lady from a little town in Missouri.

"It seemed as if I would never be able to find out the sort of food that was best for me. Hardly anything that I could eat would stay on my stomach. Every attempt gave me heart-burn and filled my stomach with gas. I got thinner and thinner until I literally became a living skeleton and in time was compelled to keep to my bed."

"A few months ago I was persuaded to try Grape-Nuts food, and it had such good effect from the very beginning that I have kept up its use ever since. I was surprised at the ease with which I digested it. It proved to be just what I needed. All my unpleasant symptoms, the heart-burn, the inflated feeling which gave me so much pain disappeared. My weight gradually increased from 98 to 116 lbs., my figure rounded out, my strength came back, and I am now able to do my housework and enjoy it. The Grape-Nuts food did it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

A ten days' trial will show anyone some facts about food.

"There's a reason."

Fashion

Ready-All-the-Year Garments.

Women of fashion are getting more and more away from the idea that they must have one set of clothing for summer and another and entirely different set for winter. Shirt waists are worn all the year around; shirt waists are becoming every season; long coats can be donned winter and summer, providing they are neither too thin nor too heavy; and one by one all the other articles of dress are being brought into the list of ready-all-the-year garments.

The taffeta fall waists are constructed to be worn in cold weather, and many of them are made up so that they can be worn in the very dead of winter.

There are women who make up a handsome silk suit at this time, taking care that it conforms in all ways to the styles promised for winter. It must be just right in the upper arms, with that wide look across the chest and shoulders which is coming to be more and more the style. In addition to this, it must be perfect as to small trimmings. There must be a deal of piping upon it, with a few contrasting folds and some handsome touches of braid.

Ornamentation on All Bodies.

In many of the latest imported models all of the elaboration seems to be lavished upon the bodice, and the skirt is, comparatively speaking, plain. In a silk-warp henrietta of a pretty shade of rose pink the bodice is arranged with the part over the shoulders plain, and the draped portion starting from the side seams toward the front. The chemisette is outlined with a piping of Jacquemine red velvet and some fancy braid of the shade between; and the waist part is so handled that there is a straight emplacement in girde effect all around. The sleeve is puffed at the shoulder and cleverly slipped above the elbow to display the lace frills that make a smart finish. The skirt is circular in cut, plaited over the hips and finished with tucks.

New Ideas in Separate Waists.

The ever-useful and really stylish separate waist is developing new ideas and attracting novelties with each and every appearance. With the growing vogue of colors in all departments of dress some of the French importing houses are showing the most exquisite novelties, all of colored crepe de chine, crystalline and other silk fabrics that reverse the usual custom and are trimmed in white, for the craze for colors in dress is giving rise to a vogue for dressy waists of colored silks and crepes rather than the white ones that really have had a most prolonged inning.

Blue and White Striped Serge.

Tremendously chic for a youthful figure is a coat and skirt of blue and white striped serge. At the head of the hem of the jupe are laid oblong motifs made from strips of the material joined in points at the middle. A band of this same trimming outlines the collarless neck and extends down to the left bust. From this point the jacket buttons diagonally over to the right, each side of the coat sloping off to the under arm seam at the waist line to reveal a pointed satin girde. A tight-fitting peplif passes around the back and curves up gently to meet the edges of the coat.

Girls' Walking Costume.

Girls' walking costume of fancy gray wool. The short skirt is made with fine plaits, the front forming a sort of tablier, ornamented with pearl buttons. The corsage is also made with plaits and has a plastron of the material, ornamented with buttons.

The crossed fronts are finished with revers of green velvet, bordered with



the material, the latter embroidered with soutache. The turn-over collar and cuffs are like the revers, and the girde is also of velvet. The front is also finished with a frill of linen or batiste.

Glimmers of Fall Styles.

There is a new brown that is quite brilliant, when compared with the browns we have been wearing. It has so much of the ruddy gold introduced that it has become quite a fashionable

shade. In transparent crolinoe straw brown chapeaux worn with brown veils on golden brown heads are very fetching.

Black taffeta is being made into a lot of swell little coat and skirt suits for autumn wear. A simple suit of this description has its skirt laid in groups of wide and narrow tucks. The short jacket has a dainty collar of lace and muslin, and on the front of the coat near the waist line are huge motifs of broderie anglaise. These plaited made black taffeta frocks have been gradually working their way into favor again, and one may now say that they have "arrived."

