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GENOA ASSESSMENT

LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AND IMPROVEMENTS

IS YOUR NAME ON THE LIST?

If the Figures do not Suit You Call on the Board of Review and Tell Your Troubles

State of Illinois } ss.
DeKalb County }

Public notice is hereby given that the following is a full and complete list of the assessment of lands in Township of Genoa, DeKalb county, Illinois, for the year A. D. 1906, as appears from the assessment Books of said year.

DANIEL HOHM,
Supervisor of Assessments.

A. S. Hollenback, n¹/₂ sec 7, town 42, range 5, 80 acres, assessed value \$140.
S. Slater, w¹/₂ sec 4, ex Ry, sec 21, town 42, range 5, 77 acres, assessed value 1405.
C. Hartman, e¹/₂ n¹/₂ sec 24, town 42, range 5, 240 acres, assessed value \$3700.
T. Gustafson & Son, n¹/₂ w¹/₂ sec 4, town 42, range 5, 120 acres, assessed value \$2280.

State of Illinois } ss.
DeKalb County }

Public notice is hereby given, that the following is a full and complete list of the assessment of lots and blocks in the village of Genoa, DeKalb county, Illinois, for the year A. D. 1906, as appears from the assessment books of said year.

DANIEL HOHM,
Supervisor of assessments.

Names Subdiv of lots lot blk ass'd val

Eureka Park Addition

Bartson, n 45 ft, 15, 16 and 17 6 \$ 320

Bartson, s 50 ft, n 95ft, 15, 16 and 17 6 280

Aug. Rosenska, ex n 95ft, 15, 16 and 17 6 260

S. Stephens Addition

Wm. Gnekow, ex n. e. 60x125 ft, 2 5 500

P.A. Quanstron, 1 & 2 8 380

Nichols Addition

T. J. Hoover, 2 & 3 2 60

Jas. Kiernan, 4, 5, 6 & 7 2 120

Merriman's Addition

C. B. Crawford, e¹/₂ ex n 30 ft, 5 3 775

State of Illinois } ss.
DeKalb County }

Public notice is hereby given, that the following is a full and complete list of the assessed value of personal property in the town of Genoa, county of DeKalb and state of Illinois, for the year A. D. 1906, as taken from the assessment books of said year.

DANIEL HOHM, Supervisor of Assessments.

Arndt, Albert...	235	Eichstadt, Fred	258	Neola Elevator	
Atlee, J. H.	112	Eichler, G. H. ...	1209	Co.	400
Ainlay, B. C. ...	103	Eschbach, R. ...	213	Naker, Chas. ...	287
Adams, Henry. .	109	Ellithorpe, L. S. .	433	Naker, Geo. ...	750
Awe, John.	40	Eiklor, W. A. ...	411	Naker, Aug. ...	1117
Anderson, M. . .	300	Fague, A. M. ...	166	Preston, N. ...	117
Awe, C. H.	314	Floto, Fred. ...	203	Ney Threshing	
Burroughs, H. S.	343	Floto, John. ...	131	Co.	200
Buck, Alfred. . .	74	Furr, Wm.	179	Ottoson, Olaf. .	121
Buck, D. G.	487	Furr, J. R.	190	Olmsted, Geo. . .	14
Buenger, Geo. D.	173	Factly, Henry. .	194	Olmsted, A. H. .	676
Brown, C. A. ...	125	Fenton, Bert. . .	185	Olmsted, E. H. .	334
Bahre Bros. ...	433	Geithman, Geo	272	Olmsted, John. .	124
Burzell, Geo. . .	662	Geithman, J. . .	195	Olmsted, H. M. .	274
Brooks, C. H. . .	186	Geithman, B. . .	48	Peterson, John. .	283
Blundy, L. T. . .	249	Gray, J. W.	109	Parish, J. F. ...	148
Burzell, John. . .	25	Gahl, J. F.	374	Pratt, L. W. ...	222
Becker, J. H. ...	411	Genoa Silence		Preston, Annie. .	239
Becker, Emil. . .	282	Horse Co.	100	Patterson, Arth	293
Becker, W. T. . .	195	Gustafson, F. &		Peterson, Chas. .	240
Brendemuhl, C.	340	Son.	251	Prairie, Chas. . .	265
Botcher, John. .	220	Gray, T. B.	172	Patterson, Joe. .	75
Botcher, Wm. . .	129	Hines, M.	178	Patterson, Mary	
Bell, Perry J. . .	184	Hammond, J. J. .	88	J. and Joe. . . .	276
Berna, Victor. .	124	Hartman, H. C. .	292	Peterson, A. . .	292
Brown, J. W. . . .	115	Hartman, L. . . .	213	Pond, A. H. . . .	210
Brown, A. B. . . .	209	Hepburn Bros. .	255	Rowen & Son. . .	384
Brown, Geo. . . .	61	Holmes, Thos. . .	226	Renn, H. L. . . .	102
Brown, J. P. . . .	87	Huck, Joe.	316	Ricketts, Oran. .	82
Corson, H. L. . .	166	Harris, Mary. E.	186	Reid, Wm.	392
Corson, J. H. . .	63	Haines, John. . .	158	Reinkin, R. . . .	235
Cronk, O. W. . . .	75	Haines, Vernon	96	Reiser, John. . .	275
Crawford, G. H.	85	Hasler, Geo. ...	282	Reiser, Joe. ...	473
Coon, Chas. ...	258	Halsker, H. ...	274	Renn, J. P.	29
Cohoon, A. R. . .	342	Japp, Aug.	210	Renn, Fred P. . .	75
Corson, M. J. . .	298	Johnson, J. H. .	194	Renn, Fred P. . .	332
Corson, A. F. . .	156	Jenning, Emil. .	187	Spansail, Mrs. F.	130
Campbell, M. S.	237	Johnson, H. ...	251	Sholer, Martin. .	399
Crawford &		Johnson, A. ...	157	Schults, John. . .	295
Porter.	511	Johnson, Chas. .	178	Speed, H. H. ...	164
Crawford, H. M.	401	Krueger, H. ...	178	Smith, E. L. ...	311
Cudden, Albert	221	Kelley, J. H. . .	72	Schnur, J. H. . .	245
Clayton, Isaac. .	250	Krueger, John. .	198	Shurtleff, H. H.	187
Calloway, A. F.	317	Kellogg, L. D. .	151	Stewart, A. G. .	1072
Davis, O. S.	186	Kitchen, G. C. .	260	Swanson, D. W.	369
David, Chas. . . .	189	Korner, Henry. .	222	Swanson, S. ...	126
Detlefs, J. J. . . .	30	McClelland, E. .	87	Stonebraker,	
Devine Bros. . .	37	Mansfield, Jas.	123	C. G.	289
Deering, Geo. . .	183	Miller, W. E. . .	174	Smith, Harry. . .	264
Dander, M. . . .	350	Millard, W. H. .	311	Schurf, Fred. . .	146
Dumonlin, W. . .	362	Ney Threshing		Summer, Will. .	229
Dumonlin, Jos. .	329	Co.	160	Taylor, F. O. . .	51

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OF GENERAL INTEREST

ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS OF EXCHANGES

BURGLARS AT HAMPSHIRE

Butter Sells for 20c on Elgin Board - Billy Sunday Cleans up Sinners and Loose Change

Jesse James, son of the famous Missouri bandit, has been licensed to practice law in that state.

The admission of Oklahoma and Indian Territory into the Union as one state makes forty-six stars in Uncle Sam's crown.

It is estimated that the oat crop of Oklahoma this year will amount to 35,000,000 bushels and the wheat crop 40,000,000 bushels. Sparks from a chimney caused a fire that totally destroyed the Cornell Bros. creamery at Coral, Ill., Sunday and entailed a loss of \$7,500.

The quotation committee of the board of trade decided on 20 cents as the official price of butter. Resolutions were passed on the death of George Reed of Belvidere.

While he and his family were attending the performance of a circus Friday night, the home of F. Rowell at Hampshire was burglarized. Two suits of clothes were taken.

Mrs. Henry Mumme of Elgin leaves tonight for Seattle to visit a sister, Mrs. Hester Boom, whom she has not seen for thirty-seven years, and whom she recently located through the assistance of a fortune teller.

Evangelist Sunday's campaign at Prophetstown, a town of 1,800 people has closed. At the closing meeting a fund of \$2,300 was made up for the evangelist and his helpers. People in that vicinity are enthusiastic over the effect of the meetings.

The state supreme court handed down a decision holding Mayor Rose, Kansas City, Kan., in contempt for having assumed the office of mayor after the court had ousted him for non-enforcement of the prohibition law, and the law against gambling. The mayor was fined \$1,000.

A FRISCO OF CEMENT

Coast City Demands Country's Viable Supply for the Present

Almost the entire cement supply in the United States will be on its way to Frisco in a few months. It is computed that in a short time that city will be using more cement in one day in the rebuilding than all the states of the union were using a decade ago. One of the large construction concerns of Frisco has engaged 1,000 barrels of cement a day to be delivered in August. Later in the year it is expected that the demand will be such that the same firm will have to use 10,000 barrels a day, or about 70 car-loads. This cement will be needed in the erection of about \$5,000,000 worth of buildings.

