

NOTES FROM THE COURT HOUSE

Six Boys Given Severe Lecture By Judge Pond

POUST AND DECKER PULL RAIDS

Payovitch Gets 60 Days In Jail and Draws \$300 Fine—Case of Mark Westlake Vs. C. M. & St. P. Is Up

Six boys of the ages from 14 to 16 years, residents of the City of DeKalb were brought up by State's Attorney Poust, before Judge Pond in the county court Monday on petition filed by Chief of Police Riddell, charging them with being delinquents. The police of DeKalb have for the past two months been receiving a number of complaints from automobile owners about the disappearance of their cars which later would be found abandoned at some other part of the town or at the same place after missing for several hours. A little of this same trouble was experienced by the police of Sycamore. The mystery was solved a few days ago when a report was turned in by a father of his missing son. The matter was soon connected up and the culprits rounded up. The boys all confessed that they had taken a number of cars from around the school at DeKalb and other places and after a few hours of joy riding brought the car back. On one occasion while watching a basket ball game at Sycamore they got tired of the game and promptly took possession of an auto parked outside of the school with which they returned to DeKalb. The boys admitted that they did not think of the worry and inconvenience caused to the owners and were real sorry.

The lecture delivered to them and their parents by Judge Pond will long be remembered by them. The judge stated that these boys were not wholly to blame. The parents who have control of these children should be the ones severely criticized for not inculcating into their charges the principals of right living and for allowing the children to run the streets at night and at all hours. He finally placed them on probation for a period of one year with orders that they are not to be found upon the streets after 8 p. m. without the written permission of their parents. If found without this permission they are to be picked up by the police and brought before him for a sentence to some institution. Owing to the fact that the boys are attending high school and he hopes that what publicity they have already received, together with the finding of the court is sufficient punishment for them, their names have been omitted.

State's Attorney Poust and Sheriff Decker made a couple of raids on Saturday night which resulted in the taking of two prisoners and a quantity of mash and moonshine liquor. The first raid was that on the home of Charles Chapalonus in the township of Cortland. Here the officers located a hidden cellar in which was a quantity of mash. This the officers destroyed and Chapalonus was arrested. Chapalonus was brought before Judge Pond in the county court on Monday on information filed by the State's Attorney and on his plea of guilty was sentenced to confinement in the county jail for a period of 60 days and to pay a fine of \$100 and costs.

The other raid was made in the city of DeKalb upon the home of John Pechous also known as John Luker. Here also a quantity of mash and white mule liquor was confiscated and Pechous arrested. He will be given a hearing later in the week.

The motion of state's attorney to terminate the probation of Christ Payovitch, former editor of the Montenegro Herald, of DeKalb, came up for hearing. The defendant was represented in court by Attorney Jas. M. Cliffe. Payovitch it will be remembered was fined \$300 and placed on probation for a year last November and subsequently was arrested with 23 gallons of moonshine in his possession. The motion made by the state's attorney was to set aside this probation and to sentence him on his original plea of guilty made at that time. This move was strongly opposed by the attorney for Payovitch, who argued at length against it. Judge Slusser after hearing the reply of the state's attorney overruled the contentions of defendant's counsel and sentenced the defendant to 60 days

A FALSE REPORT

Corrected by Secretary Emmerson in Article Published Below

Emphatic denial was made by Secretary of State Louis L. Emmerson, of statements in an article which has appeared recently in some of the downtown newspapers to the effect that the automobile department is or has been swamped with applications and is behind in sending out license plates. The report, the secretary believes, was inspired in the first place by persons anxious to find an excuse for their delinquency in securing license plates, and it has been reprinted through ignorance of the real conditions.

"The article states that the automobile department is a month behind in sending out plates," Secretary Emmerson said, "as a matter of fact, the department is right up to the minute in sending out plates and from the first day of the new year applications have been attended to on the day they were received.

"To date, a total of 533,000 licenses have been issued. This is 60,000 more than were issued during the same period last year.

"In other words, we are a month ahead of last year's mark, and that was the banner year up to that time. During the rush season, more than 10,000 licenses were issued and the plates mailed out each day. Every application has received attention on the day it reached the department.

"For several weeks, a force of inspectors from my office, armed with authority to arrest delinquents, has been scouring the state in an effort to force those who have not applied for licenses to send in their application at once.

"The article in question is likely to interfere with this work. For that reason I hope that this denial will be given the widest publicity. There is absolutely no excuse for the man who is operating his car without a 1922 license. At any time since January 1, he could have had new plates on his car within three days at most from the time of the receipt of application.

"There was once a time when the automobile department annually saw several weeks behind in filling out license plates. That time is past. The department is organized now so that it can carry the peak load with the promptness and efficiency of a carefully managed business institution.

GENOA'S REXALL DRUG STORE

Edgar Baldwin has secured the Genoa rights for a Rexall drug store and is installing this nationally known line of high class drugs and toiletries. Needless to say Mr. Baldwin is proud of the fact for it is very seldom that a city the size of Genoa is honored with these products. It speaks well for the proprietor who is an industrious merchant and druggist and will give the people the best that there is on the market at all times.

WHAT DOES THE WIND SAY?

Cully, Cully, in fact it seems to have it in for Mr. Fossler. A week ago during the wind storm, the chimney was blown off the barber shop and Wednesday of this week, during the terrific gale that blew throughout the day, his house was bereft of the large cement chimney that ran up the outside.

A roof and factory wall was blown in in the city of Rockford while uprooted trees were common all over this section.

In jail and to pay a fine of \$300. This of course concludes the case for which Payovitch was indicted last October. He will, after he has served his present sentence, still have to face the June grand jury on a charge for a second violation of the prohibition act.

The action of Norman B. Westlake and Mark H. Westlake co-partners, doing business as Westlake & Son, of Sycamore against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. P. Ry. for damages was continued. The suit is for \$2,999, damages which the plaintiffs claim to have sustained by reason of a freight car breaking its way through the gates of the Beaver Motor Mfg. Co. at Milwaukee and damaging a motor of the plaintiffs. The plaintiffs have ransomed the unusual sum of \$2,999 as damages sustained so that the case could not be removed to the Federal courts, which have jurisdiction in cases of \$3,000 or over.

Read and Use the Want Ad Column

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN

Read the Article Below and Then Gaze At the Cartoon

I. C. PRESIDENT MAKES STATEMENT

Nearly All Fatalities On Railroad Due To Carelessness at the Grade Crossings

The number of persons fatally injured on the Illinois Central system in 1921 was the smallest in twenty-four years, according to a recent statement from President C. H. Markham of that road. The number of fatalities in 1920 was a reduction of 30.7 per cent as compared with 1911, although the Illinois Central system handled 113 per cent more freight and 43 per cent more passengers than in 1911.

In the road service of the Illinois Central a passenger has not been fatally injured in more than four years. Only one passenger has been fatally injured in the entire history of the Chicago and North Western service on this road.

Trespassing and automobile grade crossing accidents are the most prolific causes of railway fatalities. In 1920 2,166 trespassers and 1,273 occupants of automobiles, or nearly one-half of the total number, were fatally injured on the railroads. More persons were fatally injured by falls, automobiles and burns than on the railroad.

GENOA WILL HAVE ICE DELIVERY

G. B. Dunmore of Sycamore Will Send Manufactured Ice to Genoa Daily

G. B. Dunmore of Sycamore was in Genoa last Saturday looking up business for his ice manufacturing plant. He has a large factory in Sycamore that makes artificial ice from pure, deep well water. Before being frozen the water is softened and filtered making it suitable for table use. In fact there is not a better grade of ice on the market than that which he is making and the modern equipment with which he has to work assures the people of this vicinity a supply of pure ice throughout the season.

There will be regular deliveries, and if necessary the trip to Genoa will be made every day.

All ice will be handled direct from his factory to consumer which assures the people the maximum quality at a minimum price.

For the present, anyone wanting ice may leave their order at the J. R. Kierman & Son Implement store altho in the near future, regular headquarters will be established in Genoa for the patrons in this vicinity.—Advertisement.

VERA DRAGOO TELLS STORY

Sycamore Girl Heralded as Bandit Queen from Coast to Coast

A few months ago Vera Dragoo was exonerated in a Chicago court from the charge of being a girl bandit and allowed to go to her home from whence she came after trying to secure employment and see life in the big city.

This week the Chicago Daily Journal started to print a series of stories written by her giving the reasons for her downfall as she termed it.

Needless to say the story is quite interesting and should be of much interest as well as value in teaching the young girls of the smaller cities to beware of the "big towns." It is, however, the old story of the separated parents and the wreaking of vengeance, not upon the parents, but upon the next generation.

SUNDAY POSTAL SERVICE

It is the desire of the Postmaster General that post offices of the third class reduce their Sunday service to a minimum. To this effect he has, in his order dated March 29, 1922, at Washington, D. C., stated that as far as practical third class post offices need not be open on Sunday for the delivery of mail to the general public except that which is special delivery.

In compliance of this order, beginning Sunday, April 30, 1922, the Genoa post office will not open for the delivery of mail on Sunday. All special delivery mail will be delivered and the lobby will be open from 9:00 a. m. until 12:00 m.

An Eastern Star Bakery Sale

will be held at 2:00 o'clock p. m. Saturday, April 22, at Evans' Cafe. There will be a large variety of cakes, pies, bread, rolls, doughnuts, cookies and baked beans from which to choose.

NEWS TWENTY YEARS AGO

Items Clipped from The Genoa Issue of April 25, 1902

A. B. Clefford has rented the house of Howard Renn on Genoa street and will soon move to this city from Chicago.

A certain party offers for sale in either cash or on time a new, neat and pleasantly located cottage of modern design, including a lot, well and cellar for only \$1300. Prices seem to have undergone a readjustment in the last twenty years.

The Illinois Central has extended its line thru to Florida.

Cash markets on grain in Chicago were as follows: Wheat 83; corn 62x, oats 43; cattle \$7.35; hogs \$7.25; sheep \$7.15. Butter 28c.

Fletcher Hannah of Genoa put up a concrete wall for an addition on Joe Dumolin's house last week. This kind of a wall is coming more in use than ever before.—We think that the writer was right in his deductions as concrete is now almost wholly used for foundation work.

The Milwaukee railroad has six passenger trains daily to Chicago and six from Chicago. The Illinois Central has five trains going east and six going west that carries passengers. All of these trains stopped at Genoa.—Oh well, that was twenty years ago.

MARENGO MOTORISTS ORGANIZE

Form Auto Club With Purpose of Getting Action on Bond Issue Road

Marengo motorists are stirring things up in general among themselves and at present the signs betoken an automobile association similar to that of our city and vicinity. It is rumored that Harvard will also undertake the same project.

The movement is for the purpose of banding together in a working unit all the motorists of that vicinity. This is done in order to facilitate a powerful body, acting as one, to back the routing of bond issue road No. 23.

As yet no definite route has been marked; the voting of the bond issue merely stating that such and such a town would be connected with a hard road, the route to be determined later.

The people of Genoa and vicinity should all help by boosting for the road to pass thru our city. Encourage others to help us by helping them.

'T WAS A QUIET ELECTION

That Was Held on Tuesday of This Week—No Contestants

The city election took place on Tuesday of this week, but from the number of ballots cast, the people did not seem interested generally speaking. Not a hundred votes were cast in the entire city.

Robert Cruikshank was re-elected alderman of the 1st ward; S. T. Zeller was re-elected alderman of the 2nd ward and Fred Vandresser was elected to succeed Kline Shipman in the 3rd ward. A. Senska was elected to the office of police magistrate.

BURLINGTON TO HAVE LIGHTS

Illinois Northern Utilities Co. to Add That Village to Its List

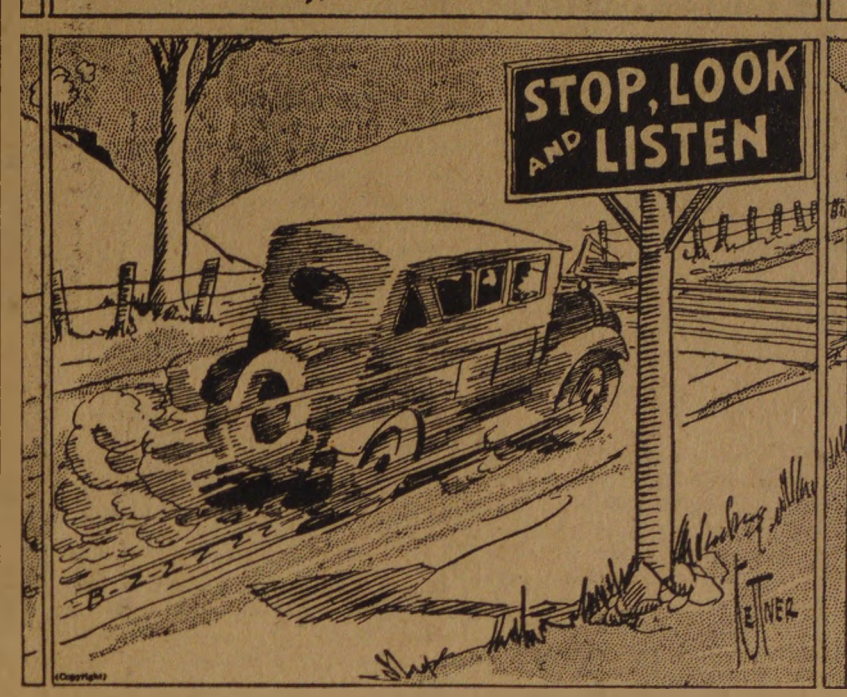
Division manager, Saladay, and district manager Watson were in Burlington on Wednesday of this week to look after the interests of the I. N. Util. Co. that will soon extend service to that city.

