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**WORDS OF TRUTH**

FROM



**THE FIFTH DAY OR EPOCH**

THE carboniferous qualities of the water and atmosphere having been absorbed into the cretaceous organisms of the sea, which formed beds of limestone, and into the rank vegetation which went to form the coal beds, the atmosphere of Earth began to be pure enough to permit life in breathing animals. To this period, therefore, belong the amphibious developments of animal life such as the crocodile and other animals which can live either on land or in the water. Birds belong to this period, and in the latter part of it appeared the great Mammoth and Sloth. The conflict between the theory of Evolution and the Bible has been sharp.

Only in respect to man does the Bible declare a special, direct creation of God. The statements of Genesis in respect to the lower creatures rather favor something along the lines of specialized Evolution. God said, "Let the waters bring forth abundantly the moving creature that hath life, and fowl." (Genesis 1:20, 21.) This is exactly in harmony with our scientific findings that the beginning of life came from the waters, and later extended to the birds, and later to land animals.

The Darwinian theory has disappointed those who swallowed it without a sufficiency of demonstration as to its truth. Recent demonstrations show that every mixture of species and kind, even where partly successful, means a reversion to the original standards within the third or fourth generation in plants and flowers, in fruits and in animals.

The correct thought would seem to be that under Divine supervision various orders of creation were brought to a state of development and a fixity of species, not to be turned aside nor thereafter altered. But not one suggestion is offered respecting human evolution from a lower creature; but quite the contrary. The Bible furnishes a basis for faith—not every detail. It relates the things necessary "that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped." (2 Tim. 3:17)

PASTOR RUSSELL.

**WASHINGTON TEMPLE**

THEY WORD IS TRUTH

## BOOZE AND DANCING

Both are Targets for a Few Charges of Buck-shot

### SPEND ETERNITY IN HELL?

Rev. Fred Buck Hits the Booze Question, the Dance and the Devil—Preaches Eternal Hell as the Punishment of Godless

Fred L. Buck has been doing some hard hitting in the meetings during the past week. Weather has been against a good attendance but it has not prevented a growing interest in the meetings. His talk to the men last Sunday was along the right line and hit the mark. Next Sunday afternoon he will talk to the men on Booze. He makes sin out as sin and preaches a sufficient saviour as the only remedy. The singing is good. These meetings are a fine place for one to spend an evening.

#### BUCK-SHOT FROM BUCK

Sin is offensive and obnoxious to Christ.

The greatest agony there is is soul agony.

Friend, it will be awful for a mother to have given birth to a child and then have that child spend eternity in hell.

Turn a young man loose without God and you can't tell where he is going to land.

The happiest souls I know in this world are those who have let Jesus put them in harmony with God.

You can join the church and still be damned. You have got to get connected up with Jesus Christ.

Every one of us has a force of personality that goes out and influences other people.

You are influenced by the bunch you run with.

When anything sours at our home we always put it in the slop-bucket. Some fellows around here will go pay the saloon keeper five cents to drink sour stuff down their neck. I've seen a lot of slop-buckets on legs around here.

Every word you utter, your character rides out on that word.

A Godless life is a hopeless life; a hopeless life is a Godless life.

You hear some old "sister" say, "There is no harm in the dance." She is a LIAR.

If you love that girl of your's right you won't want every fellow in town bugging her to music.

When love runs right, then love runs light.

Friend, I want to tell you, you are never going to see a thing like liberty until your love runs right.

If I was a young lady and met a clean, noble, clean-blooded Christian young man I would "set my cap" and my hat and my hood and my bonnet and everything I had to catch him. They are such rare specimens.

It is a girl's business to look just as pretty as she can.

It is a crime for a woman to look like a rag on a bean-pole.

#### Card of Thanks

Genoa, Illinois, March 25, 1913.

Mr. C. D. Schoonmaker, Dear Sir:—We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors for the ready help and sympathy extended to us by all in our late bereavement, through your paper.

Mrs. Henry Becker, Emil Becker and family, Herman Becker and family, August Becker and family, Wm. Becker and family, John Becker and family.

## STORM PLAYS HAVOC

Wind and Rain Early Monday Morning Awakens People

### WORCESTER BARN DESTROYED

Many Smaller Buildings and Windmills are razed to the Ground—Heavy Rain-fall Settles the Roads and Washes the Streets

Sunday was not an ideal day for Easter bonnets, it being good for nothing other than ducks, and not even fit for a hunter to brave. It was cold and rain fell most of the day. In the evening the temperature raised several degrees and by midnight the conditions were about right for a regular storm, and it came. There was wind and rain that came in sheets, causing many to jump out of bed and close windows, while others sought the north-east corner of the cellar.

The damage about the immediate vicinity of Genoa was not as great as further west where many windmills and small buildings were destroyed by the wind. The large barn on the Worcester farm near Kingston was raised from the foundation and completely demolished. The foundation was about eight feet high, the basement being utilized as a cow stable. After the barn had taken its flight the cows were found at their stanchions none the worse for the commotion that had been going on over their heads. At Kirkland the barn on the Tom Jones farm was destroyed and one cow killed.

It was a wild night for the freight train crews, standing on the cars being next to flirting with death. The roof of one car was blown away while a train was in motion, passing thru Genoa.

#### TO OPEN CREAMERY

Woodstock Farmers will Rent Building and Work up Milk Themselves

Farmers at Woodstock arranged Saturday to rent an unused brick building of the Oliver Typewriter Co., with a view of operating a cooperative factory commencing April 1.

The farmers at the meeting voted to remain firm in refusing to sign contracts for milk unless the price of \$1.50 per hundred is offered.

The committee in charge was asked to prepare means of caring for the product of the dairies of that section and it was stated that it had already done so.

The committee arranged for the purchase of separators and vats.

It is claimed that none of the farmers have signed and all profess to have no intention of accepting the present price.

#### Soil Expert Bill

Representative Hunt's bill which permits counties to pay for a soil expert from public funds is one that should meet with popular favor. The soil expert is no longer an experiment. He is a necessity. For the modern problems of agriculture the best and latest methods alone will suffice. The day of shipshod farming is over. Our agriculturists are becoming a race of experts and to aid them they have need of a man who has made a study of the soils and of kindred subjects at the best schools in the land. DeKalb is proud of its pioneer work in this line and it is natural and appropriate that its representative should sponsor a bill designed to broaden the work and to make the financing of it a common burden.—Advertiser.

If in need of cement blocks it will pay you to see J. E. Stott. 263\*

## INSTANTLY KILLED

Henry Becker, Retired Farmer of Genoa, Struck by Train Thursday

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL CROSSING

Struck by Locomotive of Fast Train as He was Driving Home—Funeral Services Held at Lutheran Church Monday

Henry Becker, a retired farmer, resident of this city, was struck by a fast train at the base line crossing of the Illinois Central railway, west of Charter Grove, last Thursday evening and instantly killed. The horse which he was driving was also killed and the buggy was smashed to kindling wood.

During the day Mr. Becker had been out thru the country posting bills for an auction sale which his son, A. F., had advertised for the 25th. In returning home late in the evening he had occasion to cross the Illinois Central tracks at the base line crossing, it being the second crossing west of Charter Grove. When he neared the crossing at about seven o'clock it had grown dark, while the rain fall and fog made it difficult to see an object at any great distance. Mr. Becker was in a top buggy with the collar of his fur overcoat pulled up about his ears. It is doubtful if he ever heard the train, the conditions after the accident showing that the pilot of the engine had struck the rig full. The horse was thrown far from the right of way, while Mr. Becker's body was carried some distance and dropped near the tracks. The highway and railway intersect on an angle at the point of the accident, so that in driving west that evening the train practically came up behind the victim. Just before reaching the point of crossing the road turns abruptly and crosses the rails of the track at right angles.

At the inquest Friday the engineer stated that on account of the fog and rain he could not see many feet beyond the pilot of the engine, and the only intimation that he had of an accident was the jar which was felt in the cab at the time of the impact. Thinking that he had picked up a plank at the crossing he stopped the train and upon investigation found evidence of having struck a buggy. The engineer went back and located the body, it being brought on to Genoa by the same train and taken to Slater's morgue. The body was badly bruised and the scalp torn from the head, but it was not mangled as one would naturally expect. The train at the time of the accident was travelling about fifty miles an hour.

The inquest was held Friday, conducted by Deputy Coroner Morris of Kirkland. No one was blamed for the accident in the verdict. The engineer swore that he whistled for the crossing, and as there was no witness to deny that statement, the verdict could not be otherwise.

The funeral services were held at the home of the deceased in this city Monday forenoon at 11:30 and at the German Lutheran Church at 12:00. Rev. J. Molthan officiating. There were many beautiful floral offerings. Many friends and relatives from Hampshire and Elgin were present.

John Henry Becker was born at Schaumburg, Ill., September 18, 1847. At that place he was baptized, educated and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. He was married to Miss Louise Bonikman December 18, 1868. Ten children were born to them—six sons and four daughters. The

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Our Motto: A permanent, profitable agriculture; the farm the best place in the world to live.

### SPRING SEEDING OF ALFALFA

Owing to the tremendous value of the Alfalfa crop many farmers will take the risk of spring seeding. In order to lessen failures as much as possible we risk to call attention to the conditions necessary for the successful growing of Alfalfa.

1. The soil must be well drained.
2. The soil must be free from acid and contain an abundance of limestone.
3. Inoculate with soil from sweet clover or from an old Alfalfa field.
4. Have the soil free from weeds and a seed bed good enough for growing onions.

Unless the soil is in a high state of fertility apply a good application of well rotted manure.

Soil that is naturally well drained needs limestone and not less than three tons per acre which will last five or six years for alfalfa.

By far the best method is to work the land from early spring until August then seed the Alfalfa. This necessitates the loss of a crop one year. On the other hand those who will sow in the spring we suggest they seed as early as a good seed bed can be prepared. Seed one-half bushel to three pecks of barley or oats per acre as a nurse crop. The nurse crop is to be cut for hay. Barley is better than oats.

Seed 20 pounds good Alfalfa seed per acre and cover by harrowing lightly or better with a weeder. The field should be leveled with a planker or harrow before seeding so that some of the seed will not be covered too deep. After the seed is covered roll the land with a corrugated roller if possible. The roller packs the soil about the seed, bringing up the moisture from below so that the seed can germinate and grow.

Alfalfa, like clover seed, will stand seeding in the early spring. By seeding early the alfalfa should get started so as to cover the ground and smother out weeds. Every farmer has observed that our ordinary weeds make practically no growth until corn planting time. The object of early seeding of alfalfa is to get the alfalfa and nurse crop to completely cover the ground before the weeds start.

#### Doings at Sycamore

The biggest and most promising industrial deal that has probably ever been put thru in Sycamore has been completed, and the Tribune says it is more than pleased to be able to announce that the Patten factory has been sold to William N. Rumely of LaPorte, Indiana. The "hen" has been on for several weeks and the deal has been closed also for several days, but on the request of Mr. Rumely the particulars have been withheld until now in order that he might complete some of the details coincident with it.

four daughters and one son preceded their father in death.

From Schaumburg the deceased came to Genoa thirty-three years ago, residing near New Lebanon about thirty years. Three years ago he retired from the farm and bought fine residence property on Genoa street in this city where he expected to spend the remainder of his days in peace and happiness, following the years of toil in accumulating enough of this world's goods to make retirement possible. He was in good health and had it not been for the deplorable accident which took his life he would have enjoyed many years of ease and comfort.

Mr. Becker was a voting member of the German Lutheran congregation of this city, serving for a number of years in different offices, being trustee at the time of his death. His fellow officers acted as pall bearers at the funeral. Besides the widow and five sons he leaves to mourn seventeen grand-children, one great grand-child and two sisters.

Mr. Becker was held in the highest esteem by his neighbors and friends, being honest and conscientious in all his transactions with mankind. He was a good citizen at all times.

#### Valuable Stamp Collection.

How stamp collecting has become specialized is instanced by the sale in Paris some time ago of a collection of Swiss stamps for about \$40,000.

#### 'Twas Ever Thus

Knockers in All Ages of the World have Eventually Been Subdued

Editor Chapel of the Hinckley Review gives the "Knocker" a sharp tap in the solar plexus when he says:

"Do you know what we think is the best story in the bible? It will surprise you; 'tis the one about Noah and the flood. You know Noah had to work a long time on the ark. It was up-hill business too, at the best, to go on sweating day by day under the hot sun, out there on the dry land, while the hammer and knocking club sat all around spitting tobacco juice on the boards and whittling up the soft pine with their jack knives and telling him what a fool he was to expect a big rain in a country that was too dry to raise alfalfa. But he kept at it; finally the flood came and every mother's son of the croakers were drowned. This is the only instance in sacred or profane history where the knockers got just what was coming to them. And they ought to get some more. It does not pay to knock."