Fire Alarm Tuesday

The startling music of the fire bell and whistle aroused the people of Genoa at 7:30 Tuesday morning and brought the hose carts out in short order. It was not a false alarm but rather disconcerting to the small boys who had anticipated a conflagration. The shed which had been used by Wm. Hecht as a shelter for his traction engine was burned, the loss being nominal.

Kirkland Next Year

At the business meeting held by the Woodmen on the fourth of July it was decided to hold the DeKalb County M. W. A. picnic at Kirkland next year.

STATEMENT

Made by the M. W. A. Fourth of July Committee

Statement of receipts and expenditures of the Fourth of July, M. W. of A. committee of Genoa, Ill., July 4, 1906.

RECEIPTS

F. W. Olmsted	\$ 5.00
W. A. Snow	15.00
J. B. Smith	15.00
C. A. Goding	15.00
W. P. Lloyd	15.00
E. H. Browne	5.00
Slater & Douglas	3.00
J. H. McGough	5.00
Mott & Thorworth	3.00
F. O. Holtgren	1.50
F. W. Olmsted & Co.	3.00
Genoa Base Ball Club	5.00
Anette Oberg	1.00
Perkins & Rosenfeld	2.50
F. O. Swan	2.00
J. Lembke	3.00
Geo. W. Buck	1.00
Hunt's Pharmacy	1.00
Aug. Teyler	1.00
F. W. Duval	4.00
F. E. Wells	1.00
Maitland Bros.	1.00
T. G. Sager	1.00
F. Tischler	1.00
A. C. Merritt	1.50
D. S. Brown	1.00
Cooper & Gallagher	1.50
Adams & Kellogg	2.00
Chas. Winters	1.00
Witt & Shork	1.00
Village of Genoa	25.00
M. W. of A. Camp 163	46.80
License Money	49.50
	\$239.30

EXPENDITURES

C. A. Goding, fireworks	\$ 70.55
F. F. Farniloe, oration and expenses	15.00
Sports, etc.	43.50
Cooper & Gallagher, posting bills	3.50
A. C. Merritt, posting bills	7.00
D. S. Lord, postage and stenographer	3.47
C. Dralle, seating grounds	1.00
Telegraphing	1.13
Telephoning	1.05
E. H. Browne, punk	.10
Genoa Band	65.00
C. D. Schoonmaker, printing	16.35
J. D. Patterson, grounds	5.00
Cooper & Gallagher, livery	3.50
Epworth League, 3 meals	1.05
E. Confer, draying	1.20
Perkins & Rosenfeld powder	.90
	\$239.30

D. S. LORD, Secy.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1906.

Geo. W. Buck, Notary Public.

NEW CORPORATION

Files Papers and makes Known Plans of New Electric Lines

The articles of incorporation of the newly organized company which will take over, operate and extend the electric railway, power, heat and light properties now operating in and between DeKalb and Sycamore, were filed in the recorder's office in DeKalb county on Saturday last, says the True Republican.

The articles, among other things, contain the following:

The places from and to which it is intended to construct the proposed railway are as follows: From DeKalb to Sycamore, and from thence to Belvidere; and from Sycamore to some point at or near the northerly line of McHenry county; from Sycamore to Elgin; from DeKalb to Aurora; from DeKalb to Sandwich; thence to Yorkville; from Sandwich to Ottawa; from DeKalb to Dixon; from DeKalb to Oregon; and from DeKalb to Wheaton.

The principal business office will be in DeKalb. The corporation shall continue for 50 years.

THE WHITE SOX WIN

ALMOST SHUT OUT THE BELVIDERE STANDARDS

GOOD WORK BY PITCHERS

Genoa Boys Have Strong Infield and Outfield, but Show Weakness at the Bat

The Genoa White Sox demonstrated their ability to play the national game last Saturday when they almost shut out the Belvidere standards. The visitors had made only two hits and no runs up to the ninth inning. Salander having them where he wanted them at all times. In the ninth Laden got to third base on a hit, stolen base and an error by Kemp. At this stage Crawford threw wild to second base in attempting to cut off Lane, allowing Laden to score. Crawford's hit in the second inning brought Senska in with the only earned run of the game. The two runs made by the Sox in the seventh were due to Brown's hit and a juicy combination of four errors.

With the exception of his one uncalled for play in the ninth Crawford caught a good game Merrill picked up everything that came his way without an error. The outfield was strong, Brown and Bennett each getting difficult flies after long runs.

If the White Sox could bat as well as they handle the ball they could take on any of the first class teams of the vicinity.

The score:

GENOA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Reuhlman, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Merrill, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kemp, ss	3	0	0	0	5	2
Williams, 1b	4	0	0	12	5	1
Brown, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Bennett, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Senska, 3b	5	1	0	2	0	0
Crawford, c	3	1	1	8	2	1
Salander, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
	28	3	2	27	14	4

AB R H PO A E

BELVIDERE	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Horan, p	4	0	0	1	2	0
Laden, ss	4	1	1	2	4	2
Sanders, c	4	0	1	7	2	1
Lane, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kenyon, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	1
Straub, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Luman, 2b	3	0	0	5	0	1
Gould, rf	3	0	1	4	0	0
Lanning, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
	30	1	3	24	9	6

Earned run—Genoa 1. Two base hit—Sanders. First on balls off Salander 1, off Horan 1. Struck out—by Salander 9, by Salander to Williams. Wild pitch—Salander. Passed ball—Sanders. First base on errors—Genoa 5, Belvidere 3. Hit by pitcher—Brown, Kemp. Time 1:20.

At Hampshire Sunday the White Sox squared accounts with the Hampshire team, trimming it to the merry tune of 8 to 3. Salander pitched during the first four innings and did not allow a hit. Evans went in in the fifth and after a little wildness settled down to good work. The boys all played the game as the fans like to see it.

Fisher-Kiernan

Mr. Harlan Fisher and Miss Della Kiernan were married by Rev. Father Huth at the parsonage in Hampshire Wednesday morning. The wedding was a quiet affair, only two or three witnesses being present.

The bride is a daughter of Jas. R. Kiernan of this city. Mr. Fisher was formerly a resident of Sycamore, but is now traveling salesman. His wife will accompany him on the road.

Notice This

Please make a note of the fact that the Genoa directory, just issued and posted up about the county was not printed at the Republican-Journal office.

BURGLAR AT LEBANON

Is Badly Frightened and Makes His Escape with Little Plunder

GOOD WORK BY PITCHERS

Genoa Boys Have Strong Infield and Outfield, but Show Weakness at the Bat

L. S. Ellithorpe's store at New Lebanon was entered by a lone burglar Tuesday morning who was discovered before he could get away with any plunder of consequence. Mr. Ellithorpe was aroused at two o'clock by his burglar alarm which connects with the store and taking up his trusty blunderbuss went after the intruder. He discovered Mr. Burglar as the latter was leaving by the front door and pulled the trigger. The store front was nicely peppered with shot and a window glass broken, but the thief evidently escaped injury as he ducked back into the store. Mr. Ellithorpe then aroused a neighbor to assist him in holding the burglar inside and telephoned for Deputy Yalden and Night Watch Watson. When the officers arrived, however, not a trace of the miscreant could be found, he having escaped while Mr. Ellithorpe was looking for help.

WILL BUILD OF CEMENT

Plans and Specifications of Primary School Building

Plans and specifications of the new primary school building are now in the office of Clerk H. A. Perkins and bids are being advertised for.

The plans call for a one story building, about 55x32 feet, exclusive of hall and cloak rooms. The structure will be built of cement blocks of nine inch thickness, except those used in the wall below the joists, which will be ten inches. The plans indicate that it will be a handsome structure with plenty of light and ventilation. The basement will be finished as a rainy day play room for the youngsters.

BURLINGTON TO INCORPORATE

Special Election Held Last Saturday with Unanimous Result

Burlington citizens Saturday voted to incorporate as a village. Only 57 votes were polled at the election, one only being against the incorporation. In twenty days the election of the village officers will be held, which includes a president of the village board, clerks and trustees. Incorporation papers were issued by Elgin attorneys after petitions had been circulated.

The list was headed by Fred Feustel, who offered to pay a license of \$1,300 for the privilege of conducting a saloon. A short time ago Feustel was arrested for conducting a "blind pig."

Ball Game Saturday

The Rockford Eagles, a team which has a good reputation, will cross bats with the Regulars on the local diamond Saturday of this week. The Genoa team has proven what it can do, having played professional ball during the past month. Turn out and see the exhibition. Game called at 2:45.

Yates at DeKalb

Richard Yates will address the voters of DeKalb County at Chronicle hall, DeKalb, Friday evening, July 13, at eight o'clock. He will give his reasons why Senator Collum should be put upon the shelf. The meeting will be under the auspices of the Young Men's Republican Club.

Notice

Genoa, Ill., July 7, 1906
My wife, Olive Cummings, having left my bed and board, I hereby notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.
D. GILBERT CUMMINGS

BURNS CAUSE DEATH

MRS. HENRY PFINGSTEN OF BURLINGTON THE VICTIM

FILLING GASOLINE STOVE

Enveloped in Flames She Rushes from House and Clothes Burn from Her Body

LOVE, HOPE AND WORK

How Lina Cavalieri, "Most Beautiful Woman of Europe," Has Won Her Way to Fame and Fortune by Hard Work.

