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Genoa, Illinois.

CONNECTED TO MAY 1, 1901.

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

TRAINS GOING EAST.

NO.	DEPART	ARR. CHICAGO
No. 8	6:07 a.m.	7:45 a.m.
No. 36	7:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
No. 23	8:58 a.m.	10:05 a.m.
No. 6	1:58 p.m.	1:45 p.m.
No. 24	3:54 p.m.	5:55 p.m.
No. 2	9:10 p.m.	10:55 p.m.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

NO.	DEPART	ARR. GENOA
No. 21	8:30 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
No. 9	9:00 p.m.	3:30 p.m.
No. 33	9:05 p.m.	5:13 p.m.
No. 23	4:00 p.m.	5:28 p.m.
No. 7	5:15 p.m.	6:50 p.m.
No. 3	10:45 p.m.	11:58 p.m.

J. M. HARVEY, Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

NO.	DEPART	ARR. CHICAGO
No. 4	7:50 p.m.	9:30 p.m.
No. 35	7:17 a.m.	10:05 p.m.
No. 32	11:10 a.m.	12:55 p.m.
No. 6	4:40 a.m.	7:00 a.m.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

NO.	DEPART	ARR. GENOA
No. 25	8:30 p.m.	4:53 p.m.
No. 31	3:45 p.m.	5:17 p.m.
No. 3	8:30 a.m.	10:12 a.m.

S. R. CRAWFORD, Agent.

C. Gt-W. R. R.

March 3, 1901.

Trains Leave SYCAMORE as follows.

WEST BOUND.

Express for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and Kansas City.	10:27 a.m.
Night Express for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and Kansas City.	12:20 a.m.
Byron Local.	5:42 p.m.
Limited for Dubuque, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines, St. Joseph and Kansas City.	8:06 p.m.

EAST BOUND.

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

SYCAMORE-DE KALB.

Leave Sycamore	Arrive DeKalb	Leave DeKalb	Arrive Sycamore
6:30 a.m.	6:40 a.m.	6:50 a.m.	6:00 a.m.
10:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	7:35 a.m.	6:50 a.m.
12:15 p.m.	12:25 p.m.	8:35 a.m.	7:50 a.m.
2:45 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	11:55 a.m.	12:05 p.m.
7:15 p.m.	7:25 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	7:50 p.m.
8:15 p.m.	8:25 p.m.	7:33 p.m.	7:40 p.m.

\*Daily except Sunday. All others daily.

W. V. HOWARD, Agent.

C. & N. W. at Henrietta.

Trains North.	All Trains daily except Sunday.	Trains South.
9:07 a.m.		8:00 a.m.
2:45 p.m.		10:51 a.m.
7:30 p.m.		6:22 p.m.

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Cohoon & Stanley.

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## Local Pick Ups.

Mrs. S. H. Stiles was in Elgin Tuesday.

Mrs. Bert Perry was up from Alcorn Tuesday.

Miss Tillie Cummings of New Lebanon was here Tuesday.

Otto Schneider and son Leon came out from Chicago Tuesday evening.

WANTED:—A small farm of 40 or 80 acres. Inquire at the JOURNAL office.

E. H. Browne has 999 smiles for 999 loaves of bread. Other goods in preparation.

Miss Maggie Corson was taken quite sick at campmeeting last Sunday but is recovered.

Chas. Corson shipped two cars of stock to Chicago Tuesday night via C. M. & St. P.

For Sale, dirt cheap, a No. 1 residence lot. Call at the Journal office and get particulars.

For Rent.—Three or four furnished rooms for housekeeping. Inquire at the JOURNAL office.

Jerry Marquart, of Valpariso, Indiana has been the guest of his brother Fred the past week.

Ellis Cooper has been badly afflicted with a bone felon, one of the worst plagues that is often seen.

Miss Maggie Stott returned to her home at DesPlaines last Tuesday after a visit with relatives about here.

Miss Etta Sheffner, formerly of Elgin is now making her home with her aunt Mrs. Walter Channing in this city.

Frank Stewart has sold his farm of 240 acres to Thomas McCabe of Belvidere. The price was \$75 per acre.

Mrs. E. W. Wakefield departed for her home in Chicago after a three weeks visit with Mrs. N. A. Carpenter.

If your horses, cattle, hogs, or chickens are not doing well, go to K. Jackman & Son and get a package of stock food.

Jacob Anderson of Redcliff, Iowa, arrived here Tuesday and is now making a visit with his brother, Martin Anderson and family.

Julius Rudolph has purchased of Frank Brown, the latter's house and lot on South Genoa street. The purchase price was \$1600.

It is reported that James Stewart has purchased the Russell farm just south of Henrietta for \$65 per acre. There are 240 acres in the farm.

The Misses Lizzie and Nellie Ainley who left last week for a week's visit at Belvidere returned to Genoa Monday for another visit here before their journey home.

Rev. John Omolthan is the man who will succeed Rev. Piehler as pastor of the Lutheran church here. His first sermon will be preached on Sunday September 15th.

Chauncy Henry of near Belvidere was calling on friends in Genoa Tuesday. He was just returning from the west where he has been visiting the past few weeks.

Miss Margaret Mals expects to leave Genoa Monday morning for Buffalo where she will visit the Exposition a few days. From there she will return to her home in Boston.

Mrs. Henry Crab received a letter from the hospital at Elgin stating that there was no improvement in the health of her husband. She and her children went to Elgin Tuesday and visited with him a short time.

The Journal has received a large number of Crayon Portraits for subscribers, and owing to the absence of the editor we are sorry we are unable to deliver them this week. Those who call at our office can get them.

Arthur Fruland and wife of Sheridan this state and Mrs. Nelson of Little Rock, this state, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Furr the past week. They return home to-day. Mrs. Fruland and Mrs. Nelson are sisters of Mrs. Furr.

Rev. Piehler and family left here yesterday for their future home at Fairbank, Iowa. Mr. Piehler has been the pastor of the Lutheran Evangelical church of this place for a number of years past and during his residence here he has made numberless warm friends who regret exceedingly to learn of his removal from our midst. May he be received into his new charge with respect worthy of the man.

J. E. Stott and his party returned from the west Tuesday.

Chas. Geithman had business in Belvidere Monday evening.

If Uwanta good 15 cent Cigar, Uought to smoke an American Perfecto. 15

Wanted:—A farm of 120 or 160 acres to rent. leave word at the Journal office.

Bert Holroyd is contemplating a trip to Buffalo and other eastern cities this fall.

It's not E. H. Browne's good's looks that sells his bakery goods. It's quality.

Beginning September 1, the barber shops of Genoa will be closed on Sundays.

J. G. Smith of Charter Grove was in our city Monday shaking hands with old friends.

Rev. W. A. Sunday will be here this Thursday and will preach at the M. E. church in the evening.

Next Monday school begins much to the pleasure of some and yet there will be some who regret that the vacation is over.

John Riddle had business in Elgin Tuesday. He intends to improve the service of his milk route to a considerable extent.

Wm. Bivins and wife of Chicago were Sunday and Monday guests with Oliver Low and wife. Mrs. Bivins is a sister to Mrs. Low.

If you want to rent a house one that is desirable and well finished, inquire at the JOURNAL office. We can direct you to several.

The campmeeting at Camp Epworth closed last Monday. There were some thing like three hundred conversions during the term.

Cheap lots, good title, within a block of the Milwaukee depot. Building will be erected on same if desired. Inquire at the JOURNAL office.

Elder Livingston and wife of Mendota were guests of P. J. Harlow and wife over Sunday. The elder filled the pulpit at the Advent church that day.

Geo. Wyllys of Kingston stopped over here Tuesday for a few hours, on his way home from the west where he had been on business the past two weeks.

Remember that Prof. Madison is only here until Friday night this trip. If your eyes are bothering you call on him. He examines you FREE of all charge.

Miss Zada Little left for Aurora Tuesday where she visited a day and then left for her home at Oxford, Neb. She has visited here the past six weeks with relatives.

There are several weddings booked for Genoa in the near future. One of the couple will be married in the presence of the people who attend the fair at Rockford next Friday.

K. Shipman and wife and Mrs. Jennie Gordon returned home from Clinton, Iowa, Monday, where they have been in attendance at the annual campmeeting of Spiritualists.

Miss Emma Crawford of Lincoln, this state, was united in marriage to Mr. Forest Alliston at the Methodist church in that city last Saturday evening, August 24. The couple arrived here Sunday on the 10:28 C. M. & St. P. train and expect to make Genoa their future home.

Mrs. Temperance Haines commenced teaching in the Swanson school district next Monday and her sister, Mrs. Asa Snyder commences in the St. John's district the same day. These two ladies are very successful teachers and their services are eagerly sought for by the directors of our schools.

Geo. Mordoff and his cat Jack are becoming to be regarded as an old land mark of Genoa. To be sure every one knows that Geo. is of rather a sedate and quiet disposition, but Jack is decidedly of a reverse disposition. Always playful and loves to be petted, but when one is fondling him he often plays unsuspecting tricks that one would not suppose a cat could conjure up.

H. S. Nutt, we are sorry to say, was compelled to have his right arm taken off above the elbow. A number of years ago he had the member broken just above the wrist and it is thought that this was the original cause of the bones decaying which necessitated an amputation of the arm. The operation was performed last Monday at the hospital in Elgin, three of his sons being present. His wife, Mrs. Nutt is still in Elgin receiving medical treatment.

Miss Emma Swanson is reported on the sick-list.

Earle Brown was home from DeKalb over Sunday.

John Renn has been on the sick-list the past week.

Colvin Brown visited relatives in Elgin last Friday.

Henry Holroyd, Jr. is spending the week in Chicago.

Sidney Riddle was visiting relatives at Kirkland last Monday.

The Modern Woodmen have a surplus of over a million dollars.

Beginning September 1 the barber shops of Genoa will be closed.

The M. W. of A. picnic of DeKalb county comes off at Malta to-day.

Mrs. Morrison of Fairdale visited a day or so in Genoa the past week.

Mrs. R. D. Holmebeak and daughter Helen were visitors here last Friday.

Miss Sadie Brown went to Elgin Saturday where she visited a few days.

Chris Pfingston of Hampshire was transacting business in our city Saturday.

E. H. Browne says trade is E-mence. Getting E-mence every day. What is the reason.

It is said that a feature of the Winnebago county fair on September 6th will be a public wedding.

There is a pair of lady's kid gloves at the post-office, found at the tent during Rev. Sunday's meetings.

Eighteen of our young people attended the play at Sycamore last Thursday evening. It was "Old Arkansas."

Miss Ethel Rich returned home to Denver, Colorado, Tuesday, after spending a week in Genoa visiting relatives.

August Frederick was called to Chicago Friday by the C. M. & St. P. Ry. and given the job as night operator at Briar Hill.

Perry Sturtevant of DeKalb was over Sunday visiting his wife and children who were guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Wager.

William Colton and wife, 90 and 83 years of age respectively, of Waterman celebrated their 64th wedding anniversary last week.

Cohoon and Stanley will soon have several cars of coal on hand which will be a No 1 screened and dustless, ready to put right into your cellar.

Extra copies of the JOURNAL will be preserved three weeks from date of their issue. If extra copies are wanted leave word at this office within that time.

C. A. Brown and wife and Dr. Robinson and wife arrived home from Iowa Tuesday morning. Mrs. Brown who was quite indisposed during her visit west is quite recovered.

Counterfeit half dollars have made their appearance in Genoa the past week. They are a very good imitation except that they are rather light and are very brittle breaking easily.

John Riddle has bought out J. W. Sowers' milk route taking charge last Monday. Mr. Sowers is strongly contemplating taking a hand in the restaurant business with his brother Elmer.

The Misses Lotta and Rosa Bailey of Rosemund, Christian county, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gibbs from Tuesday until Saturday of last week. These ladies were former pupils of Prof. Gibbs a number of years ago.

Mal. Miller has a curiosity in the shape of a chicken having four perfectly developed legs and four wings. Two of the legs are set natural but the other pair are turned backward and one pair of the wings are turned toward the head, the other pair being natural.

Mr. Earl Driver, formerly of Darlington, Wisconsin, has been appointed stenographer for the Adjutant General of the state of Wisconsin. He was a graduate of the Robert F. Rose School for shorthand, which teaches by correspondence. See advertisement in another column.

Maurice J. Steinberg, one of the most successful composers of songs, has contributed a vocal number to the August issue of the J. W. Pepper Piano Music Magazine, which will materially enhance his already fine reputation. "Your Country Always Comes Before Your Sweetheart," is a song on a theme that has always touched all hearts—love and war. This number contains 21 complete pieces of original copyright music for the piano—10 songs and 12 instrumental—10cents. For sale at all newsdealers.

John Renn is reported quite sick.

Frank Mead went to Kirkland Saturday.

Mrs. V. Harris was in Elgin last Friday.

Grant Smith was a Chicago visitor Sunday.

Will Bell of Kingston had business here yesterday.

Jim Hammond and Wm. Tanner were in Elgin Sunday.

Miss Katie Durham was visiting at Sycamore yesterday.

Mrs. Lizzie Huffman has been on the sick list the past week.

Frank Drake has been on the sick list the past week or ten days.

Geo. Gouple came over from DeKalb and spent Sunday with friends.

Mrs. Ward Prouty is visiting friends at Elgin and Aurora this week.

Frank Holroyd and R. H. Lord were Chicago passengers last Friday.

Miss Mary O'mstead returned home from Sabula, Iowa last Saturday.

E. S. Shippy and wife leave here to-day for a two weeks vacation at Fox Lake.

F. R. Rowen and family were up from Kingston Sunday, guests of relatives.

The McHenry county fair will be held at Woodstock August 27 to 30 inclusive.

Mrs. E. H. Browne and Miss Emma Swanson are reported among the sick this week.

Mrs. E. H. Richardson and daughter Wyla were trading in Chicago last week Friday.

Chas. Cunningham was in Chicago yesterday and saw the great play, "Way Down East"

Mrs. A. U. Schneider and son Raymond, returned to their home in Chicago last Monday.

Miss Elma Smock chartered a buss and took her Sunday School class to the camp meeting Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell and Will Moan and wife were last Sunday guests at the home of Alderman and Mrs. Malana.

Fred Abraham and wife and baby were here from Chicago and visited with Mrs. G. Whwright last Sunday.

Mrs. John Riddle and daughter Hazel, who have been visiting in Elgin a short time, returned home Saturday.

Ed. Randolph and Miss Myrtle Wyde of Belvidere were visiting with the latter's sister last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. V. Harris has moved into Peter Quantstrong's house on First street where she will be glad to receive sewing from her friends.

Herman Wilkie and wife and Miss May Dunn of Chicago were guests of Ed Kuzler and wife the past week. Miss Dunn returned home Monday.

Mrs. Alex Wagar and daughter of Sac City, Iowa, who are visiting relatives in this state were the guests of E. H. Olmsted and wife last Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Hester will preach a sermon to children next Sunday morning. All children are invited to be present and seats will be reserved for them. A special song service will be a feature of the evening service.

There will be a Social meeting at the Advent Christian church next Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Sunday School at the usual hour. In the evening the Loyal Workers will hold a meeting at which time the topic will be The Name Above every Name. Psalms 9:6 and Phil. 2:5-11. Mrs. M. Millard will lead the meeting.

There were just eighty christians at Camp Epworth last Thursday who had been christians for fifty years and over. DeKalb county was represented by Kingston, Sycamore, Esmond, Kirkland and Fairdale. Orison E. Rogers of Marengo was the oldest in christianity. He was born in 1814 and became a christian at the age of 16, showing a record of 71 years.

The Farmers State Bank of Genoa, has been successful in collecting all the subscription stock and every thing points to an early opening up of the bank. The safe and other fixtures and supplies are expected here to-day and the room in Taylor's block will be put in shape at once. Before the next JOURNAL makes its appearance the bank will be doing business.

(Additional Locals on Page 5.)

## The Editor Visits a New York Summer Resort and Lives High.

One time, within the memory of the writer, a drunken man by the name of Jack Williams was arrested and tumbled into our calaboose. As he began to realize what had happened to him he stammered out, "Home again."

Just so with the editor last Friday when at the hour of mid-night he was put off the train with the same epithet, "Home again."

