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## MILK OFFICIALS NOW ON TRIAL

**More than 600 Veniemen Examined In Selecting Jury of Twelve**

### CHARLES S. DENEEN FOR DEFENSE

**Producers Raising Funds To Assist Indicted Men in Their Fight**

Trial of eight officials of the Milk Producers' association, charged with conspiracy to fix the price of milk in the Chicago district in 1917, was begun in the criminal court in Chicago Monday.

Assistant State's Attorney Nicholas Micheals in his opening address to the jury reviewed in detail activities of the organization in its efforts to control the price of milk sold to consumers and urged the conviction of the defendants.

Conviction carries a penalty of from one to five years imprisonment, a fine of from \$1 to \$2,000, or both.

A drawing fund which will aggregate at least \$30,000 to be used for defense of the eight indicted officials of their organization was arranged for at an all day meeting of delegates to the Milk Producers' Association which was held in Elgin last week.

There were 300 men at the meeting some of whom came more than 100 miles to attend.

The indicted officials are: Willis J. Kittle, secretary of the association; Charles H. Potter, chairman; Frank H. Reese, treasurer; Robert M. Ott, ann, chairman of campaign committee, and William Goodwin, Roy Lewis Clinton J. Cooper and Arnold Huber, members of the milk board.

They are charged with conspiracy to fix the price of milk.

**Jury is Completed**  
A jury for the hearing of the case was completed late yesterday afternoon in Chicago and consists of the following men:

Carl S. Schroeder, 711 Park avenue a salesman employed by Bensingers Bros., married.

Dean Stanley, 521 West Sixty-sixth street, telephone installer for the Chicago Telephone company, married.

E. J. Englehart, 667 Western avenue, Blue Island, electrician for F. B. Bronson & Co., married.

Herbert J. Pohl, 4943 North Troy street, assistant time clerk with H. G. Saal company, unmarried.

Robert J. Misener, 5210 Cornell avenue, chief clerk for the assistant secretary of the Illinois Central railroad married.

Charles O. Kahl, 4134 Eddy street clerk employed by Lyon & Healy, married.

Bernard Lundstrum, 8152 Muskegon avenue, assistant foreman with the Wisconsin Steel company, married.

Samuel T. Heffner, 4320 North Kostner avenue traffic manager for J. V. Farewell company, married.

Harry B. Lund, 4017 North Sawyer avenue, clerk with the Central Wet Wash laundry, married.

John L. Grundy, 4923 Concord place, steamboat pilot, married.

Howard L. Noyes, 4312 Lincoln avenue, clerk for the Western Electric company, married.

Anton J. Franz, 2218 South Ayers avenue, draftsman for the Western Electric company, unmarried.

More than 600 veniemen were examined before the twelve men selected were agreed upon by both sides to the case.

**Judge Smiley Speaker**  
Judge Smiley of Woodstock addressed the milk producers in Elgin on the legal aspects of the case, explaining in detail the procedure that had been followed up to the present time and outlining carefully the probable events of the immediate future in connection with the case.

The prosecution will be in charge of Nicholas Micheals, an assistant States Attorney of Cook county and former governor Charles S. Deneen heads the corps of lawyers who will conduct the defense.

**Indicted in 1917.**  
The eight officials of the association were indicted in 1917 and attempts to bring them to trial were continued more than twenty times. It took four weeks to select the jury and it is expected that the hearing of witnesses for the state alone, will consume another six weeks. There is no estimate made as to the length of time the defense will require for the presentation of its case.

## THE RIGHT TRACK

Secretary Glass Urges 20,000,000 Pupils to Save Money

Secretary of the Treasury Carter Glass has sent out an appeal to the 20,000,000 school boys and girls of the country, urging them to continue the habit of earning and saving money and investing it in Government securities. In addressing them as the producers, consumers and home makers of the future, the Secretary of the Treasury praises the wonderful work the school children of America did during the world war in production of needed materials, saving of food and money and investment in War Saving stamps and other Government securities. The text of the appeal is as follows:

"In addressing the twenty million or more school boys and girls of this country, I am addressing the citizenship—the business and professional men and women, the producers and consumers and the home makers of only a few years hence. The responsibility of all the problems of our country will ultimately fall upon you. The spirit of patriotism and helpfulness which you displayed during the world war has proved your fitness for your future responsibility. Your record of production of needed materials during the war, your saving of food and money, and your investment in Government securities is a record of which every American citizen is justly proud.

"It is the earnest desire of your Government that you should continue to practice and make permanent these same habits of industry and economy, that through your influence and example America may soon become a nation of savers and cease to be a wasteful Nation; that this may be a Nation of people who always save some part of their earnings, who spend money with greatest care, and who invest what they save in some safe place.

"I am glad to see that our school boys and girls have continued during the vacation months to save their money and are buying Thrift and War Savings Stamps, thus laying aside a portion of the money they earn for some future purpose, and while they are continuing to render some service to their Government, they are at the same time providing for their own needs.

"The habit of earning and saving money is a most interesting and happy one. I am sure that this habit has become so fascinating to you that you will continue to earn and to save through all the months and years to come and keep investing what you save in Government securities.

"It is my personal hope that the lessons of thrift that are being taught in your school may help you to develop in your life permanent habits of saving and thereby lay a foundation for your personal happiness and usefulness and ultimately for a bigger and better America.

## HOME COMING AT KIRKLAND

Saturday, October 18, the people of Franklin township will hold a homecoming celebration in Kirkland in welcome to the boys who represented them in the army and navy during the great war. The outdoor activities will begin at 10 a. m. and consist of a parade, speaking and band music from a platform on main street, Scotch and Irish folk dances, races, basketball, a bagpipe band, etc. At 12 o'clock a grand feast will be served in MacQueen's Grove, in the eastern part of town to all who come. After dinner there will be patriotic speeches, band music, base ball and other amusements. For those who prefer indoor entertainment there will be a movie show in Rowan's hall after noon and evening and a grand ball in Lunberg's hall. This hall has a capacity of 150 couples. All this will be free. Lieut. C. B. Stevens of the royal (English) air service will make flights over the town and adjacent country. The usual charge will be made for this attraction.

## BURGLARS AT HARVARD

Burglars forced an entrance into the Butts & Wakeley clothing store at Harvard a week ago Sunday and carried away merchandise and currency to the amount of \$250.

## FARMER-MANUFACTURER

Chas. M. Stevens, long time resident of Dunham and Harvard has organized a \$100,000 corporation and is building a factory at Barton, Wis., for the manufacture of barn equipment of his invention.

## LAND VALUES IN ILLINOIS

Tazewell County has Highest Valued Farms says Records

### LA SALLE COUNTY COMES SECOND

Average Price Paid for DeKalb County Land has Been \$194.25 Per Acre

The Earlville Leader says that in twenty-two Illinois counties crossed by the Chicago & North Western railroad only one county has higher averaged farm values than LaSalle county, according to information supplied by the director general of railroads.

Tazewell county is represented with having the highest valued farms their average worth on April 1, 1919, being \$255.55; an acre, LaSalle county is second, \$228.25; Lake county, third, \$215.50; Sangamon county fourth, \$213 and Kane county fifth, \$211.

The land values of the twenty-two counties are based on land sales and assessments during the period of 1915 and to April 1, 1919, inclusive and are computed in accordance with the assessment ratio process used by the tax commissions of Wisconsin and Minnesota.

LaSalle county was in third place April 1 for average full assessed value of land per acre, the average assessed value being \$170.98. The highest average assessed value is found in Winnebago county—\$39.61, and Kane county, which is second in estimated true value of land, is assessed on an average of only \$70.98.

Interesting features in reference to farm sales and values in various counties follow:

DeKalb county—Number of tracts sold from 1915 to April 1, 1919, 360; average, 35,325; estimated average true value of land per acre April 1, 1919, \$194.25; average full assessed value of land per acre April 1, 1919, \$73.86.

LaSalle county—Number tracts sold from 1915 to April 1, 1919, 239; acreage, 21,142.

McHenry county—Tracts of land sold, 259; acreage, 28,617; estimated average true value of land per acre April 1, 1919, \$175.75; average full assessed value of land per acre April 1, 1919, \$65.88.

DuPage county—Tracts sold, 170; acreage, 10,340; estimated average true value of land per acre April 1, 1919, \$207; average full assessed value of land per acre April 1, 1919, \$41.84.

In the twenty-two counties, including Boone, Bureau, DeKalb, DuPage, McHenry, Macoupin, Marshall, Mason Jo Daviess, Kane, Lake, LaSalle, Lee, Menard, Ogle, Peoria, Sangamon, Stark, Stephenson, Tazewell, Whiteside, Winnebago, 584 executors' sales and probate appraisals of acre property, made during the years 1915 to 1919 and comprising 84,967 acres, disclose that the average price fixed by these sales and appraisals was \$159.80 per acre. The average assessed value of lands thus far sold or appraised was \$66.76 per acre, and the ratio of the assessed full value to the sales price thus established in court proceedings was only 44.27 per cent. On the basis of 203 of the most recent sales and appraisals, made since January 1, 1918, the assessment in 1918 represented only 40.19 per cent of the very conservative values established by court proceedings, the average price per acre being \$165.41.

## 1000 CANDIDATES

The Illinois grand lodge of Odd Fellows of Illinois will convene in Springfield the week of November 17 and in celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the first grand lodge of the United States, the third degree of the order will be conferred on one thousand candidates sent from all parts of the state.

## REV. PIERCE RETIRES

Rev. R. E. Pierce, who has served the Earlville Methodist church faithfully for two years, retires from the active ministry and will move to Earlsville to make his future home. He preached his farewell sermon last Sunday night.

## CORN AT HAMPSHIRE

The canning factory at Hampshire packed 65,000 cases of corn, representing the product of 650 acres. It was one of the largest corn packs the company has put up.

## REV. LOTT RETURNS

Again Appointed to the Genoa and Ney Churches—Satisfactory

The Rock River Conference of the M. E. church came to a close in Chicago the first of the week and the many pastors are now preparing to move to other charges or are going back to their old pulpits. Rev. L. B. Lott comes back to Genoa and Ney, as had been requested by his congregation, and as a consequence Genoa and Ney church goers are well satisfied with the result of the conference as far as appointments are concerned.

Other appointments of interest to people of this vicinity are: C. A. Briggs, Jr.—Freeport, First. D. T. Kahl—Hampshire. F. B. James—Kingston. J. E. Burgess—Kirkland. J. E. DeLong—Barrington. T. E. Ream—Mt. Carroll. C. S. Clay—Shelidan. James O'May—Sycamore. Rev. McMullen was again appointed to Red Cross work in Pensacola, Florida.

## ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL ENGAGED

M. D. BURGESS Another Instructor in Township High School

M. D. Burgess has been engaged as assistant principal of the Genoa Township High School and began his duties on Monday morning of this week. Mr. Burgess is a graduate of Terre Haute Normal, had one year at the University of Wisconsin, was in charge of agriculture and athletics at Menominee Falls (Wis.) high school, and later principal of the Township high school at Taylor, Ill. Mr. Burgess saw 16 months' service in France and was identified with the division which acted as the shock troops in taking the Hildeburg line. He entered the service as second lieutenant and came back a captain. He has been a foot ball and basket ball star and knows boys.

## NEAR DEATH AT BURLINGTON

Hampshire Carpenters Fall Thirty-five Feet While Shingling

E. H. Gift and W. H. DeWitt of Hampshire had a narrow escape from death last week when they fell from the roof of the E. C. Cripps barn at Burlington where they were shingling.

They were working from a rope scaffold when one of the ropes broke, precipitating the men to the cement drive, 35 feet below.

Mr. Gift escaped with a badly dislocated hip and one broken rib. Mr. DeWitt suffered a broken leg and a broken nose. They were rushed to Sherman Hospital, after first aid had been given by Dr. Olms of Hampshire and Dr. Roach of Burlington.

## THE MYSTICS INSTALL

Also Eat at the Meeting Held on Tuesday Evening of this Week

At the meeting of the Mystic Workers on Tuesday evening of this week the following officers were installed:

Carl VanDusen, Prefect. Mrs. Fannie Heed, secretary. Fred Clausen, Jr., Monitor. Mrs. Maude Scherf, Banker. Mrs. Fred Clausen, Sr., Sentinel. Cleona Leonard, Watchman. E. H. Abbott was elected as manager or the ensuing term.

After the ceremony of installation a lunch was served, which was of course enjoyed by everyone except Past Prefect Prain, who does not care for those kind of things.

## DINNER FOR BRIDE AND GROOM

Elgin News: Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kierman of Genoa gave a dinner at Koral Inn last night (Tuesday) for Miss Ella W. Owen and Mr. James Prutzman, whose marriage will take place Thursday at 4 o'clock in Carpentersville. It was followed by cards at the Kierman home. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rheimer and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilbern.