#### Court House News

Genoa--

Sarah Jane Brenen wd to Bert Veale n 1/2 se 1/4 ne 1/4 sw 1/4 and se 1/4 ne 1/4 sec 33, sw 1/4 nw 1/4 and nw 1/4 sw 1/4 sec 36, \$25,000.

Bert Veale wd to Edw. O. Gustafson, same as above, \$31,000.

Frank S. Hoffman wd to Edw. Geithman, se 1/4 nw 1/4 se 1/4 and pt ne 1/4 sw 1/4 sec 29, \$1.

Fred Scherf wd to Frank E. Clayton, sw 1/4 ne 1/4 and pt se 1/4 nw 1/4 sec 19, \$7,840.

Chas. Brendemuhl wd to Chas. Rafferty, e 1/2 nw 1/4 and w 1/2 ne 1/4 and se 1/4 ne 1/4 sec 27, \$36,000.

Kingston--

Frederick Hagan wd to Frank V. Johnson, n 70 a e 1/2 ne 1/4 and w 1/2 ne 1/4 sec 5, \$24,200.

J. P. McAllister wd to Ira Nelson, w 1/2 se 1/4 and e 1/2 sw 1/4 se 1/4 nw 1/4 sec 20, \$20,359.50.

7,000 SWEEPED TO DEATH BY FLOODS IN STATE OF OHIO

Mayor of Dayton Telephones That 5,000 Are Dead in City.

COX APPEALS FOR AID

Governor of State Asks All the World to Aid Victims of Terrible Catastrophe.

BODIES FLOATING IN STREET

Great Wall of Water Forty Feet Deep is Reported to Have Swept Over the City of Dayton When the Lowiston Dam Burst Inundating the Place to the Extent of From 12 to 15 Feet—Reports Give the Dead at Hamilton at 1,000, at Piqua 540 and at Celina 500.

ESTIMATED LOSS OF LIFE IN OHIO FLOOD.

Table with 2 columns: Location and Estimated Loss of Life. Includes Dayton (5,000), Hamilton (1,000), Piqua (540), Delaware (100), Akron (12), Columbus (3), Barboursville (1), Brighton (3), West Liberty (1), Zanesville (2), Ada (1), Findlay (1).

Reports from towns which are flood-swept but isolated are expected to bring the total far above 7,000.

Columbus, Ohio, March 26.—Gov. James M. Cox, with the sanction of the legislature, in session in Columbus, issued an appeal to the world for assistance for Ohio flood sufferers.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 26.—More than seven thousand lives were lost in the fierce flood which swept through Ohio, leaving in its trail damage estimated far in the millions.

The state is paralyzed. Railroad, trolley, telephone and telegraph traffic is blocked and the cities in which hundreds of lives have been lost are cut off almost entirely from communication with the rest of the world.

The heavy rainfall, the most copious known in years, sent every stream and river over its banks, and hundreds of cities are in darkness as the result of electric lighting plants being inundated.

Over 75,000 Are Homeless. Millions of dollars' damage had been done to property, fully 75,000 people are homeless and appeals for aid have been sent out to the Red Cross.

In Dayton alone 30,000 people are homeless. The four days' continuous rain filled every reservoir in the state, and a number of them undermined dams and poured their contents into the valleys.

The rush of water was so great, however, that houses were undermined and carried along in the swift current. Hundreds were drowned before they had a chance to seek places of safety.

The water crept higher and higher and finally it was thirteen feet deep at the Union station. Some parts of the city were under thirty feet of water.

Mayor Says 5,000 Are Drowned. It was at first reported that 8,000 were drowned in Dayton. Later a message was received from a telephone operator in the Dayton exchange that he could see hundreds of bodies floating through the street past the telephone building.

The mayor of Dayton, who had escaped from the flood, sent a message declaring that 5,000 persons were drowned in the city, that 30,000 were homeless and that the situation was appalling.

At ten o'clock at night the dam of a reservoir north of Hamilton burst and a great flood swept down upon the city. According to word from refugees more than 1,000 people were drowned.

In Piqua the river burst the levees, poured through the town and trapped hundreds of people in their homes. The swift current undermined the houses and it is estimated that 540 were swept to their death.

In Delaware the Olentangy river became a lake which covered most of the city. It is estimated that fully 1,000 were drowned. People were left clinging to trees, roof-tops and telegraph poles crying for assistance.

Owing to the swift current in the river the work of rescue was difficult. \$2,000,000 Damage in Cleveland. In Cleveland, while no lives were lost, the damage will reach \$2,000,000.

The Cuyahoga river swept through the manufacturing district in the flats, closed down hundreds of mills and left more than 50,000 workers idle. The East Third street bridge was destroyed when a big steamer was swept from its moorings and crashed into it. Thousands of dollars of lumber was swept from the river and out into the lake. Firemen were kept busy dynamiting lumber jams at the bridges.

In Youngstown 25,000 workmen were forced to quit work when most of the big industries were shut down by the flood. All bridges in the city are guarded.

In Piqua several hundred families have been made homeless and naval reserves have been called from Toledo to give them aid.

The big bridge over the Miami river at Middletown was swept away, fifteen persons are missing and scores of houses are floating down stream.

Three have broken out in the west side of Columbus and the flames are spreading as the firemen have no water supply. Two bridges were swept away by the flood.

Send Troops to Hamilton. The companies of State National Guard have been sent to Hamilton to help preserve order. Five were drowned there.

Larus, Marion county, sent an appeal for help to Governor Cox. The town is inundated and people have sought refuge on the roofs of their houses.

The number of known dead in Delaware is nineteen and from thirty-five to forty are missing. It is reported the mayor, B. V. Leas, is among the drowned.

In West Liberty an engine and one car rolled down an embankment washed out by the flooded Mad river. The conductor was drowned and several bodies were seen floating away and it is feared a number of passengers in the two cars were drowned.

In Akron more than 500 families are homeless, the rubber factories were forced to close down, railroad and trolley traffic is paralyzed and it is feared that the big state reservoir south of the city will break. Only one death, that of a N. O. T. L. lineman, who was electrocuted, was reported.

Dayton Under Martial Law. Dayton is under martial law. Three companies of the Ohio National Guard are aiding the police in rescuing families from flood-menaced homes.

The first direct word out of the city after the breaking of the levee was a long-distance telephone message to Richmond, Ind., from Frank Purviance, an employe of the Terre Haute, Indianapolis & Eastern Traction company at Dayton. Eight thousand persons, he said, had been drowned there.

"They're dying like rats in their homes; bodies are washing around the streets and there is no relief in sight," Purviance said.

Telephone communication with Dayton was established for a few minutes during the night and then was broken again. Purviance said water stood twenty to forty feet deep in some of the streets.

Bodies Floating in Streets. A telephone operator in the Dayton office, who established communication with Richmond for a few minutes, said bodies were floating past the window of the office. The operator begged the local offices to send an appeal for aid to Governor Cox of Ohio.

The telephone operator at Liberty, O., a small town west of Dayton, established communication with the local exchange. He reiterated the story told by the Dayton operator. Just before the wire to Liberty failed the operator said the levee near the Main street bridge had just gone out and the water was pouring into the town like a tidal wave. He asked that aid be rushed to the town.

Railway officials at Xenia, 25 miles east of Dayton, received word that 30,000 persons were homeless in Dayton, that a number had been killed and that the water was 15 feet deep in the business section of the city. At that time it still was raining and the river rising. Red Cross officials are being rushed to the city from Cincinnati to direct the rescue work.

The telephone operator at Phontown, eight miles north of Dayton, said that reports from Dayton at six o'clock were that there was nine feet of water on Main street, and the water rising. The Central Union depot is surrounded by water and the employes cannot get out.

Looters Shooting People in Streets. The Western Union operator at Dodson, O., says the office is filled with men who have fled from Dayton. Looters are shooting people down in the streets, according to these refugees. The Fifth street bridge at Dayton has washed down against the railroad bridge. Both bridges are being dynamited.

A young woman telephone operator late in the afternoon at Dayton was in direct communication with Governor Cox at Columbus. She said she was the last person remaining in the exchange building and that there were seven feet of water in the main street at that time.

As she was talking she said the Leonard building across the street, opposite the city hall, collapsed. Scores of persons were believed to have been in the building at the time.

Governor Cox has sent an appeal to Miss Mabel Boardman, chairman of the Red Cross society, at Washington. Frank Brandon, vice-president of the Dayton, Lebanon & Cincinnati railroad, succeeded in establishing a telegraph wire from Dayton to Lebanon. He said that the situation is appalling and beyond all control.

SNOW COVERS BODIES

RESCUERS SEARCH RUINS IN OMAHA FOR VICTIMS OF TORNADO.

168 ARE KNOWN TO BE DEAD

Heartrending Scenes at Hospitals and Morgues Follow Disastrous Storm—Wire Service Is Partly Restored With the Stricken City.

KNOWN DEAD

Table with 2 columns: Location and Number of Dead. Includes Omaha (152), Terre Haute (19), Chicago (6), Yutan (16), Berlin (7), Council Bluffs (12), Bartlett (3), Weston (2), Neola (2), Danville Crossing (1), Glenwood (5), Lafayette (2), Walton (1), Sterling (1), Erie (1), Traverse City (1), Total (231).

\* Also 10 missing.

Omaha, Neb., March 26.—Adding to the suffering which followed in the wake of the tornado which demolished sections of this city Easter Sunday, a heavy snow began to fall, and by morning two inches of it covered the ground, hampering the work of rescue and reconstruction.

Bodies of dead or injured lie in the debris and the search by federal soldiers and anxious relatives continued through the night. Some residents of the district declare that at least 100 bodies are buried in the ruins.

Federal soldiers guard the devastated sections of the city with utmost diligence, defying admittance even to city police and county officials. Scores of business men, delayed in the business section of Omaha until dark, were denied the right to pass through the wrecked section to their homes.

A dead line has been established by the soldiers at Lake avenue from Sixteenth to Thirtieth street. City police are stopped by soldiers when Lake street is reached and told that their patrols end there. Even newspaper men are denied admittance to the district.

Residents of Omaha who were out of the city at the time of the tornado are returning home by scores. Unable to communicate by wire with relatives or friends in Omaha to learn as to their safety, a hasty return by rail is being made. Telephone and telegraph communication, though re-established in a measure, again faces paralysis because of the snowstorm of almost blizzard proportions, which, according to reports, is raging throughout this state.

Commercial telegraph companies are deluged with messages from persons who await knowledge of the safety of friends and relatives.

Aid Offered by State Officials. Mayor Dahlman received a message from Mayor James R. Hanna of Des Moines, proffering any aid within that city's power. Governor E. F. Dunne of Illinois has telegraphed Mayor Dahlman asking what assistance Illinois can give, as have Governor A. O. Eberhart of Minnesota and Mayor Bading of Milwaukee.

Scenes at and around city hospitals and morgues are pathetic. Motherless children and childless mothers kneel side by side, praying for the recovery of wounded loved ones or sob beside their dead. Men, women and children silently pass through the corridors of cars on which lie hundreds of injured, seeking knowledge of the fate which may have befallen their missing loved ones.

Nuns Escape Just in Time. When the tornado struck Omaha 60 nuns were in the Sacred Heart convent. Seeing its approach, they hurried from the five story convent building and sought refuge at the home of Bishop Richard Scannell, just across the street. No sooner had the last of the women left the convent than the building collapsed with a crash. The 150 girl students at the convent were spending Easter Sunday at their homes or with their friends.

Relief work showed that hundreds lost everything they owned, and their suffering was made more acute by the rain. The downpour, while adding to their discomfort, was probably the greatest boon the stricken district could have asked, for it extinguished innumerable fires which broke out immediately after the tornado had passed.

Rescue work was carried on fast, and it appears that all of the homeless are being cared for by charitable institutions and citizens, while the more seriously injured have received medical attention. In many cases private homes were turned into temporary hospitals.

Harrowing stories of their experiences are told by the survivors of the storm. Scenes in the wrecked sections in Terre Haute brought tears to the eyes of the rescuers, whose attention often was called to the dying, trapped in the debris of their homes, by agonizing screams for aid. Some died before they could be freed from wreckage and others who were removed will die.

