



# ON THE TRAIL OF THE AMERICAN MISSIONARY

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## MYRIADS STARVING CHINESE SAVED BY MISSIONARIES.

Shanghai, China. — The whole world has heard of China's great famine, but there are no evidences, from this viewpoint, that the world knows of the connection of the missionaries therewith, which is an interesting story by itself, although it cannot be separated from the warp and woof of the tragic tale of this overwhelming calamity. By an interesting coincidence, just at the moment of Sir Ernest Satow's attack upon missionaries in China, the latter are silently answering his and kindred criticisms, and justifying their presence in the innumerable enigmatical country, by the lives of thousands, tens of thousands and hundreds of thousands of Chinese. I have returned from a tour of the famine-stricken provinces that is so remote from any other traveler had there before us; and I am glad to say that the presence of missionaries alone makes it possible for the world's relief to be advanced, and that were it not for these Americans most of the myriads of starving people would be permitted to perish.

**Missionaries to the Rescue.**  
Not all people in America clearly understand that there are practically no white men, except missionaries, living in China outside the treaty

ports. They have no right to reside or do business elsewhere. The foreigners in the interior, with the exception of a few working on concessions, are only missionaries. These latter are likewise practically the only ones who spend laborious years in learning the Chinese language; the foreign mercantile houses do business through English-speaking Chinese "shroffs" or "compradores." It is as true as most generalizations, to say that the missionaries alone among the foreigners understand the Chinese.

So it was, quite naturally, the missionaries who first called attention to the imminence of famine in Kiangpeh, or North River country. During the spring and summer heavy rains fell throughout Kiangpu and Anhwei provinces, and in the adjacent parts of Shantung and Honan provinces. The Yellow river overflowed its banks, as did the Grand canal and lesser streams, dikes breaking in many places. Since the land is at many points lower than the ancient canals, the country was a long time submerged.

Despite the floods, the missionaries continued to traverse their fields, one of them, at least, nearly losing his life by drowning. Miss Read, for example, of Antung, itinerated among the sufferers for six and seven miles at a time, in water above her waist, on one occasion she was barely out of a house before it collapsed. Native churches and native homes, both alike built of mud or of sun dried bricks, crumbled before the attacks of the waters. So before China herself knew that there was to be a famine, the missionaries were sending home their pleas to the religious papers. A missionary relief committee was first in the field, but it was later rendered unnecessary by the larger, stronger general committee at Shanghai, which soon had the missionaries who live in the district busily employed distributing its funds.

**The Unspeakable Chinese.**  
Christendom can never understand the Chinese, not even when it sees and callousness of his selfishness and materialism is simply beyond the telling. In sharp contrast with the activity of the missionaries in behalf of the homeless and the hungry was the indifference of the Chinese officials. At first they reported that there was no famine. Then they tried to minimize it. Then, when it became evident that relief funds were in sight, affording rich pickings to the rascals, they called the figures grossly. My investigation

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Last Monday in the office of one of these societies I saw three little children, aged perhaps 12, eight and four, apply for help. The two youngest were ashen with cold and hunger, and they were crying. A fat and greasy official drove them out with noisy imprecation. I asked him what ailed the wee one, which seemed to be suffering sorely. He said the children are homeless orphans, and that the one rag which covered this little one's shoulders was its only protection from the penetrating cold. Still it did not occur to him to help. Two missionaries were with me, and calling upon the children to follow, one of them led the way to his home, where he obtained some garments belonging to his own child and gave them to the little sufferer. The spectacle of three foreign men, and an old cooie, trying to dress that Chinese wail in the kilts country can scarcely realize that a nation should be indifferent over the impending death of 3,000,000 of its

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ed a Chinese execution, and were the center of a mob of many thousands, gathered to gloat over and fendishly enjoy the decapitation of criminals; and not so much as a hostile look did we receive, although a Chinese crowd is proverbially in its most dangerous mood at an execution.

All the missionaries in the afflicted area are absolutely unafraid; the only frightened one I met was a young southern Baptist at Chinkiang, which is an open port, with British police, and outside the famine belt; his sacredness has been a matter of jest among his fellow missionaries during the entire two years that he has been on the field. One of the mission jokes is his request to a naval officer to keep a warship at Chinkiang!

The ugly aspect of this situation, though, is that these officials who predict trouble have the power to make their own prophecies come true. If, before this article is printed, or later, trouble occurs in the famine field it will probably be directly due to the avaricious officials who, by obstructing the free movements of the missionaries, and by various other tactics, are hindering the work of relief, all with the object of securing a "squeeze" for themselves. But the Shanghai relief committee, and Consul-General Rodgers, representing the American Red Cross, are unyielding; relief funds may be distributed only by missionaries, and by Chinese who work under their oversight and direction. Moreover, they are frankly placing the responsibility on "the man higher up," thus involving Chinese "face," and if the officials do not soon cooperate in saving the lives of their own countrymen, they will at least give a clear track to the foreigners.

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## IN THE SUPERLATIVE DEGREE.

Little Son's Explanation Seemed to Cover the Case.

Little son, aged seven, whose training has been of the most painstaking and conscientious, rather took away his mother's breath in describing the dog's game of ball. He ended with: "And, mother, Topsy caught the ball in her mouth, and then just ran like h—!"

"Like what?" cried the startled mother.

"W'y, like h—, don't you know, mother?" innocently.

"No, I don't believe I do. Just how is that, dear?" she asked faintly.

"Well, I don't know jus' what it means, myself," he confessed, "but it's a whole lot faster than 'lickety-split!'"

## BRUTALITY OF MEDICAL ETHICS.

A Great Surgeon Barred from Membership in Medical Association.

(From the National Druggist for June, 1907.)

Dr. Augustus Charles Bernays, who died a few days ago in St. Louis, was, probably, the foremost surgeon in the United States. His fame was co-extensive with the civilized world. He was not only an operator of the highest order, but a tireless and exhaustive worker in the field of original surgery. He performed the first successful Caesarian section in 1839 in St. Louis, and also the first successful coelotomy for gunshot wound of the abdomen and the first gallstone operation in Missouri. A record held by Dr. Bernays has never been equaled: Out of eighty-one successive cases of appendicitis which necessitated operations, seventy-one in succession were with perfectly satisfactory results, the seventy-second patient failing of recovery, but the subsequent nine cases were successfully treated.

And yet, with such a record, matchless as was his skill, varied and extensive as was his learning, wonderful as were his accomplishments, he was not considered, by the American Medical Association, as worthy of membership in that organization.

No charges were ever brought against him which, in the remotest degree, reflected on his qualifications as a surgeon; his moral character was never the subject of attack; he was never accused of having done anything unbecoming a man or a gentleman. "The head and front of his offending had this extent—no more!" He dared to think! He refused to mold his opinions and to govern his actions by the arbitrary rules which those whom he knew to be his inferiors had set up for his guidance! In other words, he could not regard the Code of Ethics of the American Medical Association as being inspired, or having any binding authority on him where his judgment told him it was wrong. And so, twenty years ago or more, on account of some trivial infraction of this sacred "Code," a movement was started to expel him from the local association, which was only defeated by his hastily sending in the A. M. A. is dependent upon membership in the local and State societies, his name was dropped by the national organization.

And so, though he had saved thousands of lives; though other physicians had profited by his art; this brilliant surgeon; this great and able man, has, during all these years, been an outcast—a medical "scab"; not recognized as "ethical" or worthy of fellowship by that body of physicians banded together in the American Medical Association!

And this is the association which, under pretense of working for the public good, is, in reality, only seeking to control Congress and the State Legislatures in the interest of their own selfish schemes; which is trying to create a Cabinet position and to place one of its members in that position; which is endeavoring by law to exclude from the use of the mails, all manufacturers of medicines who do not comply with the absurd requirements that they choose to set up; which, in short, is trying to put upon the statute books of State and nation laws that will, in effect, establish a kind of medical priesthood, to which only their own members will be eligible with power and control over the health and lives of the people!

God help the druggists, the drug manufacturers, physicians not members of their guild, and the people generally, if this association ever succeeds in its undertaking. If it does, it will, after the fashion of the labor unions, dictate a "closed shop," and say to doctors who prefer to be independent, "You must join our union or, failing to do so, compel them to get out of the business. It will say that what medicines shall be taken, and how they shall be made. It will hedge the people about with a lot of petty regulations under pretense of protecting the public health. In fine, a medical bureaucracy will be established to tyrannize over the people.

Let no man call this a false alarm. If there are those who are inclined to do so, let them read the journal of the A. M. A. Let them scan the proceedings of the association, held always behind closed doors, and carefully edited, as they are, before they are submitted in its official organ. If they do this they will see that we are not exaggerating when we say that we are trying to create a bugaboo to terrify timid souls.

**Justice to Worker.**  
Beneficent Legislation Enacted by the General Assembly Due to the Tireless Work of the State's Chief Executive.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 2.—Legislation recommended to the general assembly by Gov. Charles S. Deneen would result in the saving of the lives of hundreds of workmen annually in the state of Illinois, the prevention of the maiming of thousands of others and would make provision for the support and education of the families of those killed and the maintenance through the period of their disability of those crippled through accidents growing out of the nature of their employment.