The poles are waiting to be set and Burlington houses are all wired in anticipation of the "juice." It will, no doubt, be of great help to that town for we know what it is to go back to the era of lamps. Don't you?

A Bostonian Lesson.

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

Deaf, Dumb and Blind



HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

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

The following program was given Friday afternoon at the high school, Francis Abraham presiding:

Piano Solo, "Cherished Dream",—Harriet Doty; Reading, "Never Use Big Words"—Harold Nelson; Song, "To the Dandelion"—Ruby Russell; Musical reading, "Patchwork Quilt",—Rhea Saul; Monologue, "Writing Personals"—Clarence Russell; Piano Solo, "Beautiful World of My Dreams"—Margaret Pratt; Song, "The Hotentot",—Albert Underwood; Violin Solo "Waves of the Ocean"—James Giblin; Song, Adale White; Song, "Yhy Dear"—Myrtle Van Wie. The school wishes to express their appreciation for the outside contributions.

Junior-Senior Class Project

For the past week numerous bulletins have been received to be used in the school library. The junior-senior class, as a class project in writing sent to several colleges for them.

U. A. D.'s Enjoy Picnic

Last Saturday the U. A. D. club celebrated the most pleasant day in April, by hiking to the river and making a day of it. All appetites were appeased about 12:15. The afternoon was enjoyably spent with the aid of kodaks and guns. When the hikers broke up, they all declared that they had had a "ripping good time." (Ches doncherknow.)

Election of Teachers

The public will be interested to know that all of the teachers have been asked to return next year. As yet none of them have signed their contracts.

DE KALB'S NEW THEATRE

Now In Process of Construction—Will Be Up-To-Date in Every Respect

Work of excavating for the new picture theater in DeKalb has begun and with the aid of numerous vehicles that have been pressed into service the structure should be completed by this fall.

It will be located next to the Fisk garage and when finished will have room for two small shops, one on each side of the entrance.

MASQUERADE DANCE

Given by the Suffragette Club Was Well Attended, Despite Poor Weather

Monday evening of this week the masquerade dance under auspices of the Suffragette Club was given. A goodly crowd was in attendance despite the adverse weather conditions and the costumes worn by all created much mirth and admiration.

BALL TEAM HELD PRACTICE

The Genoa ball players were in evidence Sunday afternoon at the local diamond. Just a few of the boys turned out however and it takes nine to play the game. Let's get out and at'em fellows. The weather from now on will probably be more conducive to the base ball fever than heretofore and Genoa must have a real team this season.

EASTER CANTATA WAS ENJOYED

Those who attended the Easter Cantata rendered by the M. E. choir last Sunday evening, were treated to some exceptionally good singing. The whole cantata was enjoyed by the large audience and it is hoped that the near future will see more of these song festivals.

YATES ON THE BONUS

There are various arguments against a real bonus for the soldiers. By long odds the most interesting is the argument that a bonus will insult the men who served their country "with no expectation of reward."

Richard Yates, Illinois representative in Congress, paid his respects to this argument a few days ago as follows:

"When England asked us for four thousand million dollars we gave them to her. It was an insult, no doubt but she stood for it. When France wanted three and a half billions we gave them to her; another insult, but France swallowed it. Even the King of Belgium went home with a draft for a hundred and fifty million dollars in his pocket.

"And now when our own boys come home for what they ought to have, men here orate all day long and hesitate. I do not hesitate.

"I am going to vote for this bill, because we can afford it; and because till we pass it our promise has not been kept. I mean the promise you and I made under the trees in the courthouse yard the day the boys went away."

Which would you risk—an insult or a broken promise?

INSANE MAN FOUND

Near Charter Grove—Wandering Without Hat or Shoes, Nearly Frozen

Sheriff Decker was called to Charter Grove last Wednesday to apprehend an insane man. The poor fellow had neither shoes nor hat and was nearly frozen when found. After considerable telephoning, Sheriff Decker learned that the man had escaped from Elgin and he was immediately taken back.

COONLEY MOVING MARKET

Will Occupy the Goding Building on East Main Street

Mr. Coonley, who, for some time, has been conducting a meat market in the A. L. Holroyd building on Main street, is moving this week to more pretentious quarters in the Goding building. Mr. Coonley was cramped for room in the other place, hence the move.

He will install a refrigerator counter and a new ice machine. Every thing will be strictly sanitary and up to the last word in meat retailing.

NOTICE

Those interested in temperance work are invited to attend a meeting in the M. E. church parlors Monday evening, April 24, Mrs. James Conlin, president of the county W. C. T. U., of Sycamore will deliver an address to those who are in attendance. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock p. m.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS TO MEET

The Adult Bible Class will hold their monthly business meeting at the Methodist church parlors, Tuesday evening, April 25, at 7:30. A program will be rendered and refreshments served. All members are urged to be present.

What Puzzled Pat.

Two Irish passengers were gazing over the after rail of the steamer. "Dye know, Mike," said Pat. "O! can't understand how the captain finds his way across the ocean at all, at all. If we was goin' the other way, now, all he'd have to do would be to follow that white streak behind there, but in front there's devil a mark of any kind."—Boston Transcript.

HEALTH PROMOTION WEEK

Designated By Governor Small—If Followed Will be Invaluable

WEEK OF MAY 7TH TO THE 13TH

Birth Registration; Physical Examination; Paint Up and Clean Up During The Week

Following is the program given by the sponsors of this great state-wide movement and, if followed closely, the good obtained will be invaluable:

Sunday, May 7—Health sermons and talks by ministers, Sunday school teachers, Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. workers.

Monday, May 8—Launching of a birth registration campaign. All field work to be carried out during the day. Every possible means should be employed for obtaining the name and address of every child born in each community of the state since January 1, 1922.

Tuesday, May 9—Completion of birth registration campaign. Lists of names collected on Monday should be checked against the birth records of the local registrar and certificates secured for all births found to be not registered.

Wednesday, May 10, Better baby conferences and milk pasteurization campaign. "A better baby conference for every county and a pasteurized milk supply for every community in the state" is the slogan.

Thursday, May 11, Vaccination day. Every effort should be made to see that all unvaccinated persons in every community of the state are vaccinated against smallpox on this day.

Friday, May 12, Health day in the schools. One study period in every school of the state should be devoted to essential health lessons. Health playlets and other special programs for the entire school are advisable. 2. Annual physical examination for adults. All persons are urged to see their family physicians for a thorough medical examination on this day.

Saturday, May 13, Clean up and paint up day. Join the national "clean-up and paint-up" movement. Give a veteran a job and beautify your home and community.

CHARTER OAK SCHOOL HONORED

Receive a Certificate of Service for Contributing to Near East Relief

A certificate of service has been awarded to the Charter Oak school of Genoa, Illinois, for contribution of \$6.00 from the teacher and pupils of the school toward saving the lives of thousands of helpless orphan children in the near east. The certificate was sent to Miss Frieda Kohne of Genoa by the Illinois office of the near east relief in Chicago.

School children all over the state, as well as all over the country are reported to be taking a great interest in this effort to raise funds to relieve the suffering among the children of the near east. The school contributions are a part of the general campaign in the state which is designed to care for 20,000 orphan children for one year. Each \$60 raised to the state supports an orphan for one year.

JOHN MANN DIED IN ELGIN

Was Well Known in Genoa and Had His Home in Sycamore

John S. Mann, one of the early importers of Holstein-Friesian cattle from Holland and for many years an Elgin resident, died yesterday at his home in Sycamore.

Mr. Mann was born in Burlington in 1859 and was sixty-two years old at his death. He was a son of the late Hon. Sylvester S. Mann, for some time a prominent figure in politics of Illinois.

He had spent most of his life in the Holstein-Friesian cattle business. With his father he was one of the first importers from Holland. He made a trip to Holland at one time during the early importing days.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 11 o'clock in Sycamore. Burial in Bluff City cemetery, Elgin.—Elgin News.

There's a Reason.

"You say you doted on your last mistress?" "Yes, mum. I certainly did." "Then why did you leave her?" "We couldn't continue to be friends on my wages mum."—Birmingham Age Herald.

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MOST IMPORTANT NEWS OF WORLD

BIG HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK CUT TO LAST ANALYSIS.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Kernels Culled From Events of Moment in All Parts of the World—Of Interest to All the People Everywhere.

Washington

Commissioner Haynes announced at Washington that the federal courts in the last six months have reported nearly 12,000 prohibition amendment indictments, out of which 8,000 convictions were obtained.

The senate at Washington adopted the resolution extending the 3 per cent immigration restriction law. The life of the present law, which expires June 30, 1922, was extended to June 30, 1924, one year longer than proposed by the house.

President and Mrs. Harding attended Easter services at Calvary Baptist church, where they are parishioners. Throngs greeted the President upon his arrival for the morning services.

The senate at Washington voted to increase from \$200,000 to \$500,000 an appropriation to eradicate the barberry bush, which is damaging the wheat crops in 16 Middle Western states.

President Harding and members of his cabinet at Washington dispensed with the Friday cabinet meeting in deference to Good Friday. The President, however, met the newspaper correspondents as usual.

Increase in the value of America's foreign trade was reported by the Department of Agriculture at Washington with announcement that exports last month aggregated \$332,000,000, the highest since October, 1921.

The house at Washington rejected, by a vote of 56 to 32, an amendment by Representative Chndblom (Rep., Ill.) to increase the appropriation for the Great Lakes naval training station.

Domestic

A suicide motive was virtually established by Rockford (Ill.) police officials in the investigation into the mysterious death by poison of Grace Hoffman, seventeen-year-old student of Rockford college.

The two-masted schooner W. F. Dodge, said to be bound from Nassau in the Bahamas, for St. Pierre, Michigan, with a load of liquor, was seized by a police patrol as it was entering the Narrows at New York.

The wage scale of electrotype finishers in the book and job electrotyping shops of Greater New York will remain unchanged at \$39 a week for another year as a result of arbitration.

The bill extending use of the government's naval radio facilities for commercial and press services until June 30, 1925, was signed by President Harding at Washington.

Mancy Kelley committed suicide at Lakeville, Miss., shortly before noon, the time set for his hanging in connection with the murder of Prohibition Officer Greer and Town Marshal Duncan at Richton.

Floods continue to sweep farms and towns in Illinois and other Mid-West regions, with the Mississippi river and tributaries rising.

Lady Astor sailed from Southampton on the White Star liner Olympia for New York. She is on the way to Baltimore to be the guest of the League of Women Voters at their convention.

Henry Waterson, former editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, left an estate of \$228,500, mostly in government securities, according to the terms of his will probated in county court at Louisville, Ky.

Several thousand building trades union workers on strike at Cleveland, O., since March 1 returned to work.

Miss Edna Smith, thirty-seven years old, and Mrs. Leo Nush, thirty-five, who with their sister, Mrs. Charles Senenbaugh, were rated the wealthiest women in Aurora, Ill., were killed at Lakehurst, N. J., in their auto at a railroad crossing.

Thirteen cars of a train of valuable freight, north-bound on the Illinois Central railroad, were destroyed when the train was wrecked at a washout on the road near Parkersville, Ind.

The property damage resulting from the explosion of one and one-half tons of T N T at Helper, Utah, is estimated by authorities to be about \$25,000.

Paul Henderson of Chicago was sworn in as second assistant postmaster general at Washington.

Col. Ezra L. Fuller, one of the few surviving Civil war officers, will be retired July 1 at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., where he has been stationed for nearly twenty years.

The largest shipment of rattan ever landed in an American port is moving to Grand Rapids, Mich., on 14 cars. It arrived at San Francisco on the steamer Pine Tree State from Singapore.

Three men, Elmer Thrill, John Shumate and Ed Riggs, all of Columbus, O., were killed while sleeping on the tracks of the Texas and Pacific railroad near Trimble, Tex.