## Apt Reminder.

"Come upstairs and let me wash your hands," said Winnie's mother. "I don't want to go up!" wailed Winnie, aged three. "Let her wash them down here," called grandmother; "she can do it just as well!" "No," her mother said firmly, "I want her to come up with me!" Winnie came upstairs as slowly as possible. "Oh," she said, turning a wrathfully tearful face to her mother, "why don't you obey your mother?"

## SCHOOL ELECTIONS SATURDAY

People to Vote on Four Propositions Pertaining to School

### SCHOOL SITE UP TO CITIZENS

Ballot on Building of School, Issue of Bonds, Site of Building and for Member to Fill Vacancy

To the Tax Payers of Dist. No. 1.

In view of the school election called for Saturday, Oct. 18th the school Board of District No. One wish to bring the following statement to the attention of all Taxpayers.

Four questions will be submitted to the Voters at this election: First: The erection of a grade building for the Genoa City Schools. Second: The issue of bonds in the sum of \$22,000.00 for the erection of such buildings. Third: The choice of a site for the proposed building. Fourth: The election of a school board member to fill an existing vacancy.

The imperative need of adequate provision for the housing of our grades is apparent to everyone interested in schools. We must have a building, and funds must be provided to build it. It is regard to the choice of a site that the Board asks the attention of the Citizens.

A modern fireproof building for school district No. One at the present price of building material cannot be built for \$35,000.00. The Board of Education does not wish to assume the responsibility of locating such a building proposition site. Several reasons have brought the Board to this decision.

FIRST: The close proximity of the present site to the C. M. & St. P. R. tracks. The switching of cars and whistling of through trains interrupt recitations seriously. Many recent graduates can testify to this.

SECOND: The property north of the railroad tracks and facing the school property is owned by the C. M. & St. P. R. Co. At some future date it will almost certainly be the site of a switching yard, warehouse, or manufacturing plant. This is a serious objection. The new building must fill the needs of many years to come, and should not be placed where changes are certain to be detrimental to its purpose.

THIRD: The majority of the children would have to cross the tracks, with the attendant danger. The following figures illustrate this. Number of school children living North of the track (62). Number of school children living south of the track (103).

In consequence, of these objections, the Board have made a careful canvass of the available building sites and have reached a unanimous agreement as to the most suitable location. This is submitted to the Voters on the third ballot. The board believes this site; namely, one and one-half acres fronting on Hill St. and lying between Sycamore St. and Genoa St., extended to be the most suitable building site available. The plot has been marked off by stakes and citizens are earnestly requested to visit the proposed location before going to the polls. It is planned to locate the building at the foot of Genoa St.

As will be seen, this makes the distance from Main St. no further than the old site, while for the majority of the pupils it eliminates the hazard of crossing the railroad track. Further, since the greater number of pupils live south of the tracks, this location will actually reduce the average distance travelled per pupil while increasing it in only a few instances.

Water Main and sewer are already located at the foot of Genoa St. With regard to the disposition of the primary grade building. This building is inadequately heated and absolutely without ventilation. The toilet facilities are a makeshift. It would cost more than the building is worth to put it into condition to meet the present and coming school laws.

We say "coming" because the stringency of State and Federal laws with regard to erection and operation of School buildings is rapidly increasing.

The title to the old site now rests in the school trustees, secured by warranty deeds covering the entire tract. The proceeds of the sale of this property should meet the assess-

## PHONE STRIKE STILL ON

Hello Girls are Still Holding out for Ten Dollar Increase in Wages

As The Republican goes to press today the operators of the Genoa exchange of the DeKalb County Telephone are still out on strike altho a meeting is being held this afternoon in an effort to adjust matters. It is understood that the operators and Mr. Joslyn of the company will have a conference and try to settle differences. Mr. Joslyn offered the girls a five dollar raise this week, but it was refused.

## Resolutions

At a meeting held by the subscribers, representing about 500 phones of the DeKalb County Telephone Co. at Genoa, Illinois, October 16, 1919 the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, the city of Genoa and surrounding territory has been without any telephone service for the last 7 days, and

Whereas, this condition has been a menace to the community on account of lack of aid in case of fire, sickness, burglary and interference with business and social relations, and

Whereas, heretofore the service rendered by the operators of the Genoa exchange has been entirely satisfactory and highly commendable, therefore

Be it resolved, that we vigorously protest against the present lack of service, and the apparent disregard of the Telephone Co. of its obligations to this community for which it has been paid in advance, at a recently increased rate due in part to a greater wage scale, and

Be it further resolved, that a committee of subscribers be appointed to present to the management of the DeKalb County Telephone Company a copy of these resolutions and respectfully request resumption of service at once, and

Be it further resolved, that unless service is resumed at once the Committee be instructed to appear before the Illinois Utilities Commission for redress.

J. J. Hammond, Chairman.  
W. W. Cooper, Secretary.

## THE NEY FAIR

Despite Inclement Weather, Large Crowd is Present During Day

Despite the inclement weather, a large crowd attended the fair and exhibition held under auspices of the Ney Farmers' Club on Wednesday of this week, and no one was disappointed in the affair, for it was good in every way, from the smallest display of produce to the fine program of the afternoon and evening.

The Leland School Band was one of the main attractions and this organization sure pleased the people. The addresses were of exceptional value to the farmers, and were a source of information to everyone, whether tillers of the soil or not. The displays of live stock, produce, cookery and sewing were better than ever before. Next week The Republican will publish a complete list of the prize winners in every department.

## SCOTT SHATTUCK DEAD

Scott Shattuck, half brother of Harlyn Shattuck of Genoa, passed away at the home of his wife's parents in Hampshire last Sunday at the age of 63 years. Mr. Shattuck, whose home was in Rockford, was on a visit in Hampshire when taken ill. The deceased was a son of the late Harlyn Shattuck, who was one of the very early settlers in Boone county, at Shattucks Grove. He leaves a son 18 years of age, besides his wife and several other relatives.

The funeral was held on Tuesday of this week.

Read the want ad column today.

ment for the proposed site.

Appreciating the responsibility developed upon us as entrusted with the management of the city school, we, the undersigned, Members of the Board of Education, respectfully request that the citizens of Genoa give these facts their earnest consideration and express their will unmistakably by a general vote at the coming election.

A. C. Reid, President  
S. T. Zeller  
O. M. Leich  
F. A. Holly  
E. H. Crandall  
E. J. Tischler

Oct. 16, 1919.  
Genoa, Illinois.

## CRAPE HANGERS VS LIFE SAVERS

Life Savers Cut Margin of Opponents In Never Ending Game

### THE GENERAL PUBLIC IS UMPIRE

A Game that is Being Played to A Finish and Umpire is Helping Weak Side

Every bulletin board, every newspaper, every street car in the land is carrying the announcement of today's greatest ball game, the one continuous, every-day, all-the-year-round game of all nations and all climes. It is the game between the world's oldest champions, the Crape Hangers, and, as time is computed, the newly organized Life Savers. The General Public is umpire, and the Vital Statistician is the official scorer. The line-up is as follows:

## CRAPE HANGERS

Tuberculosis,	c.
Pneumonia,	d.
Flu,	1b.
Typhoid,	2b.
Diphtheria,	3b.
Scarlet Fever,	ss.
Smallpox,	1f.
Measles,	cf.
Infantile Paralysis,	rr.

## LIFE SAVERS

Family Physician,	c.
Health Officer,	p.
Community Nurse,	1b.
Public Health Laboratory,	2b.
Community Surveyor,	3b.
Sanitarian,	ss.
Epidemiologist,	1f.
Public Health Clinics,	cf.
Popular Education,	rr.

The game in the past has been one-sided. The Crape Hangers are experts and are constantly on the job. Their errors have been few and they have proven to be the greatest slugging aggregation of all time. Their home runs are beyond computation. It has been only through the incessant labor that the official score, Vital Statistics, has been able to keep anything approximating a correct score in recent years. The old time War Team tried for a time to wrest the championship from the Crape Hangers, but was soon chased to timber as a rank amateur. Yet, the War Team produced some excellent players, which, if drafted by the Life Savers, may yet result in a Victory. Clear cut, over the chesty Crape Hangers.

Able critics and sporting writers have frequently suggested that the Life Savers secure full time, well seasoned, reasonably paid players to take the place of some of their part-time players. It has been pointed out that part-time players, no matter how proficient, do not show up when the umpire announces "Play ball!" It is frequently discovered that or account of the meagre salary which they receive that when they should be playing their best brand of ball they are off earning a square meal for their families. This will never do, for the expert Crape Hangers can shut out any bunch of substitutes and pinch hitters that ever donned a uniform.

It should be remembered that this is a universal game; it is played in every community where there are enough inhabitants to form two teams. The Life Savers have made great improvement in recent years, but they must strengthen the weak spots. If the community has not a fast playing health officer, or player for any other position, it should send out a scout of good judgment and procure the necessary player or players. If the Life Savers will display never ending vigilance and plenty of "pep" the championship will yet float from their long undecorated flagstaff. We are an ardent fan for the Life Savers; are you?

## GOING SOME

An exchange tells of a negro girl who was sho' born lucky. She is now drawing \$172 a month from the government for the loss of three hus bands in the war. Her name is Amanda Jones and the government will not tell where she lives. Her first husband in the U. S. service died of spinal meningitis, leaving an insurance of \$10,000. She married a man named Smith who was killed in action and he also left her \$10,000. She then hooked up with Private Jackson and he died of the flu, increasing her bank account with another \$10,000. Would you call her a profiteer?



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# Coughs

And

# Colds

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Monday, 9:00 to 12:00 a. m. Thursday, 9 to 12:00 a. m.  
 Tuesday, 9:00 to 12:00 a. m. Friday, 9:00 to 12:00 a. m.  
 Wednesday, 3 to 8:30 p. m. Saturday, 3:00 to 8:30 p. m.

Charges for visits at the home will be the same as tho my residence were in Genoa

Sycamore Office in Pierce Building. Phone No. 122.  
 Special Appointments by Telephone

DR. D. ORVAL THOMPSON

DR. C. STUART CLEARAY

Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays Hours 1 to 5 and 7 to 8 p. m.

Other hours by appointment

Telephone Genoa, 188

### Osteopathic Physicians

OVER MARTIN'S STORE, Genoa

Telephone Sycamore 188

Graduates of American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo.

## POULTRY WANTED

Beginning October 1 we will buy poultry in the following towns on days mentioned throughout the season,  
 Mondays at Hampshire  
 Tuesdays at Kingston  
 Thursdays at Genoa  
 Fridays at Sycamore and Kirklind  
 Saturdays at Burlington

U. S. Food Administration License No. G03253  
**R. E. Brown**

Cortland

Illinois

# Build a Home First

Isn't it true that most of us don't practice the kind of thrift that creates an estate of the same money value as a home until we start building one? As one man who started buying a home two years ago said, "I'll have my place paid for and an automobile in the garage while some of my friends continue to talk about buying other comforts of life before they will buy a home. I am sacrificing none of the substantial comforts of life to which I was accustomed and I have added the comforts of home ownership. My only regret is that I didn't start buying long before."

Don't let that be your regret each year. Come to building headquarters\* and let us tell you how easy it is to finance a home.

**Tibbits Cameron Lumber Co.**

ORRIN MERRITT, Manager

Our Slogan: Onward with Improvements

# Junk

I pay the highest market prices for old iron and all kinds of metals, rags, paper, etc. Also buy Furs and Hides. If you have any of these items, phone and I will call on you at once.

MIKE GORDON

Diamonds at Martin's.  
 For fine watch repairing see Martin.

G. H. Martin was in Chicago Tuesday.

Jay Evans was an Elgin caller Wednesday.

Carl Holtgren was a Chicago caller Tuesday.

Mrs. F. M. Worcester was an Elgin visitor Saturday.

Harry Perkins called on friends in Rockford Sunday.

Art Shattuck of Milwaukee, Wis., called on friends in Genoa Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Kate Schuster of Chicago is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Naker.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Naker spent several days last week visiting relatives in Chicago.

Marjorie Holroyd visited her sister, who is a nurse in the Rockford Hospital, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Layton entertained Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Strome of Michigan last week.

V. J. Corson and son and the former's mother, Mrs. Emma Corson, spent Sunday in Elgin.

Robert Westover, Harold Holroyd and George Goding of Rockford, were Sunday visitors in Genoa.

The B. & G. Garage delivered a Fordson tractor to the Olmsted Bros. farm the latter part of last week.

Roy Pratt, who is working in Rockford was a Sunday guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt.

W. A. Lankton made a business trip into Ohio the latter part of last week in the interest of the Leich Electric Co.

A large number of Genoa's base ball enthusiasts watched the DeKalb team trim the South Chicago aggregation in DeKalb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Layton and Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Strome of Michigan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wisman of Hampshire.

Help the Jubilee fund by attending the Weight social given by the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. Walter Buck, Tuesday evening, Oct. 21.

The young daughter of Dan Emerson is very sick, having contracted pneumonia and whooping cough. At present she is resting easily.