Had a very pleasant visit and saw a lot. During our absence it was our good fortune to receive an invitation to spend a few days at a summer resort on the banks of Lake Keuka, in the state of New York, with some friends.

This lake is considered, by the New York and other eastern people, to be the most beautiful lake in the United States. It is twenty two miles long by about two miles in width and the depth varies from fifty to three hundred feet in depth and some claim a much greater depth. Along its banks, which slope each way, are hundreds of vineyards which are groaning under their loads of grapes, which are just beginning to ripen, making a most handsome landscape the entire length of the lake. The edges, which are fringed with fine groves of shade trees, are inhabited by hundreds of pleasure seekers who own pretty cottages and come here for rest and recreation. The fish that abound in the water are trout, pike, perch, bass and is eagerly sought for by the inhabitants.

Along Keuka lake there are several great wine cellars, said to be by far the largest in the United States. We were permitted to go through the one at Gibson where we were shown enough grape juice to float the Oregon. It is kept here from five to twenty years undergoing the settling process of turning from wine into champagne. It was at Gibson's Landing where your orator was entertained at "Dontkayr" cottage through the kindness of our estimable cousins, Mrs. John Knapp and daughter Miss Alice. The pleasure here consisted of boating, fishing, excursion across the lake, bathing, eating and sleeping. The diet was somewhat high for an editor to subsist on for a very long period of time. All kinds of roast meats, roast chickens, fruits, pies, cakes and ginger cookies, although the latter was used by the feminine portion of the party to drive off mosquitoes.

Some of the cottages have very queer as well as suggestive names, such as Sanctum, Handyby, Ogo-ya go, Cowan-escue, Whocantell, Owresteeze, etc.

The party at Dontkayr cottage consisted of Mrs. John Knapp and daughter Alice, Mrs. H. O. Hod, the Misses Sophia and Augusta Kinner, of Dresden, N. Y., Mr. S. K. Rose and Miss Margaret Vermilyea, of May's Mill, N. Y., Mr. John A. Henderson, of Penn Yan, N. Y., Mabelle J. Rose, of Orleans, N. Y., and Sidney Vermilyea, of May's Mill, N. Y., to all of whom the editor extends thanks for kind hospitality.

A Card From F. W. Worcester.

Northampton, Mass., Aug. 24. Let next JOURNAL come to me, care W. S. Frost, Marlboro, Mass. Then send it to 365 Fargo Ave., Buffalo, until I write again. Am taking my time getting around Marlboro, Boston, Lowell, Saratoga Springs, New York City, Bradford, Pa., Toronto, Can., and will wind up at Buffalo Exposition on Railroad day, September 14th, and home September 20.

Fred Worcester.

Advertised Letters.

Letters for the following addresses are remaining in the GENOA postoffice unclaimed. Persons calling for same will please say "advertised". Those remaining unclaimed for August 31, will be sent to the Dead Letter office.

Mr. E. M. Pike,  
Mr. S. W. Smith,

Geo. W. Buck,  
Postmaster.

Mrs. Eliza Hill Dead.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza Hill was held Sunday at the Davis M. E. church, Wm. Cornwell officiating. The bearers were Arthur Hill, Wrate Hill, Ralph Hill, Ellis Powers, Frank Witt and Newton Witt, all grandsons of the deceased. Interment was taken in the cemetery at Belvidere.

MINOR EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Items of General Interest Told in Paragraphs.

COMPLETE NEWS SUMMARY.

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

Owen Bradley, a farmer at Holland, Texas, mistook his wife for a burglar and shot her to death.

A Santa Fe freight train was wrecked by a broken axle at Cedar Point, Kan. Brakeman L. E. Ziegler of Emporia was killed.

Two privates were crushed and probably fatally injured by the overturning of a caisson while drilling at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., yesterday.

Mrs. Louise Sherman, widow of the actor and formerly well known under the stage name of Louise Davenport, died in poverty in a San Francisco hotel.

R. P. Boblin, premier of Manitoba, has caused the arrest of D. W. Mills, his business partner and a prominent cattleman, charging him with stealing \$16,000.

Lightning struck Edward McIntee's general store at Bancroft, Mich., and the Wisconsin Central depot at Hancock, Mich. Both were destroyed.

Annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science began at Denver.

Federal authorities at Sapulpa, I. T., stopped the expulsion of negroes from the place.

Louisville crowded with Knights Templar, who take part in the clove parade.

Evelyn Booth, son of an English lord, fatally burned by a bush fire in Oregon.

Doctor at Springfield, O., recovered after five months' unconsciousness.

Many reported starving to death in Zapata County, Tex.

A brick kiln collapsed at Vassar, Mich., and five men were buried under four feet of brick. They are John Chadwick, Earl Peete, Henry Berry, Titus Wager and Seth Stevens. All were badly crushed and Stevens and Wager may die.

The contract for the Carnegie free library at Portland, Ind., has been awarded to Bulley & Andrews of Chicago for \$12,098, exclusive of heating, plumbing and gas fitting.

A pistol duel was fought on Little Bird creek, near Middlesboro, Ky., between Thomas Little, aged 70, and William Strong, aged about 40. Strong was killed and Little surrendered to the authorities.

Elrino Chavez and Leon Mora were run over by a Santa Fe train near Hanover, N. M. Both were decapitated and horribly mangled. They were on the way to the wedding of Mora to the stepdaughter of Chavez.

Thomas W. Lawson to buy fourteen islands lying near together off Stonington, Me., which he will connect by bridges and convert into a summer home.

Case of smallpox among 600 excursionists caused panic on steamer Arundel while running between Alexandria Bay and Oswego, N. Y.

High school boy at Correctionville, Ia., shot and killed employe of Wild West show who attacked him.

Robert C. Evans, United States District attorney for Minnesota, died suddenly.

It took ten Hoboken policemen to arrest a man made insane by cigarettes.

President Shaffer and his advisers consented to have peace proposals made to the steel employes. A committee of the Civic Federation will lay the matter before the mill owners.

Strike at the Conkey plant at Hammond, Ind., may involve all of the employes of the concern. Electroplaters' union to demand recognition.

Policeman James H. Wiley of Chicago shot and killed David Linskog, a preacher's son. Victim accused of having been one of a party of eight who attacked the policeman.

Richard Darling, a Pennsylvania brakeman, fell between cars at Donaldson, Ind., and was cut to pieces. His home was in Chicago.

J. M. Mercer, convicted last May of assaulting Jessie Taylor, a little girl, was hanged at Tampa, Fla. He died declaring his innocence.

Sam Farrow, a negro, shot and killed his wife, his father-in-law and mother-in-law near Dawkins, S. C. A posse started after him and Farrow fired at them from ambush, but without effect. He was arrested later and lodged in jail.

Husband of 18 years shot at bride of 15 at Palmyra, Wis., and himself. Corset saved her life, but he will die.

Charles W. Nordstrom hanged at Seattle after a legal fight for freedom that lasted nine years.

Postmaster H. E. Harris of Durand, Ill., arrested, charged with a shortage of \$1,900.

Brakeman U. S. C. Payne fell from an engine at Moweaqua, Ill., and was decapitated.

While Claude Bradway and two companions were sailing on Center lake, near Warsaw, Ind., the boat was overturned and Bradway was drowned.

Two negroes were killed and fourteen injured by the explosion of the boiler on a pump boat at Donaldsonville, La.

ALLEGED BRIBER IS HELD.

Grand Jury to Look Into the Case of Steward Sapelli. Ernesto Sapelli, the steward on the steamship La Gascoigne, who was arrested at New York last Sunday on a charge of attempting to bribe Immigration Inspector Junker, has been held in \$2,500 bail for the United States grand jury. Sapelli is charged with having attempted to bribe Inspector Junker to permit the landing of immigrants without their having first gone through the immigration inspection at Ellis Island.

After the hearing Sapelli asked permission to make a statement, and in the presence of the immigration officials and a representative of the United States district attorney's office he made a declaration which, it is believed, will result in the arrest of the principals in the case. The general belief of the government officers is that Sapelli was a dupe employed by others, who got the money paid by immigrants illegally landed at this port.

NEGRO BURNED AT STAKE.

Tennessee Mob Avenge Murder of White Woman.

Henry Noles, the negro who murdered Mrs. Charles Williams near Winchester, Tenn., last Friday, was burned at the stake on the scene of his crime Sunday. Six thousand persons witnessed the execution, and hundreds aided in throwing oil and fence rails upon the fire until the body was consumed. Noles was captured by the mob after a desperate fight with the sheriff and his deputies around the county jail. The mob finally overpowered the officials, battered down the jail doors, and secured the prisoner. He died stoically, admitting his crime and laughing at his torturers until the flames enveloped his body.

LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 70 1/2c; No. 3 red, 70 1/4c; No. 2 hard, 69 3/4c; No. 3 hard, 69 1/2c. Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 70 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 70 1/4c; No. 3 northern, 69 3/4c; No. 4, 69 1/2c. Corn—No. 2, 57 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 57 1/4c; No. 2 white, 57 1/4c; No. 3 yellow, 57 1/4c; No. 3 white, 57 1/4c; No. 2, 57 1/4c; No. 3, 57 1/4c; No. 4, 57 1/4c; No. 5, 57 1/4c. Mess pork, regular, \$14.25; lard, regular, \$8.50; neutral, \$9.15; short ribs, \$8.00; pickled hams, 10 1/2c; 10 1/4c; 16 lbs., 10 1/4c; 20 lbs., 10 1/4c; picnic hams, 11 1/2c; bellies, 10 1/2c; smoked hams, 11 1/2c; skinned hams, 12 1/2c; butter—Extra creamery, 20 1/2c; firsts, 18 1/2c; dairies, choice, 17c; Cheese—Young America, 10 1/2c; fancy bricks, 9 1/2c; Live turkeys, 10 1/2c; hens, 8c; sprigs, 11 1/2c; roosters, 8c; ducks, 7 1/2c; geese, \$3.00; Beans—Hand-picked, \$2.80; screened, \$2.50; Apples—Fair to choice, \$1.50; Pears, 24 qts., \$1.25; Peaches, 30 lbs., 40c; Potatoes—Early Ohio, \$1.25; Eggs—14c. Cattle—Native shipping and export steers, \$4.50; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$1.50; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$2.10; stockers and feeders, \$2.15; cows and heifers, \$2.45; canners, \$1.25; 2.25; culls, \$2.30; Texas and Indian steers, \$1.50; cows and heifers, \$2.10; 3.40; Hogs—Pigs and lights, \$3.50; packers, \$3.50; butchers, \$3.00; Sheep—Native muttons, \$2.50; lambs, \$1.75; 5.10; culls and bucks, \$2.00; stockers, \$2.50.

More Insurgents Give Up.

Ward was received at Manila that the insurgent Colonel Loreel, with seventeen officers and thirteen men, had surrendered to Captain Brown of the Fourth infantry at Talisay. The surrender of numerous other smaller contingents last week brings the total to more than 100. Governor Taft is expected to return to Manila after having appointed civil officials throughout all northern Luzon.

Largest Tannery to Open.

Milwaukee is to have the largest tanning establishment in the world. The company which will inaugurate the new enterprise has been formed, and the entire stock has been subscribed and the promoters are now busy securing the land for the mammoth establishment. It is understood that it is to be operated in opposition to the two big leather trusts. Charles F. Pfister heads the concern.

Assailed Supreme Court.

Congressman Littlefield of Maine and Adolph Moses of Chicago were the central figures in a public clash before the American Bar association at Denver, the latter resenting harsh criticism by the former of the Porto Rican decisions of the United States Supreme court.

China Is Ready to Sign.

"Li Hung Chang has notified the ministers of the powers," says a dispatch to the London Times from Peking, "that edicts necessary to the signing of the protocol by the Chinese plenipotentiaries are now en route from Sian-Fu and are expected to arrive here soon."

Dies at Age of 101 Years.

Mrs. Mary Rank, who had she lived until next Thursday, would have celebrated her one hundred and first birthday anniversary, died Sunday night at her home six miles north of Fort Wayne, Ind. She was an Englishwoman and had lived at Fort Wayne since 1851.

Chairman Iowa Republican Committee.

Robert H. Spence of Mount Airy has been elected chairman of the Iowa Republican state central committee for the ensuing year. Charles W. Phillips of Maquoketa was continued as secretary and J. D. Whisenand of Des Moines was chosen vice chairman.

Iowa State Fair Opened.

The Iowa state fair, which will continue for seven days, was formally opened at Des Moines Friday with a large list of exhibitors than has been entered upon the books of the association in years.

Deputy Constable Is Shot.

Deputy Constable John F. Henninger of Justice of the Peace Stout's court, at Indianapolis, was perhaps fatally shot by William Wakefield, colored, while trying to serve a writ of replevin.

ULTIMATUM SENT TURKEY

French Ambassador Constans Threatens to Leave Constantinople.

BRIEF TIME IS ALLOWED.

Sultan Must Settle Matters in Dispute Without Delay—Opinion Prevails in Paris That Affair Is Being Mismanaged—No Naval Demonstration.

M. Constans, the French ambassador, has issued what is virtually an ultimatum to the Turkish government. It was in the form of a letter to the Sultan personally, informing him that the entire staff of the French embassy would leave Constantinople if the matters in dispute were not settled immediately. The briefest possible time is accorded the Sultan in which to comply with the demands.

The foreign office at Paris has received a telegram from M. Constans, the French ambassador to Turkey, to the effect that he has sent an ultimatum to the Sultan that he will leave Constantinople at a given date unless satisfaction is accorded for the French grievances. The given date is not stated. The opinion prevails at Paris that the affair is being mismanaged. Either the Sultan is proving more obstinate than was expected or else the government's reticence in giving out information is inexplicable. While officials of the French foreign office decline to confirm or deny the dispatch from Constantinople announcing that the French ambassador has sent the Sultan a letter which is in the nature of an ultimatum, they admit having received a telegram from M. Constans, which has been laid before the council now sitting at the Elysee palace. Only three ministers were not present. The Premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau; the Minister of Agriculture, M. Dupuy, and the Minister of Public Works, M. Baudin, are absent from Paris. M. Constans has been given a free hand. Any step he finds proper to take will be fully indorsed. The Foreign Minister, M. Delcasse, if he deems it necessary, will withdraw the French embassy from Constantinople, and M. Munir Bey, the Turkish ambassador, who is now in Switzerland, will be notified not to return to Paris, in which case M. Munir Bey will probably withdraw the legation to Bern, as he is also accredited as minister to Switzerland. No naval demonstration is yet contemplated, but the Sultan will probably be seriously inconvenienced by the closure of the Turkish embassy here, which is the center of the espionage maintained to watch the numerous young Turks and other disaffected Ottoman subjects and voluntary exiles who make their headquarters in Paris, and who will have a free hand if diplomatic relations between France and Turkey are completely broken off. It has been suggested that the French government issue orders for the bourse to cease dealing in Turkish securities, but it is not likely that this step will be taken, as it would only injure the French bondholders. The entire Turkish group fell on the house Friday, in some cases going down 10 to 12 francs. According to a special dispatch received at Paris from Bern, M. Munir Bey has already leased a villa there for the use of the Turkish embassy.

Iowa Democrats Indorse Silver.

Iowa Democrats in state convention at Des Moines reaffirmed the Kansas City platform, endorsing the committee report so as to do so by a vote of 661 3-5 to 558 2-5. T. J. Phillips of Ottumwa was nominated for governor on second ballot over H. J. Steiger of Toledo by majority of six votes.

Drive Blacks Out of Stroud.

A mob of Stroud (O. T.) citizens has been organized for the purpose of ridding the town of its negro population. The mob Saturday night visited the various tents and houses occupied by the negroes and drove the terror-stricken blacks from town. Several shots were fired for the purpose of terrifying the exiles, but no attempt was made to injure them.

Dies Sitting at a Window.

Persons on their way to church at Pensauken, N. J., Sunday saw Ann Sheely sitting at the window of her home. Nearly every one who passed spoke to her. To their surprise their salutations went unheeded. When the neighbors passed by again on their way home from services the woman was still sitting at the window. An investigation followed, and it was found she had been dead several hours.

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BLAZING OIL BURNS HUNDRED.

Philadelphia Fire Claims More Victims and Still Threatens.

