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## THE EXCHANGE LIST

A Permanent Home for Boy Scouts at DeKalb is being Discussed

## THE REV. E. S. HOLM DEAD

Large Demand for Whiskey Barrels in Dry Territory—Grayslake Men Arrested—Big Enrollment at DeKalb Normal

Never has there been such a demand for whiskey barrels in dry territory as there is this year in this locality. Apples, apples, everywhere; the cider mills are running to their limit—everybody is after whiskey barrels. It's the best cider year for ages. We read the other day of a farmer down in the southern part of the state who "set 'em up" to the whole town where he does his trading. He and his son picked four barrels of the choicest apples in his orchard, hauled them to town and set the barrels on four of the principal corners, each barrel bearing a "help yourself" placard. By evening the four barrels were empty and the shoppers and workers and business men all enjoyed the refreshing fruit at the farmer's expense.

Detectives swooped down on five Grayslake men, who had recently bought automobiles from a stranger, and took the cars, claiming that they had been stolen. They had the numbers of the stolen cars, which tallied with those in the possession of the Grayslake gentlemen.

Lexington, Ky.—Four elderly and infirm persons are the only occupants of the immensely valuable Shaker settlement, one of the few remaining colonies of the sect, near here. Sisters Christine Johnson, eighty-four, and Martha Olson, eighty-seven, died one day recently within the hour.

Shakertown, now so sparsely settled, once was a flourishing town, with manufactories and various business enterprises and controlling rich adjacent farm lands. Even now the property is valued at millions. Recently a trustee was appointed to manage the affairs of the colonists.

Rockford, Ill., Sept. 22—The badly decomposed body of Miss Tilda O. Anderson was found reclining in a chair in the room she occupied over the rear of the McNair drug store, corner of West State and Church streets, last week. Officer Pral found the remains of the aged woman in a rocking chair and she had evidently had a broom in her hand when she sat down for a rest which proved to be eternal.

DeKalb, Ill., Sept. 22—A permanent home in DeKalb for the Boy Scouts is the important matter under discussion at the present time by the two patrols of DeKalb. Their ambition is to be able to buy the old Congregational chapel and make a home of it for the boys and their friends and apparently their ambition is to be realized.

The heavy rains, with warm weather, are producing wonderful pastures this year, and so far farmers have found it unnecessary to feed hay or green corn to cattle. In years gone by, it often was necessary for farmers to feed their live stock at least two to four weeks of the summer, but this year the expense is unnecessary. The flow of milk this year is also the heaviest in many years.

The Illinois State Board of Administration may give women the preference, in fact the exclusive privilege of serving as attendants in the new hospital for insane that is to be opened before long, east of Alton, Ill.

The weather man says certainly

## CONSOLIDATION OF LODGES

Sycamore and Genoa I. O. O. F. Lodges Under Name of Ellwood Encampment

About fifteen members of the local order of Odd Fellows attended the consolidation meeting of the Genoa and Sycamore encampments, which was held in Sycamore last week. The occasion was the formal consolidation of the lodges from these two towns.

The Sycamore lodge has become very strong, while the Genoa lodge was not flourishing quite so well and it was deemed best to join the two. Officers were then elected by the members of the union encampment and such other matters attended to as were necessary. The new encampment will retain the name Ellwood encampment, which has been used by the Sycamore lodge in the past.

The royal purple degree was put on by two DeKalb men, Chas. Northrop and William Peterson, and the work was enjoyed by all present. After the degrees a delicious supper was served and partaken of heartily.

## TEN CARS CRUSHED ROCK

Will Be Laid on Road Between Harvard and Big Foot

The sum of \$280 was subscribed by business men and residents of Harvard to whom T. A. Marshall presented a subscription paper on Monday as a fund with which to pay for putting crushed rock on the public highway between Harvard and Big Foot.

It is intended to place ten carloads of crushed rock on the road mentioned and the money thus raised is to defray the freight expense of the material, the crushed rock being furnished without cost. Farmers living along the highway mentioned are offering assistance in the way of work in putting it on the road and when the entire amount contemplated is placed on the road an improvement of great importance will follow.

## Class Reunion

The young men's class of the M. E. Sunday school held a reunion and banquet in the church basement Tuesday evening under the direction of their teacher, Mr. A. C. Reid. Thirty five boys were there to partake of the chicken and all its accessories and all had more than they should have eaten but boys must imbibe freely once in a while of the good eats when they're plentiful. A meeting will be held next Tuesday evening in the church at 7:30 to organize a gentlemen's club for the coming winter. The boys of the class should get interested for there are many things that will happen during the winter months that are unknown to them at present.

been up against the various county fairs that have been held all over the state during the last two or three weeks. There has hardly been a county fair that has not been compelled to call part of the events off on account of an excess of rainfall.

The Rev. E. S. Holm, for many years a member of the Rock River conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, died at Sycamore Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Holm had been ill four days with pneumonia. He was in his seventy-third year and had served the church long and faithfully.

The enrollment at the DeKalb Normal school is larger than it has ever been, the number reaching 460. Last year at the end of the second week of school it was 445, and this was considered the largest number of students ever entered for the winter term.

## EVENT OF INTEREST

Members of A. F. and A. M. Entertain Visitors Royally

## BANQUET A SUPREME SUCCESS

Three New Members Added to Home Lodge—Dinner Served in M. E. Church Dining Room

Friday of last week was a red letter day for the Masonic Lodge of Genoa. The visiting lodges from Sycamore, Kirkland, Kingston and Hampshire were represented by 175 members.

In the afternoon, the home team conferred the third degree upon two candidates and in the evening the Sycamore team initiated one candidate into the third degree.

Following this good work, the Eastern Star ladies served an unusually attractive and sumptuous banquet in the parlors of the M. E. church.

The decorations consisted of ferns and the autumn flowers and the tables were clothed in fine linen, china and silver with a purple aster for each guest.

The menu lacked nothing and the ladies were complimented liberally upon the serving which was like clock work in its ease and precision.

## Sycamore Mother's Brave Deed

One of the most thrilling incidents which the pen is called upon to record was the one of last Saturday in which Mrs. Swen Carlson acted the part of heroine. The action of Mrs. Carlson in saving her youngest child from drowning was most extraordinary, and when the Carnegie people are looking for heroism of the highest character to reward they should take the trouble to investigate and then to reward Mrs. Carlson with the Carnegie medal for bravery.

While her son, little Theodore, aged two years and three months and his brother, Edwin Carlson, aged four years, were playing in the yard the youngest, Theodore by some unaccountable means, fell into the cistern, little Edwin instantly alarmed his mother, who rushed to the rescue. The cistern was almost full, and, reaching down, the mother, by the most heroic action and effort was enabled to grasp and draw little Theodore out. Her rescue had been so quick that the little fellow had not sunk below the surface, so that when he had been landed into safety, the assistance of a doctor was not needed. The loss of a single instant might have caused the death of the little child. Knowing the value of seconds, Mrs. Carlson was equal to the crises, and little Theodore was saved.

## Sycamore Freed from Small-Pox

Sycamore is at last freed from the ravages of the small pox scare which they have gone through with recently. The Sycamore Tribune has the following comment on the subject:

Miss Mary Butler has been released from a several weeks quarantine with the small pox. This is the last having been but three in all, despite the overdrawn reports that have been current for the past several weeks.

## Rock River Conference

The Rock River conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, embracing in its membership 334 ministers, about 50 additional student pastors and a church membership of more than 75,000 will hold its seventy-sixth annual session in the First Methodist Episcopal church, Englewood, October 5 to 12. Bishop W. F. McDowell of Evanston will preside.

## MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

All to Have Opportunity to Become Members of the Association

The secretary of the DeKalb County Soil Improvement Association has recently mailed a membership application card to DeKalb County farmers and land owners. Many farmers and land owners three years ago said the soliciting committee did not give them an opportunity to become members of the association, so it is hoped no one will be missed this year.

This association works on a broad basis rendering its services to landlord and tenant alike. The officers of the association believe it is as necessary to give assistance to the tenant who may not be able to pay a \$5.00 membership fee as it is to the man who owns a quarter section of land.

The officers of the association render their services without pay besides helping financially. There are 2,500 farmers in this county. Suppose it takes only one hour for a man soliciting members to make each farm in the county, it would require 250 days of time to visit every DeKalb County farm. The expense of this is very great and it is hoped that at least 1,000 men will respond to the membership call. It is the members who control the affairs of the association.

Some of the results measured by actual conditions in the field are worthy of attention.

In 1911 not over 10 bushels of alfalfa seed was seeded in the entire county. In 1915 probably more than 1,000 bushels of alfalfa seed has been seeded and nearly 700 bushels being supplied by the association.

No one in the county knows of a time when clover was grown to the extent that it is at present.

## Hampshire Wants Library

The Every Wednesday club is working hard starting a fund for a local public library. They have a proposition started with McCalls Magazine which they expect will net about \$100 towards the fund. The club have also subscribed to sell 100 Chautauqua tickets for next season and any profit made from the Chautauqua will probably be added to the library fund. The club is also in correspondence with the Carnegie Library Bureau with reference to the establishing of the library.

## Butter 25 Cents

Butter sold on the Elgin board Saturday at 25 cents per pound, an increase of one cent per pound over last week. Scattering sales were made at 25½ cents. Previous prices:

Sept. 11, 1915—24 cents.  
Sept. 21, 1914—29 cents.  
Sept. 15, 1913—31 cents.  
Sept. 10, 1912—29 cents.  
Sept. 18, 1911—26 cents.  
Sept. 19, 1910—29 cents.

Somerville opened business by bidding 25 cents per pound for 300 tubs. Baltz sold him 200 tubs and Newman 100. Later Persall paid Moles 25½ cents per pound for 50 tubs and Baltz the same price for 35 tubs.

## Church to Celebrate

Our neighboring city of Sycamore will open one of her beautiful churches in celebration of the 78th Annual Convention of Universalist Churches from October 4 to 7.

The program includes addresses by the brightest men in the organization for each evening; business sessions for each department of the church work, a banquet and more addresses are slated for the different days. The invitation is to the public and is very cordial.

## TOUR OF COUNTY

Four Noted Men in Agricultural World Were in DeKalb County Monday

## AUTHORITIES ON FARM WORK

In Company with Eckhardt, University Men Visit Several Farms in DeKalb County Monday

Mr. C. S. Vrooman assistant secretary of agriculture, Prof. O. S. Fisher, Prof. W. F. Handschein and one Captain Smith made a detour of DeKalb county Monday in company with Mr. Eckhardt, the local soil expert.

Mr. Vrooman hails from Washington as do his assistants, Fisher and Smith, while Prof. Handschein who is the state leader in the county agent work of the state has headquarters at Urbana. The gentlemen spent some time in the association office at DeKalb going over the work that is being done there in seed breeding etc., and then started on an inspection tour of the county.

They visited a number of farms in the southern part of the county in the forenoon; in the afternoon the party came to Genoa where they were joined by D. S. Brown and visited the farms of Henry Parke, Mrs. Minnie Dander and A. G. Stewart. The gentlemen returned to Chicago on an evening train.