No deliveries or collections will be made except in the business district hereafter.

Genoa Laundry.

All young people are cordially invited to Epworth League Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at the M. E. church.

The subject is, "Our Motto and How to Practice It." The meeting will be led by Pearl Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Naker and daughter, Betty, and Mr. and Mrs. August Carlson of Elgin and Mrs. O. A. Pohl and son of Chicago were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Naker.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shoemaker and son, William, and Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis of Janesville, Wis., were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Patterson. Mrs. Shoemaker remained until Tuesday, the others returning home Sunday evening.

A party of high school girls and boys were entertained very pleasantly Saturday evening at the home of Miss Frieda Kohne. Late in the evening the hostess served dainty refreshments.

Thursday evening of last week the J. L. Patterson home was merry, when Miss Evelyn entertained several high school girls and boys. The evening was devoted to games and dancing, followed by dainty refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lembke entertained the following relatives last week: Mr. and Mrs. Tate Suhr and daughters, Misses Lydia, Hulda and Lillie of Utica, Nebr., and Mr. and Mrs. Pherstle of Gresham, Nebr.

"Yourex" silverware makes a very appropriate wedding gift. Martin has a beautiful selection of knives and forks, tea, desert, soup and table spoons, salad and oyster cocktail forks, butter knives, pickle forks, etc. Stop in and look them over.

The E. O. Swan home on Sycamore street was the scene of a pretty party Wednesday afternoon when Miss Helen was the hostess to several little girls and boys, who helped her celebrate her seventh birthday anniversary. After heaps of fun at games, the hostess' mother served a dainty birthday supper, with a birthday cake in everything.

DISTRICT ELECTION NOTICE  
 For Board of Education

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 18th day of October, 1919, an election will be held at the city Hall in School District No. 1 county of DeKalb and State of Illinois, for the purpose of electing 1 member of the Board of Education to fill vacancy.

The polls will be open at 7 o'clock A. M., and close at 5 o'clock P. M. of the same day.

By order of the Board of Education of said District. Dated this 7th day of October, 1919.

A. C. Reid, President  
 E. H. Crandall, Secretary

Earl Hoffman spent Saturday in Elgin.

Mrs. S. H. Long of Sycamore is a guest of Mrs. H. Helmauson.

Miss Ione Stott entertained Miss Bertha Love of DeKalb last week.

Miss Hilma Rose spent Saturday and Sunday in Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rugard of DeKalb and Mr. Oscar Rosene of Genoa motored to Elgin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lewis of Clarion, Iowa, were Sunday guests at the A. J. Kohn home.

Miss Meredith Taylor of Marengo spent from Friday until Sunday with Miss Irene Patterson.

Mrs. W. W. Buck and Children visited last week with the former's mother, Mrs. Wallace of Marengo.

Mrs. Myers of Chicago visited over Sunday with her brother-in-law, G. E. Stott.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sowers and family of Davis Junction spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Stott.

Alex Crawford and family were over Sunday guests of relatives at Waukesha, Wis.

Beginning Monday, the Genoa Bakery will have doughnuts and rubber necks every night. Be sure and try them. One dozen for 30 cents.

Mrs. R. Sieber of Austin and Mrs. Chas. Stott of Des Plaines were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Forsyth.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ennett and family and B. Kennedy of Rockford were Sunday guests at the Jas. Forsyth home.

Dr. and Mrs. Ed. Holmes and daughter, Barbara, spent several days of last week with friends at Warren and Scales Mound.

Mrs. G. H. Martin returned Tuesday from Rochester, Minn., where she has received treatment by Mayo Bros.

Mrs. Susie Little, who recently underwent an operation at Mayo Bros. Hospital, Rochester, Minn., returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown and daughter, Florence, and Miss Hilma Rosene motored to Sycamore Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hollembeak and Mrs. Shattuck of Belvidere, and Mrs. Hollembeak's son and wife of Michigan called on Genoa relatives and friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Nora Moan of Chicago is assisting in the care of her mother, Mrs. Martin Malama, who is recovering from a severe attack of bronchial pneumonia.

Miss Genevieve Forbes of Evanston and Misses Hazel Rylander and Helen Ibbotson of Marengo were weekend guests at the C. D. Schoonmaker home.

B. L. Parker left the last of the week for Cedar Rapids, Ia., where he will make his headquarters, while traveling for the Leich Electric Co. Mrs. Parker and the children expect to join him in a few days.

Milk Producers' Meeting  
 A meeting of milk producers will be held at the City Hall, Saturday evening, October 18th, at 8 o'clock. All milk producers are urged to attend.

Carl H. Dander,  
 Secretary

Mrs. Luella Crawford, who has been spending several weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gormley of Chicago, returned to Genoa last week and will keep house for her brother-in-law, Frank Holroyd. Mr. and Mrs. Gormley have moved to Janesville, Wis.

Misses Hazel Rylander, Helen Ibbotson, Meredith Taylor and Floyd Mansfield, Guy Laman and Carl Holtgren visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCoy of Wauconda Sunday afternoon. Mrs. McCoy was formerly Miss Laura Holmes of the Genoa high school faculty of last year.

Mrs. J. T. Shesler and daughter, Madeline, went to Chicago Tuesday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kuhn. Thursday Dr. Shesler joined them and Friday he and Mrs. Shesler will leave for New Orleans, La., where they will attend a convention of the Dental Association. Miss Madeline will remain in Chicago with her grandparents.

Friday was Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Scott's third wedding anniversary. Of this fact, they were reminded about twelve o'clock in the evening when the H. B. Club unceremoniously accompanied them home after the Home Club dance. When the surprised couple reached their apartments on Sycamore street, they found many well filled baskets, which had been previously left by the H. B. members. It is needless to say that they had a merry time.

"HE COMES UP SMILING"  
 It isn't as though you could blame the canary—naturally a bird flies away if the door's open—but the darndest thing is that poor Douglas Fairbanks has to catch it, or be fired.

Well, that bird had one long drink before it started—may be there was whisky in it—and he's about as hard to grab as thistledown in a gale.

Come and see this funny Arcraft picture at the Grand next Wednesday night.

Mrs. Harrison Siddings of Lanark visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Krause last week.

Chicken Dinner Sunday at Evans' restaurant for 65 cents a plate.

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**SACKS ARE TOO INDEFINITE**

Weights Per Bushel as Used by United States Department of Agriculture in All Estimates of Crop Production.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Many growers, particularly in the territory where field seeds and crops are sold commonly by the sack, ask why the United States department of agriculture estimates crop production by bushel measure instead of by sack or hundredweight. The reason is that 90,000,000 people in 40 states of the Union think, talk and measure by bushels, the bushel being the standard unit of measure throughout this area. The bushel measure is definite, and congress and the states have stabilized it and specified the number of pounds of different commodities legally constituting a bushel. The census figures of crop production have all been reduced to bushels for all commodities for which legal weights have been used and doubtless will be used until a different unit of measure has been adopted.

**Sacks Not Standard.**

A sack—the unit of measure in some sections—is not definite and cannot be made so, except by legal enactment, standardizing the volume and then, in turn, standardizing the weight per volume for the different commodities. Oranges and apples are thought about and talked about in boxes, dried fruits in pounds or tons, and it is doubtful if custom will permit of a material change. In handling green fruits in large quantities the ton is the most practical unit of measure, but for small quantities the lug box is in general use. As the lug box varies in size from 30 to 40 and 50 to 60 pounds, there is more or less confusion unless market quotations are made on the basis of lug boxes of specific sizes.

The central or hundredweight appears to be the most practical unit of measure and is coming into general use in the purchase and sale of grains and vegetables. If the bulk handling of grain becomes general, as now seems likely, the sack will disappear, and the central or bushel will take its place.

**Bushel Weights Used.**

The following weights per bushel are used by the United States department of agriculture in all estimates of crop production:

Apples, 48 pounds; beans (dried), 60 pounds; clover seed, 60 pounds; corn (shelled), 56 pounds; corn on cob, 70 pounds; oats, 32 pounds; peaches, 48 pounds; pears, 48 pounds; rye, 56 pounds; tomatoes, 56 pounds; grain sorghum, 56 pounds; onions, 57 pounds; peanuts, 22 pounds; potatoes, 60 pounds; sweet potatoes, 56 pounds; timothy seed, 45 pounds; wheat, 60 pounds.

**PROVIDE WATER FOR HORSES**

Driver Usually Has Two or More Refreshing Drinks During Day but Team Is Neglected.

Walter Moore, a well-known writer, says: "It is a common thing for farmers to work their horses in the hayfield from morning to night, watering them only at noon. This is done even on days of excessive heat. The driver usually has two or more refreshing drinks in the middle of the morning, and again in the afternoon; but the horses, who are equally as thirsty, go without. This want of water is not only distressing, but it causes the horses to drink to excess at noon and again at night, which often results in colic, and always tends to produce a distended stomach, or what farmers call a 'hay belly.' Farmers who would treat their horses humanely should take water into the field for them in hot weather."

**EFFICIENT FEED FOR SWINE**

Dried Presse Potato Fed in Combination With Rich Protein Feeds Is Favored.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Dried pressed potato is very efficient in producing rapid gains and a high finish when fed to swine. United States department of agriculture investigators have found in a search for a suitable way to dispose of cull potatoes. To give best results they must be fed in combination with feeds rich in protein, such as oil meal, fish meal and tankage.

**STORE ALL FARM MACHINERY**

Greater Loss to Implements by Exposure to Weather Than by Actual Use of Them.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is said that exposure to weather causes greater destruction to farm implements than using them. Avoid this loss by storing all machinery and tools properly under shelter before winter sets in.

**COMMON METHODS OF STORING CABBAGES**

Pull Roots and All, and Set Side by Side in Trench.

Provision Should Be Made for Removing Portions of Stored Product From Time to Time—Good Results Are Obtained.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Heads of late cabbage may be cut and stored in conical pits in the same manner as beets. Another common and very satisfactory method is to pull the plants, roots and all, and place them in a long pit with the heads down. A few heads may be removed from time to time without disturbing



**Fig. 1.—Cross Section of a Cabbage Storage Pit Made of Stakes and Poles and Covered With Straw—This Is a Good Way to Store Cabbages.**

the remainder of the pit. As slight freezing does not injure the cabbage, the covering of the pit need not be as thick as for other vegetables.

Another good method of storing cabbage is illustrated in figure 1. The plants are pulled, roots and all, and set side by side with the roots down in a shallow trench, the length of which corresponds to the width of the bed. The bed may be any width up to 8 or 10 feet and as long as necessary to hold the number of cabbages to be stored. Cover the roots with earth. Around the bed erect a frame of rails, boards or poles, or by driving a row of stakes into the ground so that an inclosure about two feet in height is formed. Bank the outside of this frame with dirt and place poles across the top, covering them with straw, hay or corn fodder. Make provision for removing portions of the stored product from one end of the pit. This type of storage is inexpensive and gives good



**Cabbages Stored in Long Banks—Good Drainage Is Essential, but Dirt Covering Need Not Be as Thick as for Vegetables That Are Easily Injured by Frost.**

results. When the heads are cut, leave the roots in position, and in the spring these roots will sprout and supply the family with an abundance of greens. A large percentage of the cabbage sprouts found on the market are produced in this way.

Heads of cabbage may be laid in rows on shelves in an outdoor storage cellar, but not in a storage room in the basement of a dwelling, as the odor is likely to penetrate through the house.

**WHEN HONEY BEE WILL STING**

Persons Dressed in Black Garments Should Exercise Caution in Handling Insects.

Dark colors seem to be more offensive to bees than light, and the person dressed in dark garments should show more caution when handling these useful insects. Offensive odors are also objectionable to them, and the person recently returning from working in the stable or whose perspiration has a distinct odor should show some discretion in making himself familiar around the beehive.

**MUCH SOIL FERTILITY LOST**

Prevent Erosion or Washing by Keeping Lands in Sod and by Filling Gullies.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Much soil fertility is lost every winter by soil washing or erosion. Put a stop to it by keeping the hilly lands in sod, planting a cover crop, under-drainage, filling the gullies with brush, etc.

**KEEP HERD FREE OF DISEASE**

Procedure Is Wholly Practical and Within Power of Large Percentage of Owners.

Experience covering a period of several years has proved beyond a doubt that a herd of cattle can be freed of tuberculosis, and kept free, and that the procedure is entirely practical and within the power of a large percentage of owners.

**SELF-FEEDERS VERY USEFUL**

Feed Saved in Proportion to Gain Made in Weight—Hogs Ready for Market Sooner.

Fatten hogs on self-feeders as far as possible. Hogs fed in this way save labor, save feed in proportion to the gain in weight made, and are ready for market sooner than those which are hand fed.