By the collapse of a burning oil tank at the Atlantic Refining company's plant at Point Breeze, Philadelphia, where a fire has been raging, about 100 persons, firemen, employes of the company and spectators, were more or less severely burned. Most of the cases were treated on the ground by ambulance surgeons, but a few of them were considered sufficiently serious to necessitate the removal of the victims to the hospitals.

It was shortly after 2 o'clock when the tank careened and fell, the heavy iron sheathing separating at the seams, precipitating great quantities of blazing petroleum into Passayunk avenue. There was a wild stampede among the people in the vicinity, but many of them were badly burned by the fiery spray which fell among them.

Dikes were hastily thrown up by the firemen and employes of the company, and the blazing fluid was confined to an area of about two blocks on Passayunk avenue.

A FATAL WINDSTORM.

Two Persons Killed in Oklahoma and Buildings Are Destroyed.

Oklahoma was swept Wednesday evening by a severe wind and rain storm, which resulted in loss of life and the destruction of much property.

The storm was most severe in the neighborhood of Anadarko, which it struck at about 8 o'clock. There were two fatalities and upward of twenty persons were injured. Large buildings along the main street of the town, several of them in process of construction, were almost demolished, a number of dwellings were lifted from their foundations and hardly an outhouse is left standing.

Seriously Hurt in Wreck.

Seventeen cars on a west-bound Lake Shore freight train were piled up in a wreck at 3 o'clock Sunday morning at Burdick, a station fifteen miles west of Laporte, Ind. The air brakes failed to operate and the train was cut into two sections, which collided with terrific force, piling up an immense amount of wreckage. J. C. Teeter of Garrett received serious injuries. He was taking a car of cattle to Chicago and was pinioned in one of the wrecked cars. The other cars were loaded with merchandise and the loss to the company may reach \$20,000. The tracks were blockaded for several hours and passenger trains went around the wreck over other roads.

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Somnambulist Wrecks Train.

What is believed to be the first instance of the wrecking of a train by a somnambulist occurred on the Missouri Pacific road at Birch Switch, near Garnett, Kan. The brakeman on a freight train that was on the siding lay down on the ground for a nap. Two fast freights passed in safety, after which the brakeman in his slumbers got up, opened the switch and then lay down again. Soon a passenger train came along and crashed into the side-tracked freight. The engines were wrecked and the fireman of the passenger were seriously injured.

Nicaraguans Invade Colombia.

A report is circulated at Colon, Colombia, to the effect that the rebels now threatening the town of Boca del Torro hail from Bluefields, Nicaragua. The United States gunboat Machias has anchored in Colon harbor.

Matrimonial Agency in Trouble.

Miss E. R. Reeding of Chicago, failing to draw her salary, informs postal inspectors of methods of one Dudley, who conducts Elite Matrimonial Agency from various points in Chicago.

Lower Death Rate.

The census bureau has issued a preliminary mortality report, showing a decrease in deaths of nearly 10 per cent in 1900, as compared with 1890.

A Defunct Mercantile Agency.

Proceedings in bankruptcy have been authorized by the directors of the Mutual Mercantile Agency, which was organized by Erastus Wiman.

Lipton in New York.

Sir Thomas Lipton has arrived in New York and talks optimistically of chances of Shamrock II.

Will Free Miss Studebaker.

Scott McKeown has filed at San Francisco his answer to the divorce suit of Dorothy Studebaker McKeown. He says he will not resist her petition for a divorce, but will object to any alimony allowance in excess of \$100. He declares that she had no reason to leave him and asserts that she deserted him when he was down to hardpan and went upon the stage. The answer also says that she has an income of more than \$50 a month and that she receives from her professional work over \$800 a month.

FIGHTS SHERIFF'S POSSE

Three Persons Are Shot, One of Whom Will Die.

TROUBLE IS OVER NEGRO.

Attempt Made to Lynch Prisoner Condemned to Death—More Speedy Punishment Desired for Assailant—Sheriff Rescues Prisoner.

Ashville, Ala., was the scene of a bloody battle between a mob of 400 persons and a sheriff's posse. The mob was making an attempt to secure Jim Brown, a negro who had just been tried, convicted and sentenced to hang for an assault. More than 100 shots were fired by the members of the mob and the defenders of the life of the negro. Two men and one boy were shot by the sheriff's guards. One man will die, while the other two are suffering intensely. The wounded are: Walter Blankenship, shot through the head with a Winchester rifle ball; will die. Arthur Blangenship, shot through the head and shoulder with buckshot. Willie Hanby, slightly shot in the head and shoulders by shot of small size. None of the deputies of the sheriff's posse was wounded. The two men shot were brothers, and sons of the leader of the mob, who made the first dash for the room in the courthouse where the prisoner was being guarded. The father is about 55 years of age, and a farmer of fine physique. In leading the charge against the deputies he flourished a gun. After the shooting, and while members of the mob were in search of re-enforcements and ammunition, the negro was taken from the rear of the courthouse by two deputies, who managed to run him through the country for several miles and finally succeeded in flagging a freight train and taking the negro to Birmingham, where he is safely locked in the county jail.

RIVER IS LIKELY TO BURN.

Chicago Stream Covered with Inflammable Oil and Tar.

In the scum that coats the waters of the north branch of the Chicago river lurks danger from fire. Marine men say that piles along the water's edge are covered for six inches above the water line with a sticky, tarry substance that gives indication of being inflammable. The accumulation of filth on the surface has become matted until it is with difficulty that a boat can be rowed across the stream. Drainage trustees say that the condition is due to the lack of current and that there will be no remedy until the city completes the Lawrence avenue conduit. President Jones of the sanitary board says that in places the scum lies in patches 400 feet square and that it is several inches thick. It is so sticky that it catches and retains the dust that blows down from the wharfs and docks.

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Three Infected Persons Die.

Of the eight persons bitten by infected mosquitoes in connection with the experiments conducted by the yellow fever board during the last three weeks three have died. Three others who took the fever are expected to recover. One has not developed the disease. The eighth person has not developed yellow fever, although it is too early to say what will happen in that case. Surgeon Major Reed intends to continue the investigations.

Boys Swept from a Raft.

Four boys between the ages of 10 and 15 years were drowned at Long Branch, N. J. The victims were two sons of Professor Blakeley, the head of the Long Branch high school; a son of Alexander Gaskell of Long Branch and Harold, son of Harry Sherman of Long Branch. The boys were on a raft some distance from the shore and were swept into the sea by the waves.

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# TALMAGE'S SERMON.

TAKEN FROM ST. PAUL TO THE CORINTHIANS.

"Through a Window in a Basket Was I Let Down by the Wall"—How Great Events Often Hang on a Slender Thread.

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Washington, Aug. 25.—A Bible incident not often noticed is here used by Dr. Talmage to set forth practical and beautiful truth; text, II Corinthians xi, 33, "Through a window in a basket was I let down by the wall."

Sermons on Paul in jail, Paul on Mars hill, Paul in the shipwreck, Paul before the sanhedrin, Paul before Felix, are plentiful, but in my text we have Paul in a basket.

Damascus is a city of white and glistening architecture, sometimes called "the eye of the east," sometimes called "a pearl surrounded by emeralds," at one time distinguished for swords of the best material, called Damascus blades, and upholstery of richest fabric called damask. A horseman of the name of Saul, riding toward this city, had been thrown from the saddle. The horse had dropped under a flash from the sky, which at the same time was so bright it blinded the rider for many days, and I think, so permanently injured his eyesight that his defect of vision became the thorn in the flesh he afterward speaks of. He started for Damascus to butcher Christians, but after that hard fall from his horse he was a changed man and preached Christ in Damascus till the city was shaken to its foundation.

The mayor gives authority for his arrest, and the popular cry is: "Kill him! Kill him!" The city is surrounded by a high wall and the gates are watched by the police lest the Cilician preacher escape. Many of the houses are built on the wall, and their balconies projected clear over and hovered above the gardens outside. It was customary to lower baskets out of these balconies and pull up fruits and flowers from the gardens. To this day visitors at the monastery of Mount Sinal are lifted and let down in baskets. Detectives prowled around from house to house looking for Paul, but his friends hid him, now in one place, now in another. He is no coward, as 50 incidents in his life demonstrate, but he feels his work is not done yet and so he evades assassination. "Is that preacher lunatic here?" the foaming mob shout at one house door. "Is that lunatic here?" the police shout at another house door. Sometimes on the street incognito he passes through a cloud of clinched fists and sometimes he secretes himself on the house top.

### Paul's Providential Escape.

At last the infuriate populace get on sure track of him. They have positive evidence that he is in the house of one of the Christians, the balcony of whose home reaches over the wall. "Here he is! Here he is!" The vociferation and blasphemy and howling of the pursuers are at the front door. They break in. "Fetch out that gospeller and let us hang his head on the city gate. Where is he?" The emergency was terrible. Providentially there was a good stout basket in the house. Paul's friends fasten a rope to the basket. Paul steps into it. The basket is lifted to the edge of the balcony on the wall, and then while Paul holds the rope with both hands his friends lower away, carefully and cautiously, slowly but surely, farther down and farther down, until the basket strikes the earth and the apostle steps out and afoot and alone starts on that famous missionary tour the story of which has astonished earth and heaven. Appropriate entry in Paul's diary of travels: "Through a window in a basket was I let down by the wall."

I observe first on what a slender tenure great results hang. The rope-maker who twisted that cord fastened to that lowering basket never knew how much would depend upon the strength of it. How if it had been broken and the apostle's life had been dashed out? What would have become of the Christian church? All that magnificent missionary work in Pamphylia, Cappadocia, Galatia, Macedonia would never have been accomplished. All his writings that make up so indispensable and enchanting a part of the New Testament would never have been written. The story of resurrection would never have been so gloriously told as he told it. That example of heroic and triumphant endurance at Philippi, in the Mediterranean Euroclydon, under flagellation, and at his beheading, would not have kindled the courage of 10,000 martyrs. But that rope holding that basket, how much depended on it! So again and again great results have hung on slender circumstances.

Did ever ship of many thousand tons crossing the sea have such an important passenger as had once a boat of leaves, from taffrail to stern only three or four feet, the vessel made waterproof by a coat of bitumen and floating on the Nile with the infant lawgiver of the Jews on board? What if some crocodile should crunch it? What if some cattle wading in for a drink should sink it? Vessels of war sometimes carry 40 guns looking through the portholes ready to open battle, but the tiny craft on the Nile seems to be armed with all the guns of thunder that bombarded Sinai at the lawgiving. On how fragile craft sailed hom much of historical importance!

### Early Struggle and Sacrifice.

There are said to be about a hundred and fifty thousand ministers of religion in this country. About 80,000, I warrant, came from early homes which had to struggle for the necessities of life. The sons of rich bankers and merchants generally become bankers

and merchants. The most of those who become ministers are the sons of those who had terrific struggle to get their everyday bread. The collegiate and theological education of that son took every luxury from the parental table for eight years. The other children were more scantily apparelled. The son at college every little while got a bundle from home. In it were the socks that mother had knit sitting up late at night, her sight not as good as once it was. And there also were some delicacies from the sister's hand for the voracious appetite of a hungry student. The father swung the heavy cradle through the wheat, the sweat rolling from his chin bedewing every step of the way, and then sitting down under the cherry tree at noon thinking to himself, "I am fearfully tired, but it will pay if I can once see that boy through college, and if I can know that he will be preaching the gospel after I am dead." The younger children want to know why they can't have this and that, as others do, and the mother says, "Be patient, my children, until your brother graduates, and then you shall have more luxuries, but we must see that boy through."

The years go by, and the son has been ordained and is preaching the glorious gospel, and a great revival comes, and souls by scores and hundreds accept the gospel from the lips of that young preacher, and father and mother, quite old now, are visiting the son at the village parsonage, and at the close of a Sabbath of mighty blessing father and mother retire to their room, the son lighting the way and asking them if he can do anything to make them more comfortable, saying if they want anything in the night just to knock on the wall, and then, all alone, father and mother talk over the gracious influences of the day and say: "Well, it was worth all we went through to educate that boy. It was a hard pull, but we held on till the work was done. The world may not know it, but mother, we held the rope, didn't we?" And the voice, tremulous with joyful emotion, responds: "Yes, father, we held the rope. I feel my work is done. Now, Lord, lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, for mine eyes have seen thy salvation." "Pshaw!" says the father. "I never felt so much like living in my life as now. I want to see what that fellow is going to do, he has begun so well."

Something occurs to me quite personal. I was the youngest of a large family of children. My parents were neither rich nor poor. Four of the sons wanted a college education, and four obtained it, but not without great home struggle. We never heard the old people say once that they were denying themselves to effect this, but I remember now that my parents always looked tired. I don't think they ever got rested until they lay down in the Somerville cemetery. Mother would sit down in the evening and say, "Well, I don't know what makes me feel so tired." Father would fall immediately to sleep, seated by the evening stand, overcome with the day's fatigues. About 35 years ago the one and about 37 years ago the other put down the burdens of this life, but they still hold the rope.

### Recognition of Blessings.

O men and women, you brag sometimes how you have fought your way in the world, but I think there have been helpful influences that you have never fully acknowledged. Has there not been some influence in your early or present home that the world cannot see? Does there not reach you from among the New England hills or from the western prairie or from southern plantation or from English or Scottish or Irish home a cord of influence that has kept you right when you would have gone astray and which, after you had made a crooked track, recalled you? The rope may be as long as 30 years or 500 miles long or 3,000 miles long, but hands that went out of mortal sight long ago still hold the rope. You want a very swift horse, and you need to rowl him with sharpest spurs and to let the reins lie loose upon the neck and to give a shout to the racer if you are going to ride out of reach of your mother's prayers. Why, a ship crossing the Atlantic in six days can't sail away from that. A sailor finds them on the lookout as he takes his place and finds them on the mast as he climbs the ratlines to disentangle a rope in the tempest and finds them swinging on the hammock when he turns in. Why not be frank and acknowledge it? The most of us would long ago have been dashed to pieces had not gracious and loving hands steadily and lovingly and mightily held the rope.

But there must come a time when we shall find out who those Damascusenes were who lowered Paul in the basket, and greet them and all those who have rendered to God and the world unrecognized and unrecorded services. That is going to be one of the glad excitements of heaven, the hunting up and picking out of those who did great good on earth and got no credit for it. Here the church has been going on 19 centuries, and yet the world has not recognized the services of the people in that Damascus balcony. Charles G. Finney said to a dying Christian, "Give my love to St. Paul when you meet him." When you and I meet him, as we will, I shall ask him to introduce me to those who got him out of the Damascus peril.

We go into long sermons to prove that we will be able to recognize people in heaven, when there is one reason we fail to present, and that is better than all—God will introduce us. We shall have them all pointed out. You would not be guilty of the impoliteness of having friends in your parlor not introduced, and celestial politeness

will demand that we be made acquainted with all the heavenly household. What rehearsal of old times and recital of stirring reminiscences! If others fall to give introduction, God will take us through, and before our first 21 hours in heaven—if it were calculated by earthly timepieces—have passed we shall meet and talk with more heavenly celebrities than in our entire mortal state we met with earthly celebrities. Many who made great noise of usefulness will sit on the last seat by the front door of the heavenly temple, while right up within arm's reach of the heavenly throne will be many who, though they could not reach themselves or do great exploits for God, nevertheless held the rope.

### Patient, Uncomplaining Service.

Come, let us go right up and accept those on the circle of heavenly thrones. Surely they must have killed in battle a million men. Surely they must have been buried with all the cathedrals sounding a dirge and all the towers of all the cities tolling the national grief. Who art thou, mighty one of heaven? "I lived by choice the unmarried daughter in a humble home that I might take care of my parents in their old age, and I endured without complaint all their querulousness and administered to all their wants for 20 years. Let us pass round the circle of thrones. Who art thou, mighty one of heaven? "I was for 30 years a Christian invalid and suffered all the while, occasionally writing a note of sympathy for those worse off than I, and was general confidant of all those who had trouble, and once in awhile I was strong enough to make a garment for that poor family in the back lane." Pass on to another throne. Who art thou, mighty one of heaven? "I was the mother who raised a whole family of children for God, and they are out in the world Christian merchants, Christian mechanics, Christian wives, and I have had full reward for all my toil." Let us pass on in the circle of thrones. "I had a Sabbath school class and they were always on my heart, and they all entered the kingdom of God, and I am waiting for their arrival." But who are thou, the mighty one of heaven on this other throne? "In time of bitter persecution I owned a house in Damascus, a house on the wall. A man who preached Christ was hounded from street to street and I hid him from the assassins, and when I found them breaking into my house and I could no longer keep him safely I advised him to flee for his life, and a basket was let down over the wall with the maltreated man in it, and I was one who helped hold the rope." And I said: "Is that all?" And he answered: "That is all." And while I was lost in amazement I heard a strong voice that sounded as though it might once have been hoarse from many exposures, and triumphant as though it might have belonged to one of the martyrs, and it said: "Not many mighty, not many noble are called, but God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty, and base things of the world and things which are despised hath God chosen, yea, and things which are not to bring to naught things which are, that no flesh should glory in his presence." And I looked to see from whence the voice came, and lo! it was the very one who had said, "Through a window in a basket was I let down by the wall."