More comprehensive legislation for the benefit, protection and welfare of workmen was recommended by Gov. Deneen and urged by him, than has been recommended by the governor of any other state in the union at any time. That such legislation was not enacted into law was not the fault of Gov. Deneen. In season and out of season he urged on the members of the general assembly the passage of the bills desired by organized labor in the state. His personal friends in both branches of the legislature fought for these bills. Heads of departments appointed by the governor, pleaded for the bills with the members of the legislature. The legislative committee of the state federation of labor recognized the governor's efforts in behalf of the workmen and the almost incalculable value to the workmen of the bills urged by the governor.

**Important Measures Advocated.**  
Chief among the measures for the relief of wage-earners advocated by Gov. Deneen were bills for the establishment of a system of industrial insurance and the bill for the better protection of men and women employed in the handling of hazardous machinery. Every year in the state of Illinois thousands of workmen are killed or injured by avoidable and unnecessary accidents in the course of their employment. In the vast majority of such cases the family of the killed or disabled workman is left without means, the daily wages earned by the workman while in health being seldom more than sufficient to maintain the family from week to week. Death or accident deprives the family of this support, and leaves women and children by the thousand to want or the bitterness of public charity.

**Bills Protected Workers.**  
The two main bills recommended by Gov. Deneen would have remedied these sad conditions to a great extent. Investigation by competent authorities shows that three-fourths of the accidents in industrial occupations are unnecessary and are avoidable by proper conditions of care and protection in the manner of handling machinery with which the workman is compelled to work.

The bill for the better protection of workers with hazardous machinery, which was introduced from the state department of factory inspection, and the passage of which was urged so strongly by Gov. Deneen and Chief Factory Inspector Edgar T. Davies, would have established a system of protection for this class of wage-earners that would have reduced such accidents by more than 75 per cent. Many employers opposed this bill. A lobby was maintained in Springfield all winter to fight it and similar measures for the relief of the workmen. Every influence that could be brought to bear was used to prevent the passage of these bills. The most important of the labor bills offered by the governor were defeated. Now, one of the main reasons urged against Gov. Deneen by some of his opponents is that he sought to influence the legislature to enact these and similar bills into law.

**Favors Industrial Commission.**  
Gov. Deneen has repeatedly shown his friendship to the workman. In his first message to the general assembly he recommended the adoption of a resolution creating an industrial commission to inquire into the best means of relieving the conditions of wage-earners. This resolution was adopted by the forty-fourth general assembly. In pursuance of it Gov. Deneen appointed such a commission, with Prof. Charles R. Henderson, of the University of Chicago, at its head. The other members were Prof. David Kinley, Urbana; Adolph E. Adloff, and Harrison F. Jones, Chicago; and Charles H. Hulburd, president Elgin Watch company, Elgin.

This commission labored during two years and made a report in favor of the enactment of a law in Illinois establishing a system of industrial insurance under control of the state insurance department. A bill along these lines was prepared, introduced in the legislature and urged for passage by Gov. Deneen. Under the provisions of that bill there could be established voluntary industrial insurance association, which would save from want and charity the families of workmen killed or injured in their work. One-half of the revenues of such associations was to be paid by the insured employes; the other half was to be paid by the employers. The expense of administration of the association was to be borne by the state. Provisions for death and injury benefits were made. It was the most beneficial system for the workmen ever

proposed in the western states. If it had been enacted, the family of the workman who was injured at his work would be supported in comfort until his recovery, and his family would not suffer. Best of all, this relief would not be charity, but would be the workman's legal and moral right.

**Necessity for Protection.**  
The urgent necessity for legislation of this kind is demonstrated in a recent public statement by Prof. Charles J. Bushnell of Washington, D. C. After asserting there are in the United States under continuous charitable care probably 5,000,000 dependent persons, Prof. Bushnell goes on to say:

"One large source of this abnormal dependence is our vast aggregate of unnecessary industrial accidents. Few people begin to realize our annual national loss from this source. At a conservative figure, 1,000,000 workers in the United States every year are killed or injured in industry by accidents of which three-quarters are proven by European experience to be wholly unnecessary. Josiah Strong says the least possible estimate of our annual industrial casualties is about 550,000. The vast majority of the accidents occur among working classes. European statistics show that among these classes 90 per cent. of all accidents cause the families injured to be thrown upon public charity. Soldiers suffer because they are professional destroyers, but members of this great industrial army are struck down every year in this country because they are producers. This is the price they have to pay for the privilege of earning their bread in serving civilization."

This statement of Prof. Bushnell is the strongest possible argument in favor of the Hazardous-Machinery-Protection bill and the Industrial-Insurance bill advocated by the governor of Illinois. The need for these reforms was announced by Gov. Deneen long before Prof. Bushnell spoke of them. Prof. Bushnell's article was published July 29 this year. Gov. Deneen's message concerning the industrial insurance commission was sent to the legislature in January, 1905. The bills for the better protection of workers and for the establishment of the industrial insurance system in Illinois were introduced in the legislature early in 1907 and were continuously urged by the administration forces.

**Pass Iron Workers' Act.**  
Gov. Deneen secured the passage of a bill for the better protection of workmen employed in structural work. This was passed only after fierce opposition. This act requires contractors to provide all scaffolds, hoists, ladders and stays or other mechanical contrivances to be erected in a safe, suitable and proper manner so that adequate protection to the life of any person or persons employed there may be given. The state factory inspector is given supervision over the work

# G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT OPENS AT SARATOGA

ADDRESSES BY GOV. HUGHES AND OTHER PROMINENT MEN AT FIRST SESSION.

Gift of Relief Corps—Silver Jubilee Offering Presented to the Veterans—Burton, of Missouri, Likely to Be New Commander.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 11.—With the formal welcome of Gov. Charles E. Hughes, of New York state, the forty-first national Grand Army of the Republic encampment was opened in the convention hall Tuesday evening. Six thousand veterans, members of the Women's Relief Corps, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic and other patriotic organizations filled the hall to overflowing.

Gov. Hughes and the Grand Army officers were given an ovation. Many speakers of note in the Grand Army made addresses, including Commander-in-Chief Robert Bruce Brown, of Zanesville, O.; James Tanner, of Washington, former commander-in-chief; Most Rev. John Ireland, chaplain-in-chief of the organization, and United States Senator Macomber, of South Dakota.

Jubilee Offering Presented.

Mrs. Carrie Sparklin, of St. Louis, national president of the Women's Relief Corps, presented to the Grand Army the silver jubilee offering, which was raised by the relief corps in commemoration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization. The gift was received by Commander Brown.

Competition is keen between Toledo, Topeka, Omaha and Kansas City for the next encampment. Fifteen thousand veterans will march in the parade Wednesday.

Of the business that will come before the encampment, it is expected that a resolution making Washington a permanent meeting place will be voted on and that resolutions will be introduced for the purchase of the Oldroyd collection of Lincoln relics by the government.

Burton in Lead for Commander.

Indications point to the election of Charles G. Burton, of Nevada, Mo., as commander-in-chief, to succeed Commander Brown. There are five candidates in the field. At caucuses held Tuesday night Mr. Burton was endorsed by the departments of New York, Illinois, Ohio and Wisconsin. His election would continue in power the present forces which control the Grand Army. For senior vice commander it is probable that Lewis E. Griffith, of Troy, N. Y., will be chosen, and for junior vice commander, C. W. Royce, of San Francisco, appears likely to be elected.

"SMUGGLED" CLOTHES SEIZED.

Three Chicago Women Have Trouble at Port Huron.

Port Huron, Mich., Sept. 11.—Information has leaked out of a \$4,000 seizure of alleged smuggled laces, silk waist and dresses and velvet coats which the local customs house officers say will be sold at auction, but for the saving of which three handsomely dressed and cultured women who give Chicago as their address are making strenuous efforts.

The women, who are registered at a hotel here as Mrs. A. L. Olson, Mrs. L. L. Ropp and Mrs. Sallie Sterel, declare that the goods have all been worn and were purchased during a year's stay abroad, but the customs officers claim that the goods are new and assert that the three women offered to pay full duty on them as soon as their five large trunks were seized on a westbound Grand Trunk train Sunday.

Joe Gans Defeats Britt.

California Boy Breaks His Wrist in Fourth Round.

San Francisco, Sept. 10.—A left swing to the body, cleverly blocked by Joe Gans, cost Jimmy Britt any chance he might have had to win the lightweight championship of the world and brought to a close five rounds of fast fighting, witnessed by a crowd of about 14,000 people at Recreation park.

The blow caught by Gans on his elbow was struck in the middle of the fourth round. It broke Britt's wrist, and though he went on again in the fifth round he was helpless in both offense and defense. It was not until this round that he informed his seconds of the mishap.

Lowers World's Swimming Record.

Manchester, Sept. 9.—Charles M. Daniels, of the New York Athletic club, in a race here Saturday, lowered the world's 100-yard swimming record two seconds, going the distance in 55 2/5 seconds. Zolan de Halmoz, of Budapest, was second, and J. J. Derbyshire, of Manchester, third.