IS AIDED BY HER SISTER'S DEVOTION

Love Affair with Prince Alexander Baratinski the Beginning of Resolve to Give Up Easy Life and Fit Herself for the Trying Roles Written by the Most Famous Masters of Music--Now the Idol of Adoring Paris.

Paris.—That "the most beautiful woman of Europe," may be discontented with her job is shown by the extraordinary case of Lina Cavalieri. As a music hall star of the first magnitude she was flattered and feted. She had but to show her beautiful person and warble a few ditties to earn heavy money. The world had practically told her that her loveliness was all-sufficient without talent. Lina Cavalieri tossed aside the brilliant siren and plodded the hard road leading to grand opera. When Parisians learned it they shrugged at the impractical choice and as good as forgot her. Now she has just given them a mighty jolt by coming back as a grand opera star, with a rumored engagement at the Paris opera itself, and furthermore she has just bought a splendid mansion in the Avenue de Messine. But why she grew discontented with being "the most beautiful woman of Europe," and how she threw up the music hall siren on the off-chance of succeeding in grand opera remains a secret.

The secret spring of Lina's change of base began with a great hope, continued through a great despair and ended in a great devotion. The hope and the despair were those of worldly love. But the devotion was that of a sister.

Nothing could be more striking than the contrast between the lives chosen by the two girls. When their widowed mother died in Rome in 1839 Ada was 15 years of age and Lina 17. As there were no relatives and the property was small, friends put them in a convent school of aristocratic connections, whose side specialty was the education of poor girls of good family for governesses and companions.

Has World at Her Feet. On account of her age, Lina's time in the school was short. Once in the world, it did not take her long to de-

gave her friendship to Prince Alexander Baratinski, second son of a considerable Russian house and a young man about Paris.

Prince Alexander came to have immense admiration for the talent, the voice, the beauty and the goodness of the girl.

"You must cultivate that voice," he told her. "You are wasting yourself on the music hall stage, which is not worthy of you. Take up opera!" he advised her.

"That is what my sister is always writing me," pouted the fair Lina. Those who knew her at that time declare that, personally, she found herself very well where she was. The climbing of the grand opera ladder would mean unceasing labor—not to speak of risk. The appeals of Ada had not moved her. Was it love that now began to pull her? Watt's touching painting of "Love Leading Life" contains a mighty moral.

On Road to Grand Opera.

Like the camel that is being loaded, Lina groaned in spirit. Like the camel, she was slow in getting started. But, still like that reliable creature, once started, she kept going. In 1896-7 the music halls saw no more of Lina Cavalieri; and it became known that she was diligently cultivating her voice under Mme. Mariani-Masi.

Prince Alexander was delighted. At least, he professed himself delighted. Indeed, it was generally thought that the two young people so admirably fitted to each other would certainly marry—a supposition made, the less unreasonable by the well-known fact that Prince Alexander's elder brother and head of the family had only a few years previously married a celebrated Russian actress, with whom he was living happily. Lina was simply working to make herself worthy of the alliance. She would not ask Prince Alexander to marry "the most beautiful woman

There was riot in front of the curtain and panic and recriminations behind it, and in a row that would not have been out of place in a Latin quarter cafe Lina Cavalieri and Alexander Baratinski spoke their parting words.

We know no more than this. Was it one of love's hateful treasons? Was it desertion in the hour of need? The girl had worked and slaved to please him. The world would have liked to see him stand manfully by her in her hour of failure. That Lina has never accused him proves nothing. She may have been too proud—or she may have been in the wrong. And, note, that Baratinski never defended himself proves nothing. He may have been too chivalrous or he may have had no excuse.

Baratinski fled to his yacht. Simply that.

Cavalieri moved with dignity to the railway station. On her lonely trip from Lisbon to Paris by the Sud Express, accompanied only by a faithful maid, the company disintegrated—she knows what bitter thoughts may have been hers? Ah, work that had all gone for nothing! Really, I know of no more pathetic figure than that of the disabused and lonely girl returning to Paris.

In 1901 she was singing the principal part of Mimi in Puccini's "Die Boheme" at no less an opera house than the San Carlo of Naples. Next she secured a brilliant engagement for an entire season at the Imperial theater of Warsaw—singing Violetta in "Travolta," Marguerite in "Faust," Mimi in "Die Boheme"—and taking fine revenge on the cruel Lisbon public by an overwhelming triumph as Nedda. Succeeding years confirmed this suc-



shortly afterward married the young Princess Yourievski, morganatic daughter of the deceased Czar Alexander II, living with her mother in high Parisian society. And Lina Cavalieri remained "the most beautiful woman of Europe!"

Here the devoted sister intervened with force from her humble employment at Genoa.

Too Beautiful for Governess. On leaving the Roman convent school three years after her elder sister had quit it, Ada Cavalieri (to give her the family name adopted and made famous by the other) had to face the same hard proposition that confronted Lina.

She was quite as beautiful as Lina. Indeed—as you shall learn, if you have not already heard it—the sisters look so much alike that photographs of one have been mistaken for the other. Also, she had a voice. Yet she never hesitated. She had been educated for a governess. It was correct and honorable to be a governess. And a governess she would be. Even after she had lost her first three places by a strange and unique fault she never wavered.

Surely, it was a unique fault. "This young girl is too beautiful to be a governess," wrote her first employer to the superiors of the school as she returned her. "Her conduct has been irreproachable. She is goodness itself, intelligent, patient and with a talent for teaching. Yet I will not keep her. Her presence cannot but prove a danger in a household."

At last a good and generous lady—beautiful enough herself not to be jealous of another's beauty—took the persecuted Signorina Ada as teacher for her two small children. I may not give her name; she was the wife of a foreign consul.

Ada Cavalieri had watched her brilliant sister's triumphs with uneasy wonderment that grew to terror.

Old maids are born—not made. In spite of her dazzling beauty—the same beauty line for line that had made Lina famous—Ada had, from the beginning, all the frigid timidity, the chaste tranquillity and the hard judgments, both for herself and others, of the born old maid.

She had fought with Lina to give up

the music hall career. She had never ceased bombarding her with letters of exhortation. Later on she compromised.

Urged Sister Onward.

"If you will not give up the stage, be a real artist!" was her final appeal. When Lina had begun studying with Mme. Mariani-Masi she began to hope. And when at last Lina was to make her debut in grand opera at Lisbon she was waiting anxiously to learn the result.

When she learned the pitiful result Ada Cavalieri took a great decision. Quitting her place at Genoa she hurried to Paris.

She settled down beside her wounded and reckless sister. Did she try to comfort her? How could the born old maid comfort her? But it is certain that the frigid Ada wrestled with the fiery Lina seven days—and triumphed!

Groaning in spirit like the camel, Lina again renounced the easy life and money of the music halls. Again she took up the burden of grand opera. Love, with great shining eyes, no longer beckoned her. But on and on she bore the burden, with her sister always by her. How she finally succeeded is well known.

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HORTICULTURE

THE SIDE GRAFT.

Method Which Is Valuable When Working with Seedlings Growing in Nursery.

The method of grafting shown in the illustration is valuable when grafting young seedlings growing in the nursery or greenhouse. A slanting cut is made just under the bark on the stock near the ground, and the scion is prepared much the same as for cleft-grafting, except that the cut on what is to be the outside of the scion is shorter than the other. It is then pushed into the cut on the stock, so that the barks will be in contact, and then wrapped and waxed the same as the other grafts.

The scions used for grafts of all kinds should be well ripened, healthy shoots of the previous year's growth. They should be cut in the fall and packed in sand or moss until needed. In the case of hardy sorts, good results can generally be secured with spring-cut grafts, but it is safer to cut them in the fall. April and May are the months for grafting.

For covering all cut surfaces made in grafting, a wax made of resin, beeswax, and either tallow or oil should be used. For use during the cool days of early spring the following formula will give good results:

Resin 4 parts
Beeswax 2 parts
Tallow 1 part

All parts by weight. Oil, three-fourths part, may be used instead of tallow. Melt together and when well



HOW GRAFT IS MADE.

mixed pour into cold water; after greasing the hands, pull like candy. When it reaches a light yellow color it can be used. If to be used in cold weather it may be softened with warm water, while for warm weather the amount of resin should be slightly increased.

The best results in grafting are obtained when stock and scion come from plants of equal vigor and belonging to the same species, says the Prairie Farmer, but in many cases fairly good success can be obtained between plants of nearly related species. Thus the apple, pear, quince, thorn and mountain ash can be grafted upon one or the other, but the union in most cases will not be so perfect or durable as between plants of the same species.

HORTICULTURAL NOTES.

Strong growing plants are least attacked by insects.

Sunshine and water can produce results in any soil in which plant food is found.

If hungry trees could "bawl" as the calves do, what a chorus of howls and bleats we should hear!

Make a map of the new orchard. If the varieties are not written down now, they will probably be forgotten a few years hence.

Much is the salvation of young trees set in old mowing fields. Fertilizer underneath it will insure a rapid growth.

Some cultivated crop may sometimes be grown to advantage among young trees. But do not attempt to grow grain or grass crops there.

Don't let anybody interfere with the birds' nests if you can help it. If all goes well, each one will soon be filled with four or five hungry mouths, down which the parent bird will store away lots of the injurious insects from the farm.—Farm Journal.