Crepe De Chine Waist.

Blouse of pink crepe de chine, covered with a large collar composed of



three gathered ruffles of the material attached by an application of guipure, the collar bordered with platings of mousseline de sole. The guimpe is of lace.

The full sleeves are plaited at the bottom and finished at the elbows with frills of the material and lace.

Mohairs Always Popular.

Those soft and silky mohairs are as much used as are silks for the dressy frocks and trimmed with the coarse Russian laces that are so much in vogue they present a highly successful appearance. In one model there is a deep yoke with a fancy edge that simulates a bertha and a lace emplacement at the waist line after the fashion of a vest. The red mohair is drawn in bolero fashion across the bust and fastened with little velvet bows. The short sleeve is a double puff with shirred lengthwise tucks between. The skirt is circular, plaited to the band, and with a deep encrustation of lace on the hem, edged either side with narrow velvet piping used flat as a ribbon.

Feather Hats.

The feather hats made of breast feathers, which are always popular for first fall wear, are particularly beautiful this fall. The many small slapes used have given the makers of these feather hats a chance to depart from the usual turban idea, and one may choose from a great variety of small shapes, whose gleaming feathers present wonderfully beautiful color combinations and require little trimming beyond a fold or knot of velvet. In the bronze and copper browns, the wine or fruit reds and the blue and green shadings these hats are very lovely and though at their best they are expensive the knowledge that they require little trimming offsets that fact.

Turquoise Shades Coming Back.

A revival of the turquoise shades is predicted, having been heralded by several exquisite turquoise costumes worn by noted leaders of fashion during the height of the Paris season. The color is repeated often in the new millinery and turquoise jeweled trimmings figure conspicuously among the latest importations, but whether the color will be much used save as a relieving note is a matter for doubt.

The New Lace Blouses.

New lace blouses are shown, one of which is made of rows upon rows of overlapping valenciennes edging, which is mounted upon net. Heavy linen laces are also sewed together in wide strips, and are dipped a pale gray dye of a shade known as "string color." One of these is mounted on the same tone of chiffon and again is laid over a flame-colored slip. A touch of flame-colored velvet is seen in little revers which turn back at the neck, and short sleeves. These are edged with black cord, and the undersleeves of chemisette worn are of tiny frillings of white val lace.

German Noodles.

Break one egg into a bowl, add one quarter teaspoon of salt, beat well add flour enough to make very stiff; then turn out on floured board and roll thin as a wafer; let be for an hour to partly dry, then roll up like jelly roll (only a tight one, of course), and cut very fine, then shake to unroll the little "curls" and let dry; have scup or water at boiling point before adding noodles, and cook twenty minutes.

Veal Sausages.

To make these take equal quantities of lean veal and fat bacon, with a handful of sage, salt and pepper. Let all be chopped thoroughly and worked together; a skinned and boned anchovy may be added to the above proportions. Make into rolls, flour thickly and fry a light brown color.

LIGHTING LORE.

ACETYLENE EXCELS AS AN ILLUMINANT.

Gas for Lighting Formerly Confined to Cities and Large Towns, now in General Use in the Country.

The satisfactory lighting of suburban and country homes requires that the means used shall be convenient, safe, economical and furnish a brilliant, penetrating, effulgent light.

Everybody admits that these are not the characteristics of the candle or kerosene lamp, which, formerly, were the only feasible means of producing light for domestic use in the rural districts.

For generations there was a crying need, a yearning for something better, which was not satisfied. A few years ago deliverance came in the shape of the chemical compound, Calcium Carbide, from which, by the simple application of water, the gas Acetylene is derived. Acetylene meets all the requirements fully and admirably and is being generally used.

Common lime and carbon in the form of coke or coal are the raw materials which, fused in an intensely heated furnace, make Calcium Carbide, and there is no difficulty in obtaining it in any part of the country. The machine into which the Calcium Carbide is fed and from which the Acetylene is distributed through the building to be lighted, is but little larger than a thirty-gallon milk can, and of the same general form. It is easily and cheaply installed, either in the cellar or in an out-building.

The light from burning Acetylene is exquisite, and lighting experts agree that it surpasses all other known illuminants. It does not taint the air nor strain the eyes and is not objectionable in any respect. Every up-to-date rural residence should be equipped with Acetylene light.

Statesman's Business Training.