**USEFULNESS OF GARDEN CAN BE EXTENDED INTO WINTER BY HOME STORAGE METHODS**



**A Splendid Way to Store Vegetables.**

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

When the United States department of agriculture, through the weather bureau, tells you that frost is coming, get the garden crops under cover. Listen to the warning of the weather bureau—but heed, also the admonition of the horticultural experts of the department and put the tomatoes under cover where they will be kept at a temperature of about 50 degrees to 60 degrees to ripen. Tomatoes are late bearers, and as a rule many are still green or only partly ripe when frost comes.

The best way is to pull up the vines with the green tomatoes on them and hang them in the cellar or other sheltered place or pick the tomatoes and place them in a sack-covered cold frame, and cover them with straw or leaves, to ripen. Even tomatoes that appear to be perfectly green will, if of good size and the seed mature, ripen sufficiently for use as fresh tomatoes.

**Better Quality of Tomatoes.** The quality of the tomatoes will probably be better if they are left on the vines and they will continue in usable condition for a much longer time, but they may be ripened successfully by plucking them from the vines and placing them in a single layer on a shelf in the cellar. This may be the better plan for some backyard gardeners who have not sufficient space to hang up the vines.

The late corn patch, also, is likely to have a week or ten days of table service in it when the frost warning comes. It is not necessary to lose the green corn. Pluck the ears, leaving the husks on, and place them on the cellar floor with no two ears touching. The corn will remain in good condition for ten days or longer. Even if you have no cellar or other place where the ears can be spread, it is not necessary to lose the corn. Cut the stalks, leaving the ears on, and shock them in the garden. The corn will probably not remain in good condition so long as if properly stored on the cellar floor and it becomes toughened, but the season for using it can be extended several days.

**Cover Beans and Peas.** There may be beans and peas not quite fully matured. If you have space in which to keep them under cover, pull up the vines by the roots, hang them up and let the pods dry out. Then shell the beans or peas, put them in bags, hang in a well-ventilated dry place, and keep them for winter use. This, of course, cannot be done if the beans or peas are too immature. Canning is the only means of saving them under that condition. The curing on the vine method, however, is the best plan for curing navy and other bush beans even when they are fully mature.

**Care for Other Vegetables.** The cellar, if there is one, otherwise a pit in the garden, may be made to care for most of the other vegetables well into, if not through, the winter. Onions that are mature and thoroughly dried may be kept in the attic or in any dry, well-ventilated place where they will not freeze. A pit in the garden may be made to serve as a storage for potatoes, late beets, carrots, turnips, late cabbage, celery, and scallions. If there is no cellar available the earth mound in the garden can be made to serve admirably, saving a lot of money by keeping certain of the late garden vegetables for winter eating.

All that is necessary in making a vegetable storage pit is to place some straw, hay, dry grass, or fodder on the ground, place the vegetables on it in a conical pile, cover them with the same material used at the bottom, and then cover with two or three inches of earth. The hay, or whatever material is used, should be allowed to extend through the dirt at the apex of the cone, thus providing the necessary ventilation to keep the vegeta-



**For Cabbages and Turnips the Earth Mound Is a Better Place Than the Cellar.**

**EX-CORPORAL HAD NO SHOW**

Not Exactly a Willing Father-in-Law, but He Couldn't Forget His Army Training.

The youthful ex-lieutenant felt ill at ease as he approached the young-looking but the older ex-corporal. They had been in the same company. That was before the young officer knew the corporal had a beautiful daughter.

"Er—Mr. Jenkins," the young man addressed the other. "I—er—wish to—" "Speak freely, sir, sir—er—Mr. Hadley," replied the older man.

"Well, the fact of the matter is I want to marry your daughter."

"Not by a darned sight. Why, you impudent young dog, if I had you outside I'd whale you good and proper. You lay off that stuff. Get me?"

Whereupon the angry Jenkins started for the young man. Hadley simply straightened up.

"Shun!" he snapped, as only one who has been in the army can say it. Involuntarily the other drew himself up a second quicker than greased lightning. Hadley went on:

"Now, Bernice and I love each other and—" "Cut it out. By George!"

"It's K. P. for you if I hear any more talk like that."

"But—" "No liberty for ten days, either."

"Say, whose house is this? You are not my—" "Shun!"

Habit was too strong and Jenkins came up standing. Then he burst out: "You get the—" "Extra guard duty for that. If I have to speak again I'll be thirty days in the brig."

Bernice herself came into the room at that moment. She annexed herself to young Hadley, who promptly put his arm around her. Jenkins advanced as if to separate them when Hadley roared:

"As you were!" "Look here—" "Shun!"

The older man's eyes blazed for an instant. His mouth set in a fine line. Then he spoke quietly but firmly, as a man who has difficulty in keeping control of himself.

"Sir, the war is over, although you don't seem to know it. Take that girl away from here and marry her. As an ex-corporal, I can't seem to get your number, and you know it. But as your father-in-law, I can tell you where to get off at. Beat it!"—Cartoons Magazine.

**Japanese Rockefeller.**

A formidable oil field described by William Dietrich in a recent issue of the Petroleum Age lies in the Higashiyama district of the Sea of Japan. "Coolies dig a hole with a pick and shovel," says the writer, "and crib or brace the walls as they go down. Their wives pull up the dirt and the shale. Some of these hand-dug wells are exceedingly deep, and the natives pump air into them with an old-fashioned blower."

"The field covers about sixteen square miles, and in this are several producing wells. The largest of these produce about ten koku (or 450 gallons) a day. Other wells furnish not more than five gallons daily."

"It is a common practice for the head of a family to go to the oil wells with two of the familiar five-gallon oil-tins hanging from a yoke about his neck. He carries the tins, filled with crude oil, from five to seven miles to his little home refinery, and the whole family then turn to and help him refine it. When that is finished, the children take the oil to residential districts nearby, and peddle it from house to house in one or two sen lots."

**Britain's Debt to Gordon.**

Sir Reginald Wingate talked of the Sudan in war and peace, the other day, and asked a question. "Is it realized that this country, which Gordon characterized as a 'utterly useless possession,' comprises a territory of considerably over a million square miles, a large portion desert and wilderness, is it true, but through which the great Nile flows, spreading its fertilizing waters over vast areas?" Three outstanding dates, 1882, 1898, and 1916, milestones of Sudanese history, and then peace. Gordon, Omdurman, the defeat of All Dinar of Darfur, and then the Sudanese chiefs congratulating the king of England on victory in his own capital. That is 1910. Nineteen hundred and fourteen saw the great Sudanese leaders in Khartoum vow loyalty to the cause for which Great Britain had taken up arms. And none of it would have been but for Gordon's sacrifice.

**Breaking a Bad Habit.**

"I see you have brought your dear old-fashioned father to the Catskills again this season, Miss Slick."

"Oh, yes, Miss Peck, we could hardly get along without papa, even if his manners are horrid."

"But I note a great improvement in his style of eating."

"In what way?"

"Why, now he invariably uses his fork."

"Yes, yes. You see, we bribe the waiter to put soap on papa's knife."

**Goes Eve One Better.**

Mother (indignantly) — Why did you strike little Nancy, you naughty boy?

Peter—What did she want to cheat for, then?

Mother—How did she cheat?

Peter—Why, we were playing at Adam and Eve, and she had the apple to tempt me with, and she never emptied me, but went and ate it herself!

**FARMERS GREATLY PLEASED WITH RESULTS OBTAINED IN CO-OPERATIVE WOOL SELLING**



**Wool Buyers Inspecting Clip of Wool.**

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

More uniform prices for wool and a more dependable market as a result of competitive bidding for the community clip have resulted in Marion county, Missouri, where the local wool crop has been sold in the bulk during the last two seasons. Last year 46 farmers pooled 10,383 pounds of wool, while this year 67 farmers have disposed of 16,015 pounds of wool. The price received for the last clip was 58 1/2 cents a pound for native first and 56 cents for western long. This price averaged at least 3 cents a pound higher than was bid by local buyers, so that pooling enabled the farmers to realize \$480.46 more than by individual sales. The farmers are greatly pleased with results and indications are that many more will market their clips in neighborhood fashion.

**How Pool Was Organized.**

The county agent early in the year asked all the farmers who pooled their wool last season whether they desired to continue the marketing practice. Similar letters were sent to others who were known to have sheep but who had not previously pooled their wool. Subsequently the county agent sent letters to leading wool buyers of that section inviting them to make bids on the wool on or before the date indicated for its sale.

Another set of letters told the farmers where and when to deliver the wool and also that they could obtain sacks and twine from the county agent at a cost of 50 cents a sack and 22 cents a pound for twine. During the time of wool delivery the county agent, or some member of the wool-pooling committee, was constantly present at the storehouse. A shipping tag was tied near the open end of each sack, and on it was written the name and address of the owner as well as the number of sacks and fleeces which he delivered. Similar data were written at the top of a page in a small notebook kept by the county agent. The remainder of the page was left

blank for the purpose of recording the different grades of wool, the number of pounds of each grade, and the price received. A typical page of this description is as follows:

No. 11—John Blank, Palmyra, star route; 5 sacks, 97 fleeces.

102 pounds Western, light, fine, at 56 cents	.....\$57.12
281 pounds Western, light, short, at 46 cents	.....129.26
33 pounds clear native, first, at 58 1/2 cents	.....19.22
5 sacks, at 50 cents	.....2.50
Total	.....\$308.10
Less 0.41 per cent expense	......18
Balance	.....\$307.12

**Committee Members Assist.**

Four bids were received and on the day of sale three of the bidders were present and made a personal examination of the wool before handing in their bids. The entire committee and the county agent were present all day and after all bids had been received they were compared and the wool was sold to the highest bidder.

All of the following day was devoted to grading the wool and weighing the different grades that each farmer had delivered. Two members of the committee took the wool from sacks and assisted the purchaser in determining the grades, the third member of the committee did the weighing and the county agent recorded the weights and grades on the proper page of the notebook.

The next step in the transaction was to find the total number of pounds of wool of each grade and determine the total amount to be paid for all of it by the purchaser, who gave a check to the committee for the entire amount. This check was deposited in a local bank to be drawn upon in remitting to the farmers.

As the last step in the transaction, the county agent figured out what each member of the pool should receive for his wool and sent a check for the amount. The marketing expenses were prorated among the members.

**STORE POTATOES FOR USE DURING WINTER**

Vegetable May Be Kept in Various Convenient Places.

Good Plan to Place Major Portion of Crop in Banks or Pits—Sweet Potatoes Should Be Handled Very Carefully.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The Irish potato is the most important vegetable in the northern portions of the United States and is stored in large quantities for winter use. It may be kept in the storage room in the basement, in outdoor storage cellars and in banks or pits.

When stored in cellars, the potatoes may be put into barrels, boxes, baskets, crates, bins or on the floor, but must be protected from the light. When stored in banks or pits they are handled in the same way as beets, carrots, etc. Potatoes must be protected from freezing, and before winter sets in the pit must be covered with manure, straw or other material in addition to several



**Cross Section of Storage Pit Containing Irish Potatoes During Severely Cold Weather the Dirt Covering May Be Supplemented by Manure, Straw, Etc.**

inches of earth. It is a good plan to place the major portion of the crop in banks or pits and a small quantity in the storage room in the basement or in the outdoor storage cellar for immediate use.

Sweet potatoes should be mature when dug and should be left exposed for a few hours to dry off the surface moisture before being placed in storage. They should be handled carefully at all times, as they are bruised easily. This crop may be kept in pits or banks or in outdoor storage cellars, but a warm, dry place is preferable.

When stored in pits or banks sweet potatoes are handled in much the same way as beets or other root crops. When kept in a specially constructed storage house, either in bulk or in crates, the potatoes should be cured for about ten days or two weeks at a temperature of 75 degrees to 80 degrees F. After the curing period the temperature should

be reduced gradually to about 55 degrees F. and maintained at that point or as near it as practicable for the remainder of the storage period. When well matured before digging, carefully handled, well cured and held at a uniform temperature of about 55 degrees F., sweet potatoes may be kept throughout the winter and spring. When only a few bushels of sweet potatoes are to be stored, they may be placed in the basement near the furnace, on a shelf near the kitchen stove, near the chimney on the second floor or even in the attic.

**STUMPS ARE VERY ANNOYING**

Retard Plowing, Harrowing and Other Farm Work—Several Ways of Taking Them Out.

Stumps are very annoying in plowing, harrowing, harvesting and doing other farm work. It does not cost very much as a rule to get rid of stumps. There are several ways of taking them out, pulling them with stump pullers, using dynamite and burning are some of the ways.

**FIND WATER TABLE OF SOIL**

Should Be Three Feet Below Surface of Ground or Plants Will Be Shallow-Rooted.

If you want to find the water table of your soil dig a post hole three feet deep and the top of the water appearing in the hole will be your answer. The water table should be three feet below the surface of the ground or the plants will be shallow-rooted.

**FOREST TREES SUPPLY WOOD**

Waste of Time to Prune—Cut Out Poorer Trees for Fuel and Save Best Ones for Lumber.