Every disease of plants is caused by minute fungi called bacteria. Some people add, "careless treatment and bad weather," but the latter causes cannot be classed as disease. Strong plants, well taken care of and supplied plant food in abundance have a good deal of power to throw off disease.

Kerosene Emulsion.

Kerosene, two parts; sour milk, one part; churn together. Or, kerosene, one gallon; soap, a quarter of a pound; hot water, half a gallon; churn together into a cream. To one gallon of either of these add ten gallons of water for spraying on tough foliage or plants, or 15 gallons of water for more tender varieties. You can buy the emulsion at the seed stores already prepared, if you prefer. This will kill most soft-bodied insects, including the different varieties of scale lice, plant lice, etc., but unless carefully made it may burn the foliage.

CODLING MOTH PARASITE.

Report of Secretary of California Horticultural Commission on Insect.

Very much attention has been directed from the different states of the union and from various countries of the world to California's method of fighting insect pests by means of their natural enemies, especially toward the experiment now being carried on in the effort to overcome the ravages of the codling moth by means of the newly introduced parasite, *Calliphallotes messor*.

The codling moth is unquestionably the most destructive and most widespread of all of our insect pests, and is found practically wherever apples or pears are grown. It was introduced into California shortly after



FEMALE PARASITE OF CODLING MOTH—MUCH ENLARGED.

the completion of the transcontinental railroad, and was first observed in 1870, since which time it has spread rapidly over the whole state until there are few orchards, and these only in isolated districts, that are free from the pest.

During all these years the apple and pear industries have been growing and extending until they have become of first rank among the orchards of the state. The only method of keeping the pest in check has been by means of spraying with Paris green or other arsenical compounds, and this naturally involves a great deal of outlay for material and labor, and in spite of the most efficient work, a large percentage of the fruit is lost.

California having been successful with several introduced insects in keeping in check some of the injurious species, determined to make the experiment of discovering and introducing an effective parasite for the codling moth. It was used that over very large sections of Europe, where the apple was extensively grown, the codling moth had been known for a great many years, dating as far back as history itself, and yet a very large percentage of the fruit was unharmed by the moth. From this fact it was argued that there must of necessity be some natural cause which prevented the increase of the destructive insect, and experience has shown that this cause was in all probability a parasitic insect. Upon these lines, an agent of the California horticultural commission was dispatched to Europe with instructions to discover the codling moth, and discover and forward, if possible, the natural enemies which he might find working thereon, in ac-



FEMALE IN ACT OF OVIPOSITION.

cordance with this plan; Mr. Compers traveled extensively through Europe, and discovered in the apple-growing sections of Spain an Ichneumonid fly working upon the codling moth in its pupal form. With much labor and difficulty, he obtained a large number of these, and forwarded them to the California commission, where they have been bred in confinement and distributed widely through the apple and pear orchards of the state.

It is yet too early to assert how effective this parasite will prove in checking the spread of the codling moth. Reports have been received from orchards in which it has been distributed stating that it is multiplying rapidly and taking hold of the work in good shape, and that the pest has been largely reduced. This is the report for one season, however, and a season that was not propitious for the breeding of the codling moth, as the apple and pear crops were both light, and climatic conditions may have had something to do with the reduced number of codling moths breeding that season.

There is one difficulty to be apprehended in connection with this parasite, and that is that it attacks the pest only after it has left the fruit and gone into its pupal stage. The pupae are not found around the trees, but are widely scattered, being found in the walls of old buildings frequently, in old fences, and any other convenient hiding place, and are often so widely scattered that it would seem difficult for the parasite to seek them out in sufficient numbers to materially check their increase. At the same time, there is a possibility that the parasite may not confine its work to the codling moth, but, like many other of the Ichneumonid flies, may attack other species of the Lepidoptera. These are matters which the future has to prove, and all that can be said for the codling moth parasite at the present time is that it is an experiment, and so far a very promising one.

BLOATED WITH DROPSY.

The Heart Was Badly Affected When the Patient Began Using Doan's.



Mrs. Elizabeth Maxwell, of 415 West Fourth St., Olympia, Wash., says: "For over three years I suffered with a dropsical condition without being aware that it was due to kidney trouble. The early stages were principally backache and bearing down pain, but I went along without worrying much until dropsy set in. My feet and ankles swelled up, my hands puffed, and became so tense I could hardly close them. I had great difficulty in breathing, and my heart would flutter with the least exertion. I could not walk far without stopping again and again to rest. Since using four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills the bloating has gone down and the feelings of distress have disappeared."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Girl Horsebreaker.

Miss Winnonah Von Ohl, a New Jersey girl 29 years old, is making quite a reputation as a horsebreaker. Five years ago, a slender slip of a girl, she went to South Dakota with her mother, who had been sent thither for a change of climate. Miss Winnonah learned to ride bronchos out there and on returning east she took to training and breaking horses, in which work she has been remarkably successful. She has never sustained any injury while thus engaged.

Notice to Barley Growing Farmers.

Do not cut your barley before it is thoroughly ripe. Second, shock and cap well. Third, do not thrash out of shock. Fourth, stack your barley and let it sweat and cure in stack, take care so that it does not heat in bin after thrashing. By following these instructions you will improve the quality of your grain and thereby realize the highest price in the market. The Malsters will absolutely refuse to purchase barley which has been otherwise handled. John Notz, Secretary, United States Malsters Association.

Sacrifice Made by Judge.

Justice Holmes, of the supreme court, in order that he may preserve his mind free from distractions of information and misinformation that would impair his efficiency and wisdom as a jurist, does not allow himself to read the newspapers.

Scriptures in Russia.

It is rather remarkable that, notwithstanding the disturbed conditions of affairs in Russia last year, the British and Foreign Bible society reports a banner year in the circulation of Scriptures, over 500,000 copies being distributed in European Russia, besides a very large number in Siberia.

Error of Reformers.

One trouble with most would-be reformers is that they begin at the wrong end of the task.

Levi's Single Binder straight 5c. Many smokers prefer them to 10c cigars. Your dealer or Levi's Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Charity may cover a multitude of sins, but a lot more will spring up.

OPERATION AVOIDED

EXPERIENCE OF MISS MERKLEY

She Was Told That an Operation Was Inevitable. How She Escaped It.

When a physician tells a woman suffering with serious feminine trouble that an operation is necessary, the very thought of the knife and the operating table strikes terror to her heart, and our hospitals are full of women coming for just such operations.



There are cases where an operation is the only recourse, but when one considers the great number of cases of mending female troubles cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound under physicians have advised operations, no woman should submit to one without first trying the Vegetable Compound and writing Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, which is free.

Miss Margaret Merkley, of 275 Third Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham: "Loss of strength, extreme nervousness, shooting pains through the pelvic organs, bearing down pains and cramps compelled me to seek medical advice. The doctor, after making an examination, said I had a female trouble and operation and advised an operation. To this I strongly objected and decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The ulceration quickly healed, all the bad symptoms disappeared and I am once more strong, vigorous and well."

Female troubles are steadily on the increase among women. If the monthly periods are very painful, or too frequent and excessive—if you have pain or swelling low down in the left side, bearing-down pains, don't neglect yourself; try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



side the teaching career. Besides her beautiful person, she had a pretty voice, and even had the voice been less her first appearance on the music hall stage left no doubt as to the kind of success she might expect. In 1893 Lina Cavalieri was called "the prettiest girl in Vienna." At the famous Ronacher's she had enormous vogue as a beauty and wearer of magnificent toilets. She warbled a few catchy ditties. And they were sufficient. In 1894 she was drawing all Paris—and the clubs contingent—to the Folies-Bergere. She had discovered the dressmakers and milliners of the Rue de la Paix; and was making the acquaintance of the jewelers. The photographers had sent her lovely face and figure to the four corners of the earth, and she began to be called "the most beautiful woman of Europe."

of Europe." He should espouse a grand opera star!

Three years passed in work and love and hope. Then Lina's chance came in 1900, when she was allowed to make her debut at no less a musical center than the Theater Royal of Lisbon as Nedda in "Pagliacci."

Unhappily, the Lisbon public is a hard one. When it pays for grand opera it insists on having something new perfection. The debutante was young, exceedingly lovely, with a sweet voice; but she showed inexperience. Did she not also display nervousness due to emotion over some lovers' misunderstanding? One would prefer to think so—for the judging of Prince Alexander!

The first night the Lisbon public made no sign. The second night it simply chased the whole company from the stage of the Theater Royal.

Alas for work, for hope, for love!

Table listing names and numbers for the assessment list, including Vandresser, J. H., Wylde, J. W., Walters, Chas., etc.

