

THIS WAS NEWS IN THE YEAR 1896

Items Concerning Events of a Quarter Century Ago

FROM FILES OF THE OLD ISSUE

Many Names You Will Remember and Memories Old Timers Will Cherish

25 Years Ago
Clipped from columns of the Genoa issue of March 5, 1896:

Mary had a little mule
Which followed her to skule
And the teacher like a fule
Stepped up behind the mule
And hit it with a rule—
Now there isn't any skule!
Butter sold for 22 cents on the Elgin board of trade Monday.
Miss Hendricks of Elgin was a Sunday guest at J. E. Stoff's.
Clark Strong has finished a business course in the Elgin Business college.

Miss Blanche Kitchen returned Sunday after a several months' visit in Iowa.

Mrs. James Hewitt was called to Wheaton by the sudden illness of her mother.

Frank Jackman and F. O. Holtgren have each added a handsome piano to their attractive homes.

The melting of ice last week caused the usually tranquil Kishwaukee to become a raging torrent.

H. J. Wells has fitted up the rear of his grocery as a meat market.

Mrs. J. D. Page is in Chicago for a two weeks' siege of millinery work.

Lute Hill and Frank Vail were over from Marengo last week assisting Jas. R. Kiernan in setting up machinery.

Benny Goldman bought of L. C. Lovell of Sycamore a \$100 mandolin, inlaid with pearl.

C. P. Kilbarrn has quit the shoe factory and gone to Dixon. He was tuba player in the band and the boys regret his leaving.

The little folks surprised Master Earle Brown Monday evening. Among those present were Lila Oaks, Libbie Browne, Lula Oaks, Della Kiernan, Frankie Wylde, Lawrence Kiernan and Freddie Browne.

W. E. Lawyer has commenced housekeeping in the rooms over Holtgren's store.

[There will be no more items of "25 years ago" until June 1, 1925, as no papers were filed in the issue office after March 5, 1896. The next Genoa paper of permanent record is the Genoa Journal of June 1, 1900. Since that time the files have been kept complete. Ed.]

MARENGO EXCITED

The "Economist" Quotes Prominent Business Man of that City

There is much excitement at Marengo, in McHenry county, Illinois, about 60 miles northwest of Chicago, where indications, according to the geological survey, point to a heavy bed of oil. Preliminary steps to its development are now being taken by a Mr. Donner, who claims to represent the Standard Oil Company. Mr. Donner appeared in the town some weeks ago and immediately opened an office where two stenographers are engaged attending to his correspondence, but he frankly states that he has no stock to sell. Two derricks are being put up and wells will be sunk. The field is two miles north of Marengo and land is being leased in every direction.

A. S. Norton, one of the prominent business men of Marengo, who was in Chicago yesterday, said that natural gas was discovered some years ago at the depth of an ordinary well. He speaks in a most hopeful manner of the developments now taking place. "The whole country is enthusiastic over the prospects," he said.—Economist, Feb. 12, 1921.

NEW SHOE SHOP

Thos. Cornwell, who lost everything in the recent fire on West Main St., will soon be better equipped than ever before for repairing shoes. He will be located in the basement of the Crawford building with an entirely new outfit of modern machinery. Orders for repairs may be left with A. D. Gates Shoe Co. on the first floor, who will transact all business connected with the repair work. Mr. Cornwell expects to be ready for bench work the last of this week and will have the complete line of machinery in working order before another week.

REPORTS NEW MARKETING PLAN

Work of Committee of Seventeen Progressing on Co-operative Lines

LAW OF SUPPLY AND DEMAND

Is Recognized in the Deliberations—National Sales Agency Proposed

The committee of seventeen, which was appointed last August by J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, has finally made public the framework of its plans for improving marketing conditions for the farmer.

The plan formulated is to have grain handled through a national sales agency which will comprise hundreds of thousands of grain growers, who will agree to market their grain exclusively through the new system. Growers of all organizations will be eligible to membership. The central idea is that the farmer shall control and manage the machinery of distribution.

Elevator facilities now in existence will be used; nothing will be junked or discarded. An attempt will be made to convert all into co-operative institutions, and wherever it is necessary new ones will be built. Many co-operative elevators owned by farmers are ready to use.

Growers who join the sales agency will go into contract with the local co-operative elevator association to sell grain according to the new plan.

The farmer will have the option of selling his grain through a pooling system or on consignment. Where the grain is pooled it will be transported to a national warehouse and later disposed of, and each man will get his share according to the quantity and grade of his grain. This is the California co-operative plan now being successfully operated by the prune and orange growers.

Where the grain is sold on consignment, the farmer will be paid cash at the local elevator, the amount being based on the market price.

The national sales agency will dispose of the grain with its own facilities. To do this the co-operative farmer believes it will be necessary for him to hold a seat on the various grain exchanges whether he wishes to use it or not. As now constituted however, he is not eligible to a seat. Bills are before the legislatures of Missouri and Minnesota and will soon be introduced in Illinois and other states to permit farmers' co-operative marketing organizations to hold seats on the board of trade.

The new plan provides for farmer control of the warehouses at great terminal markets. The grain will be graded in government licensed warehouses. By issuing warehouse receipts, which will be the base of credit, money can be borrowed on the grain. Instead of the growers' products being dumped on the market within a short period, it will be possible to distribute it over a larger period.

A finance corporation will be set up in order that farmers may provide their own adequate credit for the financing of their crop through the local elevators. In addition an export corporation will be established to promote foreign trade and have charge of sales abroad. A service department will also be maintained to provide statistical information concerning crops and market conditions, legal advice, transportation and insurance.

It is proposed to incorporate the national sales agency in the form of a non-profit, non-stock grain growers' co-operative membership organization. Branch sales offices will be provided in all important grain marketing centers to handle the grain for each natural grain district.

The membership subscription of the growers will provide the agency with its initial working capital. Later it will be run by assessing a handling charge on all grain marketed.

With the framework of the plan built the committee of seventeen is now hard at work with the details. When the plan is finished it will be submitted to a convention of farmers' organizations.

It will be noted that the committee has not made any attempt to belittle the law of supply and demand, but the chief object seems to be the eradicating of "gambling" in produce. "Gambling" and speculating should not be confused. Any business is a speculation to a certain degree.

Under the system as outlined above,

THE HONOR ROLL IS NOW READY

DeKalb Chronicle Finishes Big Task of Publishing County War Record

BEAUTIFUL BOOK OF PORTRAITS

Every Family Having Relatives in World War Should have a Copy as an Heirloom

In June, 1919, the DeKalb Chronicle Publishing Co., of which F. W. Greenway and E. J. Raymond are the enterprising and affable publishers, started the herculean task of gathering data and photographs for the publication of an honor roll of DeKalb county soldiers and war workers of the world war. For nearly two years this work has been in progress and at last the task is finished, the result being a magnificent book, containing hundreds of portraits and invaluable facts of record. The work is beautifully printed on book paper, substantially bound and is a credit to the publishers.

So far as has been possible after diligent search and inquiry, the work presents an authentic record, showing the photographs and biographies of all "the boys" from DeKalb county and others who so brilliantly represented their county, and the state of Illinois in the world war.

The book will also contain portraits of red cross workers, red cross nurses, liberty loan and war drive officials of the county.

At the time of gathering information, subscriptions for the book were taken, a deposit of \$2.50 being made at that time. Now those subscribing are requested to remit the balance, \$5.00 and the book will be shipped at once.

A quantity of extra copies were published and will be sold to those who apply first. This work will become more valuable as the years go by. Send your order in today to the Chronicle.

SYCAMORE MAN DEAD

George W. Dunton was One of County Seat's Best Citizens

Geo. W. Dunton, president of the Sycamore National bank, died at his Sycamore home Saturday evening.

While transacting business as usual at the bank on Saturday afternoon, he mentioned that he did not feel well, and he had promised his wife and daughters that he would return home earlier than usual, as they had some engagements. He took a taxi home at about 4 o'clock, and after greeting his wife who was upstairs lay down on a sofa downstairs. The housekeeper heard him breathing regularly for some time. Shortly before 6 o'clock Mrs. Dunton called him, but receiving no answer, she found that he had peacefully passed from this life. He had not been as well as usual for some months. His death was due to an affection of the heart.

George W. Dunton was born at Belvidere, Ill., on August 6, 1854, his parents being William S. and Aimira Baldwin Dunton.

On August 6, 1885, was celebrated the marriage of Mr. Dunton and Miss Lavinia S. Denton, a native of this county and a daughter of Solomon and Olive Denton. She survives with their two daughters, Martha A., and Mary O., who have been making their home with their parents.

LIGHT OCCUPATION

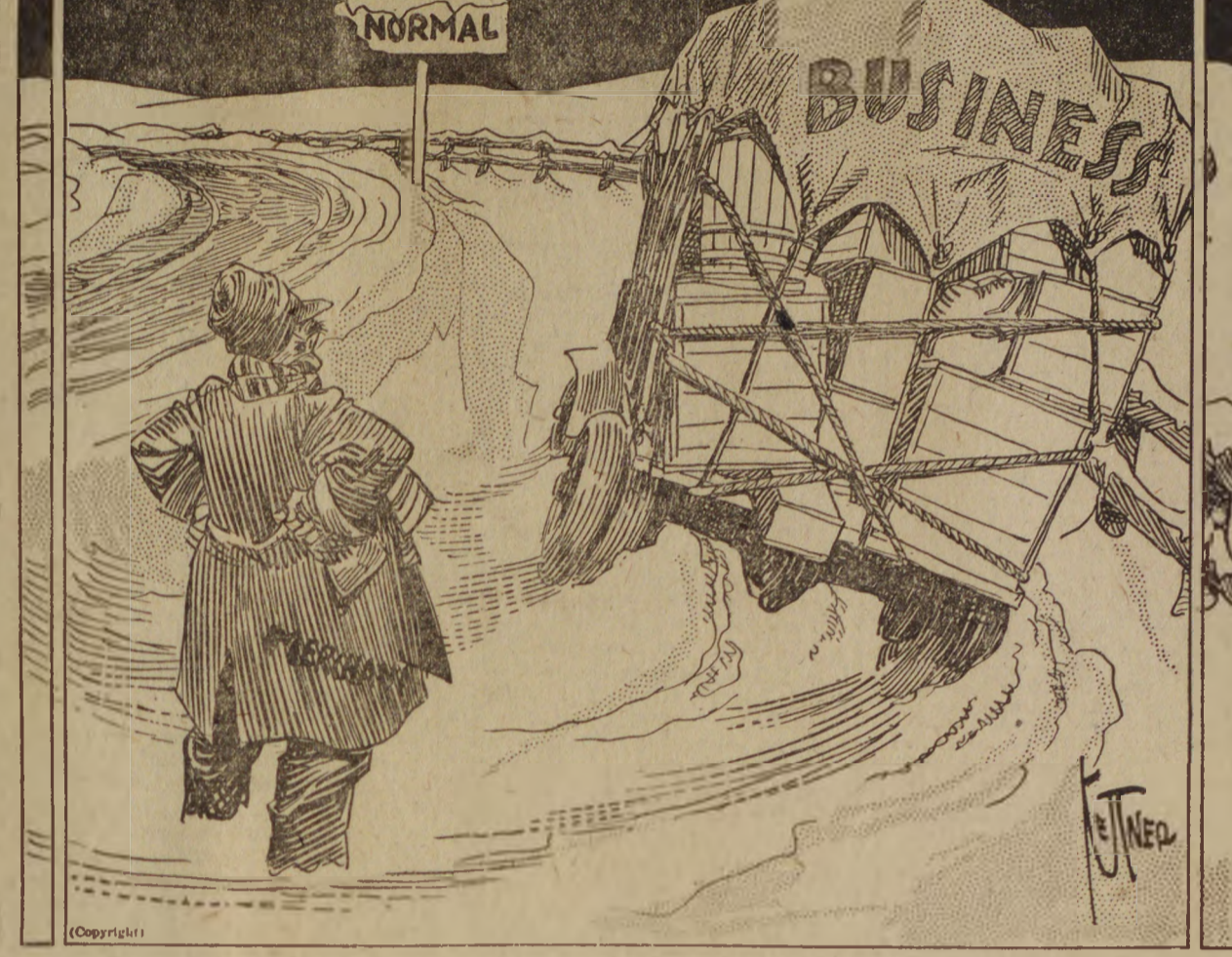
Robbing Freight Cars Seems to Be An Easy Stunt

Frank Amborn and Fred E. Sherburne of Crystal Lake were held over to the grand jury on \$2000 bonds after a hearing in Justice Brown's court last week, charged with burglary and larceny of freight and express shipments at Crystal Lake.

George Haas, Crystal Lake farmer, and his son, Charles Haas, were held over Thursday on the same charge. The arrest of Amborn and Haas and his son followed the confession of Sherburne. Thousands of dollars worth of express and freight goods have been stolen in the last year at Crystal Lake from cars and the station of the North Western railroad.

The farmers will not find it necessary to buy up all the elevators in the country but can transact business thru the local agencies as they now exist, either on a commission basis or otherwise.

