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CONNECTED TO MAY, 1, 1901.

C. M. & ST. P. R. R.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

No.	LVE. GENOA	ARR. CHICAGO
No. 3	6:07 a.m.	7:45 a.m.
No. 21	7:39 a.m.	10:09 a.m.
No. 22	8:53 a.m.	10:25 a.m.
No. 6	1:58 p.m.	4:45 p.m.
No. 21	3:54 p.m.	6:55 p.m.
No. 2	9:10 p.m.	10:58 p.m.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

No.	LVE. CHICAGO	ARR. GENOA
No. 31	8:29 a.m.	10:28 a.m.
No. 5	9:00 p.m.	8:39 p.m.
No. 33	2:05 p.m.	5:13 p.m.
No. 23	4:00 p.m.	6:23 p.m.
No. 7	5:15 p.m.	6:40 p.m.
No. 3	10:25 p.m.	11:58 p.m.

J. M. HARVEY, Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

No.	LVE. GENOA	ARR. CHICAGO
No. 2	7:42 p.m.	9:30 p.m.
No. 36	7:17 a.m.	10:05 a.m.
No. 34	11:10 a.m.	12:25 p.m.
No. 6	4:40 a.m.	7:00 a.m.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

No.	LVE. CHICAGO	ARR. GENOA
No. 35	9:30 p.m.	4:53 p.m.
No. 31	3:45 p.m.	5:17 p.m.
No. 3	8:30 a.m.	10:12 a.m.

S. R. CRAWFORD, Agent.

C. Gt-W. R. R.

March 3, 1901.

Trains Leave SYCAMORE as follows.
WEST BOUND.

Express for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and Kansas City	10:27 a.m.
Night Express for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and Kansas City	12:20 a.m.
Hyron Local	5:49 p.m.
Limited for Dubuque, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines, St. Joseph and Kansas City	8:06 p.m.

EAST BOUND.

Chicago Suburban	6:00 a.m.
Suburban	7:50 a.m.
Limited	7:40 a.m.
Local	8:00 a.m.
Special	12:15 p.m.
Express	7:45 p.m.

SYCAMORE-DEKALB.

Leave Sycamore	Arrive DeKalb	Leave DeKalb	Arrive Sycamore
6:30 a.m.	4:40 a.m.	5:50 a.m.	6:00 a.m.
10:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	7:35 a.m.	7:49 a.m.
12:15 p.m.	12:25 p.m.	8:55 a.m.	8:55 a.m.
2:45 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	11:55 a.m.	12:05 p.m.
*7:15 p.m.	*7:25 p.m.	8:50 p.m.	4:50 p.m.
8:15 p.m.	8:35 p.m.	7:50 p.m.	7:40 p.m.

*Daily except Sunday. All others daily.

W. V. HOWARD, Agent.

C. & N. W. at Henrietta.

Trains North	All Trains	Trains South
9:07 a.m.	daily except	8:30 a.m.
2:45 p.m.	Sunday.	10:51 a.m.
7:30 p.m.		6:22 p.m.

Cottage For Sale.

We offer for sale, for cash or on time, a new, neat and pleasantly located cottage of modern design. Nice lot, good well, cistern and cellar. Alley on two sides. \$1300. Inquire JOURNAL office.

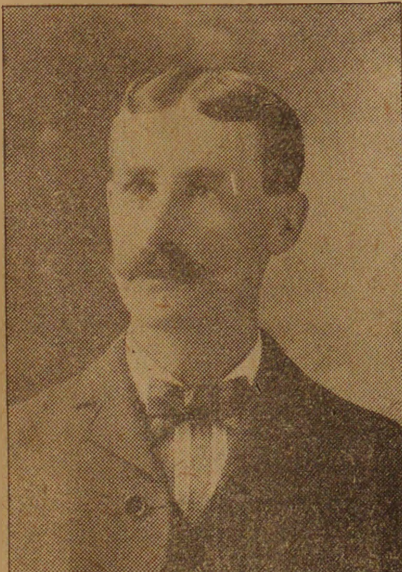
For Rent.

A good store room, suitable for a tailor-shop or clothing store. Inquire JOURNAL.

OKLAHOMA.

I have at my office the Governor's report of Oklahoma to the Secretary of the Interior. This report gives full crop statistics, yield per acre, etc. Call at my office and examine it. On November 5th I can give you cheap rates to Guthrie, the capital of Oklahoma. For further particulars see or write me. I also have description and photographs of many farms. J. E. Stott, Genoa.

WM BELL.
Auctioneer



For Terms, Dates and Arrangement for Bills address him at Kingston, Ill., or leave orders at the Journal Office.

Local Pick Ups.

Clara Morris.

Friday evening Nov. 15.

See our extra club offer.

—K. B.'s, Monogram 10c cigar. 26

D. S. Brown and son were in DeKalb last Sunday.

Miss Emma Lembeke was in Chicago, last Monday.

Fred Malana was transacting business in Elgin Monday.

Charles Saul is out from Chicago, on a two week's vacation.

Al. Yelden was doing business in Belvidere last Monday.

Whips—Good whips and buggy whips for sale at Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shippee were Sycamore visitors last Saturday.

Gus Wilson of DeKalb, was doing business in our town last Saturday.

—Sweet orange and apple cider. Fresh and a delicious drink. at A. Pickett's.

G. E. Singer and wife were county seat visitors with relatives last Sunday.

Messrs E. H. Richardson and J. Riley were Marengo visitors last Friday.

—E. H. Browne will wait upon you, but won't keep you waiting. Fried cakes he sells.

Ralph Hollebeak and wife of Elgin, were visiting relatives here, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Hammond, of Marengo was a guest with Mrs. Mary Burroughs over Sunday.

Mrs. H. A. Kellogg returned last Saturday after a week's visit with Chicago people.

Messrs H. A. Perkins and A. Abbott were over to Belvidere Sunday returning Monday.

Charles Hood and wife returned from Kirkland, last Saturday after a week's sojourn there.

—To close out a few butts of Navy tobacco I will make cut rate of 30 cents per pound. A. Pickett.

Thos. Frazier has moved from the Sturges farm to Genoa, occupying the Carlson house in the Citizens Addition.

—Cohoon & Stanley sell 'Star Endgates' that will fit any wagon box made and is surely the best on the market today.

—If you need a riding or walking plow, shoveling board, oil or anything in farm machinery call at K. Jackman & Son's, if.

—E. H. Brown is contemplating employing a physician to set broken bones that result from the rush for his fried cakes.

—Cohoon & Stanley have just received the finest display of horseless carriages that we have had the pleasure of looking at in the city. You should look them over.

Mr. Millege, of Sycamore, was in our city Monday. He has bought a lot of the hard lumber that was sawed by Mr. Tischouiser in the woods south of town last summer.

At the Journal office you can see an assortment of sample copies of one hundred of the best magazines and family, and farm papers that is published in the United States. Come in and see them. Subscriptions taken at low rates.

S. H. Stiles was unfortunate, last Monday while handling a wheelbarrow. It was loaded with dirt and in pushing it along he slipped and fell forward on the box, striking the bridge of his nose and breaking it. It was an unfortunate slip and will cause considerable pain to Mr. Stiles.

It was an unusual sight, up Main street, last Sunday to see the clouds of dust, whirling and twirling about in perfect clouds. It has been a whole week since the sprinkler had finished its summer work and been housed until another year. We certainly have enjoyed our village this summer as never before and all on account of having our streets so thoroughly wet down, a drinking fountain for man and beast supplied with the best water in the state, and the refreshing baths given to many lawns. This season has only been a starter for our water works system and another season there will be a big increase in the number of water consumers.

Esmerelda.

Tomorrow night.

Woodmen Hall tomorrow night.

—Smoke the American Perfecto. 26

Mrs. J. E. Bowers spent Saturday in Sycamore.

Mrs. Sarah Chapman was visiting in town last Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Collier of Kingston, was in Genoa, last Saturday.

—The American Perfecto is a cigar of quality and not of quantity. 23

—Have you seen that enormous cigar at Pickett's. It's a whopper.

Farmers were bringing hogs to town in great numbers yesterday.

Regular meeting, Genoa camp M. W. of A. 163 to night. Degree work.

Irvin Burroughs, and R. H. Lord, were Sycamore callers last Sunday.

A. B. Clifford has been here from Chicago several days this week.

E. H. Cohoon and wife, are visiting with Iowa relatives for a week or two.

Mrs. Watson, of Belvidere, was a guest of Mrs. S. H. Stiles yesterday.

Messames Wisler and Finch, of Chicago, were guests of Mr. Adler yesterday.

"Farmer's Call" and the Genoa JOURNAL" from now until 1903 for only \$1.25.

Eggs are worth money now. Twenty cents per dozen at this time of the year is rather good.

The Eastern Star initiated candidates and served supper at their hall last Friday evening.

Cohoon & Stanley have just received two car loads of fine nut coal. Leave your orders quick.

Grandma Dralle was a passenger to Chicago last Saturday morning where she will visit for a while.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. William Heed Saturday November 16, at 2.30.

Mrs. A. U. Schneider is out from Chicago, spending the week with her parents. Alderman and Mrs. Lou. Holroyd.

—Diamond C and Lucky Leaf cigars are perfect smokers. Always the same excellence. Sold by Alva Pickett. Try one.

In Circuit court last week, Mrs. Bessie Mack, was granted a divorce from John Mack on the ground of cruelty and neglect.

Elder Hewitt is the father of James and Ash Hewitt of this city, and in an early day was a preacher all through this section of country.

—Farmers are invited to call at our office and see the gasoline pumping engine at work. It will please you, runs all the time. Cohoon & Stanley.

Miss Lizzie Platt of Chicago, who has been visiting the Drakes and others, in this vicinity the past few weeks, returned home last Saturday.

Arrangements have been made at Belvidere for a two weeks revival services at that place by Rev. "Billie" Sunday, who will be accompanied by his assistant, Mr. Fisher.

The body of Professor Charles A. Bacon who died at Beloit this week, will be taken to Chicago for cremation next Saturday, in compliance with his request before death.

Clark Strong received from Chicago Stock Yards, last Friday a splendid car load of yearling steers. That there is money in feeding that kind of stock one can doubt and a number of others are engaged in the same feeding.

Fred Reynolds, an old gentleman of Hinckley, was last week placed under three hundred dollars bonds to keep the peace. He used a rifle in persuading an employe of the DeKalb County Telephone Company to refrain from repairing the lines.

In their trial run from Chicago to Omaha the C. B. & Q. R. R. have recorded a fast run between Monmouth, Ill. and Burlington, Iowa, a distance of twenty seven miles, in twenty five minutes, and between Monmouth and Kirkwood, a distance of eight miles in four minutes.

The "Kirkland Dramatic Club" will present to the people of our city next Friday evening in Woodmen Hall the high class drama "Esmerelda" and we bespeak for them a goodly attendance. They come to us well recommended by people who are good critics and therefore we need feel no fear of not enjoying their presence.

Reserved seats at Lane's

Reserved seat tickets for "Esmerelda on sale at Lane's Jewelry store.

Mrs. Fred Naker, of Charter Grove, was here last Monday doing some trading.

Moy Sam is reading books on phrenology, these long evenings when he is by himself.

Will Burroughs has been somewhat indisposed the past week, but is reported better.

A mix up of trains at Western Avenue Chicago, last Monday evening, was the cause of the 6:50 train being an hour and half late.

Miss Ceba Burzell was a passenger to Chicago Tuesday morning, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Burch, or about three weeks.

Nervousness, annoyance, anxiety on the part of the host or hostess during the serving of a dinner, are deadly foes of enjoyment.—What to Eat.

Mrs. Warno and Warno, (husband and wife) who gave several addresses on the subject of Spiritualism at Odd Fellow's hall Sunday, was conceded, by all who heard them, to be splendid talkers and having their subjects well in hand.

Dr J. R. Stott and wife arrived here from Kittanning Pennsylvania, last Monday evening. They expect to remain here until towards spring. In talking with the Doctor he says he has liked his work very much since he went east last spring but the climate was decidedly bad; there being a great many cases of typhoid fever in and around the valley where he was.

Last Saturday evening, and three times on Sunday did the Spiritualistic belief hold meetings in Odd Fellow's hall. Dr. Geo. B. Warno, state president and his wife Mrs. Warno, and Miss Johnson, state secretary of the Spiritualist Association, were present and were well received. A goodly number of adherents were here from Kingston Belvidere, Rookford and other places.

In Chicago, last Tuesday Judge Hensley held that A. M. Lawrence, managing editor, and H. S. Canfield, a reporter on the Chicago American's staff were committed to jail on the charge of contempt of court, for publishing cartoons and articles in that paper which was decidedly of an antagonistic nature growing out of certain decision given by Hensley in gas trust cases. Before the men were locked up, however, a habeas corpus was secured in Judge Dunne's court and the two men were given a short respite from Hensley.

Rev. Hester Smiles.

What makes him? Why, the arrival of a baby boy at the Parsonage last Tuesday morning. The Journal office printed some handsome "Birth Announcements" telling of the arrival of Phillip Kenneth Hester, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evert K. D. Hester, November 12, 1901.

Elgin Butter Market.

The official market on the board last Monday was firm at twenty three cents.

W.C.T.U., Notes.

The terrible evil of the saloon is illustrated in the statement of the owner of a costly and attractive building formerly used as a saloon in New York city, but who has gone out of the dreadful business. "I have sold liquor," said Mr. Blank, "for eleven years—long enough for me to see the beginning and end of its effects. I have seen a man take his first glass of liquor in my place, and afterward fill the place of a suicide. I have seen man after man, wealthy and educated, come into my saloon who cannot now buy his dinner. I can recall twenty customers worth from \$100.00 to \$500.000 who are now without money, place or friends."—New York Advocate.

THE DEVIL WONDERS.

When Kirkland expects another raid by the "English Orphans?"

How soon Allie Smith will commence a professional career in the big city.

If John Downing has found out who "Charley" is, yet?

A Word About Buckwheat.

I have just received a car load of Pennsylvania buckwheat flour direct from the mill. Flour from that state needs no praise as it is known the world over as "the best." Delivered in quantities of 10 lbs. to 500 lbs. to any part of the city.

Have also just put in a car load of potatoes, fine cookers, and large. Better leave your order soon as they are going fast.

Best assortment of fruits, vegetables, and groceries in town.

Everything fresh.

Frank W. Oimsted.

Poland China Hogs.



I have for sale some very fine Poland China Boars out of such sires as (Roy Wilks Best) whose sire was never beaten in the show ring. Also the thousand dollar hog (1 Am No. 2.)

Dams are granddaughters of (Guy Wilks 2nd.), another thousand dollar hog. (W. B. Tecumseh), (U. S. Tecumseh) etc., breeding is second to none.

My hogs talk for themselves, come and see them. I will price them right. Also high scoring Plymouth Rocks for sale at one dollar each.