Reward for Mrs. Roschach's Slayer.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 11.—Gov. Swanson has offered a reward of \$200 for the capture of the murderer of Mrs. Roschach, wife of Lieut. Frank Roschach, U. S. N., who was slain by a burglar Tuesday in her home in Portsmouth, Va.

Suicide at Wisconsin Fair.

Milwaukee, Sept. 11.—Charles Farley, of Deatur, Ill., threw himself under a big steam roller on exhibition at the state fair Tuesday afternoon. Death was instantaneous. Mr. Farley was an inmate of a Milwaukee sanitarium.

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FAMOUS LANDMARK IN SAN FRANCISCO BURNED DOWN.

Was a Favorite Shrine of Pilgrimage to the Golden Gate City—Loss is \$50,000.

San Francisco, Sept. 9.—The Cliff house, San Francisco's first attraction for tourists, was burned to the ground. The fire started about five o'clock and an hour later a blackened heap of ruins was all that remained of the famous structure.

The house was built of wood, and, fanned by a lively ocean breeze, the flames made such headway before the nearest fire company arrived that it was realized that the place was doomed, and more attention was paid to saving adjoining property than to the burning building. The Cliff house had been closed for some time, as the new lessee, John Tait, was remodeling the interior. Workmen were about the place until noon and then departed for the day. How the fire started is a mystery.

This was the second Cliff house to be destroyed by fire. The building which was destroyed by fire was built about 20 years ago by Adolph Sutor of Sutor tunnel fame. It was owned by the Sutor estate and was valued at \$50,000.

The Cliff house was ranked as one of the best known resorts of America. Located on a rocky promontory outside the city, directly above the surf of the Pacific and overlooking the famous Seal rocks, it was a strong attraction for visitors, and from its broad porches hundreds of thousands of people obtained their first view of the Pacific.

LEOPOLD FOILS BELGIUM.

Turns Over to a Stock Company Domain of Crown in Congo.

Brussels, Sept. 9.—King Leopold made another momentous move on the Congo Question Sunday by turning over the "domain of the crown," in the Congo independent state to a joint stock company in which he is alleged to be interested. This is the most important section of the Congo, ten times larger than Belgium, and was to have reverted to Belgium with annexation. Its transfer deprives Belgium of the most profitable part of the independent state.

The decree announcing the transfer, which appears in the official bulletin, caused a sensation, it being generally accepted as endangering the success of the committee appointed recently by King Leopold to negotiate a treaty annexing the Congo independent state to Belgium.

MOUNTAINEERS MOB TRAIN.

Beaten Off by the Crew in a Pistol Battle.

Bristol, Va., Sept. 10.—Because one of their number had been forcibly ejected, a band of mountaineers stopped a passenger train on the Virginia & Southwestern, in Carter county, Tennessee, and attacked the conductor and train crew. A battle followed in which pistols were used freely. Capt. Robert Carnahan, the conductor, and Brakeman R. B. Taylor and A. D. Cross had a narrow escape, the latter being badly beaten. Dan Berry, who was ejected from the train and who took the lead in the attack, was captured, while his companions were beaten off.

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Handsome Home of Order in Philadelphia Destroyed by Flames.

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The building was purchased by the Eagles six years ago for \$55,000, and since last April \$45,000 had been spent on it. Every floor had been rebuilt and handsomely furnished and masons were at work putting on an ornamental stone front.

BULLETS ROUT SOLDIERS' MOB.

Fifty Who Seek to Release Jailed Comrade Are Dispersed.

Junction City, Kan., Sept. 9.—A mob of nearly 50 soldiers of the farmers' school at Fort Riley came here about one o'clock Sunday morning for the purpose of releasing a comrade who was confined in the county jail. The sheriff and city police force were notified of their coming and from positions in windows above the jail opened a fire that quickly dispersed the mob as it sought to force an entrance.

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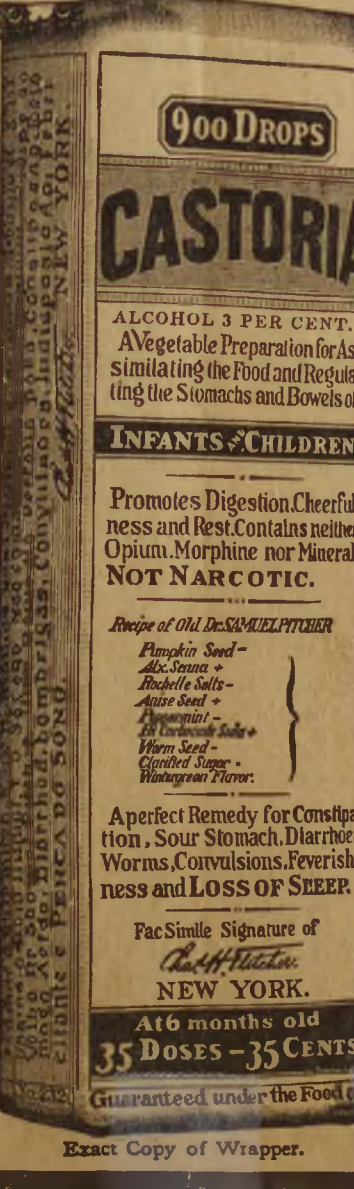
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aforsaid, whenever such place is open, if such officers deem it necessary in the discharge of their duties; and if any person licensed as aforsaid, shall refuse to permit such officer to enter his or her premises where such liquors are sold or given away, as aforsaid, whenever the same is open, he or she shall be subject to a penalty of not less than \$20.00 nor more than \$100.00.

Section 10. Liquor sold in violation of ordinances—penalty. All rooms, eating houses, restaurants, drug stores, groceries, coffee houses or other places of public resort, where intoxicating liquors of any kind or nature, are sold in violation of this ordinance shall be deemed a public nuisance, and whosoever shall keep such place by himself, herself or servant, shall for each offense, be fined not less than \$50.00 nor more than \$100.00 and it shall be a part of the judgment upon the conviction of the keeper that the place so kept, shall be shut up and abated until the keeper thereof shall give bond, with sufficient surety to be approved by the Court before whom the conviction is had in the penal sum of \$1000.00 payable to the people of the state of Illinois, conditioned that he or she will not sell intoxicating liquors contrary to the ordinances of said Village and will pay all fines and costs assessed against him or her for any violation of the said ordinances of the said Village of Genoa, and any person or persons who shall open any building or place that has been ordered shut up or abated under the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined for each offense \$100.00.

Section 11. Duties of licensee—regulations—penalty. All persons licensed under the provisions of this chapter shall close their place of business or cause the same to be closed and cleared and exclude therefrom all customers, guests or other persons at the hour of 10 o'clock sharp of each and every night of the week, except on Saturday night when they shall close at 11 o'clock sharp, and shall keep the same so closed and cleared until the usual hour of beginning business in the morning, and during hours when closed as provided in this chapter and all shades, blinds, screens and other means of obstructing a view of the inside of said place of business shall be removed, and lights shall be kept burning at all times during the night so that a clear and unobstructed view of the inside of all such premises may be had from the outside thru all windows and other means of admitting light into such places in the front, rear and sides of same. Any person who shall by himself, herself, clerk, agent or servant, violate any of the provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$50.00 for each and every offense, and a like penalty for each and every day any such offense shall continue.

Section 12. Permit to druggist. The Village Board may, upon written application therefor, grant to any regular druggist doing business within said Village, a permit to sell intoxicating liquors in quantities less than one gallon, but for medicinal, mechanical, sacramental or chemical purposes only, upon payment in advance to said Village at the rate of \$10.00 per year therefor, and said druggist shall keep a complete detailed record of all such sales made by him for that purpose, stating therein the name and residence of the persons to whom sold and to whom delivered, the kind, quantity and price of such liquor with the date of such sale, which said book shall be kept at the store of such druggist, and be, at all times open to the inspection of the mayor, marshal, or any assistant marshal or any of the Village Council. Any druggist who shall, by virtue of said permit or otherwise, sell or deliver any intoxicating liquor to be used as a beverage, and every druggist who shall by himself, herself, clerk, agent or servant, sell or deliver any intoxicating liquor, except as provided in this section or in any manner violate any of the provisions of this chapter, shall on conviction thereof be fined not less than \$50.00 nor more than \$100.00 for each offense. And the Village Council may at any time when satisfied that any druggist holding such permit has violated any of the provisions of this section, revoke such permit. Provided that the regulations herein contained concerning the closing of places, where intoxicating liquors are sold at night and on Sunday and concerning the removal of screens, shades and blinds shall not be construed to apply to persons licensed under this section.

Section 13. Repeal. All ordinances heretofore passed relating to such liquors and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions hereof are hereby repealed.