Skidded



PROFIT SHARING PLAN

Kankakee County Farmers Hit on New Plan

A profit-sharing plan whereby farm help will be paid a minimum wage, with increased compensation based on corn prices, will be tried this season by members of the Kankakee County Crop and Soil Improvement association.

If successful it may be followed more extensively in later years. The plan provides a minimum wage rate per month for married men and another rate for single men, with larger wages based on higher corn prices. Corn being the main crop in this section it is being made the basis on which to compute price fluctuations.

Married men will receive fifty dollars a month with garden and potato patch; two quarts of milk a day; 250 pounds of meat at hog killing time, if corn is less than 70 cents a bushel between plowing and March 1. If corn goes to 80 cents for any five days the farmer is to pay \$55 a month and all back wages on the same basis. If corn goes to 90 cents for No. 3 the worker gets \$60 a month with back pay on the same basis. If corn goes to \$1 a bushel the worker is to get \$85 a month with back pay for all months.

Single men, if corn is less than 70 cents a bushel receive \$35 a month. If corn goes to 80 cents, \$40 a month, if to 90 cents, \$45 a month, and \$1, \$50 a month with back pay.

This plan was worked out by the township labor administrators relief of the late war, and has the sanction of the above named association. It is largely in the nature of a recommendation.

However, it gives a basis to "dicker" on by farmers and their help. In a general way it is regarded as fair considering the present depressed state of agriculture, to both farmers and the workers.

SUICIDE AT MARENGO

Frank G. Hackley, Retired Merchant, Grows Despondent

Frank G. Hackley who was found lying dead over a gas stove at his home in Marengo Friday took his own life during a temporary fit of insanity while despondent because of poor health.

The well known Marengo merchant who was seventy-eight years old, had been in poor health for several years and worry and despondency preyed upon his mind so that Friday morning while his wife was working at a dentist's office he closed doors of the kitchen at his home and turned on gas burners of the stove. He was found asphyxiated shortly before 11 o'clock.

Hackley retired slightly more than three years ago after twenty years in the grocery business. Before that time he was a successful farmer. He retired from the grocery business because of age and poor health.

Besides his wife he is survived by a step-daughter, Mrs. Harold Graves of Chicago, and a stepson, John Hackley of Chicago.

FAY GETS JOB

DeKalb's Great Lincoln Authority Goes to Springfield

Herbert Wells Fay of DeKalb, known the state over as an authority on the life of Abraham Lincoln, and possessing more than 6,000 pictures of the emancipator, has been named as custodian of the Lincoln monument at Springfield. He has also been asked to add to the collection of Lincoln curios now at the Springfield monument formerly in charge of E. S. Johnson.

Following the death of E. S. Johnson, the former custodian, Senator H. G. Wright of DeKalb, immediately made application for Mr. Fay to take the work. It was through the efforts of the DeKalb senator, which were entirely unknown to the Lincoln man, that the appointment was made yesterday.

There are few people in the country who have a larger or more complete photographic history of the life of Abraham Lincoln says the Chronicle. Herbert Wells Fay has devoted much of his life to the collection of pictures, his hobby being Lincoln.

Mr. Fay states that while the new appointment will require most of his time being spent at the state capitol, he does not plan to move there for the time at least.

BUTTER KING DEAD

John Newman of Elgin Called Last Friday

John Newman, one of Elgin's best known and most respected citizens, died Friday night at the family home, 321 Division street, after an illness of a few days.

Engaging in the creamery business he became one of the most extensive manufacturers of butter in the United States. In 1878 the "Springbrook Creameries" were started by him and expansion continued until he became owner of creameries throughout Northern Illinois, Southern Wisconsin and Iowa. Disposing of his dry goods business he devoted his entire time to the butter industry, which was later sold to his brother, Joseph Newman.

A GREAT DISPLAY OF COLORS

What is without exception the most beautiful line of wood colors and finishes ever shown in this city, is the DuPont-Harrison line now on exhibition in window display of Baldwin's Pharmacy.

The apparent value of the products of a great paint house are here clearly demonstrated by the beautiful results obtained on the ordinary pine wood surfaces, in comparison with other high priced woods. In perfect harmony with these finishes are also shown the flat wall and decorative colors, combined with a system of interior wall decoration, surpassing in its beauty and simplicity of application.

It is on this class of work that the DuPont great line stands alone and has never been surpassed by any paint and color manufacturer. Adv. Read the Want Ads.

GENOA COMMUNITY CLUB

Senator H. G. Wright Will Speak Monday Afternoon

The March meeting of the Genoa Community Club will be held in Odd Fellows Hall, Monday, March 7 at 2:30 o'clock.

The program of the afternoon will be in charge of the music and social committees which have secured for a speaker, Senator H. G. Wright of DeKalb. Senator Wright is an able speaker and will address the club on the subject of "Our Inherent Individual Rights."

The committees in charge have decided to make this an open meeting for all women of the community and strongly urge every woman, whether a club member or not, to manifest her loyalty to our senator by being present. Any club member who has friends belonging to an out of town club may feel free to invite them to the meeting. Let us not forget the date of this meeting and our duty to those, who represent us in our government. Irma Perkins, President

BOOZE AT DEKALB

Several Arrested and Liquors Dumped Into Gutters

DeKalb Chronicle: In a series of raids conducted here yesterday afternoon at the instance of H. T. McGrath, deputy internal revenue collector, by Sheriff Decker and assistants, several men were arrested, several hundred gallons of wine and moonshine whiskey and several stills were confiscated. At two o'clock this afternoon the men were arraigned before Justice Mitchell and a continuance taken by the state's attorney until next week. Those who could furnish bail were released until the matter is again called by the court.

Those arrested were: John Koach, proprietor of the grocery and meat market on North Tenth street.

Joe Hedrick, lives on Pine street.

Waso Pamurine, lives at Seventh and Oak streets.

Tony Darin, Sino Gusich, Jovan Gabovich, George Colovich, all living in the northeast part of the city.

In the possession of John Koach on North Tenth street, it is alleged that the raiders found 700 gallons of grape wine, possessing somewhat of a kick and also a still. It is alleged the still found on the Koach property was not in operation but it was evident that it had been used.

At several other places stills were found, it is alleged, one place in particular, the officers finding a mash and still in a basement ready for operation.

Considerable of the confiscated wines and liquors were dumped into the gutter yesterday afternoon by the raiders in the vicinity of Seventh and Oak and Pine streets. There were a lot of fellows standing smacking their lips, humming to themselves, "How Dry I Am."

Mrs. Harry Merritt, who has been seriously ill the past week, is recovering.

WILL BEAUTIFY THE PUBLIC PARK

Community Club Raising Funds to Defray Expense of Improvements

BAKERY SALE NEXT SATURDAY

Park Will be Provided with Benches and Shrubbery and Flowers Planted

If the Genoa waterworks park will be a beauty spot before the coming summer is over. It will not only be attractive as to appearance, but a place of comfort and recreation. In short the park will be a practical asset to the city and community instead of a hidden and practically forbidden property.

The Club has not yet perfected definite plans. The available funds at hand when the time arrives for making the improvements will be the determining factor in that respect. Owing to the condition of the city treasury, it is not expected that the council can assist much financially in putting in improvements, but that body will be asked to lend all assistance possible in other ways. The Club is confident of this acquiescence and co-operation or it would not now be making plans.

Among the improvements and additions contemplated are benches, electric lights, flowers and shrubbery, having the street in front of the park in trim condition, etc. It can be made a real show place and one in which citizens of the community will find comfort.

The Bakery Sale

The Community Club has the Rest Room now well established, has dedicated the memorial tree and now seek funds for the above proposition. The first attempt to raise these funds will be made Saturday afternoon when a bakery sale will be held at the Legion Rooms. An abundance of home baked cakes, cookies, bread and doughnuts is assured, many having been solicited to contribute to the sale.

JOHN HADSALL RETIRES

A. D. Hadsall Now Sole Proprietor of The Genoa Lumber Co. Business

The firm of John Hadsall & Son was dissolved this week, the junior partner, A. D. Hadsall, becoming the sole proprietor of the Genoa Lumber Co. on the 1st of March. The latter has a wide acquaintance in the surrounding country, has been identified with the lumber and coal business for years (in fact, grew up with it) and is in every way fitted to continue the game with satisfaction to himself and the trade. For the present he will not attempt to take on any large contract building jobs, but will consider and continue to give prompt service in the construction of smaller jobs.

John Hadsall has been in business in Genoa thirty-two years, first starting in the coal business in the year 1889. In the following year he entered into partnership with Orrin Merritt, who at that time was dealing in lumber. The two men pooled their stocks and continued in partnership until 1907 when Mr. Merritt died at a ripe old age.

From that date until 1911 Mr. Hadsall continued the business alone, when he took his son, A. D., into partnership, doing business under the firm name, The Genoa Lumber Co.

During the past year some essential improvements have been made in the buildings of the company and it is now in better shape than ever to take care of the trade.

The Republican wishes the Junior Hadsall nothing less than the success which crowned the efforts of his sire.

MILK PRICE UNCHANGED

One Hundred Pounds Will Sell for \$2.35 During March

The price to be paid farmers of northern Illinois, northern Indiana and southern Wisconsin for milk in March will be \$2.35 a hundred pounds or \$1.95 a can. This is the same price as paid in February.

The price was set today at a meeting of the Milk Producers' Co-operative Marketing company officials with buyers in Chicago.

NOTICE

If you have moved your piano or have not had it tuned for six months, IT NEEDS TUNING. Harry H. Holmes tunes and repairs pianos. Box 66, Genoa, Ill.

GROWING OLD TOO SOON?

In backache wearing you out—making you feel years older than you are? It's you find it hard to keep going? It's time, then, you looked to your kidneys.

An Iowa Case
Fay C. Glidden, 47 years old, writes: "My back aches and my head aches. I had dizzy spells. My kidneys were not in good shape."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

A Springfield Woman Testifies

Springfield, Ill.—"When I reached middle life my health became very poor and I had spells of dizziness. I was also in an expectant condition when I commenced to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic and nerve and this medicine proved of wonderful benefit to me. I had practically no suffering and my baby was an unusually healthy one. I recommend the Prescription to all women who are ailing."

Contains no alcohol or any narcotic.

SQUEEZED TO DEATH

When the body begins to stiffen and movement becomes painful it is usually an indication that the kidneys are out of order. Keep these organs healthy by taking

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES
The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles. Famous since 1896. Take regularly and keep in good health.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM
Removes Dandruff—Stops Hair Falling—Restores Color and Brings Back Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair.

HINDERCORNS
Removes Corns, Calluses, etc. Stays all pain, ensures comfort to the feet, makes walking easy. By mail or at Drug Store.

Shave With Cuticura Soap The New Way Without Mug

FIRE YOUR BOSS. Be independent. Make sixty dollars weekly demonstrating DEVEREUX and MALCOLM'S HOME-A-GLOW mantle lamp. City brightness for oil lamp users.

Didn't Seem Fair. Dolly had been taken to church for the first time. On returning home her mother asked her what she thought of the service.

"I liked it very much," she replied. "But there was one thing I didn't think was fair."

Whenever there is a tendency to constipation, sick-headache or biliousness, take a cup of Garfield Tea. All druggists.—Adv.

Returning the Compliment. Professor's Wife—I suppose you have forgotten that this is the anniversary of your wedding day?

A man looking for trouble can generally find it. Half the battle is in making up your mind to fight.

Sure Relief
BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION 25 CENTS
6 BELLANS Hot water Sure Relief
BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION
W. N. U., CHICAGO, NO. 10-1921.

The DARK MIRROR

by Louis Joseph Vance
Author of "The False Faces," "The Lone Wolf," Etc.
Illustrated by Irwin Myers
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THE AMATEUR SLEUTH.

Syppeta—Vaguely conscious of a double personality, but without any idea of its meaning, the girl, Leonora, makes her accustomed way into the Street of Strange Faces in the underworld of New York.

II. AUTO-HYPNOSIS—Continued.

"I wonder . . . Priscilla sipped her tea. "Maybe you're right . . . But still I don't see why I shouldn't go on with the painting. Just one more day, Philip."

"How can I enjoy such things with this trouble?" "That's just it. Until we find the explanation, which may take time, you're bound to keep worrying unless you go out more into the world. I'm in earnest about this, Priscilla; promise to keep away from the studio for at least three days."

III. THE PRESCRIPTION.

Priscilla had a pensive moment. "Hypnotism?" she echoed her thought; "I wonder if that's one way . . . Do you think you could get at the truth, Philip, if you were to hypnotize me and then cross-examine me?"

"I'd rather not except as a last resort. Hypnotism demands such complete surrender to the will of the hypnotist, it tends to undermine the independence of the ego which is essential to the right development of the individual."

"But what else can we do?" "Many things . . . To begin with, I want to take this story home with me and go over it word by word. As it stands, in its intrinsic significance, it's an absolutely unique human document, utterly artless and honest. The clue we need may be in it, in some unconscious betrayal of repressed emotion or desire; it may lie hidden in some turn of phrasing, even in some unusual word, the word you wouldn't ordinarily use to express your thought. Such things can only be got at through close study."