J. R. Furr.

As Good as When New

is what they say of their wagons and tools that are brought to me for repairs. I do all kinds of work at my shop usually done in a first class wagon and blacksmith shop except horse shoeing.

Have a reliable wagon maker at the bench and always ready to repair your tools, machinery and wagons. If you have it done "right" in the first place it will be the cheapest for you. At the "Old Stand" on Genoa street just north of Cohoon & Stanley.

James A. Risdon.

IF

You need a riding or walking plow, shoveling board, oil or anything in farm machinery call at **K. Jackman & Son's.**

I do Errands.

Having purchased the Genoa-Sycamore Bus line I wish to inform my friends that I shall be pleased to wait upon you whenever you need my services. Bus leaves Genoa at 9 o'clock a. m., returning leaves Sycamore 4 o'clock p. m.

Chas. Geithman.

E. H. Lane, arrived home from Kansas City, last Saturday evening where he had been visiting with his family the past week.

J. E. Barthoff and wife, of Burlington, Wisconsin, are a week's guests with F. H. Jackman and wife.

Mrs. Lizzie Martin who is at her sister's. Mrs. Ash Hewitt's sick is reported in a very precarious condition.

Bert Millard and wife are preparing to move to Davis Junction this week where Bert has engaged to work for the C. M. & St. Paul Co.

Shun Delays

Shun delays, they breed remorse;
Take thy time, while time is lent thee:
Creeping snails have weakest force—
Fly their faults, lest thou repent thee.
Good is best when soonest wrought,
Luring labors come to naught.

Hoist thy sail while gale doth last
Tide and wind stay no man's pleasure.
Seek not time, when time is past:
Sober speed is wisdom's leisure.
After-wits are dearly bought,
Let the fore-wit guide thy thought.

Time wears all his locks before,
Take them hold upon his forehead:
When he dies he turns no more,
And behind his scalp is naked.
Works adjourned have many stays,
Long demurs bring new delays.

Seek thy salve while young the wound,
Older sores ask deeper fanning:
After cures are seldom found,
Often sought, scarce ever chancing
In the rising, subtle ill,
Lest it grow against thy will.

Do not pierce the stubborn flint,
Not by force, but often falling;
Custom kills with feeble dint,
More by use than strength prevailing.
Single sands have little weight,
Many make a drowning freight.

—Robert Southwell.

His Little Wretch.

BY IRENE D. CRAIGEN.

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The sun shone fiercely down in the factory yard and upon Mr. William Cole, foreman, seated upon a pile of lumber and muttering imprecations as he dug his heel savagely in the hot sand.

"If I ever get back to civilization, confound it, I'll stay there!" he was declaring under his breath. "It's just as the poet fellow says, 'Better fifty years of What's-his-name than a cycle of Carthage.'"

"Who's you talkin' to, Mister?" piped a small voice.

Mr. Billy started and looked up, to find himself confronted by an atom. It was a feminine atom, dressed in a torn pink frock, with a shock of mud-colored hair and the bluest eyes that ever looked out of a dirty face. The atom dragged after it a wagon made of pasteboard, mounted on empty spools, in which reclined with what grace it might a doll formed from a stick of kindling wood wrapped in a bit of calico.

"Hullo! you little wretch—where'd you spring from?" asked Mr. Billy.

"Over there," responded the atom, nodding vaguely in the direction of a line of hovels, half a mile away. "I play here 'cos we ain't got no yard and it's hot in the road. That's my house you's setting' on now."

"Oh! it is, is it?" responded Mr. Billy, gravely. "Well, now, see here, I'm not going to have you coming here, where cars are backing in all the time. You'll be killed if you do. Not that you wouldn't be better off in Heaven; but I don't care to have your death on my soul and mind. Now, here's a small fraction of United States currency. Take it and trot along home, and remember that if you spend it judiciously you may some day be as rich as Rockefeller. Don't lose sight of the fact that I'm vested in the panoply of power here. So git!"

The child held out her hand for the penny, and eyed Mr. Billy wistfully. "I don't want no home," she said; "she whips me."

"Does, hey?" said the big man, with amiable sternness. "Well, perhaps you need it. Tell you what I'll do, though. If you'll promise solemnly, honest Injun, to stay away from the tracks, you may bring your doll duds over here. Promise?"

The child nodded.

"All right; fire away, then. If your face were cleaner, I would give you a



"Who's you talkin' to, mister?"

chaste kiss on the cheek just for luck; but, under the circumstances, I think I will forbear."

Then Mr. Billy went whistling away to his work, and the atom made a palace of the lumber pile, and seated Rosabella in state in the drawing-room, while she prepared an imaginary dinner in an imaginary kitchen under some projecting boards. The next day when the youngster appeared Mr. Billy greeted her cheerfully with:

"Well, you little wretch, how are you?"

"Use well," responded the infant. And, as he drew nearer, the foreman discovered, from the smeary condition of her countenance, that some effort had been made to render it clean.

"Been washing your face. I see," he commented.

"Is yer goin' to kiss me now?" the child demanded.

"Think I shall. Here's a corner that's comparatively spotless, and upon it I press my lips thus—partly as a reward of merit for your praiseworthy efforts and partly because you have the



biggest violet eyes in twenty states."

The atom smiled graciously at the compliment, and as often as she saw Mr. Billy in the days that followed she'd wave a stately hand at him, and he would respond with a "How's my little wretch?" in a big voice that rang through the yards.

One day Mr. Billy was at home with an attack of what he called, for want of a better name, "the durrdest fever a fellow ever had," when his small protegee came to harm. She had a skipping rope in her hand and was wandering near the forbidden tracks when a freight car of lumber backed into the yard. The end of the rope was caught by the wheels, and as the little one tugged to repossess herself of it her foot slipped under the car and was cruelly mangled. She whimpered for a moment, but the little wretch had been brought up in a stern school, where sympathy was unknown, and directly she lay quiet until one of the men passed near where she was. Then she lifted her voice in a piteous cry.

"Here's the little wretch," she said. "Use awfully hurted. Please come and get me."

They carried her to the hospital and summoned her mother, and after the surgeons had removed the crushed member and made the patient as comfortable as possible she began to get feverish.

"Where is the big man?" she asked, plaintively. "Why doesn't he come to see his little wretch?"

"I'm here, Martha," said her mother, her surly face for once softening. "Won't I do?"

"No," said the atom, her head tossing on the pillow. "I want my big man! He loves me. He kissed me once, and he gave me this yesterday. I'm his little wretch. Oh! why doesn't he come to me?"

"This" was a penny, the last of a series of such gifts, which had been tightly clasped in the small hand every minute, except when the surgeons were operating.

"Who is this man?" asked the sweet-faced nurse. "If we could find him, her last moments would be easier. Nothing can save her life, but she would be happy if he were by when she passes out."

"I don't know no man!" said the woman, roughly. "She's out of her mind."

"Johnny knows my man," went on the little voice; "he'll go for him. Tell

him his little wretch is hurted, and he'll come."

But before Johnny could be found the shadows had lengthened in the ward, and the murmur had grown so weak that the "Oh! why doesn't the big man come to see his little wretch?" could hardly be distinguished. Then, as the sun went down, all was quiet again in the dormitory, and the nurse drew the sheet up over the still, white, beautiful face of the atom.

When Mr. Billy heard about it the next day his face paled, and his language was something fearful. "I'd have given my life and all the money I possess to have been with the kid!" he said, brokenly. And then he went over to the hotel and laid a rosebud in the hand that still held the penny.

LIME AND MALARIA.

Investigators Say That Former Partially Averts Latter.

A French scientist, Dr. Roche, thinks that he has discovered an interesting fact in regard to malaria. He declares that the addition of lime to the soil for purely agricultural purposes will reduce the amount of malaria in that vicinity. Another medical man, Dr. Grellet, echoes that opinion, and asserts that the diminution in malaria is proportional to the quality of lime used. Neither of these writers offers any explanation of the alleged discovery or shows why the lime should antagonize the malaria. The old notion that so-called malarial fevers resulted (as the name implies) from bad air, a miasm arising from the soil, and especially from wet places, is still entertained by a number of people. This is a theory which could be reconciled easily with the belief which Drs. Roche and Grellet now cherish. If both of these suppositions are correct no doubt the lime checks the development of the miasmatic vapor in wet soil. But it has recently been suspected that malaria is caused by a micro-organism which gets into the victim's blood, and not by a gas which is inhaled. It is also suspected that this microbe gets into the blood through the bite of an infected mosquito. Now, if this understanding of the case should prove to be right, then it would not be easy to see what lime has to do with suppressing malaria. Perhaps it kills mosquitoes and improves the sanitary conditions of a district in that manner. Or it is remotely possible that the disappearance of malaria which has been noticed in France is confined to a limited region, and is due to some other cause than the use of lime as a fertilizer. The two facts may have been simultaneous, but unrelated. At any rate, it will be desirable to know whether anything of the kind has been noticed in other places where malaria once prevailed and where lime has been employed by farmers. If so, there is doubtless something in the idea. Otherwise, the French cases would appear to be accidental and exceptional.

Cultivation of Coco.

The cultivation of coco, says a writer in the Scientific American, is at present an inviting agricultural pursuit in Trinidad and parts of Venezuela. The coco tree cannot withstand strong sunshine, and the young plants have to be shaded by banana or plain-tain trees, and later, when they attain their growth, by tall trees known as "immortals" or the "mother of the coco." These make a kind of canopy over the entire plantation. The fruit of the coco tree is a pod, resembling a cucumber and growing on the trunk, or large branches, where it "looks as though it were artificially attached." The seeds are like large, thick Lima beans embedded in pulp. These form the coco beans of commerce. The processes of curing and drying require much attention.

A Community of Rents.

Some people live in New York, others exist. It is written that a majority of our citizens never owned a home. They live in rented flats or houses all their lives, and do not know the meaning of possession. Many millionaires dwell in hired residences. Their homes are in other states, but they must be in Fifth Avenue during the social season, and they must keep house. Philadelphia has been spoken of as a "community of homes." New York is a community of rents. More than half of our people don't know what it is to pay taxes. Their obligations of citizenship are settled by the landlord, who takes everything out in the rent. We are becoming a characterless mob.—New York Press.

She Had Oculated.

"Did you ever kiss a man?" asked the Chicago girl. The Boston girl blushed. "Really, that is so vulgar, you know," she said. "Maybe it is, but did you?" persisted the Chicago girl. "I should ha'e to think it was a kiss," replied the Boston girl. "but since I have become engaged I have tried oculating."—Chicago Post.

Imports from London.

"You get all that is best in your system of government from England, you know," said the placid Londoner. And in a tone of slight irritation the New York man rejoined. "How about Richard Croker?"—Washington Star.

Largest of Books.

"Some day," muttered the foolkiller, "when I have more leisure than I have nowadays, I shall publish a book entitled 'Fools I have Met.'"

A Veteran of Balaklava.

William Humphrey, 77, a veteran of the Crimean war and one of the "Noble six hundred" of Balaklava, has just died at Santa Rosa, Cal.

As the World Revolves

THE PERILS OF BALLOONING.

The perilous journey of seven men and one woman in Professor Baldwin's air ship, near San Francisco the other day merely emphasizes what has already been demonstrated by M. Santos-Dumont in his experiment at Paris, and by other aeronauts, that man will never be able to successfully steer through the air in a balloon.

In that incomparable calm that rests upon the French capital in the autumn days Santos-Dumont was able to steer his dirigible balloon in a fixed circle upon several occasions, but it was noted that when he encountered atmospheric disturbances he lost control of his air ship to such an extent as to place his life in great peril and upon one or two occasions was rescued with much difficulty.

In the thrilling ride at San Francisco, in which the occupants of the balloon were swept over a distance of a hundred miles in less than two hours, a mile above the earth, the machine was completely at the mercy of the breeze. At one time they were swept out over the ocean, dipping at times so close to the surface of the water that all occupants expected to be drowned, and then rising to great altitudes, finally being carried back over the land by a breeze from the sea, dragged through the tops of a forest and dropped on a hillside near Pescadero.

The most powerful motor and steering mechanism that can be devised cannot resist the elements when attached to a balloon. It is not possible to propel a great bag of air against the upper currents or to control its course when opposed by the slightest breeze. The problem of navigating the air must be solved without balloons. How? With wings—if ever.

NURSE HELD FOR CRIME.

In the big, red jail at Barnstable, Mass., Jane Tappan sits all day in her cell, as calm and placid and ap-



JANE TAPPAN.

parently unmoved as if she were spending pleasure holidays at the quaint old town by the sea instead of being a prisoner accused of a crime so deep and black it has few parallels in history. The only thing that breaks the monotony is visits from her lawyer.

Cataumet, which was the scene of the crime of which Miss Tappan is accused, is one of the most picturesque little summer villages on the coast of Buzzard's Bay.

Talking of her the other day, one of her neighbors said:

Under a charge of murdering Mrs. Mary Gibbs by poisoning she was arrested at Amherst, N. H., and after appearing in the police court at Nashua, N. H., where she protested her innocence, she decided to return to Massachusetts without requisition papers.

Miss Tappan nursed four members of the Davis family at Cataumet, Mass., last summer, and all four died. Her arrest followed a report made by Prof. Wood, an analytical chemist, who examined the stomachs of two of the supposed victims, that he found traces of poison. The persons nursed by Miss Tappan whose illness proved fatal were Mr. and Mrs. Alden P. Davis, of Cataumet, and their daughters, Mrs. Henry Gordon of Chicago and Mrs. Gibbs of Cataumet. The formal charge against Miss Tappan is based on the last named case.

A WASHINGTON BELLE.

Miss Marcia MacLennan, well known in Washington society, has just returned to the capital from Honolulu, where she made a long visit to her brother, who is a banker there. Her mother is a member of the Jerome family and a cousin of Mrs. George Cornwallis-West, formerly Lady Randolph



Churchill, hence the resemblance between Miss Marcia and Lady Churchill is not natural. It is said that in looks she is almost the counterpart of Lady Randolph Churchill.

PERIL FROM FOREST FIRES.

Flames Within Half Mile of Town and Sweeping Nearer.

St. Louis, Mo.—Telegram—According to dispatches received here forest fires are raging in the vicinity of Red Bud and Alto Pass, Ill.; Popular Bluff, Mo., and Sedgwick, Ark. North of the first-named place, the woods along the Black creek and Richland creek bottoms are on fire, and the farmers are fighting hard to save their homes.

Farm property in the vicinity of Alto Pass, Ill., is in great danger from forest fires, which are raging in the timber west and south of here. Dense smoke envelops the whole territory. The townspeople turned out last night in response to the country people's call for help and are strenuously fighting the encroaching flames.

The fire is within half a mile of town and coming before a terrific gale. Much fencing and several young fruit orchards have already been destroyed. Forest fires have broken out south of Poplar Bluff, Mo. The sky is covered with dense volumes of smoke and great damage to property is feared. Hunters who have been driven in on account of the intense heat and smoke report deer, wolves and other game fleeing north to escape the fire.