WHAT, WHEN, WHERE

COMING EVENTS OF INTEREST TO OUR READERS

LOCAL DATES OF IMPORTANCE

Consult this Column When You Want to Know What's Going on—Help in Keeping it up to Date

Saturday, July 14—Ball game, Genoa vs. Rockford Eagles. Monday, July 16—Woodman carnival and fair at Elgin. Friday, July 20—W. C. T. U. anniversary meeting and social at church. Saturday, July 21—Ball game, Genoa vs Pecatonica. Saturday, Aug. 4—Primary election. August 9 to 19—Annual camp meeting at Camp Epworth. Thursday, July 16—County Republican convention at Sycamore, August 17 to 27—Chautauqua at Sycamore. August 18 to Sept. 2—Rockford Chautauqua assembly. Monday to Friday, Aug. 27 to 31—McHenry county fair, Woodstock. Thursday, August 30—Annual old settlers' picnic at Kingston. September 12-14—Sandwich fair. M. E. Church Notes: Preaching services will be held next Sunday both morning and evening at the usual time. In the morning Rev. Ream will preach. In the evening the topic of the sermon will be, "Christianity making its way into the Sunrise Kingdom." There will be a very interesting Epworth League service in the league rooms Sunday evening at 6:30. Topic: "The Grace of

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

July Clearing Sale

In addition to our usual clearing sale, we now have on sale the bankrupt stock of the Economy Clothing Co., of Elgin, consisting of both men and women's clothing. A time of bargains in every department of the store.

Girdle Corsets

Over 300 25c corsets, all durable sizes, choice..... 10c

Waist, Suit and Skirt Reductions

Ladies' fine suits, elegant materials, latest styles, \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$23.00 suits reduced to \$7.98 and..... \$9.89

Men's Suits

Prices which earlier in the season were impossible. Suits reduced from \$15.00 to..... \$7.85

Economy Clothing Co. Suits.

Great variety of styles, formerly priced at from \$10.00 to \$18.00, now offered at \$5.95, \$7.95 and..... \$9.85

Yard Goods

Summer silks, checks, stripes, etc, 50c quality, per yd.... 35c Heaviest 12c bleached muslin remnants, only..... 8c Big ribbon values this week at 9 and..... 13c

Remember Horse Ticket, Dinner Ticket, Introduction Ticket and Refunded Car Fare Offers.

Show round trip R. R. ticket if you come by train.

Brotherly Love." Leader, Floyd Olmsted. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Rev. J. E. DeLong will preach at Ney next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. E. Ream will preach at Charter Grove next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Choir rehearsal Saturday evening at 7:45.

Central Committee Proceedings

The Republican County Convention of DeKalb County, Illinois will be held in the City of Sycamore, in said county, on the 9th day of August A. D. 1906 at 1:30 o'clock p. m. of that day for the purpose of placing in nomination one candidate for county judge, one candidate for county clerk, one candidate for sheriff, one candidate for county treasurer and one candidate for county superintendent of schools of said county, and to transact any other business that may properly come before said convention.

Illinois Central Excursions

Home seekers tickets to the west and north-west on sale every Tuesday. Home seekers to the south and south-west every 1st and 3rd Tuesday. On these dates the round trip to New Orleans, Lake Charles, San Antonio, Houston and various other points \$25 for round trip. Confer with your humble servant for specific information if you are thinking of taking a trip to any point.

Own Your Own Home

Lots for sale in Eureka Park Addition at low prices and on easy terms. Clear title. Abstract to date furnished. Will furnish building funds to improve property. Pay monthly payments on your own home instead of paying rent.

Summer Tourist Rates

Via the C. M. & St. P. Rv., on sale June 1 to Sept. 30, 1906, to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Glenwood Springs and Grand Jct., Colorado; Rawlins and Walcott, Wyoming; Salt Lake City and Ogden, Utah, and many other points. Special low rates. Sept. 1 J. M. Harvey, Agent.

Sandwich 2nd 9 Squaw Grove 8 Pierce 6 Coatland 6 Sycamore 1st 9 Sycamore 2nd 7 Sycamore 3rd 10 Genoa 9

Consolidated List

Table listing names and numbers for the consolidated list, including Paw Paw, Shabbona, Milan, Malta, South Grove, Franklin 1st, Franklin 2nd, Victor, Clinton, Afton, DeKalb 1st, DeKalb 2nd, DeKalb 3rd, DeKalb 4th, DeKalb 5th, Mayfield, Kingston, Somanauk, Sandwich 1st.

Advertisement for J. C. C. Corset, featuring the slogan 'Everybody's Fit in a J. C. C. Corset' and listing various models like Milady, Peerless, Fashion Hip, Wonder, Violet, and I Fit.

Riley Center

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fillweber visited at the home of her parents over Sunday. Earl Brotzman was out from Chicago over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B. St. John were visitors in South Riley Saturday. Jess Ratfield of Belvidere spent Sunday with his parents here. The dinner held at El Mackey's Saturday was well attended, there

being seventy-two present. The next meeting of the Helpers will be with Mrs. T. Ratfield.

Mrs. Meriam Anthony and children were at the home of John Stockwell Monday.

Elmer Stockwell and wife were visitors at the home of John Stockwell a couple of days last week.

A. J. Benham was home over Sunday.

Large advertisement for KELLOGG & ADAMS, GENOA, ILLINOIS, featuring the headline 'To Select a Buggy Is An Easy Task' and 'SURRIES, TOP BUGGIES, TRAPS AND RUNABOUTS'.

News Items
That Are of
General Interest
to All

DOINGS OF THE WEEK ABOUT THE TOWN

Clearing sale at Olmsted's.

Jesse Geithman was here from Woodstock this week.

Leslie Griggs of Elgin called on his father last Friday.

Great bargains at Olmsted's dry goods store these days.

Read F. W. Olmsted's ad and see what is special for Saturday.

Miss Lou Allen of DeKalb was visiting Genoa relatives last week.

See the bargains in wash dress goods and waists at F. W. Olmsted's.

Mrs. Charles Snow and Mrs. C. E. Saul were Chicago visitors Monday.

Mrs. Abbie J. Patterson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Corson, this week.

Mrs. A. U. Schneider of Chicago has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Holroyd.

Mrs. W. F. Dumser of Springfield is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Richardson.

Mrs. Henry Leonard entertained her uncle, Mr. Kent, and daughter of Chicago this week.

For Rent—Two rooms over Witt & Shork's jewelry store. Inquire at Farmers' State Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Leonard left on Monday for a month's visit with relatives at St. Louis, Mich.

Dr. and Mrs. F. F. Peters of Chicago were guests last week of the former's aunt, Mrs. Geo. DeWolf.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Stout and daughter left last Friday for a several weeks' visit at Elwin and Fairview, Ill.

Mrs. Gleason and children of Elgin were guests during the past week at the homes of Will Foote and Chas. Gleason.

L. D. Sampson of the Central Industrial Bureau, Chicago, was here Monday seeking a location for a piano factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Foote entertained the former's sister, Mrs. C. P. Lorezen, and children of Rockford last week.

Mrs. Helen Carr and daughter of Chicago are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Foote where they will spend a month.

Why don't you deposit your money in the Farmer's State Bank and get 3 per cent interest for six months? Try it.

F. A. Holly, L. E. Carmichael, E. A. Sowers and Ralph Olmsted went to Pistakee Bay Sunday in L. Robinson's automobile.

Howard King, Fred Browne, Abiram Crawford and Fred Kuhn are camping on the banks of the Kishwaukee, west of Kirkland.

Mrs. Geo. Hoffman and children left this week for a two month's visit at the home of Henry Heiser near Harvard, Nebr.

Lost, black leather dog collar, trimmed with German silver. Finder please leave same at Republican office and receive reward.

Mrs. Bessie Hunter and Miss Hunter who have been visiting at the home of J. E. Buss returned last week to their home in Washington.

Homeseekers excursions every Tuesday via the C. M. & St. P. Ry. almost half fare. Inquire of the agent for particulars, as to points tickets are sold to.

Dec. 1.

Blanche Shipman is visiting at Fairdale, Monroe and Clare.

The best cutlery at reasonable prices at Perkins & Rosenfeld's. See our line of light vests. If we can't suit you no one can.

F. O. Holtgren.

Will Kiernan of Cherry Valley called on his brother, Jas. R., Wednesday.

Those caps and hats for hot weather at Holtgren's are taking well this month. See them.

Fletcher Hannah is now located at Petersburg, Canada, where he is keeping house with his family.

We make a specialty of gutter work, spouting and plumbing of all kinds. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

C. H. Wager, who has been here during the past ten days visiting his family, returned to Omaha Wednesday.

Miss Anna Kiernan attended the marriage of her sister, Della, and Harlan Fisher at Hampshire Wednesday.

Ask those who have used B. P. S. paint what they think about it. The verdict is always the same, Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Christian Science services are held in Slater's hall every Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday "Truth." All are invited to attend.

Clarence Butcher, manager of the Genoa exchange DeKalb Co. Telephone Co., has recently become the possessor of an Oldsmobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Warhurst of Belvidere and Miss Rosaline Schraiber of Chicago were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leonard Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Holtgren of Hampshire, Misses Guila and Zada and John Corson are enjoying an outing at Crystal Lake this week.

The section gangs all along this division of the C. M. & St. Paul road were cut down this week.

Foreman Malana's force was reduced from nine to three men.

As the A. C. church is under-

going repairs there will be no services Sunday, July 15.

Mrs. M. L. Weed of Fort Pierre, S. D., and Mrs. D. A. Stinger of Blunt, N. D., are guests of Mrs. Geo. J. Patterson.

Mrs. Amanda Burroughs of Dexter, Mo., sister of Mrs. Belle Wyld and Mrs. Estella Howlett, is visiting in Genoa.

Miss Libbie Browne left this week for a three months' visit with friends at Fon du Lac, Wis., and White Lake, Mich.