## Small Pox at Davis Junction

Will Foulz of Davis Junction is the fourth member of the Foulz family to be stricken with small pox. He was put in quarantine last Friday with some difficulty.

The authorities and residents of Scott township have taken every precaution to prevent a spread of the disease which broke out several weeks ago. But when it was discovered that Foulz was afflicted, he was unwilling to cooperate with them, and resisted being placed in quarantine until threatened with arrest.

The other cases are progressing nicely, and no further spread of the disease is anticipated.

## Fall River Township

Fall River township thus far has taken the lead in its crop reports. The farmers of that section are strictly in it when it comes to raising big crops. John Kummer had fifty acres of oats on the L. P. Shaver farm which yielded a total of 3,850 bushels, an average of seventy-seven bushels per acre. These oats had received the formaldehyde treatment for smut.

In the same township D. D. Center dug a bushel of Red River Early Ohio potatoes, weighing sixty pounds, from a plot of ground nine and three-quarters feet square, containing ninety-five square feet. This would give an average of over 458 bushels per acre.

## Covering Some Territory

A country editor wrote to a catalog house for some advertising. Answering, they said they would be glad to use his space, but would like to know what territory his paper covered, whereupon he said: "This paper goes from New York to San Francisco, from Canada to the Gulf, and it keeps me working until 2 o'clock in the morning to keep it from going to h—l."

## Mother of W. A. Bellamay Dead

Mrs. Acasina Bellamy, mother of the publisher of the LaSalle County Record and at one time pastor of the M. E. church of this city, died last Tuesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Craig, in Knoxville, Iowa, at the age of ninety-one years. Her death was the result of a tumor. The funeral was held in Knoxville, where interment was also made.

## BAKERY CHANGES HANDS

Frank Crawford Sells Bakery to Robert Duncan of Sycamore

Frank Crawford, who for the past few months has been conducting the Genoa Bakery, has sold out to Robert Duncan of Sycamore. Mr. Duncan took possession the first of the week. Mr. Duncan is a skilled baker of many years experience and should enjoy the patronage of the Genoa people. He will retain the same force of helpers.

Frank Crawford has rented the rooms over S. S. Slater's store, formerly occupied by Dr. J. W. Ovitz, and will install Sulpho-Thermic Vapor Baths. Medicinal waters of the famous Hot Sulphur Springs will be shipped in to Mr. Crawford and one can bathe as if it were the springs themselves. The baths will cure Rheumatism, Catarrh, Indigestion, and all diseases of the epidermis. Frank expects to have the baths ready in about a week.

## ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

The DeKalb County Soil Improvement Association Hold Important Meeting at Sycamore

The annual election of directors of the DeKalb County Soil Improvement Association was held Saturday, Sept. 25, 1915, at the Sycamore office of the association.

The following list gives the names of those elected:

Directors from Townships	
Franklin	Chas. Meyers
Kingston	H. A. Lanan
Genoa	Chris Awe
South Grove	Orton L. Bell
Mayfield	C. S. Townsend
Sycamore	F. B. Lloyd
Malta	Aaron Plapp
DeKalb	James Hulmes
Cortland	John Francisco
Milan	O. T. D. Berg
Afton	B. W. Lvons
Pierce	Elmer Plapp
Shabbona	Wm. Storey
Clinton	Frank Greeley
Squaw Grove	Wm. Leifheit
Paw Paw	Geo. Hyde
Victor	Alvin Warren
Somonauk	C. H. White
Sandwich	B. Castle

Directors from the Farmers' Institute: Chancey Watson, Geo. Gurler, Edgar Whipple, Geo. Fox. In addition to this the Directors of the Bankers' Association and County Press hold over until respective organizations elect officers.

The directors will meet Thursday, Sept. 30, 1915, to elect the officers of the Soil Improvement Association in the office at Sycamore at 2 p. m.

## Death of Miss O'Hara

Miss Margaret O'Hara died at the home of her brother, Father S. J. O'Hara, Sunday, following the removal of a tumor two weeks ago. The deceased had made her home in Sycamore for the past six years, going there at the time of Father O'Hara's appointment to St. Mary's church. The funeral services were held from the church, and the remains were taken to her former home, Grand Rapids, Mich., for burial.

## Narrow Escape

But for the presence of mind and steady nerve of Mrs. Wm. Schmidt, Sr. the fire company would have been called into service Thursday of last week. Mrs. Schmidt was working with a knife on the gasoline stove causing an explosion of the tank. The curtains, wall and roof were on fire instantly, but with the assistance of the neighbors the fire was put out. Mrs. Schmidt was uninjured.

Members of the H. A. G. T. club invited their husbands to a picnic supper at the W. W. Cooper home the evening of October 1.

## SIX GOOD NUMBERS

Refreshment for the Season Within Reach of All

## OCT. 12, CASTLEMALE QUARTETTE

Six Carefully Selected Entertainments Considered the Best Course in the History of its Management at the M. E. Church

The Entertainment Course Committee of the M. E. church has succeeded in obtaining the best course in the history of its management. Judging from the reception given the various organizations during the last three years a selection has been made which will please all who attend.

The first number of the season will be Oct. 12. The Castle Male Quartette has been received in many of the lanes of the middle west. The members are accomplished singers and entertainers. Those who hear them will be surprised at the quality of their work as a violin also cornet quartette.

November 12 Lee Francis Lybarger a distinguished member of the Philadelphia bar will lecture on the "Survival of the Fittest or the Psychology of Success." It has been said if unable to secure Bryan or LaFollette, book Lee Francis Lybarger.

The Metropolitan Lyceum Stars will give an evening's entertainment of instrumental and vocal music also dramatic recital, Dec. 2.

The Boyds present an evening entertainment which is of this course. Besides instrumental and vocal numbers, sketches and costume are given. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd have been on the Lyceum platform ten years appearing almost every state in the Union. It is an exceptional company which can retain its popularity this length of time.

Jessie Armager Power company present a play, song and story entire taken from that of the preceding companies. Walter Brauer a cellist of remarkable ability. Mr. Power remarks sketches costume from Dickens best known writings. The audience will enjoy the evening's entertainment as decided advance in the character of these numbers.

The closing number of the season is given by the Mendlesohn Sextette. This company of young women has been organized in the east and most of their program have been given there. Their entertainment is popular in character and should please all.

This course of fine entertainments is to uplift and entertain the people of this locality while the committee in charge has secured the use of the church auditorium. The church so receives none of the proceeds from the lecture course.

## Lest We

C. H. Beach, of 49, G. A. N., with attention to the government delivered to the people as provided in a recent suitable for the graves in Elmwood cemetery on which there are not now suitable stones. Mr. Beach will also send requisitions for stones to be placed in other nearby cemeteries if requested to do so. His phone number is 66, Sycamore

## Genoa Good Enough for us

Sheriff Scott spent four days last week in DeKalb and his deputy, Casius Poust spent one day there. During those visits six arrests were made. Five of the prisoners were bailed out at once. Since that time the other obtained bail.



Baron Reading, the young scientist and explorer, who has discovered a new land in the arctic regions and has taken possession of it in the name of the Canadian government.

### WILSON ADDRESSES G. A. R. VETERANS AT WASHINGTON

Washington, Sept. 29.—Dr. R. I. Law of Galesburg, Ill., delegate to the national encampment of the G. A. R., was struck by an automobile and was removed to a hospital suffering from a slight concussion of the brain.

Washington, Sept. 29.—The greatest victory for the allied arms since the battle of the Marne, when the strategy of General Joffre and Sir John French saved Paris, has crowned the first move of the great Franco-British drive to hurl the Germans from France.

In the two days since the great allied offensive began, striking at the extremities of this great German triangle, with the purpose of flanking both angles, the French and British have captured 20,000 unrounded prisoners.

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### TERMS OF PROPOSED LOAN

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### BLAST

Burning Liquid Is Hurlled on Town—Scores Burned in Wreckage—Business Section Hit—Disaster Caused by Spark From Hammer.

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### ALLIES DRIVE FAILED, SAYS STATEMENT FROM BERLIN

Germany Says Offensive Is Checked and Few Suffered Heavy Losses.

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### THE NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

John W. Bookwalter, former governor of Ohio and widely known over the United States, is dead in Italy, according to a cablegram received at Kenia, O.

The U. S. S. Supply arrived at San Francisco from Honolulu, having on board the bodies of 13 of the crew of the submarine F-4, which sank in Honolulu harbor.

The Dutch steamship Konigin Emma, 9,181 tons, has been sunk by a mine. Her crew and passengers were saved. The Konigin Emma hailed from Amsterdam.

With a loss of more than \$1,000,000 the building of the Union Warehouse company at Los Angeles, Cal., was destroyed by fire. The building covered an entire city block.

The 700 striking longshoremen who have been tying up the freight of the United Fruit company at New York, have agreed to end the strike and will return to work at once.

Railway service between Bulgaria and Serbia has been suspended by orders of the Bulgarian government. A strict censorship is in effect. The use of code is forbidden in dispatches.

Three thousand garment workers have walked out in Chicago, 300 have been locked out and five arrests were made in the first days' struggle between the tailors and employers to increase wages.

The entire cargo of the American steamer Sarnia which arrived at Naples from New York with frozen meat for the Italian army is unfit for use. A refrigerator broke down during the voyage and the meat spoiled.

Eleven men were entombed at a Lehigh Coal and Navigation mine at Coaldale, Pa., as the result of a fall of rock blocking the passage to the chamber in which the men were at work. Hope of reaching any of the men alive has been given up.

The third and last will claiming to dispose of the \$12,000,000 estate of Francis A. Ogden, eccentric recluse will be withdrawn and the blood heirs of the aged man left to share the estate without further controversy. It was announced in probate court at Houston, Tex.

Frank O. Wetmore, chairman of the extension committee of the AVerJ company of Peoria, Ill., which went into the hands of receivers a year ago, with liabilities of \$2,000,000, announced at Chicago that 50 per cent of the outstanding extension notes will be paid October 1.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 27.—The international soil products exhibition began here and will continue until October 10, while the international farm congress will hold its meetings here October 4-7. Among the delegates there are representatives from nearly every country on the globe.

### JEWELERS GIVEN JOLT BY SLEUTH

Convention Is Thrilled by Clever Stunt Pulled by Famous Detective.

Applause filled the room in the Grand Central palace, where the members of the American National Retail Jewelers' association had assembled for their annual meeting.

"We now have just time"—began President Finley L. Combs of Omaha, Neb., but he went no further. In place of the watch he had started to consult was a void—an aching void, if one might judge from the expression on Mr. Combs' face. The watch was gone.

"Gentlemen," said the president, "if this is a joke, one might say it was a timely one. My watch is gone. A great detective is here. Perhaps he can put into actual operation some of the things he has just been telling us."

Detective on the Job. A breathless silence filled the great room. All eyes were upon the detective. Quite unabashed by the attention he was receiving, he hastily rose from his chair. "Let the doors be closed," he shouted. "Time flies, but not so this timer."

"The watch is somewhere in this room. I will personally search every one present. If there is anyone who

objects he may bring the watch to me and the matter will be considered a closed incident." No one stirred.