Diamonds valued at \$50,000 were taken from the office safe of Max Kurjan company, jewelers, in a downtown office building at Cleveland, O., by three bandits.

Waters of the Illinois river continue rising and three-fourths of the population of Beardstown, Ill., have been driven from their homes.

"Shoot to kill" orders were issued by Police Superintendent Cathoun at Pittsburgh, Pa., following the equipping of every police station in the city with riot guns in an effort to check the crime wave.

Buried shells are believed to have been the cause of a double explosion at Port Terminal, a former ammunition dump near Charleston, S. C., resulting in the death of three men.

Abolition of the tent colonies of striking miners and establishment of a "free labor market" is required in an injunction issued by United States District Judge George W. McClintic at Charleston, W. Va.

Representative S. H. Brison of the Third congressional district of North Carolina, died in a Newbern hospital at Newbern, N. C.

Jim Eslinger, who has been asleep continuously for three years, died at the Sebastian county hospital at Fort Smith, Ark.

General Pershing will visit Montreal May 12 to receive the degree of doctor of laws from McGill university.

Henry Merwin Shradly, noted sculptor, who designed the Grant memorial at Washington, which is to be unveiled April 27, died in St. Luke's hospital at New York.

Sporting

President Harding officially started the 1922 baseball season at American League park in Washington by tossing out the first ball to Pitcher George Mogridge in the game between the Nationals and the Yankees.

Personal

Adrian Constantine Anson, "the father of baseball," is dead at Chicago. His death came after an illness of several days which necessitated an operation.

Foreign

Soviet Russia's new criminal code at Moscow provides assistants to the judges as a substitute for juries.

The Imperial, first foreign hotel in Japan, and famous as a gathering place for tourists, burned to the ground with the loss of one life at Tokyo.

Seven Mexican rebels, including Crisrin Contreras, a former lieutenant in the federal army, were killed in a fight between 1000 federal cavalry and a group of Insurrectos near Elsuchil, state of Vera Cruz.

An assault on the Spanish positions at Miskrella, Morocco, was repulsed by the Spanish garrison, which defended the blockhouses successfully until the arrival of reinforcements, says an official Madrid communique. The attackers left 61 dead on the field.

The reparations commission at Paris adopted the text of a note to Germany informing her that the commission's decisions of March 21, notably as regards payments to be made until May 31, are maintained.

The formal reception out of the way, the prince of Wales entered upon a month of feting and entertainment as the guest of Japan. He was welcomed by the diet, after a visit to the Imperial university at Tokyo.

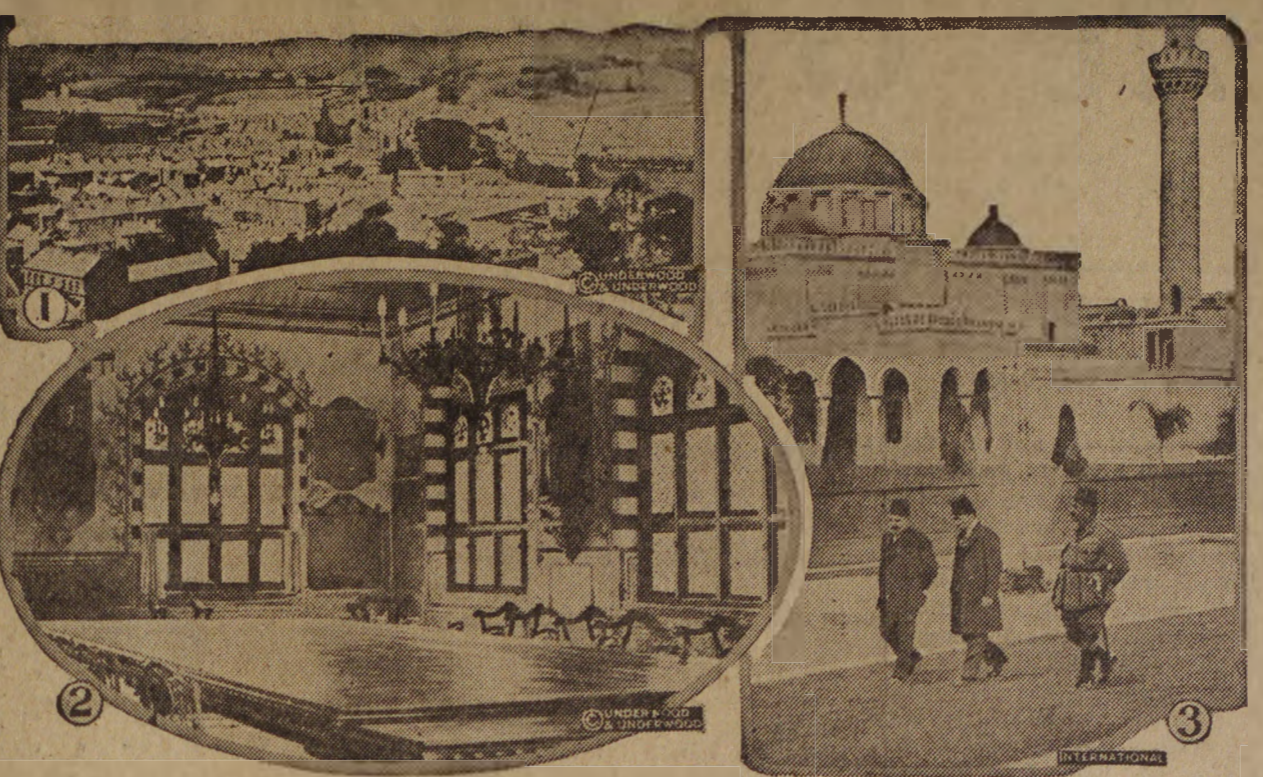
A general strike has been declared throughout Portugal in protest against the arrest of 120 syndicalists. So far, however, the call has not met with any response worthy of note from the workmen, says a London dispatch.

Several leaders of the recent revolution against the Albanian government have been executed and others have been sentenced to the fortress at Argyrokastron, says a dispatch from Tirana.

Gunmen at Dublin attempted to kill Michael Collins, head of the provisional Irish government.

Khara Singh, president of the Punjab congress committee, who recently led the agitation over the guardianship of the Sikhs shrines, has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment at Lahore, India.

Communists occupied the Rome power plants, located at Tivoli, where the celebrated cascades supply the power for lighting Rome.



1.—View of Enniskillen, on the Ulster border, scene of fierce fighting in the Irish factional warfare. 2.—Room in the palace in Genoa where the economic conference opened. 3.—Fuad, first king of Egypt in two thousand years, walking in his palace garden.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Russian Delegates Start Rows in the Economic Conference in Genoa.

INSISTING ON DISARMAMENT

Lloyd George's Plan for Ten-Year Peace Pact—Germans Expect Discussion of Reparations—Senate's Tariff Bill Reported—Progress of Fight to Save Navy.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

LACKING the spirit that animated the Washington conference, that of reaching an agreement, the European economic conference which opened last week in Genoa may, nevertheless, manage to evolve some comprehensive project that will meet the needs of the old world.

Soviet Russia, through its spokesman, Tchitcherin, though accepting the "civilized nation test" of the Cannes agreement in order to obtain a seat in the conference, is still insistent and almost obstreperous, being bolstered by the support of the Germans and certain of the neutral nations and by the universally admitted fact that Europe cannot be restored economically until Russia is again one of the family of nations.

Next day the Russians protested the presence of the Japanese and the Rumanians, because Japan and Rumania are "unlawfully occupying Russian territories in Siberia and Bessarabia. Viscount Ishii replied that Japan would take part in the conference in spite of the Russian objections, and Bratiano, premier of Rumania, asserted that Bessarabia, which is mainly populated by his countrymen, had been awarded to Rumania by the allies.

Organization of the committees brought more trouble. The first and chief one, to deal with Russian affairs, is made up of Great Britain, France, Italy, Germany, Russia, Belgium and Japan, and of Poland, Rumania, Sweden and Switzerland, elected by the little powers.

Several leaders of the recent revolution against the Albanian government have been executed and others have been sentenced to the fortress at Argyrokastron, says a dispatch from Tirana.

Gunmen at Dublin attempted to kill Michael Collins, head of the provisional Irish government.

Khara Singh, president of the Punjab congress committee, who recently led the agitation over the guardianship of the Sikhs shrines, has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment at Lahore, India.

LLOYD GEORGE has ready for presentation to the conference a mutual guaranty pact, a variation of Article X of the League of Nations covenant, by which wars in Europe would be prohibited for ten years.

LEADERS of the Free State and together with several neutral but influential personages, began a conference in Dublin Thursday which it was hoped would result in an agreement on the hostilities and an agreement on the date of the elections.

THE senate finance committee's version of the revised tariff was reported on Tuesday, bearing the signatures of all of the ten Republican members except Senator La Follette of Wisconsin.

Up to this time the Germans haven't had much to say in the conference, but in the first meeting of the committee on finance Herr Hermas, German minister of finance, started something of a row by alluding to the reparations. Picard of France angrily objected to even the mention of the word.

SENATOR FRANCE of Maryland has informed the statesmen in Genoa that he is pressing in the senate a resolution for representation of the United States in the conference, and asks them to renew their invitation to Washington.

THE question of the revision of the German reparations is extremely vital to European reconstruction and therefore it is regrettable that the conference refuses to discuss it. In fact, it is doubtful whether the conference will result in much unless the reparations are discussed.

JAPAN, while negotiating an agreement with the Chita government of the Far East—an agreement which is reported to have been already signed—is ruthlessly supporting the Vladivostok government, to the extent of fighting the Chita forces continually.

As for Shantung, the chances that China will ever recover that province from Japan are fading. The Chinese are distracted with their civil war, and those who know conditions can see no way in which China can raise the price which Japan exacts for the return of the Shantung developments and the Kiau-Chau leased territory.

000. General Yul, the Japanese military commander there, says Japan will remain until China fulfills every pledge made in Washington.

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THERE is not much to be said concerning the coal miners' strike. President Lewis of the mine workers estimates that during the week 25,000 nonunion men joined the strikers, making a total of 75,000 recruits of that class. In some Ohio fields strikers in large bodies made demonstrations at mines still operating, and the owners appealed for protection.

GROWING fiercer daily, the fight between the "little navy" men in the house and those who support the administration's ideas on this matter developed some fireworks last week. Party lines are broken, and Mr. Padgett of Tennessee, former chairman of the naval committee, led many of his fellow Democrats to the support of the administration.

TWO Republican ex-service men, Woodruff of Michigan and Johnson of South Dakota, united in threatening Attorney General Daugherty with impeachment and in demanding wholesale courts-martial in the War department. They asked that a select committee of the house investigate the liquidation of war-time contracts, charging fraud and corruption in the sale of property at ridiculously low prices to favored individuals.

GENERAL SEMENOFF, who calls himself ataman of all the Cossacks, is having his troubles in the United States. Coming to raise funds to renew warfare on soviets, he was arrested in a civil suit resulting from a theft of goods by his forces; and then the government was asked to deport him, and American officers told a senate committee of the outrages committed by his men in Siberia.

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Road and Bridge Fund
Treasurer's Report

Sate of Illinois,
County of DeKalb, } ss
Town of Genoa.
Office of Treasurer of the Road
and Bridge Fund of said Town.

The following is a statement by A. G. Stewart, Treasurer of the Road and Bridge Fund of the Town of Genoa, in the County and State aforesaid, of the amount of road and bridge funds received and expended by him during the year just closed, ending on the last Tuesday in March, being the 28th day of March, A. D. 1922, showing the amount of road and bridge funds on hand at the beginning of said year, the amount of the road and bridge funds received, and from what sources received, the amount of road and bridge funds expended, and for what purposes expended, during the year aforesaid.