A telegram from Sedgwick, Ark., stated that the plant of the Culver Lumber and Manufacturing Company was burning, with several thousand feet of lumber.

EDITORS GO TO JAIL.

Chicago Newspaper Men Incarcerated for Contempt in Gas Trust Cases.

Chicago telegram: Judge Hancy rendered judgment in the contempt of court case involving persons connected with Hearst's Chicago American and ordered Andrew M. Lawrence, managing editor, and H. S. Canfield, a reporter, committed to the county jail for terms of forty and thirty days, respectively. S. S. Carvalho, the financial manager of the Hearst publications in New York, San Francisco and Chicago, and John C. Hammond, assistant city editor of the Chicago American, were discharged on their plea that they were not responsible for the publication of the articles and cartoons holding up the court to contempt for its decision in the quo warranto proceedings brought against the Peoples Gas Light and Coke company by State's Attorney Deneen.

Owing to the fact that William R. Hearst, chief stockholder in the corporation known as Hearst's Chicago American, and cartoonist Homer Davenport and Clare A. Briggs were not found by the sheriff, the case against them remains before the court until such time as they are brought within its jurisdiction by attachment or voluntarily present themselves for sentence or discharge as the court may elect. The case against Hearst's Chicago American, a corporation, was taken under advisement.

Dollar Worth Forty-Five.

Colon, Colombia.—Telegram: Arrivals from the interior of Colombia bring the news that the exchange of paper money has advanced to the highest point yet reached. A United States dollar is actually worth \$45 in national currency in Bogota and \$48 in department money. Merchants of Barranquilla believe that the value of the paper money will depreciate further and are holding as little as possible. They are converting all the paper money they get into coffee and other merchandise.

Declines Financial Aid.

New York.—Telegram: When financial assistance was indirectly offered to General E. L. Molineux for the conduct of the second trial of his son, Roland E. Molineux, at a meeting of his comrades in the Veteran Association of the One Hundred and Fifty-ninth New York Volunteers last night in the Brooklyn Borough Hall, he responded that he appreciated the kindly feelings of his comrades but could not accept their material aid.

Will Ho at Oyster Bay.

New York.—Telegram: It is announced at Oyster Bay, L. I., that President Roosevelt and family will occupy their country villa on Sagamore Hill at Oyster Bay next summer. The house is being renovated and improved, and President Roosevelt, while on his flying trip to Oyster Bay to vote, inspected the improvements. To some of his former friends the President said they would see more of him next summer.

Big Mining Suit on Agate.

Council Bluffs telegram: The trial of the Doyle-Burns mining suit, involving title to mining property in Colorado worth \$1,000,000, has been begun again before Judge Macey in the District Court. United States Senator Patterson, leading counsel for Burns; C. J. Hughes, Jr., Scott Ashton and ex-Gov. Thomas, with several other Colorado attorneys and fifty witnesses, arrived early in the day.

Irish Ground for Apology.

Dublin.—Telegram: At a meeting of the committee of the Ballymore (County Sligo) branch of the United Irish League letters of apology from persons who had been seen speaking to a car driver who drove for the police and worked for unpopular persons were read. Two other persons apologized verbally for similar offenses.

Iowa Dairymen in Session.

Dubuque, Iowa.—Telegram—The annual convention of the Iowa State Dairymen's Association opened with about 400 delegates in attendance. On Wednesday and Thursday there will be fully twice that many. This meeting takes the place of the national convention, and in view of that fact there are prominent creamery men here from the entire country.

Watch-Fobs for Women.

Fobs for the watch are in fashion again for women and they are worn tucked through the belt. All the old devices which the jeweler can invent are wrought out in these little fancies, every sort of fancy stone, as well as valuable gems, being used in the varied designs. While for riding there is a leather fob with a fancy monogram for ornament.

Look at the Labels!

Every package of cocoa or chocolate put out by Walter Baker & Co., bears the well-known trade-mark of the chocolate girl, and the place of manufacture, "Dorchester, Mass." Housekeepers are advised to examine their purchases, and make sure that other goods have not been substituted. They received three gold medals from the Pan-American exposition.

Would Remove Two Objections.

Bishop Phillips of Exeter once went to stay with a friend in Devonshire. "It's a beautiful place, is it not?" remarked somebody upon his return. "Yes," said the bishop, "it is a beautiful place; if it were mine, I would pull down the house and fill up the pond with it. That would remove two objections."

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AN OPEN LETTER

Address to Women by the Treasurer of the W. C. T. U. of Kansas City, Mrs. E. C. Smith.

"MY DEAR SISTERS:—I believe in advocating and upholding everything that will lift up and help women, and but little use appears all knowledge and learning if you have not the health to enjoy it.



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Mrs. Pinkham advises sick women free. Address, Lynn, Mass.

DAIRY AND POULTRY.

INTERESTING CHAPTERS FOR OUR RURAL READERS.

How Successful Farmers Operate This Department of the Farm—A Few Hints as to the Care of Live Stock and Poultry.

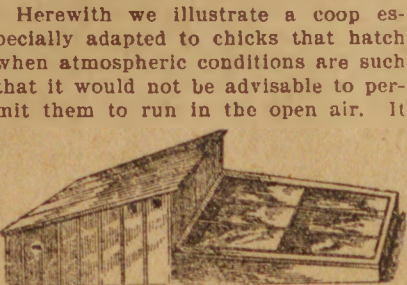
Lameness.
The detection of lameness in horses is often attended with so much difficulty that a few hints along this line must prove instructive to many who have not received the benefits of a veterinary education. In the first place a horseman should make himself perfectly familiar with the natural gait of horses in normal condition. He should know exactly how horses stand and walk under all circumstances and conditions and will then be the better able to discover departures from the normal. When a horse is known to be lame he should be examined after he has been rested in the stable. Watch him as he backs out of his stall. If he jerks one hind leg up a little one suspects "crampiness" (chorea). If on being made to "stand over" he jerks his leg the lameness is most likely to be due to spavin. If when standing still he "points" one forefoot the seat of the lameness is in the foot and he is afraid to put the heel to the ground. If he stands with the toe resting upon the ground and the ankle flexed forward the seat of the lameness is likely to be in the shoulder or elbow. As a rule, however, a horse suffering from deep-seated shoulder lameness does not stand in this position, but stands normally with foot square upon the ground. Having watched the horse before and just at time of removal from stall it is important to start him off at a trot at once as some forms of lameness disappear when the horse is walked for a short distance, and such lameness is not apparent when the animal is walking. Have the horse trotted away and back. It is difficult to tell whether the lameness is "fore" or "hind" unless this is done. When the lameness is in front and the animal is trotted away from the observer lameness may appear to be in a hind leg, which is not the case. If the lameness is in a hind fore leg, for instance, the off hind quarter rises and falls as he goes away. On trotting him towards the observer the reason for this will be found in the fact that the weight of the body is thrown upon the off fore leg, with a corresponding drop of the hind leg. This should be remembered in telling which fore limb is affected. The bob of the head and ear is towards the side opposite to the one which is sore and lame. Bob your head with the horse while he is trotting and it becomes an easy matter to decide which leg is the lame one. When the lameness is not in the foot we must look higher for it. A close examination should be made for causes of lameness above the foot. If the animal is under six years of age we may expect splints to cause the lameness if the history is that he gets lame when used for a time, but recovers when rested. Splints are found just under the knee on either side of the bone of the leg. The nearer the splint is to the knee the worse will the lameness be. If splints are not present then examine the tendons for thickening and "bowed" condition. If the lameness is in the shoulder and very severe the foot is apt to be trailed behind, with knee flexed, for the horse is unable to bring it forward without great effort and pain. If the shoulder is the seat of lameness and horse stands down even to trot him and the leg will be seen to roll outwards. Further, he is worse when trotted down hill and cannot lift the foot easily over an elevation. If the elbow is affected it drops when trotting and this is also a symptom of injury located underneath the shoulder blade, as where a horse has almost fallen, but very suddenly and "wrenchingly" recovers himself. The hind leg is "rolled" outward in hip lameness; dropped very markedly in atrophy of the muscles of the space between stifle and hip; held backwards in dislocation of the patella (knee pan); thrust forward when walking in ring bone lameness; held from the ground in severe pain at any point, but notably the ankle and hock joints, and nail pricks cause the animal to walk painfully upon the toe. In founder the fore feet are stuck out in front of the body and the hind ones thrust forward under the body. In sprain of the psoas muscles or muscles of the loins the hind legs are carried stiffly and the animal waddles from side to side or walks sidewise. Where lameness is due to rheumatism the animal lies down most of the time, and soreness and lameness are apt to change from joint to joint.—Farmers' Review.

Incubator Is to be set to work.
This means that his layers are to be provided for by hatching some chickens in the latter part of winter and pushing them along on stimulating feeds, so they will begin laying by the latter part of October. This can be done with a little forethought and good feeding methods.

It is interesting to note that the course in poultry keeping at the Rhode Island Agricultural College is to be continued this winter and that it appears to have become a settled part of the college work. It is a short course of six weeks and is open to all. Among the students are persons of quite mature age. The course this winter will open January 8 and continue till February 19. The topics to be considered are those of most interest to poultry raisers and include the following: Breeding of water fowls and turkeys; incubation and brooding; eggs and flesh production; canning; poultry diseases; poultry buildings; ventilation and heating. The work being done at this college can well be duplicated in our other agriculture colleges.

A new breed of hens is being imported from France called the Faverolles. They are described as good sized birds of the Houdan type, and are said to be strong rivals of that breed. They resemble in some ways the three breeds: Dorkings, Houdans, and Brahmans, and are said to have been produced by crossing those three breeds. Their eggs weigh about the same as do Plymouth Rock eggs and have the brownish tint denoting Asiatic blood. They are reputed to be large producers of eggs, but so are all new breeds. They have yet to stand the test and competition of American life.

Coop and Glass Covered Run.
Herewith we illustrate a coop especially adapted to chicks that hatch when atmospheric conditions are such that it would not be advisable to permit them to run in the open air. It is supposed to be large enough only to shelter a single brood. The glass adds so greatly to the heat in the run that the young chicks can use the run on quite cold days, and this usability increases as the chicks get older and cover themselves with feathers.



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Constitutional Vigor Needed.
At a meeting of dairymen on the exposition grounds at Buffalo, Mr. Gregg of Minnesota spoke on the points necessary in dairy cows and sires. He called attention to the necessity for strengthening the constitutional vigor of dairy animals, and warned against trying to develop the dairy capacities above the constitutional ones. Health, strength and dairy qualities should be looked after. We fancy that the judges of our dairy cattle will find these points hard to guard. The judge may form a correct opinion of the dairy qualities of an animal, but to determine the amount of vigor is a more difficult thing. The man that has charge of such an animal all the time for years may have a pretty clear conception of the truth, but the casual observer cannot have such. The history of the ancestors also are necessary to shed light on the health and vigor of their offspring. Thus new problems are arising for the judges to solve, and we believe the breeders of dairy cows will in the future demand that the questions be solved.

Habit a Factor in Stock Raising.
Habit is a considerable factor in regulating the stock supply of a country. There are certain sections of this country, notably in the South, where conditions are favorable for stock raising, but where the industry has never gained a foothold. The only reason discoverable is that the farmers in such sections have never formed the habit of stock raising. In a recent report to the Farmers' Review, a correspondent in Wisconsin said that in his country the farmers went into dairying when the price for horses fell, and when the price of horses again rose the dairying habit had become so firmly fixed that the farmers continued to give their attention to the production of milk rather than to the production of horses. This factor of habit is seldom taken into consideration when planning new enterprises in new localities. When the great depression came in the horse breeding business several years ago, multitudes of men gave up the production of horses for market and turned their attention to other lines of farming.

Poultry Briefs.
(From the Farmers' Review.)
The suggestion of a correspondent of the Farmers' Review that wire netting be put over all the windows in the poultry house is a good one. Two-inch mesh wire costs little, and a few cents' worth will cover any poultry house window. This not only saves the cost of a pane of glass now and then but it saves the wounds that are likely to result to the fowl that flies against the window and breaks it. Moreover a broken window is frequently left for so long a time before being mended that drafts on the fowls become possible, and these result in colds that open a way for the development of the roup germs.

A Chicken Without Feathers.
John L. Hubbell, who is engaged in raising chickens at Ansonia, Conn., has two freaks. One is a chicken that has two bills and but one eye, never having had the second eye; and the other bird is a chicken, now two months old, that is minus all feathers, never having had a sign of one on it. It does not care to mix with the other chickens to a great extent, for there are no feathers to protect him from their pecking. This they delight in doing, but he does not injure it in the least. There are no indications that he will ever be clothed.

KANSAS' ADVANCEMENT.
Progress in Manufacturing in the Past 10 Years.
A report showing the growth of the manufacturing industries of Kansas from 1890 to 1900 has been issued by the census bureau at Washington. It shows the total number of establishments in 1900 to have been 7,830, an increase of 75 per cent; total capital, \$66,827,363, a growth of 52 per cent; wage earners to the number of 35,000, an increase of 24 per cent, and the value of the product \$172,129,398, an increase of 56 per cent. Kansas City, Kan., has 492 manufactories, with a capital of nearly \$19,000,000, and an annual product valued at \$82,769,000. This is an increase of 87.3 per cent. Topeka has 399 factories, with a capital of \$3,891,530, and an output of \$10,000,000, an increase of 47.8 per cent. Wichita has 328 establishments, a growth of 127.8 per cent, capitalized at \$2,108,524, a decrease of 31.2 per cent, and a decrease of 6.0 per cent in the product, this in 1900 being \$4,724,068. Leavenworth has 220 factories, capitalized at \$3,207,111, putting out a product of \$4,721,373. This city was not reported separately in 1890.

AN HONEST NAME.
An Illinois Statesman Tells a Good Story—Knew His Father's Son Would Not Lie.
The Honorable Alva Merrill of Chillicothe, member for the Twenty-fourth District, State of Illinois House of Representatives tells an interesting story:
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"Merrill, what time do you get to Chillicothe?"
This attracted the attention of an old man who had been apparently awaiting some identification of Mr. Merrill and as soon as he heard the name he rushed up to his seat and extending his hand said:
"You are Alva Merrill and you saved my life. I was most dead with Lumbago and in an advertisement I saw your picture and your recommendation of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I knew your father, and I knew his son would not lie, and therefore I decided to try the Pills."

"I am satisfied that Dodd's Kidney Pills and nothing else have saved my life and I have been waiting this opportunity to thank you personally, for had I not seen your recommendation I might never have been led to use this remedy, but, thanks to God, through your honest name and the honest medicine which you so heartily recommended I am still alive."
"I have been watching you since you got on the train at Springfield and thought I recognized your face as the one I had seen in the advertisement, and as soon as this gentleman called you by name, I knew you were the man I had to thank."