You prune your fruit trees in order to get less wood and better fruit, but you only waste time by pruning forest trees because they only grow wood. Cut out the poorer trees for wood and leave the best ones for lumber.

**MANURE PITS ARE FAVORED**

Farmers Who Stand Back of Their Merits Should Pave Way for Many More of Them.

Plenty of arguments could be advanced in favor of the manure pit, but the fact that farmers who have them stand unqualifiedly back of their merits should be a big factor in paving the way for many more in the near future.



# Opportunity Sale!

WE placed our order for our usual amount of Fall merchandise early last spring. Owing to labor troubles prices have advanced and a great many wholesale houses will not deliver to the retailer. We anticipated our wants, **HAVE THE GOODS** and are going to sell them to you at a saving of one-fourth to one-half of the present market prices. The early comers will get the plums. Come early; buy everything you need for winter.

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# Sample Ballot

## BALLOT: BOND ISSUE

Special Election of School District No. 1, in the Town of Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, Saturday, October 18, 1919.

(Place an (x) in the space to the right of the word indicating the way you desire to vote.)

The proposition of the borrowing of the sum of Twenty-two Thousand (22000.00) Dollars by School District No. 1 of DeKalb County, Illinois, for the purpose of building a school house in School District No. 1, DeKalb County, Illinois, and the issuing of bonds therefor, said bonds to be twenty-two (22) in number, for the sum of One Thousand (1000.00) Dollars each and numbered from one to twenty-two inclusive, and to be dated November 1, 1919.

- Bonds No. 1 and 2 to be due July 1, 1929.
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- Bonds No. 17, 18 and 19 to be due July 1, 1936.
- Bonds No. 20, 21 and 22 to be due July 1, 1937.

All of said bonds to bear interest at the rate of five (5) per cent. per annum, payable July 1st of each year.

	For
	Against

## BALLOT: SITE

Special election of School District No. 1, in the Town of Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, Saturday, October 18, 1919.

(Place an (x) in the space to the left of the description for which you desire to vote.)

(If the description of the site preferred by you be not printed on this ballot, insert such description in the blank at the end of this ballot and place an (x) in the space to the left of such inserted description.)

That piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Genoa, DeKalb County, Illinois, described and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the south-west corner of Sycamore and Hill Streets in said City of Genoa, thence westerly along the south line of said Hill Street to the point where the east line of Genoa Street prolonged south would intersect the said south line of said Hill Street, thence south 200 feet, thence easterly parallel with the south line of said Hill Street to the west line of Sycamore Street, thence northerly along the west line of said Sycamore Street to the place of beginning.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, of Block 1, in S. Stephens Addition to Genoa, situated in the City of Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois.

(Space for insertion of description not appearing above)


## BALLOT BUILDING

Special Election of School District No. 1, in the Town of Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, Saturday, October 18, 1919.

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The proposition to build a school house in and for School District No. 1 of DeKalb County, Illinois.

## TREASURERS' REPORT

Genoa, Ill., Jan. 31, 1919  
To the Trustees of Genoa Cemetery: Gentlemen,

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

Receipts	
1918	
Jan. 31, balance on hand...	\$ 849.41
Mar. 22, Julia Shipman, part of payment on lot .....	21.00
May 10, Rose Smith, by Margaret Taylor, for lot 46....	25.00
May 25, Jennie Houdeshell, w 1/2 of lot 361 .....	30.00
June 15, Interest received....	210.00
June 22, Estate of Eliz. Hine, lot 37 .....	25.00
June 24, Eliz. Schmidt, n 1/2 of lot 367 .....	50.00
Aug. 21, Anna Reph, n 1/2 of lot 344 .....	50.00
Nov. 4, Fred Niss, lot 351 ..	50.00
Nov. 12, Oscar Johnson, lot 360	50.00
Nov. 27, Frank H. Blundy, lot 344 .....	55.00
Dec. 4, Mrs. Drake, n 1/2 of lot 118 .....	12.50
1919	
Jan. 14, O. W. Cronk, lot 365	100.00
Jan. 29, Joseph Muhr, s 1/2 of lot 347 .....	55.00
Total .....	\$1582.91

Expenditures	
1918	
Apr. 6, Bert, Petrie labor....	\$ 10.50
Apr. 6, Carl Schmoek, labor...	7.50
Apr. 13, Sager Bros., lawn rake	7.50
Apr. 15, Carl Schmoek, labor	16.20
Apr. 22, Carl Schmoek, labor	6.00
Apr. 22, Stephen Abraham, balance due as sexton.....	45.00
May 2, C. D. Schoonmaker, publishing report.....	4.00
May 6, John Baker, labor....	9.00
May 4, Henry Merritt, labor	2.50
May 9, Henry Merritt, labor	3.75
May 14, Henry Smith, labor	6.00
May 15, Ludwig Paffinger, labor .....	3.75
May 17, H. B. Merritt, labor	1.50
May 26, Fred Cleveland, labor	25.50
June 1, Fred Cleveland, labor	16.50
June 11, C. Rosenke, labor...	6.00
June 14, Funds loaned .....	500.00
June 17, Lee Olmstead, labor	7.00
June 22, Lee Olmstead, labor	5.70
July 3, Lee Olmstead, labor	8.10
July 23, Lee Olmstead, labor	6.00
July 29, Stephen Abraham, to apply on sexton service for 1918 .....	75.00
Aug. 29, Lee Olmstead, labor	5.40
Sept. 19, Lee Olmstead, labor	5.40
Oct. 8, Lee Olmstead, labor	5.40
Dec. 21, Perkins & Rosenfeld tools and supplies.....	12.25
Total .....	\$ 794.70
Jan. 31, 1919, bal. on hand	\$ 788.21
	\$1582.91

Besides the above cash balance, I hold for said Cemetery notes with interest accrued, amounting to \$275.50. I know of no indebtedness against said Cemetery.

Respectfully submitted,  
C. A. Brown, Treasurer.  
Approved January 31, 1919.  
Dillon S. Brown } Trustees  
Frank H. Jackman }  
James E. Stott }

## Real Estate Transfers.

DeKalb:-  
Fred A. Johnson wd to Mary E. Sweet Lot "F" Patten's Sub. Blk 55 R. Huntley's \$2,500.  
Chas. W. Marsh Hrs. wd to County of DeKalb pt Secs 13 and 14, \$16,000.

Sycamore:-  
William VanDusen to Andrew Gause, Lot 13 Blk 10 Turner, \$1,000.  
N. D. Kelley by Admr Deed Julia F. Kelley Lot 3 of 1 of 4 Mason's and 1 of Blk 5 Turner.

Genoa:-  
William A. Eklor wd to Christopher H. Awe Lots 1 and 2 and Land Adjd Perkin's \$3,250.  
Fred Wahl wd to Fred Rubeck, Lots 2 and 3 Blk 2 S. Stephen's, \$2,000.

Kingston:-  
Augusta H. Smith wd to Bryce D. Smith, E 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec 1, \$1.  
Bryce D. Smith wd to Pannie D. Smith (same as above)

Esmond:-  
William H. Ashelford wd to Wm. G. Pollard Lot 12 and 20 ft. 11 Blk 2 \$2,000.

In Probate Court  
Notice from Elgin State hospital that Amos McCann is dropped from the rolls of said institution, not having been returned after his escape.

William Dixon, late of Waterman Estate of about \$62,000. Heirs, sisters, brother nephews and nieces Will and petition led—set for hearing November 3rd.

Elizabeth Griffith. Report of H. D. Fisk, inheritance tax appraiser filed and order fixing inheritance at \$189.30 entered.

Marriage Licenses Issued  
George Bryant Walker, aged 29, Sandwich, and Esther Margaret Augustin, aged 28, Sandwich. New Edgar Gwin, aged 26, Newark, Ill.

Whisky.—Boston Transcript.  
began, for the strong smell av could tell where he'd put her, except and corners to hide her in, an' nobody Scotland to get rid of there are a thou- how, phew! we call lakes, an' if ye had wan o' them great inland oceans we an' ye could lose Ireland intirely in the world! I've a mark in the dirt, dr-r-r! England through the States Amer-rican is so big that if ye war to described its size as follows: "Phew, concerning the size of America, he On being questioned by his relatives returned to Ireland recently on a visit, not he of "Oh again, oh again" time, Finnegan, a railroad worker, though Some Country!

## Temperature and Metals.

In a demonstration at the London Royal Institution of the effects of sudden changes of temperature on various materials, Prof. C. H. Lees showed that iron and marble could be removed from low temperature to 630 degrees, Fahrenheit, and changed back from heat to cold without cracking. Quartz was shattered, though silica glass was unaffected.

## Watch the Sun's Halos.

The sun's halos are good weather signs. Many weather proverbs based upon the observation of halos are founded upon sound scientific principles. Studies of the relation of halos to rainfall show that during the summer months 56 to 60 per cent of all halos are followed by rain within 36 hours. During the winter months 70 to 75 per cent are so followed.

## True Poetry.

True poetry, like true eloquence, is the voice of nature appealing to the heart with its utmost sublimity and power. . . . Instead of teaching merely, it persuades, elevates, inspires. It excites a feeling where the other leaves an opinion or a maxim. It proposes examples of ideal excellence, and raises virtue into heroism.—Hugh Swinton Legare.

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W. J. Prain, Prefect  
Fannie M. Heed, Sec.

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C. D. Schoonmaker, Clerk

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### NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION, SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 OF DE KALB CO.

Public notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 18th day of October, A. D. 1919, an election will be held at the City Hall of the City of Genoa, in School District No. 1, in the Town of Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, for the purpose of voting on the following propositions:

The building of a school house in School District No. 1 in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, and the location and purchase of a school site in and for School District No. 1, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois.

And for the purpose of voting "For or against" the borrowing of the sum of Twenty-two Thousand (22000) Dollars for the purpose of building a school house in School District No. 1, DeKalb County, Illinois, and the issuing of bonds therefor, said bonds to be twenty-two (22) in number, for the sum of One Thousand (1000) Dollars each and numbered from one to twenty-two inclusive, and to be dated November 1, 1919:

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The polls of said election will be opened at 7:00 o'clock a. m. and remain open until 5:00 o'clock p. m.

Dated this 30th day of September A. D. 1919.

A. C. Reid, President  
E. H. Crandell, Secretary  
O. M. Leich  
S. T. Zeller  
F. A. Holly  
E. J. Tischler  
V. S. McNutt  
President and members of Board of education of School District No. 1, De Kalb County, Illinois.

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### Sling Gives Relief.

Great relief from pain in neuritis of the arm has been gained from the use of a sling described by Dr. R. T. Williamson in the British Medical Journal. The sling passes over the shoulder of the unaffected arm and under the elbow of the painful arm in such a way that it slightly raises it. This, by raising the shoulder and collar bone, takes off the pressure upon the nerve roots and prevents the weight of the arm from dragging on these nerves.

### DEATH RECALLS FAMOUS DUEL

Grandson of "Dan" O'Connell Used to Tell of "Liberator's" Meeting With D'Esterre.

Mr. Daniel O'Connell, grandson of the "Liberator," died a few days ago at his residence, Darrylane abbey, Waterville, Ireland, in his eighty-fourth year. He was a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for County Kerry, and served the office of high sheriff in 1880.

A Dublin gentleman has an interesting picture of the late Mr. O'Connell holding the pistol which his grandfather used in a famous duel. The following description of the encounter is taken from his own description:

"In a speech at a Catholic meeting on January 24, 1815, the 'Liberator' referred to the Orange corporation of Dublin as a 'beggarly corporation.' D'Esterre, a member of the corporation and a well-known shot with pistols, demanded an explanation, which was refused.

"After consulting his friends, D'Esterre paraded the streets for two days with the avowed intention of horse-whipping O'Connell. The two, however, did not meet, and finally D'Esterre sent Sir Edward Stanley with a message demanding an explanation. O'Connell referred Sir Edward to Major MacNamara, a Protestant gentleman of County Clare, who refused to give any explanation, whereupon Sir Edward Stanley delivered a challenge, which was accepted, and half-past three that afternoon, at Bishop's court, County Kildare, four or five miles from Naas, on the road to Dublin, was fixed for the meeting.

"They met accordingly and fired together, by signal. D'Esterre's bullet went wide. O'Connell aimed low, intending to hit D'Esterre in the leg, but actually did so in the groin. The bullet went through, penetrating the bladder, and came out at the back, inflicting a mortal wound. D'Esterre lived for two days only.

"The pistols used by the 'Liberator' were given him by an English officer, quartered in Dublin, to whom he had done a kindness, and who, when giving them, said, as a proof of their goodness, that they had already killed ten men. They are a pair of 'Rigby's Particulars,' and Mr. O'Connell often shot at a mark with them, and found them to be very good and accurate.

"D'Esterre's daughter married Lieutenant Roberts of the British royal navy, who commanded the Sirlus, the first vessel to go from Cork to America (Boston) under her own steam, and subsequently the President, which was lost with all on board, on the way from New York to Liverpool."