The said A. G. Stewart, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the following statement by him subscribed is a correct statement of the amount of road and bridge funds on hand at the beginning of the fiscal year above

RECEIPTS	
Date	Amount
March 29, Amount of road and bridge funds on hand at the beginning of the year...	\$5,020.55
May 14, Received from County Treasurer	5,000.00
July 8, Received from County Treasurer	1,779.19
Total receipts	\$11,799.74
DISBURSEMENTS	
Date	Amount
March 30, Henry Koerner, road work	\$ 98.00
April 11, Tibbits, Cameron Lumber Co., plank for road	9.32

April 14, Joe Patterson, road work	123.56
April 16, Forest Davis, road work	22.20
April 26, John Scherf, road work	107.00
April 29, Hutt Bros, road work	18.00
April 30, H. H. Myers, road work	82.50
May 5, James P. Anderson, road work	17.50
May 11, Holcomb-Dutton Lumber Co., tile	33.87
May 12, Forest Davis, road work	22.00
May 24, Charles Nelson, tile in road	82.06
May 31, A. W. Berkley, road work	17.50
May 31, Philip Thorworth, road work	51.00
June 4, Joe Patterson, road work	164.50
June 6, Otto Peterson, tile	15.00
June 9, A. S. Wirsing, road work	64.50
June 9, H. H. Myers, road work and gravel	175.75
June 9, John Scherf, road work	138.00
June 11, Chgo. Mil. and St. P. Ry. Co. freight	82.15
June 13, Stacy Gray, road work	4.00

June 14, Tibbits, Cameron Lumber Co. cement and lumber	145.06
June 16, Harshman and Shipman, road work	85.00
June 18, C. B. Corson, road work	129.00
June 18, Chgo. Mil. and St. P. Ry. Co. freight on road oil	82.92
June 21, Perkins and Son, nails, spikes, lanterns and brushes	7.69
June 27, Andrew Hutt, road work	162.75
June 30, G. Corns, road work	2.50
July 1, H. H. Myers, road work	152.00
July 1, A. S. Wirsing, road work	102.00
July 1, Standard Oil Co., oil	1187.40
July 7, Joe Patterson, road work	106.00
July 13, Chicago, Mil. & St. P. Ry. Co. freight on oil	80.79
July 13, Henry Koerner, road work	118.50
July 14, John Scherf, road work	147.50
July 15, T. B. Gray, road work	217.00
July 25, R. B. Field, spreading oil on roads	436.93
July 27, Standard Oil Co., oil	530.15
July 28, M. J. Corson, road work	182.00
Aug. 1, Forest Davis, road work	12.00
Aug. 11, T. B. Gray, road work and gravel	210.00
Aug. 17, Joe Patterson, road work and gravel	84.55
Aug. 19, John Scherf, road work	103.00
Aug. 19, John Scherf, road work	132.00
Aug. 29, Howard M. Crawford, gravel	60.06
Sept. 3, A. F. Corson, road work	105.75
Sept. 7, Ray Lange, road work	59.00
Sept. 8, F. Gustafson, gravel	73.00
Sept. 9, Martin Anderson, road work	25.50
Sept. 16, Ben Awe, road work	33.00
Sept. 21, Henry Koerner, road work	87.50
Sept. 24, Harshman and Shipman, road work	29.00
Sept. 29, B. C. Ainley, road work	18.00
Oct. 3, Ray Lange, road work	106.00
Oct. 4, J. R. Kiernan & Son, repair on mower	1.50
Oct. 5, Oscar Davis, road work	60.00
Oct. 6, L. C. Brown, road work	99.30
Oct. 7, James P. Anderson, road work	58.00
Oct. 8, John Scherf, road work	115.00
Oct. 13, Joe Patterson, road work	133.00
Oct. 13, Radley E. White, road work	85.50
Oct. 15, Oscar Wilcox, tile in road	19.00
Oct. 15, H. H. Myers, road work	101.00

Feb. 4, F. J. Finley, road work and gravel	50.00
Feb. 6, James Anderson, road work	6.00
Feb. 6, James Powers, road work	7.00
Feb. 10, T. B. Gray, road work	27.00
Feb. 18, John Scherf, road work	117.00
Mar. 3, W. D. Bartle, road work	18.00
Mar. 4, Fred Wahl, road work	4.20
Mar. 13, Barr's Culverts and Machinery, road signs	196.00
Mar. 18, Forest Davis, road work	39.50
Total Road and Bridge Funds Expended	\$11,824.04
RECAPITULATION	
Total Road and Bridge Funds Received	\$11,799.74
Total Road and Bridge Funds Expended	\$11,824.04
1922	
Mar. 28, Road and Bridge Funds Overdrawn	\$ 24.30

Sept. 7, Walter M. Buck, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 7, James Hutchison, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 7, E. C. Crawford, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 8, Wm. Elklor, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 9, L. F. Scott, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 10, F. A. Holly, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 12, Walter Noll, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 15, G. C. Kitchen, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 15, R. B. Field, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Dec. 5, Zetler & Son, Rent of Polling Place	15.00
TOTAL EXPENDED	\$1611.53
RECAPITULATION	
Total amount of town funds received	\$1352.99
Total amount of town funds expended	\$1611.53

Fuses Prevent Fires.
When an electric current flows through a wire it makes the wire warm, explains Popular Science. Different materials resist the flow to different extents and are accordingly heated to different degrees. Fuse wire is made of an alloy containing a large proportion of lead, which gets very warm when large currents pass through it. Furthermore, since this alloy melts easily, the current, if large enough, may cause the fuse wire to melt.
Wherever current is being consumed in the house or factory, a piece of fuse wire is put somewhere in the circuit. If through accident or design too much current should be used, the fuse wire will melt, or, as is usually described, "blow," and stop the flow of current before the copper wire inside the walls can heat up and set fire to the house.

The Telescope.
Tradition has it that about the beginning of the Seventeenth century one Jansen, a spectacle maker of Middleburg, Holland, constructed a telescope about 16 inches in length, which he exhibited to Prince Maurice and the Archduke Albert, who, appreciating the importance of the discovery, paid him a sum of money to keep it concealed. Another spectacle maker, Lippershey made application in 1608 to the states general for a patent for a telescope, as also did Metius, a professor of mathematics, but in the former instance, at least, it was refused, as the apparatus was already known. It seems certain that the instrument was known more or less about Europe, but the honor of its invention usually is given to Galileo, who was the first to describe the instrument and exhibit it in complete form in May, 1609.

Instinct of Prairie Dogs.
Prairie dogs seem to have some kind of foreknowledge of the weather, if observers at the New York Zoological park are right. Now and then the large members of the colony loosen the earth round their mounds with their forefeet, then shovel the soil upward with their hind feet. Other members work inside the burrow, throwing out earth to aid in the building. When a dyke has been built, the animals tamp the earth down with their heads—an amusing sight. As these operations invariably take place before a storm, the obvious purpose is to build a dam that will keep the water from running into the burrow.

No Standard of Weight.
The bureau of railway economics says there is no standard for the weight of a railroad rail. This depends entirely on the traffic the particular road is handling. Usually rails are not measured by the foot, but by the yard. Formerly railroads used the 80-pound rail per yard, but now most roads use the 100-pound rail. The Virginian railroad is using a 120-pound rail, as it handles very heavy traffic.

Room Dark, Floor Lighted.
One of the inconveniences of walking about in a dark room at night is hitting the feet against things unseen. At the same time one does not always want to light up the room. Practical Electricians (New York) describes the device of a western electrical engineer, who places lamps under the bed and bureau. In this way the floor is brightly lighted, while the upper part of the room remains dark. Thus one can walk about in perfect comfort, and at the same time in privacy.

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Oct. 18, Wm. F. Schwartz, road work	93.00
Oct. 19, Radley E. White, road work	34.50
Oct. 20, Martin Primm, road work and gravel	219.50
Oct. 21, T. B. Gray, road work	168.00
Oct. 22, Henry Koerner, road work and repairs	105.00
Oct. 29, James Powers, road work	114.00
Oct. 31, Henry Factly, road work	66.00
Nov. 2, Arnold Hart, road work	106.50
Nov. 3, F. A. Tischler, repair work	74.00
Nov. 3, John Scherf, road work	120.00
Nov. 4, Radley E. White, road work	51.00
Nov. 7, Klauer Mfg. Co., 2 sec. 10 in. cor. culvert	41.60
Nov. 8, August Nelson, road work	128.00
Nov. 10, Alfred Johnson, road work	48.00
Nov. 10, Continental Bridge Co., grader blade and tooth	44.50
Nov. 12, Henry Krueger, road work	41.00
Nov. 18, H. C. Wallick, road work	199.50
Nov. 19, Joe Patterson, road work	137.00
Nov. 25, Ill. Central Ry. Co., freight	128.88
Nov. 25, Ill. Central Ry. Co., freight	130.05
Nov. 25, Lee A. Wyld, road work	39.00
Nov. 26, Sidney Davis, road work	36.25
Nov. 26, Forest Davis, road work	42.00
Nov. 26, Chas. Worden, road work	18.00
Nov. 26, John Scherf, road work	123.00
Nov. 26, Richardson Sand Co., 3 Cars gravel	99.52
Nov. 26, A. W. Berkley, road work	20.00
Nov. 28, Richardson Sand Co., gravel	98.62
Nov. 28, Tibbits, Cameron Lbr. Co., cement and lumber	78.54
Nov. 29, Harshman and Shipman, bridge work	20.60
Dec. 2, Klauer Mfg. Co., sewer pipe	347.50
Dec. 5, Ray Lange, road work	22.00
Dec. 6, Barr's Culverts and Machinery, culverts	198.00
Dec. 8, Perkins and Son, spikes	2.94
Dec. 10, Julius Thomas, road work	89.00
Dec. 10, Myers and Myers, road work	62.50
Dec. 12, F. C. Bowen, gravel	28.50
Dec. 12, Tibbits, Cameron Lumber Co., drain tile and posts	34.76
Dec. 19, T. B. Gray, road work	150.00
Dec. 19, Joe Patterson, road work and gravel	176.55
Dec. 19, Oscar Davis, road work	45.00
Dec. 19, H. E. Wallick, road work	30.00
Dec. 20, Frank Gustafson, gravel	60.50
Dec. 21, Barr's Culverts and Machinery, slip scrapers and signs	198.00
Dec. 27, Forest Davis, road work	15.00
Dec. 27, W. D. Bartle, road work	21.00
Dec. 28, Sidney Davis, road work	7.00
1922	
Jan. 4, John Scherf, road work	113.00
Jan. 20, Henry Koerner, road work	98.00

Supervisor's Report

Sate of Illinois,
County of DeKalb, } ss
Town of Genoa.

OFFICE OF TOWN SUPERVISOR

The following is a statement by A. G. Stewart, Supervisor of the Town of Genoa, in the county of DeKalb and State of Illinois, of the amount of public funds received and expended by him during the fiscal year just closed, ending on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1922, showing the amount of public funds on hand at the commencement of said fiscal year, the amount of public funds received and from what sources received, the amount of public funds expended and for what purposes expended during said fiscal year ending as aforesaid.

The said A. G. Stewart, being duly sworn, doth depose and say, that the following statement by him subscribed, is a correct statement of the amount of public funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year above stated, the amount of public funds received, and the amount expended and purpose for which expended, as set forth in said statement.

Date	Amount
1921	
Mar. 28, Amount of public funds on hand at commencement of the fiscal year	\$ 82.72
May 14, Received from county Treasurer	1,000.00
July 8, Received from county Treasurer	270.27
Total Funds Received	\$1,352.99
Funds Expended and For What Purposes Expended	
Date	Amount
1921	
Mar. 30, J. W. Brown, Commissioner of Highways	\$ 420.00
Mar. 30, G. E. Stott, Auditing Clerk	2.00
Mar. 30, Walter Buck, Town Clerk	25.00
Mar. 30, A. G. Stewart and Bridge Fund	114.33
April 29, C. D. Schoonmaker, Publishing Reports	59.40
Sept. 6, S. Hepburn, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 6, G. E. Stott, Election Fee, April 5, 1921	6.00
Sept. 6, G. E. Stott, Auditing, Sept. 6, J. S. Hepburn, Thistle Commissioner	22.50
Sept. 7, J. W. Brown, Commissioner of Highways	534.00
Sept. 7, J. W. Sowers, Assessor	320.00
Sept. 7, Walter M. Buck, Town Clerk	25.00
Sept. 7, A. F. Corson, Election Fee, April 1, 1921	6.00

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Mar. 28, A. G. Stewart, supervisor of the town of Genoa, funds overdrawn, \$ 258.54

ANCIENT PEOPLES HAD ODD BELIEF CONCERNING OTHERWISE UNACCOUNTABLE SHOWER OF FROGS.

Showers of frogs must have been common enough in ancient Greece, seeing that Aristotle gives them a particular name. Alluding to the prevailing idea of his time, which supposed them to come from Heaven, he called them messengers of Jupiter. Two carefully observed instances in modern times have especially wrought conviction among the learned. The first was attested by a whole company of soldiers, who during the French Revolution, were on a march towards the north of France. In the open country they were assailed by a shower of little toads which were dashed in their faces, falling with torrents of water. Astonished at such an unwonted attack, and desirous of satisfying themselves as to whether this living shower came from above, the soldiers spread out their handkerchiefs on a level with their heads, and found they were soon covered. After the storm, the astonishment was general when the soldiers saw this unexpected brood leaping about in the folds of their cocked hats. The second well-attested shower of toads fell in 1834, in the town of Ham, in Germany, when the streets, roofs and gutters were immediately filled with a great number of these young creatures.

HAD HIGHEST SOCIAL IDEAS

Marriage Relations Among Early Assyrians Subjected to the Strictest Code of Human Laws.