Robert Bacon's appointment as assistant secretary of state is of more than usual interest in one respect. His training has not been of the kind that has usually been looked for in the incumbent of the office which he will hold. Among his predecessors were Frederick W. Seward and John Hay, and, more recently, Messrs. Rivers, Wharton, Uhl, Day and Hill. All of these were men more or less skilled in either diplomacy, literature or law, whereas Mr. Bacon's training has been in business and especially in finance.

RESTORED HIS HAIR

Scalp Humor Cured by Cuticura Soap and Ointment—After All Else Had Failed.

"I was troubled with a severe scalp humor and loss of hair that gave me a great deal of annoyance and inconvenience. After unsuccessful efforts with many remedies and so-called hair tonics, a friend induced me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The humor was cured in a short time, my hair was restored as healthy as ever, and I can gladly say I have since been entirely free from any further annoyance. I shall always use Cuticura Soap, and I keep the Ointment on hand to use as a dressing for the hair and scalp. (Signed) Fred'k Busche, 213 East 57th St., New York City."

Venerable Prelate Asks Prayers.

At a meeting of the general synod in Quebec last week all the members stood up while Archbishop Mathewson of Rupert's Land congratulated Archbishop Bond of Montreal in their name upon the arrival of his nineteenth birthday. The venerable prelate was greatly moved. After a few words of thanks and a reference to the day, sixty-five years ago, when he knelt with two other young men in that very city and felt the hands of the late Bishop Mountain laid on his head in ordination, he turned to the prolocutor, "Pray for me," he said.

CHRONIC ERYSIPELAS

Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, Although Whole Body was Affected.

Erysipelas or St. Anthony's fire is a most uncomfortable disease on account of the burning, the pain and the disfigurement; it is also a very grave disorder, attended always by the danger of involving vital organs in its spread.

The case which follows will be read with great interest by all sufferers as it affected the whole body, and refused to yield to the remedies prescribed by the physician employed. Mrs. Ida A. Colbath, who was the victim of the attack, residing at No. 19 Winter street, Newburyport, Mass., says:

"In June of 1903 I was taken ill with what at first appeared to be a fever. I sent for a physician who pronounced my disease chronic erysipelas and said it would be a long time before I got well. "Inflammation began on my face and spread all over my body. My eyes were swollen and seemed bulging out of their sockets. I was in a terrible plight and suffered the most intense pain throughout my body. The doctor said my case was a very severe one. Under his treatment, however, the inflammation did not diminish and the pains which shot through my body increased in severity. After being two months under his care, without any improvement, I dismissed him.

"Shortly after this, on the advice of a friend, I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, two at a dose three times a day. After the second box had been used I was surprised to notice that the inflammation was going down and that the pains which used to cause me so much agony had disappeared. After using six boxes of the pills I was up and around the house attending to my household duties, as well as ever."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers in medicine or may be obtained direct from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

IN THE BEST OF HEALTH
SINCE TAKING PE-RU-NA.



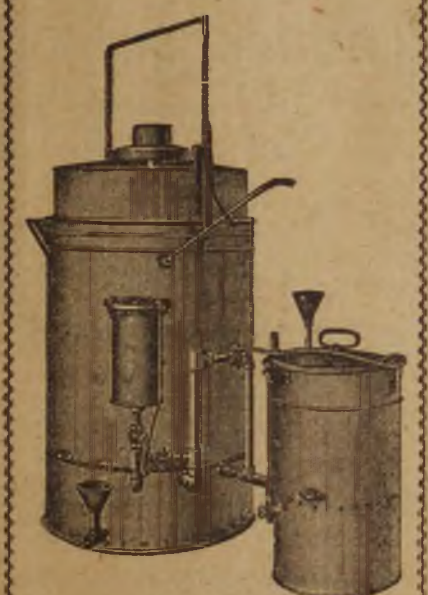
IN POOR HEALTH
PAINS IN BACK,
SICK HEADACHES,
PE-RU-NA CURED.

Mrs. Lena Smith, N. Cherry street, Cor. Line, Nashville, Tenn., writes: "I have had poor health for the past four years, pains in the back and groins, and dull, sick headache, with bearing down pains. "A friend, who was very enthusiastic about Peruna insisted that I try it. "I took it for ten days and was surprised to find that I had so little pain. "I therefore continued to use it and at the end of two months my pains had totally disappeared. "I have been in the best of health since and feel ten years younger. I am very grateful to you." Catarrh of the internal organs gradually saps away the strength, undermines the vitality and causes nervousness. Peruna is the remedy.