"What else?" "Oh, plain sleuthing, for one—like digging into the mystery of your parents' marriage, finding out why they were unhappy, and especially why your mother was and what sort of family she had behind her—whether, in short, it's possible that you've inherited some psychic tradition. There are families, for instance, that hand down from generation to generation the clairvoyant tendency we know by the name of second sight. Finally, we may find the police useful."

She smiled feebly, her hands sketched a sign of apology and chagrin. "I've been silly again! What have I been saying, Philip?" "It doesn't matter. Will you give me this evening and do your best to help me enjoy it?"

CHAPTER FOUR The Haunting Portrait.

I. IN THE AIR.

That was the year of the impetuous spring; March brewed weather whose golden graciousness she stole from May. April brought times of summer heat, such as that afternoon when Priscilla fell asleep in the studio and dreamed her dream of terror.

III. THE AMATEUR SLEUTH.

Dreading the past for the truth about Priscilla's mother brought to light nothing that seemed helpful. In twenty-odd years New York itself had changed almost beyond recognition and the constitution of its society had been made over again and again till few of the original elements remained.

II. ANALYSIS.

Love worried Philip Fosdick with relentless importunity, whether he were behind the desk in his consultation room, doing his best to give his best to those unfortunates who sought him out to lay open distressed hearts and bespeak his sympathy and healing counsel, or whether he sat in solitude cudgeling his wits for insight into the mystery that shadowed the happiness of the woman he loved.

However nearly akin they might be to more than one of these, what Fosdick for want of a better name continued with Priscilla to term her "dreams" persisted in defying classification by virtue of a perverse sort of intrinsic uniqueness. For they were in no sense true dreams, having none of the features peculiar to those fantastic inventions of the mind uncensored by waking consciousness.

Further: Priscilla was not hysterical, neurotic or anemic. Neither was she of unsound mind. Hallucinations, trances and ecstasies take shape only in the miasma of insanitary mental and physical states. The man who since her earliest days had adored and watched over her, knew few minds more clear of vision, unprepossessed by illusions, or capable of straight, honest reasoning. But it was not more sane than her well nourished, groomed and guarded body.

or condition independent of the recognized channels of the senses, and also under such circumstances that no known mind external to the percipient's can be suggested as the source of the knowledge thus gained."

And yet, Fosdick had repeatedly to remind himself, the projection of a secondary personality through any considerable distance in space, or the creation of a new and strange environment for its activities, was a phenomenon as yet even to be suggested by the most pretentious charlatan or the most credulous pseudo-scientific student of the psychic.

Nevertheless, he felt constrained provisionally to adopt the hypothesis of dual personality and upon it base the beginnings of his survey.

From other sources, by dint of guarded and seemingly casual but persistent gossiping in the lounges of clubs frequented by the elder generations, Fosdick learned that Maine had been regretfully guilty of romantic indiscretion in marrying a woman of a world outside his own. But her very name had been forgotten. He found, indeed, nobody who remembered Mrs. Maine, and but few who recalled the tradition of a hot-blooded, high-spirited creature whose hopeless impatience of restraints and conventions defied all Maine's half-hearted attempts to reconcile his wife with his friends and mode of life, till, discouraged, he disappeared with her and for some years absented himself utterly from New York.

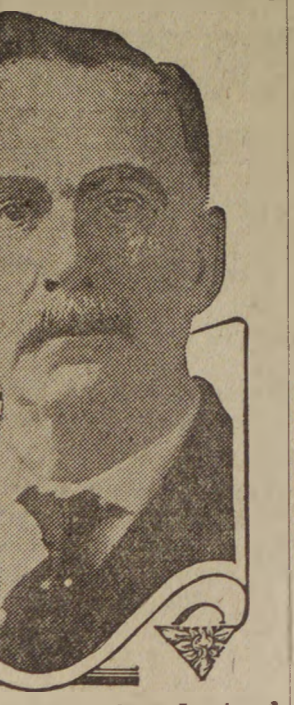
Disappointed but not discouraged, Fosdick turned to other avenues of investigation. Bound by his pledge to Priscilla not to consult the police, discreet employment of channels of information provided by a wide acquaintance among newspaper men nevertheless brought him all police headquarters knew about the Bielinsky affair. Nothing was known concerning the party in the room at Ristori's by way of which the Russian escaped after adding two murders to his score. The name of Red Carnehan had not been mentioned in connection with the crime. There was, however, such a person, a notorious gang-leader of the lower East side.

Considering it essential that he should learn more of Mr. Carnehan and his friends, and perceiving but one way to gain that information without breaking his promise to Priscilla, Philip adopted it without more hesitation.

On the following morning Priscilla, calling up his office, was informed that Doctor Fosdick had been suddenly called out of town on a case of vital importance.

"Red sent me to tell yuh he wants yuh!" (TO BE CONTINUED.)

W. H. JOHNSON, of Portland, Ore., who says no one could have done him any greater kindness than the friend who advised him to try Tanlac.—Gains fifteen pounds.



"Not in a long time have I enjoyed such good health or felt so well generally as I do since taking Tanlac," said W. H. Johnson, 319 East 43rd St., Portland, Ore., who holds a responsible position with the Northwest Transfer Company.

"About a year ago I began suffering from lack of appetite and stomach trouble and since that time—that is, until Tanlac set me right—I have felt so poorly that I could hardly do my work. My food seemed to do me little good, if any, as my digestion was bad, and I lost both weight and strength continually."

"After every meal there was a dull, nagging pain in the pit of my stomach that kept me feeling miserable for hours. The gas from my sour, undigested food would bloat me up terribly and my nerves were so upset that I would lie awake half the night unable to sleep. I was constantly having blinding dizzy spells and could not bend over and straighten up quickly but what everything seemed as dark as night to me."

"I was telling a friend one day how bad I felt and he advised me to try Tanlac and I just want to say he couldn't have done me a greater kindness."

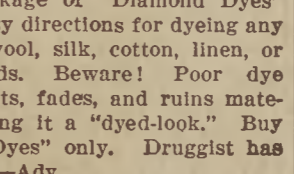
"I have picked up all of fifteen pounds in weight, my appetite is fine, and although I am eating just anything I want my stomach never gives me a particle of trouble. My sleep is sound and restful and my strength and energy have been so renewed that my work is no longer a burden to me."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.—Adv.

The surest way to get rich is to keep up business and keep down expenses.

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January Grist. "How are things coming, old man?" "If you refer to bills, they are coming thick and fast."

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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

Personal

Milton H. Smith, president of the Louisville & Nashville Railway company, died at his home at Louisville, Ky., after a heart attack.

Washington

Issuance of certificates for partial payments to railroads, aggregating approximately \$340,000,000, will be started at once as the result of President Wilson's approval of the Winslow bill at Washington.

The house at Washington by a vote of 307 to 8, refused to seat Henry H. Bodensat of Milwaukee, who claimed election from the Fifth Wisconsin district in spite of the majority given Victor Berger.

President-elect Harding sent word to senate Republican leaders at Washington that he desired adequate appropriations for the navy and favored continuing the present building program.

Senator Cummins at Washington predicted government ownership of the railroads unless they reduce operating costs within a year. He proposes legislation consolidating the roads into 14 or 18 systems.

Creation of a bureau in the Navy department at Washington to control all the naval air activities is provided for in the annual appropriation bill reported to the senate by the senate naval affairs committee.

President Wilson at Washington nominated as brigadier generals Col. Albert J. Bowley of California and Col. William H. Johnston of Ohio.

President Wilson at Washington was urged to veto the Winston-Townsend bill as "an unjustified and unjustifiable concession to the railway owners who have shown a wanton disregard for laws and lawful processes" in a resolution adopted by the executives of national and international trade unions affiliated in the American Federation of Labor.

By a vote of 220 to 121 the house at Washington vetoed an appropriation of \$1,250,000 for the aerial mail service.

The first of the big annual appropriation bills passed at this session of congress was signed by President Wilson at Washington. It appropriates funds for the maintenance of the District of Columbia government.

Declaring the transportation act a failure both in theory and effect, William G. McAdoo, director general of railroads during the war, said at Washington that the carriers were drifting toward government ownership.

A compromise agreement fixing the tariff on wheat at 35 cents a bushel was reached by senate and house conferees considering the Fordney emergency tariff bill at Washington.

Domestic

A check for \$26,000—reward for capture of William Dalton and recovery of the \$771,500 bonds—was handed to Paul Draper at Heyworth, Ill., by O. H. Edmonds of the Northern Trust company of Chicago.

Bribes totaling \$1,000,000, ranging in sums from \$5 to \$200,000, have been offered William J. McCarthy, supervising prohibition enforcement agent for New England, since last July, he announced at Boston.

Crazed with drugs, T. L. Harris, a negro, killed a policeman and injured two negroes at Washington before the police shot him to death. The negro had charged through the street flourishing a large revolver.

The submarine S-48, launched at the yards of the Torpedo Boat company at Bridgeport, Conn., marks the latest developments in submarine construction for the American navy.

Judge S. H. Sibley, in the United States court at Atlanta, Ga., signed an order appointing President B. L. Bugg as receiver for the Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic railway.

The American Federation of Labor, through Samuel Gompers at Washington, has telegraphed President-elect Harding, urging him to appoint as secretary of labor a representative of the organized labor movement.

One naval enlisted man is dead, 15 are missing, and two are injured as the result of a collision between the American destroyer Woolsey and the American steamer Steel Inventor off the Pacific coast of Panama.

A seventeen-year-old junior clerk for the Northern Trust company at Chicago walked out of the carefully guarded bank building with \$772,000 worth of unregistered Liberty bonds—as good as gold.

Police raided a private residence at Omaha, Neb., and seized a 35-gallon still and 13 gallons of mash. Ten gallons of whiskey and several cases of figs and lemons were also taken.

Elizabeth Mabel Lance, fifteen years old, stabbed her father to death with a knife, defending her mother, the police say, during a quarrel between her parents, at Philadelphia.

The Most Rev. George W. Mundelein, archbishop of Chicago, will be created a cardinal at a consistory next autumn, it was learned from sources close to the Vatican at Rome.

John Hensen, eighteen, and Henry Carson, sixteen, were killed near Oxford Junction, Ia., when they attempted to drive a team across the tracks ahead of a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train.

Lieut. J. J. O'Connell, the only officer remaining at Tullahoma aviation field at Fort Worth, Tex., received orders to close his quarters and report to Kelly field March 1. Tullahoma field was opened in 1917.

Effective at once first-class passenger rates from the United States to European ports were advanced 10 per cent, says a New York dispatch.

Award by a trial court of \$600,000 damages to the Hotel Woodward company against the Ford Motor company for breach of contract was affirmed by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at New York.

All records for a trip across the continent were broken by the bringing to New York Wednesday afternoon of air mail which left San Francisco Tuesday morning at 4:30 o'clock.

Politics

President-elect Harding at St. Augustine, Fla., completed his cabinet with the choice of Edwin Denby of Detroit for secretary of the navy, Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, and J. J. Davis, secretary of labor. The other members are: Charles E. Hughes, state; Andrew Mellon, treasury; John W. Weeks, war; W. H. M. Daugherty, attorney general; Will H. Hays, postmaster general; A. B. Fall, interior; and Henry Wallace, agriculture.

Foreign

The Italian steamer Argentina sailed from Trieste for New York, carrying 300 Italians who complied with America's quarantine regulations before embarking.

Instructions are understood to have been received by Sir Auckland Geddes, the British ambassador at Washington, to attempt the role of mediator in the controversy between the United States and Japan.

A Mexico City dispatch says a strike on all the railroad lines in Mexico was launched by the railway federation. It is estimated that more than 15,000 men left their posts.

Fighting between Serbians and Montenegrins is reported to be in progress at Podgoritza, Montenegro, says a dispatch from Avlona to the Tempo at Rome. Several villages are said to be burning.

Reports from Frankfurt say that French troops in the occupied zone of Germany are displaying great activity, such as is always the case when drastic measures are contemplated.

A force of 300 Irish attacked a large party of black and tans at Macroom, and after a pitched battle in which a British major was killed, the crown forces withdrew, leaving wounded on the field.

Reports that widespread rebellions have broken out in eastern Russia and that the soviet government has dispatched large forces to attempt to restore order were telegraphed from Helsinki, Finland.

Great Britain is called upon to "set an example to the world" by canceling the war debts owed to her by Italy and France, in a note addressed to the allies by the Italian government at Rome.

A daring robbery was committed at Toronto in the head office of the Bank of Montreal when nearly \$200,000 in cash and \$11,000 worth of securities were stolen from a box in the paying teller's cage.