Marriage relations among the early Assyrians were subject to a strict code of laws, it is now learned from a valuable cultural document made accessible to the scientific world in a German translation of the cuneiform text preserved in the Asiatic division of the Berlin Ethnographical museum. The early Assyrian lawmakers had this code inscribed on a set of clay tablets, unearthed during the excavations of the German Asiatic society in Mesopotamia. By comparing this find with other prehistoric documents, the date of these tablets has been established around 1100 B. C., which would coincide with the reign of Tiglat-Pile-sar I. The rights and duties of married women and the punishments imposed for the infringements of these laws, and as the marital relations of a nation have always been regarded as a reliable barometer of its culture, this discovery throws an interesting light upon early Assyrian social conditions.

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MADE MOCK OF SCIENTISTS

Man Emerged Unharmed From Oven in Which Chicken and Bread Had Been Roasted.

For a wager of \$200 a man named Martinez suffered himself to be practically baked alive some years ago in Paris in the presence of a number of scientists. He entered a huge oven, specially built, after it had been heated to a temperature of 312 degrees Fahrenheit, or about 100 degrees hotter than boiling water.

When the door was closed, and he was left alone for an hour, in company with an uncooked chicken and an unbaked loaf of bread. Candles were also provided that he might have light during his incarceration—or incineration, as many people thought it would turn out.

When he was released, however, he was found alive and well, with the chicken and loaf cooked to a turn. The candles had become boiling tallow.

Martinez afterward repeated his performance in Brussels, Milan and other cities, but there must have been something abnormal in his constitution, since of several would-be emulators of his feat none succeeded in staying out the full hour, while two, at least, perished miserably.

Probably his success was due in part to the care he took to have every particle of moisture extracted from the oven before he entered it, since it is a well-known fact that hot, dry air does not so adversely affect a human being as hot, moist air.—Detroit News.

NIGHT ON THE AEGEAN SEA

Author's Beautiful Word Painting of Marvelous Pictures Formed by the Lunar Rainbows.

Writing of lunar rainbows, in his "The Opal Sea," John C. Van Dyke says: "And what pictures, never painted by master, ancient or modern, are to be seen by the weather rail at night when the lunar rainbow with its arch of subtle light and dark follows on the ship's beam, when the purple water flashes through the patches of the mist. The summer nights upon the Aegean when the small island steamer sweeps up past Syrian ships becalmed—their hulls lost in the low-lying vapors, their sails looming above the drifts into the white moonlight—are never to be forgotten. They are only impressions of intangible light and color, momentary revelations of pictorial poetry without literary meaning or association; and yet very insistent revelations, very striking impressions. We do not readily define them, but we feel their effect upon us, nevertheless. It is an effect analogous perhaps to that produced by music—pale music in a minor key, dreamy music that moves in slow-heaving cadences or floats in realms of sun-shot haze or gleams in chords of lustrous silver."

Immortal Poets.

The palm for exquisite poetry should go to Keats. In lofty ideas of death, Wordsworth and Bryant march hand

in hand. Shelly, compared with the other three, seems immature. As to these four poets, it is curious to note that Bryant died at the age of 84, his death being caused by a sunstroke when he was giving an address in Central park, New York, on the unveiling of a statue; Keats died of consumption in Rome at the age 25, and was buried there, in the old Protestant cemetery—the following epitaph (which he had desired placed there) being put on his tomb: "Here lies one whose name was writ in water." Shelly was drowned when he was sailing on the Bay of Spezia, before he was quite 30, and was cremated (although his heart would not burn), and the ashes buried near the grave of Keats, and Wordsworth died at the age of 80, at Rydal Mount, Westmoreland.

Color Blindness.

It is declared that people suffering from color-blindness often have better, clearer vision than people with normal sight. While 4 per cent of our male population suffer from color-blindness, only one-half of one per cent of the female population is affected. This imperfection of the sight is very pronounced among Jews and Quakers. The origin of color-blindness is as completely unknown to scientists as is the reason for this attacking only certain sections of people, but women may be free from it, probably because their eyes have been trained to color for generations, while Quakers are peculiarly susceptible, owing to the monotonous color of their garments. Color-blindness runs in a family for generations, and, although it is always in the males, it descends through the females. The daughters of color-blind men invariably have color-blind sons.—The Sunday at Home.

Sterilizing Instruments.

After trying many plans, I believe that the best way to sterilize delicate cutting instruments is to lay them in pure carbolic acid for ten minutes, then rinse them off in sterile water, place them in 95 per cent alcohol for 15 minutes, and finally lay them in a tray of sterile water, writes Dr. Edwin E. Miller, assistant professor of ophthalmology in the University of Pennsylvania in an article in the New York Medical Journal. In the bottom of each tray there should be a sterile gauze pad. They are then laid out on a table covered with a sterile sheet in the order in which they are to be used in the operation. This saves confusion and aids the assistant to pick up quickly the needed instrument. They are then covered with a sterile towel until the surgeon is ready to use them.

Ugly Men the Best Wooers?

Ugly men make the most successful wooers because, forced to be artful to overcome the natural beauty of the average girl type, they attain a charm of manner that leaves the beautiful man lengths behind, Dr. Bernard Hollander, London psychologist, said in a recent lecture. Women naturally distrust the pretty man, he argued, and think there can be no harm in the ugly one. Off to a flying start, the Cyrano applies the oil, with happy or disastrous results, according to whether Cyrano is honest or dishonest.—New York Sun.

Origin of Moon-Eyed.

The expression "moon-eyed," as popularly used to describe an advanced stage of intoxication, had its origin in India, where a certain variety of drink taken in excess renders its victims blind from sunset to sunrise, or during the period that the moon is shining. The condition in extreme cases lasts as long as eighteen or nineteen days.

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ARMS FROM FLINT DEPOSITS

Investigators Have Shown Where "Mound Builders" Got Their Supply of Materials.

Methods of ancient munition making are revealed by recent investigations of the Ohio State Archeological and Historical society, which show that the tribes which once inhabited Ohio, the so-called "Mound Builders," got their supply of flint for their arrow heads, spears, and knives from the deposits of flint which occur in the ferrous limestone of Flint ridge in Licking and Muskingum counties.

A great industry flourished there once. Skilled quarrymen, with a patience difficult to appreciate when one finds that their tools were only hammerstones of granite or quartzite, with perhaps the aid of wooden or bone wedges, worked out the stone from the ledges. Either the quarrymen of another group of workmen then roughed out the blank forms from which the implements were to be made. This was done that imperfections might be discovered and also to save the transportation of useless material.

The roughed-out blocks were then taken to the workshops in the vicinity of the quarry and expert workmen fashioned from them leaf-like blades from which, with but little further work, all forms of arrow points, spear points, drills, knives and scrapers could be made.

When Berlin Wanted Dark Streets.

Street lighting is ethically wrong because it is an open defiance of Deity to turn night into day—day should be day and night should be night!

In case some old-fashioned citizen of Kansas City made this startling statement he would in all probability be declared insane and be placed where he could not voice any other sentiments of a similar nature. Yet this argument antedates street lighting itself.

Historians and students on municipal affairs tell us that this argument was one of the most powerful ones against the installation of street lights in Berlin in 1820. Conservative people of that city deemed it an act against Providence to light the streets of Berlin with gas lights when God had ordained that their section of the hemisphere should be dark.—Kansas City Star.

Great Wall of China.

An examination of the bricks and mortar in the Great Wall of China was made at Shan-hai-kwan by a chemist attached to the Bureau of Science at Manila. He reports that the bricks are so weak that pieces may be broken off with the fingers.

They are much larger than ordinary building bricks, gray in color, and resemble pumice somewhat in structure. The mortar, which is pure white under the exposed surface, is much stronger than the bricks. The tradition that the bricks were dried in the sun only has been confirmed by laboratory tests. If they had been dried in a kiln the appearance of the wall would have been considerably different and its strength and durability would have been much greater.

Read and Use the Want Ad Column

ANCIENTS HAD WATER GAUGES

Egyptian River Surveyors Enabled to Foretell Hour of Inundation of the River Nile.

Nilometers were among the most ancient water gauges, and were used by the Egyptians many centuries B. C. Stone wells were constructed on the banks of the Nile, and water entered these through underground ditches. This water rose and fell in sympathy with the river, enabling river surveyors (government officers) to foretell the hour of inundation.

Marked columns on the sides of each well indicated the maximum, minimum and middle gauge: the inspectors patrolled the banks of the Nile and informed the people by means of bulletins in advance how high the Nile would rise and when the stream would probably overflow its banks.

Lake Moeris, in Lower Egypt, was connected with the Nile in ancient days by one of the many canals for which the ancient Babylonian and Egyptian engineers are now famous. This canal was equipped with sluices and gauges, so that the land around it was never flooded. If the Nile rose, all that happened was that the blue crystal mirror of the lake rose too. If the waters of the river fell, then the lake filled them up by careful manipulation of its sluices and its own waters.

Differing Tea Tastes.

Russians drink tea, not with the addition of milk as we do, but with lemon juice squeezed in, while in Germany tea is often flavored with cinnamon and rum.

Perhaps the quaintest form of "tea-drinking" is that practiced by the savage tribes in Tartary, Central Asia. The leaves are first boiled in soda, then seasoned with butter and salt, and then eaten.

Many people think that tea taken late at night produces sleeplessness. It does, but if a slice of lemon is added instead of milk, it will induce sleep. In cases of fever, tea taken with lemon and a little sugar, and, of course, no milk, is very refreshing.

A very common error is the belief that by adding a pinch of carbonate of soda, a stronger taste can be obtained. This is not so, carbonate of soda being only useful when the water is hard. A pinch of salt is invaluable for giving flavor at all times.

Use River as Washtub.

The River Seine is the great washtub of Paris. Here, as in Normandy, and Brittany and other places, the women wash in the river. Hundreds of white wash barges, or "lavoirs," are anchored along its banks. These boats are sunk just deep enough to bring the water to a convenient height. There is a row of wash stalls on each side. A "stall" in one of these barges is rented for two sous a washing. Here thousands of women may be seen washing busily. No hot water is used, often no soap. The women lean over the edge of the boat, as though it were a tub, and beat the linen with wooden paddles. The noise of these beating paddles, a steady "tap-tapping," can be heard a long distance. The clothes are dried on the grass, or on lines, along the banks of the river.

Philistine Described.

The philistine is a man without intellectual pleasures, he will inevitably be bored, despite the fact that against boredom he has a great many fancied remedies—balls, theaters, parties, cards, gambling, horses, drinking, traveling and so on.

Yet nothing really pleases or excites or interests him. For sensual pleasure is quickly exhausted, the society of fellow philistines soon becomes burdensome and one may even get tired of cards.

The great affliction of all philistines is that they have no interest in ideas, and that to escape being bored they are in constant need of realities. But realities are either unsatisfactory or dangerous; when they lose their interest they become fatiguing. The ideal world is illimitable and calm.—From Schopenhauer.

Perhaps She Was Wise.

When I was in my teens, I was going with a young man. He called unexpectedly one afternoon while in town. As we had a fire only in the kitchen, I invited him out there. He stayed all afternoon; also my cake stayed in the oven all afternoon, with the gas turned out. I would not take it out while he was there. I was afraid it might be a failure. I now cook for him all of the time.—Chicago Journal.

Says He Can Make Diamonds.

Most precious stones can be made artificially, but until recently no one had succeeded in manufacturing diamonds of a usable size. Now a Frenchman says that he has discovered a new process by means of which he can make diamonds of all sizes up to a quarter of an inch in diameter.

Can Keep Busy Somehow.

"When a man got nothin' else t' do," said Charcoal Eph, in a mood, "he kin ailus fin' some way t' git into trouble about a woman."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

CAME BACK TO OLD HOME

Intelligent Horse Made Her Way for Many Miles to Quarters Which She Preferred.

My father was very fond of horses and owned several good ones. One which I remember particularly was a beautiful, gentle black horse—a pacer, which he named "Blackie." He was very fond of her, as well as she of him. He allowed no one to abuse her and always took the best care of her. She was petted and loved and given as much care as a child. She was one of my father's favorite horses and was the mother of one fine colt, of whom she was indeed proud.

At one time she was ill and my father sent her out to a pasture in the country. One dark December night a cold north wind blew and a light snow was falling. About midnight my father was aroused from his sleep by a strange noise. Did a horse whinny? Now he heard the unmistakable whinny of a horse, at which he arose and went out into the night. There, upon the front lawn, to his astonishment stood Blackie, who, hearing his approach, came to meet him. She nestled her head affectionately against his shoulder, and whinnied, as much as to say, "I was cold and came home. I very much prefer my own bed." My father took her to the stable and made her quite comfortable and did not again take her away.

As Blackie could open any gate, she had come home over the familiar road, a distance of several miles.—Marie McDonald Rigney in Our Dumb Animals.