Henceforth think of nothing as insignificant. A little thing may decide your all. A Cunarder put out from England for New York. It was well equipped, but in putting up a stove in the plot box a nail was driven too near the compass, put the ship 200 miles off her right course, and suddenly the man on the lookout cried, "Land ho!" and the ship was halted within a few yards of her demolition on Nantucket shoals. A sixpenny nail came near wrecking a Cunarder. Small ropes hold mighty destinies. A minister seated in Boston at his table, lacking a word, puts his hand behind his head and tilts back his chair to think, and the ceiling falls and crushes the table and would have crushed him. A minister in Jamaica at night, by the light of an insect called the candle fly, is kept from stepping over a precipice a hundred feet. F. W. Robertson, the celebrated English clergyman, said that he entered the ministry from a train of circumstances started by the barking of a dog. Had the wind blown one way on a certain day the Spanish inquisition would have been established in England. But it blew the other way, and that dropped the accursed institution, with 75 tons of shipping, to the bottom of the sea or flung the splintered logs on the rocks.

Nothing unimportant in your life or mine. Three naughts placed on the right side of the figure one make a thousand, and six naughts on the right side of the figure one a million, and our nothingness placed on the right side may be augmentation limitless. All the ages of time and eternity affected by the basket let down from a Damascus balcony.

### An Industrious Potentate.

Czar Nicholas of Russia is one of the most industrious potentates in Europe. He works about fourteen hours a day and seldom retires before 1 or 2 o'clock in the morning. Securely lashed on the forward deck of the German steamer Hobenfels, which has arrived at New York from Calcutta, is an Egyptian boat, said to be 400 years old, recently dug up out of the bed of the Nile. The boat was shipped at Port Said.

### The Higher the Mountain the Lower the Vale, the Taller the Tree the Harder the Fall.

## McKINLEY TO BE AT BUFFALO.

President to Speak at Pan-American Exposition Sept. 5.

President McKinley will pay his official visit to the Exposition of all the Americas on Sept. 5. That day has been designated at the exposition as President's Day. It will witness the most notable gathering of distinguished statesmen, jurists and diplomats which has occurred for some time, as the President will be accompanied by members of his cabinet, justices of the Supreme Court, and many members of the diplomatic corps, who will gather at the Pan-American and meet the representatives there from Pan-American countries, and join in a special inspection of the exhibits representing the progress of civilization in the Western hemisphere. Military pageants, banquets and receptions will mark the President's stay at the Exposition. He will speak from the bandstand in the West Esplanade, addressing perhaps an audience of several hundred thousand persons, for the Esplanade is capable of holding 250,000 people. President's Day will therefore be in many respects the greatest day among all the great days of the Exposition season. The formal entrance to the exposition grounds is through the Lincoln Parkway gate, on the south, and the roadway leads by the military camp, across the park lake, and the U. S. life-saving station, and the famous statue of General Washington, by French. Along this route the Presidential party will pass into the main court of the exposition, via the Triumphal Causeway, which expresses the welcome of the United States to visiting nations. On arrival at the Esplanade the President will be introduced to the assembled thousands by President Milburn of the exposition, and he will then make his address.

## NORWAY AND AMERICA.

Our People and Products Much Admired by the Scandinavian.

At a certain railway station, writes William E. Curtis, who is traveling in Norway, I found a station agent who was inclined to be grumpy and sarcastic, said that the farmers were so ambitious to own American machinery that they starved themselves to buy it, and then to gratify their pride left it on the platform of the station for days at a time to advertise their extravagance and make other farmers jealous. He called us Amerikaner, and said that we were putting all sorts of false notions into the heads of his innocent countrymen, who were ruining themselves trying to be like us.

But this pessimism was only an affectation. He insisted upon my going inside the office of the station, where he showed me a newspaper he had just received from a son who lived at Brainerd, Minn., and seemed surprised that I did not know him. He seemed to think that his son was about the whole thing in America, and that we ought to be proud because a member of his family had condescended to emigrate. The newspaper contained an account of some church proceedings in which his son participated, and the proud father assured me that he received a similar token of his importance nearly every week.

We find Minnesota, Dakota and Wisconsin papers everywhere, taken by people who have friends in the United States, and Dowie's pernicious publications are on the tables of the reading rooms of every inn and railway station. There was a copy in the cabin of the little steamer. They appear to be distributed gratuitously and are sent in large numbers.

### An Immense Anchor.

There was recently completed at the Charlestown navy-yard for one of the new battleships of the United States navy what is probably the largest forged anchor that has ever been made. The anchor, which weighs 13,500 pounds, is resting now on some wooden supports outside the forge and anchor shops of the equipment department at the yard awaiting assignment.

### Fought for the Union.

Justice Harlan's father was a slaveholder, and most of the affiliations of the family at the outbreak of the war were with the south, but the justice raised the Tenth Kentucky Infantry Regiment and served in Gen. Thomas' division. A member of the youngest generation was once talking with the justice about this phase of his history, and asked how it happened that he "fought for the north."

"I never did fight for the north," replied the old man, sternly. "I fought for the Union. I fought for my country."

This is typical of the feeling of Kentucky loyalists of the civil war era; they resent the notion that it was a sectional struggle in which they fought for one section or against another.

### Chou Chou a Bright Pupil.

Minister Wu Ting-fang's son Chou Chou attends the Washington high school and while there dresses after the American fashion, tucking his pigtail under his coat. He is reported to be a very bright pupil.

### "Good" in Everything.

A writer in the New York Press says he asked a lawyer what he regarded as "nine points of the law." The lawyer answered in this wise: 1. A good deal of money. 2. A good deal of patience. 3. A good cause. 4. A good lawyer. 5. A good counsel. 6. Good witnesses. 7. A good jury. 8. A good judge. 9. Good luck. These nine points make an amulet which insures success in a lawsuit—the remaining point, presumably in the possession of the other fellow, is literally the submerged tenth.

## LATEST ILLINOIS NEWS.

### Plan to Greet Roosevelt.

Governor Yates, through Adjutant General Reece, has announced the program for the entertainment of Vice President Theodore Roosevelt on his visit to the Illinois National Guard at Springfield, on Friday, Oct. 30. The program announced by the executive is as follows: "Vice President Roosevelt will be received by Governor Yates and staff and four troops of the First cavalry, commanded by a major, and escorted to the executive mansion. Immediately after luncheon the vice president, accompanied by Governor Yates and staff, will at once proceed to Camp Lincoln, where the remaining four troops of the First cavalry, the three batteries of artillery and the company of engineers will render the necessary military honors to the distinguished guest. A special review will be given and everything in the power of the military of the state will be done to make the visit of the vice president one long to be remembered. General Reece has prepared all the details of the day." Great difficulty has been encountered in obtaining a sufficient number of horses to supply the artillery and cavalry that will be in camp next week.

### Killed by a Fall.

L. Marx, an old and highly respected citizen of Nashville, was killed by falling down the stairway in his residence. He had retired but a short time prior to the accident, and was aroused by an alarm of fire. In attempting to turn on the electric light switch near the stairway he fell, breaking his neck and dying instantly. Mr. Marx was 69 years of age, and was prominent in business and fraternal circles. His funeral was held in St. Louis Tuesday, under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. lodge.

### New Hydrographer at Chicago.

Lieutenant Waldo Evans, who has just finished a three years' cruise in Asiatic waters, has assumed charge of the United States hydrographic office in Chicago. He graduated from Annapolis in 1887 and was at one time in charge of the branch hydrographic office at Portland, Ore. Lieutenant W. J. Wilson, who has been temporarily in charge of the Chicago office in the Masonic Temple, will remain as assistant and nautical expert.

### Fend Results in Murder.

James T. Sparks shot and fatally wounded Joseph Moore at Bushnell, and Moore died in a few hours. The trouble grew out of a feud caused by children. Moore called at Sparks' house and was ordered away. He started to leave and Sparks shot him twice. Sparks then escaped and was pursued all day by a posse of 200 citizens, being captured near Macomb, and is now in jail.

### Will Not Wed Rev. W. Haskell.

It is now announced by her family that the engagement of Miss Gertrude Stephens of Moline to the Rev. Wesley Haskell of Rockford is broken. Mr. Haskell recently resigned the pastorate of Moline Unitarian Church to accept a call to Rockford, only to resign there to accept a position with the Moline Plow company, of which his fiancée's father is vice president.

### Boy Finds Valuable Pearl.

The largest pearl ever found in Illinois was discovered by a boy in a clam in Elkhorn creek. The pearl is the size of a large-sized hickory nut, is nearly round and of a fair luster. It has been taken to Rock Falls jewelers by S. S. Creider, who found it, and they have offered him \$1,500. The gem weighs 102 grains and is perfect except for a soft spot on one side.

### Walks to Death in Sleep.

Olaf Moran, a Chicago tailor, died from injuries received in falling out of a second-story window. He was found unconscious. He was 55 years old and addicted, according to his wife, to somnambulism for several years. Frequently she has found him walking in his sleep. It is believed that it was while in this condition that he stepped out of the window.

### Pontiac Races Called Off.

At a meeting of the directors of the Pontiac Driving Park association the trotting races, which were to have been held at Pontiac, Aug. 27 to 30, have been called off. The five \$1,000 purses were well filled, but owing to the fact that many of the horses entered were sick, occasioned by the hot weather, it was decided to call all the races off for the season.

### Too Dancer Secretly Weds.

Labelle Daisy, the toe dancer, whose parents reside at Calro, was secretly married in London to Charles L. King, the tenor singer. The wedding took place last month. Miss Daisy has appeared in all the large cities of America and Europe and has won unstinted praise. She will not leave the stage.

### Heavy Rainfall in Illinois.

The long-continued drought which had nearly devastated the neighborhood of Newman, has been broken by a good general rain. Water fell for about two hours, but it came too late to save the crop.

### Illinois in Brief.

Methodists at Odell plan building a \$17,000 church.  
Decatur old settlers will hold their reunion Sept. 5.  
Owing to crop failures the Homer fair may be omitted.

### Fake Horse Dealers.

The increased demand for good horses and the improvement in prices for choice horse stock has seemed to inspire the fake dealers in this vicinity with renewed courage, says American Horse Breeder. They are patronizing such of the daily and Sunday papers as will take their advertisements more liberally of late than they have for several years past.

Following is a copy of an advertisement which appeared in a Boston Sunday paper a few weeks since:

### FOR SALE.

PRIVATE FAMILY wishes to sell their family road and trotting horse, 7 years old, 15.2 hands high, weighs 1,550 pounds, road 9 miles an hour and trots a mile better than 3 minutes, safe for lady to drive with perfect safety; also rubber-tired Goddard buggy, collar and harness, fur robes, street and stable blankets, all for \$225; sell horse alone for \$65; worth \$150 for family use; 2 weeks' trial given; also would like to board my daughter's pony team 4 or 5 months with responsible parties; will pay \$20 month. Call at the Cedars estate, 2 Guild street, second big house on left hand side, Roxbury, Mass.; take any Forest Hills car at Subway, 10 minutes' ride. Boston, Mass. Sub 1775.

A farmer living some distance from Boston sent us the clipping and intimated that he would like to board the pony at the price named. This called to mind an incident that came under our observation a few years ago. We went down to the wharf to ship a horse to the provinces and there saw an elderly gentleman holding a mare by the halter. We walked around the animal carelessly and the man who held her queried, "How much is she worth?"

"Oh, somewhere from \$2.50 to \$2,500. Been buying?"

"Well, you see it was this way. My son-in-law, who is a clergyman in the provinces, recently buried his wife. He has a daughter who is fond of ponies. Coming to Boston on the boat he picked up a paper in which was an advertisement of a very valuable mare that would be sold cheap to go into the country, but the party offering the mare had a pony outfit which he wished to send to be kept with the mare. The pony could be used for driving and \$20 per month would be paid for his board.

"My son-in-law thought the pony might help divert his daughter's mind from her bereavement, so called at the place mentioned in the advertisement. He did not want to buy this mare, as he has no use for her, but in order to get the pony he did buy her and paid for her. They sent the mare here by a negro sometime ago, but the pony has not come, and the boat is about ready to start. We don't know what to do."

"Well, my friends, your son-in-law has evidently bought a horse. Now I would not worry about that pony team. It is probably safe. The man who sold the horse will look out for the pony. Put your mare on board the boat, and tell your son-in-law to sell the mare as she is for what he can just as soon as possible after getting her to her destination."

It was a very shrewd way of getting a few dollars from an honest, unsuspecting, well-meaning man for an animal that looked fairly well, but was probably worth more to convert into fertilizer than for any other purpose. Men who advertise to pay from \$20 upwards per month for having ponies and horses boarded in the country have very strong strings hitched to those animals. They use them as enticing bait for hooks thrown out to catch country suckers. They find plenty of suckers who eagerly swallow the bait and part with their hard-earned dollars. The countrymen generally pay from four to ten times as much as a horse is worth, and invariably fail to secure the pony or horse as boarders, for which the party advertising offers to pay so liberally.

### Poultry Briefs.

Ground or cut bone is so useful to poultry raisers that it is something of a marvel that more bone cutters and grinders are not in use. The attempt to use commercial meals for freshly prepared bone can hardly be called a success; for the very obvious reason that the more useful of the products do not keep well in anything but the coldest weather. At some seasons of the year it is impossible to get beef meal, as the dealers will not handle it when it is likely to spoil on their hands. But the man that has a machine for reducing bone to edible size is independent. He can nearly always obtain bones that have on them much meat and these furnish a bone for supplying a little nitrogen and a good deal of lime and phosphorus. Around most homes bones have no use. Yet they can be made a source of valuable food supply.

The question is now being raised as to whether richness can be fed into eggs, and the amateurs are trying to demonstrate that it can be done. One man asserts very positively that his eggs are richer when he feeds very rich foods than when he feeds foods not so rich. The trouble with this kind of evidence is that it is not exact. A man reports a thing as being so because he believes it is so, relying on his sense of taste. But, as with the question of feeding fat into milk, so here, appearances are not to be relied on.

Weather reports from Idaho state that on the high mountain ranges the grass is more abundant than usual, but on low ranges it is exceptionally scarce. The condition of stock varies with the grass on the range. On the high ranges the stock is fat and ready for shipment direct to market, but on low ranges its condition is poor. In some southeastern sections the scarcity of water has contributed to the poor condition of stock.

The potash content of ashes varies with the kind of wood, the method of burning, and the care taken of the ashes to protect them from the rain.

## Railroad Excursions.

Various Rates to Various Points on Various Roads.

### C. M. & St. P. Excursion.

Home Seekers' excursion tickets will be sold June 18, July 2 and 16, Aug. 6 and 20 and September 3 and 17, 1901. One fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip.

### Excursion to the Dells of Wisconsin

Commencing June 1st and continuing until Sept. 30th the C. M. & St. P. R'y. will sell excursion tickets to Kilbourn City, Wis., daily. Special low rates for parties of 10 or more, further information inquire of J. M. Harvey, agent.

### Pan-American Exposition.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 1st to Nov. 1st, 1901. Tickets on sale daily until Oct. 21st. 15 day tickets via different lines \$18.85. 10 day tickets via different lines \$15.25. Via Standard lines 15 day tickets \$2.00 higher and 10 day tickets \$1.50 higher.