Today all Omaha is rallying to the assistance of the desolate victims of the tornado. The hospitals of the city are filled, churches, fraternal orders and public institutions have opened their doors, city officials are busy with relief work, and hundreds of citizens are offering their homes and money to aid in caring for the stricken ones.

Partial List of Dead. The list of dead in Omaha so far as known is as follows: Archer. Mrs. Bigelow. Maria Booker. Helen Bowlers. Henry Bleawelt. Jeon K. Brooks. Clarence Cady. Two infant children of Morris Christenson. Henry Cooper. C. F. Copley. Mr. and Mrs. C. Daniels and two small daughters. Mrs. Frank Ravle. Mrs. B. Davis. Sam Dengulfier. C. W. Dillon. John Doyle. George Duncan. George J. Duncan. Bert H. Fields. William Fisher. Mrs. E. E. Fitzgerald. Sunny Ford. Jason L. Garrison. Lloyd Gewer. George Givot. Mrs. F. G. Goodnaught. Rose Gray. John Greener. Mrs. Henrietta Grier. A. Hanson. George Hanson. Andrew Hendrickson. Fred Henz. Mrs. A. Henseman. Mrs. J. F. Hogg. Miss Frieda Hultin. Jessie Jenson. Thomas Johnson. Nathan Khosey and three small daughters and infant son. Nels Larsen. Mabel McBride. Miss Maas. Mrs. Ida Newman. J. B. Nichols. T. B. Morris. Coralie Norris. A. J. Peck. Walter Peterson. Sam Riley. Mrs. E. A. Sawyer. A. R. Stanley. Mrs. Sullivan. Mrs. R. R. Devan. At Council Bluffs, Iowa: Benjamin Benningshoff. Mrs. William Poole. Mrs. J. R. Rice. J. R. Rice. Mr. and Mrs. Schools and Baby Norgaard. At Ralston, Neb.: Mrs. Edith Kimball, twenty-nine years old of Winnipeg, Canada. Francis Kimball, two years old. Mary Moran. H. E. Said. At Yutan, Neb.: (Death reported but not confirmed). Mrs. William Babcock and daughter. Mrs. Gilster. A. R. Hammond, wife and son. Henry Scheele. Mrs. W. H. Steimbaugh and baby.

INDIANA IS FLOODED

HEAVY RAINS FOLLOW IN WAKE OF TORNADO AND BIG DAMAGE IS REPORTED.

TRAVEL IS MADE DIFFICULT

Twenty Persons Known to Have Been Killed and 250 Injured in Cyclone—Hundreds Are Homeless—Millions Ordered Out.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 26.—Five hundred or more are drowned at Peru, Ind., according to a message received by Governor Ralston from that place.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 26.—The worst rainstorm in years followed in the wake of the tornado that carried death and destruction into southern Indiana. Rain in torrents has fallen for 24 hours from South Bend on the north to Evansville on the Ohio River and the Wabash valley is flooded. At La Fayette the river is rising a foot an hour and the lowlands are inundated.

At New Castle John Hagner was drowned in the Blue river, while at Frankfort, Ray and Roscoe Roethenberger and Wallace Garrison were drowned in Big Wild Cat creek, which, at nightfall yesterday, was a mile wide.

Outlook is Discouraging. After an all night vigil watchers along the rivers and creeks were not encouraged with the coming of day. Swollen streams, which during the last 48 hours have done enormous property damage and made railroad and traction travel uncertain show no signs of abating.

Reports from nearly every section of Indiana show that the entire state is in the grip of the worst flood in years and in many places the high waters of 1883 have been surpassed. Thousands of Live Stock Drowned. The suddenness with which the flood came caught farmers in every section of Indiana unprepared and thousands of head of live stock were drowned.

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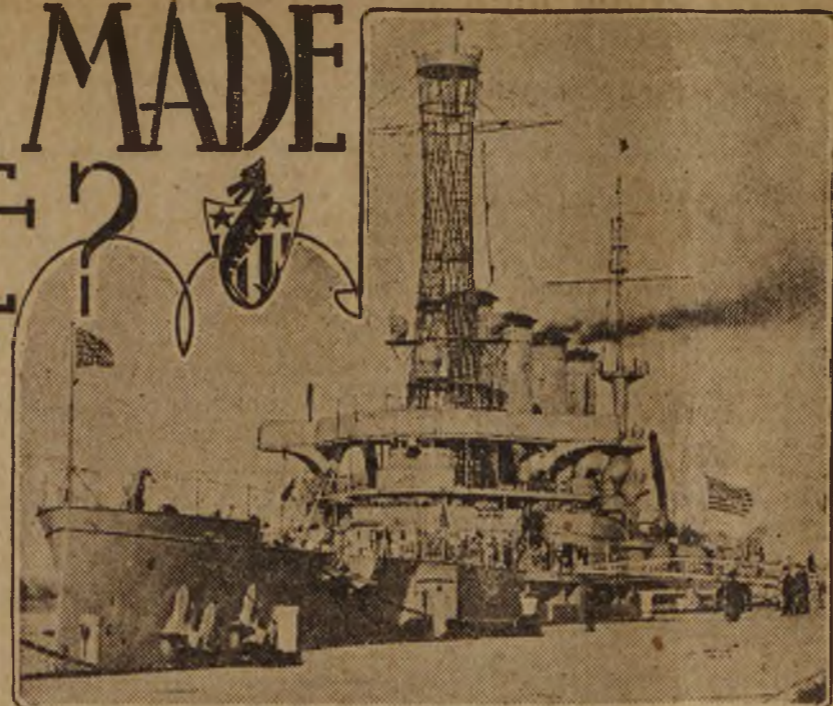
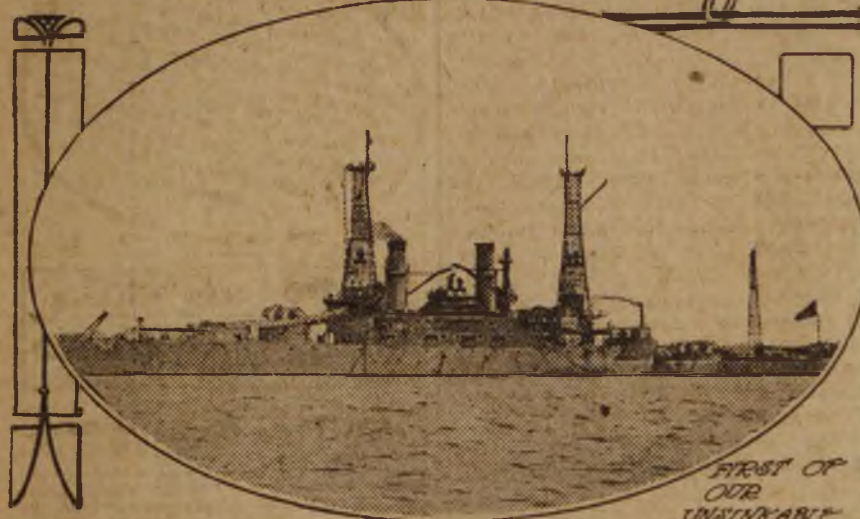
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This is substantially what Mr. Wotherspoon has planned shall happen when a ship's compartment or compartments are flooded through under water damage of any sort. Air will displace the water due to leakage and make the craft float well high as if she had not been injured. Of course this is upon the assumption that the wound has occurred at the bottom and not the top of a watertight subdivision; otherwise the chamber will remain flooded.

But it takes a good deal of air to fill most of the big divisions of a fighting ship, and there must be piping to carry the air to these hundreds of separate chambers. How did Mr. Wotherspoon provide for all these and yet not exceed the weight allowed him by the naval officials? He did it by making use of facilities actually already provided for other services.

Foul air, gases and heat beyond a fixed degree must be guarded against in a man-of-war within the various under water compartments. To accomplish this end two pipes lead to each of these chambers, one to carry fresh air and the other to drain off the foul. Also every fighting ship is furnished with air compressors and there are a number of tanks in which this air is stored at a very high pressure. Normally this air is for the charging of the torpedoes, for some kind of mechanical work and for blowing the residual gases and bits of smoldering remnants of the powder bags out of the big guns before the breeches are opened for reloading. The very fundamentals of Mr. Wotherspoon's system were thus already installed and a few inexpensive connections alone were needed to complete his requirements. All that was necessary was to tap the air supply system by flexible hose and join the connection to the supply duct leading to any desired compartment, at the same time closing the exhaust vent. Thus compressed air under perfect control could be led into the flooded chamber and the water quickly expelled.

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The statue of "America" which has just been discovered adorns the front of the Cannon street hotel, which adjoins one of the biggest of London's railway stations and is a favorite place for big political and other gatherings. It was put up in 1866, since when its walls have not been cleaned, hence for forty years or more all of the rather elaborate decorations which cover them have been hidden from sight as completely as if they never had existed. The pall of mingled soot and grime which covers them several inches deep in places, but it fall off almost at a touch, and after what is known as "wire brushing" the surface becomes fairly clean.

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## IMPORTANT NEWS SUMMARY

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The congress of the Labor party of Brussels ratified the order for a general strike, to be called April 14, issued by the national committee on universal suffrage.

The annual meeting of the American Oriental society opened in Philadelphia at the University of Pennsylvania. An interesting program of papers has been prepared for the sessions.

The Italian forces at Tripoli recently defeated a large band of Arabs. The Arab losses numbered 220 killed and many wounded. On the Italian side the casualties were 24 dead and 123 wounded.

State troops under General Obregon and Colonel Cabrat attacked the American mining town of Cananea simultaneously from two directions with artillery and hand grenades, according to advices received at Naco, Ariz.

A tornado struck Martin's Ferry, O., and did considerable property damage. No loss of life has been reported. The funeral procession of William Yost was struck and several carriages were blown over an embankment, but the inmates escaped.

The Mahoning river and Crab creek are out of their banks at Youngstown, O., and the factory district is flooded. As a result most of the factories were closed. Fourteen thousand men were idle at the plants of the Republic Iron and Steel company and the Youngstown Sheet and Tube company.

Joseph Hedinger, a special policeman of Washington, was set upon by a mob of negroes and so badly beaten that he may die. Hedinger attempted to settle a dispute over a bottle of gin and when the regular police came to the rescue they were forced to charge the crowd. Three negroes were placed under arrest.

Official announcement was made at the White House that former President Eliot of Harvard has declined President Wilson's offer to be ambassador to Great Britain. Mr. Eliot wired his thanks, but said he thought he could be of more service to the country at home, working in a familiar field, than abroad.

Gansico, the Filipino who was recently arrested at Manila on a charge of stealing military plans of the Corregidor fortifications, was found guilty and sentenced to serve nine months in prison. It developed that two blue prints of the Corregidor defenses had already been sent to Japan through agents before Gansico's arrest.

Owing to the weak condition of Pope Pius X., Professor Marchisava decided, after a consultation at Rome, that it would be impossible for his holiness to hold the audience he had arranged for. No further audiences will be given by the pontiff until April 3. The pope is much depressed by the death of Cardinal Peter Respighi, the vicar general.

Three more adherents of the late President Madero of Mexico were executed recently at Jimenez, say mail advices received at El Paso, Tex. Juan Rosales, ex-state senator; Jose Mena, former municipal officeholder at Parral, and Juan Baca, capitalist, were the victims. Each was arrested on political charges at his home in Parral and removed to Jimenez, where the executions were carried out by military authorities.

## WEBB LAW IS NULLIFIED

Act Prohibiting Shipment of Liquor into "Dry" Territory Will Not Be Enforced.

Washington, March 24.—Commissioner of Internal Revenue Cabell has given notice that the Webb act, prohibiting the shipment of liquor into prohibition territory for general sale, will not be enforced by internal revenue officers. Since the bill was passed over the veto of President Taft the commissioner has had frequent letters from interested persons who want to see it enforced.