Mason and Dixon's Line.

Mason and Dixon's line in itself was a very short affair, defining the boundary between the states of Pennsylvania and Maryland, about 244 miles in length. It was a subject of controversy for more than 80 years, and was finally fixed at 39 degrees, 43 minutes and 20.3 seconds north. This line, if extended across the continent, would pass through the states of West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, Utah, Nevada and California. It takes its name from the British firm of surveyors who surveyed it between 1763 and 1767. During the Civil war it was considered the northern limit of slavery, roughly separating the North from the South; Maryland and Delaware, however, both recognized slavery.

Novelty for Jerusalem.

Jerusalem has passed through a siege and war without being damaged by the invaders or the besieged, for the first time in the history of the city. The British airplanes flew over the Holy city frequently to observe the movements of the Turkish forces, but no bombs were dropped on its historical buildings by order of General Allenby, the commander-in-chief. It was the eighteenth time the place had been captured since the city was built.

Ivory Nut.

There are two species of palms producing nuts hard enough to be employed as a substitute for ivory in the manufacture of small articles of domestic use, but the one best known to commerce under the name of Ivory nut is the fruit of *Phytelephas macrocarpa*, native of New Granada and other parts of Central America.

Indian Cotton Cloth.

Indian cotton cloth is mentioned by Herodotus, and was known in Arabia in the seventh century. In Spain cotton was quite extensively grown and manufactured in the tenth century, but its manufacture was not introduced into other countries of Europe until some centuries later.

Worth Knowing.

It is said that marks on a polished or varnished surface may be removed by first rubbing them with a cut lemon and then with a cloth dipped in water.

Cut Glass.

Use lukewarm water, softened by the addition of soap, ammonia and washing soda, for cleaning your cut glass.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO SELL REAL ESTATE BY CONSERVATOR State of Illinois.

County of DeKalb, ss.
In the county court to the May term, A. D. 1922.

To all persons concerned:
Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, conservator of Catherine Fairclo, has filed in the office of the county court of DeKalb county, Illinois, a petition for an order for the sale of the following described real estate, belonging to the said Catherine Fairclo, situate, lying and being in the city of Genoa, DeKalb County, Illinois, and described as follows, to-wit, Lot Fifteen (15) in block three (3) Citizen's Addition to Genoa, Illinois, and Lots six (6) and seven (7) in block four (4) S. Stephens' addition to Genoa, Illinois. And that said petition will be heard on Monday, May 1st, 1922, the first day of the May Term of DeKalb county court, or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard, at which time and place you can appear and object to said petition if you see fit so to do.

Dated April 3, 1922.

William Reid,
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Dan Wallace of Elgin was a caller here Tuesday.
Geo. Patterson was a Chicago passenger Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Lang motored to DeKalb Saturday.
Lewis Gormley transacted business in Elgin Saturday.
Rev. T. O'Brien was at Kirkland Friday evening.
Fred Zwiger of Rockford was a caller here Friday.
Walter Albertson was home from Sterling over the week end.
Miss Jessie Clark was home from Freeport over the week end.
Miss Grace Reimer spent the week end at her home in Beloit.
Miss Anna Preston of Elgin visited in Genoa the past week.
Miss Coe Christian spent the week end at her home in Sycamore.

Mrs. Dorothy Aldrich of Elgin spent Easter with friends in this city.
Misses Lenora Reinkin and Gladys Buck spent Saturday in Rockford.
Mass will be said at the Catholic church next Sunday at 10:00 a. m.
Fred Marquart of Valparaiso, Ind., is a guest at the R. B. Field home.
Allen Patterson was home from Notre Dame University over Easter.
Robert Geithman and Walter Buck were Chicago passengers Tuesday.
Mrs. Ernest Geithman spent the fore part of the week in Chicago.
The Misses Anna and Emma Leonard spent the week end in Chicago.
Mrs. Lillia Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Korn were at DeKalb Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Welch transacted business in Sycamore Saturday.

Men's all wool 3-piece suits, made to measure \$25.00. Hughes. Clothing Co.
Mrs. Ben Olson of Sycamore spent the week end at the Frank Carlson home.
John and Robert Geithman shipped a carload of hogs to Chicago Monday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loptein spent Easter Sunday in Sycamore with friends.
Miss Adele. Hessel of Rockford spent the week end at the F. O. Swan home.
Mrs. Walter Buck and daughter Phyllis, were Rockford visitors Saturday.
Mrs. W. Kiel returned Monday from a several days' visit with Chicago relatives.
Messdames O. M. Leich and C. D. Schoonmaker were Rockford visitors Saturday.
Give nature a chance. Take Tanlac. Nature's own medicine. Baldwin's Pharmacy.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hasler spent Sunday with the former's sister in Sycamore.
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kiernan and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Elgin.
After the meeting closed, delicious refreshments were served by the social committee.
Misses Irwin and Skinner spent Easter Sunday at their respective homes in Chicago.
Merrill Lott of Downers Grove was a visitor at the John Geithman home over the week end.
Mrs. Harry Whipple was in Chicago Tuesday buying goods for the W. Douglass store.
Miss Emma Bender of Rockford spent the week end with Genoa relatives and friends.
Miss Gertrude Hemenway spent the week end with her brother, Will, and family at Sycamore.
Mrs. Glen Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose motored to Sycamore Saturday afternoon.
Mrs. Temperance Haines of Chicago spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Baldwin.
Mr. and Mrs. John Stoffregen and daughter, Della May, motored to Rockford last Saturday.
Mrs. Grace McKibben of Belvidere is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. LaVerne Geithman.
Mrs. Carrie Reid returned home Saturday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Belvidere.
The Misses Leona Cornwall and Alice Rubbeck spent the week end with friends at Sycamore.
J. L. Brown, who has been confined to his home for several weeks by illness is able to be out again.
John Fisher of Bloomsburgh, Penn., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Corson this week.
Mrs. A. L. Holroyd, Mrs. Bryce Smith and Miss Margery Holroyd were Sycamore shoppers Saturday.
Messdames W. W. Cooper, James Hutchison, Lillia Dyer and Frank Wallace motored to Sycamore Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kiernan and children were over Sunday guests at the W. Y. Worden home of Elgin.
Mrs. Roe Bennett and Mrs. Elizabeth Schmidt entertained a large company of friends at dinner Sunday.
Mr. W. Munger has gone to Grant Rapids, Mich., where he has employment with the Story & Clark piano Co.
Mrs. Etta Anderson was called to Elgin Saturday by the serious illness of her son's wife, Mrs. Harry Anderson.
Mrs. H. Hermanson and daughter Naomi were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duncan at dinner Sunday evening.
Miss Mary Prain went to Elgin Wednesday where she will receive treatments. Mrs. John Lemcke accompanied her there.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace, Mrs. Sarah Shefner and Miss Emma Maderer motored to Hampshire and Burlington Sunday afternoon.
The Misses Naomi Hermanson, Elsie Leonard and Dorothy Finley, who

are attending school at Lyons, Iowa, spent their Easter vacation here.
Harry Cochran and family have moved from the Harvey King house on Genoa St. into Mrs. Fannie King's home on East Main St.
Mrs. Robert Wilson was taken to an Elgin hospital Monday afternoon. She is critically ill and an operation was necessary. At the present she is resting quite easily.
Messdames John Duval and Roe Bennett entertained the Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society at the home of the former Wednesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hutchison attended the Easter services at the Universalist church at Sycamore under auspices of the Knight Templars.
Tanlac strengthens the nerves and brings back the normal state of health through its effect on the appetite and nutrition of the body. Baldwin's Pharmacy.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clausen returned home the latter part of the week from a visit with the latter's parents in Michigan.
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lentz of Rockford spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parker.
Miss Ruth Austin, who has been confined to her bed the past two weeks, is able to be up and about the house.
At the regular meeting of the Eastern Star Tuesday evening, two new members were taken into the society. Mrs. Jessie Southard and Miss Klea Schoonmaker were the candidates.
George Walters and Earnest Johnson were in Chicago Saturday where the former consulted an eye specialist, having been suffering several days with an infection in the eyeball caused by a piece of flying steel.
If the people who have taken Tanlac were to form a line of march in single file, this grand army would reach across the American Continent from New York to San Francisco and extend over 3,000 miles into the Pacific Ocean. Baldwin's Pharmacy.
The Married People's class of the M. E. Sunday school enjoyed a banquet at the church dining hall last Friday evening. The tables were prettily decorated with Easter lilies and after the splendid dinner was served by the social committee, a program and social hour was enjoyed.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt and daughter of Elgin spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt.
The season of wedding gifts approaches, and there isn't a thing which will so please the most fastidious bride-to-be as a set or a part of a set of silver. Martin has a large assortment in various patterns. You are welcome to call and see them.
It is as true of a house as of the incidentals of dress that small things are highly important. Small pieces of glassware will be constantly useful. Martin has a fine selection of glassware. Among them are bud vases of various shapes which make nice settings for spring flowers. Call and see the interesting variety.

ALL COMPETITION WAS A JOKE

Judge Had Another Think Coming if He Thought He Could Do Away With Chimney Sweeper.

A well-known judge in Ireland was very fond of relating the following story to his friends: It was at the time of a general election and one day when he was leaving the law courts, Dublin, a sweep accosted him and addressed him with familiarity. "Be off, ye dirty scoundrel," said the judge. "I don't know you." "Sure, that ye do, yer 'oner," replied the sweep. "I've never set eyes on you before," answered his lordship. "Yis, ye have, yer 'oner. OI swept yer 'oner's chimneys." "Oh, it was you, was it? I'll never employ you again," replied the judge. "You did the work badly and they've smoked ever since. I'll never have you again." "Oh, yes ye will, yer 'oner," replied the man. "And I tell you I won't," angrily answered his lordship. The sweep persisted that he would be employed again, so the judge asked why, saying there were plenty of other sweeps in Ireland. "Sure, yer 'oner, all the other sweeps have become members of parliament," was the reply—Chicago American.

Bath a Japanese Institution.

From the very earliest days baths and bathing have been known in Japan. And at a time in European history when the Valois kings of France were requesting their courtiers to use perfumes to counteract the lack of bathing, the Japanese, high and low, were reveling in hot steam and warm baths, which are still to be found in every corner of the country.

In one of the earliest books, called the "Wakun Shiori," the Detroit News observes, it is stated that the "Yuva"—the "hot water house"—is a sacred house, in the book called the "Teijozaki" the phrase "O yu dono" is used. This also has a double meaning. "Drinking water," or "plate for making hot water," and from this latter meaning there comes the use of it to denote "bathing place." But the word "O yu dono" was really used by mistake to denote the place near the kitchen where hot water was prepared. All these books were written before 1200 A. D.

Infamous Tree Grows on Island.

For one of its features Christmas Island, in the Indian ocean, may be said to be infamous rather than famous. A bulletin of the National Geographic society tells of a tree, believed not to exist elsewhere, which is described by one disgusted visitor to the island as emitting "the most disagreeable odor in the world." With a trunk as sturdy as an oak, and leaves as graceful as those of an aspen, it gives to the eye no indication of its true character. But its scent permeates the air for hundreds of feet in every direction, and if one is unfortunate enough to so much as touch its bark or leaves, nothing short of repeated scrubbing with strong carbolic soap will make him again fit for human society.

The island is a British possession, having been annexed in 1888 after the discovery of rich fertilizer deposits.

Aztec.

In a prehistoric ruin near Aztec, N. Mex., excavators found a basket-work shield for warding off the enemy's spears.

The owner cunningly had coated it with flakes of mica, fastened with gum. In the sunlight this worked like a mirror, blinding the enemy.

Behold, there, one of the earliest manifestations of the inventive spirit, chief thing that separates us from the savagery of the past.

Our finest modern inventions will be considered crude when they are unearthed by future archeologists.

Child's Poetic Expression.

Verna is the proud sister of (in her estimation) the most darling baby brother in the world. The other day she went up to him and, throwing her arms around him, remarked: "Oh, you little doll, you're so sweet I can kiss all the soft off of you," referring to his cheeks, which are soft and rosy.—Chicago Tribune.

Willing to Be Convinced.

John—"Do you really believe that absence makes the heart grow fonder?" Louise—"Well, you might try it for a month or two."—The American Legion Weekly.

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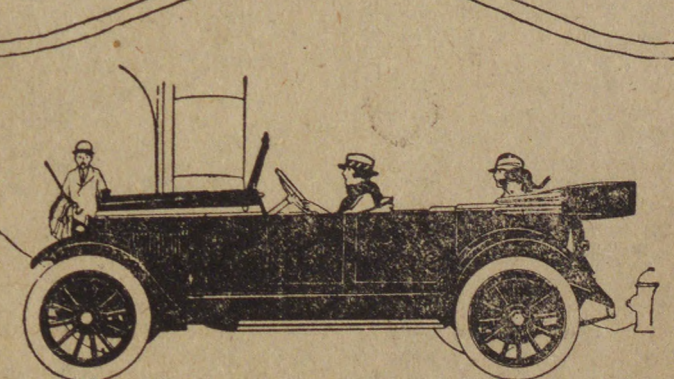
When he wants to know the amount of his income he looks at his bank book.