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Thomas John Barnardo FRIEND OF THE WAIFS



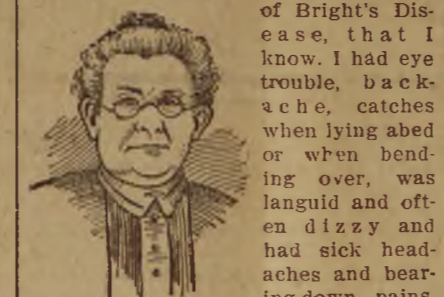
LONDON there has just died a man known to genuine philanthropists and those people of reason whose gospel is the gospel of works as "The Father of Nobody's Children." With the passing of his lamp of life, the man who as founder and director of philanthropic institutions by which nearly sixty thousand orphan waifs have been rescued, trained and enabled to give good account of themselves in life, ended his stewardship and entered into eternal rest. Because this man has lived, useful citizens have been raked out of the gutters and slums of London, and many of the theories concerning original sin and total depravity have been severely punctured. His name—Thomas John Barnardo—is graven upon the hearts of thousands, uplifted because he lived and worked, and the world has been bettered because of him and his efforts.

Born in Ireland in 1845, Thomas John Barnardo was of Spanish descent. A Protestant and nonconformist, his education was obtained in private schools, and at an age when the sons of well-to-do fathers begin to form in their own minds ideas as to their future, he decided to become a missionary. It was his ultimate intention to spend his life in China, and, desiring to equip himself the better for work abroad, he went to London, where he began the study of medicine and upon the receipt of his degree continued his studies in the hospitals of London, Edinburgh and Paris. It was during his student days at the London hospital in Whitechapel road that he determined upon his career. How well he fulfilled his mission is now written in the history of the world's good deeds. His first term in the London hospital was in that gloomy, eventful and ominous year 1866, a period of political agitation, commercial disturbance—it was in May that the stoppage of the great discount establishment of Overend & Gurney produced such consternation—and an outbreak of cholera, due to impurities in the water supply. Neither the political situation nor the commercial depression engrossed young Barnardo. He gave evidence this early of the philanthropic stuff within him, and although comparatively inexperienced, volunteered for the cholera service. He was gladly accepted, for volunteers were few. The virulence of the mysterious mady in Turkey and Egypt in 1865 had created a feeling of despair in the minds of medical men and laity alike. England had known it in 1832, when the deaths numbered 14,807, and during the second visitation in 1847 the mortality in London alone was 14,497, while in the kingdom the list reached 55,181. The authorities were at their wits' end and the situation was horrible; but Barnardo did not hesitate. Of his personal security he seemed never to think and made a house to house visitation of the East End poor, others refusing the service on the ground that it would be going into the jaws of death. When the scourge was over Dr. Barnardo went back to the hospital and dissecting room. His work in the poor quarters had given him a new view of life, however, and he made up his mind that it was his duty to contribute something toward helping those who appeared unable to help themselves. As a beginning he established a Ragged School in the very center of squalid Stepney, to which he devoted two nights each week and all of Sunday. Of this work he said some time before his death: "I was a young medical student when my attention was directed by the condition of a single little street arab, of whom I had then no knowledge, to the necessities of the destitute waifs and strays of London. My acquaintance with that boy about forty years ago led to a careful investigation of the great East End problem. I began in a small way, knowing nobody, to do my work; had one poor little chap in my own lodging for two or three weeks, then two or three more, and then as I picked up more children I put them in lodgings. I had at one time as many as fifty children, lodging them all about me, sending them to the common day school during the day and providing for their wants through help from friends and some of my fellow students, and, of course, what I could spare myself. "The first regular home came in 1868. It was a small and very poor affair; such a ramshackle, broken-down place. We whitewashed the walls and scrubbed the floors ourselves. I sent my first little boy to Canada in 1867, so far back as that year I began Canadian emigration and continued to send occasional parties until 1882, when I started organized emigration on a large scale. Close upon 60,000 children have been rescued from the streets. These have been educated and trained and placed