A. D. Lefevre of Zeating, Iowa, is here this week. Mrs. Lefevre has been here for some time at the home of her mother, Mrs. Judith Sowers.

The Misses Wade and Olmsted are conducting dressmaking parlors in rooms on the second floor of the F. G. Robinson's house on Jackson street, west of Emmett street.

Found, on Genoa-Sycamore road lady's handbag, containing sum of money and few articles. Owner can have same by calling at the Republican office and paying charges.

New duck outing hats at Mrs. Dusinger's. Your choice of untrimmed hats only 25c. Handsome trimmed hats below cost at her July sale. Over Swans' store.

The Women's Home Missionary Society will give an ice cream social on Will Sager's lawn Friday evening. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this social and help a good cause.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hadsall and Mr. and Mrs. Kline Shipman visited the latter's cousin, James Knighton, at Fairdale Sunday, They made the trip in the auto.

The Genoa W. C. T. U. will hold the usual anniversary meeting at the M. E. church parlors next Thursday July 19 at 2:30. As every member will be present with two invited guests, the day will be one long to be remembered.

By order of Sec. L. M. Olmsted and F. W. Duvall have purchased new two-cylin-

der Queen automobiles. The former's is a runabout and the latter's is a two-seater. The machines were purchased thru the local agents, E. H. Cohoon & Co.

These make twelve machines now owned in Genoa.

For the summer time the Glogau Gas Stove is practical, safe and convenient. It makes a very hot flame and consumes little fuel. Makes its own gas from either grain or wood alcohol, and will boil a quart of water in ten minutes. We are selling them for 50c.

HUNT'S PHARMACY

C. A. Goding is the sole agent for the old I. W. Harper Rye and there never was a barrel of it shipped to Genoa to any other dealer. Bernheim Distilling Co., Louisville, Ky.

To Exchange: Good 740 acre farm in Chautauqua county, Kansas, located in the oil and gas belt. A fine stock farm, good improvement. Want merchandise, city property or smaller farm. Box 148, Independence, Iowa.

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\$7.40 to St. Paul and Minneapolis and return. Greatly reduced rates will be made to St. Paul and Minneapolis and return, account Annual Encampment Grand Army of the Republic at Minneapolis, August 13-16, via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Ask the nearest ticket agent of this company for additional information regarding rates, routes or train service, or write today to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

A Series of Illustrated Sermons

Rev. T. E. Ream has made arrangements to give a series of sermons for Sunday evenings which will be beautifully illustrated with from seventy-five to one hundred scenes almost life size thrown on the canvas with an electric lantern. The sermon for July 15 will be, "Christianity making its way into the Sunrise Kingdom." A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

More Books for Public Library

At the monthly business meeting of the Epworth League held in the social room of the library on Tuesday evening it was decided to put more new books into the library at once for public circulation. The new books will be on hand in about ten days and ready for the public.

Special Bargains

No. 1. Cottage, well located, worth \$1,800 for \$1,300.

No. 2. 8 room house with two good lots. Good location, worth upwards of \$2,000 for \$1,800.

No. 3. A house that couldn't be built today for less than \$3,500 with 4 acres of land for \$3,600.

Vacant property in all parts of town. D. S. Brown, at Exchange Bank, Genoa, Ill.

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It pays to use EXCELSIOR FLOUR, for bread or pastry, is what all cooks say of it.

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A good, sound cedar post fence will outwear any other and look better. We have a choice lot on hand now. By the way, if you have not been thru our yard lately you will be surprised at the completeness of the stock carried. We can supply your demands in every line at once.

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A safe, cheap, practical and efficient disinfectant and deodorizer. Through the summer months especially it should be used freely around outhouses, stables and pens. It destroys germs, vermin and odors. It makes the best animal dip and is an excellent application for sores, cuts and wounds. One gallon makes 75 of dip or disinfectant. Pint bottles 25 cents. Gallons \$1.00.

HUNT'S PHARMACY

'PHONE 83 GENOA, ILL.

July Clearing Sale

Snappy Bargains! Good Investments!

Saturday
July 14

Special for the day only--Leather Purses, all new styles, bought at a large purse sale in the city, 50 to 75c values only 25c.

White wash silk waists--\$3.00 and \$3.50 waists for \$1.98 and \$2.25.

All summer wash Dress Goods, white Waists, spring Jackets, Cravenettes, silk Coats, Gingham and Remnants are now sold at and below cost until all are disposed of.

Summer Dress Goods. 10 and 12c lawns per yd., 8c. 15 and 18c goods per yd., 11c. 25 and 30c organdies per yd., 19c. White Waists. \$1.00 waists 75c. \$1.25 and \$1.50 waists \$1.00. \$1.75 waists \$1.25. \$2.00 and \$2.50 waists \$1.50. SOILED MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AT HALF PRICE.

FRANK W. OLMSTED

CONTINUE

Those who are gaining flesh and strength by regular treatment with

Scott's Emulsion

should continue the treatment in hot weather; smaller dose and a little cool milk with it will do away with any objection which is attached to fatty products during the heated season.

Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. 50c and \$1.00; all druggists.

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THE REPUBLICAN-JOURNAL

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Surgeon-Made Man.

It is probable that most persons will prefer to go through life with a whole skin in spite of the reassuring comment of a Philadelphia surgeon on a recent operation in Rochester, Minn., that "it makes little difference if a man does lose a few inches of his intestines."

The vermiform appendix has been found to be not only a superfluous but a source of disease. The surgeons seem to be the only class to profit by it, yet few persons with healthy vermiform appendices are so unselfish as to offer to part with them.

In Los Angeles surgeons report with pride that they have just taken out a man's heart, washed it, replaced it, and promise that he will recover. Numbers of men under stress of circumstances and without mortal inconvenience have parted with a lobe of the lungs or liver or brains, to the immense gratification of the surgeons, but no one does it voluntarily or purely out of a desire of self-perfection.

Uniformity of American Life. The crudities of American life have been fruitful topics for foreign critics from the earliest colonial times, and many eminent British writers, including Dickens, have unbottled the vials of their sarcasm at our expense.

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THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Castro has again taken office as President of Venezuela.

E. H. Harriman has contracted in Japan for 1,500,000 railroad ties at 55 cents gold each.

Upton Sinclair, author of "The Jungle," will run for congress on the socialist ticket in Trenton, N. J.

The transport Thomas, that went ashore at Guam, has been floated. The vessel suffered little damage.

A large tract of land has been selected in Oklahoma on which to place a herd of buffalo for propagation.

An international congress to consider tuberculosis in all its phases will be held in New York November 14-16.

The boiler of an engine at work on a farm near Jacksonville, Ill., exploded, injuring four workmen, two probably fatally.

The Twelfth infantry, U. S. A., has undertaken an overland march to Mount Grenpa, Pa., from Governor's island, New York.

O. S. Chessman, just returned from Guatemala, says the uprising there was not serious and that the inhabitants are loyal to President Cabrera.

Dr. James L. Greene, of Lincoln, Neb., has been appointed superintendent of the insane asylum at Kankakee, Ill., to succeed Dr. J. C. Corbus.

Jennie, the four-year-old daughter of Frank Marsh, a wealthy farmer near Mishawaka, Ind., drank a pink of kerosene oil and died within an hour.

Ethel Barrymore is said to have broken her engagement with Capt. Graham of the British army because he insisted she should live in England.

One hundred and fifty car men at the Southern railway shops at Princeton, Ind., are on strike because the company let out some fellow workmen.

Benjamin F. Barnes, until recently assistant secretary to the president, was inducted into the office of postmaster of the city of Washington.

John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, arrived at Neenah, Wis., and went on a fishing trip in the yacht of William Gilbert of the Gilbert Paper company.

John Ara, 82 years old, is a patient at Bellevue hospital, New York, suffering from starvation. He said he "beat his way from Wilmington, N. C., on freight cars or on foot.

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MODIFIES MAIL BOX ORDER

Postmaster General Permits Receipts of Home Manufacture, if They Meet His Approval.

Washington, July 10.—Postmaster General Cortelyou has issued an order, to go into effect August 1, rescinding the regulation under which patrons of rural mail routes are compelled to purchase boxes from one of the 200 listed manufacturers, who have put on the market 300 different styles of boxes, approved by the department, costing from 50 cents to four dollars each.

Patrons of rural routes will be permitted to construct their own boxes, provided that in doing so they conform to the requirements of the department as to size, durability, safety and protection from the inclemencies of the weather. In order to maintain the government protection of the mail placed in rural boxes the patron must secure the approval of the postmaster for the office which serves the route and print on the box the words, "Approved by the postmaster general."

THE MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various commodities including livestock (steers, hogs, calves), grains (wheat, corn, oats), and other goods (cattle, hams, butter, etc.) with prices per unit.

FAMILY JARS OF THE PRESENT SEASON.



SECRETARY WILSON RILED BY PACKERS

INSISTS LABELS WILL BE WITHHELD IF REQUIREMENTS ARE EVADED.

Report of Experts Causes Some Plain Talk Regarding Petty Economy Practiced by Big Dealers at the Stockyards.

Chicago, July 10.—Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson, with a staff of government experts, arrived in Chicago Sunday, and Monday prepared to issue instructions to an army of inspectors regarding conformity with the new federal meat-inspection law.