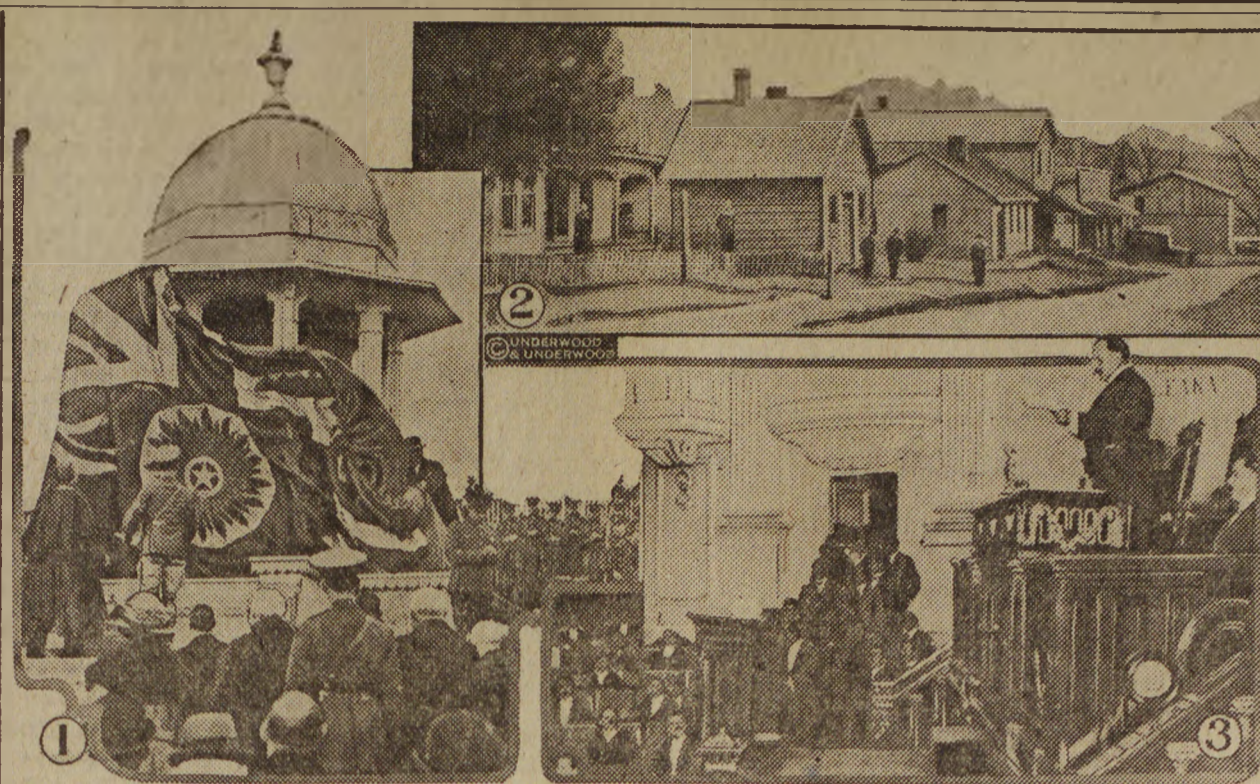
A Constantinople dispatch says that French destroyers, cruising along the eastern coast of the Black sea, have been engaged with soviet forces at Garry, a town 15 miles northwest of Sukhunkale.

Viscount Ishii, the Japanese ambassador, informed the League of Nations council at Paris that Japan will absolutely refuse its consent to any reconsideration of the mandate for the Island of Yap.

It is reported in authoritative circles at Mexico City that France has decided to recognize the Obregon government. Formal announcement is expected within ten days.

A Paris dispatch says that obelisks are to be built on the French battlefields to mark the limits reached by the Germans.

Civil guards at Valencia, Spain, surprised three syndicalists placing bombs and opened fire on them, killing one. The other two men escaped.



1—Prince of Wales unveiling memorial at Brighton to East Indians who died in the war. 2—View of Whitehall, London, near which has been located the present center of population of the United States. 3—President Obregon reading his first message before the Mexican congress.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Organized Labor Defies United States Government in Matter of Injunctions.

IS READY FOR BIG FIGHT

"Bill of Rights" and Legislative Demands Issued—Harding Completes His Cabinet—America Protests Japanese Rule Over Yap—Near East Conference in London.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

Organized labor of America has thrown down before its "enemies" the gauntlet of challenge to a fight to a finish. The United States government is apparently included among those "enemies" and is boldly defied to enforce judicial injunctions in industrial disputes.

Under the leadership of Samuel Gompers the representatives of the national and international unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor met last week in Washington and formulated their "bill of rights" and their demands on the government and the people. In these there is much besides the injunction matter, but that is perhaps the most important. A statement prepared by Mr. Gompers was issued in which the injunction as now used is denounced as unconstitutional and a pure usurpation of power and authority. The only remedy in the hands of the workers, continues the statement, "lies in a flat refusal on the part of labor to recognize or abide by the terms of injunctions which seek to prohibit the doing of acts which the workers have a lawful and guaranteed right to do or which seek to compel workers to do those things which they have a lawful and guaranteed right to refuse to do."

"This is the only immediate course through which labor can find relief, and this course it purposes to pursue. Labor realizes fully the consequences of such a course, but in the defense of American freedom and of American institutions it is compelled to adopt this course, be the consequences what they may."

Of course if this threat is carried out the result will be the arrest of great numbers of working men for violations of injunctions; and, presuming that the courts and government do not yield and that union labor brings into action all its resources, something little short of a state of rebellion will follow. Union labor thinks that its very existence as such is threatened by present tendencies and conditions. Other citizens must see that the threat is directed against the peace of the nation and all that that involves. Nor will the informed and thinking American accept as the truth the statement of Gompers, that only the Federation of Labor is saving the country from Bolshevism. The Reds have done and can do much mischief in America, but there is no real danger of their gaining control here or upsetting our government.

Public support and recognition is asked by the labor leaders for these propositions, comprising their "bill of rights":

The right of the working people to organize into trade unions for the protection of their rights and interests.

The right to, and practice of, collective bargaining by trade unions, through representatives of their own choosing.

The right to work, and to cease work, collectively.

The right collectively to bestow or withhold patronage.

The right to the exercise of collective activities in furtherance of the welfare of labor.

Their legislative program is summarized thus:

"Enactment by congress of legislation to protect the workers in their organized capacity against the concept that there is a property right in human labor.

"No application of the use of injunctions in industrial disputes where they would not apply in the absence of such disputes.

"Prohibition of immigration for not less than two years.

"More general application of the initiative and referendum in the political affairs of the United States and of the states.

"Removal by congress of the usurped power of courts to declare unconstitutional laws enacted by congress.

"Election of judges.

"Immediate restoration of exemption from, or the repeal of, all anti-combination and so-called conspiracy laws.

"Restoration of an adequate federal employment service.

"Administration of credit as a public trust in the interest of all the people.

"Repeal by the states of all industrial court laws and all restrictive and coercive laws, including the so-called open port law of Texas, and freedom from decisions of courts holding trade unions, and individual members thereof, liable in damages for the unlawful acts of others.

"Enactment by congress of a law declaring that labor organizations are not co-partnerships and shall not be so treated in law or in equity.

"Investigation by congress of the activities of so-called private detective agencies in the field of industrial relations."

President-elect Harding's announcement of his completed cabinet may not have aroused any loud cheers of enthusiasm, but it was received with quiet satisfaction and confidence by a large part of the public. Though the list of ten names does not include those of many men of towering eminence, at least, that all the members of the new cabinet are men with ideas and opinions and that they will be actually the advisers of the chief executive.

The only real surprise among the appointments was that of Edwin Denby of Michigan to be secretary of the navy. Not that he is not well equipped to fill the position, but he was barely mentioned in advance. The selection of Mr. Hoover for the portfolio of commerce was gratifying to the public, and that of Mr. Davis for secretary of labor pleased most of the organized labor forces of the country, though he is no longer directly connected with their activities.

Frank Lowden, having declined appointment, Illinois received no place in the cabinet. But many persons are hoping that Mr. Harding will persuade Charles Dawes of Chicago to accept the chairmanship of the commission the executive machinery of the government. This position, Mr. Harding holds, will be almost if not quite as important as a place in the cabinet.

The two great agencies of the allies—the supreme council and the council of the League of Nations—began sessions last week, the former in London and the latter in Paris. The league council first took up the matter of amendments to the covenant, and, because the attitude of the incoming administration in America was in doubt, the question was referred to a committee which will not report before April. This gives Mr. Harding time to define his position on the league.

Then the mandates were brought up for consideration, and again the United States, though not officially represented, made its influence felt. Ambassador Wallace sent word that our State department wished to present its views, and action was halted until the note from Washington arrived. This note, in substance, called attention to the fact that the United States has never given its consent that the Island of Yap be included in the territories subjected to the mandate of Japan, and declares the government cannot regard itself as bound by the terms of that mandate. It asked the council to submit the question to a new investigation.

Secretary Colby also claimed for the United States an equal concern and interest with the other principal allied and associated powers in the disposition of the overseas possessions of Germany.

The net result, at this writing, is a decision to delay all mandate ac-

tion until the May meeting of the league.

The conference in London dealt with the problem of the Near East and the possibility of revising the Sevres treaty. Turkish delegations representing both the Constantinople and the Ankara governments were present and the first part of the week was wasted in their efforts to get together and present a detailed statement of their desires. They finally agreed on demands that Thrace, Smyrna and the Dardanelles be restored to Turkey, and objections to the political, economic and financial control exercised by the allies. However, Reclad Pasha speaking for both groups, assured the conferees that both sections would accept the decision of the allies. The demand that the custody of the Dardanelles be resigned again to the Turks caused much surprise and unfavorable comment, even among the French delegates, who have been generally on the side of Turkey in the present controversy. The Greeks remain uncompromising in their demand that the treaty of Sevres stand virtually unaltered, and it was considered possible the great powers might permit them to try to hold their positions in Turkey, though without assistance from the allies.

According to advices from Constantinople, the Bolsheviks in the Caucasus region have begun warfare against the republic of Georgia and already have occupied considerable territory. First dispatches said the Reds, under command of Budenny, had captured Tiflis, the capital, but later it was reported they had been driven back from the city by the hastily gathered Georgian troops. There is little doubt of the ability of the Bolsheviks to overrun Georgia and reach Erzerum, there establishing contact with the forces of Mustapha Kemal Pasha.

Another Red drive took place in Persia and resulted in the capture of Teheran, the capital, and of the shah himself. This exploit was carried out by several thousands of Persian Cossacks under Reza Khan, who landed on the south shore of the Caspian sea and marched to Kashan and thence to Teheran. Notwithstanding these movements in the east, the great bulk of the Russian Bolshevik army is on the west border preparing for the big spring drive there.

From German news sources comes the information that Montenegro, which has never ceased to protest against the loss of her identity in the formation of the new Jugo-Slavian state, has declared a holy war against Serbia. The message said two Serbian regiments had occupied Cetinje, the Montenegrin capital, and that the situation was considered serious.

While the "war" in Ireland was being carried on with renewed vigor by both sides, the house of commons last week engaged in long and exciting debates on the Irish question. At one time, in rejecting an opposition amendment by a vote of 257 to 88 the house placed its seal of approval on the government's Irish policy. Lord Robert Cecil made his debut as whip of the opposition party in an effective speech in which he demanded that a parliamentary commission make an impartial investigation of the alleged atrocities in Ireland. Sir Hamar Greenwood warned the house that the conspiracy of the Sinn Fein was now directed against England; and he told of a captured document which showed an appropriation of \$30,000 a month for the "republican army," most of which money, he asserted, came from Irish-Americans.

Justice Cohan of the Supreme court of New York, one of the most obnoxious of the anti-English Irishmen in this country, made himself more ridiculous than usual last week by voicing, in a public address, the opinion that the United States should demand of Great Britain that she make Canada free and forever remove the British flag from this continent.

A notable achievement in aviation was the carrying of mail from San Francisco to Mineola, L. I., in 33 hours and 20 minutes. Four planes, two from each coast, started, but only one finished. It was driven by seven pilots.

GIVE ATTENTION TO GARDEN PLOT

Likely to Be Most Profitable Acreage on Farm for Producing Food for Family.

REFUSE SHOULD BE REMOVED

Considerable Increase in Farm Income Can Be Made by Sale of Young Plants in Hotbeds Ready for Transplanting.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Whether it is conducted on an extensive scale to supply the market or whether it is to produce food for the family the garden plot is likely to be the most profitable acreage on the farm.

Any rubbish, dead vines or plants, and bean poles or tomato stakes should be cleared away.

The earliest and choicest vegetables are harvested by the man who maintains a few hotbed sashes and uses them to start his garden. He is able to handicap the frost line by several weeks, and to set strong, well-developed plants in his garden at a time his neighbors are planting seed.

Increase Farm Income.

The farm income is at its lowest point in the early spring, but it can be increased considerably by the sale of young plants grown in the hotbeds and ready for transplanting. Tomato, cabbage, eggplant, and pepper plants are always snapped up when the first warm planting days come, and they are easily grown in the hotbed. A little more space and a little more seed than the grower needs for his own use are likely to bring good profits. Before the ground freezes in the fall is a good time to clean out the old hotbeds.