### Way of "Parlor Socialist."

When Philadelphia shall have completed its great underground and elevated railway system and also paid for the immense Delaware front improvements, the city debt per person will be around \$100.

But in some German cities like Frankfurt and Munich, where socialistic ideas ruled before the war, the municipal debts were over six times that amount, writes "Glraud" in the Philadelphia Press.

The parlor socialist is a great chap for devising ways to take money out of other people's pockets, but a dead failure at suggesting a method of putting money in your pocket.

One who worked with and knew him well tells me a favorite remark of Maj. Luther Bent was this:

"My board of directors is a board that I direct."

Were the veteran major alive today and operating a big plant he would discover that some sort of a commission rooted in politics would really direct his directors as well as himself.

### Pay of British Flyers Raised.

Particulars of the new scale of pay for officers holding permanent or short service commissions in the reconstituted British air force have been made known by the air ministry. A uniform system of rates for all branches (with the exception of certain specialist services) has been adopted, the pay ranging from five shillings per day, for a cadet, to £7 for a general.

The rates, it is explained, have been fixed with reference to the present high cost of living, and it has been decided that 20 per cent of the pay and retired pay will be considered as due thereto, and will be subject, after five years, to change, either upward or downward, according as the cost of living rises or falls. Subsequently revisions will be made at three yearly intervals on the basis of board of trade food prices.

### The H. C. of L. in Mexico.

In the past nine years the cost of living in Mexico has shown an average increase of 212 per cent, according to figures recently made public by the department of industry, labor and commerce, an Associated Press dispatch from Mexico City says. Several staples have greatly increased. Lard has advanced 525 per cent in price; sugar, 233 per cent, and eggs, 206 per cent.

Woolen fabrics now cost 471 per cent more than in 1910; cotton goods 300 per cent more and shoes 163 per cent more. House rents have increased 140 per cent, trolley fares 66 per cent and railroad fares 20 per cent. Natives' shoes cost \$4.50 a pair in 1910. Today they are \$12 a pair.

### Taken for Beggar.

One day I was walking through the park and I stopped and asked a man for the time. He put his hand in his pocket and pulled out a dime. That certainly did make me feel like two cents. I looked at him and said: "I wanted the time, please."—Exchange.

### Value of Quick Decision.

As a rule the man who has trained himself to quick decisions and prompt actions follows close to the right. He does not need to debate questions as does the man who has become a master of deliberation. His mental faculties seem to work automatically and they are generally right. I'm not sure but that they are more often right than they are with the man who is constantly weighing pros and cons and becoming confused with the issues. He saves time because he acts quickly and he saves everybody the uncertainty of indecision.

### Mahogany Trees.

Mahogany trees do not grow in clusters, but are found scattered throughout forests and hidden in dense undergrowth.

### Chinese Wheelbarrows.

Probably more freight and more passengers are transported in China by the wheelbarrow than by any other kind of method. The wheelbarrow there used differs from that used by us, in the fact that the wheel is set in the center, and thus supports practically the entire load, while the handles are supported in part by a strap or rope over the shoulders of the man who operates it. As a result, the wheelbarrow coolie in China will transport nearly a half-ton on his vehicle.

### Wesleyan College the Oldest.

Wesleyan college at Macon, Ga., was founded in 1836, and is therefore older than Elmira college, chartered in 1852. It is the oldest woman's college in the United States.

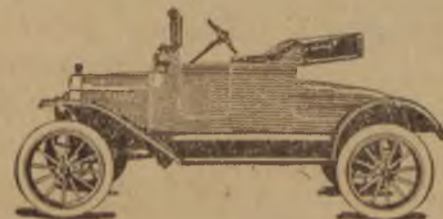
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# HYPNOTISM CURES RELIGIOUS MANIA

### Hysterical Young Woman Saved From Insane Asylum by Psycho Experiment.

## IS TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER

### Young Artist Who Offers Self for Experiment Is Later Relieved of Transferred Malady by Means of Hypnotism.

Paris.—A strange cure, of a psychic nature, has just been achieved before a number of doctors and a few experimenters along the lines of psychiatry. The patient was a young woman of hysterical tendency, who for seven years had been possessed with an anti-religious mania. During this time the sight of a priest, the act of passing near a church, the pronunciation of a religious formula all have brought on either attacks of violence or spells of dumbness. The association of ideas which precipitate these crises were of the most fantastic kind—a piece of white paper suggested the host, rosary beads turned her mind toward the Roman church, a glass of chateau the brotherhood of Carthusian monks. At these suggestions she would tremble and faint. To nourish a patient under these conditions daily became more and more of a problem.

**Takes Extreme Measures.**  
In Paris last autumn the doctors whom her husband consulted advised him to incarcerate her. Deciding to try everything else before resorting to this extreme measure, her husband, on the advice of an eminent chemist, finally put her under the treatment of a well-known specialist in psychotherapy, M. Mangin. Six months of treatment, consisting in psychic re-education, either in a state of waking or by superficial hypnosis, gave only results of short duration. The Easter festivities exasperated the patient to the point of frenzy. This decided Mr. Mangin to go to extreme measures. He began a tireless search for a subject suitable for the experiment of a transference of the malady, with all its anguish and strange manifestations. This was a difficult task, for the subject must be of such a delicate and perfect suggestibility as to be able later to be freed in turn from these same miseries.  
Mme. Georgette Abel, a charming young artist, offered herself for this delicate experiment with as much

charity as disinterestedness. On being put to sleep the subject's hand was placed in the hand of the afflicted woman. In a few moments the subject underwent an indescribable transformation. She was seized with agonizing convulsions. The patient, however, grasped the hand of the doctor, declaring with emotion that she was "liberated."  
**Malady Is Transferred.**  
On the order of M. Mangin, the latter uttered a stream of words touching the church, words which for seven years she had refused to utter under all kinds of compulsion. In the meanwhile, the young artist threw herself on the floor and attempted to beat her head against the wall, crying out in the same manner in which the patient was wont to do. The latter, passing from words to acts, touched a holy medal, handled a crucifix and made a short prayer, all this quietly and without any hesitation, while the subject moaned and threw herself about more and more.  
Being assured of the complete "liberation" of the former sufferer, M. Mangin let the subject sleep while he made suggestions of a soothing nature to her. Then he awakened her. Both women were in a perfectly tranquil state. Since this time the young wife goes every day to church. She had a long conversation with a friend of the

## One Legged Parrot Is Never Peg Leg Polly

Cleveland, O.—"Come on, Polly, one-two-three-jump. One-two-three-jump! One-two-three-jump!"  
It is Dr. F. W. Shaffer, 7612 Carnegie avenue, S. E., teaching a parrot to navigate on one leg. The other leg was amputated after the bird caught its foot in the wire of the cage and twisted the bone into a compound fracture.  
Polly squawks as he tries to walk, but he is progressing nicely, thank you, and his physician predicts 100 per cent navigation within the week.  
In his practice Doctor Shaffer has recovered combs, nails, hatpins, button hooks, and—whisper! a diamond necklace from the inwards of household pets.  
"But Polly probably is the most interesting patient I've ever had," the doctor added.

## BERLIN SUFFERING FROM LACK OF COAL



Berlin, and indeed most of Germany, is suffering from the shortage of coal. The photograph shows a crowd in Berlin waiting for coal outside the yard of a gas company.

## WORST FOREST FIRES IN YEARS

### Forest Rangers Fail to Conquer Timber-Land Flames.

## MANY THRILLING ESCAPES

Washington, D. C.—Stirring reports are coming from forest rangers fighting fire in the Northwest. At headquarters here the situation is said to be the most critical in years. The record summer of 1910 may have been equaled in the acreage burned over and timber destroyed since June. As fires are still raging, the loss may be greater than in that season.  
There have been many thrilling escapes of settlers from the sweep of the flames; there have been a number of daring rescues. Loss of life has been less than usual in forest fires.  
One outstanding experience of government fire fighters occurred in Idaho. F. C. Wilfong, who had been detailed along Crooked creek was trapped with his crew of three men at a point where three fires met. Getting out alive seemed impossible. Their 13 horses were taken to a bunch grass hill in the hope that they might be saved, while the men continued to fight for their lives.  
Their camp, provisions and clothes were burned. Wilfong and his men finally jumped into Selway river, and by covering their heads with wet blankets, pulled through. They found all their horses, but one, alive, but the pack saddles had been burned off their backs.  
**Devastation in Missoula District.**  
Most damage is being done in Idaho and western Montana. It is called the Missoula district. It is the best part of the country's timber remaining from what was once thought were inexhaustible preserves.  
It is here the burnings ten years ago

fire line. There they can give an immense amount of trouble and frustrate efforts to put out a blaze. Their favorite way is to create discontent among the crews as to pay and food and induce them to quit or do as little work as possible while the trees burn.  
In spite of the care taken, some of these plotters have got into crews and are doing mischief. Some bosses have been reporting that their men are "laying down on their jobs" and have been told to discharge them incontinently. This is done under guard, but formerly only to the edge of civilization. This can be done only in case the man has worked out his transportation and cost of keep and few fall to do this before discovery. In that case the armed guard must take him to the city from whence he came. Nothing can be done to him, as he has earned his transportation and sustenance and must be taken back without expense, according to contract.  
Now and then an overzealous I. W. W. gets busy too soon in the woods. If he has not earned his expenses, he may be arrested for defrauding the government.  
Two thousand gas masks have been loaned by the war department to the forest service for trial by fire fighters.  
While the fire situation in Oregon and Washington is not so serious as in Montana and Idaho, all the crews there are fully occupied.

## Insist Man Is Dead

### Government Sends Four Official Death Notices.

Wilmington, Del.—Alfred McGuire of 801 West Ninth street, is beginning to wonder whether the government is "spoofing" him or whether they have a grudge against him. Since he was invalided home on the discharged list last January, having served with the Three Hundred Twelfth Infantry, Seventy-eighth division, his family has been notified four times that he was dead—either killed in battle, died from wounds, or deceased as the result of diseases or accident.  
"Well, I see I am dead again," is McGuire's way of passing off the matter when he beholds a letter addressed to his mother bearing the frank of the war department. The fourth notification of his death came the other day, but as McGuire, and Mark Twain before him, said: "The report of my death is greatly exaggerated."  
Each letter that came has been answered either by McGuire himself or his mother. Notification has been sent to the authorities that McGuire is living, but they still insist on killing him off with clock-like regularity. The notices of his demise are also liable to contain the information that he was a cook, a wagon driver, a segment of artillery or any other such rank, while McGuire plaintively states that a man has to be killed before his rank is

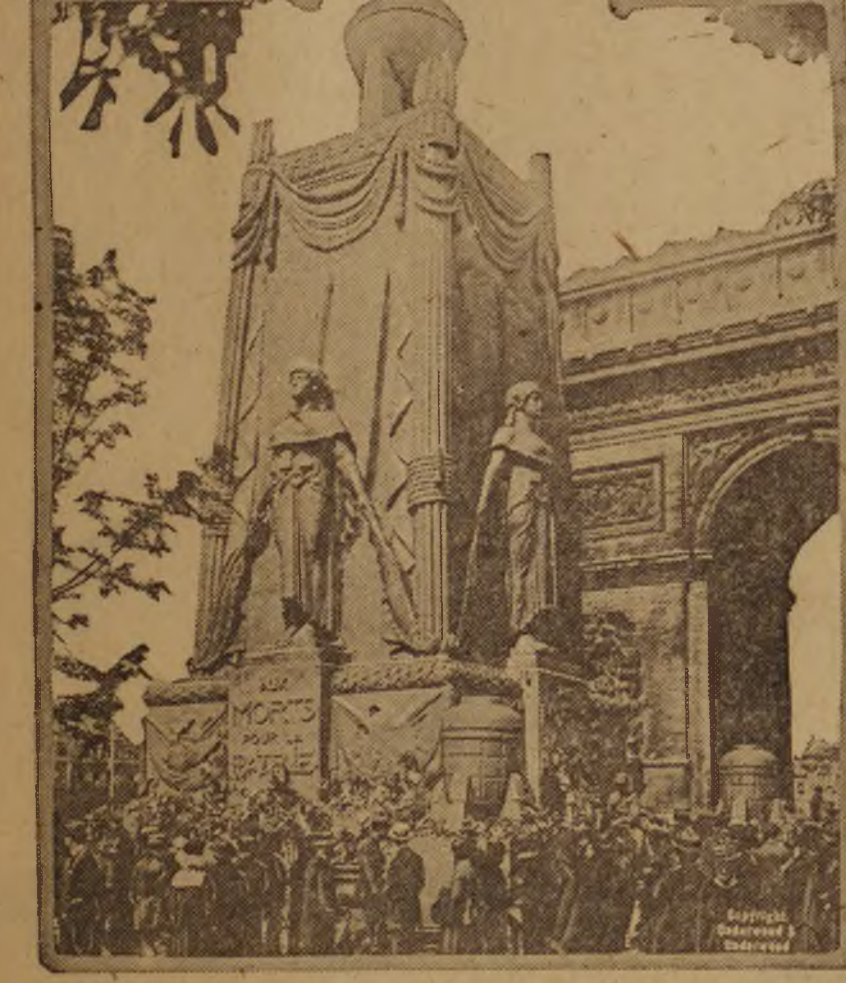
## LITTLE GAS SAVED IN BERLIN

German Housewives Face Year in Jail for Wasting Supply in Stoves.  
Berlin.—Berlin's reduced gas schedule has just become effective, but the saving promised by it is so small that the Berlin Coal association is conferring with the authorities on other steps to meet the shortage.  
Housewives violating the new rules restricting the use of kitchen gas ranges will be liable to a year in prison and a fine of \$2,000. Suppliers drawn on coal cards are regulated according to the size of a family, the municipality issuing minute instructions to landlords and tenants regulating the supplies.  
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## Rheumatism Was Needle and Thread in Hip

Cape Girardeau, Mo.—Mrs. Helen Curry of this city has been relieved of a long-standing pain in her hip by an operation, in which a needle and thread were removed.  
Some months ago she began to notice pain in her hip. She consulted several doctors, who treated her for rheumatism. An X-ray revealed the presence of the needle and thread. How they got there is a mystery.  
roll continually huge boulders broken off near the snow-capped peaks by variations of temperature.  
Besides the scenic possibilities the valley is said to possess vast deposits of virtually pure sulphur, arsenic and other chemicals. Black sand was found in the many streams indicating possibilities of gold.  
**Two Generations at School.**  
Two Oklahoma mothers were graduated from the Central Normal school in Oklahoma City in the same class with their children. One had three daughters as classmates and the other stood between two sons when she received her diploma.