The secretary lost no time in expressing his disappointment that the packers have not been sufficiently aroused by the various stock yards investigations and the public clamor to remodel their plants to conform with the government's demand for sanitary cleanliness. He has made a careful study of the report of experts made public Friday, and says that it shows the "grudging spirit" and "petty economy" of the meat packers in making improvements. He said that plenty of time had elapsed since the publication of the Neil-Reynolds report for thorough changes.

Clash Seems Imminent. When he read that screens had not been installed to protect the meat from flies he indicated that his inspectors would take the matter up. His manner made it also apparent that a clash is imminent between the packers and the government, though it will be a contest without argument.

"It seems to me that the packers of Chicago have not yet learned their lesson," said the secretary. "This report of the experts retained by the Illinois Manufacturers' association and the Chicago Commercial association is eloquent of their evasions. It seems to us that the packers have had ample time, if they were so disposed, to launch much greater improvements, for instance, in the sanitary conditions of their plants."

Mistaken Policy of Packers. "Here in this report we find mention made of toilet rooms ventilating into the workrooms. That will never do. The sanitary improvement of those plants must be on a broad, effective scale, if the United States is to permit the use of its guarantee label.

"Apparently some of them are trying to economize in defiance of the demands of congress that they bring their plants up to modern standards. Such a policy is a mistake—repeat it, it is a mistake—and can only result in the undoing of the halfway measures.

"That is an expensive method in the long run. It will do the packers no good to get their backs up. Congress has given the department power to insist upon wholesome conditions. That power, I have every reason to believe, will be exercised."

May Withhold Label. "There will be no controversy between the government and the packers," went on the secretary. "That won't be necessary. In the event that they object to our close inspection of their canned products, for instance, there will be no label forthcoming. That is all there is to it.

"I want to emphasize finally the fact that under the new law there will be a much more adequate inspection. At present our men do not leave the killing floor. In the future they will watch the meat through the dressing and canning processes. We expect to make rigid requirements to conform with the best standards in the world."

Russian Governor Recalled. St. Petersburg, July 9.—Gov. Kniehter, of Grodno, within whose jurisdiction the town of Bialystok is situated, has been recalled. Serious allegations regarding the recent massacres at Bialystok have been brought against him.

Judge Wanty Dies in London. Grand Rapids, Mich., July 10.—Word was received here Monday afternoon that United States District Judge George P. Wanty, of Grand Rapids, died in London, England.

WORK OF LONE HIGHWAYMAN

HOLDS UP FIVE STAGE COACHES IN YOSEMITE VALLEY, CAL.

Under Muzzle of Winchester He Compels 45 Passengers to Disgorge.—His Capture Reported.

Fresno, Cal., July 10.—It is reported from several sources that the highwayman who on Saturday held up and robbed a number of Yosemite valley stage coaches has been captured, but no news of an official nature has yet been received.

The first authentic information of the highway robbery was received Sunday night in Fresno when J. F. Tibbitt, of Riverside, who with his wife and Miss Amy Michelbacher had come out of the valley.

The robbery occurred six miles from the stopping place at Ahwahnee on the other side. At that place the road winds around the side of a hill and comes to a sudden point. At this point the robber stepped out and ordered W. A. Palmer, the driver of the first stage, to stop. The latter quickly complied.

The highwayman wore a black mask and had sacks tied about his feet to prevent the leaving of any tell-tale tracks as a clue for a pursuing posse. He held in his right hand a Winchester. The man behind the mask and gun ordered the passengers to alight. The women screamed, but the robber emphasized his order, and all quickly got out of the stage and lined up on the road with their hands above their heads.

W. H. Elliott, from Hornitos, was ordered to take the express box from the stage. While he was waiting for the other stage to come up the robber shot the lock off the Wells-Fargo box and rifled its contents. The bandit stopped the other stages in the same way, lining the passengers up and keeping them covered with his gun. When all the passengers, 45 in number, were lined up, the bandit, with a show of gayety, selected a young and pretty girl as his first assistant, and told her she had been appointed.

She hesitated a moment, then went to work. The girl did not come up to the robber's requirements, and he told her that she was a poor highwayman, ordering her to get into line, and appointing a man to take her place, requiring him to search the passengers.

An English woman and her daughter were in the party, and when the robber approached her she dropped in the road in a dead faint. He only laughed as he searched her.

ROOT REACHES PORTO RICO

American Envoy En Route to South America Received with Boom of Cannon.

San Juan, Porto Rico, July 9.—The cruiser Charleston, with Secretary Root and party on board, arrived here at four o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The Charleston entered the harbor at considerable speed. She established a record run between New York and San Juan, making the distance in three days and 19 hours. The trip down was uneventful.

As the Charleston entered the harbor she received salutes from Morro castle and the Italian cruise Umbria. Gov. Winthrop and his secretary, A. H. Frazer, went on board the cruiser, and after the exchange of greetings the secretary's party came ashore in naval launches. They were greeted at the landing of the naval station by Capt. Rohrer, commandant of the station, and his staff, the marines being drawn up in honor of the secretary.

After these ceremonies the naval authorities turned the party over to Lieut. Col. Bailey, of the Porto Rico provisional regiment, and his staff.

Miss Reid's Engagement Denied. London, July 9.—The press is authorized to deny the report of the engagement of Miss Reid, daughter of Ambassador Whitelaw Reid, to Viscount Acheson, eldest son of the earl of Gosford.

Drydock Dewey at Olango. Manila, July 10.—The dry dock Dewey arrived at Olango Monday morning. The trip from Singapore was uneventful.

DECLARE MEAT WHOLESOME

EXPERTS REPORT ON CONDITIONS AT CHICAGO YARDS.

One Plant Is Found Where Committee Has Doubts of the Safety of Its Products.

Chicago, July 7.—The report of the committee of experts of the Illinois Manufacturers' association and the Chicago Commercial association, while freely criticising some of the existing conditions in the yards, declares emphatically that the food produced by the packers is wholesome.

The experts delved into the manner in which carcasses and meats are handled, paid attention to the clothing worn by the workmen as well as to their physical condition, and especially investigated the manner in which the government, state and city inspect the products of the packing plants before they are placed upon the market.

The report declares that the inspection in every case more rigid than that employed in the abattoirs of Germany, and even recommends that the inspection for certain diseases, including "lumpy jaw," be in some degree ameliorated. It recommends, however, that the government pay the greatest possible attention to the establishing of facilities in the stockyards where men can be trained "in the important specialty of meat inspection."

In its report the committee did not mention the names of any plants which it investigated, but for its convenience in reference divided them into three classes.

The third group, the report says, relates to but one plant located outside the yards, and in this plant conditions were found which the committee declared rendered doubtful the safety of its products.

In the second class the committee found that the meat was wholesome and fit for food, but, while this was the case, the committee declares that there was so much dirt in the buildings, which are as a rule old, that they found considerable departure from a proper esthetic standpoint.

FOUR DEAD IN EXPLOSION

Gasoline Tank in Dyehouse Blows Up, Bodies of Victims Being Cooked in Resultant Fire.

Saginaw, Mich., July 7.—Four persons were killed and six injured, one of them seriously, by the explosion Friday of a large gasoline tank on the second floor of the boiler house of the Cosendal dye works on North Jefferson avenue. The dead: E. A. Foehl, Louis Cosendal, George Sigelko, Carl Cosendal.

The tank of gasoline exploded without an instant's warning, and the boiler-house was torn to pieces. A cloud of steam and debris ascending from the ruins greeted the eyes of the first persons who reached the scene after the explosion. Flames burst from a dozen points in the wreckage, and instantly Foehl's body was found near the edge of the huge pile of wreckage, literally cooked. John P. and Louis Cosendal were dug from the ruins with all of their clothes burned from their bodies and suffering agonies from the horrible burns they had sustained.

NAVAL RESERVE MEN DROWN

Four Illinois Militiamen Lose Life When Sudden Squall Overtakes Dingy in Lake Michigan.

Chicago, July 6.—Four members of the Illinois naval reserve out of a crew of six were drowned Thursday in the lake about 200 feet off the foot of Randolph street. All were inexperienced men except the coxswain and went out in a dingy for a cruise for the first time since they joined the service. The boat was overturned in a squall, the six men being thrown into the lake. Their cries for help were heard on the pier by Alfred Curran, watchman at the lifesaving station, and within ten minutes after the accident the life savers were on their way to the scene of the mishap.

Two men were saved by the lifesaving crew after they had clung to the gunwales of the capsized boat for a quarter of an hour.

WEALTHY YOUTH DROWNED

Relative of Vanderbilts, in Charge of Poor Boys' Camp, Meets Death in Big Squam Lake.

Ashland, N. H., July 6.—H. McK. Twombly, Jr., only son of H. McK. Twombly, the well-known capitalist of New York and Newport, was drowned Thursday night while swimming in Big Squam lake, six miles from Ashland.

Young Twombly was 18 years old. He came to New Hampshire about three weeks ago with a number of others who had charge of a dozen or more boys in humble circumstances who were sent into camp at the expense of the Groton school of Groton, Mass., from which Twombly was graduated last month.

Twombly's mother was Miss Florence A. Vanderbilt, daughter of the late William H. Vanderbilt, of New York.