Unless the soil used in the hotbed is to be exchanged for fresh earth it should be shoveled from the bed and tossed into a pile nearby. The decayed manure from the bottom is scattered over the pile and thoroughly mixed with it to form rich soil for next year's beds. Over this goes a coat of straw or leaves held down by bits of board to keep it from blowing.

Some farmers find it convenient to use evergreen boughs instead of straw for the outer covering.

Hotbed Should Face South.

New hotbed pits should be dug so that they will face the south, and the location should be selected so that the beds will be protected from cold north winds and late spring storms. Sometimes the earth taken from the new pit is suitable for use in the hotbed, but this is the exception rather than the rule.



Coldframe Shown Open for Ventilation and Hardening of Plants—The Hotbed Is Constructed in Much the Same Manner.

A few loads of leaf mold from the woods mixed with the natural soil will often form a smooth, rich, stoneless mass which gives an ideal hotbed filler.

The back or north side of the frame is usually made from 12 to 18 inches high, while the south end is about eight inches, so that the whole bed may have pitch enough to get the sun upon all parts. The standard hotbed sash is handled by most dealers, and measures three feet in width and six feet in length. A frame just wide enough to support the sash seems to be the most satisfactory, though wider beds are sometimes used with supporting ridges placed at six-foot intervals.

A well-painted eypress sash, glazed with good double-strength glass well set in putty should give the careful gardener 12 to 15 years' service.

Heat for the hotbed is furnished by means of a bed of horse manure 8 to 16 inches thick in the bottom of the pit. Permanent hotbeds are often heated with coils of steam or hot-water pipes under the bed.

Hotbeds require constant care to prevent their becoming overheated, especially during bright weather.

KEROSENE TO DESTROY BUGS

Easily Prepared Emulsion of Soap and Oil Is Excellent for Plants and Animals.

Kerosene emulsion is one of the best lice killers on plants and animals, says North Dakota college. It is easily prepared and very cheap. Dissolve one-half pound of soap in one gallon of kerosene and stir very vigorously, or better yet, churn with a force pump for a few minutes. For use, dilute one gallon with nine to ten gallons of water. Stir well. It is best to use rain water. If only a small quantity is wanted use one to two ounces of soap, two quarts of boiling water and one pint of kerosene and dilute to two gallons.

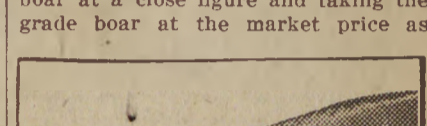
BERKSHIRE BREEDERS BOOST BETTER SIRE'S

Plan Suggested to Increase Use of Purebreds.

American Association Urging Various State Organizations to Favor Exchange of Registered Boars for Grade Animals.

An indication of the active and widespread support being given to the better-sire campaign now systematically fostered by the United States Department of Agriculture is illustrated by a proposal recently made by the American Berkshire association. This association, according to a letter recently received by the department, is suggesting to State Berkshire Breeders' association a plan designed to broaden the market for Berkshire boars and increase the use of purebred animals on farms.

The association is urging the various state organizations to mail circular letters to their members suggesting that breeders exchange purebred boars for grade boars now being used by farmers, pricing the registered boar at a close figure and taking the grade boar at the market price as



A Purebred Berkshire Sow.

part payment, the breeder then sending the grade boar to the butcher. In their letter to the state associations the national body points out that every Berkshire breeder who follows this suggestion does three things:

He puts a Berkshire boar on an additional farm.

He provides a means of getting good Berkshire feeder hogs for the market.

He puts the purebred sire on a farm where formerly there was a grade or scrub.

Signs bearing the legend, "Registered Berkshire boar used on this farm," will be furnished by the American association to all farmers who take advantage of this plan.

There is nothing in the plan, say specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture, that does not seem practicable for any other hog breeders' association to use.

WINDBREAK FOR PROTECTION

Should Be Located on Side of Building and Yards Against Which Prevailing Winds Blow.

Windbreaks for protection of the home and buildings should be located on the side of the structures and the stock-feeding yards against which the prevailing winter winds blow, say forest specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. If a narrow windbreak of only a few rows is planted, it should be several rods distant from the building or yard. Snow drifts under the lee of such a windbreak and lies deep around buildings or a feed lot close to it. This drifting may be partly prevented by planting two narrow windbreaks parallel to each other, about two rods apart. Snow then will drift into, and for the most part be held in, this intervening space.

Windbreaks for crop protection should be arranged to protect the crop from the most damaging winds, which usually come in the summer. As efficient windbreaks give protection along the surface for a distance of from 15 to 20 times their height, the intervals between them should be about 15 or 20 times the height of the trees at their maturity.

POTATOES LOST IN STORAGE

Decay, Shrinkage and Sprouting Are Caused by Too Much Light and High Temperature.

Losses of potatoes in storage can be minimized if proper care and attention are given through the winter. Adequate ventilation must be provided. Storage places should be kept uniformly cool, dark and frost-proof. These precautions are emphasized by potato men of the Minnesota College of Agriculture. Decay, shrinkage and sprouting are caused by light and high temperature.

FEEDING VALUE OF SOY BEAN

Cannot Be Compared to Fodder Corn Because of Protein Content—Supplement Each Other.

Soy beans can scarcely be compared to fodder corn in feeding value because soy beans are very much richer in protein than the corn plant. They are splendid foods to supplement each other in a ration.

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"Killing a lover" seems to be another light occupation in Chicago. A jury of men will no doubt again be lenient because the murderer is a woman. Why not draw a jury of women in the Orthwein case?

INSURANCE AN ASSET

Ned Holman, president of the First National Bank, Guthrie, Okla., says: "My business is that of a banker, which brings me in close touch with other lines of business. I have had much to do with the settlement of estates, which has impressed me most forcibly with the conviction that life insurance protection is a necessity and the money is always needed. I have noticed in particular that whether the estate is large or small, the deceased rich or poor, the insurance money is needed immediately and is the best asset in the estate. Life insurance is one of the safest, wisest and most prudent investment that any person ever makes."

CATS AND CHILDREN

Arthur Brisbane, writing in the Chicago American says: "This is for parents that keep near their children cats, always dangerous in themselves, and always carriers of disease germs in their fur. "Mrs. John Reardon gave a bottle of milk to her 8-month-old baby. The cat, powerful and jealous, attacked the child, biting it dangerously, then attacked the mother. Cats spread scarlet fever, diphtheria and other diseases. Sick children play with kitty and kitty transfers the germs to the cat of the child next door. "A cat in the cellar, killing mice and rats, may have its place, although there are better things than cats for that purpose. A dog, may have its place. But whoever brings his children indoors in contact with animals brings them in contact with disease."

PRESIDENT HARDING

Warren G. Harding, the man, proved himself worthy the name. Harding the senator, proved himself worthy the confidence of his colleagues and his constituents. Will Harding, the president, merit the confidence that the entire people of the nation have placed in him? His past record as man and senator entitles him to the benefit of any doubt that may be entertained by those of opposite political faith. It is up to Mr. Harding. He has the intellect that will lead him in the right direction. He has the precedent of party achievement

back of him and as he takes the oath of office today he knows that he need make no apologies for that party. On the other hand we are confident that President Harding will not let party affiliation stand in the way of serving all the people or exercising his own best judgment.

As a whole he has surrounded himself with a capable cabinet. If Mr. Harding can recognize the intelligence of his cabinet members, listen to their advice without submitting to dictation, he will have proven himself big enough for the job.

COURT HOUSE NOTES
 In Probate Court

George Burzell. Bonds of executors approved and letters issued to C. A. Pease and Frank Williams. Appraisers appointed. May term for claims.

Elizabeth Kempson late of DeKalb. Estate of \$15,000. Will probated. Robert Kempson appointed executor. Proof of heirship made. Appraisers appointed. May term for claims.

Heinrich F. Gerhardt, late of Somonauk. Estate of 160 acres of farm land \$6,000 personal property. Will proven. Ida Gerhardt appointed administratrix. Appraisers appointed. May term for claims.

Real Estate Transfers

Sycamore—
 D. Orville Thompson wd to Mabel Ashelford, lot 5 & w½ lot 4 blk 1 Wat-rod's, \$9,000.

Genoa—
 Pearl E. Holmes wd to Fred Vandresser, lot 11 blk 4 Stephens, \$1700.

James Pierce wd to heirs wd to Ruby A. Williams lot 4 blk 4, \$1,250.

Kirkland—
 Thomas Jones wd to Orville D. Bender, lots 4 and 5 blk 2 Markovits, \$1,200.

Kingston—
 William M. McDonald wd to Harriet L. Sholey, n lot 1 sec 16, \$500.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Charles Harold Beach, aged 26, Sycamore, and Irene Marguerite Corson, aged 24, Genoa; Howard W. Clark, 19 and Celia R. Leonhard, 18, both of DeKalb.

THE DEESTRIK SKULE

The Deestrick Skule drew a large crowd last Friday evening, in fact the hall was filled to capacity with standing room at a premium and many who had purchased tickets were turned away. The play will be repeated this (Thursday) evening. The net proceeds were over \$190.00, and this will be turned into the treasury of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion, the funds to be used later in furnishing the Legion Club Rooms. The play itself was just as good as it promised to be, it being just one big laugh from start to finish. The costumes were correct, according to the opinion of those who attended school fifty years ago, and the pupils acted just as kittenish and obstreperous, while the school ma'am sure had her troubles.

HEAR JANE ADAMS

Several members of the Genoa Community Club heard Miss Jane Addams, of Hull House fame, at the M. E. church in Sycamore Tuesday evening, as guests of the Sycamore Woman's Club. Miss Addams, who has traveled thru Europe twice since the armistice was signed, is fully conversant with the conditions there, her description of the condition of the people generally, more especially the children, was vivid, the published stories of starvation not having been overdrawn in any case.

FALL BREAKS WRIST

Falling from a load of straw Tuesday, at the Stewart farm north of Genoa, Harold Patterson sustained a compound fracture of the wrist. Although painful, the fracture was clean and will no doubt knit rapidly. As the spring work looms up, Harold is at least hoping for the best.

NEW TRANSFER COMPANY

The K & G Transfer Company is the title of the new firm in Genoa, the partners being O. Kyler and George Goding. The firm will use a truck in their work and take on any kind of transfer work, no matter how large or small the job.

Miss Flora Buck was completely surprised Thursday evening. She had anticipated a quiet birthday dinner with her brother, Walter, and family. However, when she arrived at her brother's home, she discovered that her quiet supper was to be a jolly dinner, with twenty of her intimate girl friends as the guests. A three course dinner was served, with Mrs. Sophia Soderburg acting as cateress. The guest of honor was presented with a beautiful bouquet of daffodils.

The M. E. church choir entertained in honor of Miss Myrtle Pratt and Mr. Luman Colton, at the home of Mrs. E. W. Brown Wednesday evening. The honored guests will take the nuptial vows the latter part of the week, so several of the choir members participated in a mock wedding ceremony. The mock wedding bridal party consisted of Miss Pearl Russell, bride, Mrs. Mabel Baldwin, groom, Miss Ruth Austin, bride's maid, Miss Klea Schoonmaker, best man, Mrs. Pearl Holmes, officiating clergyman, Miss Nellie Geithman, village gossip, Miss Evelyn Patterson, newspaper reporter. Shortly after the ceremonies refreshments were served and the bride-elect was "showered" with many useful kitchen utensils.

WRITES A BOOK FOR CANCER PATIENTS

A book which should be read by every person suffering from cancer has been published by Dr. O. A. Johnson, eminent cancer specialist. This remarkable book tells the truth about cancer and its treatment without cutting.

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"Cancer Truths," Dr. Johnson's book will be sent free to any sufferer or friend. Delay should be avoided. Address, Dr. O. A. Johnson, Suite 565, 1324 Main St., Kansas, Mo.

FOR SALE

Owing to the fact that I am moving to Chicago, I will dispose of the following household furniture at private sale: Wm. and Mary dining table, 4 straight dining room chairs and one arm chair, white enamel bed, box springs and mattress, white enamel dressing table, oak rocker, mahogany table lamp with silk shade, two 8.3 x 11 axminster rugs and cretonne over drapes. Prices reasonable. W. A. Lankton.

Heat!
 "I don't have ter preach long in de winter time," said Brother Dickey. "W'en de church stove gits red hot I jes calls de attention of de sinners ter it, and dat's all de preachin' what dey needs!"—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Isaac Clayton Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Isaac Clayton, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County, at the Court House in Sycamore at the May Term, on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of February A. D. 1921.

Louise Clayton, Administratrix.
 E. W. Brown, Atty. 18-3t

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John E. DeWane, at St. Josephs Hospital in Belvidere, Wednesday, March 2, a son. Mrs. DeWane was formerly Miss Agnes Holstner.

William Baker spent he week end in Chicago.

Frank Fishback of Huntley was in Genoa Tuesday.

E. Adler was a business caller in Chicago Tuesday.

John Duval attended the auto show at Rockford Thursday.

Henry Smith of Elgin called on Genoa friends Wednesday.

Miss Merle Irwin spent the week end with friends in Dundee.