T. M. FRAZIER, Village Clerk.  
JAS. J. HAMMOND, President Board of Trustees.

**Auction Sale**

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the Dan Kelly farm, 3 1/2 miles east of Genoa and 1 1/2 miles north of Charter Grove on the Derby Line road, on Friday September 20, 1907 commencing at 10:00 a. m. the following property:  
14 choice cows, 7 head of horses, brown mare, 8 years old, wt. 1250 lbs. in foal; bay mare 12 years old, wt. 1250 lbs. in foal; roan gelding, 11 years old, 1500 lbs., brown mare, 3 years old, 1000 lbs., brown mare 11 years old 1100 lbs., in foal; sorrel gelding, 11 years old, wt. 1250 lbs.; bay coach gelding 3 years old, 1050 lbs., 25 choice hogs, 3 brood sows, 5 sows with pigs, 3 full blood Poland China boars, machinery, grain, tools, etc., new Wood grain binder, 7-foot cut with tongue trucks, new Sterling horse pulverizer, Hoosier seeder, walking plow, new tripple wagon box, set single harness, a new milk cans, 25 acres standing corn, new John Deere riding plow, corn planter with 100 rods wire, corn plow, new Lewis lumber wagon, new milk wagon, truck wagon, new set of dump boards, 3 sets double harness, road wagon, 50 grain sacks, Iowa incubator 120 eggs, Round Oak heating stove, twelve ton tame hay in barn, stack of wild hay, new 3 section harrow, Osborne corn binder, hay wagon, top buggy, some household goods, forks, shovels and other articles too numerous to mention.  
Lunch at noon  
Terms of sale: All sums of \$10 and under, cash; on sums over that amount a credit of ten months

time will be given on bankable notes bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum. Two per cent discount for cash on sums entitled to credit. No property to be removed until settled for.  
Frank Yates, Auctioneer, F. O. TAYLOR  
Geo. W. Buck, Clerk.

**Auction Sale**

WM. BELL, AUCTIONEER  
The undersigned will sell at public auction on the Charlie Foster farm, 2 1/2 miles north-west of Kingston and one mile south of Colvin Park on Thursday, September 19, 1907, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the following property: 25 good milk cows, part with calves by side and balance springers; 3 spring calves, 15 shoats, 2 sows in pig, 3 good work horses, half shire yearling colt, sucking colt, 20 acres corn in hill, 30 tons straight Timothy hay in barn, 5 milk cans, 2 pulverizers, corn plow, harrow, walking plow, breaking plow, corn planter, buggy, truck wagon, hay rack, corn binder, 2 milk wagons, heavy harness, 2 heating stoves, 2 bedsteads and many other articles.  
L. C. Shaffer, Clerk  
JOHN RUBECK

Mrs. C. A. Patterson is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Brown, of Elgin.

**A New Orleans woman was thin.  
Because she did not extract sufficient nourishment from her food.  
She took Scott's Emulsion.**



**Result:  
She gained a pound a day in weight.**

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND \$1.00

**BURLINGTON**

Mrs. Hiram Jones is on the sick list.

Miss Mabel Barry was in Elgin Friday.

Clyde Smith of St. Charles spent Sunday here.

Paul Feustal transacted business in Chicago Friday.

Mrs. C. C. Godfrey was an Elgin caller Tuesday.

Rev. Ward of Hampshire was a caller Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfingston were Elgin callers Friday.

Frank Wallace of Rockford is home for a few days vacation.

D. Brown of Genoa was a business caller in our burg Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Seyller are visiting relatives at St. Charles.

Mrs. C. C. Godfrey visited in St. Charles Friday and Saturday.

Miss Francis Weisbrock is visiting at Wheaton and Aurora this week.

Miss Etta Richards was a Hampshire caller Saturday afternoon.

Miss Hattie Sandall of Chicago is a guest at the home of F. E. Sandall.

Fred Pfingston served on the grand jury at Geneva the first of the week.

Miss Florence Chapman is attending the State Normal school at DeKalb.

A number from here attended the funeral of A. J. Mann at Elgin Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knief and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vogle spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at German Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Godfrey and Mrs. J. Conreux left Tuesday morning for a pleasure trip through northern Minnesota.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Miss Marie Wright to Frank B. Wright of Riverside, California, Sept. 1. The friends of Mrs. Wright wish her a life long happiness.

**A. J. MANN DEAD**

Brother of S. D. Mann of this City Dies at Elgin

Alfred J. Mann, brother of S. D. Mann of this city, died at his home in Elgin Sunday. He had been in ill health for over a year and spent all last winter in Florida, being accompanied by his brother.

In the early days Mr. Mann conducted a store in Burlington and in Hampshire, later locating in Elgin where he resided for thirty years.

**INDIANA BLOCK**

**COAL**

**JACKMAN & SON**

**C. F. HALL CO.**  
CASH DEPARTMENT STORE  
DUNDEE, ILLINOIS

Note the values offered this week and if possible test merit of goods by a personal visit to our store.

The fact that hundreds of people in this section leave their home towns to do their trading with us proves that we are bargain givers.

**Genuine Stocking Bargains**

Ladies' fine quality black wool and worsted hose, 25c grade, for ..... 19c, 15c

Men's heavy black socks ..... 5c

Boys' extra heavy, coarse ribbed hose, best ever offered for ..... 10c

Ladies' black, fleece lined, ribbed top hose ..... 13c

Women's fine ribbed, white foot or ribbed top, fast black cotton hose, choice ..... 10c

Stocking feet, fast black or white foot, per pair ..... 3c

Children's heavy wool hose, sizes 5 to 7 ..... 10c

Men's fast black wool and worsted socks ..... 19c

**Household Values**

11-4 cotton blankets (next to the largest size made) in white or tan ..... \$1.00, 87c

Stove pipe lengths only ..... 10c

Remnants of tennis flannels, 10 and 12c grades, light or dark colors, over 2400 yds. at ..... 7 1/2c per yd.

Men's 50c gingham work shirts ..... 39c

Boys' sizes in good work shirts ..... 19.25, 29c

Sample wool underwear, odd sizes, \$1.00 grade for ..... 75c

Infant's black wool hose, silk toe and heel ..... 10c

**Men's Suits**

Heavy black Thibet suits, all sizes, in a quality which we have never before offered at this price ..... \$6.95

Fine wool and worsted suits, in grey and brown mixtures great variety of nobby, fall styles  
\$8.95 \$7.95 \$10.65

**Men's Odd Coats**

Over 400 men's wool and corduroy coats, the only goods saved from a fire in a large New York factory. Every garment perfect  
\$1.98 \$2.29 \$2.98

**Ladies' Department**

100 ladies fall coats. Special pick-up values. Only 2 or 3 coats or a kind. Stylish wools and mixed wools, light and dark colors, 50 in. garments. On sale this week. Choice ..... \$4.98

Girls stylish box coats, red or blue ..... \$1.29, 98c

Clearing sale of fancy summer waists, choice ..... 75c

Ladies' flannelette kimonas, all colors ..... 49c, 69c, 59c

Fall skirts, jackets, waists, suits, etc., now on sale.

**Millinery Department**

Watch for the date of our Millinery opening. Street hats, caps, bonnets, etc., now ready to show. The space given to this department we have enlarged nearly one half.

**Trade \$10.00 and show round trip ticket and we refund your car fare.**

Dinner Tickets, Horse Tickets or Introduction Tickets given if you drive.

**Riley Center**  
Alta Stockwell of Riley was married Tuesday evening to Miss Annie Burke of Marengo.  
Lewis Ratfield is recovering from an attack of bilious fever.  
Little Lila Lind is very ill.  
Miss Fannie Hall commenced school at DeKalb Monday.

Will Allen and family of Chicago visited at the home of T. Ratfield over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Fellows entertained company from Chicago last week.

About 65 Helpers and friends met at the home of Clyde Corson Saturday. Dinner was served.

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T. M. FRAZIER

**Administrator's Notice**

Estate of Kendall Jackman Deceased.  
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Kendall Jackman, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County, at the Court House in Sycamore at the November Term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1907.  
52-41 DILLON S. BROWN, Administrator

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE**

Estate of Jared Preston deceased.  
The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last will and testament of Jared Preston, late of the county of DeKalb and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of DeKalb county, at the court house in Sycamore at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1906.  
ALMOND M. HILL, Executor.  
CLIFFER & CLIFFE, Attorneys for Executor. 1-41

**SILVER TEA SPOONS**  
**ABSOLUTELY FREE!**

We have placed in our store a line of High Grade Warranted Jewelry and have made arrangements that enable us to furnish our customers FREE a Set of Wild Rose Patterns Extra Plate Silver Tea Spoons. :: :: :: :: ::

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All old cash coupons must be in before September tenth and they will be redeemed in Spoons if desired. From this date on we will have a new system of keeping record of cash sales. Call and see us and we will take pleasure in explaining this unique offer in detail. : : : :

Remember these Spoons are Highest Grade Plated Ware

**JOHN LEMBKE**

**BUSINESS Opportunities**

Would you like to own a business of your own?  
Are you interested in new towns and business opportunities offered in the growing West?  
If so, it is well worth your while to send for the new book on this subject just published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.  
Openings in sixty different branches of trade, in fifty towns and villages, are described. All of these are bona fide opportunities which have been personally investigated by responsible persons. Information is also given regarding the size of towns, present business, public buildings, bank deposits, character of surrounding country and other valuable facts.  
Also contains map of this railway, with extensions to Rapid City, S. D., and Butte, Mont.  
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We've got a whole wagon load of them and they are the finest ever. Just as sweet as can be and right off the ice. In fact the Sweetheart Watermelon is the last and best of the season and the cheapest.