"Very well, then, I'll proceed with the searching." From the very first pocket into which he thrust his trained fingers came forth a watch.

"Ah, here is a watch," said the detective, exultantly. "I scarce expected to meet with success quite as soon. Here is a watch for you, Mr. Combs," he said, and promptly sat down.

"Thanks," said Mr. Combs, "mine was only silver, but this gold one will do."

Finds the Watch. Had the situation been less serious the laugh that followed might have been more hearty. Hastily the watch was returned to its rightful owner. Then the detective continued his search.

A moment later a very guilty looking silver watch was extracted from the waistcoat pocket of one of the members of the executive committee.

"This is your property, is it not, Mr. Combs?" demanded the detective. It was.

"I knew it," said William J. Burns, the detective. "You see, I put it there myself. I thought it would be a good stunt."

Then the meeting proceeded.

LETS LAWYERS BATTLE ON Judge Adjourns Court While Attorneys Fight, Then Resumes Hearing of the Case.

Hammond, Ind.—A garnishee case resolved itself into a fistie encounter in Judge Reiland's court at Indiana Harbor recently, when L. W. Saric and Marcus Herschovitz, lawyers, passed the lie.

The court refused to call time. In fact, Judge Reiland adjourned court to give the belligerents all the time they wanted. They took ten minutes and then an armistice was declared and Judge Reiland went on with the trial of the case.

Saric looked as though he had fought with a bearcat.



J. Keir Hardie, the famous labor member of the British parliament and leader of the peace element in the British socialist party, died of pneumonia in Glasgow.

### ALLIES DRIVE FAILED, SAYS STATEMENT FROM BERLIN

Germany Says Offensive Is Checked and Few Suffered Heavy Losses.

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British Transport Is Sunk. Marseilles, Sept. 28.—The British steamer Natal Transport was shelled and sunk by a German submarine September 17, south of Crete. Its crew of 34 was picked up and landed at Piraeus, Greece.

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# FISHES of the DEEP SEA

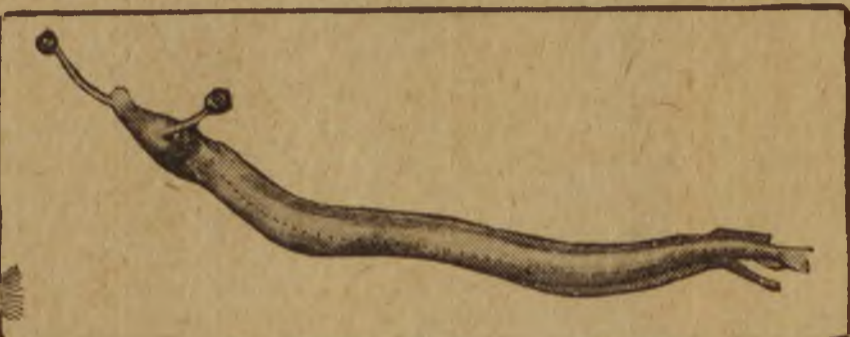
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SOME DEEP SEA FISH



GIGANTURA CHUNI



STYLOPHTHALMUS PARADOXUS



OPISTHOPROCTUS SOLEATUS

UNTIL the time of the "Challenger" expedition, very little was known regarding the fish life of the abyssal depths of the sea. Only about 30 species were known. But the wonderful collections brought back by the "Challenger" from her four-year cruise (1873-1876) made known the vast diversity, the strangeness and even weirdness of this fish fauna. Several hundred kinds of deep-sea fishes had been collected—some of them dredged from a depth of more than a mile—and it required a huge quarto to describe and picture them. From this volume dates our real knowledge of the fishes of the abyssal deep. The "Challenger" expedition was, indeed, a "Columbus voyage" in ichthyology; it opened a new chapter in the history of the science.

Since that time many deep-sea exploring expeditions have been sent out by the various nations, and hosts of other fishes have been brought up from the oceans in all parts of the world. More than a thousand species are now known, and we can appreciate at its full value the richness and strangeness of this fauna. Moreover, not only do we know the fishes themselves, but, as a result of the scientific investigations carried on by the various expeditions, we now know a good deal of the physical conditions under which they live, so that we can, in a measure at least, explain the why and wherefore of their extraordinary characteristics.

When we think of life in the deep-sea, there comes to mind, first of all, the enormous pressure which these creatures must withstand. This pressure becomes the greater the deeper we go down, and in the profoundest depths it equals thousands of pounds to the square inch. The result of this pressure is that the tissues of these fishes are tender and loosely knitted together. When they are brought up out of the dark depths, and the great pressure under which they live is removed, the explosion of the gases within them bulges out the eyes, and often blows out the viscera through the mouth, while the muscles collapse, leaving them soft and flabby like moist rags. Most deep-sea fishes are very small also, usually only a few inches in length, and it is probable that this reduction in size has come about, to some extent at least, from the great pressure under which they live.

Another important condition is the dimness of light, or even darkness in the profound depths of the sea. If we imagine ourselves descending into the deep ocean, we see the light grow dimmer and dimmer as we go down, until finally a level is reached beyond which no light penetrates at all. The entire vast depth below it, is in eternal darkness. Now the fishes living in this dim light, or in total darkness, have been profoundly modified by it. In some forms the eyes have become very small, and in some cases have entirely disappeared. There are even fishes in which the skin and scales of the body have grown over the place where the eyes should be, so that these fishes are, as has been aptly said, "blind beyond redemption." Other forms, on the other hand, have been affected in an entirely different way. The eyes, instead of growing smaller, have grown larger, as if in an attempt to catch every feeble ray of light. In some fishes this has been carried so far that the eyes have become like enormous goggles.

Most deep-sea fishes have luminous organs of one kind or another, so that they carry their own light about with them. In some the entire body glimmers, the coating of slime which exudes from the pores and lateral canals, emitting a soft silvery glow. In others rows of minute, luminous organs run along the sides of the body, or there are flashing light-spots on the head or face. What a wonderful sight would be to us a small black fish flitting through the silence and darkness of the deep with its headlights and row of pores gleaming through the darkness like some small ship passing through the night with its portholes all aglow! Some deep-sea fishes have a luminous organ at the end of a feeler on the head.

A pertinent question may be asked: How do we know these fishes glow and glimmer, since no human eye has ever beheld them in their abyssal home? We know this partly from analogy and partly from actual observation. When one is in a boat in the tropics, on one of those sultry nights when everything is a dead calm, and the black clouds hang so low that sky and sea form one continuous blackness, then one may see the glimmering fishes darting out of the path of the boat, their forms, silvery and ghost-like, outlined for one moment against the blackness of the sea. This effect is chiefly due to the oxidizing of the slimy secretion covering their bodies. Why shall we not believe, then, that deep-sea fishes have a similar phenomenon as in many of them.

the slime pores and canals are greatly developed and must exude large quantities of slime? Then too, on deep-sea expeditions, on favorable occasions, as for instance, a dark calm night, fishes that have been brought to the surface and placed in water were seen to flash light from the ends of the tentacles or the phosphorescent pores, precisely as we should have expected from a study of these organs. Major Alcock, in his interesting volume, "A Naturalist in Indian Seas," mentions a specimen brought up from a profound depth which "glimmered like a ghost as it lay dead at the bottom of the pall of turbid seawater." So that by inference, as well as by actual observation, we must believe that what we call luminous organs in deep-sea fishes, emit light into the darkness about them. In the case of fishes totally blind, the absence of light is compensated for by the development of enormous antennae-like feelers, modified from fin rays, so that these fishes can feel their way, as it were, through the darkness.

The absence of light, however, entails another important consequence. As is well known, no plant life can exist in darkness. There is therefore no vegetation of any kind in the profound depths of the sea. The deep-sea fishes are, in consequence, all carnivorous, the more powerful ones seizing and devouring the weaker ones. It is a cold black world where might reigns supreme. Many have enormous mouths, and formidable teeth to insure holding the prey. In some forms the teeth are so large that the mouth cannot be shut!

The temperature of the water in the profound depths of the sea, is always low and near the freezing point. This is true everywhere, even at the equator. Undoubtedly this has an effect upon the fishes, although it is not yet known what it is. The amount of oxygen dissolved in the water also, is much less than in water nearer the surface. The breathing apparatus of the deep-sea fishes is modified to suit their peculiar conditions. The gill filaments have become much reduced in size, and in a number of instances some of the gill arches bear no gill filaments at all. The fishes are apparently adapted to a much smaller oxygen supply than those living in rivers or in the shallow sea.

When we think of the vast diversity among these fishes, the question arises: Are they all representatives of a single family or group that has become specially adapted to life in the deep sea; or do they belong to different families or groups? One need hardly be an ichthyologist to answer this question. Even a cursory examination of the plates in a work on deep-sea fishes will show that different types are represented. In fact, a great many families are included in the deep-sea fauna. There are sharks and rays; salmonoids, herrings, perches, eels, and representatives of many other families. We can explain this heterogeneity among them in this way. We may imagine that fishes of many different kinds in their search, so to speak, for the unoccupied corners of the sea, found a haven in these deeper waters where they were free from pursuit by their enemies. In the course of time they migrated farther and farther into the deep, a change in habits taking place pari passu with the changes in structure. Having started out with different organizations, and possessing different degrees of variability, they became differentiated in diverse directions, so that while some developed enormous mouths, powerful teeth, or phosphorescent organs, others became bottom-living and partly or completely lost their eyes. Still others developed long feelers for groping their way through the darkness. Now and again, however, fishes of separate groups developed similar structures, so that there are many striking cases among deep-sea fishes of what the biologist calls "convergence," or parallelism.

The museum has recently prepared for exhibition a number of typical deep-sea fishes arranged in the form of a group. The preparation of this exhibit involved many technical difficulties, such as the killing of the fishes in transparent or translucent media, to represent them as glimmering in the dark with lit-up "portholes." Considerable time and labor was necessary to

accomplish this group, but all the difficulties were overcome, thanks to the ingenuity and perseverance of Mr. F. F. Horter of the museum's taxidermist staff. The group, as it is now installed, represents ten types of deep-sea fishes. It is not, of course, a group in the sense of the habitat groups displayed in the museum; it is not a section, so to speak, taken from nature and transplanted to the museum. In nature so many deep-sea fishes are not to be found in so small a space. What the group represents is a number of fishes which are in nature scattered over a vast area and through a great height of water, here brought together for museum purposes into a few square feet of space. Each fish is reproduced accurately with its phosphorescent pores and tentacles as these are known to exist. With one or two exceptions they are enlarged several times, as the fishes themselves are very small. And since it is known that the phosphorescent organs do not glow with a steady light, the illumination of the group has been arranged so as to have these luminous organs flash intermittently. Furthermore, the installation is arranged so that one may view the fishes for a few seconds in full light, as if in a synoptic exhibit, and then see them, when the light goes out, as they are supposed to appear in the darkness of the profound depths. It up only by their own phosphorescent organs.