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DORA YOCUM.

Synopsis.—With his grandfather, small Ramsey Milholland is watching the "Decoration Day Parade" in the home town. The old gentleman, a veteran of the Civil war, endeavors to impress the youngster with the significance of the great conflict, and many years afterward the boy was to remember his words with startling vividness. In the schoolroom, a few years afterward, Ramsey is not distinguished for remarkable ability, though his pronounced dislikes are arithmetic, "Recitations" and German. In sharp contrast to Ramsey's backwardness is the precocity of little Dora Yocum, a young lady whom in his bitterness he denominated "Teacher's Pet." In high school, where he and Dora are classmates, Ramsey continues to feel that the girl delights to manifest her superiority, and the vindictiveness he generates becomes alarming, culminating in the resolution that some day he will "show" her. At a class picnic Ramsey is captured bag and baggage by Milla Rust, the class beauty, and endures the agonies of his first love. Ramsey's parents object to Milla and wish he'd taken up with Dora Yocum. Ramsey kisses Milla. Then Milla suddenly leaves town.

CHAPTER VII

He never saw her again. She sent him a "picture postal" from Oconomowoc, Wisconsin, which his father disengaged from the family mail, one morning at breakfast, and considerately handed to him without audible comment. Upon it was written, "Oh, you Ramsey!" This was the last of Milla.

Just before school opened, in the autumn, Sadie Clews made some revelations. "Milla did like you," said Sadie. "After that time you jumped in the creek to save her like you better than any boy in town, and I guess it wasn't for her cousin Milt up in Chicago she would of liked you the best anywhere. I guess she did, anyway, because she hadn't seen him for about a year then."

"Well, that afternoon she went away I was over there and took in everything that was going on, only she made me promise on my word of honor I wouldn't even tell Albert. They didn't get any wire from the uncle about the touring car; it was her cousin Milt that jumped on the train and came down and fixed it all up for Milla to go on the trip, and everything. You see, Ramsey, she was turned back a couple of times in school before she came in our class and I don't know how old she is and she don't look old yet, but I'm pretty sure she's at least eighteen, and she might be over. I didn't think such a great deal of this Milt's looks myself, but he's anyway twenty-one years old, and got a good position, and all their family seem to think he's just fine! It wasn't his father that took in the touring car on the debt, like she said she was writing you; it was Milt himself. He started out in business when he was only thirteen years old, and this trip he was getting up for his father and mother and Milla was the first vacation he ever took. Well, of course she wouldn't like my tellin' you, but I can't see the harm of it, now everything's all over."

"All—all over? You mean Milla's going to be married?"

"She already is," said Sadie. "They got married at her Aunt Jess and Uncle Purry's house, up in Chicago, last Thursday. Yes, sir; that quiet, little Milla's a regular old married woman by this time, I expect, Ramsey!"

When he got over the shock, which was not until the next day, one predominant feeling remained: it was a gloomy pride—a pride in his proven maturity. He was old enough, it appeared, to have been the same thing as engaged to a person who was now a Married Woman. His manner thenceforth showed an added trace of seriousness and self-consideration.

Fourteen is about gone," he said to Fred Mitchell, who was still his most intimate friend when they reached the senior year. "Yes, sir; it's held together a good many years, Fred, but after June it'll be busted plum up, and I hope nobody starts a move to have any reunions. There's a good many members of the ole class that I can stand and there's some I can't, but there's one I just won't! If we ever did call a reunion, that ole Yocum girl would start in right away and run the whole shebang, and that's where I'd resign! You know, Fred, the thing I think is the one biggest benefit of graduating from this ole school? It's never seein' Dora Yocum again."

This was again his theme as he sat by the same friend's side, in the rear row of the class at Commencement, listening to the delivery of the Valedictory. "Thinks she's just soobline, don't she!" he whispered morosely. "She wouldn't trade with the President of the United States right now. Never mind! Just about a half-an-hour more and that's the last of you, ole girl! Yes, sir, Fred; one thing we can feel pretty good over: this is where we get through with Dora Yocum!"

Ramsey and Fred had arranged to room together at Greenfield, the seat of the state university, and they made the short journey in company the following September. They arrived habitually, anticipating pleasurable exclamations in the way of "fraternity" pleadings and initiations, encounters with sophomores, class meetings, and elections; and, also, they were not absolutely without interest in the matter of Girls, for the state university was co-educational, and it was but natural to expect in so broad a field, all new to them, a possible vision of something rather thrilling. They whispered cheerfully of all these things during the process of matriculation, and signed the registrar's book on a fresh page; but when Fred had written his name under Ramsey's and blotted it, he took the liberty of turning over the leaf to examine some of the autographs of their future classmates, written on the other side. Then he uttered an exclamation, more dolorous than dolorous, though it affected to be wholly the latter; for the shock to Fred was by no means so painful as it was to his friend.

Ramsey leaned forward and read the name indicated by Fred's forefinger.

DORA YOCUM.

When they got back to their pleasant quarters at Mrs. Meigs', facing the campus, Ramsey was still unable to talk of anything except the lamentable discovery; nor were his companion's beresque efforts to console him of great avail, though Fred did become serious enough to point out that a university was different from a high school.

"It's not like havin' to use one big room as a headquarters, you know, Ramsey. Everything's all split up, and she might happen not be in a single one of your classes."

"You don't know my luck!" the afflicted boy protested. "I wish I'd gone to Harvard, the way my father wanted me to. Why, this is just the worst nuisance I ever struck! You'll see! She'll be in everything there is, just the way she was back home."

He appeared to be corroborated by the events of the next day, when they attended the first meeting to organize the new class. The masculine element predominated, but Dora Yocum was elected vice-president. "You see?" Ramsey said. "Didn't I tell you? You see what happens?"

But after that she ceased for a time to intrude upon his life, and he admitted that his harassment was less grave than he had anticipated. There were about five hundred students in the freshman class; he seldom saw her, and when he did it was not more than

a distant glimpse of her on one of the campus paths, her thoughtful head bent over a book as she hurried to a classroom. This was bearable; and in the flattering agitations of being sought, and even hunted, by several "fraternities" simultaneously desirous of his becoming a sworn Brother, he almost forgot her. After a hazardous month the roommates fell into the arms of the last "frat" to seek them, and having undergone an evening of outrage which concluded with touching rhetoric and an oath taken at midnight, they proudly wore jeweled symbols on their breasts and were free to turn part of their attention to the other affairs, especially the affairs of the Eleven.

However, they were instructed by the older brethren of their Order, whose duty it was to assist in the proper maneuvering of their young careers, that, although support of the "varsity" teams was important, they must neglect neither the spiritual nor the intellectual by-products of undergraduate doings. Therefore they became members of the college Y. M. C. A. and of the "Lumen Society."

According to the charter which it had granted itself, the "Lumen Society" was an "Organization of male and female students"—so "advanced" was this university—"for the development of the powers of debate and oratory. Intellectual and sociological progress, and the discussion of all matters relating to philosophy, metaphysics, literature, art, and current events." A statement so formidable was not without a hushing effect upon Messrs. Milholland and Mitchell; they went to their first "Lumen" meeting in a state of fear and came away little reassured.

"I couldn't get up there," Ramsey declared. "I couldn't stand up there before all that crowd and make a speech, or debate in a debate, to save my soul and gizzard! Why, I'd just keel right over and haf to be carried out."

"Well, the way I understand it," said Fred, "we can't get out of it. The seniors in the 'frat' said we had to join, and they said we couldn't resign, either, after we had joined. They said we just had to go through it, and after a while we'd get used to it and not mind it so much."

"I will!" Ramsey insisted. "I couldn't any more stand up there on my feet and get to spoutin' about sociology and the radical metaphysics of the metapsychical bazoom than I could fly a flyin' machine. Why, then—"

"Oh, that wasn't anything," Fred interrupted. "The only one that talked like that, he was that Bickens; he's a tutor, or something, and really a member of the faculty. Most of the others just kind of blab-blahed around, and what any of 'em tried to get off their chests hardly amounted to terribly much."

"I don't care. I couldn't do it at all!"

"Well, the way it looks to me," Fred observed, "we simply got to! From what they tell me the freshmen got to do more than anybody. Every other Friday night, it's all freshmen and nothin' else. You get a postal card on Monday morning in your mail, and it says 'Assignment' on it and—and—then it's got written underneath what you haf to do the next Friday night—oration or debate, or maybe just read from some ole book or something. I guess we got to stand up there and try anyway."

"All right," said Ramsey. "If they want me to commit suicide they can send me one of their ole 'Assignments.' I won't need to commit suicide, though, I guess. All I'll do, I'll just fall over in a fit, and stay in it!"

And, in truth, when he received his first "Assignment," one Monday morning, a month later, he seemed in a fair way to fulfill his prophecy. The attention of his roommate, who sat at a window of their study, was attracted by sounds of strangulation. "What on earth's the matter, Ramsey?"

"Look! Look at this!"



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THINGS TO KEEP FOR REFERENCE

The foundation sauce for all cream soups, scalloped dishes, souffles and croquettes may be kept in mind so that one will always have the right proportion for each dish.

When preparing cream soups or thin sauces the one-to-one proportion is used, one cupful of milk or other liquid and one tablespoonful each of butter and flour for the binding. This proportion is used for all soups, scalloped dishes, creamed dishes and almost all sauces used with meat, vegetables and puddings, where a thin sauce is liked.

These sauces are varied by different seasonings and flavors. A tablespoonful always means one filled and leveled with a spoon; a cupful is one-half pint and when buying measuring cups be sure you get a standard half-cup, for a cup may look all right and lack from two to four tablespoonfuls of the standard size.

The one-to-two sauce is the same proportion of liquid with two tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour cooked together; it is the most useful for scalloped and creamed dishes. The vegetables are cooked and the creamed sauce added. Scalloped dishes are prepared by using the same quantity of sauce and food, placing them in alternate layers in a baking pan and covering with bread crumbs well buttered by stirring them into melted butter. The dish is then browned in the oven.

The one-to-three sauce is prepared in the same way, using three tablespoonfuls of butter; when melted and bubbling hot the three tablespoonfuls of flour are stirred in, then the one cupful of milk or liquid added and cooked until well done. If this sauce is used for souffles, then whites of the eggs, using three, and equal portions of food and sauce are used; the egg yolks cooked in the sauce and the whites folded in at the last.

The foundation for croquettes is one-to-four, using the same amount of liquid and four tablespoonfuls each of flour and butter. This sauce is used with an equal measure of food and noodle. Then the mixture is shaped into any desired croquette form and fried in deep fat.

For meat sauces one may use the liquid from cooked vegetables like spinach, celery, green peas or tomato juice, flavoring with onion, garlic, bay leaf or spices.

For pudding sauces, fruit juices, canned fruit juice, water, milk, cream or melted jelly.

Life is not made out of money, and friendship, and talents, and patronage, and family influences, and good positions, and good health, and good nature. It is made out of faith, virtue, knowledge, temperance, patience, godliness, and brotherly kindness and love.—Inniger.

WHAT TO EAT

On the farm or where one has plenty of milk and cream there is little appreciation of cream except as a butter maker. There are so many delicious dishes which may be made from sweet cream, not forgetting the whipped cream cake which is the cake par excellence.

Cream Muffins.—Mix two cupfuls of flour, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt and a tablespoonful of sugar. Add the cupful of sweet cream, beat thoroughly and bake in muffin tins in a hot oven. One-half cupful of chopped dates may be added, if desired.

Cream Pastry.—For a covered pie take one and one-half cupfuls of flour mixed with a quarter of a teaspoonful each of salt and baking powder. Mix with sweet cream to make a mixture just stiff enough to roll.

Quick Griddle Cakes.—Stir a pinch of soda and one-half teaspoonful of salt into a cupful of sour cream. Add flour for a thick batter and beat until perfectly smooth. Thin with sweet skim milk to the desired consistency; it should be like good cream. Lastly stir in two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and bake at once on a hot griddle.

Cream Cookies.—Beat two eggs until very light, add one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, a little grated nutmeg. Stir in a cupful of thick cream, two cupfuls of flour, mixed with four teaspoonfuls of baking powder and enough flour added to roll. Roll one-quarter of an inch thick, sprinkle with sugar, cut in shapes and bake quickly.