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On the first and third Tuesdays of each month the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round-trip excursion tickets from Chicago, Milwaukee and other points on its line to a great many points in South Dakota, North Dakota and other western and Northwestern States at about one fare. Take a trip west and see the wonderful coasts and what an amount of good land can be purchased for a little money. Further information as to rates, routes, prices of farm lands, etc., may be obtained by addressing F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL THROUGH COACH SERVICE.

Dubuque to Minneapolis and St. Paul via Albert Lea and the M. & St. L.

Commencing October 15th, the Illinois Central railroad will run through first-class coaches between Dubuque, Minneapolis and St. Paul, via Albert Lea and the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad.

The northbound coach will leave Dubuque every morning except Sunday, on train No. 5, at 7:27 a. m., leaving Dyersville at 8:21 a. m., Manchester 8:53 a. m., Independence 9:34 a. m., Waterloo 10:30 a. m., Waverly 11:12 a. m., Charles City 12:15 p. m., Osage 12:56 p. m. and arrive at Minneapolis at 6:50 p. m. and St. Paul 7:30 p. m.

South bound the through coach leaves St. Paul every morning except Sunday, at 9:00 a. m. and Minneapolis at 9:32 a. m., arriving at Osage 3:03 p. m., Charles City 4:40 p. m., Waverly 5:35 p. m., Waterloo 6:25 p. m., Independence 7:43 p. m., Manchester 8:40 p. m., Dyersville 9:18 p. m. and Dubuque 10:20 p. m.

Richard M. Stults, so well known as the composer of "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," is the author of a fine march published in the September number of the J. W. Pepper Piano Music Magazine. Although this author is known for his songs, he has written a number of most successful piano pieces, of which he considers this entitled "The Diadem March," the best. The magazine contains 21 complete pieces for the piano—10 songs, 11 instrumental—10 cents. For sale at all newsdealers.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union Ft. Worth, Texas, Nov. 13-21, 1901.

For this annual convention the Chicago Great Western railway will on November 11 to 13 sell through excursion tickets to Fort Worth, Texas, good to return November 25th, at the fare plus two dollars for the round trip. For further information apply to any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago.

International Live Stock Exposition Chicago, December 3-6, 1901.

For this event which includes also the annual convention of the National Live Stock Association, the Chicago Great Western railway will, on December 24, sell excursion tickets to Chicago, good to return December 8, at one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. For further information apply to any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago.

The most touching part of the Schly Court of Inquiry was at fever heat last week Wednesday, at the conclusion of Mr. Raynor's brilliant argument in behalf of his client, Admiral Schly. At the close of the day's session, Admiral Dewey and his associates congratulated Mr. Schly as did also the large audience.

The election last week showed great republican gains in Iowa, New Jersey, Ohio, Nebraska and South Dakota; while Kentucky, Colorado, Rhode Island have been held by Democratic party. In San Francisco the union Labor candidate was elected by a small plurality.

Here and There.

Rochelle is preparing to hold a Farmer's Festival and Fair at the exhibit from December 9 to 14.

A 450 horsepower engine will do the work for the electric car line between Belvidere and Rockford.

Last week, on Tuesday, Freeport had a \$60,000 fire, which destroyed one of the biggest drygoods stores in northern Illinois.

The Marengo News says, George Echler now wears a broad smile, owing to the arrival of a baby boy at his home last Sunday morning.

The law firm of Harteberg & Reid formerly of Aurora, have moved to DeKalb where they will enlarge a practice which they have already begun in this county.

Oliver W. Upson has filed a petition for a divorce from his wife whom he married at DeKalb last June with great pomp. His wife was Mess Alice Mayo, and a daughter of E. L. Mayo, of DeKalb.

W. C. Johnson, the man who is under indictment in this county for shooting constable Detrick, of Malta, of putting up a plea of "temporary insanity." He was given an indefinite prison sentence and apparently hopes for clemency.

Rev. J. J. Crowley, the Catholic priest who was excommunicated from that church, has commenced suit in Chicago against Francis J. Barry, chancellor of the Catholic archdiocese of Chicago, for damages to the amount of \$50,000.

November 9, The True Republican copies from the Genoa Journal regarding Mormon Elders. But instead of giving us credit, it credits it to another paper it would seem much more like fairness to credit the proper one, or else give none whatever rather than lay the blame at another's door.

A four year old son of Charles Gallardo, of Fairdale, was killed in the forehead by a colt last week and his skull was crushed in. The doctors who examined the wound found that the brain tissues were undisturbed and the boy was still alive and hopes of saving his life are entertained.

The largest horse, probably in the world, was received in Chicago a week ago from El Paso, Illinois. It was sent from that place by George M. Tegard. The horse is a coal black shire gelding, six years old, standing 21.1 hands, and is of admirable proportions: This piece of horse flesh when in good condition weighs 3000 pounds.

The Kirkland case in circuit court, Swanson against Shannon was retried last week, and again judgment was obtained against Shannon, but this time for \$2,500 instead of \$3,000 as was given at the first trial. The suit was sent back from the appellate court for a new trial and Attorney Pierce for the defendant says it will be carried to the appellate court again.

Charles B. Thompson, of Post Huron, Michigan, who has been Supreme finance Keeper of the Knights of the Maccabees since the organization of the order, in 1883, has confessed to be a defaulter to the amount of \$57,000. It was used in his business speculations and he is now unable to make it good. The order however will suffer no loss as he was bonded in a reliable surety company.

One of our exchanges tells how a minister preached a "red hot" sermon on city government, and during his remarks accused the mayor of putting men on the police force who allowed vice to run wide open. The next morning the preacher received an offer, from the mayor, of a position on the police force. As the offer had not been accepted up to the time of going to press it was hinted that the man of God thought he could not practice what he preached.

A lady, who was of a radical temperance disposition, once wrote thirty letters to as many leading business firms the following: "Is there room in your line of business for an exceptionally capable young man, who has every qualification for business except that out of hours he drinks with moderation, and with friends?" Within five days she received an answer from every merchant saying they had no time or use, in their business, for a man who drank.

William Hammer, a resident of Pine Creek, Ogle county, has been raising what is known as a mule footed hog. The foot is about like that of other hogs except the hoof is not split, hence the name. In most respects he likes the breed very well. They weigh heavier than other hogs of about the same size. They are not a well-bred hog; they are larger and rougher than the common breed of hogs and are said to be cholera proof. The farmer in Ohio of whom he obtained the start with these hogs, says that none were ever known to take the cholera. Ex.

SOMETHING STARTLING.

It is not often that people who read can obtain that kind of literature which is just to their liking except by getting it at the regular subscription price. The evenings are now getting long and our readers are thinking what kind of reading matter will find its way to the home and in anticipation we have arranged with one of the best farm and home papers published in the country whereby we can give an extraordinary offer to the new subscribers.

The "Farmer's Call" and the "Genoa Journal" from now until January 1, 1903 for \$1.25. This offer is only for new subscribers but old ones may take advantage of it by paying an additional 25c. Sample copies of "Farmer's Call."

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Captured A Wolf.

Last Thursday, Doc Patterson, F. O. Swan and G. E. Stott upon hearing that there was a wolf in the timber south of town, loaded their guns, donned their hunting suits and after borrowing a garden rake, a hoe, a bush-hook and a spade, wended their way thither in quest of his wolfship. They discovered his lair and while Swan and Stott manipulated the digging utensils, Patterson stood guard over the different exits to a subterranean abode of the hunted game. After the diggers had led the course of several holes and finding "nit" Doc. takes a stroll around a clump of bushes and to his amazement, the animal is seen to emerge from a clump of bushes. Click, Bang, Go-bang went his gun and laid low the wolf. A fine specimen of its kind with only two tiny holes in his hide.

The next day the boys took it's head to the county seat and pocketed the bounty of ten dollars.

A Singular Part.

Last Thursday, so they say, Jack Goding and Fred Marquart were also out hunting, but for smaller game. They put their horse in a barn over north of Kingston. At this place the people were owners of two dogs, one of which was said to be half blood wolf. On this day the wolf dog disappeared and the lady of the house, presuming that it had been frightened away by the boys shooting, inquired if they had seen it and also gave them the admonition to be careful and not shoot it should they run across it. The next day the wolf dog did not return, nor did it on Saturday, so that evening the boy came to Genoa, (so the yarn is spun) and learning that Dr. Patterson claimed he had shot a wolf, made an effort to locate Doc and effect a compromise for killing his dog. Doc could not be found and on Sunday the young man retraced on the same errand but as most young men having prospects in view, Doc was attending matters elsewhere. His friends are anxious to know which is the greatest penalty, to kill another man's dog or receive ten dollars bounty for it from the county. Just here comes another idea if the animal was only a half blood wolf, and the bounty for a full blood is ten dollars, should the Doctor not return five of the cart wheels to our county clerk?

A Letter.

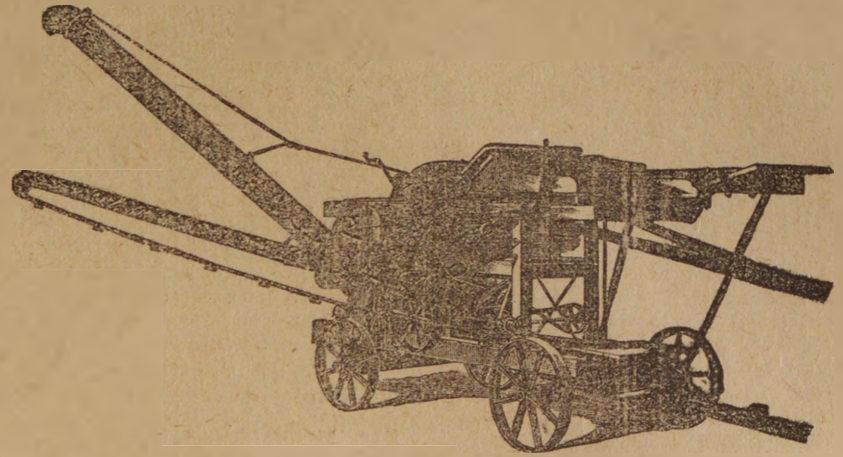
Mr. Editor: Will you please be kind enough to publish the following description of Albert Hayton and his little daughter, together with the description of our daughter, with whom he disappeared on July 2nd.

Albert Hayton (Which is his real name, although he may go under an assumed one) has blue eyes, light hair, light mustache, is five feet six inches tall, weighs about 150 pounds and is 27 years old. His four-year old daughter is with him and she has red hair, blue eyes and is named Mary. Our daughter's name is May 14 years old. has blue eyes, is of slender build and weighs about 105 pounds. Hayton disappeared with her from Clinton, Ia., on July 2nd and since then although we have spent much time and considerable money attempting to locate them, we have not as yet been able to receive any tidings. Any information concerning them would be thankfully received by us and the informant liberally rewarded. We kindly ask other papers whom this article reaches to publish the same, and thus aid us in locating our beloved child.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Birroughs. P. O. Box 293 Sabula, Iowa.

Last evening, Frank Swan, was thrown from a buggy at Kellogg's barn, and quite severely hurt, although no bones were broken.

Cohoon & Stanley.

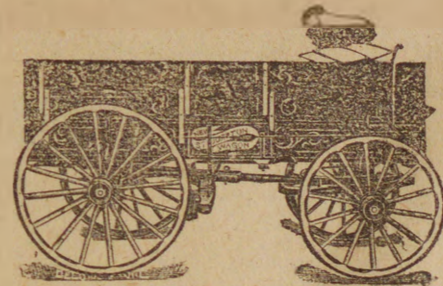


Better Than Hay

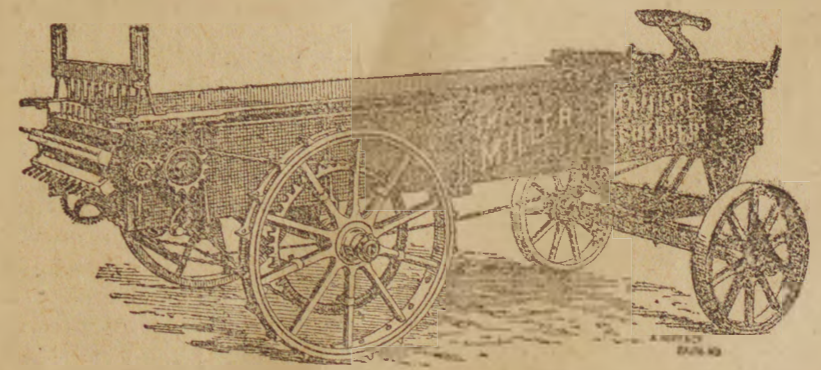
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MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA-- Camp meets every second and fourth Thursday evening of each month in Crawford's hall. J. H. Vandresser, E. H. Browns, V. C. Clerk

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS-- Meets every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall. Ammon Frazier, J. W. Bowers, Noble Grand, Sec'y.

COURT OF HONOR--Genoa District No. 418 meets every second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at eight o'clock p. m. Visiting brothers and sisters are cordially invited. W. H. Sager, O. A. Pierce, Recorder, Chancellor.

A. R. REBACA Post, No. 478. Meetings on the first Tuesday evening of every month. Comrades always welcome. G. W. Johnson, G. G. DeWolf, Adjutant, Commander.

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M. E. CHURCH-- Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Class meeting 9:30 a. m. Sunday School 11:30 a. m. Junior League 3:30 p. m. Epworth League 7:00 p. m. Young People's meeting on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 o'clock pm. Prayer meeting Thursday evenings. Rev. E. K. D. HESTER, Pastor.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN Church-- Regular services 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday School 11:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:15. H. L. DeGUISSE, Pastor.

LUTHERAN-- Preaching 10 a. m. Catechetical instruction 10:30 a. m. Evening Preaching the Sunday on or before the full moon at 7:30 p. m. Day School Monday to Thursday. Rev. R. FISLER Pastor.

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Laurels Again! I.W. HARPER KENTUCKY WHISKEY. Gold medals were also awarded at the Chicago 1893. Sold by Jas. McAllister.

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Correspondence.

Correspondents will hereafter please send in their communications by Tuesday afternoon.

COLVIN PARK.

Mrs. Chas. Brandt is on the sick list.

Will Ollman was transacting business in the City last week.

Chas. Foster was seen driving in our town Thursday.

Charles Stray's son Albert and J. Schweske, were walking on Sycamore streets Wednesday.

Mrs. P. Koenocky and daughter Mrs. Hix, were visiting relatives in Freeport last week!

Henry Stiegl was a Belvidere shopper Wednesday.

C. G. Meyers shipped a car load of horses and cattle to Chicago, Tuesday.

Mr. Hagen and Schweske transacted business in Genoa Thursday.

W. Cole, and Henry Hagen, of this place are on jury at Sycamore. Mr. Hagen was home over Sunday.

John Peale of Belvidere was seen in our town one day last week.

F. Hagen of Belvidere was here Saturday, and took the evening train for Rockford.

SYCAMORE.

Frank Swan of Genoa was a Sycamore visitor Friday.