## THE MARKETS.

| New York, March 24.      |                 |
|--------------------------|-----------------|
| LIVE STOCK—Steers        | \$6.55 @ 9.15   |
| Hogs                     | 8.75 @ 10.00    |
| Sheep                    | 4.75 @ 6.50     |
| FLOUR—Spring Patents     | 4.40 @ 4.60     |
| WHEAT—May                | 97 @ 97 3/4     |
| CORN—Export              | 17 1/2 @ 58     |
| OATS—No. 3               | 37 1/2 @ 38     |
| RYE—No. 2                | 62 1/2 @ 77     |
| BUTTER—Creamery          | 27 @ 27         |
| EGGS                     | 11 @ 20         |
| CHEESE                   | 13 @ 17         |
| CHICAGO.                 |                 |
| CATTLE—Choice Steers     | \$9.50 @ 9.20   |
| Fat Cattle               | 8.00 @ 7.25     |
| Choice Vealers           | 10.00 @ 12.00   |
| Feeding Steers           | 7.25 @ 8.25     |
| Heavy Calves             | 8.25 @ 9.00     |
| HOGS—Packers             | 8.55 @ 8.85     |
| Butcher Hogs             | 9.10 @ 9.20     |
| Pigs                     | 7.50 @ 9.15     |
| BUTTER—Creamery          | 28 @ 37         |
| Dairy                    | 27 @ 28         |
| EGGS                     | 17 1/2 @ 20     |
| LIVE POULTRY             | 12 @ 17         |
| POTATOES (per bu.)       | 42 @ 48         |
| FLOUR—Spring Wheat, Sp1  | 4.80 @ 5.10     |
| GRAIN—Wheat, May         | 88 1/2 @ 90 1/2 |
| Corn, May                | 52 1/2 @ 54     |
| Oats, May                | 33 1/2 @ 35 1/2 |
| MILWAUKEE.               |                 |
| GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n | 89 1/2 @ 90 1/2 |
| May                      | 88 @ 89 1/2     |
| Corn, No. 2 White        | 52 1/2 @ 53     |
| Oats, Standard           | 33 @ 32 1/2     |
| Rye                      | 61 @ 61 1/2     |
| KANSAS CITY.             |                 |
| GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Hard  | 83 1/2 @ 86 1/2 |
| No. 2 Red                | 1.00 @ 1.06     |
| Corn, No. 2 White        | 50 @ 50 1/2     |
| Oats, No. 2 White        | 24 @ 25         |
| Rye                      | 57 @ 57 1/2     |
| ST. LOUIS.               |                 |
| CATTLE—Fine Steers       | \$9.50 @ 9.10   |
| Texas Steers             | 8.75 @ 9.35     |
| HOGS—Heavy               | 9.00 @ 9.15     |
| Butchers                 | 9.05 @ 9.20     |
| SHEEP—Muttons            | 5.50 @ 7.00     |
| OMAHA.                   |                 |
| CATTLE—Native Steers     | \$7.50 @ 8.75   |
| Texas Steers             | 6.00 @ 7.70     |
| Cows and Heifers         | 5.50 @ 8.15     |
| HOGS—Heavy               | 8.85 @ 9.85     |
| SHEEP—Wethers            | 9.25 @ 1.00     |

## ILLINOIS NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

Wire Reports of Happenings From All Parts of the State.

### LOSES MIND; BURIES MONEY

Michael McMahon, a Wealthy Elburn Resident, Forgets the Location of Hole Where He Hid His Wealth.

Aurora.—Somewhere in a swampy piece of land lying between Elburn and Ingallton, Michael McMahon, a wealthy Elburn resident, dug a hole and buried his watch and a pocketful of money. He doesn't recollect where he hid his treasure.

Moline.—Moline has taken the initiative in Illinois for a bird reservation where the feathered tribe will have protection. Burtis H. Wilson, local representative of the Audubon society, is one of the leading spirits. The reservation will cover several square miles and owners of the territory will co-operate to extend protection to birds.

Alto Pass.—Missing their two-year-old child, Mr. and Mrs. Van Cavaness, living on Hudgeons Creek west of town, went in search of it and found its dead body floating in the creek.

Mount Vernon.—Word has been received that J. Lee Crowders died as the result of injuries inflicted when he tried to frustrate an attempt to rob the bank at Silvis, where he was cashier. Mount Vernon is Mr. Crowders' home.

Rockford.—The conference of the United Evangelical church adjourned its annual meeting at Chadwick. Bishop S. F. Wengel announced the following appointments: Southern Illinois district, E. J. Kyeakel, presiding elder, El Paso; Anna and Jonesboro, W. F. Berge; Bishop, Ora Davis; El Paso, D. J. Eloop; Gilman, J. H. Johnson; Grayville, F. H. Born; Groveland, L. W. Schuelker; Joliet, F. B. Blankey; Manhattan, A. L. Schaefer; Ottawa, G. H. Wykle; Radford, J. D. Butler; Reddick, J. W. Michael; Roberts, Charles Wunsch; Streator, Charles Stockhove; Symerton, H. E. Blakesler; Terre Haute, F. R. Caldwell; Westerville, R. P. Maue; Weston, J. E. Boston.

President Wilson's edict against the use of liquor at White House banquets received the hearty approval of ministers attending the conference. A resolution commending the president for his stand was unanimously adopted and forwarded to him.

Kings.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Hayes celebrated their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary at their home in Kings.

Champaign.—Charles D. Norton, vice-president of the First National bank of New York; Howard S. Elting, president of the Chicago Association of Commerce, and Harry A. Wheeler, president of the chamber of commerce of the United States, will speak at the dedication of the new Commerce building at the University of Illinois April 16 and 17. The Commerce building will house courses in various lines—banking, accounting, journalism, insurance and railway administration.

Quincy.—William McGartland, thirty years old, while cleaning a revolver at his home in Camp Point, near Quincy, was accidentally shot in the abdomen and died a few hours later.

Champaign.—Yoxan, most select and exclusive of University of Illinois interfraternity societies, was abolished by the council of administration because of the excessive use of intoxicating liquors in its quarters. Gathered around its historic round table, which accommodates twenty-five men, the society received the faculty ultimatum: "The members of Yoxan are advised that the organization must be discontinued." Yoxan was founded in 1905 for purely social purposes, electing to membership favored upper classmen from leading fraternities. Membership was coveted.

Champaign.—University of Illinois men who are to appear as chorus girls in "The Prodigal Prince" were informed that long dresses must be worn. Besides the ban on short skirts all "modern dances," such as the tango, were barred.

Quincy.—August Burgdorf, a farmer, was found dead in a field a short distance from his house by his wife. The latter went out to search for him after being apprised that something was wrong by the strange actions of a large shepherd dog.

Elgin.—Fred Powell, an attendant at the state insane hospital here, was arrested, fined and discharged for alleged brutality to an inmate. A Chicago patient is said to have refused to put on his overcoat and to have been kicked by Powell. Several cases of maltreatment of patients recently have been investigated by state officials.

Herring.—Yeggs blew the safe in the post office at Fordville, south of here, and got \$50 and a quantity of stamps.

## STATE HAPPENINGS

Springfield.—Plans were laid for a country-wide war on hard roads at a meeting of the executive committee of the Sangamon County Antihard Roads association. The representatives at the meeting, farmers from the various townships, decided to start a campaign of education on the difference between hard and good roads and advocating the latter.

Lincoln.—Mayor W. O. Gayle and Howard Vaughn had a narrow escape from drowning in the murky waters of Salt creek, according to reports brought back by the party of Lincoln sportsmen who were in camp last week hunting ducks at Blue lake, south of this city. They fell from a boat.

Waukegan.—Another serious clash between the Cook factory employees and Overseer Voliva's people occurred at Zion City when the factory closed for the day. Several of Voliva's followers, including Deacons Peckham, Brown and Howland, were badly beaten. It is expected that warrants will be issued for the arrest of their assailants.

Springfield.—Evelyn Arthur See, leader of the "Absolute Life" cult, who was sentenced to Joliet penitentiary for the abduction of Mildred Bridges, was granted a stay of proceedings by Justice Cartwright of the Illinois supreme court. A petition for rehearing will come up at the April term of the court.

Decatur.—A west-bound Wabash passenger train, running thirty miles an hour, was derailed at Niantic. All the cars left the track and two turned over. No one was killed and only a few slightly injured. Those injured were: John W. Knapp, conductor, Springfield, back wrenched; Mrs. F. Eldredge, Litchfield, side bruised; Mrs. E. J. Simon, Chicago, hip wrenched; Mrs. Ruth Hartzell, Carthage, arm bruised.

Calro.—Grand officers of the Grand Commandery of Illinois Knights Templars, attended the annual inspection of Calro Commandery No. 13 and participated in the spread which followed. The grand officers here are: William Leslie Sharp, right eminent grand commander of Chicago; Louis A. Mills, eminent grand captain general of Decatur; James McCredie, eminent grand standard bearer of Aurora, and Louis I. Emerson, eminent grand warden of Mount Vernon.

Bloomington.—Tazewell county board of supervisors voted to pay \$1,000 towards employment government soil expert to conserve land, six counties in Illinois have been selected for this conservation, the government in each pay \$1,200 and the farmers \$3,000.

Decatur.—Fred Pieper, fourteen years old, a schoolboy of Shelbyville, is dead from the bite of a mad dog. Pieper, to protect the other children in the schoolroom, picked up the dog and carried it from the room.

Decatur.—Freeman Storm, a prominent young farmer near Shelbyville shot himself through the head when he came to his home and found his mother lying dead. His death is momentarily expected.

Joliet.—Joseph Berman of Chicago, an operative of the O'Brien detective agency, was held up and robbed of \$12 at the point of a revolver. Berman was working on a private case here, the nature of which he will not divulge. Berman was standing at the corner of Marion and Center streets when he was suddenly confronted by two masked highwaymen. It is believed that papers in Berman's possession were real objects of the highwaymen's activities.

Herrin.—Harry Sears, engineer, of Cape Girardeau, Mo., who stayed in his cab, and Gay Martin of Cypress, mail clerk, were severely injured when the north-bound passenger train on the C. & E. I. railway ran into an open switch of a few miles below Johnston City. The fireman made a safe jump and the other mail clerk was only slightly injured. None of the passengers was hurt, although the coaches were derailed.

Carlyle.—While walking along the tracks of the Southern railroad near her home at Bartleso, Mrs. Bob Holmes was struck by the east-bound flyer and instantly killed. She was thirty-five years old and partially deaf.

Odin.—Thomas Tyler, thirty-five years old, was killed by a B. & O. train while walking from Sandova.

Vandalia.—Fire destroyed the plant of the Ford Manufacturing company, the biggest business concern of this city. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. The destruction of the plant throws 215 persons out of employment.

Champaign.—Prof. James Seal was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years in the Douglas county circuit court for assaulting Edna Price, a fifteen-year-old pupil. Seal once was sentenced for one year, but got a new trial.

**WOODMEN TO MEET**

Convention to be held in City of DeKalb April 22 to Choose Delegates

DeKalb Chronicle:—A convention has been called at DeKalb for April 22 of the insurgent Woodmen of the Twelfth Congressional district to choose delegates to the national convention that will be held at Springfield May 15 and 16.

The call has been issued by President MacArthur of Marseilles, and Secretary R. J. Cannell of Rockford stating that the convention will be held here at Jarboe's hall. DeKalb being selected because it is the central point of the district and easy of access from all the other towns.

This district is entitled to nine delegates to the state convention and about six of the national convention. The convention here will be called to order at two o'clock.

The DeKalb county association was organized some time ago. Its officers are:

President—J. H. Jarboe, DeKalb.

Secretary—James Walker, Sycamore.

Treasurer—A. F. Prince, Hinckley.

Delegate—J. E. Stott, Genoa.

Practice early rising these invigorating mornings. Get a good Alarm Clock at Martin's.

**END OF THE COURSE**

Music Makers Give Last Entertainment of the Series at the M. E. Church

The series of entertainments which have been given at the M. E. church during the winter months closed last Friday evening with a rare musical program by the "Music Makers." Those who attended, and the house was well filled, were more than pleased with the number, the vocal and instrumental selections all being of a high grade.

Financially the result of the lecture course was not a success, if profits are to be considered. Such was not the aim of those having the matter in charge, however. The idea was to give the people of Genoa some good entertainments and only thru the lecture course system could good talent be secured at a price which would be practical. From the standpoint of attendance and appreciation the venture was a success, and an effort will be made to put on another series next winter.

If you really mean it, give her a diamond. Martin will sell them as low as anyone, and no danger of getting stung.

**For Supervisor**

Having petitioned as a candidate for the office of supervisor for the town of Genoa, I will appreciate the support of voters at the election to be held on the first Tuesday in April. If elected I assure the people of Genoa that the office will have my best attention at all times, and will make an effort to represent Genoa on the board as a town of its importance in the county should be represented.

E. O. Gustafson.

Carpenter tools—a full line of the satisfaction giving quality at Perkins & Rosenfeld's.

**The Exception.**

Some people expect one to believe in their veracity except when they deprecate themselves.

**SAMPLE BALLOT**

I hereby certify that the following is a true copy of the ballot to be voted at the annual election in the Town of Genoa, Illinois, Tuesday, April 1, A. D., 1913.

*Thos G Sager*  
Town Clerk.