Buttermilk Pie.—Take one cupful of sugar, one tablespoonful of butter, two tablespoonfuls of flour, one egg, a pinch of salt, two cupfuls of buttermilk with flavoring to taste. Soften the butter, cream it with the sugar, add the flour and mix again, then put in the salt and an egg unbeaten. Beat these ingredients very light and add the buttermilk and flavoring. Cook the mixture until thick, then pour into a pastry shell previously baked.

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VIOLENT STORMS IN MIDDLE WEST

Cyclones and Floods Sweep Illinois, Missouri and Indiana Cities.

FOURTEEN PERSONS KILLED

Five Die at Irvington, Ill., Nine at Other Places—Big Bridge Is Wrecked at Peoria—Hundreds Are Injured.

Chicago, April 19.—High winds, snow, swept by rain, hail and snow, the Middle West and added to the toll of lives and property destruction already taken by flood waters.

The toll of the cyclone that swept southern Illinois and Indiana was increased to 14 deaths and injuries to half a hundred.

Snow and sleet blanketed Colorado, Kansas and Nebraska, while to the east, Missouri and Iowa were pelted with heavy hailstones, which smashed windows and caused heavy damage to crops. Nine inches of snow fell at Denver.

A call was sent to towns within a radius of 30 miles of Arkansas City for men and supplies to fight to prevent a break in the Mississippi river levees.

Throughout the area from Ohio on the east to Kansas and Nebraska on the west, heavy downpours swelled the flood waters of streams with the result that many more were driven from their homes and property losses mounted still higher.

The upper bridge over the Illinois river at Peoria went out when 250 feet of the mile-long structure was swept away by the racing current. An additional 250 feet was being carried away piece by piece.

Volunteers worked frantically to keep the heavy wreckage from lodging against other structures and adding to the danger already threatening.

Five dead and more than thirty injured, one fatally and three seriously, was the toll taken by the cyclone which swept the neighborhood about Centralia. Four of the dead were at Irvington, half of which was wiped out by the high winds. The victims include E. F. Haldrick, Hazel Frather, Mrs. Charles Litterell and a Mr. Schluser. The other was at Rosehill, to the northeast.

The injured were scattered through half a dozen towns hit by the storm. Six were injured at Marshall. Other places reporting injured and heavy property damage were Lake Centralia, Nashville, Walnut Hill and Shookville.

Five persons were killed and more than 100 injured in Warren county, Indiana. The villages of Sloan and Hedrick were wrecked. Out of a population of 150 in Hedrick 100 were reported injured. Homes and stores were blown down. At Sloan, which has a population of 100, every home was demolished or damaged.

John Haser, a farmer near Williamsport, Ind., was killed when his home was torn from its foundation and demolished by the cyclone which swept across Warren county, leaving a trail of wrecked and unroofed houses.

Storms spread wreckage through Putnam and Clay counties also. A swath was cut through the town of Springfield, near Bedford, by a cyclone.

Near Warsaw, Mo., two farmers were caught and drowned in the backwaters of the Osage river as they were on their way to their homes. Herbert Holmquist was drowned in the flooded Mississippi at Port Louna, Ia.

Two men were injured, one perhaps fatally, when a washout wrecked a mail and express train between Indianapolis and Peoria, near Foster, Ind. Charles Watts, Indianapolis, fireman on the train, is not expected to live. Traffic was blocked throughout the day.

BATTLESHIP IOWA AS TARGET

Once Pride of United States Navy, It Will Be Used in Radio and Gun Tests.

Philadelphia, April 19.—The battleship Iowa, once the pride of the United States navy, left the Philadelphia navy yard for Cape Henry, where it will be used as a target for the Atlantic fleet in a series of radio and gun experiments. Controlled solely by radio, the Iowa will attempt to run the gauntlet of the Atlantic fleet, now on its way from Guantanamo, Cuba. Besides the radio experiments the sinking of the ship will afford an opportunity to test the armor-piercing qualities of the largest projectiles and guns with which the modern battleships are equipped.

More Cash for Farmers.

Washington, April 19.—Approval of 84 advances for agricultural purposes aggregating \$2,722,000, was announced by the War Finance corporation. Distribution included: Illinois, \$29,000; Iowa, \$88,000; Wisconsin, \$46,000.

Turks Massacre Christians.

London, April 19.—A great fire and a massacre of Christians at Samsun on the Black sea coast of Asia Minor, were in progress nine days ago when the Italian steamer Barbita left there, the steamer's officers reported.

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SONS OF VETERANS ORGANIZE

The Sons of Veterans organized their lodge here last Thursday night with twenty four members. The following were elected: Commander, Lee Smith; Junior Vice Commander, Henry Stark; Members of Camp Council, Frank Bradford, Jacob Miller, Will Little; Patriotic Instructor, Harve Peavey; Chaplain, Rev. Madison; secretary, Ralph Ort; Treasurer, Harm Campbell; Guide, Ira Nicolas; Color Bearer, Chas. Phelps; Guards, George Campbell and George Winchester.

Ralph White was an Elgin passenger Monday.

Miss Bess Sherman spent Sunday in Huntley.

Ed. Brown made a business trip to Sterling Thursday.

Leon Uplinger is spending this week in Rockford.

Judge Pond of DeKalb was a business caller Thursday.

Mrs. Louise Ackerman visited relatives in Chicago last week.

F. P. Fanning spent the week end with his parents at Sandwich.

Mrs. Benj. Graham of Harvard was calling on friends here Friday.

Mrs. Amanda Moyers of Sycamore visited relatives here Monday.

Miss Elsie Anderson spent the week end with her parents in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stark are the parents of a baby girl born Friday.

Mrs. Cohoon of Rockford was calling on friends here last Thursday.

The quarantine was taken from the Ernest Boggy, home last Saturday.

Miss Clara Baker entertained Miss Doris Stevens of Shabbona over Sunday.

Sidney Burton has purchased thirty acres from Roy Rhenbeck north of town.

Mrs. A. Simmons and daughters visited relatives in Stockton over Easter.

Miss Dorothy Hinman spent the week end with her parents in Sandwich.

Willard Williams spent the latter part of last week in Dixon with his brother.

Miss Pritchard of Chicago spent Friday night and Saturday with Mrs. Ida Breed.

Llewellyn Welch of Chicago was an over Sunday guest of his mother, Mrs. W. H. Bell.

Ralph Ort has purchased James Howe's radio outfit and has it installed in his home.

Mrs. H. C. Wilson and daughter, Susie of Kirkland visited Mrs. J. P. Miller Friday.

Next Sunday afternoon Kingston and Herbert baseball teams intend to play in the park.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith entertained the latter's father, John Lembke of Genoa Thursday.

Mrs. Edith Bell of Elgin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Helason.

Merla Armbruster and Hazel Brandt returned to school Monday after a few weeks' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Roser entertained the former's brother, Earl, of Rockford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Kirkwood of Genoa spent the first of the week at the A. A. Baker home.

Mrs. A. Stiles and daughter, Margaret, of Genoa visited at the R. E. Sternberg home Friday.

Easter Exercises were held in the M. E. Church last Sunday morning in place of church services.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas entertained their niece, Miss Bessie Graham of Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frang Worden and son, William, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Koch, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Koch and Mrs. M. L. Bickler motored to Sycamore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ort and daughter, Betty Jean, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott in Genoa, Sunday.

Mrs. E. C. Burton and daughter, Edna, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Allie Lucas in Belvidere Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Towers spent from Thursday until Saturday in Chicago with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hildebrandt.

Mrs. John Hallot of Belvidere spent Monday night and Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Knappenberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gleske of Elgin spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's father, Elmer Bacon.

Addison Crowell, who is attending the University of Illinois visited his uncle, Ralph White, the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Thiede of Elgin spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Harlow and son, Stiles of Aurora, visited a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sternberg.

Miss Florence Wagner and Eleanor Uplinger of Elgin spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Uplinger.

Miss Doris Sherman of Berwyn spent from Thursday night until Monday with her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. Stuart Sherman.

F. P. Smith received word Friday of the death of his nephew's wife, Mrs. Guy Walrod of Lincoln, Nebraska. Mr. Walrod visited here last fall.

Mr. Chas. Aurner went to Rockford Tuesday to see his wife who is in the hospital there. She is getting along fine and intends to come home Saturday.

There will be a basket social at the Vandeburg school Dist. No. 38, Friday evening, April 23. A good program is being prepared. Ladies please bring baskets. Note change in date. —Pearl Russell, teacher.

At the movies Friday night will be Charles Ray in "An old fashioned Boy" and a two reel comedy. April 27 at 3:30 in the afternoon Churchill's "Inside the Cup" will be shown under the auspices of the band.

Village election was held here Tuesday and the following elected aldermen: Chas. Ackerman, Benj. Knappenberger, George Winchester and Ernest Boggy. Ernest Boggy was elected to fill the vacancy of R. E. Sternberg who resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford and son, Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Tower, Mrs. Fred Taylor and children, Dorothy and Leroy, and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bradford and son, Marion, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Solon Ash of DeKalb.

Word has been received here of the marriage of Clarence Bugg and Pearl Martin of McKittick, Cal, formerly

of this place They were married April 1. Mr. Bugg drives a truck for the Belridge Oil Company. They motored to California last fall with Mrs. Bugg's parents.

Read the Want Ad Column.

FEW KNOW FACE OF WATCH

Remarkable Fact That Can Be Verified by Casual Inquiry Among One's Acquaintances.

Something about the queer way in which most of us use—or rather do not use—our powers of observation can be learned in a very simple way. Ask the next person met whether 6 o'clock on his watch is marked by Roman or an Arabic numeral. If he does not admit that he does not know, he can be set down as a really exceptional person—one in about a thousand or so—and after he looks at his watch to see just how that figure is made, he will have the further surprise of finding that it is marked with neither "6" nor "VI."

This test recently was applied at a meeting of high railway officials in St. Louis and one of them passed it, though they, if anybody, might have been expected to know just how their watches were made. The railroaders laughed at each other and seemed to be a little humiliated, but really there was not much need, if any, for feeling that emotion.

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Both Laughter and Weeping Sudden Motions With Which Custom is Bound to Do Away.

Sudden glory is the passion which maketh those grimaces called laughter; and is caused either by some sudden act of their own that pleaseth them, or by the apprehension of some deformed thing in another by comparison whereof they suddenly applaud themselves. And it is incident most to them that are conscious of the fewest abilities in themselves; who are forced to keep themselves in their own favor by observing the imperfections of other men. And therefore much laughter at the defects of others is a sign of pusillanimity. For of great minds one of the proper works is to help and free others from scorn and compare themselves only with the most able.

On the contrary, sudden dejection is the passion that causeth weeping, and is caused by such accidents as suddenly take away some vehement hope or some prop of their power; and they are most subject to it that rely principally on helps external, such as are women and children. Therefore some weep for the loss of friends, others for their unkindness, others for the sudden stop made to their thoughts of revenge by reconciliation. But in all cases, both laughter and weeping are sudden motions, custom taking them both away. For no man laughs at old jests or weeps for an old calamity.—Hobbes' "Leviathan."

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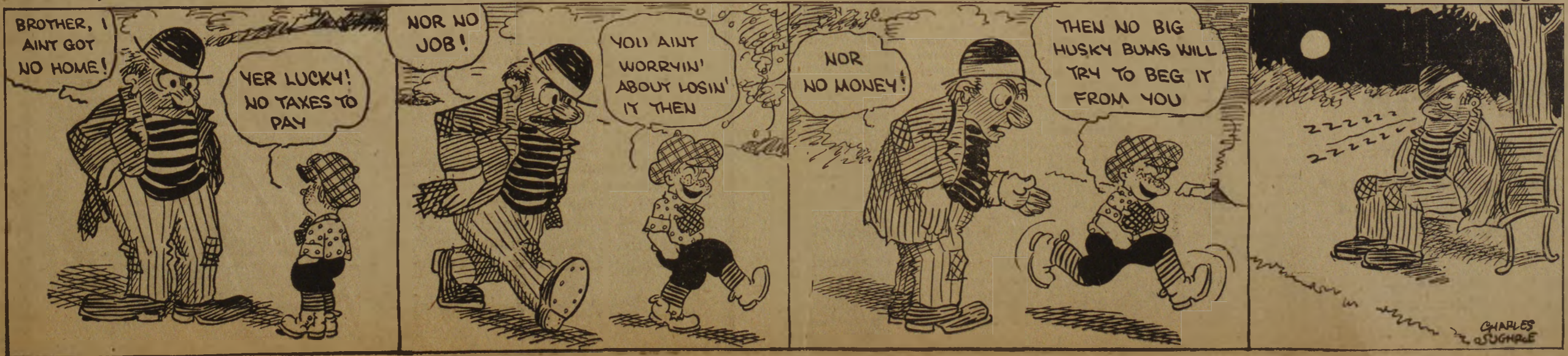
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