out in life. Everybody knows the characteristic features that make our work unique. Most orphanages and institutions have certain rules for the admission of candidates. Ours is only that a child must be destitute. We search for them; we don't wait for them to come to us. We have a varying number of expert men and women always at work searching the common lodging houses, the streets and lanes of squalid parts of the great cities of England, and in most of the towns we have places where the doors are always open, our idea being that in every great center of population there should be a door open at which the feeblest little knock or cry of a waif can be heard. None ever refused if destitute; it does not matter what creed, sex, age, country, language or what physical condition. They come to me deaf, dumb, blind, crippled, maimed for life, with their features horribly distorted, at times often with the hand of death upon them, so that I know they can be with us but a short time. Our doors are never closed against any little children. "The question of money never enters, I mean to say that we accept a child whether there is any money at hand or not. I receive children when I have not a penny at hand. Funds or no funds, about eight cases are admitted every twenty-four hours, and I always have about 5,000 children under my care. And my boys and girls have done well in the world, too. Some of my girls have married persons of very superior rank of life. I have boys who are clergymen, nonconformist ministers, lawyers, doctors. One has reached parliament. The rank and file of my boys are mechanics and laborers. Of carpenters, blacksmiths, printers, matmakers, tinsmiths and other trades I have an immense number. And would you believe it, less than 3 per cent of all the boys and girls of mine have gone to the bad!" A Christian whose Christianity was not of the ready made sort was Dr. Barnardo. He called himself "An humble servant of the Lord," and he practiced all his preaching. He would not be called a fop—there was too much of the sturdy manliness about him—but he dressed as well as any man in London. His manners were agreeable and his personality attractive, and yet, night and day, he spent his entire time gathering up the human driftwood of the slums, and from this material carving men and women. He was without cant. He talked as little as possible of his work. He did things. The great work of Dr. Barnardo, now known wherever men of benevolence and charity aid their fellows, did not develop without trials and tribulations. A Protestant Irishman, a nonconformist, he was at the first denounced by the Church of Rome and the Church of England. He appeared many times as a defendant in the courts and so-called Christian societies fought him until finally he was obliged to enter a suit for libel in order to vindicate himself and keep his work from failure. This cost him \$40,000 and much anguish of spirit, but it won the day, for it brought to his assistance a late chief justice of England, who helped him with money and influence. Now that he is gone, Catholics, Protestants, men and women of all sects, are offering tributes to his memory, and Queen Alexandra herself, a patron of his society, is evincing a deep personal interest in his affairs. To-day in Canada and the United States there are twenty thousand men and women, industrious, law-abiding, God-fearing. They are graduates of the schools which Dr. Barnardo founded and watched over with unceasing vigil, patient care and undiminished sympathy. And they know, better than others can, that the world is poorer because out of it has been taken "the father of nobody's children." —Henry Barrett Chamberlin in Chicago Record Herald.

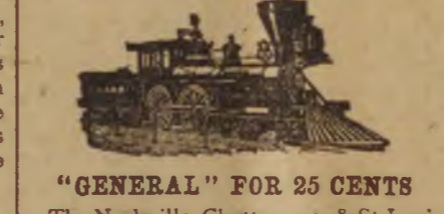
DEATH SEEMED NEAR.

How a Chicago Woman Found Help When Hope Was Fast Fading Away. Mrs. E. T. Gould, 914 W. Lake St., Chicago, Ill., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are all that saved me from death of Bright's Disease, that I know. I had eye trouble, backache, catches when lying abed or when bending over, was languid and often dizzy and had sick headaches and bearing-down pains. The kidney secretions were too copious and frequent, and very bad in appearance. It was in 1903 that Doan's Kidney Pills helped me so quickly and cured me of these troubles and I've been well ever since." Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists. Price, 50 cents per box.



A Barberous Punishment. Gen. Dragomiroff, the aged adviser of the Czar, rose from the ranks, and always dressed according to the army regulations for the common soldier. One day, while driving about St. Petersburg in his carriage, he noticed a soldier with hair longer than the regulations called for. He had the horses stopped, alighted, and taking off his hat, ordered the soldier to seize him by the hair. The soldier hesitated. He feared to lay violent hands on his general; besides, the hair was clipped too close to afford a hold for the hands. The general surveyed the soldier sternly for a few moments; then, twining his fingers in the latter's locks, he literally wiped up the street with him, the victim not daring to resist. Finally, having impressed the lesson thoroughly, he re-entered his carriage and drove on, ordering the soldier to follow. At the first barber's shop they came to he again alighted and had every vestige of hair shaved from the soldier's head, then turned him loose as a horrible example to his fellows.