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**Your Spring Apparel, Madam, Can be Most Satisfactorily and Economically Purchased at Swan's**

It is well worth while coming to this store to see the superb exhibition of Spring apparel now on display.

Every new and correct fashion is given representation in this display. We have never shown a broader assortment, nor have the garments themselves ever been quite so beautiful as at present. It will be a real education in the Spring styles for you to come and inspect this showing.

Here are the new coats, suits, dresses, waists, millinery, etc., in a diversity of styles, so broad that you will be certain to find here just the fashions that best become you.

Every garment is of distinctive and attractive style, well made of high class materials. Yet our prices are surprisingly low.

Snappy styles in Spring coats at \$9.98 and up. Smart new tailored suits at \$12.98 and up. A beautiful display of stunning hats trimmed in the most fashionable effects, at \$2.98 and up.

We refund your carfare according to the amount of your purchase and serve an excellent luncheon FREE.

Theo. F. Swan, "Elgin's Most Popular Store"

Need a watch? Talk to Martin.

See Perkins & Rosenfeld about that roofing.

A washing machine that will do the work satisfactorily, run with ease and stand the wear is the kind you want. See Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Take the Responsibility. Don't throw sand into your own eyes by finding an excuse for your mistakes in someone else.

**Annual Town Meeting**

Notice is hereby given to the citizens, legal voters of the town of Genoa, in the county of DeKalb and state of Illinois, that the annual town meeting of said town will be held on Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, being the first Tuesday of the month, for the following purposes, viz: to elect a Supervisor, one Commissioner of Highways, two Justices of the Peace, two Constables, one School Trustee and three Trustees of Ney Cemetery, and to transact the miscellaneous business of the town, and to act upon any additional subjects which may, in pursuance of law, come before said meeting when convened. There being two precincts in the town of Genoa, all voters residing in precinct No. 1 will vote at the office of Jackman & Son, and those residing in precinct No. 2 will vote at the city hall in the city of Genoa. The polls of said election will open at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

Given under my hand at Genoa this 18th day of March, A. D., 1913. THOS. G. SAGER, Town Clerk.

**Wind Freaks at Roselle**

Roselle takes first place in the number and unusual character of storm freaks in northern Illinois. Here are a few of them:

A farmer had just completed a modern residence, but was still living in the old farmhouse nearby. The storm knocked the house into kindling, but left the old one, with the family, intact.

A barn was scattered to the four winds, but left two horses tied to their mangers, and didn't even remove the night's rations of hay.

Another barn assumed the dirigibility of an aeroplane, ascending into space and leaving a hayrack standing, well loaded, on the barn floor.

Beautiful new designs in silver souvenir spoons at Martin's.

**40-HORSES-40 AT AUCTION**

At our Sale Pavilion, Genoa, Ill., on **MONDAY, MARCH 31** Rain or Shine, at one o'clock **20 HEAD GOOD FARM STUFF** Some Mares in Foal **HERE IS A LIST OF GOOD ONES**

One pair black geldings, 5 and 6 yrs. old, wt. 3100; black mare, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1500; one pair brown mares, 5 and 7 yrs. old, wt. 2500; gray gelding, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1300; pair brown horses, 12 yrs old, wt. 2400; bay driver, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1000; pair gray mares, 4 yrs. old, wt. 2000; gray mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1100; black horse, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1150; pair colts, 3 yrs. old, wt. 2200; pair mules, wt. 2700; black mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1600.

A Good Chance To Buy Or Sell.

Terms: Cash in hand or bankable notes.

COOPER & PATTERSON. CHAS. SULLIVAN, Auctioneer, G. E. Stott, Clerk.

**Notice**

I will teach anyone the barber trade in a few weeks and put them to work at good wages. This is a bonafide offer. Write me. A. B. Moler, Pres., Molar System of Colleges, 738 So Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

**Administrator's Sale of Real Estate**

By virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of DeKalb County, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Dillon S. Brown, administrator, of the estate of Katharine A. Thompson, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the March term, A. D. 1913, of said Court, to-wit: On the fourth day of March, 1913, shall on the seventh day of April next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the South Door of the Court House in Sycamore, Illinois, in said county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit: The South-west Quarter (1/4) of the North-east Quarter (1/4) and the North Half (1/2) of the South-east Quarter (1/4) all in Section Thirty-four (34) in Township Forty-two (42) North Range Five (5) East of the Third Principal Meridian, situated in DeKalb County, Illinois, on the following terms, to-wit: Ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price cash to be paid on date of sale and balance on confirmation of sale by the Court and delivery of deed. DILLON S. BROWN, Administrator of the estate of Katharine A. Thompson, Deceased.

Dated this 5th day of March, A. D. 1913. Stott & Brown, Attorneys. 24-2t

**Executor's Notice**

Estate of John Gustaf Stoll, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of John Gustaf Stoll late of the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County at the Court House in Sycamore at the June Term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

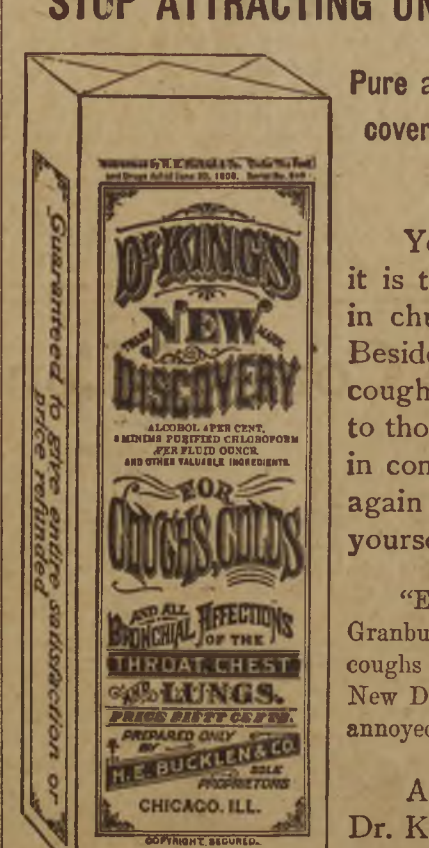
Dated this 5th day of March A. D. 1913. EMMA STOLL, Executrix. G. E. Stott, Attorney. 27-3t

**Executor's Notice**

Estate of Catherine Hanaughan, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Catherine Hanaughan late of the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County at the Court House in Sycamore at the June Term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 24th day of March A. D. 1913. Thomas Edward Hanaughan, Executor. Stott & Brown, Attorneys. 27-3t

**STOP ANNOYING PEOPLE BY COUGHING. STOP ATTRACTING UNDESIRABLE ATTENTION.**



Pure and Pleasant Dr. King's New Discovery Drives Away Cough and Cold. Makes You Feel Fine.

You know how very embarrassing it is to constantly cough at parties, in church and other public places. Besides suffering the distress of coughing, you regret the annoyance to those with whom you are brought in contact, and decide not to go out again while your cold lasts, causing yourself much inconvenience.

"Every winter," writes Mrs. M. O. Cross, Granbury, Texas, "I suffered with severe coughs and colds, but since using Dr. King's New Discovery, I have not been bothered or annoyed with either for over two years."

Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. He will refund your money if not satisfied.

**L. E. CARMICHAEL**

Their Honeymoon. A newly married couple living in Fulton took their honeymoon on a motor cycle. This department is not qualified to testify as an expert in the matter of honeymoons, but, believe us, motor cycling doesn't appeal to us as a start toward conjugal bliss. Some folks may call it exercise, but it looks more to us like sitting in a draft.—Kansas City Times.

**WHY**  
Be a Slave to MONEY  
**?**  
Make Money work For You.  
Money in the bank at interest works day and night, and is a friend that never fails in time of sickness, lack of employment or other trouble. Save a little and deposit your savings with us.  
Do It Now!!  
**EXCHANGE BANK BROWN & BROWN**



**More Economical Both in Use and Cost CALUMET BAKING POWDER**

— And it does better work. Simply follow your customary method of preparation — add a little less of Calumet than when using ordinary baking powder. Then watch the result. Light, fluffy, and evenly raised — the baking comes from the oven more tempting, tastier, more wholesome. Calumet insures the baking of an expert. Ask your grocer to-day.

**RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS**

World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.

Paris, Exposition, France, March, 1912.



You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-can baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical — more wholesome — gives best results. Calumet is far superior to sour milk and soda.

**Auctioneer**

**Farm Sales a Specialty**

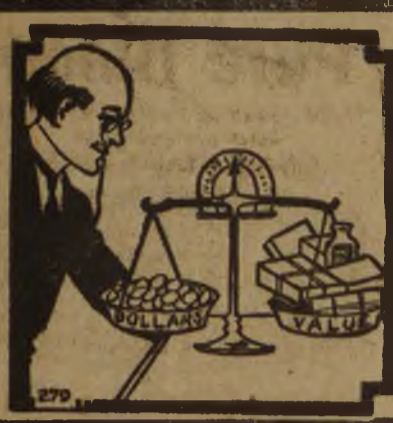
My record speaks for itself. Ask those who have engaged my services in the past. Am well acquainted with values of live stock and machinery and give the best there is in me at every sale. If you intend to have a sale call me by phone or drop me a card and I will look you up.

CHAS. SULLIVAN, Marengo, Ill.



# RIGHT Up to the MINUTE in STYLE

The above statement is the absolute truth regarding my line of Men's Hats for Spring wear. Note the style in the two reproductions shown here. There are many other styles too for your inspection. The soft hats come in all shades and at a scale of prices to suit you. Besides these extreme styles, we have neat and more sedate styles for older men. You are invited to call and look over this fine line of hats. **F. O. HOLTGREN, Genoa, Ill.**



## A Note to You

GENOA, MARCH 28, 1913.

It will soon be time to get out your Camera and take some pictures and you probably need some supplies.

Do not forget that we have all kinds of Photo Supplies, Camaries, Film Developers, etc.

Yours truly,

Phone 83 **L. E. CARMICHAEL**  
DRUGS, STATIONERY, SHEET MUSIC, ETC.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jackman were Rockford visitors Sunday.

Misses Catherine Gebhardt and Merna Long spent Sunday with their parents at Elgin.

Miss Zada Corson came out from Chicago Saturday evening for the Easter vacation.

For sale, quantity of extra large oak fence posts, at 10 to 15c each. Inquire of John Pratt, Genoa. 22-t

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long of Minok, Ill., are guests at the home of the latter's son, F. P. Glass.

Mrs. W. C. Gnekow and children of Rockford were Sunday guests at the home of Wm. Schmidt, Jr.

Mrs. M. Dunn of Chicago was here last week, a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Rudolph.

John Hadsall enjoyed a few days' hunting out in Iowa last week on the Mississippi in quest of the feathered tribe.

Mrs. Amanda Burroughs left on Monday for her home in Missouri. She was accompanied to Chicago by Mrs. J. W. Wylde.

Mrs. Jas. Hutchison and daughter, Margaret, were Sunday visitors at the home of the former's son, John, in St. Charles.

Millinery at Olmsted's. John Young was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Miss Lina Lord returned home from Elgin Tuesday.

The latest styles in shoes and oxfords at Olmsted's.

Miss Maria Holroyd is visiting relatives at Belvidere.

Mrs. Peter Reed returned home from a visit in Kansas last week. See the new curtain goods at Olmsted's.

Bayard Brown came home from Champaign to pass the Easter holiday.

Mrs. D. G. Cummings returned home from the Sycamore hospital Tuesday.

Frank Schultz, telegraph operator at Bensonville, was in Genoa last week.

For rent—Four room cottage on First street. Inquire of Geo. Donahue, Genoa, Ill. 27-2t

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wahl, Monday evening, March 24, a boy.

Mrs. Lloyd Layton, who has been seriously ill, being threatened with an attack of typhoid fever, is somewhat better.

For sale—Four good work horses, five and six years old. \* E. O. Gustafson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foote and children returned from California last week. They were well pleased with the coast climate, but decided that Illinois, especially this particular section of the state, was about right for them.

**LADY AGENT WANTED**, to sell a household article of real merit. Big money in it for one who will get out and work. The Pacific Merchandising Co. Inquire at office of The Republican Journal for particulars.

Sewark & Driver are fully equipped to drill your well, repair wells and do any work along that line on short notice. Phone—No. Rural 906-11. 13-tf

**I WANT TO RETIRE** after 31 years, will sell or trade for land my large brick store, built in 1903, and clean stock of General Merchandise in good Central Illinois town. Good chance for some one. Address "Owner"

Care, Isaac Clayton, Genoa, Illinois. 26-8t\*

The farce comedy "What Happened to Jones" will soon be put on by students of the Genoa High school, under the direction of Mrs. B. F. Kepner. The fact that Mrs. Kepner will take charge of the stage management insures a success of the venture, as she is an elocutionist of ability.