Mrs. Frank Russell visited at Oak Park the first of the week.

Miss Myrtle Pratt spent the fore part of the week in Chicago.

Mrs. M. M. Berwin spent the fore part of the week in Chicago.

Get our prices on can sugar. The Midway Store, Charter Grove.

John Hadsall is slowly recovering from a severe attack of pleurisy.

All sizes of Mason fruit jars at The Midway store, Charter Grove.

Miss Viola Suhr of Hampshire is assisting at the Farmers State Bank.

Mrs. Emma Corson entertained Mrs. Long of Elgin over the week end.

Mrs. W. Y. Wells of Elgin visited her sister, Mrs. L. J. Kiernan Saturday.

John Bauman of Belvidere was a guest at the home of his brother, Wm. Saturday.

Miss Susan Skinner visited over Sunday at the home of her parents in Chicago.

Miss Emily Lembke of Elgin spent the week end here at the John Lembke home.

Mrs. Beth Stinger of Chicago spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. S. H. Matfeson.

Mrs. C. D. Schoonmaker and Mrs. R. B. Munn of Hampshire spent Friday in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Goding spent a couple of days of this week in Byron and Rockford.

Mrs. Fannie King is suffering from a siege of the gripe, at the home of her son, Harvey.

Henry McCabin, representing the Squire Dingle Pickle Co., was in Genoa Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Johnson of Elgin spent Sunday at the home of their son, A. J. Johnson.

Miss Osia Downing of Rockford spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Downig.

Large reduction on artics, sweaters, flannel shirts, ets. at The Midway Store, Charter Grove.

Mrs. F. W. Duval entertained her mother, Mrs. Gilchrist of Fairdale, over the week end.

Harry Perkins and sister, Miss Irma, and Miss Beth Hensler, were Rockford visitors Friday.

Milburn Duval of Elgin spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lembke.

Mrs. Charles Maderer and daughter, Emma, were week end guests at the home of Frank Wallace.

Mrs. Everett Crawford was called to Springfield Sunday by the illness of her son, A. L. Crawford.

A splendid line of wall paper samples at such reasonable prices at The Midway Store, Charter Grove.

Rev. and Mrs. R. Robeson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jewel of Monroe Center the latter part of the week.

Miss Marie Koeneke returned to her home in Elgin Sunday after spending the week here with friends.

Lawrence Duval, who accompanied Charles Corson to Pennsylvania last week, returned to Genoa Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Duval, who underwent an operation at the Sycamore hospital Monday, is resting well at present.

Mrs. C. D. Schoonmaker entertained Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. H. D. Aykens of George, Iowa.

Miss Beth Hensler of Madison, Wis., who visited at the H. A. Perkins home the past week, returned home Monday.

Returned records, 130 selections, good \$1.00 records for 59 cents while they last. Buy today at W. W. Cooper's.

A. M. Frish of Madison, Wis., manager of the Advance-Rumley Thresher Co., called on J. R. Kiernan & Son Tuesday.

Henry Japp and Wm. Bauman are the owners of new Dodge touring cars purchased through the Duval & Awe agency.

Orrin Merritt attended the lumbermen's convention and banquet in Chicago last week Wednesday and Thursday.

Wm. Olharby, proprietor of the "Sweet Shop," Elgin and E. A. Sowers of the same city were in Genoa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wyde and son, Donald, returned from California last Saturday after having spent several weeks there.

Mrs. W. A. Lankton, who has been in chautauqua work in the South for several months, returned to Genoa last Sunday.

The Auto-strop razor is sold by Wetzel Brothers, Sycamore on a thirty day trial. No money until you are satisfied.

Mrs. H. D. Aykens of George, Ia., who has been spending the past ten days in Indiana is a guest of Mrs. E. W. Lindgren this week.

Mrs. Grimes returned to her home in Belvidere Friday after spending several days at the home of her grandfather, J. E. Frown.

Miss Myrtle Pratt has resigned her position as bookkeeper at the Selz-Schwab shoe factory and Mrs. Ora Bright has taken the position.

Walter Taylor and family have moved from the A. B. Brown farm to a farm near Maple Park. John Clausen will move to the Brown farm.

Mrs. O. M. Leich and daughter, Florence, who have been sojourning in California for several weeks, returned to Genoa Monday evening.

Leander and Elsie Fishbach, who have been visiting at the Rauschenberger home in Fremont, Mich., for several weeks, returned to their home in Genoa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nulle, who have resided in the Floto house on First street seventeen years, moved to Marengo the first of the week where they will make their home.

Ronald Williams, the ten-year-old grandson of A. J. Williams of Otis, Colo., passed away March 2, after a siege of measles. The Williams have many friends in this vicinity.

The Charter Grove Community club will meet at the Charter Grove church, Tuesday evening, March 8. Program and refreshments. Officers will be elected. Everyone invited.

W. A. Lankton, who has been with the sales department of the Leich Electric Co., for several years, will leave that company this week, to take a position in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Lankton expect to move to the city next week.

Mrs. Albert Morehouse was hostess to the Kilkare Club Saturday evening Feb. 26. After a pleasant evening spent in sewing and games, prizes for games being won by Olive Ferdin and Mildred Hewitt, a dainty two-course luncheon was served.

If there is anything in that old "Lion and Lamb" prediction March will make an awful fuss when it goes out, for it could not have entered more gently. The first two days of the month being all that could be desired or expected in April.

Harlan (Mike) Shattuck is in the C. M. & St. Paul hospital in Chicago suffering from injuries sustained in the repair shops at Bensonville last Sunday. At the time of the accident it was thought that the shoulder was broken, but this has not been verified.

Two big vaudeville acts at the Opera House Saturday evening, March 5. Prof. Geo. Thorman & Co.

Two vaudeville acts and five-act feature picture. Bessie Love in "Fighting Colleen." Adults 40 cents; children 22 cents, including war tax.

Friday was Miss Margaret Jane Kiernan's seventh birthday anniversary. In the afternoon she entertained the first grade in their school room. Ice cream and a real-honest-to-goodness birthday cake was served. The little folks enjoyed the party very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reigard who have been living in Mrs. Corson's house in the west end of town will soon move to DeKalb. Mrs. Corson, who has kept house for her brother-in-law in Riley Township for some

time expects to occupy her home with her children.

Fred Floto moved into his house on First street, vacated by W. F. Nulle, the first of the week. Mr. Floto has conducted the farm north of Genoa 43 years, and is surely entitled to take things easy during the remainder of his days. The home place will be run by his son, Fred.

Ivory is always useful in the boarder, be it one of the exquisite colonge bottles, or the ever practical hair receiver, the handy tray, the necessary manicuring set or what not. Missy is always delighted with a new addition to her dressing table set. Call and see the complete selection at Martin's.

Charles B. J. Ream of Hampshire, brother of Henry Ream of this city and Rev. Thos. B. Ream, died of pneumonia at a Rockford hospital Monday. Relatives from Genoa attended the funeral at Hampshire Wednesday. The deceased was well known in Genoa, having for many years acted as agent for the Curtis Publishing Co.

Have you always longed for a beautiful string of pearl beads? If so, talk the matter over with Martin and inspect his splendid selection of La Reine pearls. They are simply exquisite and highly endorsed by well-dressed women. Prices vary according to the size of the pearls and the length of the strings. Stop in.

"Boost the Park Fund" is the slogan adopted by the Civic department of the Community Club. You can boost this fund by buying home-made cakes, cookies, doughnuts and bread at the Community bakery sale in the Legion club rooms, Saturday afternoon. The sale starts promptly at 2:30 o'clock, so be on time.

Mrs. John Duval entertained the H. G. L. club and Mesdames James Futchison, Arthur Eikig, Frank Eiklor, Carrie Ousler and George E. Eikgart at 500 Thursday afternoon, after which a two-course luncheon was served by the hostess. Cards were awarded Mrs. Arthur Eiklor and Mrs. Leona Smith.

The Burroughs building recently vacated by Mrs. Berwin, is being renovated and will soon be occupied by Hermanson, the baker. Mr. Hermanson will soon install a larger oven in the Swan building and needs the addition for storage purposes. As the rooms over the store in the Swan building are small, the front part of the Burroughs building will be utilized as a dining room by the family.

Alex Ambost, who has been a resident of Genoa for many years, now being night watchman at the shoe factory, was granted his final naturalization papers last week. Alex was somewhat inconvenienced and embarrassed during the recent war by being classed as an alien enemy and

it did not set well with him. He has for years been 100 per cent American in thought, but had simply neglected to become a full fledged citizen.

Len Abraham of Morrison, Ill., was here the first of the week, a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Abraham. The former's wife is in Chicago where she submitted to the thirteenth operation in as many years. Since an operation for appendicitis thirteen years ago, there has been almost yearly operations for adhesions.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Geithman write from California that they are having the time of their life, and the former has plans for the future pleasures this summer, his wife not having at this time made up her mind to share with him. He is now preparing an automobile camping outfit and will make the return journey overland, stopping when and where he pleases for fishing, hunting and sight-seeing. He expects to start in May and reach Genoa in August.

History of Pawnbroking.
The Roman emperors used to lend money upon land, and various systems of lending money by means of pledges followed. The business of pawnbroking was regulated in England in 1753, and licenses were issued in 1773.

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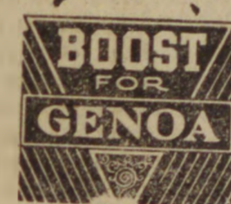
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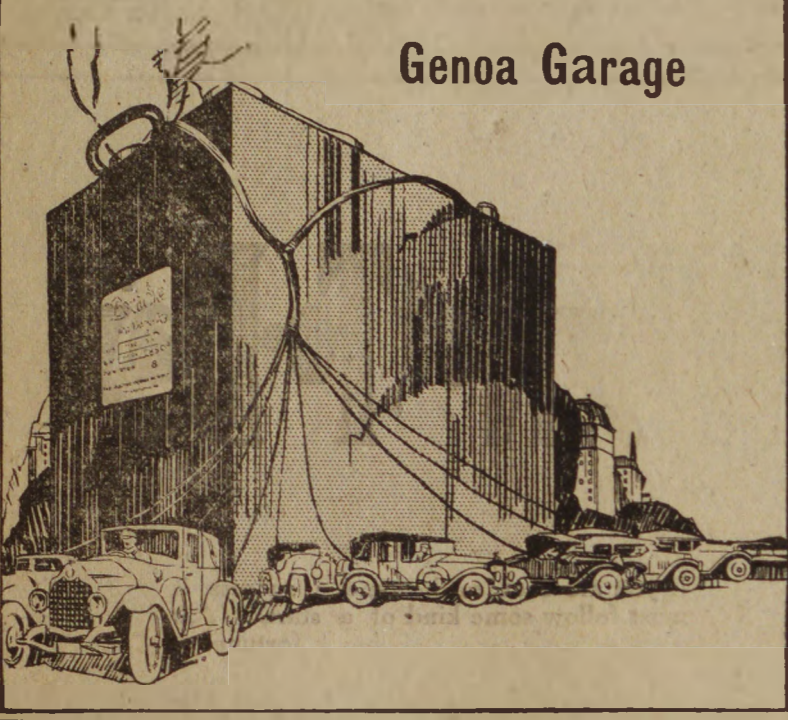
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Genoa Garage



DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Iolene Gallagher

The blouses still occupy a foremost place in the sewing classes because of the complicated set-in sleeves, along with collars and cuffs. The Senior class is in hopes of soon overcoming these obstacles and beginning the new gingham dresses.

The Freshman Domestic Science class has finished bread making and will start on cakes this week. The Senior class left the latter with what Mr. Mackenzie called a "not half bad" record. Let us hope that there will be as good a one for the cookies and pies which will follow.

EDITORIAL

"Don't Fall Behind"

We are living in the greatest age in history. This is the age of advancement. This is an age so rapid in its progress that the majority of us are hard put to it to keep pace with it.

In the last century man was beginning to get a foothold on the ladder of advancement. Steam was harnessed, the telegraph, the automobile, the airplane, the wireless and thousands of other things which today are all paramount were invented.

Now we may travel through the air, on land, on sea and under the water. We may, by speaking in a telephone at Washington, D. C., make ourselves heard in France and Germany; a thing which a century ago, would have been deemed the blackest witchcraft.

To keep up with ourselves, we must have an education. Of course learning is not the uppermost thing to be considered. The old saying runs, "A leopard cannot change his spots," likewise paint does not permanently change the color of a man. He may color himself with the best of educations, but at the first rain of trouble, if the man himself is not a firm foundation, the paint would be washed from him.

Therefore it is the person who ab-

sorbs his knowledge, lives it and thinks it, who can succeed.

MANUAL TRAINING

Harry Adler

The manual training classes are having a three weeks' course in mechanical drawing under the new teacher, Mr. Martin. The boys are now in the first stage of the art, drawing an object from the original blue print. The best of drawing materials have been provided. Mechanical drawing is the foundation of all mechanical arts.