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at this time and we have all there is going. California fruit is fine. Concord grapes are coming in, but they are scarce, so you had better enjoy them while they last.

REMEMBER OUR DELIVERY WAGON RUNS ALL DAY EVERY DAY.

## DUVAL & KING, GENOA

### DOINGS OF THE WEEK

THE assistance of all subscribers is invited and solicited in making this department interesting. Any item of news left at the office, in the box at the east corner of the Exchange Bank building or given the editor on the street will be greatly appreciated. If you have visitors or have been away yourself or if you know anything good about your neighbors tell us about it.

Fall and winter dress goods at Olmsted's.

George Doty is visiting his cousin, Roy Pratt.

New long and short kid gloves at F. W. Olmsted's.

Ed. Crawford is working in the Mix creamery at Bowes.

Jas. Kirby of Shabbona called on Genoa friends Sunday.

Chas. Walters and family were Elgin visitors Wednesday.

Sidney Riddle of Elgin is visiting friends here this week.

Cole Kitchen lost a horse last week, valued at about \$200.

The board of supervisors is in session at Sycamore this week.

Miss Julia Bowers is visiting in Chicago and Rockford this week.

Joe Leonard has gone to Denver, Colo., to spend the winter.

Mrs. Jennie Story and Mrs. Alta Fenton were in DeKalb Monday.

Mrs. G. H. Miller is visiting relatives in Belvidere and Elgin this week.

Mrs. Hiram Wells of Harmony, formerly of Genoa, has been visiting friends.

C. K. Kinnear and wife were Chicago visitors last Saturday and Sunday.

H. N. Olmsted attended the Minnesota state fair at Minneapolis last week.

Miss Dona Messenger has gone to Milwaukee where she will enter Downer College.

Mrs. C. Shipman, Mrs. F. Little and Zaida Little were Sycamore visitors Tuesday.

Rev. Irl Hicks, the St. Louis weather prophet, forecasts a stormy September.

Beautiful silk embroidered waist patterns on sale at F. W. Olmsted's. See them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hoinville of Chicago are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. John Pratt.

Mrs. J. F. Keating of Chicago is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Dusenberre.

Make your chickens lay by feeding them ground bone. Can be had at Geithman Bros. market.

Dr. Grace E. Wilkes of Omaha, Nebr., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stott.

Grandma Watson is in a serious condition at this time. Miss Weber, the nurse, is now caring for her.

Dr. C. A. Patterson attended a meeting of the Fox River Valley Dental Society at Geneva Wednesday evening.

Hard coal \$8.75 delivered, or \$8.50 at the bin. Buy now. This price may advance at any time. Jackman & Son.

Miss Zaida Little leaves the

last of the week for her home in Oxford, Nebr., after a month's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foote and children and Miss Zaida Little spent Sunday in Belvidere at the home of Wm. Leonard.

Miss Maude Tuttle returned to her home in Elgin last Saturday after a ten days' visit at the home of her uncle, A. V. Pierce.

S. D. Mann, daughter, Mrs. T. N. Austin, and Harold Austin attended the funeral of Mr. Mann's brother in Elgin Wednesday.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Martin Schurling will please notify him that Jas. Hutchison has mail from Sweden for him.

J. E. Stott is manufacturing cement blocks at his farm west of town, which will be used in the construction of a dwelling next spring.

Christian Science services are held at Slater's hall every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday is "Matter." Everyone is welcome.

Eastern Star Chapter will have a meeting Friday evening, Sept. 13. All members are requested to be present as there is business to transact.

Satisfactory plumbing is guaranteed when the job is finished by our workmen. Paddock Kenyon & Montgomery at T. G. Sager's store.

A. E. Pickett has decided to make the new addition to his

building on Main street only two stories high instead of three as at first planned.

Why don't you deposit your money in the Farmers' State Bank and get interest for six months at the rate of 3 per cent per annum? Try it.

For Sale—3 sows with pigs; 20 shoats weight 90 lbs. each; 40 sheep, lambs and ewes. W. H. Hill, Belvidere road across from Davis church.

G. H. Miller, formerly of the Eureka Electric Co., has taken a position as sales manager with the United Electrical Co. at Wichita, Kansas.

If you want a job of plumbing that looks well and will stand wear and tear under high water pressure consult Perkins & Rosenfeld. Satisfaction guaranteed.

A. C. Senska will build the cement walks for the Village on West Main street and in Morning-side addition, having been awarded the contract by the village council.

Fletcher Hannah has started work on his big sidewalk job at Burlington, being assisted by Jas. Spence, the latter having cancelled his contracts at Marengo.

C. F. Thompson of the Thompson Piano Co. was in Genoa Tuesday. He is much pleased with the appearance of his factory building and with the progress made.

For sale—5 residences in Genoa, 160 acres raw land in McPherson county, S. D. and 410 acre improved farm in Brown county, S. D. W. H. Sager, Genoa, Ill.

Don't delay buying that new range until cold weather is actually here. Now is the time to get all the advantage of first choice and best prices. Perkins & Rosenfeld have a complete line.

Old, mellow and thoroughly matured—it possesses every es-

sential of a genuinely fine, Kentucky liquor—that's why I. W. Harper whiskey is the most popular. Sold by C. A. Godong.

The board of review, composed of A. V. Glidden of DeKalb, G. N. McDonald of Sandwich, and J. N. Finnegan of Sycamore, finished their season's labor Saturday and the matter of taxes for another year has been adjusted.

For sale—Two houses on Genoa street, one on East Main street and vacant lot in Oak Park

addition on Main street. Houses all new and modern. Will be sold cheap for cash or on easy payments. JAS. J. HAMMOND.

Dr. A. E. Robinson has purchased thru E. H. Cohoon & Co. a Duer automobile which was delivered yesterday. The Duer is of the buggy type with rope transmission as in the Holsman, but is much heavier than the latter.

The Mothers' meeting and White Ribbon Cradle Roll club, W. C. T. U., will meet with Mrs. Jerry Patterson, Thursday Sept. 19 at 2:30 p. m. A full attendance is desired and we would like to have every mother and all who are interested in our work meet with us and help us plan for the best for our children. All members of both Societies expected. Sec.

### Master's Sale

State of Illinois }  
County of DeKalb } ss.  
In the Circuit Court, thereof, June term.  
A. D. 1907.

Amos Porter  
vs.  
Sarah Chapman, Della Wyldie, Laura Waters, Lilly Lord, Ida Carl, Fannie Heed, Emma Edge, Olive Walters, William Strong, Nora Gifford, Bessie Hunt, James Kisdon, Henry Leonard, Sidney Kisdon, William Leonard, Frank Kisdon, John Leonard, Edgar Harris, Joseph Leonard, Edna Burton, Charles Leonard, L. P. Durham, Alice Cooper, Charles Withers, Jennie Foot, Amber H. Durham, Sabrina Leonard, Roy Durham, John Brown, Charles A. Brown, Mary Anna Withers, Sarah Brown, J. L. Patterson, Agnes Brown, Sarah Holroyd

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree made and entered in the above entitled cause on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1907, I, Thomas M. Cliffe, Master in Chancery of the Circuit Court of said DeKalb County, will on Saturday, the 12th day of October, A. D. 1907, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Village Hall, in the Village of Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, sell at Public Auction to the highest and best bidder, all and singular, the following described real estate situated in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, and in said decree

mentioned to-wit:  
Lot number ten (10) in Block number six (6) in Citizen's Addition to Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois.  
Also, Commencing at a point on the North and South Quarter Section Line of Section Fifteen (15) in Township Forty-two (42) North, Range Four (4) East of the Third P. M., in DeKalb County, Illinois, ninety-seven and one-half (97½) rods south of the Center of said Section Fifteen (15); running thence South twenty (20) rods; thence East forty (40) rods; thence North twenty (20) rods; thence West forty (40) rods to place of beginning, containing five acres, more or less, commonly known as timber lot.  
Also, Commencing at the corner of Section 10, 20, 28 and 30, Township forty-two (42) north, Range five (5) east of the Third P. M., in DeKalb County, Illinois, running thence North on line between sections 10 and 20, fifteen and 20 (15.20) rods, thence South seventy-six (76) degrees East, sixty-nine (69) rods; thence West sixty-eight (68) rods to the place of beginning.  
Also, part of the West half (½) of the North West quarter (¼) of Section twenty-nine (29) aforesaid; commencing at the same corner above described, running thence East on the line between sections twenty (20) and twenty-nine (29), eighty (80) rods; thence South one hundred twelve (112) rods; thence North, eighty-four (84) degrees West, eighty-one rods; thence North one hundred twelve (112) rods to place of beginning, both tracts together constituting one farm, containing about fifty-seven (57) acres, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois.