## IN MEMORY OF THE DEAD OF FRANCE



View of the cenotaph dedicated to the men who died for France in the world war, now on exhibition beside the Arc de Triomphe in Paris.

## SAILORS SWEAR LESS

### As Term in Navy Extends Profanity Decreases.

### Boys New in the Service Are Most Profane, Noted Chaplain Declares.

Santa Barbara, Cal.—The profanity of the average sailor—if he is profane at all—decreases as his service in the American navy lengthens, according to Capt. E. W. Scott, chaplain of the new Pacific fleet.  
"The boys who have just entered the service are usually the most profane," according to Captain Scott, who has been in the naval service 15 years, and who is, besides Capt. M. C. Gleason of the Atlantic fleet, the only fleet chaplain in the American navy.  
"The boys try to make the older men around in the navy believe they, too, are old and experienced, and they

writer who says that not a trace of her former malady was visible. It is two weeks since the cure was wrought and it has been perfectly maintained. As for Mme. Abel, she is happier and healthier than ever.  
M. Mangin does not pretend to know by what force he has accomplished this marvelous cure. He does not attempt to interpret the facts, he only inquires into them carefully and impartially, which is a great deal.

## SCOUT PLANES TO PATROL THE AIR

### Treasury Department Has Plan to Defeat Activities of Modern Smugglers.

## CUSTOMS REVENUE MENACED

### Rum-Running and Smuggling on Large Scale by Airplane and Submarine Looked for in Near Future by Revenue Chief.

Washington.—Smuggling and rum-running on a large scale by airplane and submarine is looked for in the very near future by Daniel C. Roper, commissioner of internal revenue, and by other government officials unless preparations are made in advance to defeat the twentieth century smugglers.  
The attention of the treasury department was particularly directed to this new danger of employing modern methods in smuggling by the accidental capture of an airplane that came across the Canadian border into northern New York with several cases of contraband liquor. It was entirely owing to an accident, however, that this capture was made, and the officials of the government have no doubt that large quantities of contraband liquor have reached this country already over the same air route.  
**Planes to Patrol Air.**  
There is reason to believe that some venturesome pioneers of this new mode of smuggling through the air have already landed several thousands of dollars' worth of semiprecious stones from the topaz mines in Mexico, somewhere in the interior of the United States.  
At any rate, the menace to the national revenues has become so immediate that Secretary Glass has decided that he will ask congress for transfer of 600 airplanes and hydro-airplanes from the army and navy to his department and funds enough to create an effective air patrol.  
**To Bilk Customs Revenue.**  
Later on he will ask also for the transfer from the navy of a large fleet of Eagles which were specially designed for chasing submarines, in order to protect the seacoasts and estuaries from the danger of smuggling by submarines.  
Equipped with these two modern craft for navigating the sea and air, the secretary of the treasury believes that he will be able to interrupt any illicit commerce designed to defeat the national prohibition laws or to bilk the government out of customs revenues.  
**Fixed His Own Sentence.**  
Visalia, Cal.—Ernest Stevenson, who was arrested on a charge of driving his automobile while in a state of intoxication, fixed his own penalty when he appeared in Judge Clark's court. "What do you think I ought to do with you?" inquired the court. "I think six months in jail would be about right," replied Stevenson. "Well, then," rejoined the judge, "let that be the penalty." Stevenson was taken to jail.

war. It is expected the new Pacific fleet when complete will have 20 or 25 chaplains of various religious denominations.  
Captain Scott formerly was stationed at San Francisco.  
**Wow! Eggs 80 Years Old.**  
Fayette City, Fla.—Eggs believed to be more than eighty years old were discovered by workmen who were making alterations in an old homestead here. The eggs were found in a nest between the rafters on the second floor. It is thought they were laid while the house was being constructed. They were blackened from the dust of years.  
**Like a Looking Glass.**  
Toledo, O.—A clerk in an automobile sales place sat at the window all day. He noticed every woman who passed seemed to stare at him. Flirting thoughts he, as he patted his cowboy hat and stared back. His wife passed. She stared, too. Your window makes a perfect looking glass, she said when she entered the store.

## Opens Wonder Place

### Automobile Road to Span Ten Thousand Smokes.

### Will Give Tourists Access to Territory Where Nature Freaks Are Seen.

Cordova, Alaska.—Completion of a projected automobile road of 18 miles up the beds of "painted streams" is expected to open to tourists from all parts of the world the valley of Ten Thousand Smokes, in the Mount Katmai region of Alaska, about eighty miles north of Kodiak island.  
Enterprising motion picture producers, following scientific expeditions in the strange valley, have returned here with films of the myriad "smokes" and with reports of a shorter and easier route into the district.  
When the Katmai volcano erupted in 1912 and covered thousands of

square miles with ash and pumice, killing all vegetation and game and wiping out more than one settlement. It was regarded as a great calamity. But the eruption uncovered a strange formation which is declared to be one of the wonders of the world.  
The "smokes," literally thousands of them, are clouds or jets of steam under various pressures, emitted from holes and remarkably colored caverns in the solidified volcanic clay. The entire valley, which is shaped somewhat like a clover leaf, seems to be gradually solidifying. The Indian who recently guided a motion picture party said many square miles, covered with semi-liquid hot mud a year ago, are now crossed without difficulty.  
In one of the three arms of the valley is a "live" glacier, at the foot of which is a beautiful cobalt-blue lake of hot water. In another arm is the Falling mountain, down whose face

## BOTH NEW AND OLD

### Mexico a Mixture of the Ancient and Modern.

### Prehistoric Remains Show That the Builders Had a High State of Civilization—Native Tribes and Races Still Exist.

What manner of folk are the Mexicans?  
Whatever one's views on the wisest political course toward Mexico, it will help in a thorough understanding of that country to examine the rich history, the ancient civilization, the prehistoric remains to be found among our southern neighbors, says the National Geographic society.  
"Of the 16,000,000 inhabitants, two-fifths claim direct descent from ancient tribes or families which are accepted as the basis of Mexican history, two-fifths are of mixed native and foreign blood, the remainder being classed under the common appellation of 'foreign.'  
"Throughout much of the country, and often within short distances of railroads, are remnants of some of the ancient native tribes or races, adhering to customs, methods and speech of their ancestors. Thus in Oaxaca are the Zapotecans and Mixtecs, the estimate for the two races being a half million, and a government publication mentions a dozen other families in the same state.  
"In Hidalgo and adjacent states, the Otomans; in Puebla and Oaxaca, the Mexicenos; the predominating Mayas in Yucatan; in Michoacan and Jalisco, the Tarascans, and the Tlaxcalans, in their native state, and other groups elsewhere, still maintain the tribal individualities.  
"Although Spanish is the language of the country and much English is spoken in the regions most visited, a large number of the natives use only the vernacular.  
"Prescott refers to the Aztecs, Tlaxcalans and others as producers of delicate fabrics, colored by vegetable dyes; intricate designs in the precious metals, and beautiful decorations made of feathers; numerous ruins also indicate marvelous skill of ancient peoples in stone-work, especially as the tools used were obsidian or copper.  
"Evidence that this deftness in handiwork has been retained appears in the feather-work, wood-carving, stone-cutting, etc., of the present day. The beautiful pottery and unique weaves of serapes, made with the crudest appliances, and excellent fabrication in cast or wrought iron, filigree silver, etc., also bear testimony to the skill of the Mexican Indian.  
"Mexico has a wealth of archaeological relics, remnants of an ancient civilization of which no well-defined trace exists. Volumes have been written to demonstrate that the builders of what are now ruins were of Mongolian, Semitic, or Phoenician origin, but the middle cannot be admitted as solved. All authorities, however, unite in praise of the magnitude and the perfection of workmanship shown at the Mexican ruins found throughout the Mexican territory. The region adjacent to some of these raises a question as to the source of sustenance for multitudes which must have then existed, and causes speculation upon changes which may have occurred in the interval.  
"Prominent among these ruins are Uxmal and Chichen-Itza, in the state of Yucatan; Palenque, in the state of Chiapas; Mitla, in the state of Oaxaca, and Xochicalco, in the state of Morelos.  
"The pyramid of Cholula, in Puebla, and those of the Sun and Moon, in the state of Mexico, have also been liberally described, but distributed over wide areas are many other ruins which have had but little or no investigation, and rock sculptures, images, idols and ancient pottery, found in numerous localities, are the only records of peoples whose history is unknown and whose names even are lost."



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E. A. Sowers of Elgin was a caller Wednesday.

Dr. Cleary entertained his parents of Marion, Ohio, the first of the week.

G. W. Sowers of Elgin transacted business in Genoa last Saturday.

Mrs. Martin Malana, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson of Rockford called on Genoa relatives over Sunday.

E. W. Lindgren will have fifteen Fords in the last of the month. Place your order now. First come, first served.

Arthur Shattuck of Milwaukee was in Genoa the first of the week, having been called on account of the death of his half brother, Scott Shattuck, at Hampshire.

S. H. Matteson is having several improvements put in at his home on Genoa street, among them being a large front porch, extending across the entire front of the house.

The Catholic Order of Foresters will give a dance at the opera house on Friday night, Oct. 31. Particulars will be published next week.

An airplane passed over Genoa on Monday, near the noon hour, going at a rate of no less than 130 miles an hour. The pilot was on his way to Seattle from New York.

Miss Cora Christian has been absent from school this week on account of illness. Mrs. Schneider has been substituting in Miss Christian's room and Prof. Mackenzie has been in charge of the 7th and 8th grades.

The grade schools, which have been housed in the Slater building, are now enjoying a recess each day, the first since the old school house burned. The lot at the corner of Emmett and Jackson streets is being used as a play ground.

Last Tuesday was registration day in Genoa township, and the last day for registration is October 23. If one is not sure that his name is on the list he should go to the polling place and look over the register, or call on the registration board next Tuesday.

The Republican as a rule depends upon the telephone in transacting the greater part of its business, and as a consequence is greatly handicapped this week, owing to the strike. No doubt many items of news have been omitted on this account, as it has been impossible to get in touch with the usual number of contributors.

Fred Floto, Jr. had a narrow escape at the Washington street crossing of the C. M. & St. P. railway late Sunday night when he crashed into a passing freight train in his Ford. Luckily he saw the train in time to turn the car slightly to the east, thus cutting a side-swipe instead of hitting the train head-on. As it was Floto was thrown from the car and escaped with only slight bruises. The front end of the car was badly damaged, but it was not put entirely out of commission.

**The Windward Islands.**

The Windward Islands belong to Great Britain. They consist of the islands of St. Lucia, St. Vincent and Grenada, with the smaller islands of the Grenadine chain. The islands, really, form three distinct colonies, united under a governor-in-chief, who resides at St. George's, Grenada. The Windward Islands derive their name from their position, as do also the Leeward Islands to the east, being more exposed to the trade winds than the neighboring Leeward islands.



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**FOR SALE**—1 1916 Ford Roadster, one 1912 Ford Touring car, two 1917 Ford Touring cars, one 1917 Ford Roadster. Call Phone 21.