Near the top of the group is seen a fish which lives on the border line between the region of dimness and total darkness. Many of the fishes living in this region are not of a uniform somber hue, but are brilliantly colored. Neoscopelus is one of these. The body is "one dazzling shield of purple and silver and burnished gold, amid which is a sparkling constellation of luminous organs" (Alcock). The glowing fish in the center is Barathronus diaphanus, a small fish known from a single specimen, which was dredged in the Indian ocean at a depth of a little over four-fifths of a mile. The model of it is one and one-half times the natural size. The phosphorescent fish with the curious long tail (at the right) is Gigantura chuni. It, also, is known by only a single specimen. This was brought up from a depth of four-fifths of a mile in the Gulf of Guinea, on the west coast of Africa. The model is twice the natural size.

The two dark fishes with enormous gaping mouths (near the top, at the right) are Gastrostomus bairdi. This species is commoner than some of the others, a number of specimens being in several museums. The models of it in the group are copied life-size from a specimen in the museum. The species occurs in the Atlantic ocean, near the American coast, in the path of ocean liners. Specimens have been dredged from a depth of nearly three miles.

Near the bottom of the group at the left-hand side, is seen an eel-like fish with a line of lit-up pores. This is an enlarged model of Stylophthalmus paradoxus, a small silvery fish widely distributed in all the oceans, whose young also are known. The generic name it bears was given it in allusion to the fact that the eyes are perched on long slender tentacles. The species ranges from a depth of a little less than a mile to two and one-half miles. Another form with tentacles is Gigantactis vanhoeffeni, a species typical of many deep-sea fishes which have a tentacle, terminating in a luminous organ, attached to the head. This tentacle serves as a lure for attracting prey. The present species is known by only two specimens which were found in the Indian ocean at a mile and a half and a half from the surface. The creature is a very small fish, the model being enlarged six times.

## HIS STATUS.

"As a motorist, is Jinks in the running?"  
"Is he? He ran up a bill for repairs, ran down a woman in the street, ran away from a running comment of the crowd and was run in by a policeman."

## NATURALLY.

"The new idea of fresh-air games is working well in the insane asylum, isn't it?"  
"Yes, indeed. The inmates are just crazy about it."

## JUST IT

"That motorist was developing railroad speed when the cop got him."  
"I see. A case of arrested development."

## RAILROADS AND TRAINS

A certain railroad, says Colliers', announces with pardonable pride that it carried last year on its 26,000 miles of track 188,111,876 passengers, and not one of these passengers was killed in a train accident. "That," says the Clinton (O.) Daily News, "is one of the biggest zeroes, one of the mightiest noughts, that the year has to boast of." Another newspaper, the Butler (Pa.) Citizen, writes: "There is no doubt whatever that this condition was rendered possible only by the company insisting on strict sobriety on the part of its employees. With drunken engineers, drunken dispatchers, and drunken conductors, accidents and deaths would have been common. Drinking on the part of employees used to cost their employers a lot of money one way or another. But nowadays it only costs the railroad man his job."

## DRUNKENNESS AND DIVORCE.

A home a day, it is stated, was wrecked by divorce last year in Chicago. A Chicago newspaper, investigating as to what extent alcohol is responsible, gives a summary of its findings. Habitual drunkenness, it says, is the charge in 152 of these divorce cases. To this charge others were added in 124 cases. In 99 of these (in which the charge was drunkenness and cruelty), women were the complainants. These two charges appear together more frequently than any other one combination of charges on which divorces were granted. The cases tabulated were tried before judges of the superior court. Others which came before the circuit court were not tabulated.

## DECREASE IN WHISKY.

The following figures are from the Wall Street Journal: Production of whisky in Kentucky in January was 1,980,000 gallons, against 6,102,452 gallons in January, 1914; production in Pennsylvania was 1,073,808 gallons in January, against 1,552,446 a year ago, and in Maryland 506,919 gallons, against 918,582. Whisky bottled in bond in January was 691,508 gallons, as compared with 928,187 in January, 1914. The Kentucky decrease for one month was 66 2-3 per cent, the Pennsylvania decrease practically 33 per cent and the Maryland dealers over 40 per cent.

## ENLIGHTENED PRACTICE.

The remarkable change in the attitude of the medical profession toward the use of alcohol in the treatment of disease is shown by the records of the Cincinnati hospital, an institution among the greatest of its class in the world and located in one of the whisky centers of the United States. For the year 1914 only seven pints of intoxicants were used for its patients for the entire twelve months, while during six months of 1898, although the capacity of the hospital was considerably less, the records show the use of more than seventeen hundred pints of whisky, beer, wine and gin.

## A PROGRESSIVE DISEASE.

Families that serve wine at meals are doing the greatest injustice to their children, for instead of allowing them to drink anything but nonintoxicating drinks they are starting that progressive disease that may end in their ultimate death or disgrace. To see a beautiful young girl drink a cocktail or even a glass of sherry offends health aristocrats, for they know that poison is contained in every drop. The misfortune of all poison taking lies not only in the always advancing appetite but in the always receding will.—Lillian Russell.

## LIQUOR AS HOME WRECKER.

The searchlight is being thrown upon the alcoholic question from every angle of vision. Chicago Herald has investigated from the matrimonial angle. To what extent is alcohol responsible for the wrecking of houses by divorce? Answering this question for Chicago—which city, it is said, had a divorce a day last year—the Herald gave a tabulated report. Its findings show among other things that the two charges of habitual drunkenness and cruelty are more frequent in divorce cases than any other one combination of charges.

## VODKA AND WAR.

"The greatest single sentence ever uttered for prohibition," Charles Johnson asserts in the American Review of Reviews, came from the lips of M. Kharitonoff, controller of the Russian treasury, speaking before the budget committee of the Russian parliament. It ran thus: "With the war and without vodka Russia is more prosperous than with vodka and without the war."

## ALCOHOLIC HARD TO HANDLE.

The alcoholic always does badly under surgery. In the first place it takes a great deal more anesthetic to get him ready for the operation, and that adds to his risk. In the second place, he is much more likely to have diseased kidneys and liver, and that adds yet more to his risk, and thirdly, the risk of insanity and of pneumonia after an operation is greater. The abstinent man and woman stand operations best.—Dr. Howard A. Kelly Johns Hopkins University, noted surgeon.

## PLAGUE STOPPED

No Display Will Be Seen at the Big Vehicle Exhibit in Peoria Because of Hoof-and-Mouth Disease.

Peoria.—Because of the prevalence of hoof-and-mouth disease the exhibition of swine and cattle has been abandoned by the officials of the National Implement and Vehicle show, which has opened here. The Great Western races started a few days' session on the opening day. Nearly 300 entries have been received.

Danville.—Several meetings of city editors of Illinois daily papers in Illinois will be held annually, according to a decision reached at a meeting of 30 city editors of Illinois dailies here. The Illinois City Editors' association was formed along the lines of similar organizations in other states. An interchange of ideas will be indulged in at the meetings and if the scheme proves plausible various editors will exchange news stories that are not of enough importance to be handled by news services. There are 171 daily newspapers in Illinois, and efforts will be made to make every city editor a member of the new association.

Chicago.—Long "hikes" are to be taken by officers drilling with civilians at the military training camp at Fort Sheridan. Carrying the regulation equipment—rifle and a 42-pound knapsack—the men will be taken on "hikes" daily and the distance will be increased as they become hardened. The war department, it was announced, has ordered three officers from the army service school at Fort Leavenworth to attend the camp as instructors.

Bloomington.—Charging conspiracy upon the part of his wife and an attending physician, John Conover, a prominent farmer of Yorkville, procured his release from the insane asylum at Bartonville by means of a writ of habeas corpus. Proceedings were not opposed by the asylum authorities.

Murphysboro.—After being out nearly twenty-four hours, the jury in circuit court here found Lonie Rogers guilty of murder and sentenced him to life imprisonment. Rogers murdered his brother while they were at work in a sawmill near Elkhart.

Aurora.—Waldo Thomas of Big Rock won the Wheatland championship plowing contest for the second time in two years. Thomas is the only plowman who has won the Wheatland and Big Rock plowing championship contests.

Galesburg.—C. H. Burt, druggist, pleaded guilty to a charge of selling liquor in anti-saloon territory. Besides paying a fine, Burt gave a bond of \$1,000 as a guaranty that he would not sell any more liquor.

Morris.—The board of supervisors has decided to build more state aid roads and has accepted the state allotment of \$8,841 for this purpose in Grundy. The county will pay a similar amount.

Murphysboro.—More than 6,000 requests for admission to the hanging of Joe Deberry, murderer of Mrs. James H. Martin, have been received by Sheriff White of Jackson county. Deberry is to be hanged October 16.

Duquoin.—W. T. Morris, representative from the Forty-fourth district to the Forty-ninth general assembly, was awarded a gold medal for honesty at the miners' first aid contest held at the Perry county fair, Pinckneyville.

Dimick.—Five generations were represented at the birthday celebration of Nicholas Atkin here. Nearly sixty descendants of the centenarian observed the occasion with him.

Murphysboro.—Following close upon two shootings, the city council has ordered the city attorney to draw up an ordinance imposing a fine of \$50 upon any person caught "toting" a gun.

Bishop Hill.—The annual reunion of the Bishop Hill Old Settlers' association was held. Bishop Hill was originally a religious, communistic colony, founded by Swedish settlers.

Lanark.—After more than twenty-six years of "odd life, Mrs. Thomas Slifer, aged ninety-six, died at her home here. Her husband, ninety-seven years old, survives her.

Mt. Pulaski.—The Corn Growers' association held a meeting to get a date for this year's annual exhibition, and decided on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 28, 29 and 30.

Carthage.—Mrs. Laura Porter of this town was elected president of the Illinois Christian woman's board of missions at the closing session of its convention at Bloomington.

Edwardsville.—The date for the dedication of the new Madison county courthouse here has been changed from October 16 to October 18.

Springfield.—William Gilbert Roby, seventy years old, was killed by a train here. On his person was found a statement written by him several years ago, declaring that he would meet a violent death. He had planned for his funeral services, prepared the sermon and named three hymns he wished to be sung. He was a former Christian minister.

Chicago.—Mrs. Myrtle Hamilton, aged twenty-seven, died as a result of taking bichloride of mercury ten days ago.

Springfield.—Another outbreak of the foot-and-mouth disease was reported to the state board of live stock commissioners from La Salle county, near La Salle. This is the first case of foot-and-mouth in that vicinity.

Farmington.—Mary Garvel, a seven-year-old girl living near here, has a freak pet, a young wolf which is said to be as tame and companionable as the most docile dog. The wolf is six months old.

Bloomington.—After an exciting chase through Bloomington and Normal three men who attempted a bold confidence game giving names of Frank Mitchell, Frank Purcell and John Hardy, all of Chicago, were captured.

Foosland.—While hunting near Foosland Donald Jones killed a bald eagle, now almost extinct in Illinois. The bird measured seven and one-half feet across its wings. After being stuffed and mounted the bird was presented to the school at Scotland.

Techy.—A boy whose clothing caught fire from a forge, ran through the mechanical building of the St. Joseph institute here and set fire to the place. The entire structure was soon in flames and a half million dollars' worth of school property was threatened.

Springfield.—Several people were injured when a steamer on the Illinois Traction system jumped the track at Woodside, near here, and rolled down an embankment. The car was the rear one in a train of three cars. When it left the track the coupling broke and the other cars remained on the track. There were 20 people in the car.