The above described real estate to be sold free, clear and disencumbered of the dower interests of Amos Porter, he having consented to said sale and electing to take the gross value thereof in cash, but the said real estate above described as two tracts constituting one farm, containing about fifty-seven acres shall be sold subject to the right of the said defendant Mary Anna Withers to retain possession of the dwelling house located on said premises until the 1st day of January, 1908, and subject to the right of the said defendant Charles A. Brown and J. L. Patterson to retain possession of said premises (other than said dwelling house) until the 1st day of January, 1908.

The bid upon each piece or parcel shall be equal to at least two-thirds (⅔) of the valuation put upon the same as shown by the report of the Commissioners appointed by the Court to make partition thereof or the other pieces shall at the same time sell for enough to make the total amount of the sales equal to two-thirds (⅔) of said valuation.

Terms of Sale: One tenth (1/10) of each bid to be paid in cash on the day of the sale and the remainder of each bid to be paid in cash upon the confirmation of the sale by the Court and the execution and delivery to the purchaser or purchasers of proper deed or deeds of conveyances of the premises so sold.

Dated this 10th day of September A. D. 1907.

Thomas M. Cliffe  
Master in Chancery of the Circuit Court of said DeKalb County.

Cornes, Fajstler & Cochran,  
Solicitors for Complainant  
George Brown and H. S. Earley  
Solicitors for Defendants.

### FOR ANOTHER YEAR

Rev. T. E. Ream Requested by Members to Return Again

The fourth quarterly conference of the Genoa charge including the Genoa, Ney and Charter Grove M. E. churches was held last Saturday evening in the church parlors and was largely attended and well represented.

At the meeting Saturday evening the several reports were made which revealed the fact that the churches of the Genoa charge as a whole are stronger in church membership, stronger in Epworth League membership and in better condition financially than in any previous year. All the departments of the church are thoroughly organized and in perfect harmony with each other and a feeling of christian fellowship and hearty cooperation is prevalent in all the churches of the entire charge.

At the close of the conference when the question of the pastor for the coming year was taken up, a resolution was passed commending the labors and efficient work of Rev. T. E. Ream, who is now closing his fifth year on the charge, and by a rising vote, he was unanimously called back for another year. After this resolution Rev. Ream arose and in a few appropriate words thanked the official members for their appreciation of his work, but stated that for the future year he would place himself in the hands of the conference which will soon meet in the city of Chicago.

A resolution was also passed calling Rev. Glassburn, the assistant pastor, back for another year. It is quite likely that he will take work nearer to his school at Evanston for next year.

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In The Newest Fall Styles



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ORIENTALS FAIL TO START BIG STRIKE

HINDUS REFUSE TO JOIN WITH JAPANESE AND CHINESE ON WEST COAST.

Police Capture Rifles—Vancouver Rioting Not Renewed—Tokio Hears Canada Will Make Amends—Blames the Korean League.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 11.—A combined Chinese and Japanese organization of Vancouver has made overtures to the Hindus to join them in an industrial strike all along the British-Columbian coast. The Hindus refused. Late Monday night the police made a seizure of 50 Winchester rifles, together with thousands of rounds of ammunition, which had been purchased in New Westminster by Chinese. The shipment was consigned to Sam Kee, a wealthy Chinese merchant of Vancouver and a large property owner, whose buildings were damaged by Saturday night's mob.

Japanese Consul Excited. K. Morikwa, Japanese consul, in great excitement went to Mayor Bethune Tuesday morning and demanded that he have the militia called out to protect his countrymen. He said an attempt was being made to burn every Japanese house in Vancouver, and that cotton waste saturated with oil had been found under the door of the Japanese Methodist mission church.

Mayor Bethune tried to reassure the consul, telling him that the authorities had the situation well in hand. Finally, to please the consul, the mayor agreed to telegraph Col. Holmes, commanding the militia of this district, asking that the militia be ordered to hold themselves in readiness.

Canada to Make Amends. Tokio, Sept. 11.—The foreign office has received a dispatch from the Japanese consul general at Ottawa saying that the Canadian government will express its regret for the occurrence at Vancouver and take steps to prevent further trouble. An official of the foreign office said: "We have the utmost confidence in the Canadian government, as we also have in that of America. Commissioner Ishii's dispatch says that the disturbance will soon be quelled, and that there is no reason to expect its repetition."

"Our information is that this outbreak, like that at Bellingham and others, is the result of the Korean league's anti-Japanese agitation, created by false and exaggerated reports of conditions in Korea and the attitude and sentiment in Japan."

Armed for Defense. Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 10.—There is renewed apprehension of further anti-Asiatic rioting here, and all Monday Japanese and Chinese crowded the local gunshops to buy firearms and ammunition. They declare they will defend their lives and property.

Militia May Be Called Out. Two hundred special policemen were sworn in Monday and there is talk of calling out the militia. There is little doubt that this will be done in case the rioting is renewed. Feeling all over the city runs high and an attack is likely to occur at any time.

So far there have been no fatalities, although several of those injured in Saturday night's riots are in a serious condition. Twenty-six rioters were arraigned in the police court Monday and were held for further examination.

Oriental Quarter Badly Wrecked. The oriental quarter shows the effect of the riots of Saturday night. Not a window in the 50 or more stores and other places of business conducted by Japanese and Chinese remains, and costly stocks of goods are badly damaged. It is said that arrangements are being made to demand heavy indemnities from the city, but it is reported that Mayor Bethune has said that not one cent of indemnity will be paid. The matter will finally be taken to the dominion government.

WILL MAKE MOROCCO PAY. French Cabinet Decides to Demand Indemnity.

Paris, Sept. 10.—A special meeting of the cabinet was held Monday to consider the Moroccan situation. The following conclusions were reached:

1. The Moroccan government should be held responsible for the massacre of July 30 at Casablanca, as well as for the loss suffered as a result of the pillage and in the repression of disorders.

2. Indemnities should be fixed by an international commission.

Rock Island Train Is Wrecked. El Paso, Tex., Sept. 10.—Rock Island train No. 4, bound for Chicago, which left here at six p. m. Sunday, was wrecked at Escondido, N. M., 61 miles north of here, two hours later. Of the eight cars composing the train six were thrown off the track and turned over. Not a single person was killed or seriously hurt; nearly all passengers, however, were slightly injured.

Oldest City Editor Retires. Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 11.—John N. Hazlett, city editor of the Pittsburg Leader for the past 40 years, has resigned from the position and retired from active newspaper work. "The chief," as Mr. Hazlett is widely known, is said to be the oldest living city editor in America in continuous service.

MR. SUBBUBS RESISTS TEMPTATION AND MOWS HIS LAWN.



LUSITANIA PASSES LUCANIA IN RACE

MONSTER CUNARD STEAMSHIP TAKES THE LEAD SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Largest Atlantic Liner—Departure from Liverpool on Maiden Trip Attracts Much Attention—Notable People Among Her Passengers...

Queenstown, Sept. 9.—The departure of the Cunard line steamship Lusitania from Daunt Rick lightship Sunday was timed at 12:10 p. m. The Lucania had preceded her at 11:35 a. m.

Wireless reports received Sunday night say that the Lusitania caught up with and passed the Lucania during the afternoon.

Two hundred passengers were left over here in spite of the fact that the steamship agents had been instructed to discontinue bookings a week ago.

Departure of the Giant. Liverpool, Sept. 9.—The people of this city have concentrated their attention on what is considered to be an epoch-making event—the departure of the giant Cunard line steamer Lusitania, the largest of the Atlantic liners, on her maiden voyage to New York.

The Lusitania left port Saturday about two and a half hours earlier than the Lusitania, making possible a trial of speed across the Atlantic between the swiftest ocean steamer with reciprocating engines flying the British flag and the largest turbine steamer.

Deny Race Is Planned. Of course the officials of the Cunard line say that no race is contemplated, but the engine room crews of the vessels have been busy for a week past, getting everything in readiness with the expectation that the engines will be called upon to do their best on this occasion.

All the accommodations on both vessels have been taken. For the Lucania 370 first-class and 360 second-class passengers have been booked, and for the Lusitania 480 first-class and 495 second-class.

Many Notables on Lists. The list includes many notable people. Among the passengers on the Lusitania will be Robert Balfour, M. P.; C. E. Barber, C. G. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hay, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goslet, Countess Dunmore, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus H. McCormick, of Chicago, Lady Victoria Murray and S. C. Perkins.

The Lusitania takes the team of the Marlborough Cricket club, which will play a series of games in America, and Bishop F. J. O'Reilly.

Great Interest in New York. New York, Sept. 9.—The advent of no ship was ever watched with keener interest than that displayed in the maiden voyage of the huge Cunard steamer Lusitania.

The two great ships are commanded by two of the finest captains in the service, Capt. Watt, of the Lusitania, and Capt. Barr, of the Lucania. Each will know how to get every ounce out of his vessel. They are quiet mannered reticent men and are expected to make the great race notable.

Shipping men expect that the Lusitania will not only win, but that she will break the transatlantic record now held by the Germans.