Prof. Philbrook of Rochelle was in Sycamore on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Prentice, of DeKalb visited in Sycamore over Sunday.

Miss Jennie Walrod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walrod, was badly bitten last Thursday morning by a dog belonging to W. W. Marsh. The dog was immediately killed.

Emil Gramma and Miss Lou Belles were united in marriage at Marengo last Thursday. Both the bride and groom are popular young people here. Mr. Gramma is employed at F. C. Patten factory as bookkeeper.

Elmer Boynton, James Shafter, George Nesbitt, and T. J. Ronin have returned from their hunting trip to Pistakee Bay.

Fred E. Lux of the Rochelle Independent was over to attend the football game between Rochelle and Sycamore, which resulted in a score of 11 to 8 in favor of Sycamore.

Father Meehan has been visiting his brother, at Morris, Illinois.

M. L. C. Lovell was a Dekalb visitor last week.

Barney Gelzman of Genoa, was in Sycamore Friday.

Mrs. A. U. Alden was a Chicago visitor last week.

HERBERT.

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lane on Friday last a boy.

William Foote and wife, and Mrs. Jeannette Leonard and daughter, Miss Sabie, were Sunday visitors with William Leonard and wife.

Will Leonard expects to move on the John Scriben place west of town, in the spring.

William Leonard's machine is husking for Frank Huer this week.

Homeseekers Excursions.

The Chicago Great Western railway will sell tickets to various points in the west, on October 16th, November 5th, 19th, and December 3rd, at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. For information apply to any Great Western agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A. Chicago, Ill.

McKinley And The Eggs.

Dr. James Chalmers, of Elgin, Ill., in his memorial sermon on President McKinley, told the following story of his boyhood days, which well illustrates his characteristic honesty.

John Robinson's circus was coming to town, and William wanted to go, but the money was not forthcoming to pay his admission. The McKinleys kept hens; so did their neighbors. The hens were hiding their nests. William's mother told him that by finding a hen's nest and bringing her the eggs day by day he could get together enough to pay his way into the circus.

And the boy did find a hidden nest just inside the line fence. Day by day he gathered the eggs. But the day before the circions was to come, being over-anxious, and going to collect his treasures too early in the morning, he startled and drove from the nest the hen that was laying for him the golden eggs. When, lo, and behold! she crossed the line fence and rejoined the neighbor's flock of hens where she belonged.

Poor William, downcast and crest-fallen, hastened to his mother, and with not a moment's hesitation, but with tears in his eyes, said, "Mother, I cannot go to the circus." And then he told her of his discovery that the eggs were not their own, but must be returned to their neighbors.

But when the boy came back after delivering to the neighbors the eggs he had collected, his mother, with a swelling pride which she had never before experienced, quietly said to him, "You have proved once more more my son that honesty is the best policy, and you shall go to the circus, William, besides."

This little incident, related by his mother, I reported to Mr. McKinley one day at my own dinner-table in my Columbus home when he was governor of Ohio, and asked him if it was authentic. "Yes," he said, "and it was the lesson of my life. From that day forth I made it the motto of my life never to appropriate my neighbors' eggs; and," he added with a twinkle in his eye: "It has never kept me from going to the circus either."

From Home and Farm.

An old negro in Georgia insists that Adam was black, and the first white man became so because he turned pale with fright.

Lecton, Mo., has a "Sweet sixteen club", and the youngest member is believed to be no older than thirty-two.

A little boy with a correct ear for music when his older brother was singing in a harsh discordant key exclaimed, "Mamma, I wish Clarence wouldn't sing, it makes my throat sore to hear him."

What Kirkland People Say of Esmerelda.

"Esmerelda" was a decided success and reflects great credit on each character. It was a rare treat for our people and I heartily recommend them.

H. B. Rowan, Manager opera house. Kirkland.

"Esmerelda" is a clean and impressive drama, and was a thorough success. All will be delighted with it. Rev. Wm. Pierce, Kirkland.

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HAS NOT RESIGNED.

Report that Head Consul North Had Resigned, Incorrect.

Will Serve out Full Term.

Dispatch Received from California Late Yesterday Afternoon Denies Report Published in Yesterday's Papers.

Lieut. Gov. W. A. Northcott telegraphed from California yesterday that the report that he had resigned as Head Consul of the Modern Woodmen is incorrect. Mr. Northcott states that he will serve his term out, which will be till June 15, 1903.

Much surprise was occasioned by a dispatch in yesterday's Glob Democrat, from Los Angeles, Cal., to the effect that Mr. Northcott had announced his resignation as Head Consul of the Woodmen, to take effect June 15, 1902. Mr. Joe G. Ray, private secretary to Mr. Northcott, immediately telegraphed him concerning the truth of the statement. At 4:40 p. m. yesterday Mr. Ray received a reply. It stated the report incorrect, and that he intends to serve out his full term until June 15, 1902, at which time the head camp meets at Indianapolis. (Greenville, Ill. Advocate, Oct. 24)

Greenville, Ill., Oct. 24--The dispatch from Los Angeles, Cal., in yesterday's Chronicle that Lieutenant Gov. Northcott had resigned as head consul of the Modern Woodmen is incorrect. He authorizes the statement that he will continue his entire term of two years, and that he has no intention of resigning. (Chicago Chronicle, Oct. 25).

Elder Hewitt Around.

Elder Hewitt of Dekalb was in town Saturday. Mr. Hewitt although in his 88th year is able to get about without much difficulty and still retains vigor of mind. Accosted by an acquaintance with the remark that he had but a short time to remain, the old gentleman replied: "Well, I don't know, but I am not nearly as old as Methusalem yet." Mr. Hewitt is a man of great goodness of heart and with the older ones particularly in the Methodist church who in the early days frequently listened to his exhortations in the pulpit, occupies a warm place in their affections. Sycamore City Weekly.

COURT HOUSE NOTES.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Catherine Kelly to Thomas Delehanty lot 4 block 18 Sycamore--\$477.16. L. C. Schermehorn to Robert Newitt lot 4 block 34 original DeKalb--\$1600. J. M. Rodman to Jacob Haish lot 8 block 3 Ellwood's syndicate--\$500. S. A. Sherwood to Henry Severson part lot 2, all lot 3 and part lot 4 block 4, Sherwoods Shabbona--\$200. Hattie Flower to John Laurelston lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 block 18 Cortland--\$1100. W. T. Miller to Monroe Ledoyt south 66 feet of west 235 feet block 8 Sandwich--\$2000. Fannie M. King to Miranda E. Hunt lot 8 of assessors lot 3 sec 2 Sycamore--\$400. Miranda E. Hunt to Fannie M. King same as above--\$1000. Jhno C. Mack to Bessie D. Mack part of secs 28, 29, 30 and 36 Franklins, also lots 15 and 16 block 13 Kirkland--\$1.

Leonard Arner to Chris Ackerman lots 1 and 2 block 4 Chapman (Klugston)--\$125. J. H. Woods to Chris Ackerman east half lot 3 block 2 Kingston--\$125. H. J. Wells to W. M. Hecht lots 12 and 13 block 13 Stephens Genoa--\$1000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

J. J. Platt, Malta, 21. Kittie E. Lloyd, 20. J. A. Johnson, Cortland, 34. Ida S. Carns, 23. Thomas Daelschmire, Northville, Ill., 41. Anna M. Bushell, Northville, Ill., 21. M. R. Sellar, Malta, 21. Della Butler, Malta, 21. G. W. Dixon, Chicago, 29. Jennette B. Trimble, DeKalb, 30. H. M. Richmond, DeKalb, 60. Clara Burke, Sandwich, 33.

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Report of the Condition of THE Farmers State Bank AT GENOA

State of Illinois, before the commencement of business on the 15th day of October 1901, as made, to the Auditor of Public Accounts, for the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts 15,111.07, Expense Account 283.39, Furniture and Fixtures 293.41, Due From Nat'l Banks 19140.77, Total 35,828.64. LIABILITIES: Capital Stock Paid in 4,500.00, Demand Deposits, Indiv' 99,052.91, Certifs. 2,100.00, Total 106,052.91. State of Illinois: I. GEO. W. BUCK, President of the Farmers State Bank of Genoa, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. GEO. W. BUCK, President. Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 19th day of October 1901. D. S. LORD, Notary Public.

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Illinois Central R. R. REAL ESTATE AGENTS' AND HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSION SOUTH. The Illinois Central Railroad Company will run a Real Estate Agents' and Homeseekers' Excursion south, leaving Genoa at 11:10 a. m., Tuesday November 19. Fare for the round trip to Whitehall, La., and return \$26.75. Tickets good to return within twenty one days and good for stop overs south of the Ohio river. At New Orleans tickets may be exchanged for return good from Hammond to starting point. This involves a slight expense. Whitehall to New Orleans and New Orleans to Hammond. Pullman tourists cars have been chartered for an eight day trip leaving Chicago at 6:10 p. m., from Freeport at 9:40 a. m., November 19. The rate will be \$8 per double berth for the entire eight days whether occupied by one or two gentlemen. \$16 will be the price of a section which will accommodate three gentlemen fairly well. Applications for sleeping car accommodations must be made to the undersigned at DUBUQUE, IOWA not later than November 15, and in every instance must be accompanied by a draft or money order to cover price of same. In making reservation the rule of "first come first served" will be observed. If you expect a lower berth send your money and application at once. For full particulars as to rates, time of trains and itinerary of the trip apply to your local Illinois Central ticket agent. For reservations and information concerning this excursion not obtainable from your local agent, address the undersigned. J. F. MERRY, Asst. Gen'l. Pass' Agent I. C. R. R., Dubuque, Iowa.

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GENOA, ILLINOIS.

MINOR EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Items of General Interest Told in Paragraphs.

COMPLETE NEWS SUMMARY.

Record of Happenings of Much or Little Importance from All Parts of the Civilized World—Incidents, Enterprises, Accidents, Verdicts, Crimes and Wars.

Jennie Pierberg, aged sixteen, shot and fatally wounded an unknown man who was caught stealing her mother's chickens at Bayneville, near Wichita, Kan.

Girl at Atlantic City, N. J., died of lockjaw, caused by vaccination. Mob at Rochester, N. Y., captured a man who tried to rob a woman in a bank.

Newell C. Rathbun, who was supposed to have died in a hotel at Jeffersonville, Ind., has been arrested in Louisville, Ky., for complicity in a scheme to defraud insurance company.

Negotiations for the sale of the Danish West Indian Islands to the United States nearly completed.

Miss Stone, in a letter to a friend at Sofia, declares herself hopeful of release.

General Uribe-Urbe declared the Colombian revolutionists were fighting to insure United States control of the Panama canal. Extension of French concessions denounced.

Radical readjustment of traffic affairs to follow the settlement of the Northern Pacific complications. All Harriman and Hill lines to be put under one management.

Corn yield the last season, according to government crop report, was 16.4 bushels per acre, the smallest average on record.

Dennis Mulvihill, a coal heaver, inaugurated as Mayor of Bridgeport, Conn. Elected for his honesty.

Commanding officers of the Chicago police department warned their subordinates crime must be stopped.

Richard Mayo-Smith, a professor at Columbia university and a well known writer on political economy, is killed as he falls from upper window of his New York house.

Schooner Sweetheart, with eight men on board, is drifting helplessly on Lake Huron with a big boulder imbedded in her bottom planking. If the stone drops out she will sink.

Frank Thompson, negro leader of the mutiny at Fort Leavenworth penitentiary, has been wounded and captured. Lawrence Lewis, another fugitive, was fatally shot while trying to escape from a posse.

Paul Revere, great-grandson of Colonel Paul Revere of revolutionary fame, is dead at Morristown, N. J.

Otto M. Ekberg, a non-union teamster, was murdered in San Francisco by an unknown man. During the recent strike Ekberg and another non-union teamster got into a fight with union men. It is thought this occurrence supplied the motive for the murder.

French fleet ordered to leave Mitylene and proceed to island of Syra. Diplomatic relations between France and Turkey resumed.

Schooners Emily Taylor and George Irving wrecked on Lake Michigan and Saginaw Bay, but the crews rescued.

Twenty-four students of St. Stanislaus college, Bay St. Louis, Miss., were expelled for going to a circus.

Patients who died while under the charge of Miss Toppau in Massachusetts to be exhumed and examined for traces of poison.

Arkansas editor declared governor of state accepted a bribe, and latter may go gunning for him.

Horse carried by rider into burning barn near Rochester, N. Y., and both perished.

Army paymaster robbed of \$4,800 while on his way to Pensacola, Fla.

Convicts who escaped from the Fort Leavenworth (Kan.) penitentiary captured a sheriff and his deputy, who were pursuing them, and used them as a shield to escape from posse.

Insurance company charged attempt to swindle it out of \$4,000 by pretended death of an insured man at Little Rock, Ark.

Mrs. William Textor of Leavenworth, Kan., committed suicide at her home by setting fire to her clothing, which she first thoroughly saturated with coal oil. Mrs. Textor was injured three weeks ago and her mind is believed to have been deranged.

The fire in the Mikado mine at Bessemer, Mich., was extinguished after a damage of \$10,000 had resulted. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment. The body of Erick Johnson was found clinging to a ladder in the mine 150 feet from the surface.

Frank McCoy, an electrician, was electrocuted yesterday at the top of a 150-foot electric tower at Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Bulgarian government notified it would be held responsible if Miss Stone is killed by bandits, who are said to be treating her with more cruelty.

George Fusting, an engineer, was killed and three employees injured by a boiler explosion at the Central stock yards at Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Kathleen White, wife of the president of the National Salt Company, killed by a fall in her bathroom in Greater New York.

MISS STONE IS HEARD FROM.

Letter Dated Nov. 1 Says Writer and Companion Are Well.

New York dispatch: The messenger sent by M. Bakhmeteff, the Russian diplomatic agent, to the brigands has returned, bearing a letter from Miss Stone to a former pupil at Sofia, says the Sofia correspondent of the Journal and Advertiser. M. Bakhmeteff, having thus established communications, has turned the letter and details over to Mr. Dickinson, the American consul-general, saying the latter has the ransom, and upon him rests the responsibility. The messenger was absent nine days. The letter is dated Nov. 1 and is written in Bulgarian by Miss Stone, but controlled by the brig-



MISS ELLEN M. STONE.
She consists of half a page, saying Miss Stone and Mme. Talika are well and that the latter expects a baby in three weeks. It expresses hope for speedy release. M. Bakhmeteff's messenger also brought a letter to Mr. Dickinson from Miss Stone. The brigands decline to trust Mr. Dickinson's men and characterize his offer as paltry.

LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 70%; No. 2, 70%; No. 3, 69 3/4%. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 70%; No. 3, 69 1/2%. Corn—No. 2, 53%; No. 2 yellow, 52%; No. 3 yellow, 51%; No. 4 yellow, 50%. Oats—No. 3 white, 40%; No. 2, 38%; No. 4 white, 40%; No. 2, 38%. Cattle—Choice beef steers, \$5.90; fair to good, \$4.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.75; western-fed steers, \$4.25; western range steers, \$3.25; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.45; Texas cows, \$2.65; native cows, \$2.00; heifers, \$3.25; bulls, \$2.25; calves, \$3.00; Hogs—Heavy, \$6.00; mixed packers, \$5.75; light, \$5.30; pigs, \$4.50. Sheep—Native lambs, \$4.75; western lambs, \$3.50; native wethers, \$3.25; western wethers, \$3.25; ewes, \$2.90; culls, \$2.30. Poultry—Feed stock: Turkey gobblers, 7; chickens and hens, scaled, 4; chickens, hens and springs, dry picked, 7; roosters, 5; ducks, 8; geese, 6; spring chickens, 8c. Beans—Pea beans, hand picked, \$1.80; medium, hand picked, \$1.85. Butter—Creamery, extra choice, 21c; seconds, 14c; dairies, choice, 18c; Eggs—2c. Apples, bris, greening, \$3.25; northern apples, \$2.75; Ben Davis, \$2.25; common stock, \$1.50.

Dies to Save Her Husband.
Chicago dispatch: Rushing to her husband's rescue, Mrs. Julius Yankeo met death by fire. The husband, equally heroic, was seriously, if not fatally, injured, for after his wife had extinguished the flames that had seized his clothing he turned to aid her and barely escaped with his life. The tragedy occurred in the kitchen of the couple's home in the flat building at 151 Larrabee street. Yankeo's clothing had caught fire while he was melting tar, which boiled over.

Express Messenger Is Shot.
Grand Island, Neb., dispatch: Z. T. Pishnor, a Wells-Fargo express messenger, was found in a dying condition in his car on a St. Joseph and Grand Island train when it arrived at Elwood, Neb. There were two bullet holes just below the heart. The man was unable to tell anything of the cause of the shooting, and it is not known whether he was shot accidentally or in an attempt to rob the car. Everything in the safe was found intact.

Schwante Guilty of Murder.
Schwante's murder case, which has been on trial at Manchester, Wis., for the last two weeks, came to a close. The jury was out all night, and at 11 a. m. brought in a verdict of guilty in the first degree. The convicted man is a young farmer living near Spencer, and was charged with burning the home of an aged couple named Klokow last November while they were asleep.

Banker W. K. Lacey Is Freed.
At Grand Rapids Judge Wasty took the case of W. K. Lacey of Niles, Mich., from the jury, directing that a verdict of "Not guilty" be returned. This course was taken after Lacey had testified that he was elected president of the bank with the understanding that he was not to give bank matters his whole attention.

Ship Sighted on Shoal.
A square-rigged vessel was sighted ashore on Handkerchief shoal off Chatham, Mass. The bark Benjamin F. Hunt, Jr., from Rosario, for Boston, has been anchored off the Handkerchief and possibly she may have attempted to get under way and was carried onto the shoal.

Exploding Lamp Kills Two.
South Norwalk, Conn., dispatch: Mrs. Guy Pimbell of Norwalk attempted to replenish the oil in a lighted lamp and an explosion followed, which scattered the blazing oil in all directions. Mrs. Pimbell and her three children were covered with the burning liquid, and two of them—Rose, aged 8 years, and Louis, aged 5—were burned to death. The mother and another daughter, Catherine, were also terribly burned and were removed to a hospital, where it was stated that neither would live.

CONVICTS CATCH PURSUER

Sheriff Cook of Topeka Is Made a Prisoner

BY TWO KANSAS MUTINEERS.

After Having Been Wounded, the Fugitives Run Into a Farmhouse and Trick the Officers—The Police Are Held at Bay.

Topeka, Kan., dispatch: Sheriff Cook of this county was captured by two escaped convicts from the Leavenworth penitentiary Sunday afternoon at Pauline, five miles south of Topeka, and held prisoner in a farm-house for several hours. The officer, hot on the trail of the convicts, blundered into the house, without waiting for the reinforcements for which he had telephoned, was disarmed and held prisoner with the farmer and his wife. The convicts threatened to kill the officer if any attempt at capture was made, marched out of the house between two rows of police, who had arrived from Topeka, and using the prisoners as shields, tramped away, jeering at the police, and are now at large. Both the convicts were slightly wounded, and farmer Wooster, in whose house they took refuge, was badly wounded by one of the convicts when he tried to fire on them. Mrs. Wooster and Sheriff Cook were held before the convicts as shields during the escape.

Seek to Kill Sheriff.
The convicts questioned Cook closely, saying they wanted to kill the sheriff, but Cook maintained he was not the sheriff. One of the convicts as he departed pointed a revolver at Cook, and with the words "I'll kill you for luck," pulled the trigger. The cartridge failed to explode.

Farmer Boys Chase Convicts.
Early in the afternoon some farmer boys near Pauline learned that the convicts were in the neighborhood. Hastily forming a posse, armed with target rifles, pistols, and clubs, they gave chase. Neither of the convicts was armed, and they were unable to make a stand. Later Sheriff Cook and Deputy Williams arrived. Coming upon the convicts, both officers fired, wounding the men, but not disabling them. The convicts then fled through a small opening in the timber, and ran into the house of Farmer Wooster. Sheriff Cook telephoned to Topeka for assistance, and then took up the chase.

Officers Fall Into Trap.
Thinking the convicts had run around the house, Cook started through the open door, intending to surprise them at the rear door. But instead of this the convicts had gone into the house, and the officer almost fell into their arms. Sheriff Cook was ordered to give up his gun, which he did.

Topeka Police to Rescue.
In the meantime Chief Stahl of Topeka, with eight officers, were on their way. They arrived at the Wooster house about an hour after the officers had been imprisoned. Chief Stahl immediately began negotiations with the convicts to give up their prisoners and to surrender themselves, but the convicts only laughed. The convicts ordered Cook to ask Stahl to enter the house. Stahl refused to enter and probably saved his life. Farmer Wooster then managed to get a gun and was about to make an attack on the convicts, when one of them laid him low with a blow from the butt of a revolver, taken from one of their captives. The convict broke Wooster's right hand and cut a gash in his head.

Erects Shaft to McKinley.
Tower, Minn., dispatch: This village holds the honor of having erected the first monument in honor of William McKinley. Thousands of visitors from all over the state were present at the unveiling. Governor Van Sant was the guest of the city. When the monument was unveiled all the bands that Tower and the surrounding country could muster joined and played "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The speakers were Governor Van Sant, John Owens, Thos. McKeon and Rev. Dr. Forbes. The prayer and benediction were offered by Rev. Mgr. Ruh.

Crowd Sees Woman Burned.
Mrs. John Stinson, who occupies a flat in the Burkhard block on Main street, St. Joseph, Mich., was burned to death in the presence of a crowd of neighbors. Her clothing had become ignited from the explosion of a can of kerosene with which she was kindling a fire. She ran into the street, ablaze from head to foot, and perished before anything could be done to save her.

Wardens Are in Session.
Kansas City, Mo., dispatch: Many of the most noted prison officials of the world assembled in the parlors of the Grand Avenue Methodist church to attend the annual gathering of the National Wardens' Association and the first business session of the congress of the National Prison Association.

John Rose Identified.
St. Louis dispatch: John Rose, the man suspected of the robbery of an express car on the Great Northern railroad, near Wagner, Mont., on July 3, and who was arrested in this city by detectives, was identified as Harry Longbough, a celebrated western desperado. The identification was made by a St. Louisan, who is now in the employ of a brewing company here, but who was prosecuting attorney of Cook county, Wyoming, in 1887, and prosecuted Longbough in that year on a charge of horse stealing.

JAMES CALLAHAN ACQUITTED.

Alleged Accomplice of Pat Crowe in Cudahy Kidnaping Set Free.

Omaha dispatch: James Callahan, charged with the kidnaping of Eddie Cudahy and subsequently with perjury in connection with his defense, has been finally set free. The jury in the perjury case brought in a verdict of not guilty after being out thirty-three hours. The delay was due to debate on the subject of Callahan's mustache, which the prisoner swore had been shaved off before the date of the kidnaping, but which other witnesses distinctly remembered subsequent to that event. Callahan has been in jail nine months. There is now little to prevent Pat Crowe from returning to Omaha. The evidence on which Callahan has been tried would probably prevail in the case of Crowe.

Wild Beasts Kill Cattle.
A pair of strange and ferocious animals, which may be tigers or leopards, escaped from some circus, are terrorizing the farmers in the vicinity of Agency, Mo. Several hundred head of calves and pigs have been killed and partially devoured and no amount of vigilance on the part of the natives has proved successful in efforts at capture. J. H. King and W. H. Orwick, who own some of the finest herds of Holstein cattle in the world, have suffered to the extent of several thousands of dollars by reason of the raids of these beasts upon the herds of blooded stock. Large rewards are offered by the farmers and the county court. Bloodhounds from Nebraska set upon the trail found their prey, but were so speedily dispatched by the beasts that further efforts at capture with the use of hounds are abandoned.

Fear United States.
Washington dispatch: The amazing growth of the influence of the United States in Europe and the importance which is attached to its steady intrusion into the commercial prerogatives of European nations is made abundantly manifest in a graphic report of the fear of the United States which is daily haunting Germany sent to the state department by Consul General Frank Mason. American representative at Berlin. Mr. Mason affirms that Germany realizes that the United States are being forced into a position of universal domination, and that the older generation of statesmen and financiers anticipated that the power of the United States before many years will be that of absolute sovereign, in that it will be universal arbitrator of all international disputes.

Prisoner in an Old Well.
For three days and nights the cold, stone lining of an abandoned well served as a prison for Michael Stepanik, a farm hand employed by John Owens of New York Mills, N. Y. Stepanik went out to search for missing cattle, and in going through a woodland stepped on what seemed to be a heap of brush. He was at once precipitated into a deep well, in which the water reached his thighs. For three days he suffered great agony, the pangs of hunger adding to the discomfort of the dark, wet cell. His efforts to reach liberty were futile. A small boy hunting in the woods heard the man's faint cries and summoned aid, and Stepanik was released.

Fear She Killed Others.
New Bedford, Mass., dispatch: The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Alf. P. Davis, parents of Mrs. A. G. Gordon and Mrs. M. E. Gibbs, all of whom were attended by Miss Jane Toppau, the nurse accused of murder, will be exhumed at Cataumet on Tuesday. Autopsies will be performed by Medical Examiner Faunce of Sandwich to determine the cause of their deaths. He performed the autopsies on Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Gibbs. The decision to hold the autopsies on the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Davis has been reached by District Attorney Holmes as the result of the inquests on the deaths of the two daughters.

Mystery at Little Rock.
Little Rock, Ark., dispatch: That the body sent here from Jeffersonville, Ind., as that of Newell C. Rathbun of this city, United States recruiting officer here, who was reported to have died in a Jeffersonville hotel a few days ago, is not the body of Rathbun, was a claim made here by Sam M. Powell, state manager of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. An attempt to swindle the insurance company is alleged.

Duel Calls Cuban Leader.
Havana dispatch: The newspapers assert that Senor Tamayo, secretary of state and government, has been challenged to fight a duel by a member of the Union Club, whom, it is said, Senor Tamayo and a friend assaulted at the close of the recent banquet given by the Cuban society to the visiting Chilians. Senor Tamayo was detained by the police, but ultimately released by the civil government.

Warden Chamberlain Dies.
Chicago dispatch: William Chamberlain, warden of the state penitentiary at Jackson, Mich., died at 10 o'clock p. m. in the Great Northern hotel. He was on his way to Kansas City to attend the prison congress and had been in Chicago but a few hours when he became ill, and a few hours later he was dead. At the coroner's inquest a verdict was returned to the effect that death was due to fatty degeneration of the heart. Mr. Chamberlain was one of the best-known Republicans in the state of Michigan.

SQUADRON IS ORDERED AWAY

Diplomatic Relations Between France and Turkey Resumed.

SULTAN SIGNS AN TRADE.

M. Delcasse Accused of Being Too Timid in the Recent Imbroglio—Comment of French Press—A Suggestion to the Sultan.

Paris dispatch: Admiral Caillard's fleet has been ordered to sail from Mitylene at once. It will proceed to the island of Syra. Diplomatic relations between France and Turkey have been restored. M. Bapst has been ordered to reopen the embassy at Constantinople. M. Constans, the French ambassador, will return to the Ottoman capital at once.

The Figaro, commenting upon the situation, says: "The sudden news of such a retreat is not calculated to reassure us. On the contrary it makes us believe in hidden dangers."

A writer in the Eclair says that from the moment the word protectorate was uttered France was confronted no longer by Abdul Hamid, but by William II.

Delcasse Accused of Timidity.
It is the general opinion here that the naval demonstration against Turkey was "much ado about nothing." The government is more ridiculed than praised. Foreign Minister Delcasse's timidity is too apparent to permit French prestige to derive benefit from the demonstration. The only man who has improved his reputation is M. Bapst, councillor of the French embassy at Constantinople, who throughout the dispute showed remarkable tact and foresight, and, above all, firmness.

Sultan Signs the Trade.
The French Foreign office has announced that the Sultan has signed an irade for the execution of his engagements with the French government, and that the Franco-Turkish dispute is now at an end.

Called Brilliant Victory.
The Temps, which describes the result as "a brilliant victory for French diplomacy," says: "The great merit of the government was in being able to restrict its action. Serious difficulties might have arisen had France departed from her reserve. The favorable disposition shown to our representatives abroad has been due to the fact that the civilized world

Three Killed and 18 Injured.
In a wreck on the Iron Mountain railroad, one mile south of Prescott, Ark., three men were killed and eighteen injured, all negroes. While going backward at a high rate of speed, the engine carrying the men struck a piece of crooked track, left the rails, and threw the men in every direction, some in front of it, some under it, and one man was wrapped around a pole on the side of the track.

Election of Smith Ratified.
At a special conference of general officers of the Mormon church, held in the tabernacle in Salt Lake, the action of the council of apostles in the selection of Joseph F. Smith as president of the church in succession of the late Lorenzo Snow was sustained. The conference also ratified the selection of Joseph F. Smith, John R. Winder and Anton H. Lund as members of the first presidency.

Badly Beaten, Then Slain.
Seattle, Wash., dispatch: In the trial of J. W. Considine for the murder of ex-Chief of Police Meredith the story of the fatal struggle in Guy's drug store on June 25 was told, several witnesses testifying that Meredith had been made dazed and helpless by the blows rained upon his head by Tom Considine and had lost motive and reasoning power when John Considine fired the fatal shots.

Nurses Would Honor McKinley.
The nurses of Boston will submit to Governor Crane, chairman of the state commission on McKinley memorial, a unique plan for perpetuating the memory of President McKinley. The nurses want the fund devoted to establishing the "McKinley Order of Nurses." The idea is to make the McKinley order in this country what the Victoria Order of Nurses is in England.