Galena.—Galena is "covered" with water two to ten feet deep of a cloudburst north of property damage to Galena houses and farmlands reaching thousands of dollars. The fire four hotels, filled with customers, were flooded and the loss of commission from the business houses on Main street, estimated.

Danville.—John Graham, nature produce for him, wild ducks, muskrats, and black bass are laboring. The "nature" stunks, 50 stands of beaver, 100 ducks, hundreds of thousands of bass, and a country trapping skunks and them to the farm, where they are milked. They feed on wild crab apples and scraps of meat.

Danville.—After trying for 17 years to find his brother, who left home suddenly while ill and dependent, a brother is living in Arizona. Seely has received word that the brother is living in Arizona. Seely wrote to postmasters in all parts of the West, and one postmaster gave the inquiry to a newspaper, Geo. Jackson, a miner, saw the item and informed Seely that his brother, Mr. Seely, has producing mines far distant from any railroad aid, has a fortune of \$100,000.

Chicago.—"My husband has been married seven times since he was sixteen years ago," Mrs. Julia Devery, 2433 West Monroe street, told County Judge Seully. "My daughter has gone to live with my sister, and my son, Howard, abuses me and refuses to provide for me." Mrs. Devery gave a list of her husband's wives, including the present Mrs. Belle Dreyer, now living with him at Pullman. Judge Seully referred the case to the social service department.

Cartersville.—William A. York and wife, Rutha, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at the residence of their son-in-law, B. F. Crain, Mrs. York is seventy years old.

Mrs. York's seven children have been sexton, and she has three sons, four grandchildren, and one great-grandchild, all living in the city.

Waynesville.—Mr. and Mrs. Hiller and family, Herrin; Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. York and family, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Crain, Cartersville. Mr. York was a member of Company H, Thirty-first Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and is a member of Cartersville Post 237, G. A. R.

Rock Island.—Levi S. McCabe, former member of the Illinois state senate, died of apoplexy at his home here, aged seventy-two. He had conducted a department store in this city 43 years. His wife and three daughters survive him.

Pontiac.—The seventy-eighth anniversary sessions of the Bloomington Baptist association closed here by electing the following officers: Moderator, Dr. J. L. Jackson, Bloomington; clerk, Rev. N. J. Hutton, Lincoln; treasurer, S. C. Nixon, Deer Creek; trustees for three years, Homer Bates, Normal; W. H. Marshall, Deer Creek.

## TIMELY FALL HINTS FOR THE LADIES

**Wool Dresses**—We want you to call and look over this line of ready-to-wear school dresses. You will find that there is absolutely no saving in making such things at home. There are several patterns to choose from, all well made.

**Ladies' Breakfast Suits**—Neatly and as well made as the home made garment, with that nifty effect that can not be obtained by the home dressmaker.

**Bungalow Aprons**—You cannot get away from the fact that these garments are great values at 50 and 59c. Call and see them.

**Ladies' Silk Hose**—The best that can be bought anywhere for the prices, which are 25c, 39c, 50c, \$1.00 per pair.

**Ladies' Shoes**—The nicest line we have ever shown, including gun metal with cloth top in button and lace; patent leather also in button and lace.

# JOHN LEMBKE

### Announcement

I will move my electric shop from the 1st of October into the building recently vacated by the Crescent Remedy Co., where I will carry a complete line of electric fixtures, supplies and repairs and will be prepared to do all kinds of electrical wiring and repairing, efficiently, promptly, at a reasonable cost by experienced electricians. Your patronage will be appreciated. I also have the sale of lamps for the Utilities company.

The Genoa Electric Shop  
W. F. Hemenway, proprietor

Headache caused by eyestrain cannot be cured by medicine. Properly adjusted glasses cure many forms of headache. Dr. Barber, a successful Optometrist, is in Genoa every other Wednesday at Dr. Grunlund's office. He has been in business nineteen years, is a college graduate and a member of the Illinois State Society of Optometrists. It costs you no car-fare to see him. Repair work promptly attended to. He will be in Genoa Wednesday, October 6th.

Whom to Send For.  
"A couple of men are going up to try the new aeroplane," said the officer of the guard. "Shall we send for the colonel?" "No," replied the orderly. "Send for the surgeon."

To Remove Paint.  
Equal parts of ammonia and turpentine will take paint out of clothing, no matter how hard or dry it is. Saturate spots two or three times, then wash in warm soapsuds.

Many Juvenile Readers.  
More than seven and a half million books are lent by London public libraries in a year, the juvenile readers taking considerably over a million.

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## A Chinese Message

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Translation of the above.

Petey Wales will have an extraordinarily good program of motion pictures at the Genoa House next Wednesday night. Admission One Dime. Be There.

...of Sycamore  
...chilly nights rem  
...bed blankets. I have  
...line to select from. Price  
...from 25c to \$5.00. Agent  
...Eldredge and Spool sewing ma  
...chine. Something new. Call and  
...let us show you. W. W. Cooper

The DeKalb County Telephone Co. placed a new messenger wire on Main street this week, also taking up the slack in the cable. From all indications the poles will remain on Main street, this winter, at least.

Union flour mill now ready for custom work. We would be pleased to have a trial. Wheat flour, graham or rye flour made on short notice. Satisfaction guaranteed and prices reasonable. Union, Illinois, Sept. 20th, 1915. Wertz & Shaw.

H. J. Glass is adding new supplies to his electric shop every week and will soon have one of the most complete outfits in the country. If you have any work in the electrical line have a talk with him. Open every evening and Saturday afternoons.

The Sophomores gave a reception to the Freshmen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burke at Charter Grove Thursday evening. The poor Freshies were astonished at the gilt edged showing made by their senior entertainers but say they will hand the freshmen next year some classy entertainment.

Henry Koerner of New Lebanon was badly cut about the head, Saturday, when he fell from the grinding stand at the cider mill and struck his head against the hub cap on the wheel of his wagon. It required ten stitches to close the cut. Dr. Ovitz was the attending physician.

The Comptea, Plumb Stock Company will appear at the Genoa Opera house on the 14 15 16 of October. They were in Genoa last summer for one week, showing to large audiences each night. The plays this year will be all new and first class. And don't forget Petey Wales on the 13th

The new hospital, under ownership and management of Dr. J. W. Ovitz, is a very attractive, home like place consisting of reception room, private office, operating room, kitchenette and beds for the accommodation of five patients. Each room is well equipped, pleasant and bright. Dr. Ovitz announced the opening date for October 1st but two of the beds are already occupied and the nurse, Miss Deschner, is in charge.

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North Bound		
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South Bound		
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Ladies' all wool serge plainly tailored, in blue and black, special price at \$3.00. Other new skirts for \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.00

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The latest styles of white lawns and fine mulls, silks and crepes, 98c, \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$2.50.

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Come in and let us show you our colored cloth tops, black cloth with patent vamp, high, medium and low heels. Gun metal shoes, new nifty styles. Shoes extra wide and large at prices from \$2.50 to \$3.50 Children's shoes.

## F. W. Olmsted, Genoa

The ... and Mrs. W. ... gave Mrs. Lizzie Hoffman a very enjoyable birthday dinner on Friday of last week.

After a summer's rest the various societies and clubs became active with the close of September and the past week was crowded with social affairs.

The first old time dance of the season was held in the Opera House Friday evening, Sept. 24. A large crowd attended the dance and enjoyed themselves to the limit.

Mrs. W. H. Jackman entertained the H. A. G. T. club on Friday of last week in honor of her sisters Misses Abbie and Greta Irvin of Apple River, who have been her guests for some weeks.

The yearly picnic of the M. E. Sunday school was held on Saturday of last week at Oak Park, rain coming after luncheon deprived the children of something due them.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet in the church parlors on Tuesday afternoon Oct. 5. Let all members try to be present as it is our first meeting for the coming year.

Do not carry a watch that is forever losing or gaining time. A bum watch is an annoyance. Take it to Martin. He will make it keep the right time if there is enough of the time piece left to be called a watch.

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If you are still undecided regarding that boy's suit for winter, our line of boys' clothing for fall and winter is here and awaiting your inspection. We wear wearing qualities and moderate prices. We know that these two points have mothers to call and look at these goods.

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## PURELY PERSONAL

Read Olmsted's ad.

Wm. Heed has rented a farm in Minnesota.

William Hayes was a Chicago passenger Monday.

Mrs. W. L. Ritter is visiting relatives in Chicago.

F. O. Holtgren and wife were in Rockford the first of the week.

S. Abraham visited his son, Fred, in Hinsdale during the past week.

E. May of Lamont, Iowa, is visiting in Genoa and Kingston this week.

Mrs. Paul Weber, who has been visiting in California, returned to Genoa last week.

Clarence Butcher, Donnelly Gray, and Milton Corson were in Chicago the first of the week.

J. W. Wylde of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived in Genoa Monday to look after his personal interests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ritter of Chicago were week end visitors at the home of their son, W. L. Ritter.

Wesley Young, who has been visiting in Cambridge arrived in Genoa Sunday for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Wm. Eiklor and son, Raymond, returned the first of the week from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Crossy, Ill.

Miss Emma Wolter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wolter, was taken to Sherman Hospital at Elgin last week, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Read Olmsted's ad.

Fr. O'Brien was in Rockford last Friday.

H. Gill of Marengo was a Genoa caller Saturday.

Ralph Gray has purchased a farm in Minnesota.

T. J. Hoover has taken the agency for Jackson Automobile.

Miss Jennie Pierce of Genoa is nursing in the Sycamore hospital this week.

O. F. Schmidt, principal of the Genoa High School, was a week end visitor in Aurora.

Mrs. Claud Byers of Rockford visited the first of the week with her grandmother, Mrs. J. Fenton.

E. McMackin and son, Wayne, were in Chicago Tuesday. Wayne will attend the University in that city.

Dr. J. H. Danforth and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Croickshank, Jr. autoed to Elkhorn, Wis., last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Glass and family motored to Monunk, Ill., Saturday, where they spent the week end with the former's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Green, who have spent the summer with their daughter, Mrs. F. M. Worcester, left for their home in Kansas City on Saturday evening. Mr. Green finds Genoa wonderfully improved since his last visit in 1901 and thinks it would be a good town for a home.

Marie Fiske of Elgin is visiting at the home of A. D. Hadsall.

N. Montgomery is the proud owner of a Jackson touring car.

Mrs. Alice Bell Watts of Chicago is a guest at the home of A. V. Pierce.

L. D. Chambers of DeKalb spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Watson.

E. McMackin is building a house on the corner of Main and Hadsall streets.

Miss Ella Wolter visited her sister, Emma, at Sherman Hospital last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stewart motored to Chicago Saturday, returning Sunday.

Cora Watson and Esther Smith came from Lombard to spend the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Potter of Chicago were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kohn.

Mrs. C. H. Wager of Genoa is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reube Sternberg in DeKalb this week.

Reports from Mr. Schoonmaker at Excelsior Springs, Mo., regarding the condition of Mr. Kitchen and himself are very favorable.