S. R. Crawford, Agent.

### Cheap Excursion to Louisville, Kentucky.

Account Triennial Conclave Knights Templar the I. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets, Genoa to Louisville Kentucky for \$10.35. On sale August 24th 25th and 26th, good to return until September 3rd. Extension for return may be had until September 16th.

S. R. Crawford, Agent.

### Fox Lake.

The C. M. & St. P. will sell excursion tickets to Fox Lake and return daily until Sept. 30, good to return until Oct. 31, 1901. fare \$3.50 for the round trip.

J. M. Harvey, Agt.

### Low Rate to New York and Return

The Chicago Great Western Railway will sell round trip tickets to New York and return, at very low rates, with privilege of stop overs at Buffalo, Niagara falls, Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A. Chicago.

### Pan American Exposition Buffalo N. Y.

The Chicago Great Western Railway sells through excursion tickets at very low rates, with choice of all rail, or rail to Chicago, Detroit, or Cleveland and lake journey thence to Buffalo. Equipment and service unsurpassed. A valuable folder to be had for the asking.

For full information and folders address any Great Western Agent, or J. P. Elmer, Gen'l Pass. Agent Chicago.

### Home Seekers Excursions.

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

### Pan-American Exposition

At Buffalo. Thirty day tickets for sale June 1st to Sept. 30th. Fare 80 per cent of the double first class, limited rate via Chicago or Milwaukee.

Ten-day tickets to Buffalo. One first class limited fare via route of tickets, plus \$1 for round trip. On sale daily until Oct. 31.

Fifteen day ticket, one and a third first class limited fare, via route of tickets, on sale until Oct. 31st. These tickets via Chicago or Milwaukee, for steamer routes. Sleeping car rates, etc. Inquire of J. M. Harvey, Agt.

### The Pan-American Exposition held at Buffalo, N. Y. May 1st to Nov. 1 1901.

On April 30th, and daily thereafter the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell through excursion tickets to Buffalo, good to return within 15 days at a fare and one-third for the round trip.

A special rate for every Tuesday May will be one fare plus \$1.00 for the round trip. These tickets will be good leaving Buffalo until midnight on the Saturday following the day of sale.

The lowest rates will always be in force on the Chicago Great Western Railway, and its equipment and accommodations are unsurpassed. The company has issued a neat illustrated folder giving a map of Buffalo and the exposition grounds; a list of hotels; time-card of its trains and their eastern connections and much other valuable information.

For full information and Pan-American folders, address any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, General Passenger Agent, 113 Adams St. Chicago.

## Special Excursion.

Utah, North and South Dakota and Colorado.

Via C. M. & St. P. R'y. to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, O. don, Salt Lake City and to Hot Springs, S. D., Wood and Lead S. D. One fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. Tickets on sale June 18 to July 30 inclusive and July 10 to August 31 inclusive good to return until October 31. Excursion tickets will be sold to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Colo., and to Hot Springs, S. D., July 1 to July 9 and Sept. 1 to Sept. 10 inclusive at \$25.00 for the round trip, good to return until October 31. J. M. HARVEY Agt.

### Business Opportunities for All.

Locations in Iowa, Illinois, Minnesota and Missouri on the CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY; the very best agricultural section of the United States where farmers are prosperous and business men successful. We have a demand for competent men, with the necessary capital, for all branches of business. Some special opportunities for creamery men and millers. Good locations for general merchandise, hardware, harness, hotels banks and stock buyers. Correspondence solicited. Write for maps and Maple leaflets. J. W. Reed, Industrial Agent, 604 Endicott Bld'g, St. Paul, Minn.

### Sycamore and Genoa Stage.

Leaves Genoa postoffice daily, except Sunday, at 9:00 a. m. for Sycamore; returning, leaves Westgate Feed Stable, Sycamore, at 4:00 p. m., arriving in Genoa to connect with trains going west.

ELLIS CONFER.

### Native Herbs.

I am agent for Native Herbs and solicit your orders. R. D. Lord, New-Lebanon, Ill.

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL AN INNOVATION. Elegant new Parlor-Dining Cars between Chicago and Omaha on the Fast Mail.

These combinations cars, which have been especially fitted up for service between Chicago and Omaha at the company's shops, are run west bound from Chicago on Fast Mail, train No. 5, and east bound from Omaha and Council Bluffs on the Chicago Express, train No. 4. They are artistic and handsome in design, and convenient in arrangement. They have all the features of a regular dining car and of a Pullman parlor car, the two being in separate compartments and entirely independent one from the other. The dining compartment has a large kitchen and an uncramped seating capacity of fourteen at the dining tables. The parlor compartment is handsomely decorated, and is equipped with ten heavily upholstered revolving arm-chairs. These chairs are particularly comfortable, being of a new and special shape designed for these cars. As these trains make the trip across Iowa for the most part by daylight, this innovation in car equipment, in addition to its convenience for through passengers, is especially advantageous for Omaha and Chicago passengers to or from local points.

Particulars as to this and other Illinois Central train service between Chicago and Dubuque, Sioux City, Sioux Falls, Council Bluffs and Omaha of your local ticket agent, or by addressing the nearest of the following: J. F. Merry, A. G. P. A. Dubuque, Iowa; W. H. Brill, D. P. A., Omaha, Neb.

The honor of attaining the highest standing in the last civil service examination for stenographers in Milwaukee, fell to Joseph W. Carney, whose address is City Engineer's office, Milwaukee, Wis. Mr. Carney was the youngest contestant, being but nineteen years of age, and many of his competitors wrote shorthand before Mr. Carney was born. He attributes his success to the thorough and comprehensive instruction in shorthand he received as a student in the correspondence school of the Robert P. Rose School for Shorthand. Thousands of other successful shorthand writers have graduated from this school in the last few years, and every graduate expresses himself pleased with the instruction given. See advertisement of the school in another column.

### C. M. & St. P. Excursions.

Rockford, Ill., for the Winnebago Co Fair, Tickets on sale August 31 to Sept. 6th good to return until Sept. 7th. Fare and one third.

Louisville, Ky.; Tickets on sale Aug. 27th to 31st; good to return until Sept. 16th. One fare plus two dollars.

Daily until Sept. 10 to St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, Minn. Very low rates.

Cleveland, O., for the National Equipment, G. A. R. Tickets on sale Sept. 8th to 11th, good to return until Sept. 15th. Extension can be obtained until Oct. 8th. \$9.20 round trip.

J. M. Harvey, Agt.

We desire to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Robert P. Rose School for Shorthand, contained in another column. This is the largest and most successful correspondence school of shorthand in the world, and thousands of excellent shorthand writers through the United States and Canada owe their success in life to the instruction in the "winged art" given them by this school. The instructor, Mr. Robert P. Rose, is one of the leading experts in the shorthand profession in this country. He was the official shorthand reporter of the Democratic National convention held in Kansas City in 1900, and during the campaigns of 1896 and 1900 traveled with and reported the speeches of Hon. William J. Bryan, as the official shorthand reporter of those trips. In this course he will teach you at your home every principle in shorthand used by himself and give personal attention to your work. Write for references and information, addressing L. D. Kidd, Business Manager, Metropolitan, Black, Chicago, Ill.

### I. C. Excursion

Winnebago County Fair and Exposition of Rockford September 2 to 6-1901 Tickets on sale September 2nd to 6th. Good until September 7th. One and one-third fare for the round trip.

S. R. Crawford.

### Only \$50 to California and Return.

General Convention Episcopal church San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 2, 1901.—For this meeting the Chicago Great Western Railway will on Sept. 19 to 27, sell through excursion tickets to San Francisco, good to return Nov. 15, 1901, at the low rate of \$50 for the round trip. Rates via Portland, Ore. \$9 higher. Stop overs allowed. For further information inquire of any Great Western agent or J. P. Elmer, C. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

### SENDING OUT PIGEONS.

Passengers on Steamers Have Messages Carried by Birds.

An interesting pigeon-post is that adopted on the steamers of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique. Since March, 1898, passengers by these steamers from America have been enabled to communicate with their friends when 300 miles and more from port by pigeons. As an instance of the swift flight of the birds it is interesting to note that on July 29, 1900, the pigeons that left the Touraine at 5 a. m. arrived at 2 p. m. the same day, after having traveled 324 miles; and on Sept. 9 last 10 birds sent from the Lorraine at 5 a. m. reached home in the evening, after a flight of 359 miles, bringing with them 25 telegrams for passengers. During last year 190 passengers by this company's steamers paid for messages carried by the birds. The messages are photographically reduced to microscopic dimensions and mounted on a thin "film," three centimetres in breadth and five in length. This, carefully rolled, is placed in a small celluloid tube and attached by a light kid band, provided with an automatic button, such as one seen on gloves, to the bird's leg. On arrival the photograph is enlarged, each dispatch being printed separately and sent to its final destination, many hours before the steamer arrives.

### A Butterfly Farm.

An English entomologist, William Watkins, was the first to raise butterflies on a large scale. For a dozen years the establishment which he founded for this purpose has furnished millions and millions of insects to private collectors, and Mr. Watkins himself has established at the Zoological Garden of London a very interesting entomologic station, where may be found the most beautiful butterflies of the entire world. The butterfly farm of Eastbourne, near the southern coast of England, and in a place well sheltered from winds, covers an area of 4,000 square metres. It is a garden filled with flowers and rare trees and surrounded by a very high trellis, and here flutter at liberty many thousands of butterflies of various species. From all the countries of the world the farm receives eggs, which are submitted to a special mode of incubation. Then the caterpillars, issuing from these eggs, receive nourishment suitable to their evolution. A certain number of the most perfect insects are preserved as reproducers, while the others are asphyxiated and mounted. Some of the rarer insects fetch enormous sums.

### Big Ditch Pays Dividends.

The report of the Suez Canal company for 1900 shows that the business done last year, thanks to the Chinese trouble, which sent the battleships of all nations through the big ditch, was practically equal to the phenomenal figures of 1899. The total receipts amounted to 93,000,000 francs, or 650,000 francs less than those of the previous year, giving a net profit of 52,000,000 francs. After deducting the statutory reserve there remains a sum of 51,918,000 francs, which allows of a net dividend of 108 francs, the same as last year.

### A Matter of Protection.

People have often wondered why elephants so constantly throw hay and grass over their backs. This is explained by the fact that they are thus protecting themselves from all sorts of insects. Notwithstanding his thick skin, the elephant suffers more from insect bites than many thinner-skinned animals.

# Cohoon & Stanley.

Are agents for the McCormick Harvesting Machine Co.

and would like to have you call at their ware house and look at the new points that the company have added to their machines since last season. Sample machines are on their floors which they will be glad to show you in detail.

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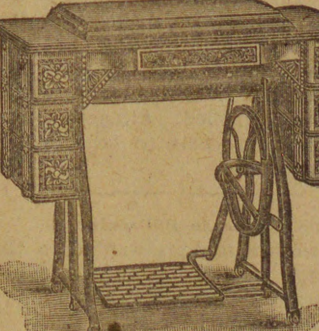
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**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS**  
The Board of Directors of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, at a meeting held July 18, 1901, adopted the following Preamble and Resolution:  
Upon the recommendation of the President the Resolution adopted July 21, 1897, authorizing the free transportation of stockholders over the Company's lines, to Chicago and return, at the time of the annual meeting of stockholders over the Company's lines, to Chicago and return, at the time of the annual meeting of stockholders, was reconsidered and amended so as to read as follows:  
RESOLVED, That, until the further order of this Board, there may be issued, to each holder of one or more shares of the Capital Stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, as registered on the books of the Company a ticket enabling him, or her, to travel free over the Company's lines from the station on the Illinois Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return, for the purpose of attending in person the Meeting of Stockholders. Such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days immediately preceding, and the day of, the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting, and the four days immediately following, when proper countersigned and stamped during business hours—that is to say, between 9:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M.—in the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. W. G. Braun, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any registered holder of stock on application must state, in writing, to the President of the Company in Chicago. Each application must state the full name and address of the Stockholder exactly as given in his or her Certificate of stock, together with the number and date of such of such Certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the company.  
By order of the Board of Directors.  
A. G. Hackstaff, Secretary.

The next Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Chicago, on Wednesday, October 16, 1901, at noon. For the purpose of this meeting, the Stock Transfer Books will be closed from the close of business on September 21st, to the morning of October 17.

**Medals for Old Settlers.**  
At the twenty fifth annual Old Settlers picnic to be held at Pritchard's Grove near Watorman, on Wednesday September 4, 1901, medals will be awarded as follows:  
1.—To the old gentleman settler who has continuously resided in De Kalb county the greatest number of years.  
2.—To the old lady settler who has continuously resided in De Kalb county the greatest number of years.  
3.—To the gentleman born in De Kalb county who has continuously resided therein the greatest number of years.  
4.—To the lady born in De Kalb county who has continuously resided therein the greatest number of years.  
5.—To the married couple of old settlers whose combined ages give the greatest number of years.  
6.—To the married couple both born in De Kalb county whose combined ages give the greatest number of years.

All contestants must be residents of the county and present at the picnic, at which time they must present themselves to the committee with a written statement covering the facts called for above. No medals will be delivered on the day of the picnic. The awards will be announced at the close of the exercises and will be published the week following. If after a reasonable length of time the awards are not protested the medals will be delivered. If necessary contestants will be required to make affidavits in support of their claims.  
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**Additional Genoa Locals.**  
Miss Belle Sumner is in Elgin to day.  
Little Hester Geithman is quite sick.  
Try the Journal three months for 25 cents.  
Cecil Smith was in town a short time yesterday.  
Mrs. Ruth Wilcox has been very sick the past week.  
Mrs. K-Jackman is a Sycamore, visitor this week.  
We extend thanks to Rev. Hester as compositor yesterday.  
Miss Mayme Daven was a passenger to Chicago yesterday.  
Peter Quannstrom and wife were in Sycamore last evening.  
Miss Mary Canavan is visiting at Savanna with friends a few weeks.  
Miss Jennie Mathews is here from Rockford to day calling on friends.  
E. W. Olmsted will have another cargo of fine peaches tomorrow, (Friday).  
A German Lon. Hollo d was a passenger on Chicago yesterday evening.  
Postmaster Buck, and S. H. Stiles were transacting business at Sycamore today.  
Miss Marie Oasler is visiting her sister Mrs. George Dye, of Sycamore and other friends.  
There will be a missionary tea at the home of Mrs. Jeannette Leonard, Saturday afternoon.  
The Misses Myrtle and Jessie Wyld and a party of friends are over from Belvidere to day.  
Geo. Olmsted was in Chicago to-day to meet his grand daughter Miss Irene Durham from Louisiana.  
A special train filled with soldiers passed through Genoa this forenoon over the C. M. & St. P. Ry.  
He—"Woman is a delusion and a snare." She—"It is curious how men will hug a delusion though."  
Miss Addie White left last evening for Rochelle where she will teach in the public school the coming season.  
Miss Allie Hamilton of Sycamore, accompanied her uncle and aunt E. S. Shippey and wife, to Chicago, to day.  
Wm. Prain and Wm. Cooper are apparently very busy these days judging from the way they skip around nights.  
It might have been triplets.—"How many children have you now, Karlson?" "Dont know; I haven't been home for a week."  
Miss Rachel Whitney of Ney will attend the Young Woman's Seminary at Aurora this fall. Miss Anna Pratt will also resume her studies there.  
There is a German proverb which says: "No looking-glass ever tells a woman she is ugly." No sensible man ever does either. Cleveland Leader.  
Mrs. Clara Havens and two children of Courtland has been visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. J. Fenton since Monday and returned home this morning.  
Miss Irene Durham, of Roseland, Louisiana, a daughter of Lenny P. Durham and wife, formerly of this place is expected here to-day for a few months visit with relatives. She expects to attend school.  
Farewell Card.  
I desire to extend a kind farewell to all my neighbors and friends in Genoa who have made my life's pleasant by their assistance and kindness. Their memory will ever be cherished by me and my family.  
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# IS MYSTERIOUS THIBET TO BE OPENED TO THE WORLD?



The presence in St. Petersburg of a mission of four high officials of Thibet, the first representatives of that practically unknown country to visit Europe, and the announcement that the Dalai Llama, ruler of Thibet, has been persuaded to himself visit Russia, is looked upon as indicating that the barriers which have closed the white man out of "The Forbidden Land" will soon be let down to civilization.