New Railroad for Iowa.
Oskaloosa, Ia., dispatch: A company was organized here to construct an electric road between Tama and Buxton, via Oskaloosa, to be called the Oskaloosa and Tama Railroad company. The length of the line will be ninety-five miles. Sam Clark of Oskaloosa was elected president and U. C. Blake of Cedar Rapids secretary. The capitalization is \$100,000.

Heir to \$25,000 in Prussia.
Marshalltown, Ia., dispatch: Commandant Herton of the soldiers' home has received a letter from Frederick Rosebrock, Osnabrock, Prussia, inquiring for Dietrick M. Mitter, former member of the home, who is the only direct heir to \$25,000 left by his brother, recently deceased. Mitter left the home in 1898 and his whereabouts is unknown.

Roosevelt to Await Session.
Washington, D. C., dispatch: President Roosevelt has decided not to make any more appointments of importance until Congress meets. All recess appointees must be reappointed upon the assembling of Congress, and the President thinks that all the larger appointments should be held up until he can send the names directly to the senate.

Fires Into Giant Powder.
A terrific explosion was caused in Bisbee, Ariz., by John McNally, aged fourteen, who fired into a box of giant powder with a rifle. The powder was in a mining shaft thirty feet deep and the boy stood at the opening and fired. The explosion threw the boy thirty feet and severed his head from his body. The shaft was wrecked.

Fitzsimmons a Citizen.
New York dispatch: Robert Fitzsimmons has become a citizen of the United States. Arrayed in a swagger automobile overcoat, with shining silk hat in hand, Bob Fitzsimmons, Australian pugilist, was transformed by Judge Aspinall in Brooklyn. To the judge's questions Fitzsimmons replied briefly. When asked his profession, he said he was at present an actor. Clark Ball, real estate dealer, swore that Fitzsimmons had been in the country twelve years. The actor-pugilist took out his first papers in 1892.

KILLED IN FOOTBALL GAME.

Boy at Kirksville, Mo., Dies from Injuries Received While at Play.

Kirksville, Mo., dispatch: Johnnye Buckner, a negro aged 11 years, died here as the result of injuries he received during a football game last Monday.

Two Are Fatally Hurt.
Cincinnati, O., dispatch: Two football players were probably fatally injured in games here. In the game between the University of Cincinnati and the Hanover College of Indiana James Kirkpatrick, left halfback of the University of Cincinnati, while making a tackle, had his spinal column injured and is reported to be in a very serious condition. Louis Runck was also carried off the field during the game between the Newport Xavier College and the Newport high school. Runck was the left tackle of the Xavier team and was seriously injured while tackling. The physicians have very little hope for his recovery.

Cuts Off Daughter's Fingers.
Andrew Stratton, a carpenter, was arrested at Wheeling, W. Va., for cutting off his four-year-old daughter's fingers with a hatchet. The Humane Society, which caused Stratton's arrest, alleges that the crime was committed in the heat of passion, because the child had offended in some trivial way, but Stratton says it was an accident. Stratton's neighbors were preparing to deal with him summarily when the police arrested him.



THE SULTAN OF TURKEY.

has had opportunity during the last seven years to observe the progress of the anti-European movement in the Sultan's counsels. Frenchmen, Americans, Austrians, Italians, and Britons have all been victimized by the Sultan and his counselors. After the Armenian massacres and the successful war with Greece they thought everything was permitted to them. We hope the Sultan will now understand his duties toward the civilized powers and toward his own subjects, upon whom he has taken solemn engagements which he has always disregarded. Otherwise Europe, which, thanks to the energetic action of France, is now able to re-assume at Constantinople the authority she lost seven years ago, will applaud the initiative which the signatory powers of the Berlin treaty are reported to be about to take to extort from the Sultan the execution of clauses too long fallen into disuse."

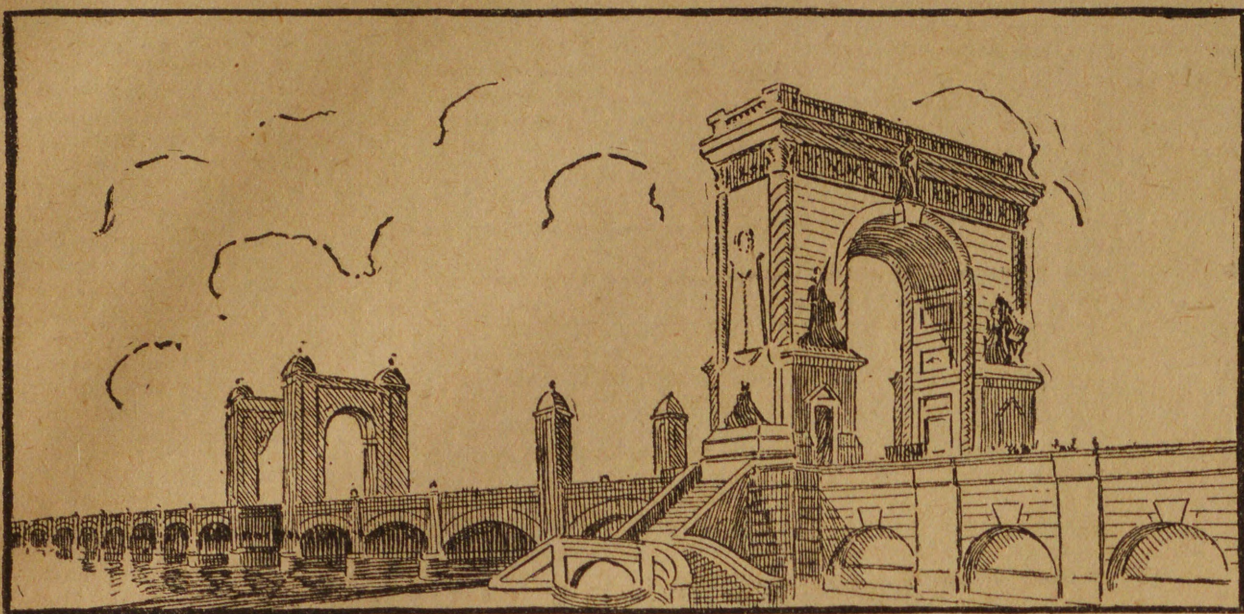
Caillard Telegraphs Particulars.
Paris, Nov. 12.—Admiral Caillard has telegraphed particulars of the seizure of the customs at the principal port of the island of Mitylene. He says that in consequence of the sympathetic welcome extended to his squadron he landed only a single company of marines, who were received with marked confidence by all the inhabitants.

Germany Buys Coal Here.
Paris dispatch: Paris has been a marked increase recently in foreign orders for American anthracite coal, especially from Germany. The demand abroad is said to be due largely to labor troubles in Wales and France, resulting in a curtailment of supplies from these countries.

Kidnaps Her Own Child.
Frank Gross and wife of Battle Creek created a sensation in Belding, Mich., by kidnaping Edna Passmore, a five-year-old child of Mrs. Gross by a former marriage. The child was forcibly taken from a kindergarten. A chase by the teacher and scholars took place down the street, but the kidnappers jumped into a carriage and drove rapidly toward Lowell. Richard Bristol, grandfather of the child, with whom she has always made her home, pursued the fugitives, but failed to overtake them.

John Rose Identified.
St. Louis dispatch: John Rose, the man suspected of the robbery of an express car on the Great Northern railroad, near Wagner, Mont., on July 3, and who was arrested in this city by detectives, was identified as Harry Longbough, a celebrated western desperado. The identification was made by a St. Louisan, who is now in the employ of a brewing company here, but who was prosecuting attorney of Cook county, Wyoming, in 1887, and prosecuted Longbough in that year on a charge of horse stealing.

THE MCKINLEY ARCH



The William McKinley National Memorial Arch association, which has been incorporated under the laws of the District of Columbia, with the purpose of erecting a memorial arch in honor of the late President in Washington, will depend upon voluntary contributions from Americans, both at home and abroad. It is the present purpose of the committee to have the arch span the entrance to the proposed memorial bridge across the Potomac River from Washington to the Virginia shore.

The arch, with its bas-reliefs and statues, will be entirely the work of American architects, artists and sculptors, and no limit has been put upon

its cost, this depending entirely upon the amount of contributions received.

The association will have headquarters in Washington, but every state and large city will have a vice-president and an organization to encourage subscriptions. Bishop Henry C. Potter is one of the vice-presidents for New York. President Roosevelt has accepted honorary membership in the association and Hon. Lyman J. Gage, secretary of the Treasury, is treasurer. Admiral Dewey is also a vice-president, and prominent men in every state and large city and in the cities abroad where Americans live, are accepting vice-presidencies in the association and aiding in the work of raising funds.

The association has just secured a charter and contributions are invited.

Commissioner MacFarland, president of the McKinley National Memorial Arch association, has received a letter from Miss Helen Gould, in which she accepts an appointment as one of the vice-presidents of the association.

A letter from Miss Gould brought a suggestion from President MacFarland that a woman's committee be appointed to work in conjunction with the national association, with Miss Gould as chairwoman. Miss Gould will be asked to act as head of the committee.

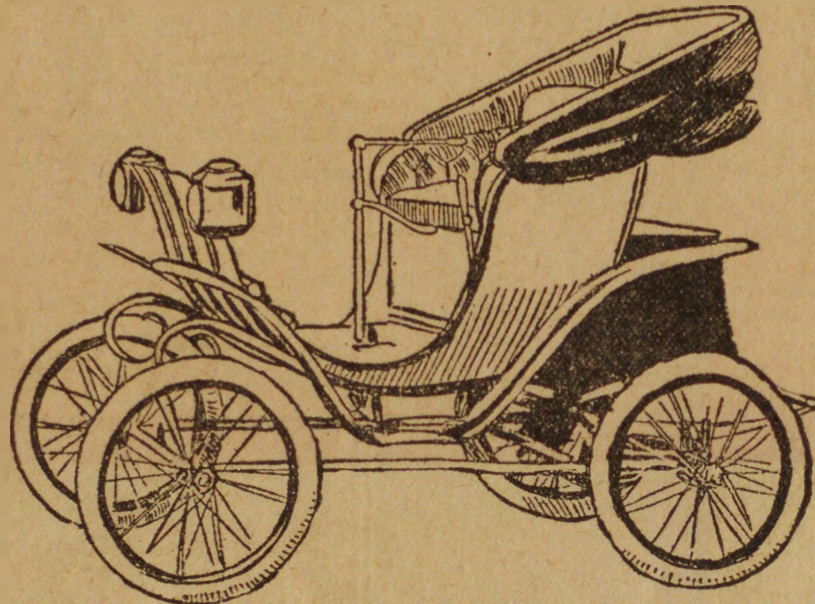
Miss Gould stated that she was heartily in sympathy with the object of the association.

A Queen's Electric Motor Car

Queen Alexandra has become possessed of a victoriette, which she has learnt to drive herself. Seated for two, its frame-work is articulated, so that it adapts itself to any unevenness of road without stress or strain. The single motor is of 4 h. p., of four pole type, and can be worked to five times normal capacity without any injurious effects.

The batteries are fitted in the rear portion of the carriage, and contain sufficient energy for thirty-five or forty miles on one charge. The car is electrically lit and fitted with japanned lamps, relieved with silver-plate fittings; the wheels are of bicycle type, and fitted with 3-inch pneumatic tires. Speed of car is from six miles to fourteen miles per hour.

The queen herself has become an expert driver, and derives great pleasure from this pleasing little vehicle, which is now quite familiar in the neighborhood of Sandringham.



NAMING THE FARMS.

Letter boxes now appear at the gateways of farms throughout many districts in several states, along the country mail routes recently established by the government, and one of the first results of the innovation is decidedly interesting.

No sooner had the mail boxes appeared than the farmers began to take a deeper interest in the gates and the general style of the entrances to their homes. The boxes were new, looked fresh and seemed to give a dignity to the gateposts that they never possessed before. The contrast, in the great majority of cases, was not pleasing, particularly to the women folk and the younger men, and most of the farmers set about making improvements up to the standard of the letter box.

This was one step in the right direction. Then it was natural that the mail carrier sometimes made mistakes, because there was neither name nor number to guide him in the delivery of the letters, newspapers or packages. Some of the farmers nailed up rude "shingles" bearing the names of the occupants of the house at the upper end of the lane. Other farmers ordered neatly painted signs bearing the name of the head of the house.

Now, it appears, from a letter addressed to the Milledgeville Free Press, progress has taken a more decided step along this line. The farmers in the vicinity are christening their places and displaying the names chosen in handsome painted signs on the gateposts. "I have concluded to name my place 'Midway Farm,'" says the

writer of the letter referred to, "not because it is sporty or tough, but because it is located just half way between Milledgeville and Chadwick, also half way between Polo and Mount Carroll, and half way between Lanark and Coleta."

Perhaps we are at last upon the threshold of the time, so long looked forward to in the United States, when country life will take upon itself the habiliments that adorn it in the older lands. Perhaps the mail box and the farm name are but the precursors of other improvements, in the agricultural regions, which will give the United States country homes with beautiful surroundings.

The buildings alone for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis in 1903 will cover 187 acres.

ILLINOIS ITEMS

James Nevins of Kankakee declared guilty of the murder of D. F. Reardon in 1896 and sentenced to twenty-five years' imprisonment.

A suit for a writ of injunction was begun at Joliet by Bartlett, Frazier & Co. of Chicago to restrain the Will County and Joliet Township collectors from collecting the taxes on grain in the Midland Elevator in this city. The company claims that the grain was in transit and not subject to taxation. The property is valued at \$77,000.

Governor Yates has appointed the following deputy factory inspectors: George Cochran, Chicago, vice Philip Steinmueller, term expired; Mrs. F. H. Green, Chicago, to succeed herself; Mrs. Sarah R. Crowley, Chicago, to succeed herself; Mrs. Emily S. Alexander, Chicago, vice Mrs. Claranda M. Cope, term expired; Mrs. Mary Corrigan, Chicago, vice Mrs. W. M. Crissey, term expired; Mrs. Adele M. Whitgreave, Chicago, vice Mrs. Emma Jamieson, term expired; William Ehn, Galesburg, to succeed himself.

When John Bauer, motorman on a St. Louis and Bellevue electric line, started out on his trip from St. Louis Monday, Conductor Leonard Shannon walked forward and said: "I wish you would pull into Edwardsville two minutes ahead of time this morning. I have a little business to attend to." Motorman Bauer peered back into the car, where Lucy McLeer, the prettiest girl on the line, sat, blushing furiously, and he smiled and gave the controller an extra swing. They ran into Edwardsville two and one-half minutes ahead of schedule, and Shannon and Miss McLeer hastily departed. In a few moments they came back and faced the grinning motorman. "Permit me to introduce Mrs. Shannon, John," said the happy conductor. Then they started homeward on the wedding tour, and Motorman Bauer whistled "Goo-Goo Eyes" all the way and never once looked back into the car.