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Early Slave-Holding State. Maryland was an early slave-holding colony, for in 1642 Governor Calvert bargained with a certain shipmaster for the delivery of 13 African "slaves."

### Fortnightly Club Annual Picnic

Last Saturday afternoon members of the Fortnightly Club and their families had a campfire supper at the bungalow of Mrs. E. A. Robinson west of town. The bungalow and tables were decorated with autumn leaves and vines. The evening was spent in pleasant converse around the open fireplace. Everyone thoroughly enjoying the occasion.

### Bismarck Loved Trees.

Bismarck was a lover of trees, for, though so careless of human lives, the Iron Chancellor would never willingly sacrifice one of "my friends," the trees. On his own estates it was difficult to gain his consent to the removal of a single tree, even when thinning was necessary to the proper growth of the plantations. When he found a workman laying a telegraph wire, coolly cutting branches from a tree that was in his way, Bismarck was furious, and not only severely reprimanded the man himself, but sent for the engineer in charge and lectured him on the criminal laxity of permitting such a sacrilege.

### Company Manners.

The teacher had been giving her little ones some lessons in table manners. "If you want to leave the table," she said, "before the others do you should always say, 'Excuse me.'" The next day, wishing to see how well they remembered her instructions, she asked, "Fred, when should you say 'Excuse me' at the table?"

"When we have company," was the earnest reply. — Pittsburgh Chronicle.

Compton-Plumb Co. Oct. 14, 15, 16

### Help the Little Ones, Too.

To keep ourselves and our children fresh and sound-hearted, we must exercise vigorous, open-eyed choice, and accustom them cheerfully and eagerly to do the same.—Annie Winsor Allen in Atlantic Monthly.

## Just One Safe Bet!

By MOSS.

A deal of skumble-scumble stuff.—Shakespeare.

That just about covers advertising of certain kinds—promiscuous efforts, signifying little.

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For achieving real, definite results hard headed business men know this newspaper is the surest and the best.

This is truth.

### Curious Tolerance.

It's a funny thing, though, that no one ever seems to be bored when money does talk, no matter how long it talks.

Dye From Osage Orange Wood. Osage orange wood is a source of dye and can be used to supplement the imported fustic wood as a permanent yellow for textiles.

Dogs Have Feet Shod. The dogs of Labrador are shod with sealskin shoes, which protect their feet from the sharp ice and enable them to draw much heavier loads.

### With Proviso.

"Well, we'll tell you, George, frankly. You can marry on \$500 a year, yes. Provided you have saved your last year's salary, and likewise provided you can get your next year's salary in advance."

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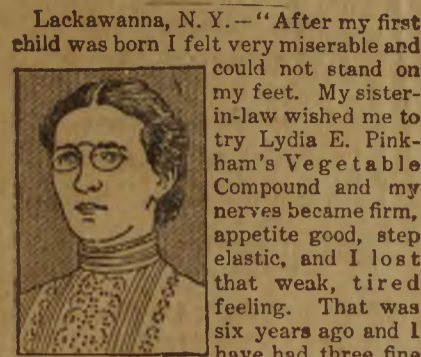
Just bear in mind that I have the largest and most complete stock of underwear in Genoa, including union suits and all the latest fashions for Men, Women and Children. In the fall we have the light weight wool or cotton. We have just the thing for you. Later, when the cool breezes blow from the north you will want the heavy cotton, half cotton or all wool. Here you will find them. Glad to show you at any time and know that our prices are right with the quality.

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# GETTING A ST

By  
NATHANIEL C. FOWLER, Jr.

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## THE COMPLAINER.

You are not altogether satisfied with yourself, with others, with your environment, with conditions. Nobody is satisfied. Neither you nor anybody else will ever be completely satisfied. Full satisfaction leads to stagnation. The satisfied man is a fool, intoxicated with his own satisfaction, never sober enough to do more than stagger along the road of life.

The complete optimist is no better than the contented pig in the well-kept sty.

Regulated dissatisfaction, dissatisfaction based upon fact, is a forerunner of success.

There is, however, a wide gulf between legitimate dissatisfaction and that which consumes the chronic complainer, the disreputable knocker, and the everlasting kicker.

Life is made up of affirmatives and negatives. One without the other is incomplete. The two properly blended are part of the composition of success.

The habitual complainer is an enemy to himself, and he is despised by all with whom he comes in contact. He is a failure at the start, and will be a failure as long as he indulges in chronic dissatisfaction.

Conversely, the complete optimist is dangerous to himself and a menace to society, because he does not know enough to get out of the ruts or to keep from stumbling into holes.

Dissatisfaction has a value only when it spurs one on to better effort. When it deadens one's faculties, as it often does, and takes the gimp out of him, so to speak, it is an evil of the most virulent form.

Nobody likes the constant complainer. He has no friends. He does not occupy any position of responsibility, and he never will. He cannot manage himself or command others. He has no respect for himself and nobody respects him. He is no better than a dead log floating on the stream, accomplishing nothing and serving only as a menace to navigation.

Everybody has troubles, and while every decent man is willing to help others, he cannot afford to give more than a part of his time to listening to complaints, and he should not give any of his time to those which are not legitimate ones and which he cannot assist in remedying.

Keep your troubles to yourself or confine them to your immediate friends. Ninety per cent of trouble doesn't appear. It exists wholly in the mind.

Don't make a specialty of worrying. There is real trouble to worry about, and enough to keep you busy.

Kick when there is something real to kick at. You will strain yourself and sprain your leg if you kick at nothing.

## NATIVES HARD TO EDUCATE

France Has a Problem in the Work It Is Doing in the Society Islands.

On the theory that who can add two and two to make four possesses the beginnings of an education, the French Colonial authorities have caused the neat gray school buildings of Tahiti, Society Islands, to be embellished with an imposing signboard bearing the legend: 2 plus 2 equals 4. Steeped in inherited superstition this simple symbol of erudition is regarded with reverent awe by the native Tahitians. To them it epitomizes the ascendancy of the dominant Gaul.

Nude, save for the ubiquitous red and white calico pareu (knee-length skirt), the lithe brown youths and maidens of this tropical paradise present a grotesque appearance at the modern school desks patiently grappling with the three R's. Marvelously quick to learn, these "sons of the sun" are even quicker to forget, and in a majority of cases, after laboriously acquiring an education, they cast it aside like an outworn garment and return to the old life of ease in the grass-thatched huts under the spreading palms. The pomp and circumstance attending the opera bouffe rule of the French colonial "administration" appeals strongly to the native taste, and if the government is lax and inefficient, the ever lighthearted and childlike islanders find little fault.

**Lumbago.**  
Although it is seldom fatal, few diseases to which mankind is heir cause more intense suffering than lumbago. It is characterized by severe pains like neuralgia or rheumatism in the small of the back. The trouble centers around what are known as the lumbar vertebrae.

The attacks come on and disappear suddenly and are often severe enough to keep the patient in bed, hardly able to move a muscle.

**Hold-Over.**  
"Why, Tommie, how dirty your hands are for so early in the morning! Have you been out here in the fast?"

"No, papa, it's a 'hold-over' from 'em dirty last night."

**The Forecast.**  
It is, in its way, a tribute to the excellence of the arrangements at the front; but there is a grim touch in a soldier's story: "You see, if a number of my chaplains suddenly turn up, we can always guess that something good and hard is going to be done of us shortly."—London

## WHEN IT RAINS, LET IT RAIN.

It was raining hard, and the wind was driving sheets of water against the window panes. The lecture room was filled. At the appointed hour the professor entered. Mounting the platform, he remarked dryly, "Gentlemen, when it rains, let it rain." Whereupon he immediately left the room.

In these few words were both a lecture and an object lesson, and the students never forgot the occurrence.

When it rains, let it rain. Why not? If it wants to rain, it will rain, and all the ingenuity of man cannot prevent the downfall. If it did not rain part of the time, the world would tire of sunshine. Contrasts are necessary to progress.

The good would not be good if it were not in competition with the bad. Continuous enjoyment breeds stagnation.

Suffering has its place, and so have worry and discouragement.

The great navigator, who, in the glory of his power, stands upon the bridge of the ocean greyhound and steers his ship through mountainous waves and the wind of the tornado, would not be happy or satisfied piloting a flat boat on a calm and placid river.

If the Road of Life were smooth and without handicaps, men would be like animals, without ambition and without incentive to master both themselves and the conditions in which they found themselves.

When it rains, let it rain. Do not be concerned in stopping the rain, but be ever anxious to meet the downpour and to devise means for protecting yourself against it.

The brave man, the man who wins in every kind of strife, does not try to get rid of trouble, but, rather, arms himself to meet it. He accepts the night as well as the day; he loves the storm as well as the calm; he uses disaster, if it must come, as an experience of extreme value in the race of his life. He has no patience with monotony. He is strenuous as well as cautious, and when he conquers trouble he is proud of his ability to win.

No success worth while ever occurred on a smooth road. Men of power reached their positions because their paths were strewn with disaster and they had opportunity to use the ability which Nature gave them and which they developed in danger as well as in safety.

When it rains, let it rain. Don't think of the wet of the rain, but concern yourself with meeting it, protecting yourself against it. Do not allow it to wet your ambition or to soak your energy.

When it rains, let it rain. When disaster meets you, do not turn your back upon it, but face it like a man. If these things were not necessary for the development of the human race, the all-wise Creator would not have permitted them to exist.

Learn life's affirmatives by not avoiding its negatives. There would be no affirmative unless opposite it were a negative.

When it rains, let it rain. It will.

## FINDS NEW RACE OF INDIANS

Explorer Who Is Investigating Brazil Writes That Savages Worshiped Him as God.

Albert Lang, who is exploring the sources of the Amazon for the Brazilian government, has informed F. N. Dellenbaugh, secretary of the Explorers' club, of the discovery of a new tribe of Indians, 1,000 miles from civilization, between the headwaters of the Cañary and Moju rivers. Mr. Lang gives a picturesque description of the savages, who, he says, took him for a god, embracing his feet to show their devotion. Their tools, he writes, are of stone, and their ideas so unusual as to suggest their belonging to another age. The Jewish cast of their features might lead one to infer that they were of the lost tribes did not their ignorance of iron and writing argue against it.

"I am sitting in a maloca (hut)," writes Mr. Lang, "of a curious tribe of genuine savages, arriving here after taking my six-man canoe above the headwaters of the Cañary and Moju rivers, fighting our way through five dangerous rapids to get here. After 15 days' search I got in touch with a virgin tribe, which can be so described because they are wholly untouched and unspoiled by civilization. They use stone axes and by their aid have cleared away some 30 acres of jungle, and so blunt are these tools that the trees look as if they had been chewed off."

**Various Ways to Kill Quack Grass**  
One Good Plan Is to Plow Late in Fall, Thus Exposing Plant Roots to Frost.

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Best Rotation Is a Three-Year One, Consisting of Corn, Which Is to Be Cut and Removed Early Enough to Allow the Ground to Be Put into Wheat, Which Is Seeded With Clover.

(By W. MILTON KELLY.)