**FOR SALE**—Oak commode in good condition, cheap. Phone 76. 47-1f

**ADDING MACHINES**, Sundstrand and Burrows, new and second hand. Typewriters, all makes, new and second hand, for sale or rent. Jack Killian, DeKalb, Ill. 25-1f-4\*

**Live Stock**

**FOR SALE**—Full blood, two year old holstein heifer. Telephone No. 22 J. A. Patterson. 51-1f

**FOR SALE**—Duroc Jersey Boars, pedigreed, March farrows. A. J. Mowers, Herbert, Ill. Phone Black 94 Revidere. 49-4f\*

**FOR SALE**—32 big type Poland China Boars, March and April farrow, weight up to 220 pounds. Several of these are grandsons of Grand Champion Boar International Stock Show 1918. Balance sired by Giant Smooth Bone 4th. Call Interstate Phone L913, Hampshire, Ill., or call on Arthur Hartman, 5 miles east of Genoa and 1/2 mile north of New Lebanon, P. O. address, Genoa, Ill. 48-1f

**WANTED**—Everyone to read this column. It pays and you will find something you are looking for.

**Lands and City Property**

**FOR SALE**—My residence on E. Main St., 7 room house all modern but furnace and 3 lots. E. McMackin. 51-2f\*

**FOR SALE**—One of the best farms within 1/2 mile of one of the best towns in Northern Ill., fine imp., good land, long term, low rate of int. D. P. Quinlan, Woodstock, Ill. 51-4f\*

**FOR SALE**—Eight residence properties, at anywhere from \$600.00 to \$6,000.00, according to location and improvements. Some of these ought to fit and suit you if you want any. 35-1f D. S. Brown.

**FOR SALE**—Several local farms, all sizes and all prices. Can give possession most of them first of March. P. P. Renn, Genoa, Ill. 43-1f

**Wanted**

**HELP WANTED**—At Genoa. I am dry.

**HAY**—I am in position to buy hay and bale by the ton. L. W. Wyde, Genoa, Ill. 23-1f

**INSURANCE**—Call on C. A. Brown Genoa, Ill., for insurance. Any kind. Anywhere.

Also have 3-room house, with barn for sale at \$600; one 2-story house at \$1200; one 2-story house with barn for \$1600; one house with acre of land and garage, \$5000.

**RENDERING**—The Genoa rendering plant having changed hands, we will give the best of service. Wyde & Whipple, Phone 68 or 1722. 7-1f

**WANTED**—A base burner in good condition. Mrs. Belle Holroyd, Genoa, Illinois.

Use the want ad column. It pays.

**"COME ON IN"**

You wouldn't think a stenographer could catch a roomfull of German spies, would you? But that's what Shirley Mason aims at doing in this picture, though there are some pretty close calls before the thing is put over.

By herself she would have balled up the whole thing, but there's a little sawed-off runt of an Eddie Short, (played by Ernest Truex) who does some fine "persuading" with a six-shooter. Gee, those spies do quake! Grand, Saturday night.

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**SATISFACTION**—Munsingwear is a sign of sure satisfaction in underwear. The name stands for quality, service, perfection of fit, comfort, washability—in fact all the things you expect of good underclothing and none of the disappointments.

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**ECONOMY**—Considering the unusual serviceability and reasonable first cost, Munsingwear is the most economical undergarment you can buy.

**SERVICE**—All things considered, perfection of fit, finish, fabric, washability, durability, serviceability. Munsingwear Union Suits are in truth "super-service" in underwear.

**SATISFACTION**—In Munsingwear underwear you get fine quality, perfection of fit, finish, fabric. Now add to these sterling qualities the Munsingwear habit of washing, outwearing, outlasting expectations and you have the reason why Munsingwear gives such all round satisfaction.

**POPULARITY**—Munsingwear is a household saying of the Nation. Millions of discriminating women and children prefer, wear and ask for Munsingwear.

**DEPENDABILITY**—Munsingwear quality is unvarying. Even in view of uncertain manufacturing conditions and fluctuating raw material markets, the quality of each and every Munsingwear garment is fully maintained. The makers insist upon quality. This means much these days of rising costs when you want undergarments of dependability and serviceability.

**SATISFACTION**—No matter the size of your person or purse you can be Union Sued in Munsingwear with a season full of comfort, service, all round satisfaction. The satisfaction that lasts. Try a suit and see!

**CLEANLINESS**—Munsingwear is clean, sanitary and fit to wear next the skin. It is made under ideal working conditions and by workers whose reputation backs up every garment that leaves the factory. It is quality-wear, first, last and all the time. Quality means service. Service means true economy any way you figure it.

**FIT**—Munsingwear is made nature's way. It follows the form snugly yet permitting freedom of action without loss of fit. The garments are soft, pliable to the touch and do not irritate the skin. Munsingwear is non-irritating.

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### KINGSTON NEWS

D. G. Ottman of Belvidere visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Daisy Ball was home from Elgin Sunday.

Mrs. B. F. Uplinger spent one day last week in Rockford.

Mrs. Robert Helsdon and daughter, Marjorie Beth, of Chicago are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Nina Moore.

Miss Alice Branch spent a couple of days last week with her aunt, Miss Esther Branch in DeKalb.

Miss Florence Baars enjoyed Sunday in Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford and son, Clyde, of Sycamore visited with relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. John Uplinger and daughter, Eleanor, and Mrs. Ida Moore were Rockford passengers Friday.

Frank Wilson spent Sunday and Monday with his brother at Whiting, Ind.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Burton entertained the latter's brother, Roy Brown and wife of Rockford Sunday.

Miss Bessie Baars is visiting in Cortland with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Gilbert and Robert Helsdon spent the week end with relatives here. Their home is in Belvidere.

Miss Anna Peters who teaches school at Stillman Valley visited the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ort were Sunday guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. George Helsdon in Belvidere.

Miss Esther Branch of DeKalb visited last Thursday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. H. F. Branch.

Miss Valda Baars was home from Belvidere Sunday.

Glenn and Harry Bell visited at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford of Sycamore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Worden and son, Howard, of DeKalb were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Worden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Knappenberger.

There will be a ball game in Kirkland next Saturday, Oct. 18, between the Kingston Tigers and Kirkland. This will, no doubt, be the last game of this season.

Dr. and Mrs. Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Schuyler and daughter and Mrs. R. A. Smith and son, Richard, of DeKalb were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Smith Sunday.

Addison Crowell and Maurice Royer of DeKalb visited the latter part of last week with the former's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. White E. E. Bradford and J. W. O'Brien of Sycamore attended the Masonic meeting here Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell and Misses Marion Marshall and Vivian Haller, the latter of Kirkland, motored to Rockford Thursday.

An Introductory Musical program of Oriental and foreign times, on the Violin, Cornet and Harmonica followed by a Stereopticon lecture on the Philippine Islands by Rev. Chas. J. Bernhart of Manila, Thursday evening, Oct. 23 at the M. E. Church at 5 o'clock. Admission adults, 25c

**Master's Sale of 250 Acre Farm**  
The 250-acre farm owned by the heirs of the late Bert H. Faltz, located 4 1/2 miles south and 3/4 mile west of Woodstock and occupied by Chas. L. Hill, will be sold at public auction at the court house at Woodstock, Ill. at 1:30 p. m. Saturday, October 25. Easy terms can be arranged on the day of the sale. Possession March 1, 1920.

**QUEER CAUSES OF SNEEZING**  
Hard to Explain Why Simple Things Have Such a Peculiar Effect on Some Persons.

Some people sneeze for curious reasons. There is a clergyman who can never cross the road on a very hot day without carrying an umbrella. If he does, he is immediately taken with a violent fit of sneezing. Another man is similarly affected by exposure to bright gas light.

Clergymen seem to be particularly sensitive in this direction. Another wearer of the cloth used to sneeze whenever he came near to a dead hare. A similar case is that of a young man who could never go near a horse without sneezing.

Peculiar odors have been known to cause sneezing. A druggist's wife always sneezed when ipecacuanha was being used in the shop, and another person always found sneezing necessary whenever he entered a room where there were violets. And there is an account of a well-known physician who was fond of chocolates, but could never eat one without suffering spasms of sneezing.

Perhaps the most remarkable case is that of a man who, whenever he sees a picture of a hayfield, immediately proceeds to sneeze his head nearly off.—London Tit-Bits.

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# AUCTION

AT

## GENOA, ILL.

The undersigned will sell at public auction at the B. & G. GARAGE, the property described below, beginning at ten o'clock a. m.

### Saturday, Oct. 18

980 lbs. Flat Iron  
467 lbs. Band Iron  
528 lbs. Rough Round Iron  
791 lbs. Cold Roll Shafting  
47 lbs. Cold Roll Shafting  
20 lbs. Tool Steel  
202 lbs. Key Stock Iron  
206 lbs. Angle Iron  
244 lbs. Sheet Steel  
About 2200 lbs. of Pipe and Steam Fittings.

15 doz. Sickle Sections  
11 Sickle Heads  
4 Pipe Die Stocks  
Complete set of die Tools and Tinner's Tools  
1 Michigan Hot Water Furnace, and four Radiators  
50 Stop and Waste Fittings, Sink Fittings, Radiators, Valves, Floor Caps and various other Plumbing Material, including a quantity of Water Pipe and Conduit Pipe.  
1 Disk Sharpener  
1 Stardemak-A-Tractor Ford Attachment.

About 700 lbs. Bolts, Nuts, Screws  
14 1/2 in. x 7 ft. Lathe Boring Bar  
One 3 ft. 2 in. Boring Bar  
One 4 ft. 3 1/2 in. Boring Bar  
Six Lathe Dogs and other small lathe Tools

## Timber Land, Posts Cord Wood

The property described below will be sold in the afternoon on the premises one mile south of Genoa, beginning at one o'clock.

122 Cords of Oak Wood  
3077 6 1/2 and 7 ft. Oak Fence Posts  
Wood and Posts cut last winter, on ten acres one mile south of Genoa. Will be sold in quantities to suit bidders.

Also will sell to highest bidder the S. E. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 31, Twp. 42 N., Range 5 East of the 3rd P. M., Genoa Township, DeKalb County, containing about 10 acres and located one mile south of Genoa.

**TERMS: CASH**

**S. ABRAHAM**  
AUCTIONEER

**J. L. McLAURY**

### New Lebanon

Mr. and Mrs. John Japp and daughter, Hazel, August Japp and wife and Mr. and Mrs. John Botcher left for a visit with relatives in Brownsville, Minn.

Arthur Hartman left for Chicago Tuesday on business and will attend a Masonic meeting.

H. Keonor entertained about fifty relatives Sunday from Dundee, Hampshire, Genoa and vicinity.

Mrs. C. Kachele of Hampshire is assisting in the care of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Japp. The child is improving slowly.

Mabel Johnson of Chicago was a guest of her mother, Mrs. G. Johnson the latter part of the week.

Francis Finley spent Tuesday at the home of J. Garrity in Chicago. John Evans bought 130 acres of land in Kentucky.

Wilma Evans had her tonsils and adenoids removed at the DeKalb Hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Edward Finley visited over the week end with her daughter, Dorothy, who is attending school at Our Lady of Angels, Academy in Clinton, Iowa.

Dick Galanor left Tuesday for Rochester, Minn. to consult the Mayo brothers, returning home Saturday.

Rae Crawford and family were Sunday guests at the Harry Holmes home in Genoa.

Lem Gray and family, and Mrs. and

Mr. Edgar Gray motored to DeKalb Sunday.

Lon Dagg was an Elgin passenger Tuesday.

Emma Drendel spent Tuesday evening at Chas. Coon's.

Wm. Drendell and family and Miss Schiser of Hampshire spent Sunday with relatives in Naperville.

Chas. Coon and family called on Lenord Ewing in Marengo Sunday.

G. W. Suhr and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pozel left for their home in Greshen, Nebraska, Tuesday. Lena Keonor returning with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hartman are the proud grandparents of a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Printup of Oak Park.

Arthur Hartman and family motored to Aurora Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coon and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hartman called at Art Hackman's Wednesday evening.

### Butterbean is Meal.

A meal for a whole family from one bean is possible now in California. The bean is called the Guinea butterbean, and one offered in the Los Angeles market was almost three feet long and nine inches in circumference. It is said to be excellent eating, similar to the eggplant.

### To Renovate.

Before you renovate the furniture remove all dirt and the old varnish. This is quickly accomplished by using a warm solution of soda and water.

### AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, the undersigned will sell at public auction on the Will Reed farm, 2 1/2 miles north of New Lebanon, and 7 miles north-east of Genoa, on

Thursday, Oct. 23

commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described property:

19 cows, new milkers and springers; 13 head young stock, 2-year-old bull; 9 head horses; 60 head of hogs, weighing from 100 to 175 pounds; a full line of farm machinery, all in good condition.

Terms: 12 months at 7 per cent. Mrs. Godfrey Johnson Frank Miller, Auctioneer.

Exchange.

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