Mrs. Protine was here from Libertyville the first of the week superintending the packing of the property of her sister, Miss Alice Davis, who will not return to Genoa, being very ill. Altho Miss Davis gives up her home in Genoa she will always have a place in the hearts of her friends here. It is with deepest regret that we learn of her serious illness.

A large generator has recently been installed at the electric plant in this city, insuring better service in the future. The system is now so arranged that if either the Genoa or Hampshire plants should fail to supply the juice, the other could take care of the work for a time. The juice for power during the past week or so has been generated in Genoa.

Don't leave carcasses of animals lying around or carelessly bury them, for this invites dogs and crows, and they spread disease. Call J. Kunzler at the rendering plant or at his residence and he will properly remove them. Notice, however, must be given immediately on death of the animal and hide must be left on Residence phone H. Wiedeman, No. 351. We pay telephone charges. 13-tf

The Kishwaukee river has been out of bounds this week, all the flats being under water. The land between the river and bayou just south of the Milwaukee bridge was almost entirely submerged by the flood. The bridge west of town at Drake's corner which was washed out during the freshet some weeks ago has been temporarily repaired so that teams may travel over.

New up-to-date spring coats at Olmsted's.

Carl Harvey of Savanna was here last week. John Felgenhauer was an Elgin visitor Thursday.

New white waists and dress skirts at Olmsted's.

Miss Marion Bagley spent the week end with DeKalb relatives. Miss Ruth Crill of Monroe Center is spending a few days with Miss Lenore Worcester.

H. A. Perkins and daughter, Irma, called on Elgin relatives Saturday.

Mrs. James Kirby spent the latter part of the week with DeKalb and Earlville relatives.

Basement bargains in the 10c department at Olmsted's.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Seymour were Elgin visitors Sunday.

L. D. Kelley of Bartlett was a guest last week at the home of his parents.

F. W. Olmsted will add a special assortment of Wm. Rogers silver ware to his premium room.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Reid entertained the former's brother of Chicago over Sunday.

Beautiful new spring and summer dress goods at Olmsted's.

Mrs. E. G. Wightman and son of Elgin spent Saturday with Mrs. Emma Lord before leaving for California.

H. S. Burroughs and A. V. Pierce attended the meeting of the Milk Producers' Association in Sycamore Wednesday.

Misses Edna King, Irene Anderson and Lenora Worcester, who are students at the DeKalb Normal, are spending this week with home folks.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Abbie Patterson on Sycamore street Saturday, April 5, at 2:30 p. m. A good attendance of all members is desired. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Margaret Shattuck was granted a divorce this week from her husband, A. B. Shattuck. The latter has been away from Genoa for over a year, Mrs. Shattuck having been residing at the home of her brother.

Miss Alvina Schmidt, daughter of Wm. Schmidt, Sr., who has been ill for about eleven weeks, being confined to her bed most of that time, was taken to the hospital in Sycamore Thursday morning where she will submit to an operation for the removal of a tumor.

A car load of steel arrived for the interurban road the first of the week, enough to finish the stretch over the viaduct. Another month of good weather will see the finish of the structure and cars will be running thru from Sycamore to Marengo without the annoying change of cars and long walk in this city.

Pianos, automobiles and furniture—If you want your piano repaired and put in first class condition see D. R. Martin at the piano factory. Will also refinish automobiles, or if not badly checked will hand polish them. Also if you want a piece of furniture done in high class finishing apply at the piano factory, Genoa, Ill.

The Petey Wales motion pictures were shown at the opera house Wednesday evening to the usual large and interested audience. Mrs. Wales did not appear this week owing to the illness of her son, who is laid up with inflammatory rheumatism at the family home in Lanark. The Wales show will be presented at the opera house during the coming spring and summer, Mr. Wales to make the entertainment bigger and better than ever. Remember, the show will take place every Wednesday night.

New spring goods at Olmsted's.

The latest styles in Fisk and Gage hats at Olmsted's. Silver ware will be given away as premiums at Olmsted's.

M. J. Corson and son, Maynard, were in Rockford, both seeking treatment for rheumatism.

Don't forget, Young's Home Bakery is the place to get good things to eat. Strict attention paid to children. 32-tf

For sale—Single Comb Buff Orpington eggs at \$5.00 a hundred; also 30 bushels early Ohio potatoes. Inquire of C. A. Johnson, Phone 922-32, Genoa. 26-2\*

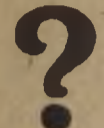
William Jennings Bryan has been some talker during his political career, all to no particular purpose as far as direct results are concerned. The thunder that he did raise which looked good to certain people was stolen by Roosevelt. Now Bryan has an opportunity to show just what he is worth in deeds from a diplomatic standpoint. No one fears that he will be lacking in ability.

An architect is now drawing plans for the new parish house to be erected by the people of St. Catherine's church in Genoa this summer. The house will be a nine-room structure with all the modern conveniences, to be located immediately north of the church on Emmett street. Despite the fact that the church was finished only last year, the parish is practically out of debt. Since the dedication many beautiful and costly statues and paraphernalia have been added by contribution.

**Keep Vigilant.** He trespasses against his duty who sleeps upon his watch, as well as he that goes over to the enemy.—Edmund Burke

**Peaceful Beginning.** A young barber was telling one of his regular customers of his recent wedding. "You bet we had a good time at my wedding," he said. "Lots of young people there, a big crowd, and we had dancing and singing and lots of fun, and there wasn't one fight."

## Are You THE Man



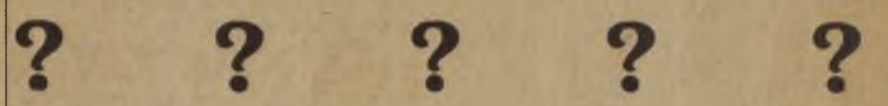
### That Knows a Good Thing When You See it?

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## E. C. OBERG, The Grocer

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On your Kitchen Necessities-- He's Doing it for others, why Not Let Him Save for You



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### Our Bins are Filled with the Finest Grades.

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Yours for service,

## Lee W. Miller, Genoa

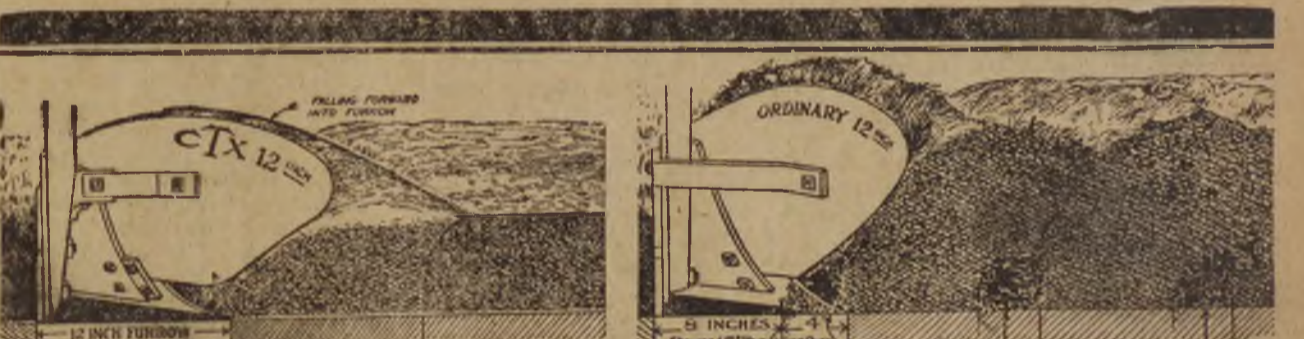
## SILOS! SILOS!!

**Service and Durability** are just what you want when you build your silo. The silo is the greatest money saving institution before the American farmer today. Now when you make this investment in economy, invest in an economical way—build the silo that can't blow down, burn up, burst or cave in, build the **Monolithic Concrete** type. And in order that you may make security, doubly secure, build with the **Polk System**, the acme of whatever is best in silo construction. Use the POLK SYSTEM that stands for economy of the true sort, simplicity and durability. Get acquainted with the System that **Renders the Service.**

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The only plow that does away with air spaces. Saving thousands of dollars for farmers. Insures maximum crops wherever used. All due to auger-like twist of C. T. X. Moldboard.

Here's a plow that puts the ground in such a condition that every seed planted COUNTS. It insures maximum crops; at the same time is the easiest running and most durable plow manufactured. Seeds that get no moisture won't come up. Moisture can't soak from the sub-soil up to the seeds in the top soil when there are AIR SPACES between. These air spaces are costing farmers thousands of dollars in short crops—UTTER FOLLY because the Rock Island C. T. X. Universal entirely does away with them. And it's the ONLY plow bottom for which this claim may truthfully be made.

### Auger-Like Twist of C. T. X.

It is the peculiar corkscrew, auger-like twist of the C. T. X. Moldboard that does the business. Instead of carrying the dirt up high and "scattering" or "throwing" it, thus making air spaces, the C. T. X. hurls the full slice completely over and does it better and easier than any other plow bottom ever made. Note in the cut above how smoothly it lays the slice down. Note the absence of these air spaces. Then note how these air spaces are formed by the ordinary plow bottoms.

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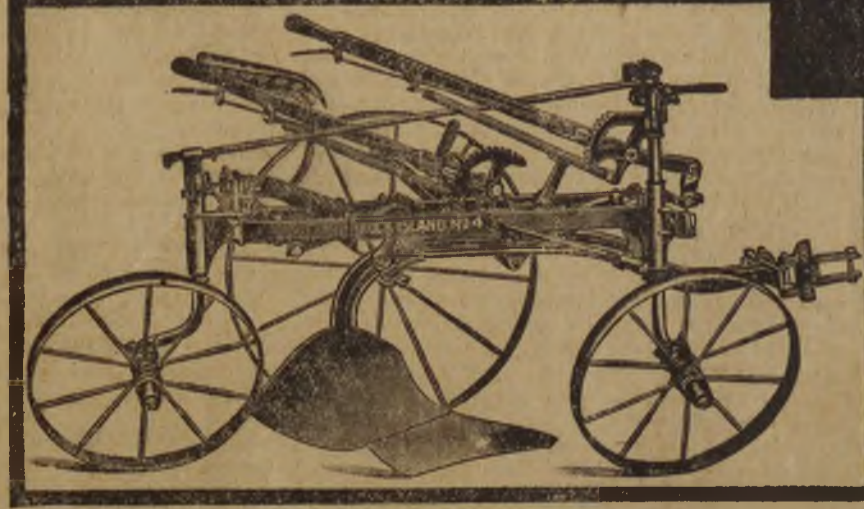
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You ought to come in and let us explain this wonderful plow in detail.

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**BEST BOYS SHOES in the WORLD \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.**

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Ask your dealer to show you W. L. Douglas \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50 shoes. Just as good in style, fit and wear as other makes costing \$5.00 to \$7.00—the only difference is the price. Shoes in all leathers, styles and shapes to suit everybody.

If you could visit W. L. Douglas large factories at Brockton, Mass., and see for yourself how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made, you would then understand why they are warranted to fit better, look better, hold their shape, and wear longer than any other make for the price.

If W. L. Douglas shoes are not for sale in your vicinity, order shoes from the factory and have the middleman's profit. Shoes for every member of the family, at all prices, by the W. L. Douglas Shoe Company, Inc., 271 State Street, Boston, U.S.A. It will show you how to order by mail, and why you can save money on your shoes.

W. L. Douglas name is stamped on the bottom.

W. L. DOUGLAS - Brockton, Mass.

## BACK YARD FARMER

Interesting Pointers on Gardening for the City Man or Suburbanite.

### WHAT TO PLANT AND WHEN

Advice by an Expert on Agricultural Matters—How to Plan the Garden—For the Chicken Raiser—Grow Rhubarb.

By PROF. JOHN WILLARD BOLTE.

We are frequently asked to give suggestions regarding the best way to utilize the ordinary city back yard for gardening purposes. Space does not permit of our answering such a comprehensive question for each inquirer and we take this opportunity to cover the subject in detail.

Let us suppose that your back yard is about 25 feet wide and 80 feet deep. It is fenced in and is pretty sunny most of the day. There is a back gate and a walk leading from the house to the gate. How shall we lay out our garden to get the greatest amount of returns in fruit and at the same time secure the most beautiful effect.