The organic matter in sandy soils is held in a more accessible form for plant food than any other soil. It does not crust over and become hard, is warm and easy to work, will not get sticky and adhere to the farm machinery when being worked, more of the land can be worked with the same amount of labor and it will bring the earliest market crops of any kind of soil and the work may be done at times when it would be difficult to work other land on account of being wet and muddy.

When the land was first cultivated it yielded large and profitable crops and the common idea was that the soil was strong and inexhaustible, but we have found out to our sorrow that a loose system of cropping without restoring the removed fertility has led to soil ruin.

The question that confronts us is how to restore these lands to their former state of productiveness without paying out more than the lands will be worth when we have accomplished our purpose.

In the first place the sand itself contains but little real plant food, but in the so-called sandy soils we find a large proportion of earth and the sand fulfills the office of a sponge to hold the water and plant food in a form accessible for the use of the young rootlets of the plant to feed upon, thus all of the plant food is made available so rapidly that the soil soon becomes exhausted from too heavy cropping.

The great question is how to supply and keep up the organic matter in the soil sufficient to produce crops. Plants of heavy growth might be sown and plowed under for this purpose but the leguminous plants to which clover and cowpeas belong have so far given better results, for the reason that they draw largely from the air and deposit in the soil valuable fertilizing elements.

The best rotation to adopt after the land is again brought into use will be a three years' rotation, consisting of corn which is to be cut and removed early enough in fall to

allow the ground to be put into wheat which is seeded with clover. If the clover crop can be pastured with swine or cattle and their droppings be allowed to return to the soil it will be more beneficial than to allow it to be cut and removed for hay.

The clover sod may be plowed under in the fall and the following summer a crop of corn be cultivated and when replowed for wheat after the corn, it will require but little cloverseed to insure a vigorous stand, for much of the clover seed from the year before will remain in the soil and grow.

In applying manure to the rotation on sandy soil, we have found it best



Cutting Hay in Comfort.

to apply it as a top dressing on the clover seeding; for the reason that the plants will take up the fertilizing elements and hold them in the soil until such time as they are needed for the crops that follow in the rotation, instead of allowing them to leach and wash away from the land. This will also improve the texture and water-holding capacity of the soil.

All of the grain raised should be fed out to live stock on the farm and the manure returned to the soil, for clover alone will not keep the soil up forever unless it is supplemented by the use of other plant foods.

When we apply manure to the clover we are getting the lever under the very center of gravity of the whole. If we lift the clover crop the whole farm comes up with it and produces larger and more profitable crops.

**SUNFLOWER DRINKS MUCH WATER DAILY**  
Speculation as to Amount of Moisture Consumed by Roots of Trees in Forests.

Some sections of the East have had more rain than was needed recently. In fact, the torrential precipitation has brought a plague of insect pests into the gardens. But there is another matter to be taken into consideration, and that is the enormous amount of water absorbed by plants. On a warm day it has been demonstrated that more than a quart of water enters the roots of the unassuming sunflower of medium size. This opens for speculation the number of thousands of gallons of water that the roots of the forest absorb.

The root performs a threefold function. First it anchors the plant, then it supplies the conduit for the water that is needed for the stem, and it attracts the liquid nourishment.

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# KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Delos Ball and Ed. Stuart went to Chicago last Thursday.

Mrs. Earl Cook of Hampshire was visiting friends here Friday. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lettow attended the funeral of Rev. Holms at Sycamore Tuesday.

Miss Mary Aurner, who is attending school at DeKalb, was home the last of the week.

A dance will be held this evening, Oct. 1, in H. A. Lanan's hall. Ada Rich of Hampshire has been visiting Mrs. E. L. Bradford. Mr. and Mrs. John Uplinger and daughter, Eleanor, autoed to Elgin one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Smith are entertaining the former's mother, Mrs. Myers, of Spring Valley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Heckman and Miss Cora Bell has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Gleason, near Kirkland for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Griffith of Belvidere and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sorg and son, Richard, of Hawkeye, Iowa, visited Mrs. Nina Moore Saturday.

Misses Flossie and Lenner Beckner entertained about fifty young people at their home south of town last Friday evening. A very good time was had by all.

Mrs. Owens and son, Paul, of Lewis County, N. Y., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Burke, have left for California. They will make their trip in an auto.

On last Saturday evening Mrs. E. L. Bradford gave a surprise party for Rev. J. W. Green at her home. Those that were there reported a good time. Refreshments were served.

At the Kingston Baptist church Sunday, Oct. 3 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning service; "A Searching Question," followed by communion service. 7:30 p. m., song service and preaching: "The Shepherd Psalm."

The County Women's Christians Temperance Union held its Annual Convention at the Baptist church in Sycamore, Sept. 21 and 22. The meetings were in charge of Mrs. Ida Frint, county president. All the officers and nearly all the superintendents of the various departments were present. The reports showed much work done in the different lines of work. Miss Hollist of Evanston, state worker, was present.

### Obituary

Rev. Louis August Koeller was born February 5, 1838 in Pommern, Germany, and departed this life at his home in Kingston Twp., DeKalb Co., Ill., on Saturday, September 18, 1915, at the age of 77 years, 7 months and 13 days. In 1847, as a boy 9 years of age, he came to America with his parents who located near Milwaukee, Wis., and remained there for 10 years. Attracted by the opportunities in Illinois they moved to Lemont, Ill. The boy grew up to be a man full of energy and vigor, and was ready for the problems of life. During these years he was converted and became a member of the church of the Evangelical Association. In serving God he displayed the same energy, aggressiveness and zeal as in his daily affairs, and therefore it was not an uncommon thing for him and others to walk to Downer's Grove, a distance of 12 miles, when special meetings were held there. God had a place for a man of such devotion and therefore called him to preach the gospel. He applied to the Illinois Conference for work in the spring of 1863, was licensed to preach and stationed on Cedarville Circuit with the sainted Rev. S. Dickover, a preacher of mighty power. On March 13, of the same year he took to himself a helpmate, Miss Minnie Schultz, who shared life's joys and sorrows with him for over 52 years. The home was blessed with 12 children of whom only 5 are still living. For 15 years Bro. Koeller gave his time and strength to the preaching to the gospel. He served the following fields: Cedarville, 1 yr.; Eagle Lake, near Crown Point, Ind., 1 yr.; El Paso, Ill., 1 yr.; Sterling, 3 yrs.; Black Oak, 2 yrs.; Richland, 2 yrs.; Granville, 2 yrs.; Hampshire, 3 yrs. In 1878 he located on a farm where he lived in the same home till his death. Though retired from the active ministry he continued to be a faithful student of God's word and was ready to preach at any time or place where there was an opportunity. During

the unfortunate difficulties in the denomination he eventually cast his lot with the United Evangelical church and became a member of the congregation at Hampshire.

Bro. Koeller possessed high ideas and in many things he was in advance of his time and the standards of his fellowmen. On this account he was often misunderstood and at times misjudged. At heart he was fully devoted to the Lord and he endeavored to serve him to the best of his ability.

About 2 years ago he suffered a slight stroke of paralysis and since then he gradually faded till God called him home. There remains to mourn his departure his beloved wife, 1 son, 4 daughters, 1 brother and other relatives and friends. The funeral services were held on Tuesday, Sept. 21, in charge of Rev. J. G. Fidler of Rockford and Rev. Messner of Naperville. Interment took place in the Kingston cemetery.

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### Miscellaneous

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# KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Mrs. O. W. Vickell visited in Rockford Monday.  
 Mrs. Geo. Helsdon and sons of Belvidere spent Sunday here.  
 Miss Leon Uplinger is visiting Excelsior Springs, Missouri.  
 Mrs. Stuart Sherman is visiting with relatives and friends in Belvidere this week.

H. N. Peary had another slight stroke of paralysis Tuesday.  
 Miss Alice Briggs was home from Elgin the fore part of this week.  
 Mrs. Patterson of Rockford visited with relatives here Decoration Day.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stark were

Chicago visitors last week Thursday.  
 Misses Cora Bell and Ferne Witter were Rockford visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Heda Worcester of Rockford is the guest of friends here this week.

John Helsdon of DeKalb spent Sunday and Monday with relatives here.

J. C. Miller of Belvidere was the guest of relatives here Decoration Day.

Mrs. Emily McCollom is entertaining her grandson, Wyllis Gross, of Esmond.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Lucas of Belvidere visited at the Dr. E. C. Burton home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gibbs and children of Beloit, Wis., spent Decoration Day with relatives.

H. M. Stark and grand-daughter, Ada Armbruster, left Monday for McClare, Colorado, to visit relatives.

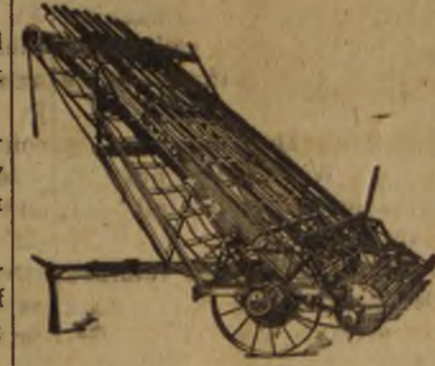
Miss Beatrice Ort is spending a few weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Floyd Hubler at Rockford.

Mrs. Martha Bishop returned to her home in Chicago Monday after a few weeks visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Mattie Sisson and son, Floyd Yonkin, of DeKalb visited here with relatives here the first of the week.

Orris Hix and daughter, Dorothy, of DeKalb visited at the home of his mother, Mrs. A. E. Hix, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Graham were called to Belvidere the first of the week on account of the death of the former's father.



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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwebke and Miss Blanche Whitney of Belvidere were Sunday guests at the Sherman home.

Mrs. Ida Breed, who is spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lettow has gone to Rockford for a few day's visit.

Memorial services were held here Sunday. A band of 12 pieces was here from Belvidere and the music was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Lilly Powers and daughters of Chicago have been visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Ball.

Mrs. Emma Tazwell and daughter, Edna, of DeKalb were over Sunday visitors at the home of the former's son, Roy Tazwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pratt and son returned to their home in Beloit, Wis., the first of the week after a few days' visit with friends in Kingston.

Roy Outman, who has been spending the past two weeks, at the home of his sister, Mrs. R. S. Tazwell, returned to his home in Marseilles, Ill., Tuesday.

Miss Ada Lilly, teacher in the primary room of the Kingston school, has returned to her home at Durand, Ill., for the summer vacation and Miss Lolo Hohm, teacher of the grammar room, has returned to her home at Syca more, Illinois.

Willie Ball, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Ball, northwest of Kingston was taken back to St. Anthony hospital at Rockford Tuesday where he will be operated on again for appendicitis. He was operated upon a few weeks ago, but he had not thoroughly recovered.

### Dreams.

It is a common saying that one dreams of that which one has been thinking most about. This is the exception and not the rule. The dream may be of something that one thought of at some time, but possibly not for years, that would not be recalled in waking hours, which had lain dormant in the mind, to be prosacally rehearsed through some operation of physical functions, such as impeded respiration, feverish conditions, some posture of the body, a late supper, possibly ended with a dessert of mince pie, stomachic distress, clogging of the circulation or some bodily pain.