Remorse Causes Suicide. Kitanning, Pa., Sept. 9.—Following the accidental shooting of his companion, Robert Ramsey, Jr., shortly after midnight, Howard Riley committed suicide by jumping in front of an express train on the Allegheny division of the Pennsylvania railway near his home at Graff early Sunday.

Siberian Postal Train Robbed. Tomsk, Siberia, Sept. 11.—The Siberian postal train was held up by highwaymen Tuesday at a point 13 miles from here. They separated the engine from the freight car and then seized \$50,000, with which they escaped.

MAN KILLED IN AUTO RACE

FATALITY ON BRUNOS ISLAND TRACK NEAR PITTSBURG.

Rex Rainerstein the Victim—Walter Christy, Noted Driver, a Mechanic and Policeman Injured.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 10.—One man is dead and three others more or less seriously injured as a result of two accidents at a series of automobile races that were held at the Brunos Island track near this city Monday.

The dead man is Rex Rainerstein, 35 years old, president of the Automobile Repair company of this city, who died of a fractured skull while being taken to the hospital.

Walter Christy, 26 years old, of 518 West Eighteenth street, New York city, who was one of the drivers in the Vanderbilt cup races at Mineola, Long Island, fractured his right arm and sustained scalp wounds and bruises of the body. It is also feared he has been internally injured.

Clarence Dastion, who was mechanic for Rainerstein and was riding with him at the time, received injuries to the spine that are serious, beside bruises and cuts. Bastion lives in Allegheny.

Policeman Frank Farnol, of Allegheny, was struck by one of the flying cars and hurled about 50 feet. He was badly cut and bruised. All the injured are in St. John's hospital, Allegheny.

Rainerstein was driving in a race called the 50-mile derby and was on the thirteenth mile, when at a turn one of the front tires came off and the machine turned over. Rainerstein and Dastion were caught beneath the car, while a score of other contestants shot by. Women screamed and fainted. Crowds swarmed over the track and the race had to be stopped.

The wrecked car was left standing at the edge of the track and a short time afterward Christy, making too wide a turn, struck it with tremendous force.

MEYER FOR A PARCELS POST. Postmaster General Says He Will Recommend It to Congress.

Marblehead, Mass., Sept. 11.—Postmaster General George Von L. Meyer, who was a speaker at the annual outing of the Essex Republican club held at the Corinthian Yacht club here Tuesday, outlined some of his plans for the conduct of the post office. He said that one of his recommendations to congress this fall would be for a bill to establish a parcels post.

He spoke enthusiastically of his project for postal savings banks and said that these would in no way compete with ordinary savings banks. He believed that establishment of such banks would be of great benefit to residents of the rural communities. He also indicated his intention to extend the rural delivery system, which he said was doing more than anything else to relieve the isolation of farmers and others living in remote country districts.

Wellman Won't Fly This Year. Tromsø, Norway, Sept. 10.—According to Capt. Isachen, in command of the Norwegian Arctic expedition which arrived here today from the north, Walter Wellman and his party, of the Chicago Record-Herald expedition, will probably return here at the end of the present month, abandoning their plans to attempt to reach the pole in an airship for the present year. No start had been attempted up to Aug. 26 and the weather subsequent to that date precluded an ascent of the airship, northerly winds, fog and snow prevailing.

New Trial Granted Bechtel. Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 10.—Wm. F. Bechtel, former president of the Northwestern National Life Insurance company, who was sentenced on June 28 to serve five years in prison at hard labor, after he had been convicted of grand larceny from the insurance company, was granted a new trial Monday by Judge Dickinson. It is doubtful if Bechtel will ever be placed on trial again.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Bishop Wilburforce of the English Episcopal church, died at Bembridge, Isle of Wight.

Mrs. Cox, of Forest Hill, England, aged 105 years, was killed by the sting of a wasp.

Dr. Edward C. Kennon, a dentist of St. Louis, was killed when his automobile collided with a street car.

A railway agent of the Missouri Pacific at Eldorado, Kan., was bound and gagged by thieves and \$1,300 was stolen.

Three persons were slightly hurt when the Los Angeles limited train on the Salt Lake road was ditched near Cottonwood, Cal.

Commander Simon Cook, U. S. N., retired, is dead at St. Louis. He was a native of Illinois and served in the Spanish-American war.

A merger of Illinois and Indiana coal properties, representing an investment of \$12,000,000, is being formed by W. S. Bogle of Chicago.

Four members of the crew of the cruiser Chattanooga narrowly escaped mob violence at Hakodate after a Japanese shopkeeper had been assaulted.

John Rhodes, a negro bootblack, was arrested at Phoenix, Ariz., suspected of being Jesse Coe, who killed Policeman Charles Russell in Indianapolis in 1906.

The Countess Montignoso, formerly Princess Louise of Saxony, divorced wife of the present king of Saxony, was married in London to Sig. Toselli, an Italian singer.

Elsie Reed, who says she is a Chicago girl, applied to Waukesha (Wis.) citizens for aid, declaring that she had been held a prisoner by the "holy jumpers," and compelled to do menial work.

Wellington B. Herbert fired five shots into a crowded room in which his wife was seated at Washington, D. C., slightly wounding her and another relative. He then fatally wounded himself.

Gus Ormsby, a fisherman, while lifting his nets off Van Zaren point on Lake Erie discovered the wreck of the Dean Richmond, loaded with lead and copper ore and valued at \$200,000 by the underwriters.

The failure of Miss Lucia S. Thompson of Boston to explore the "Purgatory" cave near Worcester, Mass., has aroused the interest of scientists. Miss Thompson found the cavern ice-bound a short distance from its mouth.

Judge Sands at Scranton, Pa., set aside the will of Jerome Lillibridge, a wealthy coal man, which gave an estate of \$500,000 to the widow. Two sisters, who contested the will, asserted the testator had been unduly influenced.

The committee of the peace conference at The Hague to which the question was submitted approved, by a vote of 26 to 2, the project providing for the establishment of a supreme tribunal to deal with prizes captured at sea.

Masked robbers broke into and blew open the safe in the Royal Savings bank at Chippewa, Ont. Officials say that the safe blowers were frightened away before they got into the safe deposit box, where the most of the bank's money was kept.

Meat wagon drivers returned to work in New York after having been on strike for 19 days. The terms on which they go back are a 65-hour working week, wages received before the strike and no discrimination against either union or nonunion men.

Nellie Wolkwitz, a Russian girl, was arrested in New York, charged with the theft of a brooch from Mrs. Bourke Cockran. The jewel contained a religious miniature which awakened the girl's reverence and it is alleged she possessed herself of it to satisfy this passion.

Ed Long and his three sons have been arrested at El Reno, O. T., charged with murdering Wilbur Gureth, said to be from Chicago. It is alleged that Gureth attacked Long's daughter and that the father and sons caught him, clipped off both his ears and threw him into a pool of water.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 11. LIVE STOCK—Steers \$4.25 @ 6.80 Hogs 6.85 @ 7.10 Sheep 4.50 @ 5.50

FLOUR—Winter Straight 4.40 @ 4.40 WHEAT—May 1.10 @ 1.11 1/2 December 1.09 @ 1.10 1/2

CORN—May 87 1/2 @ 88 RYE—No. 2 Western 90 @ 90 1/2 BUTTER 18 @ 25 1/2 EGGS 22 @ 23 1/2 CHEESE 10 1/2 @ 13 1/2

CHICAGO. CATTLE—Choice Steers \$6.50 @ 7.35 Fair to Good Steers 5.75 @ 6.50 Yearlings, Plain to Fancy 5.00 @ 6.15

BULLS—Common to Choice 2.70 @ 3.00 Calves 5.25 @ 7.75 HOGS—Prime Heavy 5.55 @ 6.15 Mixed Packers 6.10 @ 6.25 Heavy Packing 5.70 @ 5.95 BUTTER—Creamery 27 @ 29 Dairy 19 @ 21

LIVE POULTRY 10 1/2 @ 13 EGGS 14 1/2 @ 22 POTATOES (per bu.) 55 @ 62 GRAIN—Wheat, May 1.08 @ 1.07 December 99 1/2 @ 99 1/2 Corn, December 59 1/2 @ 60 1/2 Oats, September 52 @ 53 Rye, September 87 1/2 @ 88

MILWAUKEE. GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 No. 1 \$1.07 @ 1.09 December 99 1/2 @ 99 1/2 Corn, December 59 1/2 @ 60 1/2 Oats, Standard 52 @ 53 Rye, No. 1 90 1/2 @ 91

KANSAS CITY. GRAIN—Wheat, September \$1.07 @ 1.09 December 99 1/2 @ 99 1/2 Corn, September 52 1/2 @ 53 Oats, No. 2 White 48 @ 49 1/2

ST. LOUIS. CATTLE—Beef Steers \$4.00 @ 7.10 Texas Steers 2.80 @ 5.05 HOGS—Packers 6.25 @ 6.40 Butchers 6.10 @ 6.45 SHEEP—Natives 5.50 @ 5.75

OMAHA. CATTLE—Native Steers \$3.75 @ 7.00 Stockers and Feeders 3.00 @ 5.35 Cows and Heifers 2.75 @ 4.75 HOGS—Heavy 5.15 @ 5.85 SHEEP—Wethers 5.00 @ 5.30

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DR. T. N. AUSTIN Physician and Surgeon. Office over J. Lemke's store. Office hours: 7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 2:30 p. m. and 6:30 to 8 p. m. X-ray laboratory in connection.