A Buria from Transbaikalia, named Akhorambo Atchwan Dorschleff, who has gained the favor of the Dalai Llama of Thibet, came to Livadia last October and was received by the Emperor. He returned to Thibet and succeeded in persuading the Dalai Llama to send a special mission to St. Petersburg to open friendly relations with this country. This mission has arrived under the guidance of Dorschleff, and has been received by Count Lamsdorff. It consists of four persons, one of whom is the Dalai Llama's second secretary. It brings an autograph letter from the Regent of Thibet to the Czar.

The Russian newspapers attach much importance to this journey, and no doubt properly. It marks another step in the extension of Russian influence toward the Indo-Chinese possessions of France. The Russians regard the establishment of a chain of communications across the rear of the Indian Empire and the permanent isolation of India from the Yang-tse-Kiang valley as practically assured.

The present is the first opportunity that Russia has had to make overtures to Thibet—for, although it is a country of 651,500 square miles, with a population estimated at over 6,000,000, it is an unknown land except to the few intrepid adventurers who have explored it at great personal risk. The country is in central Asia, bounded on the north by the Kwenlum Mountains, on the

18,760 feet." Of the climate the same explorer says: "No amount of woolen clothes will keep out the wind on the Chang, so skins must be taken." During the period already referred to the enormous stretch of country crossed by Captain Bower's party did not show a single tree, and only two species of shrubs, and these rarely exceeded six inches in height. They found a large number of flowering plants and grasses, however, while for variety the landscape, both on the Chang and elsewhere, is diversified in many places by gigantic masses of rock and terrific precipices. This is, in fact, what is poetically known in Asia as the "Roof of the World," and at the southwest corner of it, at Gilgit, on the borders of Kashmir, is the place "Where Three Empires Meet," the title of Mr. Knight's work.

The hideousness or sublimity—according to the view one takes—of nature on the Chang, and in other parts of Thibet, is not left to itself. As in the Tyrol and other Catholic countries one sees wayside crosses and picturesque shrines, so in Thibet, only far more frequent, are the huge rock-cut images which are supposed to represent the Buddha, the "chortens" or monuments of a religious character, and inscriptions, large and small, cut in the rocks, of prayers and sacred sentences. As one tramps along a Thibetan road, it is said, any stone against which the weary foot stumbles may be found on examination to bear the inscription, "Om mani padmi, Om" (O! Thou Jewel in the Lotus, O!), a devout aspiration which, in a slightly altered form, will be familiar to readers of Sir Edwin Arnold's "Light of Asia."

Ever since the days of Marco Polo, who entered Thibet in the fifteenth century as the envoy of Venice, Thibet has been famed as the nursery of East-

one played some monkey trick on another.

"Again there came a change. The solemn chanting ceased, and then rushed on the scene a crowd of wan shapes, almost naked, with but a few dark rags about them, as if they were shivering with cold. They wrung their hands despairingly and rushed about in a confused way, as if lost, starting from each other in terror when they met, sometimes feeling about them with their outstretched hands like blind men, and all the while whistling in long drawn notes which rose and fell like a strong wind on the hills.

The sudden onrushing of these wildly whistling shapes occurred at frequent intervals during the ceremony. The change from one phase of this curious mummery to another was always startling abrupt. One never knew when some peaceful anthem and stately dance of holy figures would be suddenly interrupted by the clashing discord of cymbals and trumpets and the whirling torrent of shrieking fiends.

"At one period of the ceremony a holy man with an Archbishop's miter on his head advanced, to the beautiful chanting of men and boys, the basses, trebles, and tenors taking successive parts in solo and chorus. \* \* \* This holy man blessed a goblet of water by laying his hands on it and intoning some prayer or charm. Then he sprinkled the water in all directions, and the defeated demons staid their shrieking, dancing, and infernal music and gradually crept out of the arena, and no sound was heard for a time but the sweet singing of the holy choir."

## BREAKS FORCE OF THE WAVES.

Matresses are Strung Together to Protect Ocean Beaches.

At many of the favorite seaside summer resorts in this country the beaches are from time to time ravaged by wild storms, and hitherto no adequate method of protecting them against such onslaughts has been discovered. As a result the cottagers may awake any morning and find that the pleasant strand on which they strolled during the previous evening has, during the night, been eaten away by the hungry waves. Now, however, an ingenious inventor has devised a method for the protection of such beaches, a method which, he is confident, will prove effective. It consists of a number of matresses, which are formed of fibrous material and which are held together by means of warps and bars. The matresses, thus connected, are laid on the beach, the warps and bars being placed in such a manner that the long, fibrous covering is kept stiff and immovable. As a further safeguard, however, stronger fastenings are placed here and there, and by means of these the matresses are anchored firmly to the beach. The matresses are arranged lengthwise in the direction of the current, and the warps and bars are arranged diagonally. The object is to break the force of the waves and prevent them from wreaking their full fury on the beach. Experiments, it is said, prove that a protection of this kind is useful for such a purpose.

## A Revered Victualer

Few publicans take as much interest in the welfare of their clients as does Mrs. Mary Lee of the Beehive, White Waltham, near Maidenhead, England, who is the oldest licensed victualer in Berks, and who recently celebrated her jubilee as a dispenser of ale. As long as her strength and eyesight permitted, it was her habit every Sunday evening to carry her ponderous family Bible into the taproom, place it reverently on the table, the visitors making room for it by pushing their beer-jugs to one side, and to read a chapter to the assembled company, who always uncovered while the sacred book was in the apartment. The frequenters of the Beehive greatly respected the old lady for her efforts to give them moral instruction, and although her occasional comments might not commend themselves to the followers of what is called the higher criticism, they were homely and to the point. Mrs. Lee also displays in the taproom a notice intimating that any one using impolite language or singing songs of a risky tendency, would be promptly expelled. Altogether, the venerable lady seems to be a model licensed victualer.

## Iron Scarce in Philippines.

Iron, we are told, is wanted in the Philippines for the manufacture of tools, farming implements, building trimmings, weapons, and hundreds of other articles. The wheelwrights are looking everywhere for iron with which to repair and construct vehicles. The mining engineers are paying large sums of money for pieces of old iron for use in the various mining enterprises, says Cassier's Magazine. Owners of sugar cane crushing machinery, proprietors of machine shops, and shipbuilders are offering all sorts of prices for iron, steel, and other metals. Yet it is almost an impossibility to buy iron in the islands. Native machine workers produce hundreds of different kinds of metal implements and parts of machinery from old vehicle springs and wagon tires.

## Potato Yield per Acre.

The average yield of potatoes in the United States is about 100 bushels to the acre. Under half-way decent treatment this average could easily be made 200 bushels.

## Not On Honor's Roll.

Lots of men who imagine they are public spirited citizens will not bear their names announced when the roll of honor is called.

# The G. A. R. at CLEVELAND



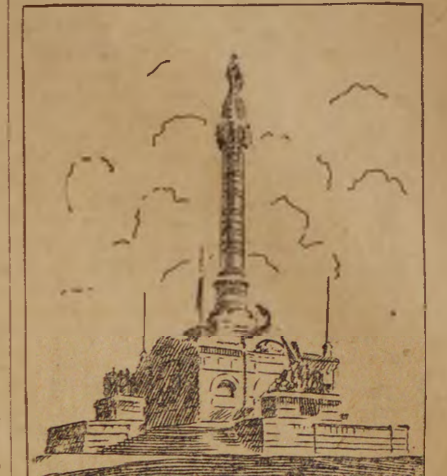
The national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, at Cleveland, will undoubtedly mark the climax in gatherings of the bronzed, aged and battle-scarred veterans of the civil war. It brings together scores of old soldiers, many of whom will not be on hand for another encampment. Those who have outlived the awful vicissitudes of their campaigns, however, and have enjoyed the calm of industrial and business life since their campaigns closed, will be there in surprising numbers. Those whose means or opportunities do not permit them to attend the gathering of their comrades will be there in spirit and sympathy.

Depleted numbers, the advanced age and accumulating infirmities of those who survive, the disappearances of

perfecting a veterans' organization. The first post was formed at Decatur, Ill., on the evening of April 6, 1863, and this, with two posts established at Springfield, adopted the principles which have been the cardinal doctrines of the organization. Ever since the first national convention in 1866—the annual gatherings were not officially styled "encampments" until the following year—the Grand Army has played an important role in the history of the nation. It has done much for the relief of its own members. It has done much for charity, and it should not be forgotten that in several instances this charity—notably during the times of the Mississippi valley yellow fever outbreaks and the Charlestown earthquake—was directed to the relief of former enemies. But most of all it has been a beneficial factor in keeping alive the sentiments of loyalty and patriotism.

Such an organization is without parallel among the societies of war

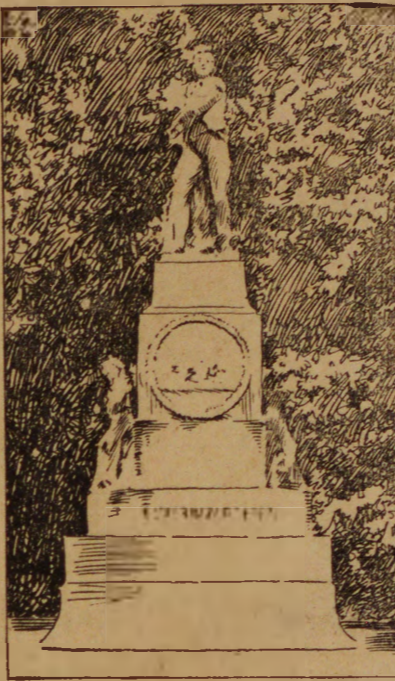
readers of history fully comprehend the magnitude of the civil war, the wonderful courage it revealed and the intensity of the feeling which gave thousands of men year after year to the battlefield. The veterans alone are able to appreciate just what patient courage and endurance were necessary to live through the years of the rebellion. Considering the nature of that experience it is not surprising that the bond among the veterans should be strong. Their reunions commemorate events which loom large in the world's history. It is the memory



SOLDIER MONUMENT.

of these things, and in the reflection that the Grand Army must dwindle with saddening rapidity, that the people take pleasure in doing honor to the old soldiers.

A Splendid Selection. Cleveland has been making ample



PERRY STATUE.

posts by the death of members, will end in the not distant future the history of the grand army—an organization that has had a career that stamps it as unique in itself, without reference to the exceptional nature of the great events from which it took its rise. Held together entirely by community of sentiment and a spirit of mutual helpfulness, its existence has been a perpetual reminder of the strength of the bonds and the intensity of the patriotic spirit which united the men engaged in the war.

## First G. A. R. Post.

The Grand Army of the Republic has had a life of about thirty-five years. The war was over and the re-united nation was just beginning to take up the work of peace when the first post was formed. The origin of the order is traced to a meeting of veterans at Springfield, Ill., during the winter of 1865-66, when Dr. F. B. Stephenson who was a surgeon in the Fourteenth Illinois Infantry, took the initiative in



CENTRAL ARMORY, CLEVELAND.

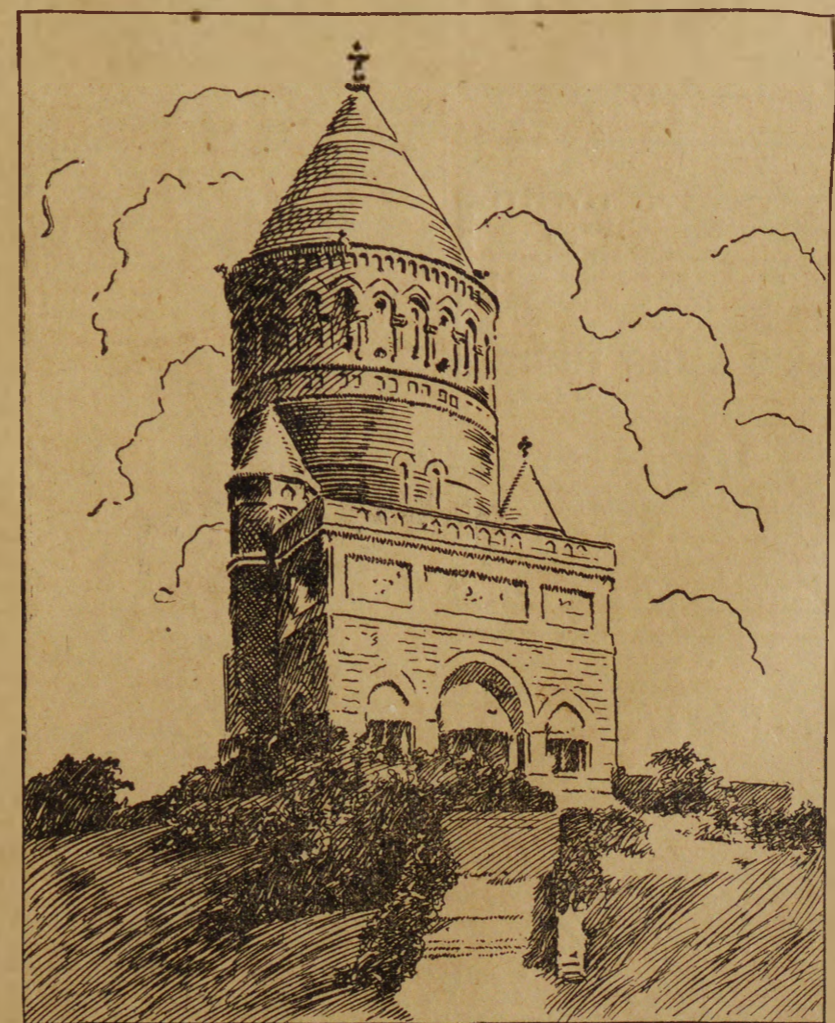
veterans the world over. It has no predecessor and it cannot have a successor. It sprang from conditions which are not likely to repeat themselves in any country or at any time. It is doubtful if many of the casual

preparations for the entertainment of the old soldiers, and as they arrive they will find the latch-string out and the glad hand of welcome extended. More than 300,000 visitors are expected to be in the encampment city during the week, and it is the aim of the citizens of Cleveland to make it a red-letter event in the history of the town. Free quarters have been provided for from 25,000 to 30,000 veterans in school houses and halls, similar to the plan adopted by Chicago, and which worked so successfully last year.

The Forest City is a place of armories and monuments, and has many points of historic interest. Foremost among these is the tomb of the late President Garfield, whose home was in Mentor, only twenty-four miles from Cleveland. The mausoleum is located in Lake View cemetery, on a high piece of ground, and is the Mecca of many visitors to the city. The statue of Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry, the hero of the battle of Lake Erie in the war of 1812, was dedicated September 10, 1860, the anniversary of Perry's great victory. Some years ago it was removed from the public square, where it had been originally placed, and taken to a beautiful spot in Wade park, where it now stands.

In the very heart of the business section of the city stands one of the grandest soldiers' monuments in the United States. Within its walls are relics of wars and the names of departed heroes chiseled in the marble surroundings. This monument will no doubt be one of the greatest attractions at the encampment and will doubtless be visited by every veteran in attendance.

Located but two blocks from the public square is the Central armory, a large and magnificent building, where campfires by the veterans will be held. It will also be a principal headquarters for the Grand Army.



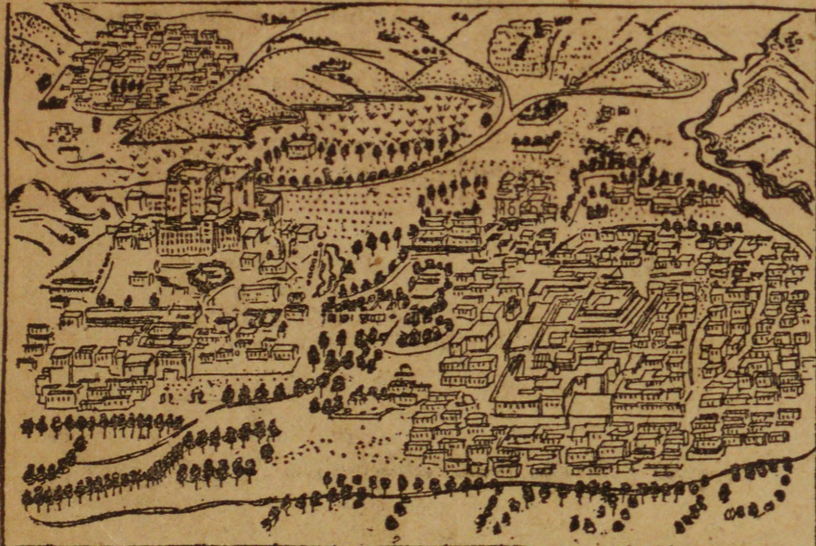
THE GARFIELD MONUMENT.