### Enlarged Tonsils and Adenoids.

Before operating to remove adenoids and tonsils the health of the child should always be built up. If there is an existing cold this must be treated and cured. If the teeth are decayed they must be filled. Treating the teeth and the practicing of deep breathing exercises will be all that is needed to cure tonsil disease if it is strictly local, and not the expression of a systematic condition or some recent infection.

### Aluminum.

Aluminum cooking utensils are a delight until they turn dark inside—then they are abomination. It is easy, however, to keep them bright. Either wash them in soda and water or boil tomato parings in them; cuttings from rubarb and the water it was washed in alone will often do the work. So will lemon and table salt.

### Chemicals of Little Effect.

Experiments with various chemical extinguishers for fighting forest fires have not been very successful. The unlimited supply of oxygen in the open forest, officers say, tends to neutralize the effect of the chemicals.

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LAND FOR SALE—295 acre farm in Martin county, Minn. 21 acres of timber land in Genoa township. A lot in Oak Park addition, on Main and B. streets. A large lot on Washington street. See H. A. Perkins, Genoa. 4-tf.

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FOR SALE—Durham cow, heavy springer. Inquire of G. C. Kitchen.

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### Much in Brief Dream.

It is written of one of the most eminent of Englishmen who was dictating to his amanuensis chapters of an important work, and while so engaged was overcome by sleep. He dreamed of matters of great moment, of diplomatic conferences, exhausting many days and weeks. Becoming awake he chided his secretary for permitting him to sleep, and was astounded to be told by the scrivener that he had not finished the last sentence that had been dictated. Volumes have been written crammed with such experiences in infinite variety.

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Half an hour later, when the camp was settling down to rest, there was a fresh stir and hubbub and a third spy was brought in, who also would reveal nothing, and was finally placed in the tent with his fellows.

Soon the guards outside heard a murmur of voices from within. The dumb spies had found their tongues, but it was impossible to overhear their talk distinctly or to understand it. An hour or more passed.

Then the door of the tent was thrown open, and the third spy appeared and asked to be taken to headquarters. There he threw off his disguise and revealed—General Kitchener! He had discovered all he wanted to know.

### Considerate.

"Parson (making a pastoral call)—Why doesn't your husband come to church, Mrs. Gooding?"

"Oh, he talks so in his sleep."—Browning's Magazine.

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### Cured by a Bullet.

Private Redmond of the First Colorado volunteers, once on duty at Manila, was the star stutterer of the English army corps. Nothing in the way of treatment did him any good, and he realized sadly that he could never be even a noncommissioned officer, because he could not give the simplest words of command without stuttering. He was a brave and efficient soldier, and always first in the firing line.

At the battle of Marquis Redmond was shot in the mouth. The Mauser bullet passed downward and came out at the nape of the neck.

He was taken to the hospital, where he recovered rapidly, and all that could be seen of the wound was a little scar about his upper lip where the bullet entered. But the remarkable thing about the affair was when he left the hospital he was cured of his habit of stuttering. How it happened neither he nor the doctors can explain, but he was so joyous over the fact that he blessed the bullet that brought him relief.

Alphabetical.

Willis—Won't you dine with me? Gillis—Thank you, I just dined. I was home and had my regular meal of apples, apricots and asparagus.

Willis—Isn't that a rather odd combination? Gillis—Well, you see, my wife went to a domestic science school and had to leave after the first week.—Life.

Her Opinion.

"Are you fond of bridge?" "Well, it beats washing dishes any day."

Putting it to Use.

Jones—What's the Oh Joy silver mine stock selling for now? Broker—Wall paper.

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## HOW TO INCREASE PROFITS FROM DAIRY



Sanitary Milk Pail, in Two Parts, Top Tenting Cheesecloth Strainer—The Diameter.

Mixed farming as a tocsin has been sounded for a number of years, and today it is being adopted pretty generally throughout the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. There are those who have made no greater success of it than they did when they pursued grain growing alone, but where one has failed to accomplish what he had hoped to do, dozens have scored success.

From Sedgewick, Alberta, we hear of E. L. Deputy, for past twelve years manager for Frye & Sons, packers, Seattle, who during 1914 were the largest buyers of hogs on Alberta markets. He is taking up active work on his 1,200-acre farm near Sedgewick. Although he was one of the highest paid salaried officials on the Pacific Coast, his frequent visits and personal knowledge of farming conditions in Western Canada convinced him there are greater opportunities in farming Alberta land than in commercial life, with greater assurance of ultimate independence and prospects of home-making under the most desirable conditions.

Thomas McKay, a farmer near Hardisty, Alberta, has this to say about the country:

"I came to Hardisty from Oage City, Kansas, nine years ago and took up a homestead here. This is a good district for the farmer who wishes to raise grain exclusively, and as a mixed farming country it cannot be beaten anywhere in the world to my knowledge.

"I had ten cattle, which ranged outside all last winter, and this spring they were fat enough for the market, this without being fed but one night during the entire winter; they were fine fat cattle and looked beautiful. I raised some wheat here which weighed sixty-seven and a half pounds to the bushel, government weight, and which I shipped to Calgary. The miller who bought it said that it was the best wheat that had ever gone into Calgary. Wheat in this district yields as high as forty bushels to the acre, oats average sixty bushels. Alfalfa does well here.

"All in all I think the farmers are very well satisfied with the country, and the farmer who farms his land intelligently is sure to make a success. The climate here is the best I have ever lived in, the summers are delightful and the winters are mild. There has never been a blizzard during the nine years I have lived here nor any cyclones or wind storms."

A settler in the neighborhood of Gleichen, Alberta, spent \$2,000 in improving his quarter section, has 125 acres ready for crop, keeps 70 head of stock, believes in mixed farming, keeps two hired men, one all year, the other in summer only. He milks 12 to 13 cows, and receives an average monthly cream cheque of \$110. Last

## LITTLE HELPS FOR A THRIFTY FARMER

Get Mowing Machine in Order Before Haying Commences—Don't Plow Too Early.

One of the best things you can do to make the mowing machine work better is to take off the guards, if they are somewhat worn, and grind them along the edge that comes next to the sections. It is quite a job, but it pays well. Take a day before haying time really commences, so the work may not be delayed.

Look out for any weak or broken places in the hay rigging. It is no fun and it may be really dangerous to have a breakdown with a load of hay on. Look after this now while other work is not pressing. It is the neglected stitch that splits the garment.

It's a big mistake to plow when the ground shows up slick and oozy, as it leaves the moldboard. Too wet, and that means clods and impairment of the texture of the soil. We are all too eager to turn the ground over as soon as the spring days come, but a little patience and good sense will save trouble later and add to the bulk of the crops.

## SCIENTIFIC FARMER ALWAYS IN DEMAND

Good Jobs Ready for Graduates of Dairy and Horticultural Schools at Big Salary.

The graduates of dairy and horticultural schools have no trouble in finding good jobs these days. The young man who knows the science of good farming and how to apply it commands \$75 to \$100 a month, with his board and lodging, and lives easily, comfortably and wholesomely. The farmer, who can do so, should give his sons the education that will lift them to the heights of their occupation.

Young men trained so that they can command such financial returns for their services to others can use their scientific training to still greater profit for themselves. The scientific farmer, who is worth \$100 or \$150 a month to another man, is worth \$200 to \$300 to himself, if he apply science to his own soil.

No Place for the Scrub.

The scrub has no place on the farm. It certainly is an unwarranted expense in the dairy herd. It is a great loss in the hog pen, and the hen house hasn't room for such a bird.

Harvest Depends on Seed.

Remember that the harvest depends upon the seed. You can't raise a large crop from indifferent seed.

## EXCELLENT FARMING CONDITIONS IN CANADA

### Letters from Settlers Indicating Growing Prosperity.

The present year will add another proof that farming in Western Canada, when carried on with the same energy and system devoted to other lines of business, will bring about results fully as satisfactory.

Mixed farming as a tocsin has been sounded for a number of years, and today it is being adopted pretty generally throughout the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. There are those who have made no greater success of it than they did when they pursued grain growing alone, but where one has failed to accomplish what he had hoped to do, dozens have scored success.

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Thomas McKay, a farmer near Hardisty, Alberta, has this to say about the country:

"I came to Hardisty from Oage City, Kansas, nine years ago and took up a homestead here. This is a good district for the farmer who wishes to raise grain exclusively, and as a mixed farming country it cannot be beaten anywhere in the world to my knowledge.

"I had ten cattle, which ranged outside all last winter, and this spring they were fat enough for the market, this without being fed but one night during the entire winter; they were fine fat cattle and looked beautiful. I raised some wheat here which weighed sixty-seven and a half pounds to the bushel, government weight, and which I shipped to Calgary. The miller who bought it said that it was the best wheat that had ever gone into Calgary. Wheat in this district yields as high as forty bushels to the acre, oats average sixty bushels. Alfalfa does well here.

"All in all I think the farmers are very well satisfied with the country, and the farmer who farms his land intelligently is sure to make a success. The climate here is the best I have ever lived in, the summers are delightful and the winters are mild. There has never been a blizzard during the nine years I have lived here nor any cyclones or wind storms."

A settler in the neighborhood of Gleichen, Alberta, spent \$2,000 in improving his quarter section, has 125 acres ready for crop, keeps 70 head of stock, believes in mixed farming, keeps two hired men, one all year, the other in summer only. He milks 12 to 13 cows, and receives an average monthly cream cheque of \$110. Last

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## BLANCHING CELERY IS VERY IMPORTANT

Under good conditions celery plants grow very rapidly. Soon after the plants are well started they should be given a light application of nitrate of soda and another about two weeks later; this is all they will need until they have reached the proper growth.

Celery is blanched in several ways, but the best practice for the farm is to place the plants in a trench about twelve inches deep, twelve inches wide. The plants are taken up with a spading fork, the roots trimmed off square and all faulty stalks should be removed from the outside of the bunch.

Place the plants four in a row and pack a little damp soil around the roots. After the plants have been placed in the trench, place a 12-inch board on each side of the plants and draw the tops slightly together. A board placed on top will make a covering which will protect the plants until hard, freezing weather, when litter and earth must be thrown over the trench to prevent them from freezing. The slightest touch with frost will ruin them. If celery is to be marketed late in the winter it should be placed in a hotbed or in earth in the cellar, or in a storage house.

The big celery growers follow the same method except that after the plants are placed in the trench with the boards on either side of the rows, which are gradually withdrawn until the trench is nearly filled, leaving the tops above the surface. Then a little straw is placed over the tops and held down by an occasional shovelful of earth, and this is added to as weather becomes colder.

Some growers blanch their celery by placing over the plants a section of drain tile and covering up the top with a coarse cloth or litter.

Blanching is really a very important part of producing good celery; because, unless the plants are white, firm and tender they are not unpalatable for the farmer's family, but are of course unsalable.

Excluding the light induces a solid growth in the heart of the plant, and this growth is very rapid. It also turns plant from green to pure white. Persons contemplating growing celery for market should not attempt to do so until they have visited one of the large commercial celery gardens and learned from observation exactly how the work of seeding, transplanting, cultivating and marketing is done. But the farmer who simply desires to grow enough celery for his family use may, if he follows instructions, grow good crops, always provided that his soil is very rich and well drained.

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