Scientific Station in Labrador. The first telegraphic longitude station in Labrador has been established at Chateau Bay by Dr. Otto Klotz, Dominion astronomer, in conjunction with Sir William MacGregor, Governor of Newfoundland. **Insist on Getting It.** Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch because they have a stock in hand of 12 oz. brands, which they know cannot be sold to a customer who has once used the 16 oz. pkg. Defiance Starch for same money. Newport women have arisen against the Parisian milliners. Autocracy is indeed doomed.



"GENERAL" FOR 25 CENTS

The Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway is distributing a very beautiful lithograph, 18x25 inches, of the famous engine "General," which is now on exhibition in the Union Depot, Chattanooga, Tenn. The picture is ready for framing and will be mailed to any address for twenty-five cents. The "General" was captured by the Andrews' Raiders at Big Shanty (now Kennesaw), Georgia, on the Western & Atlantic Railroad, April 12th, 1862, and was recaptured by Conductor W. A. Fuller, Anthony Murphy and others, near Ringgold, Ga., after an exciting chase of about ninety miles. It was one of the most thrilling exploits of the Civil War. The object of the raid was to burn the bridges on the Western & Atlantic Railroad and cut off the Confederate Army from its base of supplies. A booklet, "The Story of the General," sent free upon application. W. L. DANLEY, G. P. A., Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis R'y Nashville, Tennessee

Municipal Auto Department. Leeds, England, has established a municipal department for the maintenance of automobiles. There the city council provides motor vehicles for its lighting and tramway committee, a motor-driven derrick, a motor van, motor omnibuses and various other conveyances.

Painter for Anglomaniacs. Persons who consider that King Edward sets the fashions may be interested in learning that at Marblehead his majesty promenades in a green Tyrolean hat adorned with the usual feather, a blue suit, with brown boots and a red tie.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

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Having an overstock of Chamber Suits and Dressers, I have decided to dispose of them at a great reduction in prices during the next twenty days.

Note These Prices!

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Chronicles by an Able Corps of Correspondents

Herbert

Mrs. F. A. Reed is quite ill with erysipelas of the face.

Mr. Ledford went to DeKalb Friday evening returning Sunday.

The Royal Neighbors met at the home of Mrs. S. Davis Tuesday.

Mrs. Nancy Booker is entertaining her daughter from South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Haga of Belvidere were guests of Mrs. Thornton Sunday.

Well diggers from Belvidere are here putting in a new well at the pickle factory.

Mrs. Snyder and daughter Margaret, left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Joliet.

W. H. Robinson attended a meeting of C. & N. W. telegraphers at Sterling Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Powell returned Monday evening from a visit of several days in Chicago.

Miss McDonald of Chicago was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reed last Wednesday.

Sam Davis left Wednesday morning for Wisconsin where he will look after his farm property for a few days.

L. Agnew of Sterling acted as substitute agent at this place while W. H. Robinson attended court at Belvidere Wednesday.

James Thurlby is attending court in Belvidere this week. Guy Powell was also in attendance at court a couple of days.

Ivan Sheley and family were guests of relatives here Friday. They leave Saturday for Alabama where they will spend the winter.

Where, Oh where were Fred Sheley and Frank Madigan Tuesday when the gentleman from Caledonia was calling on Herbert residents?

Several from here were summoned to appear at court in Belvidere Tuesday and Wednesday. It is generally understood an effort is being made to put the lid on tighter at Herbert than it has been for many a moon.

The Misses Elma and Elva Alles of Mayfield were guests of Miss Ethel Morris last week. The friends of Miss Elma gave her a kitchen shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Morris Wednesday evening.

Attacked By a Mob

and beaten, in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklin's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I used it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tenosha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

Riley Center

Clarence Filweber was in South Riley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benman attended church here Sunday.

Alva J. Ratfield and wife were Genoa visitors Sunday.

George Hatch and wife were Genoa visitors Sunday.

It is fine weather and corn cutting is being pushed along.

Jesse Ratfield and Albert Seeborg were Genoa visitors Sunday.

Frank Fellows, wife and son were visitors at Thos. Ratfield's Sunday.

Thos. Ratfield and wife have returned from their trip to South Dakota.

Mrs. Chas. Ratfield and son are visitors at Teos. Rathfield's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Hauce are the happy parents of a baby born last Wednesday.