President McKay of Shurtleff College at Alton has prohibited ragtime music in literary society programs. The students defy the order, and the crisis will come at the next meeting of the literary societies. In the two literary societies, the Alpha Zeta and the Sigma Phi, the students recently pieced out their programs with impromptu musical features in ragtime. Heretofore it has been the rule for these college literary societies to prepare programs of classical music, such as meets the approval of W. D. Armstrong, director of the Shurtleff School of Music. When the professor heard of the ragtime program he protested vigorously. The boys declared that they would have "coon" music whenever they wanted it. Then Professor Armstrong threatened to resign.

The Farmers' Relief association began its second general assembly in Carbondale. A change in the secret work and also in the constitution is contemplated.

The question of dispensing with convict labor by convicts in penal institutions, which is always a disturbing factor to labor organizations, will be discussed at Springfield next Monday by Governor Yates and Adam Menche, president of the State Federation of Labor. Others who will appear in the cause of the labor organizations are J. F. Morris, secretary state federation; J. H. Bowman and Joseph W. Morton, Chicago Federation of Labor; W. D. Ryan, United Mineworkers of Illinois; W. R. Boyer, Broommakers' union, and Mr. Lovely of the Boot and Shoemakers' association. The representatives of the manufacturers have not been named. It is understood that the Federation of Labor is opposed to the plan of putting convicts to work on material for good roads. Its demand will be that all improved machinery be removed from the penitentiary and the state authorities be left to figure out a way of employing convicts. A mass meeting will be held in representatives' hall by local labor organizations to arouse public sentiment.

The thirteen-year-old daughter of Joseph Tomashiski, a Polish coal miner at Minonk, lighted a fire with gasoline with the result that she and her brother, aged 11, are dead, and the father and a child aged 7 are seriously though not fatally burned. Their home was destroyed, causing a loss of \$2,000, insurance covering one-half.

Fire broke out on the east side of Main street at Arthur in the center of the block at 2 o'clock Sunday morning, destroying all the buildings in the block except two, causing a loss of \$40,000. Insurance, \$10,000. The fire is supposed to have been started accidentally by a gang of drunken gamblers.

Miss Dollie Early of New Douglass received the gold medal and Miss Gusie Bucknell of Alhambra second prize at a W. C. T. U. oratorical contest held in Alhambra.

Burglars broke open the safe in E. G. Kays' jewelry store in Quincy and secured watches, rings and cash to the amount of about \$1,000.

Mr. William C. Hunter of Oak Park has just been commissioned colonel and paymaster general of the Idaho National Guard on the staff of Governor F. W. Hunt. Colonel Hunter has traveled extensively in and written profusely of Idaho, and is at present writing a book on Idaho life.

Mrs. Kate Green and Miss May Shea, attendants at Dunning Insane Asylum, charged with starving patients to death.

The annual Jersey county Sunday-school convention will be held at McClosky on November 26 and 27.

Judus Meredith, aged 28, of Cereal Springs, and Manuel Holman, aged 24, of Marion, exchanged eight shots on the streets of Marion, and both men as a result are mortally wounded. They had been in a poker game in which \$50 was involved. A dispute arose and the charge of cheating was made. After supper both men returned to the gambling place and renewed the quarrel. They were drinking heavily and for several hours a wordy war ensued until shortly after 2 o'clock in the morning, when the proprietor made them leave the place. On reaching the public square both drew revolvers and at once began shooting. Meredith is wounded in the abdomen and breast and Holman in the lung and thigh.

Gov. Yates has appointed the following state mine examiners to serve for two years: Hector McAllister, Stratton, to succeed himself; Thomas Hudson, Galva, to succeed himself; Walter Rutledge, Alton, to succeed himself; John Dunlap, Centralia, to succeed himself; Evans D. Johns, Murphysboro, to succeed himself; James Taylor, Edwards, to succeed John W. Graham, Dumfermline, term expired; Thomas Weeks, Colfax, to succeed John Williams, Westville, term expired.

Students at the Garrett Biblical institute, in Chicago, were alarmed by the discovery that a fellow-student, W. H. Smith, who has been ill in one of the dormitories of the school since Monday, is suffering from diphtheria. He occupied a dormitory with ninety-two other students, and has also appeared at the chapel exercises, where 325 students meet. A physician was summoned and advised that Smith be removed to the Cook county hospital. There his case was diagnosed diphtheria. Dr. C. J. Little ordered the room fumigated and closed. Dr. Little said that he did not believe Smith had diphtheria.

Henry Stellhorn, Republican candidate for county commissioner, received 47 majority in Red Bud precinct, a Republican gain of 34. F. D. Coker, J. G. Hoy and F. C. Schreiber, Democrats, were elected as justices of the peace, and Fred Stellhorn, A. G. Miller and Al Cowell, Democrats, were elected as constables. A majority of 167 was cast against the issue of \$60,000 bonds, and a majority of 103 against change of road law.

Victor F. Lawson bought land at Madison and Fifth avenue, Chicago, for \$500,000. May erect big building.

Achille Tessera, an employe of L'Union, published at Pueblo, Colo., was found dead in his room at Bart's Hotel, Chicago. The gas was turned on, and it was the belief of the police at first that the man had committed suicide. Later developments, however, lead the police to believe that Tessera's death was due to an accident.

Len Armstrong of Mound City shot his wife in the head with a shotgun and then drank an ounce of laudanum with suicidal intent. A bystander named Carr received five of the shots of the charge in the head. None of the three wounded persons is expected to recover. Armstrong's wife secured a divorce from him a few days ago.

Announcement was made at Peoria of an advance in the price of spirits, the basis of all finished goods, to \$1.31 per gallon, or a raise of 1 cent. The cause is said to be the high price distillers are now compelled to pay for corn.

Joseph Hawley and Fred Fisher were arrested in Peoria charged with the robbery of the Middle Grove post-office some time last spring. A quantity of stamps, money and other material was taken from the postoffice at the time, as well as some merchandise from the store of D. O. Smisor, who was the postmaster. Hawley had some of the stolen goods. Fisher was arrested as an accessory and he also had some of the plunder concealed. They were taken before the United States commissioner and bound over to the United States grand jury in the sum of \$1,000, in default of which both went to jail.

Nathaniel Whittemore died at his home near Aurora. Mr. Whittemore had been a resident of the vicinity for twenty-six years. He died from heart trouble while sitting in his chair. Mr. Whittemore was a member of the California Pioneers' Association of Chicago.

Miss Maud Burgner, the 15-year-old daughter of Morris Burgner, a prominent farmer of Loxa, died of displacement of the heart due to excessive exercise in skipping the rope. She frequently outjumped her girl friends at school, and several weeks ago, after an unusually hard contest, she was taken ill, death resulting therefrom.

In United States district court at Springfield James J. Jordan and Thomas A. Jordan, surviving partners of Jordan Brothers, as Jordan Brothers and as individuals, filed a petition in bankruptcy. They are grain dealers of Clinton and Heyworth. The scheduled liabilities are \$50,000 and the assets \$323.

Colonel Randolph Smith, president of the First National bank of Flora, has announced to the republicans his candidacy for congress from the twenty-fourth district. He was a close friend of Gov. Tanner and was a member of his staff. He was reappointed by Gov. Yates and is also a member of the state board of labor. For a number of years he has been prominent in Egyptian politics and his name has been frequently mentioned in connection with the republican nomination for state treasurer. He is the present mayor of this city.

The Weekly Panorama.

AN INFECTED ANTITOXIN.

It is unfortunate that the spread of new methods of fighting disease should be attended by such incidents as are reported from St. Louis. Eleven children, it is said, have died of lockjaw after being inoculated with an antitoxin for diphtheria, and other children are in danger of death from the same cause. Investigation has shown, of course, that there is nothing inherent in the pure antitoxin that could be held responsible for the lamentable results which in this case followed its use. The fault lies not with the antitoxin itself, which has been proved to have great value, but probably with the persons who were so careless, or so unfortunate, as to use serum taken from a horse which shortly afterwards died of lockjaw and which was, therefore, infected with the disease when it furnished the serum.

Many parents will now conceive a prejudice against the use of the antitoxin for diphtheria. If the child is to be safeguarded from one disease only to die at once of another, the inoculation cannot be said to be of much value. The proceeding is too much like jumping out of a problematical frying-pan into an indubitable fire. But occasional accidents do not deprive the worth of the remedy. The diphtheria antitoxin will save ten times more lives than it destroys. A reasonable view of the matter will lead to its continued use with greater precautions.

WOLCOTT AND THE CABINET.

A Republican from a western state, who has long been a warm personal friend of President Roosevelt, after spending an hour with him the other day, said to the newspaper correspondents:

"Do you know, I believe that the President meant to be taken literally when he announced to the country, immediately after McKinley's death,



E. O. WOLCOTT.

that he should, in addition to carrying out his politics on public questions, retain each member of the Cabinet."

This is not by any means the view taken by other Republicans, who think they are pretty well posted on what is going on in the President's mind these days, writes the Washington correspondent of the Chicago Inter Ocean. The more general opinion is that, no matter how sincerely President Roosevelt's announcement was made, circumstances will so shape themselves after Congress has been made acquainted with the new President's plans and purposes through his first annual message, that Cabinet changes will be inevitable.

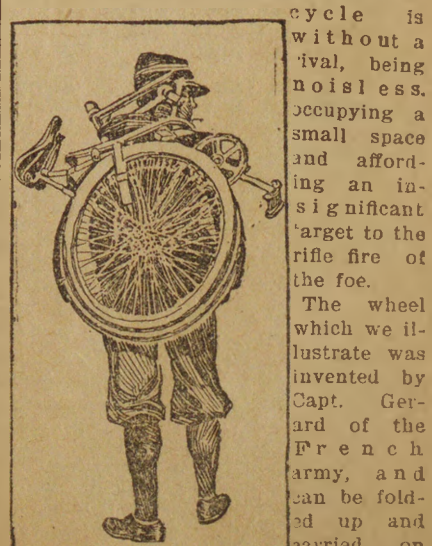
Among the new names most frequently suggested for the Cabinet is ex-Senator Edward O. Wolcott of Colorado.

Failure of the Erie Canal.

The announcement has been made that the Cleveland Steam Canal Boat Company has sold the steam canal boats and their consorts, which for several years past have been making trips between Cleveland and New York city, via Lake Erie and the Erie canal, to a new corporation that has been formed to carry on the lighterage business in the Philippine islands, and the vessels of its fleet are to be cut into sections for the purpose of carrying them in this form to Manila. The reason for this change, given by the general manager of the line, is that it is impossible to compete with the facilities offered by the competing steam railway companies.

Folding Bicycle.

Both the bicycle and automobile are meeting with favor from the army authorities in Europe. For scouting and the conveyance of dispatches the bicycle is



without a rival, being noiseless, occupying a small space and affording an insignificant target to the rifle fire of the foe. The wheel which we illustrate was invented by Capt. Gerard of the French army, and can be folded up and carried on the back. The frame is strengthened by a second tube running parallel with the first, thus giving the machine great rigidity.

Historic House to be Sold



William Makepeace Thackeray's old house, 2 Palace Green, London, which the novelist built in accordance with his ideas and where he passed his last days, was recently to be sold at auction.

Palace Green is part of the fashionable district at the extreme upper end of Hyde park, and gets its name from the fact that it is close to old Kensington palace, where Queen Victoria was born and spent her childhood. No. 2 is a picturesque dwelling, set well

back from the street and almost hidden by the trees by which it is surrounded.

This is not one of the several London houses in which Thackeray's best-known novels were written, but was built by him in his more prosperous old age. The circumstances of the transaction reveal the author of "Vanity Fair" in a rather new light, that of a careful provider. He wanted not only to buy a house where he could spend his last days quietly, but to make a

speculation that would eventually benefit those whom he left behind, and fancying that property in the district would increase in value as time went on he took a long lease of the site upon which at the time there stood an old and somewhat dilapidated family mansion.

Thackeray's first idea was to repair and alter this house, but he afterward decided to pull it down together. The annual rental of the Palace Green property was \$2,500, a figure which Thackeray's friends thought rather beyond his means, and when he began his building operations they were aghast at his extravagance. The author's judgment was vindicated eventually, however, for when the house was sold after his death it brought \$10,000 more than it had cost.

A remarkable story is current regarding General Sir Ian Hamilton's spectacles. The general lost a pair of spectacles at the battle of Majuba Hill. They must have been picked up by a Boer whom they suited, and who kept them for twenty years. In the early part of the present year the spectacles were found on the dead body of a Boer. The case had General Hamilton's name on it, and the glasses were in due course returned to their original owner.

Charles Algernon Parsons, the inventor and builder of the turbine engines of the ill-fated Viper and Cobra of the British navy, is a brother of Lord Rosse and a son of the famous Lord Rosse of the great telescope, from whom he inherited his strong bent toward scientific research and mechanics.

WHAT HE WANTED.

Redemption of a Man Who Went Plunging for His Women Folks. He was from the country, and...

CHOICE CIGARS RECOVERED.

How the Duke of Cornwall's 'Smokes' Fared Beneath the Waves. Private advices to a London tobacco dealer...

ANTI-MOSQUITO PLANT.

The Ricinus Communis Likely to Become a Favorite. The observation made by Prof. Starr of Chicago university...

Tyranny of the Trip.

It is becoming a common occurrence to hear of railway passengers being charged with assaulting others...

Air Guns Must be Forbid.

The question of boys with air guns, about Genoa has been one that must come to a climax in a very short time.

WOMEN AS INVESTORS.

Rise and Fall of the Confidence of Two Ladies. Two women had \$1,000 to invest, and after talking to a broker...

PRIVILEGES OF DIPLOMATS.

Above the Law in the Countries to Which They Are Sent. The recent arrest of a diplomat's son for larceny...

Thursday November 28, has been set as a day for Thanksgiving and prayer...

Additional Locals.

C. A. McDowell was doing business at Kirkland yesterday. The Mystic Workers entertained...

Kirkland, Nov., 14, 01.

Yesterday the large grain elevator, belonging to the sheep sheds was totally destroyed by fire.

A Popular Farm Paper.

For all of our readers are acquainted with THE PRAIRIE FARMER, published weekly at Chicago.

Lost: A small hand satchel, containing baby's clothing. Lost between John Corson's and Five Corners, Ney, on Sunday November 3.

Crowded The House

Every available seat was taken and standing room was at a premium at Rowan's opera house last Saturday evening...

What do we Learn?

That death is not the greatest ill, life not the greatest good or happiness the noblest end. That clay will harden in the furnace...

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Lost: A Poland China brood sow about 250 or 300 pounds. Strayed away from my place August 16.

F. B. Bettis of Sycamore has invented a new kind of paste for photo, library and passe-partout work.

In every competitive in which the graduates of the correspondence course of THE ROBERT ROSE SCHOOL FOR SHORTHAND have competed...

Judge Wyllys last week decided a suit, Johnson against C. B. & Q. R. R. Co., which was detrimental to the city of Plano...

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