In the first place, give fruit and vegetables the right of way, using grass and flowers to fill in the odd corners. Most of our fruit bearing shrubs and trees are as beautiful as any flowering shrubs, many of the fruits themselves are highly decorative, and our anticipation of harvest time lends a very tangible interest, which is lacking in merely decorative plants.

Plant a row of dwarf pear trees flat along the south side of one wall and train them in the espalier, vine like, form on a trellis. Use Dwarf Seckle and Bartlett pears. Along the wall facing east plant dwarf peaches (Crawfords are fine) and train them in the same way. Plant from four to six feet apart and allow from four to six main branches to grow.

Dwarf cherries or dwarf apples may be planted against the other walls, where they will take up very little room, but care must be taken that plants near the north side of any wall are far enough away to get some sunshine.

A very satisfactory plan for the walk is to cover it with a lattice pergola and train grapes over it. Delectable grapes on the shadier side and Concord on the sunny. Grapes make a fine screen for any small buildings, ash boxes, etc., in the yard.

A strawberry bed 10 feet by 20 feet, close to the pears, and three rows of 20 plants each of blackberries, raspberries and currants will fill up the half of the garden next to one long side and the balance can be devoted to vegetables and flowers.

We prefer dwarf fruit trees to the full sized ones because they come into bearing very early, require much less care, and produce fine fruit in very good quantity. Dwarf pears are very satisfactory. Prune and fertilize and spray properly and your dwarf fruit trees will bear heavily every year.

By planting them against the sunny side of a wall and training like vines, the fruit matures earlier, the trees decorate the wall and they take up much less room than if planted in the open. The amount of edible fruit produced will be nearly as great. Try some dwarf fruit trees yourself this year.

### Chicken Farming.

There is no agricultural subject of greater interest to all classes of people than poultry keeping in some form or other.

Every eighty out of a hundred farmers, large and small, the country over, keep hens. About forty per cent. of the householders in small towns and villages keep backyard flocks, and the number of flocks in the great cities is positively astounding.

Almost every man you know has at some time been possessed with the idea that the easiest way on earth to make a living is with chickens. If you doubt it, ask the next man you meet what he thinks about the chicken business.

Go to a few poultry shows next winter, after having industriously read the monthly issues of a couple of good poultry journals this summer, and by the time the incubator salesman gets in his work it will take a straight jacket to keep you from starting to keep chickens. And really, it is a very fascinating occupation.

No one need be ashamed of being a chicken "crank" in these days, because the poultry industry of the country is assuming such vast proportions that it bids fair to overtop any other single agricultural product in value at the time of the next census. Further than this, no other product can equal it for net profits to the producer, because the investment in stock and equipment is exceedingly small compared to the returns. The labor, land and building investment represented by one dairy cow would take care of enough hens to bring in three times the profit.

Now then, can a man of ordinary intelligence, no experience and a small capital, hope to get rich by raising chickens? There is but one answer and that is, that he may hope to, but he will not make good.

The writer is personally acquainted with prominent poultry men in nearly every state in the Union, and while many of them are well to do, not one is rich, even from the farmer's standpoint.

The poultry business offers the hard

working, thoughtful man, a good living, a steady joy and an assured home. The production of eggs is the safest and easiest field for the beginner and where this is to be the specialty, the White Leghorn breed is pre-eminent for large flocks, outside of New England and other districts demanding brown-shelled eggs.

In order to be successful, the start must be made in a small way, and the ideal plan is for the prospective owner to work on some successful poultry plant for at least six months or preferably a year, in order to learn the business from the inside. Do not underestimate the importance of this, as this business is the most detailed and intricate of all the agricultural industries.

The returns are very satisfactory when the plant is intelligently handled. Thousand hen plants may be equipped with an investment of from four to six thousand dollars and the net returns are from a dollar per hen up to the high figures secured by the fancy stock breeders.

We knew three men in southern New England, one making \$3,600 from a thousand hens, another making \$5,000 with only four hundred hens, and the third spent a hundred thousand dollars on his poultry plant and lost it all. The first two started small and grew slowly. The last one started big and ended small.

### Rhubarb.

How few rhubarb plants one sees growing and how nice that old-fashioned spring tonic is! Considering the fact that it costs practically nothing to plant it and the plants come up year after year, there is no reason why we should not, all of us, have all of the pleasurable that we can eat every spring. Half a dozen hills will supply an average family.

Harvest time for rhubarb is the spring and early summer, but we frequently get a second crop in the fall. Sandy loam is best for this plant, but it will grow well in any rich, warm, moist soil. You cannot get the soil too rich for rhubarb, and it does not stand drought very well.

Do not try to grow the plants from seed if you can secure root cuttings from a good, strong old hill. Each cutting should have two buds or eyes. Plant them in rows three feet apart, with the eyes an inch below the surface. They will begin to grow at once and, if planted early, a few stalks can be pulled the first year.

As fast as seed stalks appear cut them off. If very fine, large stalks are wanted, and why not have the best, thin out all but the center buds, so that the entire strength of the plant will feed these.

After the leaves are cut back by frost in the fall cover the plants with four inches of straw or manure. This prevents freezing and makes the next year's crop earlier.

While the plants will start early, at the same time the leaves will not push through this covering until after danger of spring frosts is past, hence it should not be removed too soon. Many commercial growers keep the soil covered with straw the year round in order to keep weeds down and hold moisture without cultivation. Cover the plants in the winter any way. It will avoid disappointment and increase the plant food.

Every three or four years it is advisable to dig up the plants, divide them and replant in another spot. If this is not done, the plants run out and the stalks grow small and pithy. Division and a new location start them off again as good as new.

Any surplus can always be sold in the spring at a good price as we seem to have a natural craving for the fresh green acid qualities of this old-time "pie fruit." Eat lots of it. Eat it raw and cooked, in pies and out of pies, put up all you cannot eat and save it for winter, but grow it yourself if you have a two by four patch of ground where the sun shines. It costs nothing to raise and it tastes lots better when it comes out of your own patch. And, furthermore, it is a much better spring tonic than sulphur and molasses, or sassafras.

### Cold Storage for Fruit.

Three systems of cold storage are commonly used for fruit—the ammonia system, carbonic acid gas and calcium chloride—says the New England Homestead. All are chemical storages; but in a region where natural ice can be obtained cheaply, the calcium chloride gravity system seems to be much cheaper than the two first, and equally good. The ammonia system has to be pumped at a pressure of 200 pounds to 400 pounds to the square inch. Both these require expensive duplicate machinery and high-priced engineers' high and day, while the calcium chloride uses cheap machinery and ordinary help. C. H. Powell, formerly with the United States department at Washington, says the calcium chloride gravity system is the best for northern localities.

### Teaching Agriculture.

I believe it would be to the interest of all agricultural people in every single town to have an agricultural department attached to the high school. I would have the teachers so prepared to teach agriculture that they could also teach it in the common schools to a certain elementary degree, says a writer in an exchange. I have found that of the farmers' boys and girls brought up on the farm very many cannot tell even the name of the most common weeds that grow in their father's fields. It seems to me that the time has arrived, especially in agricultural education, when we should take this matter up and begin, as we have already done in a limited way, to establish these schools.

### URGING GREAT SALE OF CANNED FOODS

Dealers, grocers, jobbers and manufacturers all over the country are joining hands during the week of March 23rd to April 6th in an effort to acquaint housewives with the economy and quality of canned foods.

It is now a well known fact that heat is the only preservative used in preparing these economical foods. The cans are sealed and sterilized at a temperature of 250 degrees, which prevents any contamination and keeps the contents fresh and wholesome as the day the tins were filled in the canneries.

National Canned Foods Week during which dealers and grocers will make canned foods their sales-features, is for the purpose of demonstrating to housewives that the cost of living can be cut with such foods, and that they may be served in hundreds of delightful ways, and thus served daily without monotony.

The farmer's wife especially finds it advantageous to relieve herself of all the cooking possible and Canned Foods enable her to do this and at the same time improve the quality of her meals.

Women in every community should observe National Canned Foods Week by going to the dealers and putting in a supply. The saving and general satisfaction to be derived from Canned Foods is entirely worth while.—Adv.

### HOW IT WAS.

"How did you all get yo' nose busted?"  
"I done slipped down an' plumb lit on my back."  
"But, name o' goodness, sah!—yo' nose isn't located on yo' back."  
"No, sah; an' needer was Brudder Jones."

### HOW TO TREAT PIMPLES AND BLACKHEADS

For pimples and blackheads the following is a most effective and economical treatment: Gently smear the affected parts with Cuticura Ointment, on the end of the finger, but do not rub. Wash off the Cuticura Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue bathing for some minutes. This treatment is best on rising and retiring.

At other times use Cuticura Soap freely for the toilet and bath, to assist in preventing inflammation, irritation and clogging of the pores, the common cause of pimples, blackheads, redness and roughness, yellow, oily, mothy and other unwholesome conditions of the skin.

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Conditions Changed.  
"Peck isn't happy. His wife is continually saying sharp and snappy things to him."  
"Why, he told me before he married her that was what he admired most about her."  
"Yes, but he considered it wit then."—Boston Transcript.

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Any Old Way.  
"What is your name?"  
"Ephraim Ebenezer," replied the small colored boy.  
"How do you spell it?"  
"Tain' no use to worry 'bout dat; jes' suit yourself. I ain't pupticlar."

ASK FOR ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, the Antiseptic powder to shake into your shoes. Relieves Corns, Bunions, Ingrowing Nails, Swollen and Sweating Feet, Blisters and Callous spots. Sold everywhere. Don't accept any substitute. Sample FREE. Address Allen B. Olmsted, LeRoy, N.Y. Adv.

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"Why do managers try their new plays on the dog?"  
"To see if it is a howling success."

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And a woman either poses, supposes or imposes.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures colic, soothes a bottle's use.

One touch of wonder makes the whole world sit up and talk about it.



# Thousands of Women

Have Been Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

There is no doubt about this fact. Why? during the last 30 years we have published in the newspapers of this country volumes of letters from women who have been relieved of all their suffering by the timely aid of this grand old medicine. Letters like the following, true, genuine and honest expressions of gratitude coming from grateful hearts. Surely you can believe these women.

Mrs. L. S. BRENNER, Hudson, Mich., says:—  
"Sometime ago I was taken with a terrible pain in my right side, such sharp pains just like a knife sticking me. I tried hot applications but that did no good. I went to our family doctor (we were living in Fayette, Ohio, at that time) and he said it was organic inflammation. I doctored with him a while but kept getting worse. The pain was so terrible I could hardly stand on my feet. I would have that sharp pain in my right side, and a dull heavy pain the whole length of my limb. I realized that something had to be done quickly, so I looked up all of your advertisements I could find, and saw several that described my case. I got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it helped me from the first dose, and when I had taken two bottles my trouble was gone. Your medicine has done so much for me that I am willing you should publish this letter for the sake of other suffering women."—Mrs. L. S. BRENNER, Hudson, Michigan.

Mrs. L. E. BOWERS, Girard, Pa., says:—  
"I take pleasure in informing you of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I had a sick spell last February, and for some months after that I was not regular and had many bad feelings. I was tired all the time, had dull headaches, not much appetite, and also what the doctor called organic inflammation. Your Vegetable Compound has entirely cured me and I feel that too much cannot be said in its praise as I am now able to do my own work. You are perfectly welcome to use my testimonial for the benefit of others."—Mrs. L. E. BOWERS, R.F.D. No. 1, Girard, Pa.

Mrs. ELIZABETH GENTILCORE, Buffalo, N.Y., says:—  
"I feel that I must write to you about your wonderful remedies. About ten years ago I was troubled with female weakness and was all run down. I was tired all the time and could hardly walk without feeling dizzy. I heard about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, took it, and also used the Sanative Wash. I got stronger, and have not had those dizzy spells since. I feel that I owe my health to you, and hope your remedies will help others as they have me. I tried most everything I heard of, and yours are the best medicines for women's ailments."—Mrs. ELIZABETH GENTILCORE, 36 Glor Street, Buffalo, New York.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., CONFIDENTIAL LINN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



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SPECIAL OFFER FOR SIX TEASPOONS Send 100 Galvanic Soap wrappers and 5 two-cent stamps to pay postage; we will send you a set of SIX TEASPOONS ABSOLUTELY FREE.

These spoons are Wm. A. Rogers silverware, the name stamped on every piece. They are the Lavigne or Grape Pattern, Heavy A-1 Silver Plate and guaranteed. You'll be proud to own them. Go to your grocer today and buy Galvanic the soap used by a million housewives. This offer absolutely expires May 1st, 1913. Mail wrappers to B. J. Johnson Soap Co., Milwaukee, Wis.