William Ratfield and wife will leave for Rockford today where they will make their future home.

Peter Reed's sale was well attended and everything brought a

good price. Mr. and Mrs. Reed will soon leave for California where they will spend the winter with their daughter.

Are You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember, that, after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided, by keeping their digestions in good condition with Electric Bitters, S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "For years, my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with typhoid fever, until she lost strength and vigor, and became a mere wreck of her former self. She then tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." Hunt's Pharmacy sells and guarantees them, at 50c.

Burlington

Mrs. Bruce Fellows returned home Friday after a six weeks' visit with her parents at Erie, Ill.

Mrs. Ed Rogers is visiting with friends in Dixon, Ill., this week.

The entertainment given at the M. E. church last Saturday night was very good and drew out a large crowd.

Mrs. C. C. Godfrey returned Monday from a visit at St. Charles with her mother who has been sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet of McConnell, Ill., came Monday for a visit with friends and relatives.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lamboley has been very sick but is better and it is thought will be all right again soon.

The dance given last Friday night in Kirk's hall by the Woodmen was largely attended and a good time is reported by all.

S. V. Sheffner of Elgin made a short call here Monday.

Like Finding Money

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. At Hunt's Pharmacy; 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Shoe Factory Notes

Amory Hadsal and wife visited in Rockford Thursday.

Chris Scherf and Art Taylor visited in Chicago Monday.

Paul Lapham visited in Elgin and Chicago a few days last week.

Miss Emma Grabeby has gone to Crystal Lake to visit relatives.

Lulu Oakes is visiting friends and relatives in Chicago and Elgin.

Miss Hattie Hammond visited friends and relatives in Sycamore Tuesday.

Corwin Lawyer and family are visiting the former's brother and family at Janesville, Wis., this week.

Edyth Smith and Minnie Lembke left Wednesday to visit relatives and friends at Elgin and Dundee.

Miss Vina Downing will visit friends and relatives in Joliet, Chicago and several other places during the lay off.

Several of the employes are laid off. The annual inventory will soon be taken when the shop will close for several days.

Miss Edyth Larson went to Rockford to visit her sister. From there she will go to Pecatonica, Ill., where she will spend a few days with her mother.

We would like to have you subscribe now; only \$1 a year.

AUCTION SALE

WM. BELL, Auctioneer

Having decided to quit farming on account of poor health, I will sell at public auction on the Leonard farm, 4 miles north-west of Genoa, on Wednesday, Oct. 4, commencing at 10 a. m. sharp, the following described property:

Twenty-three good dairy cows and 3 yearling heifers.

Ten head snoop; 2-yr-old shepherd dog, a good one; black horse, 5 yrs old; black mare, 3 yrs old, in foal; gray horse, 5 yrs old; gray horse, 8 years old; bay road mare, 4 yrs old; gray mare, 9 yrs old, in foal; gray horse, 12 yrs old; yearling mare; 40 shoats; 17 yearling sows. 50 acres corn in hill, 20 tons timothy hay in barn, 8 tons timothy hay in stack.

New Deering grain binder, 7 ft cut with truck attachment; Jones mower, 5 ft cut; Jones hay rake, 10ft; Emerson gang plow, Sterling corn planter, Sterling disc pulverizer, 16-16; Sterling seeder with grass seed attachment, Thompson 2-row corn plow, Ellwood single row corn plow, 4-section wood harrow, Rock Island walking plow, Ideal sweep grinder, Deering corn binder, rubber tire buggy, pole and shafts; steel tire buggy, pole and shafts; set 1 1/4 hand made harness, set 1 1/2 hand made harness, 2 sets 1 1/2 harness, single harness, 2 sets new leather fly nets, wagon and triple box, 8 new milk cans, wagon, hay rack and hog rack combined, bob sled, 100 P. K. chickens, nearly new cook stove, chunk stove, chairs, couch, commode and other articles.

With the exception of Deering corn binder and Ellwood corn plow all the above machinery is nearly new and in good condition.

Terms of sale: All sums of \$10 and under, cash, on sums over that amount credit of 6 or 12 months, as desired, will be given on approved notes, bearing interest at 6 per cent per annum. No property to be removed until set-off.

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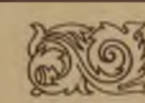
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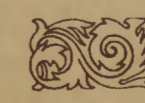
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