## Notes of the G. A. R. Encampment.

The only national W. R. C. home in America is located at Madison, thirty-five miles east of Cleveland. The national meeting of the W. R. C. has never before been held within 150 miles of this institution inhabited by heroes of the civil war, and many members of the W. R. C. who go to Cleveland will no doubt avail themselves of the opportunity to visit the home. Special trains will be run for the convenience of visitors to the institution.

The great breathing place of Cleveland—its public square—has been made the court of honor, which will be radiant with the glow of electric lights at night and resplendent with the national colors, Grand Army emblems and flowers. Illuminated and decorated arches will be scattered throughout the square. The soldiers' monument will also be illuminated with clusters of electric lights. In other parts of the city handsome day and night decorations have been prepared.

Among the many reunions in connection with the encampment will be those of the Michigan Cavalry brigade, First Vermont and Twenty-fifth New York Cavalry regiments and the Fifth New York Heavy Artillery. The president of the Michigan Cavalry Brigade is Gen. James H. Kidd, of Ionia. Another reunion will be that of the first brigade, third division, twentieth army corps, at one time commanded by Benjamin Harrison, afterwards elected president.



ONLY AUTHENTIC PICTURE OF LHASA, "THE FORBIDDEN CITY." (From a sketch by a native artist.)

east by China proper, on the south by the almost impassable Himalaya Mountains, and on the west by Kashmir. The mountain range on the south separates Thibet from British India, and Eastern Turkestan separates it from Russia. The country, which became subject to China early in the seventeenth century, contains the sources of the Yang-tse-Kiang, the Indus, and other large rivers, and the country is for the most part a high tableland.

The reasons why Thibet should be called "The Unknown Land" have been reinforced and more vividly impressed upon the Western mind within the last two years by the bloodcurdling narrative of torture which was brought back to his government by Savage Landor in 1899. Mr. Landor's experiences also serve to remind the world at large that, unlike any other country, even in Asia, at the present day, Thibet is under what may be said to correspond in some fashion to the Christian idea of theocracy—a government in which the religious hierarchy also wields despotic temporal power. Such as it is, the religion of the country is the prime motive of all its life, whether for good or evil. "I have lounged through Asia Minor, lived in almost every country in Europe, ransacked India from Comorin to the Himalayas, and become fairly well acquainted with China," said a veteran Scotch traveler, "but nowhere in the world have I seen a people so wrapped up in what they considered to be religion as in Thibet." This religion, with the always necessary Asiatic exception of certain Mohammedans in the western parts, is a highly idolatrous corruption of Buddhism. But, in order to get a reasonably lively conception of the peculiarities and the intensity of Thibetan Buddhism, some idea of the country itself is necessary.

The bulk of Thibet is the Chang, or Great Thibetan Plateau, the highest, as well as the largest, tableland on the earth. As to area, it occupies all the central and northern and most of the western sections of the country. An idea of its elevation may best be obtained from the statement of Captain Hamilton Bower, one of the most highly regarded of recent authorities, "from the end of June until the middle of November the average altitudes of our camps was over 16,000 feet, the lowest being 14,627, and the highest

ern magic. Marco Polo tells in his book of travels weird stories of magic wrought before his eyes and those of his companions at the table of a personage whom he calls the Kham. It was Marco Polo, too, who told of the "ladder trick" and so earned for himself the reputation of a splendid liar through twenty generations, until, early in the nineteenth century, the same ladder trick was performed again and again in India and was circumstantially recorded by Dr. Norman McLeod. Psychologists of a material bent explain many of these marvels nowadays by hypnotic suggestion, but many Western followers of Buddhist occultism still associate Thibet with the great Mahatmas. How far the sublimely intellectual cult of Gautama's stricter followers corresponds with the religion of the Thibetans may, perhaps, be gathered from Mr. Knight's account of the ceremonies which he was fortunate enough to witness at Himis. One of the most striking features of the whole day's celebration was its remarkable resemblance here and there to the ancient ceremonial of the Catholic Church, a resemblance which has led many pious persons, since Marco Polo's first account, to trace in these proceedings the handiwork of Satan. It is also curious to notice the close parallelism between this and the extant accounts of some of the graver "miracle plays" of medieval Europe.

After a long account of the preliminaries Mr. Knight proceeds:

"Under a canopy borne by attendants walked a tall form in beautiful silk robes, wearing a large mark representing a benign and peaceful face. As he advanced men and boys, dressed as abbots and acolytes of the Church of Rome, prostrated themselves before him, and adored him with intoning and pleasing chanting. He was followed by six other marks, who were treated with similar respect. These seven deified beings drew themselves in a line \* \* \* and received the adoration of several processions of masked figures, some of abbots, and others bearded, or having the faces of devils. \* \* \* Throughout the day, even during the above solemn act of worship, certain Yamas, masked as comic devils, performed all manner of buffoonery, \* \* \* bursting into peals of insane laughter each time that

### UNIQUE UNION PACIFIC EXCURSION.

The Delightful Scenery Afforded by a Trolley Ride Across the Rockies.

A unique excursion was recently arranged by the Union Pacific Railroad company. About sixty newspaper men, representing the leading metropolitan journals of the country, were invited to meet at the Brown Palace Hotel, Denver, Colo., for a trip on the Wyoming division, "The Overland Route," for the purpose of viewing the stupendous engineering achievements recently made on that line.

The train was made up of two private cars, three Pullman palace sleepers, a dining car, drawn by one of the new compound engines, with an observation car—constructed on the same plan as a trolley car—ahead of the engine.

No more striking example is afforded of the progress of today than the gigantic undertaking of the Union Pacific.

One hundred and fifty-eight and four-tenths miles of new track laid, reducing the mileage between Omaha and Ogden by 30.47 miles, and reducing gradients which varied from 45.4 to 97.68 feet to the mile to a maximum of 43.3 feet, and curves from 6 to 4 degrees, while a great deal of bad curvature has been eliminated entirely.

A mountain removed and lost into a chasm; huge holes bored hundreds of feet through solid granite; an underground river encountered and overcome; an army of men, with all sorts of mechanical aids, engaged in the work for nearly a year; the great Union Pacific track between Omaha and Ogden made shorter, heavy grades eliminated, old scenery changed for new, and the business of the great Overland route flowing through a new channel, without the slightest interruption.

Millions of money have been spent to reduce the grades and shorten the distance.

This reduction is the result of straightening unnecessary curves, and the construction of several cutoffs between Buford and Bear river, Utah. Buford is on the eastern slope of the Black Hills, 545 miles west of Council Bluffs and twenty-seven miles west of Cheyenne. The cutoffs required the construction of 158 miles, of which 29.63 miles are between Buford and Hutton, saving 3.11 miles; 3.9 miles on the Laramie plains between Cooper's Lake and Lookout, saving 25 of a mile; 25.94 miles between Lookout and Medicine Bow, still further west, saving 12.03 miles; 8.15 miles between Allen Junction and Dana, saving 3.87 miles; 42.83 miles between Rawlins and Tipton, saving 1.44 miles; 10.64 miles between Green River and Bryan, saving .45 of a mile, and 21.56 miles between Leroy and Bear River, saving 9.56 miles.

The curvature saved is about one-half, the grading about the same, while the angles are reduced nearly two-thirds.

The superiority of these changes is apparent to the practical railroad engineer. It is also apparent to the operating department in the reduction in operating expenses, and to the traveler in the increased speed the trains can make. The change in alignment of the line is marked. West of Buford the track ran northward to the Ames monument, near Sherman, and then took a sharp turn to the southwest over Dale creek, crossing it by a bridge 135 feet high—an elevation trying to the nerves—and from thence due north to Laramie. The new line runs due west from Buford, avoiding the high hills and eighty-eight-foot grade from Cheyenne, and piercing through cuts and the big tunnel, crosses the Black Hills at a grade of less than one-half (43.3 feet) over mountain altitudes. From Leroy the country is literally a coal bed. Here the new line makes another reduction and enters the Bear river valley on an easy grade.

From a constructive standpoint the line is remarkable for the amount of material required in the construction of immense embankments and the building of large tunnels through solid rock. The construction of the new line between Buford and Laramie alone has involved the excavation of 500,000 cubic yards of material, one-third of which (exclusive of the tunnel excavation) has been solid rock, or something over 160,000 cubic yards per mile.

Some of the embankments of the new roadbed have been remarkable for their height and the large quantities of material to construct the same over seemingly short distances. The two most difficult embankments were at Dale creek, southwest of Sherman, and across the Sherman branch of the Lone Tree creek, southeast of Sherman. The embankment at the crossing of Dale creek is 120 feet high, 900 feet long, and involved the handling of 500,000 cubic yards. At the crossing of the Sherman branch of Lone Tree creek the embankment is 125 feet high at its point of greatest height and involved the handling of over 290,000 cubic yards.

Too much credit for this work cannot be given to Horace G. Burt, president of the Union Pacific railroad, for boldness of conception of these improvements; for ability to convince the company of the wisdom of the outlay, and following the necessary appropriation by the company, for the execution of the work in a phenomenally short time. Deputizing his lieutenants, Mr. E. Dickinson, general manager, and Mr. J. B. Berry, chief engineer, to commence and complete the work, under their direction the contractors assembled a large army of laborers and gathered a vast array of modern machinery, much of which was used for the first time in railroad building. Thus, without stopping for a day the ceaseless flow of an enormous traffic, the Union Pacific officials in less than two years completed a great work which ordinarily would have required five years.

The excursion was replete with many interesting incidents, and the splendid hospitality of the Union Pacific officials was a revelation. The newspaper men evinced their appreciation in many ways, particularly in a resolution of thanks to the Union Pacific officials. Messrs. Lomax, Darlow, Park and Griffin, while the train was stopping near the Devil's Slide in picturesque Weber canyon.

### CAMPS FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

New Cold Weather Treatment to Be Inaugurated in Boston.

As soon as the weather will permit and proper locations can be selected there will be pitched near Boston the first of a number of camps for consumptives. This camp will consist of ten piano-box tents, arranged in a circle with an open-air fire in the center and surrounded by a duck wall eight feet high. Each of these tents will be a consumptive home; a consumptive will sleep there, even through the coldest weather, with no other protection than plenty of felt blankets, felt sleeping boots and a two-gallon jug of hot water. The tents are only seven feet high, with four-foot walls, boxed in around the bottom a foot from the ground. The people who live there will wear one heavy suit night and day. They will each take one quick soapless bath a week and will eat three good hearty meals a day, with coffee in the morning and hot chocolate any time of the day or night. Their bill of fare will include milk, eggs, vegetables, bread and butter and meat, chiefly beef, mutton or pork. This open life is expected to cure the occupants of their disease. The method is the result of experiments made last winter in a tent on Huntington avenue.

### GENERAL MEAD IS NO MORE.

Veteran Dies of Consumption After a Lingering Illness.

General Fabius J. Mead, the warrior and friend of Grant, Logan and McClellan, died Monday night at his late residence in Chicago after a long illness. Death was caused by consumption, and for many months General Mead had been practically helpless and forced to remain in his bed. He entered the union army in 1861 in company B, McClellan's dragoons, known as McClellan's body guard. He served in the Virginia campaigns until the fall of Yorktown in 1862, when he was discharged on account of wounds. In October of that year he went to the front again as a member of company K, Fourth Illinois cavalry, and in that command he took part in all the campaigns of Grant. In 1865 he founded the Natchez (Miss.) Democrat, and the following year was appointed collector of the port of Natchez by President Johnson.

### Will Sell 500 Islands.

The number of islands in the St. Lawrence Thousand Island group to be placed upon the market by the dominion department of the interior numbers approximately 500. They are distributed over the river between Kingston and Brockville and range from five acres to two-one hundredths of an acre in extent. As soon as the plans of the islands and the conditions of sale are printed offers to buy will be received by the department. In the event of two or more applications for the same island the parties will be asked to tender and the property will be sold to the highest bidder. Only two islands will be sold to the same applicant.

### Four Killed, Three Injured.

An accident at the new bridge which the Southern Railway is constructing across the Congaree river near Columbia, S. C., caused the death of four men. One other was fatally and two more seriously injured. Two steel girders weighing fourteen tons each fell while being hoisted and pinned three of the men to the bridge. Four others were knocked into the river. The names of the dead are: S. J. Castleberry, Reuben Alston, Job Debits, Jim Reese. The injured: David Stiles, fatally; A. T. Thornton, seriously; Sam Willifred, seriously.

### Big Gusher Goes Wild.

Two men were killed and one of the largest oil gushers in the world went absolutely wild, utterly defying the mechanical skill of man to stop it. The famous oil fields at Beaumont, Tex., presented the possibility of a great calamity should fire join forces with the great gusher. James Smith died trying to shut off the gusher and John McDaniels died trying to save Smith. Both showed great heroism. The wild gusher is in the Hogg-Swayne syndicate tract. The well belongs to the Palestine-Beaumont Oil Company.

### Rear Admiral Boards His Return.

Rear Admiral L. A. Beardslee, retired, has arrived at San Francisco on the Hongkong Maru from the Orient. He has spent the past year in Japan and the Philippine Islands. Rear Admiral Beardslee is the last survivor of the famous Perry expeditions to Japan in 1853 and attended the recent unveiling of the monument to Commodore Perry at Yokohama, where he was accorded many honors by the Japanese authorities.

### Cuts Plate Glass Price.

The National Plate Glass Jobbers' association has made a reduction of 25 per cent in the prices of glazing quality of plate glass. This action was decided upon at New York owing to the unsettled condition of the European market, the low prices ruling abroad, and to check imports.

### Texas Will Not Take Checks.

All payments to the state of Texas must be made in cash hereafter, the state treasurer having announced that no more checks will be received by him. He gives as the reason for his action the fact that the \$558,000 that the state lost in the failure of the First National Bank of this city a few weeks ago was in the bank by reason of checks having been deposited there for collection. The new order will cause much inconvenience to persons at distant points who have to make payments on land and other accounts.

### NOT AS BAD AS THEY LOOKED.

Englishman's Use of a Word Made Him Seem Vulgar.

An unpublished episode of the late Matthew Arnold's visit to this country in 1883-4 is interesting in that it shows that, while many Americans show bad manners abroad, some Englishmen are equally guilty of a lack of them when away from home. In 1883-4 Matthew Arnold lectured in this country. He brought with him his daughter. At Baltimore they visited the family of the late Mr. Whittridge, a rich ship owner, to whom the Arnolds had been very polite in England. At the breakfast there were buckwheat cakes. In those days the buckwheat cake did not look as it does now. It was a thick, soggy, indigestible-looking mass, but it was good to the taste. A stranger, it can be said for the distinguished Englishman, was excusable for looking on it with suspicion. When the cakes were passed the daughter refused them. Mr. Arnold took one, to be polite, and found it good. So when they were again passed to his daughter he said: "You had better take some, daughter; they are not half so nasty as they look." An Englishman, in defending Mr. Arnold, said that he used the word as it is used in England, where it has not the same meaning as it has here.—New York Times.

### A Son's Devotion.

Wallace, Mich., August 26th:—A striking example of a man's dutiful and attentive care of his mother is seen in Mr. Oscar Swanson of this place. Mr. Swanson's mother has suffered much with Kidney and Urinal Trouble and Female Weakness. Her son has sought out and procured for her everything that he thought could possibly benefit her. She did not improve, till at last he bought her a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. In a few days she was completely cured, and her faithful son has the reward for his loving efforts, in the knowledge that she is now strong and well.

### A Russian Philanthropist.

The will of a Moscow capitalist, M. Solodovnikoff, bequeathing large sums for educational purposes, was recently approved by the Russian courts after a hard legal struggle. The relatives receive modest allowances. The remainder of the estate, estimated at \$10,710,000, is to be divided into three parts, of which two will form funds for the establishment of elementary and professional schools in the governments of Cologda, Archangel and Tyer, and the third will be devoted to the erection of workmen's dwellings in Moscow. The rent for each family is not to exceed about \$2.50 a month.