SENIOR ASSEMBLY

Nellie Gethman

The program last Thursday, Feb. 24, was in charge of Nellie Gethman. Reports were given by John Dyer and Orville Bartle, and a humorous reading by Eunice Berkley. A song closed the program.

DEKALB-GENOA

Orville Bartle

Robert Burns once wrote "The best laid plans of mice and men gang a' agley." Several things "Ganged agley" about the DeKalb game. Captain Gustavison got off to a wrong start in the first place. The two young ladies that he had invited to ride with him went in an unknown Buick Six with a chaperone instead of Floyd's old Ford which was left waiting at the church. The Paige carrying our largest and noisiest bunch of rooters ran out of gas midway and the boys were out of breath after their long walk that they could hardly squak. The cars parked on the lawn at DeKalb and everybody got a call-down that quite flattened them out. So between girls, gas and call-downs the boys got off to a bad start.

For the first eight minutes the game was a tight one, Genoa leading four to nothing. Gethman and Adler each making a basket. In the next quarter Lackner tossed in a pretty basket and that's about all we can say. If the boys could have started during the first half, they could probably have won the game, but the strange floor, stage fright and the team work of the DeKalb quintet proved too much for our boys' nerves. Gethman blew up, followed rapidly by Bartle and Lackner. When our team work gave out, DeKalb started shooting baskets, with the final result of the game being DeKalb 28 and Genoa 14. DeKalb played ten men during the game, with Genoa seven. Captain Gustavison and Adler deserve credit for working hard all the way but could not play the DeKalb team by themselves.

SCHOOL NOTES

Fourth and Fifth Grades

Reported by Marjorie Kirby
The teachers' new desk came last Wednesday. We now have the piano. Adrian Brockman, Phyllis Buck, Minnie Pinne and George Evans have been neither tardy nor absent since September.

Harold Fossler, Harold Niss, Kenneth Olson, Hilmer Ruback, George Evans, Franklin Pinnie, Margaret Adler, Jeannette Jeffery, Phyllis Buck, Vivian Brockman, Marjorie Kirby and Minnie Pinne have been neither absent or tardy in the last six weeks of school.

Making a Start.

A small new community had talked for some time of building a clubhouse, but it was postponed from time to time. One day Arthur came running into his home and, as he had just seen a wagonload of logs pass by, exclaimed: "Mamma, they are starting the clubhouse. I saw a load of clubs going by."

Scents in Wood.

With the woods of the world to choose from, one can easily arrange a whole scale of scents from the sweetest and most delicate of perfumes at one extreme, to rank and overpowerful odors at the other, says the American Forestry Magazine. The stores of the perfumer's shop will not yield a greater variety than one can find in woods.

Beating the Bachelor.

In Sicily the fir tree is unknown as a Christmas adjunct, but the very ludicrous custom of "beating the bachelor" is observed by the women. All of the unmarried men in the village are driven into the church after mass by the outnumbering women and run about the sacred edifice and beat on until they declare (often falsely) that they will wed ere another Christmas come around.

Famous Old Pehick Church.
Pohick church, Fairfax county, Virginia, seven miles from Mount Vernon, was built in 1773 from plans drawn by General Washington, who was a vestryman for 20 years. The church was used as a stable during the Civil war, but has lately been restored and is now practically in its original condition.

**Who Says Plumbing and Heating
Prices Have Not
Dropped?**

As farm products have fallen in price, so have building materials.

Altho some articles increased in priceduring the last few years more than others plumbing and heating materials did not jump as high as some other building materials, and hence the percentage of drop is necessarily not so high a rate in order to reach the previous basis.

Where an article has reached 100 per cent, a drop of 50 per cent brings it back to the normal price.

But plumbing and heating materials constitute a very small part of building costs. In the average seven or eight room house, where hot water heat is used, the cost of plumbing and heating is about eight to 10 per cent of the total cost of the house, and in other buildings it is even less.

Following are some of the reductions made in plumbing and heating supplies and materials during the past few months:

- Soil Pipe and Fittings A reduction of 45%
- Lead Pipe A reduction of 45%
- Brass Radiator Valves A reduction of 25%
- Brass Goods Generally A reduction of 20%
- Iron and Malleable Fittings A reduction of 22 1/2%
- Iron Pipe A reduction of 13 1/2%
- Earthenware A reduction of 10%
- Enamelware A reduction of 20%
- Boilers A reduction of 20%
- Radiation A reduction of 15%
- Range Boilers A reduction of 10%
- Hot Air Furnaces A reduction of 20%

The 40 per cent freight rate advance effects plumbing and heating materials much more than other goods because they are relatively much heavier in weight.

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Illinois Central System Passenger Trains
Noted for Being on Time

The only record showing the percentage of on time arrivals at destination of the passenger trains on all the railways of the United States was made by the United States Railroad Administration for the months of August, September, October and November, 1919. These four months are considered by railway men to be as favorable for railway operation as any period of the year. This record, compared with that made by Illinois Central System trains for the same period, follows:

ALL RAILWAYS	ILLINOIS CENTRAL SYSTEM
August 83 per cent	95.4 per cent
September 84 per cent	96.2 per cent
October 84 per cent	95.4 per cent
November 82 per cent	96.2 per cent

During 1920 the Illinois Central System operated 79,022 passenger trains on its more than 6,000 miles of lines in fourteen states of the Mississippi Valley. The percentage of on time arrivals at final destinations, by months, was as follows:

January	93.4
February	96.4
March	94.0
April	93.4
May	94.2
June	96.4
July	96.9
August	96.8
September	96.7
October	97.3
November	97.0
December	93.8

Believing that the assurance of arriving at destination on time is an essential factor in passenger train service, the Illinois Central System is seeking constantly to improve this phase of service. Maintenance of schedule, however, is but one feature of the incomparable passenger service offered by the Illinois Central System, every feature of which is distinctly outstanding.

The equipment of the famous Panama Limited, operating between Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans, represents the highest standard of the art of railway carriage construction. The Panama Limited has been designated by its patrons as the "finest train in the world."

Illinois Central System passenger trains are noted for the safety with which they are operated. More than three and one-half billion passengers have been carried one mile since a passenger riding in a proper position was injured fatally.

Another outstanding feature is the character of service rendered by Illinois Central trainmen—the courtesy and attention with which passengers are served in which we take great pride.

Conscious of our obligations to the public, we are making every effort consistent with honest, efficient and economical management to render a service that will not only please our patrons, but will justify them in commending it to their friends and acquaintances.

In its passenger service, as in all other departments of its organization, the Illinois Central System seeks the co-operation and confidence of its patrons. Constructive criticism and suggestions are invited.

C. H. MARKHAM,
President, Illinois Central System.

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A boil on the neck will humble most any man.

Many good examples are set, but few of them are ever hatched.

Militant Honesty. "Have you lost faith in baseball players?"

"Certainly not," replied the genial old gentleman. "A crowd of youngsters persuaded me to umpire a game the other day on a vacant lot and their sincerity was so great I was lucky to escape with my life."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Coated tongue, vertigo and constipation are relieved by Garfield Tea.—Adv.

Excellent Reason. "Have you any reason for doubting what I say?" "I have." "What is it?" "I don't believe you."—Boston Transcript.

Where there's a will there's always a way to dodge it.

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PART OF LEVER ACT HELD VOID

Supreme Court Decides That Profiteering Prosecutions Are Unconstitutional.

SECTION FOUR WEAK POINT

Court Maintains That the Language of the Section Is Vague and Inadequate—All Justices Concur in Opinion.

Washington, March 2.—The United States Supreme court decided that the anti-profiteering provisions of the Lever act are unconstitutional, and as a result all government prosecutions pending against food profiteers will be dismissed.

The court held that congress had no authority to enact section 4 of the Lever act, as originally enacted in 1917, and re-enacted in 1919. Section 4 sought to punish all persons engaged in the production or distribution of food except farmers, who made more than a "fair profit," but did not define what a "fair profit" was.

The court maintained that the language of the section was vague and inadequate and gave courts and juries power to set up their own standards as to when profits became excessive and were punishable under the act.

Chief Justice White handed down the decision, all of the justices concurring. Ten cases were pending before the court, but the specific decision was made in the government's case against the L. Cohen Grocery company, St. Louis.

The government charged that the Cohen company had violated section 4 of the Lever act "by willfully and feloniously making an unjust or unreasonable rate and charge" in handling sugar.

The grocery company contended that the counts brought against it by the Department of Justice were so vague as not to inform it of the nature and cause of the accusation; that section 4 of the Lever act was so indefinite that it could not be told what was forbidden, and that it constituted a delegation by congress of legislative power to courts and juries to determine what acts should be held to be criminal and punishable. Moreover, the company contends the country was virtually at peace and that congress had no power to regulate profits with section 4.

The Federal court in St. Louis acquitted the Cohen company and the department of Justice immediately appealed. In its decision the Supreme court did not pass upon the contention that the section fixed no ascertainable standard of guilt and that it was not adequate to inform persons accused of profiteering of the nature and cause of the accusations brought against them by the government.

"To attempt to enforce the section," the decision declared, "would be the exact equivalent of an effort to carry out a statute which in its terms merely penalized and punished all acts detrimental to the public interest, when unjust and unreasonable in the estimate of the court and jury."

In its decision the Supreme court made reference to "persistent efforts which the records disclose were made by administrative officers, doubtless inspired by a zealous effort to discharge their duty, to establish a standard of their own to be used as a basis to render the section possible of execution."

"What is it?" "I don't believe you."—Boston Transcript.

Where there's a will there's always a way to dodge it.

KILLS BOY TO END MISERY

Michigan Youth Accidentally Wounds Brother and Then Shoots Him to Death to End Suffering.

Pontiac, Mich., March 2.—Warren Branfield, eleven years old, was held by the police here, pending investigation into the killing in a woods near Farmington of his nine-year-old brother, Clare. The older boy shot and killed his brother, "to put him out of his misery," he said, after having accidentally wounded him while demonstrating his skill with a revolver. According to Warren's statement to the sheriff, he fired the first shot in an effort to see how close he could come to his brother without hitting him. The younger lad turned at the shot and was struck in the side. Warren then placed the muzzle against the prostrated child's head and pulled the trigger killing him instantly. "I wanted to put him out of his misery; I didn't want to see him suffer," he said.

Must Have Search Warrant. Washington, March 2.—Evidence obtained by revenue agents in raids conducted without a search warrant cannot be admitted in court proceedings; the Supreme court ruled in settling aside a conviction in South Carolina.

War Over; Costa Rica Quits. Washington, March 2.—Threatened war between Panama and Costa Rica was averted by the surrender of the Costa Rican army in Coto, according to a message received by the Panaman charge d'affaires here.

YOUNG GIRL FINDS RELIEF

Wants to Tell Other Girls All About It

Evansville, Ind.—"I am eighteen years old and have been bothered for several months with irregular periods. Every month my back would ache and I always had a cold and felt drowsy and sleepy. I work in a millinery shop and I went to work every day, but felt stupid and would have such cramps. I had seen Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and had heard several women talk of it, so mother got me some. This Vegetable Compound is wonderful and it helped me very much, so that during my periods I am not now sick or drowsy. I have told many girls about your medicine and would be glad to help anyone who is troubled with similar ailments. You may use my testimonial as you like."—STELLA LINXWILER, 6 Second St., Evansville, Indiana. Some girls lead lives of luxury, while others toil for their livelihood, but all are subject to the same physical laws and suffer in proportion to their violation. When such symptoms develop as irregularities, headaches, backaches, bearing-down sensations and "the blues," girls should profit by Miss Linxwiler's experience and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

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The KITCHEN CABINET

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RECIPES WE LIKE TO TRY.

A very savory dish of meat if carefully selected and prepared as well as well cooked is: Salisbury Steak. —Choirer meat is used for this steak than that used in Hamburg. The ends of filets of beef when they are cut into steaks or trimmed from roasting are used for Salisbury steak. In the home the choicest cuts from the round may be used or a mixture of filet and round. The meat should be chopped very fine, or, better still, scraped from the fibers, first on one side, then on the other. For each pound of prepared beef, take one-quarter of a pound of beef marrow, crush the marrow and mix evenly through the meat. Add very gradually one-half cupful of cold water, press into a loaf or cakes, keeping the edges as thick as the center. Broil over coals or under gas or pan broil in a smoking hot, lightly greased frying pan. Let the meat cook on one side till a drop of juice appears, then turn at once to cook the other side. Serve garnished with broiled bacon and with French fried potatoes.

Southern Sweet Potatoes.—Parboil the potatoes ten minutes, peel and cut in slices, crosswise. Dispose the slices in a buttered baking dish in layers, dotting with bits of butter. Add enough milk to nearly cover the potatoes and bake in a moderate oven until done. Velvet Jelly.—Soften one-fourth of a package of gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of cold milk. Scald one and one-half cupfuls of milk in a double boiler. Beat the yolks of two eggs, add one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-third of a cupful of honey, and dilute with a little hot milk; then mix and cook in the rest of the milk until thickened slightly. Fold in the whites of the eggs beaten until stiff, one cupful of cake crumbs and when hot add the softened gelatine. Let chill, add a half teaspoonful of vanilla and turn into six molds. Serve cold with cream and sugar.