DR. E. A. ROBINSON Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence, corner Main and First Sts. Hours: 10:00 to 12:00 a. m. and 1:00 to 3:00 p. m. Calls promptly attended.

C. A. PATTERSON DENTIST. Office over Exchange Bank. Office hours: 8:30 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m.

G. W. MARKLEY, M. D. KINGSTON, ILL. OFFICE HOURS: 12 to 3 p. m., 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. Calls promptly attended to night and day.

Genoa Lodge No. 288 A. F. & A. M. Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Visiting neighbors welcome. Geo. J. Patterson, W. M. W. M. Adams, Sec.

EVALINE LODGE NUMBER 344 Meets second Tuesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. hall. Martin Malana, Perfect. Fannie M. Heed, Sec.

Genoa Lodge No. 163 M. W. A. Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month. Visiting neighbors welcome. J. H. VanDresser, Ven. Consul. E. H. Browne, Clerk.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS Meets every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. hall. JAS. SPENCE, N. G. J. W. SOWERS, Sec.

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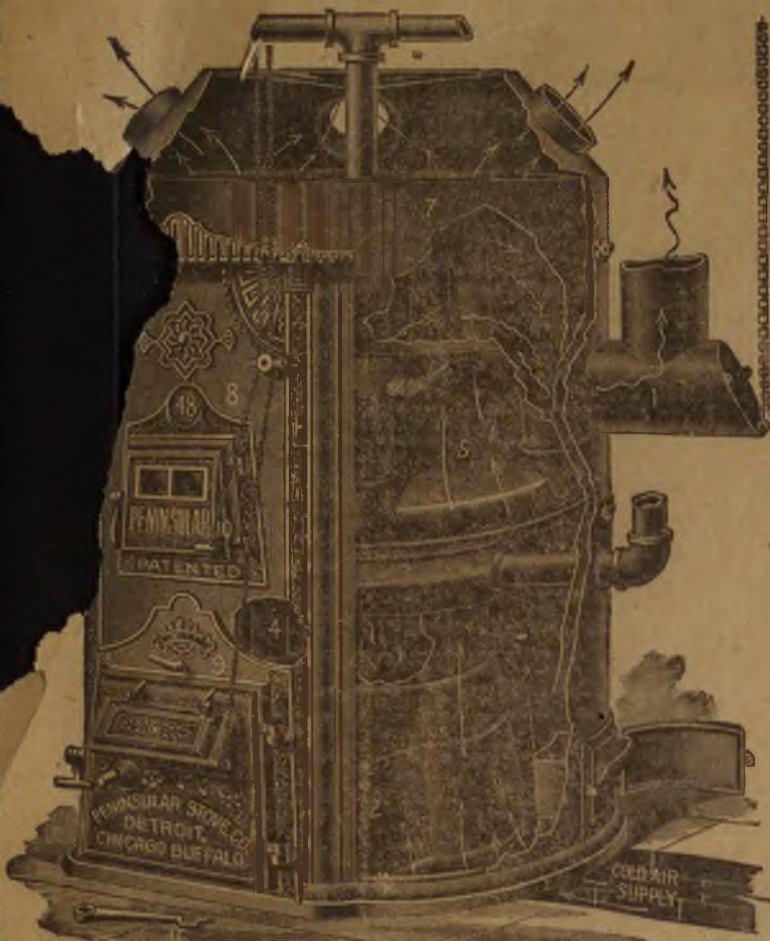
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## KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Miss Lena Bacon is enjoying a few weeks' vacation.

F. P. Smith made a business trip to Chicago last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Smith of Blood's Point called on friends Sunday.

Dr. G. W. Markley went to Ohio Saturday, returning Monday evening.

A number of our people attended the Boone County fair last week.

Mrs. Bert Farmer of Elva station was entertained by friends last week.

Miss Estelle Churchil spent last Saturday and Sunday in Sycamore.

Captain Sparrow and family will begin meetings in the G. A. R. hall October 1.

Miss Gladys Burgess was a Belvidere visitor from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Roy Brown of Sycamore spent Sunday with his sister, Miss May, at the home of John Taylor.

Alfred Rogers of Aurora made a flying visit with his sister, Mrs. R. C. Benson, last Thursday.

Misses Georgia and May Walker began their school duties in Stuartville and Oak Glen Monday.

Mrs. Eugene Bradford went to Hampshire Tuesday to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Rich.

W. H. Bell has had cement walk put in around his new home.

A. S. Gibbs & Son did the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Weaver of Sycamore were guests of relatives northwest of town, last Wednesday.

Walter Ackerman and wife of Chicago spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ackerman.

Clarence Uplinger of Sherburn, Minn., was in town, Tuesday. He left the same evening for Minneapolis.

Miss Ruth Benson returned last Saturday evening from a visit in Chicago with Miss Nettie Martin.

Ross Moyers has recovered from his severe illness and was able to resume his school duties Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Teffran, who had been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Hiram Colvin, left last Friday for a visit in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller have moved into their new home this week. His sister, Maggie, will live in the house they vacated.

Robert Outman came out from Chicago Saturday afternoon remaining over Sunday with his wife and son at Roy Tazewell's.

Mrs. Jane McClelland died at the home of her son, George, Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the age of 81 years. Obituary next week.

Miss Adah Armbruster gave a party to a number of her little friends last Saturday in honor of her birthday. A delightful time is the report.

Ex-Governor Horace Boies, while enroute from Buffalo, N. Y., to his home in Waterloo, Iowa, spent Monday and Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Ira Bicksler.

John Plane of Belvidere, who is representing the Rural Telephone Co., was present at a special meeting of the council Monday night and was granted a franchise to place 'phones in the village of Kingston.

Rev. C. H. Myers tendered his resignation to the Baptist Society last Sunday morning to take effect Oct. 1. He and his family will leave then for their new home in Big Bend, Wis. Their many friends wish them success in their new work.

A representative of the Pratical Gas Construction Co. of North Chicago was present at the special meeting of the council Monday night explaining the workings of the gasoline gas plant. The village has adopted the system as to lighting and heating.

### Peculiar Accident

While driving a traction engine thru the Main street of St. Charles last Monday, Eugene Crawford's foot was caught in the drive wheel and crushed so badly that amputation was necessary. It was necessary to reverse the engine to extricate the foot.

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### Obituary Mrs. Hattie Jones

Miss Hattie Gathercoal, daughter of the late Thomas, and Mrs. Zernah Gathercoal, was born Oct. 16, 1889. She has always lived in this community. Here she has attended church and Sunday school and public school and has mingled in society with the younger people. She has been one in their social gathering and for her bright and happy manner and vivacity she was loved by them all.

Following the death of her father she remained on the farm with her mother, one mile north of Kingston, and together they carried on the work of planting and harvesting the crops. November 8, 1906 she was united in marriage to Delans Jones and they have continued to live in the old home with her mother. Bright hopes filled the hearts of the young husband and wife in the anticipated joy of the new

life that was to come to them.

Early on Tuesday morning, Sept. 3, there was born to them a son. A few hours following this event there came one of those almost unaccountable conditions followed by a sudden collapse and when the new born son was five hours old the lamp of life burned out for the mother. She was not quite eighteen years of age. She leaves the helpless little babe, the bereaved husband, the lonely mother together with a number of other relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Funeral services were held from the Baptist church, Thursday afternoon, Rev. C. H. Meyers officiating.

### New Lebanon

Will Scherf of Elgin spent Sunday with his uncle, John Schult.

Louie Lester of Pingree Grove visited his brother-in-law, M.

Stuter, Sunday.

John Reinken and Harvey Peterson attended the Belvidere fair last week.

Mrs. Albert Taebel of Chicago is visiting relatives here.

Al. Stuter went to Burlington Sunday.

Misses Emma and Millie Heidem of Hampshire spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Botcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Renn and family attended the Belvidere fair Thursday.

Misses Emma and Anna Dumolin visited with Joe Reiser Friday.

Miss Alvina Botcher returned Saturday night after a short visit with friends in Beloit, Wis.

Arthur Hartman attended the picnic at Kingston last Saturday.

Dewitt's Little Early Risers are good for any one who needs a pill. Sold by Hunt's Pharmacy.

### Married at B

Miss Della Lord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lord of this city, and Andrew Johnson of Sycamore were married at Belvidere Monday afternoon by Justice W. R. Hebert. Mr. Johnson has been employed for some time in Harry McGough's restaurant.

### Taken to Iowa

The insane man who was taken to Sycamore last week by Deputy Abraham was accompanied as far as Clinton, Iowa, on the return trip to the asylum at Independence, Iowa, last Thursday by Sheriff Hohm.

### Notice

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