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If That Is Your Plight, Let Resinol Clear It Away!

Pimples, blackheads, rashes, ringworm and, worst of all, that red, itching, scaly torment, eczema, vanish when you use Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap. There is no doubt about it. Even though your skin is so unsightly with eruption that you shun your friends and your friends shun you, Resinol makes it clear and healthy, quickly, easily and at trifling cost. When you are sick of wasting time and money on tedious, expensive treatments, get Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap from the nearest druggist and you will quickly see why it has been prescribed for eighteen years for just such troubles as yours.

The Resinol treatment works so gently, and is so absolutely free from anything that could injure even the tenderest skin, that it is perfect for healing the skin troubles of infants and children. You can test Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap at our expense. Write to Dept. 5-K, Resinol, Baltimore, Md., and we will send you a generous trial. Resinol Ointment (50c and \$1) and Resinol Soap (25c), by parcel post on receipt of price.

## Stiff Joints Sprains, Bruises

are relieved at once by an application of Sloan's Liniment. Don't rub, just lay on lightly.

"Sloan's Liniment has done more good than anything I have ever tried for stiff joints. I got my hand hurt so badly that I had to stop work right in the busiest time of the year. I thought at first that I would have to have my hand taken off, but I got a bottle of Sloan's Liniment and cured my hand." WILTON WHEELER, Morris, Ala.

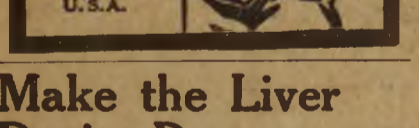
## Good for Broken Sinews

G. G. JONES, Baldwin, L. I., writes:—"I used Sloan's Liniment for broken sinews above the knee cap caused by a fall and to my great satisfaction was able to resume work in less than three weeks after the accident."

## SLOAN'S LINIMENT

Fine for Sprain  
MR. HENRY A. VOELK, 84 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J., writes:—"A friend sprained his ankle so badly that it went black. He laughed when I told him that I would have him out in a week. I applied Sloan's Liniment and in four days he was working and said Sloan's was a right good Liniment."

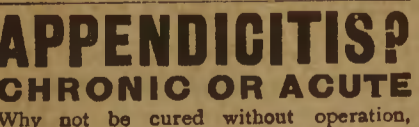
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## Make the Liver Do its Duty

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Cures Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache, and Distress After Eating. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature



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## Deep Dissimulation.

"You seem inclined to encourage your wife to be a suffragette."

"Yes," replied Mr. Meekton. "If I can thoroughly convince her that I desire her to march and make speeches maybe she'll get resentful and refuse to do so."

## Directing Children Aright.

The young need to be taught that although there is sometimes a pleasure of the senses in committing sin, it is inevitably followed by remorse and punishment. Crime, remorse, punishment form an inseparable trio. On the other hand, while it is often hard to do right, the sense of satisfaction, self-respect and self-control that follows right action is worth all the effort made.

## And Yet the Dance Halls Thrive.

Young Man (approaching a girl)—  
"Er—er—may I have this one? Oh, you're too kind. You don't mind if I hum, do you? Do you know, I'm just dippy over this here dip. Tee-hee, joke. Floor's swell tonight, ain't it? Gee, but I like to dance with you! Tell that to every girl? Not on your life! Seems as if I must have met you somewhere before. Wish I had, though. Well, I'll be; that's all. Short and sweet, yep—just like you. Tee-hee. See you later."

## Modest.

A clerical-looking gentleman, in the hope of obtaining a contribution, entered the office of a newspaper and, finding the editor in, began:  
"I am soliciting aid for a gentleman of refinement and intelligence who is in need of a little ready money, but is too proud to make known his sufferings."

"Why!" exclaimed the editor, "I'm the only man in town answering that description. What's the gentleman's name?"  
"I'm sorry to say I am not at liberty to disclose it."  
"It must be me, parson. Heaven prosper you in your good work," said the editor, wiping away a tear.

## VERY TRUE.



"What kind of a season are we going to have, Uncle Abner?"  
"Well, it's awful hard to say as to that. You know it depends a hull lot on the weather."

## THE KNOW HOW To Feed Children and Get Good Results.

There are more nervous persons made so by indigestion food lying in the stomach than the average individual would suppose.

If food remains undigested in the stomach, it begins to ferment, set up gas and a large portion is thus converted into poison.

That's why imperfectly digested food may, and often does, cause irritation of the nerves and stupor of the mind—brain and nerves are really poisoned.

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"She had been fond of cereals, but had never tried Grape-Nuts. From reading the account of this predigestible food, it seemed reasonable to try Grape-Nuts for her case.

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"There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new appeal from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

# KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

D. G. Ottman was a Belvidere caller last Friday.

Miss Alice Briggs was home from Elgin to spend Sunday.

Ray Helsdon has been home from Chicago for a few days.

Mrs. E. C. Burton visited in Elgin and Belvidere Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Noble of Cortland were guests of Mrs. I. A. McCollom Sunday.

Fred Sexauer was here from Belvidere Saturday.

Arthur Phelps was home from Beloit Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. Aves and Lars Peterson were Creep report visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Petty of Hudson, Iowa, have been visiting relatives here a few days.

Mrs. Petty will be remembered as Miss Iva Colvin.

Ralph Ortt was home from Rockford to spend Easter.

W. H. Bell and daughter, Cora, were visitors at Belvidere Tuesday.

Miss Lena Bacon of Elgin visited her grandparents here Sunday.

Miss Edith Aurner has been home from DeKalb for a few days.

Miss Dora Bell was the guest of friends in Belvidere the fore part of this week.

Mrs. H. F. Branch was here from DeKalb the fore part of this week visiting relatives.

A number of school teachers from here attended the Teachers' Institute in DeKalb last week.

Mrs. Ed. Schmeltzer and children and Miss Doris Sherman visited in Sycamore last Thursday.

Miss Lorena Wells of Sycamore spent a few days last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Schmeltzer.

Miss Irene Ackerman of Chicago spent Sunday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ackerman.

Mrs. Mattie Sisson of DeKalb is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Wylls. Mrs. Wylls is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kiefer and daughter of Chicago have been guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holroyd.

Word was received here from Beloit that Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gibbs are the proud parents of a son born March 25. Mrs. Gibbs was formerly Miss Augusta Winchester.

Mrs. Manie Moore and daughter, Miss Letta, of Hawkeye, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Griffith of Belvidere were guests at the home of Mrs. Nina Moore last week Thursday.

### Harmon Colvin

Harmon Colvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Baltis Colvin, was born in Hamburg, Erie Co., N. Y., Oct. 4, 1837, and passed away at his home in Kingston, Ill., Mar. 19, 1913, being 75 years, 5 months and 15 days of age. When 14 years old he came with his parents to Illinois and settled in the town of Spring, Boone county, where he grew to manhood. A few years before the Civil war he located in Delaware county, Iowa, from which state he enlisted in Co. F, 27th Vol. Inf. Oct. 3, 1862, and served his country faithfully for 3 years and 10 days. Six months and 14 days of this time he spent in a rebel prison at Dallas, Texas. On January 16, 1872, he was united in marriage to Miss Rutabella Garland in Summer township, Buchanan county, Iowa, returning to Illinois a few years later. To this union were born 8 children, 4 sons and 4 daughters. Two of the sons passed away in infancy. Those who survive with the beloved wife to mourn his death are: Mrs. Hattie Nichols of Mayfield township, Ill.; Mrs. Alice Foster of Cherryvale, Kas.; Mrs. Laona Brown of Sycamore, Ill.; Mrs. Iva Petty of Hudson, Ia.; Daniel of Elgin, Ill., and Earl S. who lives at home. Mr. Colvin also leaves a number of brothers and sisters: Jefferson and Mrs. Maria Howard of Belvidere, Ill.; Mrs. Lucy Ellwood of Buffalo, N. Y.; John and Miss Janie of Pilot Mound, Iowa; Daniel of Rockford, Iowa and Miss Sophia of Kingston, Ill. Also a number of grand-children. Harmon Colvin and wife have lived at their home in Kingston for more than 25 years, having won many friends in this vicinity who will greatly miss him and extend their heartfelt sympathies to the bereaved ones. Mr. Colvin was a member

of the Kingston Baptist church. He has performed his duties as tax collector faithfully in this town several times and was an active member of Barnes Post No. 395 G. A. R. The funeral services were held in the Kingston M. E. church last Saturday afternoon, March 22. Rev. W. H. Tuttle of Winnebago officiating. Interment in Kingston cemetery.

### Henry M. Thomas

Henry M. Thomas, son of R. B. and Liza Thomas, was born Sept. 8, 1830, in Chautauqua county, New York. He came with his parents to Ogle county and to DeKalb county six years later, settling in Kingston township, in this county in 1839. Mr. Thomas was married December 23, 1855, in Chicago county, Minnesota, to Mary Ring and their four children were born as follows: Cornelius S., Minnie L., R. B. and Liza B.

Cornelius died in infancy, Minnie at the age of 16 and Mrs. Thomas four years ago, at the well rounded age of 72 years. The two surviving children are R. B. and Mrs. George Hayward, both of Kirkland.

Mr. Thomas passed away at the home of his daughter, March 19, 1913, at the advanced age of 83. The daughter and father have been permitted to be together all their lives.

Appropriate services were held Friday, March 21, at the home. Mrs. G. L. Couch of Genoa sang three tender solos, and Rev. Cyrus Kellogg Stockwell, pastor of the Congregational church of Sycamore, delivered the sermon.

Mr. Thomas was one of the early pioneers and a very large circle of relatives and friends will mourn his departure.

How does the democratic Teddy compare with the real democratic President Wilson?

The people of Genoa look to the new city council to do something this year. There is the sewer proposition still hanging in the air, the Main street paving or macadamizing and the east end water extension. It will be a busy season if things are started right. The majority of property owners on Main street want the street properly repaired and are willing to pay the price. A majority of property owners have favored a sewer system and are willing to pay for it. There will be plenty of money in the treasury to make all needed repairs and pay incidental expenses without slighting any job.

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## NOTICE

To Alfred Shauger, Minnie Shauger and Andreas Lietzow. You are hereby notified that there is now pending in the Circuit Court of DeKalb County, in the State of Illinois, a certain suit (General No. 18405) wherein McNeil & Higgins Company, a corporation is complainant and John L. Vincent, August Sell, Brown & Brown and the said Alfred Shauger, Minnie Shauger and Andreas Lietzow are defendants; that a summons has been issued in said cause returnable at the Court House in Sycamore, in said county, on the first Monday of June 1913.

W. M. HAY,  
Clerk of Said Court.

G. E. Stott,  
Solicitor for Complainant.  
Genoa, Illinois.  
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### Little Doubt About That.

We may admit, with a prominent judge, that snoring is no crime, but we positively reserve the right to think it in questionable taste.

### St. Catherine of Genoa

The first class to receive "First Communion" in the new church will take place next Sunday at the 8:30 high mass. Fifteen children of Kirkland will be numbered with those of Genoa making a class of about thirty-five. Special

sacred music appropriate for this important occasion in the lives of these little ones will be rendered by the Genoa choir.

### Useful Goose Club.

Through the agency of a goose club in South London 60,000 people are provided with a substantial Christmas dinner every year.

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Boys' fine all wool suits, English cloths, light and medium shades for spring... \$2.95 \$3.65 \$4.95

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All solid, welt sewed, bench finished shoes, quality values, which will be put out of the market at present advance in prices.

Men's fine Vici Kid lace with soft toe, a real comfort shoe.

Box and Valour Calf, lace or button shoes, best oak soles.  
Men's Tan Button, fine Welt sewed, oak soles.

### CORSET WEEK

Annual sale of \$1 model American Beauty corset, a medium style figure, which will please the majority. To advertise these the manufacturers allow us to sell a limited number at..... 69c

Take advantage of this offer.

Children's Spring Cloaks

Sizes 6 to 14 years. In fancy wool mixtures, serges, etc. Nicely trimmed..... \$2.29 \$3.49 \$5.19

### DRESS SKIRT SALE

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### Dry Goods Specialties

100 yd Spool Silk.. 5c  
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Corset Cover Embroideries, good quality, deep, fine needle work..... 30c  
Standard Calicoes, reds, greens, yellows, browns, etc..... 3 1/2c

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These dresses are in neat, attractive styles, finely made and sewed. Deep hems and seams to permit of alterations. Genuine Amoskeag Gingham used. 3 to 6 yrs. size..... 50c  
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