Soft Molasses Cookies.—Put into a measuring cup four teaspoonfuls of clarified bacon fat; add three teaspoonfuls of boiling water, then fill the cup with New Orleans molasses. Add half a teaspoonful of ginger, one teaspoonful of soda, sifted with one cupful of flour; mix and add enough more flour to make a soft dough. Roll rather thick. Cut in rounds. Bake in a moderate oven.

The best things are nearest—breath in your nostrils, light in your eyes, flowers at your feet, duties at your hand, the path of God just before you. Then do not grasp at the stars, but do life's plain common work as it comes, certain that daily duties and daily bread are the sweetest things of life.—Lord Houghton.

NEW DISHES OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

With the many kinds of gelatin or fruit jellies put up in packages to serve the housewife there may be a variety of combinations only limited by the ingenuity of the cook.

Take ordinary lemon jelly, add chopped cucumber, pineapple, a few sections of orange, a dozen cherries or grapes or dates or raisins. Mold and cut in fancy shapes and serve on lettuce or on a slice of pretty red-skinned apple with a rose of mayonnaise piped on the top—a delectable salad for almost any occasion is ready.

Tomato Jelly.—Boil ten minutes one pint of strained tomato with one-eighth of a teaspoonful of cloves, a pinch of ginger, mace, allspice and mustard, a slice of onion and a sprig of parsley. Strain and add a table-spoonful of lemon juice and one envelope of plain gelatin. Stir until cool, then arrange in a mold with cooked green peas, letting the jelly set after each layer so that the peas are scattered through the jelly. Serve with a highly seasoned cooked dressing.

Fruit Mold.—Make a pint of raspberry jelly and one of orange, using the ready-flavored gelatin. Place two-thirds of the raspberry jelly in a mold and when firm cover with orange jelly and pieces of orange from which all skin is removed. Cover with the rest of the raspberry and top with whipped cream when unmolded. The cream should be sweetened and flavored with orange.

Rice With Orange Jelly.—Take one cupful of cooked rice. Add one cupful of boiling water, one-half cupful of sugar, a teaspoonful of orange rind and an envelope of gelatin. Mold and when firm pour over a pint of orange jelly. Serve unmolded with sweetened whipped cream or ordinary cream and sugar.

The addition of nuts to any fruit salad or jelly enhances both its flavor and food value.

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KINGSTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Koch spent Sunday in Hampshire with the former's parents.

Miss Nellie Sullivan was a Chicago passenger Monday.

Glen Vandenburg shipped a carload of sheep to Chicago last Wednesday.

Miss Elsie Anderson spent the weekend at her home in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Worden and two children of Kirkland were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Floy Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Burton and daughter, Alice, visited Mrs. Burton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cummings in Genoa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sternberg entertained the latter's mother, Mrs. Perry Harlow of Aurora last week.

Misses Zaida Knappenberger, Marlon and Wilda Witter were home from Sycamore over Sunday.

C. A. Anderson transacted business in Chicago Monday.

B. F. Uplinger attended a banquet in Chicago last week Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Uplinger attended the banquet with him Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Worden and daughter, Jane, of Kirkland, were the guests of Mrs. Worden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Witter Sunday.

Wm. Sullivan of Belvidere visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan Monday.

John Helsdon visited relatives in Chicago Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Gustafson and two children of Rockford are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phelps.

Mrs. Olive Ort returned home Friday from a few weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. George Helsdon in Belvidere.

The Kingston Farmers' Co-operative Co. held a meeting in Knappenberger's hall Saturday afternoon and elected the following officers: President, A. W. Sexauer; Vice President, F. D. Arbuckle; Secretary and Treasurer, Frank Bastian.

Arnold Baars, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Baars passed away from this life last Thursday afternoon. The little fellow had always been an invalid and was about three years old. Besides his beloved parents he leaves to mourn his loss one brother and a number of other relatives. Funeral services were held at the home Saturday afternoon and interment was in Kingston cemetery.

About eight o'clock Saturday morning John Howe's house caught on fire, but just how nobody knows. Mrs. Howe heard a noise and when opening the stair door a pile of clothes on fire was found. The fire was soon put out, water doing the most damage.

We wish to thank all the people who helped to put the fire out at our home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.

A NEW ONE

Horse Jumps Into Automobile and Commits Suicide

Frightened by an automobile which was passing, a horse tied behind a buggy leaped on top of a turing car being driven by Art Hoorebbeke on the Lincoln highway near St. Charles and was killed when stabled by a piece of glass broken from the wind shield says the Elgin News.

Hoorebbeke, a farmer residing near West Chicago, received serious injuries when a foot of the frightened animal came down on his head in the freak accident as he sat at his machine. He will recover, although he has serious gashes about his head and shoulders.

Hoorebbeke was trying to pass the buggy to which the horse was tied when the animal leaped on top of the car, ruining the top, forcing the engine from the frame of the car and tearing the fenders and lights from their places. The horse belonged to a DeKalb farmer. Hoorebbeke was taken to his home, a quarter of a mile from the scene where he was attended by a doctor. The horse died from a wound received when it crashed through the windshield and was cut by glass.

Boys' 2-Pants Suits Special \$10.95 at Theo. F. Swan's.

These splendid suits are made from all wool fabrics—the coats with pleated back; pants full lined. 2 pair of pants with each suit. A great value at \$10.95. Boys' cotton mixed suits special at \$4.95. Ask to see them in the Men's Store, just inside from the front entrance.

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FOR SALE—Cord Wood, also 700 choice 7 foot Burr Oak Fence posts. Geithman & Hammond, Genoa, Ill. 12-tf.

FOR SALE—Oliver Gang Plow in good condition. No. 30. Inquire of Elmer T. Colton, Genoa, Ill. * 18-tf.

FOR SALE—One Minneapolis Tractor No. 1225; three Grand de Tour bottom plow; one 20 disc tandem P. O. These were taken in trade and will be sold cheap. J. A. Patterson, Genoa, Phone 22. 15-tf.

FOR SALE—Good used Ford Cars. E. W. Lindgren, Genoa, Ill. 23-tf.

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs from pure-bred S. C. White Leghorns for sale, \$1.25 for 15, \$5.00 for 100. Luman W. Colton, R. R. No. 3, Genoa, Ill. 18-tf.

FOR SALE—William and Mary dining room set, table and chairs not scratched nor marred; oak rocker, ivory enameled bed with box springs and mattress. All in perfect condition. W. A. Lankton, Genoa. *

FOR SALE—2 bed room sets, one enameled white iron bed, large round dining table, one 9 x 12 bed room rug, one large leather upholstered rocking chair. Inquire Mrs. G. L. Nichols at residence of Dr. A. M. Hill. 35-tf

FOR SALE—Sewing machine, clothes chest, basket, tubes, wringer and a number of other articles. R. A. Furr. *

FOR SALE—new milkers with calves by side, 1 yearling Holstein bull, 3 yearling Hereford bulls, registered. A. F. Corson, Genoa. 4-tf.

Live Stock

FOR SALE—50 head of 4 and 5 year old horses and 4 year old mules. Will sell at reasonable price. All stock must be as represented. John H. Reinken, Genoa, Ill. 18-3t.

FOR SALE—Four colts, 2 coming four years old and 2 coming 3 years. Fred G. Patterson, Genoa. Phone 902-21. 18-tf.

FOR SALE—Nannie Goat with 2 kids (one doe and one buck) \$15.00. Phone 1612, Genoa. *

Lands and City Property

FOR SALE—Modern improved house on East Main street, Genoa. Inquire of Dr. J. D. Corson, executor. Leaf River, Ill. 42-tf.

FOR SALE—Eight residence properties, at anywhere from \$600.00 to \$6,000.00, according to location and improvements. Some of these ought to fit and suit you if you want any. D. S. Brown, 19-tf.

FOR SALE—Several local farms, all sizes and all prices. Also some good city property, both business and residence. F. P. Renn, Genoa, Ill. 19-tf.

FOR SALE—An 8 room bungalow with all modern improvements, on Emmett St., Genoa, Ill. Inquire of Roy Stanley. 16-tf.

FOR SALE—House one block south of Main street. Inquire of W. H. Leonard, Phone L428 Sycamore, Ill., or 85 Genoa. 18-4t.

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WANTED—Girls and Women up to forty years of age for light factory work. Capable of earning eighteen to twenty dollars per week. Arrangements can be made for room and board. Apply Illinois Wire & Cable Company, Sycamore, Ill. Telephone 69. 15-4t.

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DECREASE IN LIVESTOCK

Ten Million Less Head in U. S. than Year Ago

Nearly 10,000,000 less head of livestock were on farms in the U. S. Jan. 1, 1921, than a year ago, according to estimates based upon reports of agents and correspondents of the bureau of crop estimates, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. Horses decreased 602,000 head, or 2.9 per cent; mules decreased slightly, 42,000, or 0.8 per cent; milk cows decreased 298,000 or 1.3 per cent; other cattle decreased 1,880,000, or 4.2 per cent; swine decreased 4,078,000, or 7.1 per cent; and sheep decreased 2,047,000 or 4.3 per cent.

The total numbers on farms and ranges Jan. 1, are estimated as follows: Horses, 20,183,000; mules, 4,999,000; milk cows, 23,321,000; other cattle 42,870,000; swine 66,649,000; and sheep, 45,067,000.

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TAX FOR BAND?

A petition is now being circulated in Hebron asking for the vote whether or not to levy a tax of one mill in that township for the equipment and maintenance of a brass band. Should enough signers to the petition be secured and the vote thereon is favorable a band stand will be erected in the village.

AUCTION SALE

The undersigned will sell at public auction the live stock described below, at the company headquarters in Hampshire, Ill on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1921 beginning at one o'clock p. m.

24 Head Horses and Mules
Two gray mules, weight 1400 lbs. each; 2 dark brown mules, weight 1150 lbs. each; 2 black mules, weight 1150 lbs. each; 2 dark brown mules, weight 1250 lbs. each; 2 dark brown mules, weight 1250 lbs. each; 2 black mules, weight 1250 lbs. each; 2 dark brown mules, weight 1200 lbs. each; black mule, weight 1300 lbs.; black mule, weight 1250 lbs.; bay mule, weight 1200 lbs.; brown mule, weight 1250 lbs.; black mule, weight 1300 lbs.; dark brown mule, weight 1250 lbs.; gray mare, weight 1450 lbs.; bay mare, weight 1200 lbs.

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Prussia's Barren Area.

The area of barren land yet to be found in Prussia alone is estimated at not less than 3,705,000 acres. Between 1850 and 1918 approximately 1,970,000 acres were brought under cultivation. A further 2,705,000 acres of rich soil is yet to be obtained by drainage.

The Magic Square.

The origin of the magic square is usually ascribed to the Chinese as the Yih King, an early classic, describes it. The magic square was known to the Hindoos and to the Arabian astrologers.

This is Apron Week at Elgin's Most Popular Store.

It's our sixth annual Apron Week, and any woman who has ever attended one of these annual apron events will know that this is the right time to replenish her supply of aprons. You have only to visit this store this week and see the dozens upon dozens of pretty house aprons that are here, and note the low prices we're asking

for them, to know that there is a real advantage in buying aprons at this time. For example; percale house aprons trimmed collar, pockets and belt are priced special at 95c. Others in percale and gingham are priced from \$1.25 upward. But you must come and see them to know what genuine values they are. Apron Week closes next Saturday.

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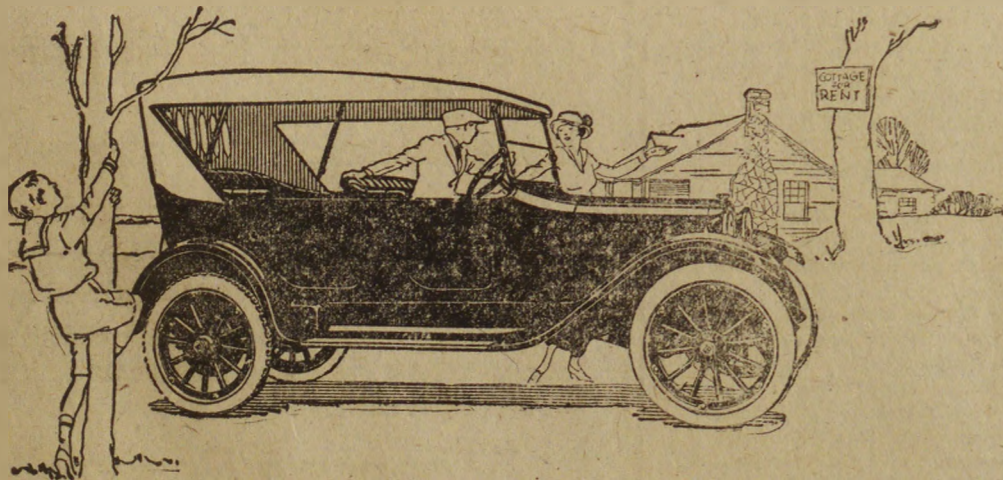
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