### A "Goodie" for the Afternoon Tea.

Here is a recipe for little chocolate biscuit that are nice for 5 o'clock tea: Melt half a pound of butter in a large basin over hot water and stir in gradually, in the following order, two beaten eggs, half a pound of white sifted sugar, two large tablespoonsful of cocoa and a pound of flour. Sprinkle over the whole a heaped teaspoonful of baking powder, roll out thin, cut into biscuits about the size of a wine glass and bake on a buttered tin in a quick oven about ten minutes.

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### Product of Southern Saw-Mill.

In 1880 the southern lumber mills had an output valued at \$28,176,000. In ten years this had advanced to \$105,575,819. Since then there has been a steady increase in production, until today it may be conservatively estimated that the value of the output, including the material used for crossties, fuel and fencing, and the naval stores by products, is between \$325,000,000 and \$350,000,000.

### Ban on Music.

Paris and Limoges both have laws which the brain workers of many British towns will deeply envy. In Paris no street music is allowed after 9 o'clock in the summer and 6 in the winter, while in Limoges bells must not be rung before 6 in winter or 5 on summer mornings.

Irving Bacheller's second great story, entitled "Dri and I" is a border tale of the war of 1812 and the scenes are laid in the same north country which was depicted in "Eben Holden," extending, however, beyond this to the French domain in Canada. Its appearance in serial form has called forth the highest praise of representative criticism and there is no doubt but that Mr. Bacheller has created in "Dri" another character equally interesting with his famous "Uncle Eb." The story is full of action and is drawn with a skillful appreciation of the three types represented, French, English and American. About sixty thousand copies have already been sold, with three weeks remaining before the date of publication.

### Do you like Mrs. Austin's new dress?

The twelve railway companies of England and Wales employ between them 312,000 men. The Scotch and Irish companies employ 40,000 men between them.

Alaska has the smallest population of any possession of the United States.

### The Talcott Girls.

A young minister, recently settled over a Massachusetts parish, has already learned the lesson that age is not a positive but a comparative term. His parishioners are scattered over a large area, and he has not yet seen them all, although he has made as many calls as his other duties permit. His round brought him one day to the house of a little old lady who was nearly eighty-five and bedridden. She was delighted to see him, and when he rose to go, after a long call, she told him how much pleasure he had given her. "Now I want you to go to see the girls," she said, earnestly, "the Talcott girls. They were up here a few days ago, and they're looking forward to a call from you. Living alone as they do, since their ma and pa died, they have some pretty lonesome times, and they set a great deal by callers." "I certainly will try to go there soon," said the young minister, and when he met one of the deacons of the church on his way home he spoke of the old lady's request. "I think I don't know the girls by sight," said the young man, "but I didn't wish to hurt the old lady's feelings by saying so. Where do they sit?" The deacon smiled. "In the last pew but one in the gallery," he said. "But I hardly think you would recognize them as girls. Miss Emily is sixty-one and Miss Frances sixty-three, according to the records."—Youths' Companion.

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As a remedy for red hands, rub this paste on them at night and wear loose gloves: Beat together one ounce of clear honey, an ounce of almond oil, the juice of a lemon, and the yolk of a raw egg.

Lame back makes a young man feel old. Wizard Oil makes an old man feel young. See your druggist.

Sarcasm never hurts much unless it confines itself to the limits of truth.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. SAMUEL, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

A cemetery for dogs has now been established in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

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Here and There

Trees are queer things. In summer they wear all their clothes and in winter they keep them in their trunks.

Rev. Sunday will commence a series of revival meetings at the Methodist church in Belvidere about the first of October.

A number Dowietts were driven to cover at Belvidere last Friday evening when they attempted to make a street demonstration.

The police of Belvidere last Friday arrested five men for throwing dice for money. They were each brought before the magistrate and fined.

Among the articles to be disposed of at an agricultural sale in Missouri is "a cow giving milk, three tons of hay and several stoves." Quite a cow.

An Iowa woman has named her twin daughters Gasoline and Kerosene. The old man's name is probably Peteroleum. The man who marries into the family will strike oil. We hope the babies grow up a para-fine girls.

A young lady of very extraordinary capacity lately addressed the following letter to her cousin: "We is all well; and mother's got his Terrix; brother Tom is got the Hupin Kaugh; and sister Anna has got a babe; and I hope these lines will find you the same. Rite suns. Your aphectionate kuzzen."

A Frenchman boasting in company that he had thoroughly mastered the English language, was asked to write the following dictation: "As Hugh Hughes was hewing a yule-log from a yew tree, a man dressed in clothes of a dark hue, came up to Hugh and said: 'Have you seen my ewes? If you will wait until I hew this yew, I will go with you anywhere in Europe to look for your ewes.'"

Little Johnny Streeter who had only seen four short summers, was very naughty one afternoon and his mamma whipped him. Johnny was very much offended with her for this mode of procedure, and treated her with the strictest silence for the remainder of the day eating his supper without deigning to notice her in any way. When his bedtime came she called him in and undressed him for bed, he still maintaining much dignity. He knelt down, as was his custom, to say his "Now I lay me down to sleep," and after asking God to bless his papa, grandpa, grandma, aunt and even the servant girl, he turned to his mother and said with emphasis, "You ain't in it."

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The buildings newly painted and the grounds cleared of old rubbish that has accumulated since a year ago, make this one of the most beautiful parks in the state.

A large list of attractions has been procured for this year, among the number being a ball game on Wednesday between Somanauk and Hinckley; music by the Union Band on Wednesday and Thursday. Wednesday is children's day. All children under twelve years of age will be admitted free. Then there is the 2:40 trot, 2:30 pace and a running race. On Thursday is the free-for-all and 2:30 trots and 2:18 pace. On Friday Prof. Heda's Aurora Band will furnish music. There will be a ball game between Aurora and Sycamore. The directors expect to have Captain A. D. Anson to umpire the game. A special train will run from Aurora, leaving at 9:30 a. m. and returning after the races. In the speed ring is the 2:20 trot, the free for all and 2:24 pacing classes.

Colored Jubilee Singers every day between heats of races, and other parts around, Gaa and Bros.' Orchestra in ball daily. Balloon ascension. Balloons drop each day at 4 p. m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. A wet will be held until fish. They caught cat-fish that was a sensation to those who saw them.

Correspondence

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

KINGSTON KINKS.

School begins Monday. John Merrill Sundayed in Genoa.

Joe Dorsey is visiting in Chicago this week.

John Helsdon, Sr. was in Kirkland Sunday.

Lillie Ball was a passenger to Genoa Sunday.

James Strong was over from Belvidere Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Parker is the guest of Belvidere relatives.

Will Winchester of Sycamore spent Friday with friends here.

James Brown and Dr. Mordoff were over from Genoa Saturday.

George Howe visited with his family at Sycamore over Sunday.

J. H. Uplinger transacted business in DeKalb, Thursday of last week.

Frank Countryman and Will Steyens were over from Herbert Sunday.

Ethel Uplinger returned to her home in Sherburne, Minn., Friday evening.

Mrs. Edythe Drumm of Bedford Iowa is the guest of friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Floyd Rowen was the guest of Belvidere relatives the latter part of last week.

Byron Munn and family drove over from Kirkland Sunday, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. John Moore and daughter, Lucile, visited with Belvidere relatives the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Charles Arbuckle of Bedford, Iowa is the guest of numerous friends and relatives here this week.

I. A. McCollom purchased the horse sold at auction on Main street Saturday. The price was \$15.50

Among those who received badges at Camp Epworth last week for being christians for fifty years, were Captain J. W. Foster and wife and Mrs. August Fuller.

Among those who will attend school in neighboring cities this year are; Charles Brainard at Belvidere and the Misses Esther and Polly Branch at Sycamore, the school beginning at both places next week.

SYCAMORE.

Walter Lovell has been on the sick list.

Mayor Branan made a business trip to Malta Tuesday.

Miss Grace Crosby left Tuesday for a trip in the east.

Mrs. A. F. Self of DeKalb was visiting her parents here Wednesday.

Miss Juliet Anderson of Chicago is visiting her sister Mrs. Gus Johnson.

Paul Churchill and J. Whittemore went to Koshkonong Lake last week.

Mr. Underwood and daughter is visiting the former's mother in Pittsburg, Pa.

Miss Carrie Watson has accepted the position as science teacher in the Elgin schools.

Mrs. Susan Divine of Ann Arbor, Michigan is visiting at the home of Dr. O. H. Smith.

Mrs. Whitright and son of Genoa have been visiting at the home of Dr. A. D. Blagden.

Mrs. Ralph Wilkinson and Mrs. Robert Graham returned last Saturday from a six weeks visit in California.

The theatrical season was opened here last Thursday evening by Raymond's "Old Arkansas." The house was well filled.

Charles Tewksbury and Miss Lida E. Johnson, both of this city were united in marriage Wednesday forenoon, by Rev. A. T. Horn at DeKalb. They will make their home here.

Norman Rapalee and H. E. Westgate went on a fishing excursion to Byron Saturday and returned well laden with fish. They caught cat-fish that was a sensation to those who saw them.

NEW LEBANON NEWS.

Mrs. Spansall was in Elgin Wednesday.

Edward Spansall was in Genoa Sunday.

Wm. Coon was an Elgin visitor Monday.

E. O. Gustafson went to Elgin Sunday.

John Danielson did business at Genoa Thursday.

L. S. Ellithorpe was in Hampshire Thursday.

Ben VanDusen of Burlington was a caller here Sunday.

Charles Reiser and Joe Du noln were in Genoa Monday.

John Danielson and son Harold were in Hampshire Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Suhr and Miss Minnie Awe visited in Elgin Thursday.

J. H. Moore and wife attended camp meeting at Epworth park Sunday.

Mrs. Alexander and Miss Mabel Adgate were shopping in Hampshire Friday.

Mrs. Joseph Lehman of Elgin visited Mrs. Joseph Dumolin a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cummings gave the young folks quite an enjoyable party Friday evening.

Gus Anderson was in Genoa Saturday evening and brought a brand new buggy home with him.

H. R. Lord came out from Elgin last Tuesday returning Wednesday. He expects to make his home in Elgin.

Ed. Wiede moved his household goods, which were stored in his house here, to Arlington Heights, Wednesday.

Uncle John Kanies and son John, of Chicago, and Louis Kanies of Hampshire, are visiting George Kanies and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peckham gave a farewell dance to the young folks Monday night. Mr. Peckham moved his family to Hampshire Tuesday. He and his son John will leave in a few days for Yucca, Arizona, where they have positions with the Santa Fe Railway.

W. F. Boland, formerly of this place, is now road master for the Santa Fe at Needles, California, and it was through him that the Mr. Peckhams secured their positions.

OLD RILEY.

A number of our young men are intending to attend the Rockford Business College this winter.

Earl Brotzman was at home over Sunday and attended camp meeting.

Riley was well represented at the Camp Epworth meetings, Sunday.

Thos. Ratfield returned from Pipe stone, Minnesota, Saturday. He reports fine weather there.

D. J. Seanor is putting in a new cistern this week. Mr. Collins, of Elgin, is doing the work.

Mrs. James Courson went to Kansas last week to attend the funeral of her father, L. Whitney, who was well and favorably known in and around Riley.

Mrs. Carrie St John visited her sister, Mrs. Grant Anthony, at Garden Prairie, last week.

Mrs. Dell Sears, of Marengo, visited at Frank Fellows' Sunday.

Fred Whiteman and Will Ratfield were Marengo callers Saturday evening.

Another of our young men sports a new buggy. Oh! But the girls will smile now: Zuddle.

Max Burrow did business in Marengo, Monday.

COLVIN PARK.

Miss Alma Cupp, who has been visiting her parents, returned last Thursday and her sister came with her.

C. F. and Fred Oilman were called to Rockford Monday on business.

H. Hagen and wife and Mrs. C. W. Smith were visiting near Sycamore Sunday.

J. Schwelke has purchased a new buggy from E. S. Powell.

Mrs. Babler, Miss Kobl and Miss Stray were Belvidere callers Thursday.

Chas. Cole has purchased a fine new, rubber tire buggy. Now look out girls, 'Charlie' is coming.

Joe Britton, of Iowa, was seen walking on our streets one day last week. He met with an accident which will lay him up from farm work for some time. He left Saturday for Wisconsin where he expects to remain until he recovers.

Will Konecke and wife are both on the sick list.

COURT HOUSE NOTES.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Eliza Henderson to J. P. Henderson, part sec 26, Victor. \$1500.

Anna Fowler to W. H. Allen, west 29 1/2 feet lot 1 block 39, DeKalb. \$1600.

S. T. Taylor, by heirs to J. S. Rhinehart, lots 28, 29 and 30 block 6, Taylors DeKalb. \$500.

W. L. Ellwood to Elizabeth Walrod east 55 feet lot 5 block H. I. L. Ellwoods DeKalb. \$800.

Rosetta J. Dresser to Cora E. Starr, part Pays assessors lot, DeKalb. \$65.

Charlotte E. Hurt to W. L. Ellwood, lot 6 block 6, W. L. Ellwoods, DeKalb. \$1800.

G. C. Rowen to Nathaniel Adams, lot 5 block 6 Citizens Genoa. \$100

Nathaniel Adams to Herman Frazer, lot 5 block 6 Citizens, Genoa. \$125.

Ella L. Mercer to C. F. Heeg west 1/2 lot 4, lot 5' and east 1/2 lot 6, block 26, Shabbona. \$2250.

Jeremiah Miller to Austin Miller, part sec 4, 4, South Grove. \$6000.

W. E. Ahern and E. E. Humiston to C. F. Sedgwick, east 1/2 lots 1, 2 and 3 block 9, Sedgwick's, Sandwich. \$500.

F. A. Lakin to G. H. Mahan, lot 3 block 7, Sandwich. \$600.

N. J. Applebee to E. W. Applebee, north 102 acres nw 1/4 sec 1, Milan. \$1.

Phillip Heckman to Henry McGinnis part lot 17 sec 16, Kingston. \$50.

W. M. McDonald to Henry McGinnis part lot 17 sec 16, Kingston. \$87.

C. F. Heeg to Ella L. Mercer, west 1/2 lot 3 and east 1/2 lot 4 block 26, Shabbona. \$850.

PROBATE COURT

Estates of: Jonas Johnson. Accounts allowed as follows: Brown & Brown, \$60 25; Wiswall & Writs, \$164.75; S. J. Shoop, \$12.

Jane Robbins. Albert Frederick's account of \$21.50 and Nowack & Kohl's account of \$14.50 allowed.

Edmond Bliss. Inventory.

Joseph Paulson, Lutheran Augustons Book concern's account of \$4.95 allowed.

Emil Erickson. Inventory.

J. A. Erickson. Inventory.

L. M. Hoyt Will set for hearing September 10

D. P. Ball. Will admitted to probate and letters issued to D. W. Ball; bond \$1600; proof of heirship.

Mary A. Boruff. Nina Lambert's account of \$72 set for hearing September 10 at 9 o'clock a. m.

J. P. Peterson. Proof of heirship.

E. A. Porter. Will set for hearing October 1st.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

C. A. VanAmburg, Cortland, 27.

Katherine Gau, Cortland, 37.

I. W. Fisher, DeKalb, 21.

Maude F. Anderson, DeKalb, 19.

O. F. Lawson, Rochelle, 24.

Myrtle C. Pool, Rochelle, 22.

TALK OF REV. FARMILOE

As a Possible Successor to Presiding Elder Hardin.

An interesting topic of discussion at the Methodist campmeeting is the probable successor to Presiding Elder F. A. Hardin. The appointment is in the hands of Bishops McCabe and Merrill and of course no one knows what their decision will be.

The Rev. F. F. Farmiloe, pastor of Elgin's Grace church, is a possibility for the place. He is a strong and forceful man, has executive ability and is well known all over the district. He has a work to perform as pastor which may prevent his being chosen at this time. He is regarded as a possibility now and will doubtless occupy the position at some future time. -Courier, Elgin.

ElginButter Market.

Butter on the Elgin Board of trade last Monday was firm at 20 cents per pound. A considerable amount was sold at this figure.

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