Mayor Legally Ousted. Terre Haute, Ind., July 7.—Judge W. D. Robinson, of the Indiana appellate court, sitting Friday as special judge in the petition of Mayor Edwin J. Bidaman to restrain Frank M. Buckingham from assuming the office of mayor, dissolved the temporary restraining order and held that the action of the city council in ousting Mayor Bidaman was legal and that Bidaman had no claim on the office.

FIND ROAD GUILTY OF GIVING REBATES

JURY IN FEDERAL COURT AT CHICAGO DECIDES AGAINST ALTON COMPANY.

Two Former Officials Also Included in Verdict, Judge Landis Having Overruled Motion to Dismiss on All But Two Counts.

Chicago, July 7.—The Chicago & Alton Railroad company and two former officials of the road were found guilty Friday of granting rebates. The verdict was returned before Judge Landis in the federal court after a jury had practically been instructed by the court that there was little reason to doubt the guilt of the railroad corporation.

Punishment for the offenses charged is a fine of not less than \$5,000 nor more than \$10,000, according to the district attorney.

The road is declared guilty on each of eight counts. Secret concessions granted by the company to Schwarzschild & Sulzberger formed the basis of the indictments.

This is considered one of the most important victories of its kind won by the government. It means the beginning of many prosecutions.

The attorneys of the railroad gave notice of an appeal. They may, however, in view of the evidence, decide to waive further effort to prove the innocence of the road of conspiracy.

Judge K. M. Landis overruled a motion made in behalf of John M. Fairborn and Frederick A. Wann, former executives of the Chicago & Alton railway, charged with giving rebates to Schwarzschild & Sulzberger that the cases be taken from the jury and a court order entered in favor of the defendants.

Not Guilty on Two Counts. The motion was overruled as applied to eight of the ten counts in the indictment charging rebates.

The basis of the motion made by the attorneys for the railroad men was that the rebates, assuming that they had been made, did not constitute rebates as contemplated by the law.

The judge says that it appears from the evidence that prior to 1901 the Chicago & Alton Railway company charged the belt road four dollars a car for hauls from the packing company's platforms, over the packers' private tracks and the belt line tracks to the Chicago & Alton tracks, and that the belt line paid another dollar to the packing company for the part of the haul that was over the tracks of the company.

Payment Made Direct. This practice is said to have been known to the Alton company and continued until January 1, 1901, when, for some reason which does not appear, but at the alleged request of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, the arrangements were changed so that the Alton company made the payments direct to the packing company, instead of through the medium of the belt company.

Coincident with this change the belt line filed new schedules showing its rates for moving the packing company's traffic to be three dollars a car, which amount the Alton absorbed in its tariff collected from Schwarzschild & Sulzberger and paid over to the belt road.

Court Outlines Case. After quoting the interstate commerce law, which requires published schedules of rates, and the Elkins law, forbidding rebates or cutting of tariffs, the courts say:

"It is argued in behalf of the defendants that if any section of the law is violated it is that provision which requires the carrier's schedule to state the terminal charges and rules which change the aggregate rates. I am unable to see the force of this contention. Plainly, the return by the defendant carrier to the packing company of a part of the money paid by that shipper to the carrier for the transportation of the shipper's product is not a charge or rule or regulation within the meaning of the law.

Definition of "Rate." "The question is whether or not the payment so made is a device whereby the packing company's property is transported at less than the Alton's published rate, which, as seen above, includes the service on the belt company's tracks. It would seem that to state this question is to answer it. By the word 'rate' is not meant merely a figure or figures printed on a schedule filed with the interstate commerce commission and exhibited on the walls of a railway station. The real rate is the net cost to the shipper of the transportation of his property. This net amount in the case before me is one dollar a car less than the carrier's published schedule represents the rate to be viewed in the transaction from the standpoint most favorable to defendants, it amounts simply to the railway company assuming the cost of getting the shipper's property to the carrier's rails for transportation, a substantial consideration not mentioned or contemplated by the published schedules."

Defeats San Juan Pier. San Juan, P. R., July 9.—The executive council has defeated the pier measure proposed by Gov. Winthrop. The members of the council have construed the act of congress authorizing a franchise and the granting of pier concessions subject to the approval of the secretary of war, as depriving the insular government from building its own piers.

THE FIRST COMPASS.

Was Known to Sailors Before the Twelfth Century—Indispensable Adjunct to Navigation.

Some Asian people, perhaps the Chinese, discovered, many centuries ago, that a kind of iron ore possessed a very peculiar quality. We call this ore magnetic ore, in more common language, lodestone, and it is very widely distributed, especially in the older crystalline rocks. It was found that if a bit of lodestone were placed in water upon a piece of cork or straw braud it would turn till the axis of the stone assumed a north and south position. A phenomenon of magnetism had been discovered by means of an ore that is peculiarly susceptible to magnetic influence.

It is an open question whether the Chinese utilized the directive power of the lodestone, but it is certain that the first rude compass was not used on European vessels before the twelfth century of our era. By that time the true magnetic compass had been evolved through the discovery that if an iron or steel needle were stroked on a lodestone it would receive the attractive and directive power of this ore. With this wonderful appliance placed at the service of navigation, the vessels that had hugged the coasts soon dared to venture even out of sight of land. A new impetus was gradually given to cartography, for now the true directions of the coast lines might be charted with some approach to accuracy. It was the happy fortune of Italian sailors to make the surprising and lengths of the Black sea and Mediterranean coasts and along the Atlantic to British waters that have come down to us in the so-called Portulan maps.—Cyrus C. Adams, in Harper's.

SAID BY THE SAGES.

Lack of desire is the greatest of riches.—Seneca.

Ten noes are better than one lie.—From the Danish.

Deeds are fruits, words are leaves.—From the French.

An old bachelor is only the half of a pair of scissors.—Franklin.

Avareice and fidelity cannot dwell together in the same house.—Grimm.

A virtuous woman commands her husband by obeying him.—Publius Syrus.

Whoever undertakes a task cannot repudiate the responsibility.—Chinese Maxim.

Who dangles after the great is the last at table and the first to be cuffed.—From the Italian.

No man can escape the vitiating effect of an offense against his own conscience.—George Eliot.

The path of duty lies in what is near, and men seek for it in what is remote. The work of duty lies in what is easy, and men seek for it in what is difficult.

The Lady and the Tramp. Mrs. Alden was a clubwoman. Her particular fad was the moral elevation of the lower classes. She was engaged in writing a paper on the subject when the cook came to tell her that a rough-looking man at the back door wanted some breakfast.

"Give him a soup ticket," said Mrs. Alden. Then, with a sudden thought—"No, wait. I'll see him myself."

She went into the kitchen. "My good man," she said, "will you save some wood, if I give you a good breakfast?"

"Certainly, madam," said the tramp, very elegantly, as he disappeared in the direction of the woodpile. In about five minutes he reappeared. "I'm ready now for that breakfast," he announced.

"Have you saved the wood in such a short time?" asked Mrs. Alden, coming again into the kitchen.

"Yes, madam," he answered. Then, between huge mouthfuls: "Excuse me, madam, for correcting you, but you should say, 'Have you seen the wood?'"

DOCTOR'S SHIFT.

Now Gets Along Without It.

A physician says: "Until last fall I used to eat meat for my breakfast and suffered with indigestion until the meat had passed from the stomach."

"Last fall I began the use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and very soon found I could do without meat, for my body got all the nourishment necessary from the Grape-Nuts, and since then I have not had any indigestion and am feeling better and have increased in weight."

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Under the Red Robe

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CHAPTER VII.—CONTINUED.

"M. de Barthe" she said, in a trembling voice, which told me that the victory was won. "Is there nothing else? Have you no other pleasure for me?"

"None, Mademoiselle." She had drawn the shawl over her head and I no longer saw her face. "That is all you ask?" she murmured. "That is all I ask—now," I answered.

"It is granted," she said slowly and firmly. "Forgive me if I seem to speak lightly—if I seem to make little of your generosity or my shame; but I can say no more now. I am so deep in troubles and so gnawed by terror that—I cannot feel anything much to-night, either shame or gratitude. I am in a dream: God grant it may pass as a dream! We are sunk in trouble. But for you and what you have done, M. de Barthe—I—she paused and I heard her fighting with the sobs which choked her—"Forgive me... I am overwrought. And my feet are cold," she added suddenly and irrelevantly. "Will you take me home?"

"Ah, Mademoiselle," I cried remorsefully. "I have been a beast! You are barefooted and I have kept you here." "It is nothing," she said in a voice which thrilled me. "My heart is warm, Monsieur—thanks to you. It is many hours since it has been warm."

"She stepped out of the shadow as she spoke—and there, the thing was done. As I had planned, so it had come about. Once more I was crossing the meadow in the dark to be received at Cocheforet a welcome guest. The frogs croaked in the pool and a bat swooped round us in circles; and, surely never—never, I thought, with a kind of exultation in my breast—had man been played in a stranger position."

Somewhere in the black wood behind us—probably in the outskirts of the village—lurked M. de Cocheforet. In the great house before us, outlined by a score of lighted windows, were the soldiers come from Auch to take him. Between the two, moving side by side in the darkness, in a silence which each found to be eloquent, were mademoiselle and I; she who knew so much, I who knew all—all but one little thing!

We reached the house and I suggested that she should steal in first by the way she had come out, and that I should wait a little and knock at the door when she had had time to explain matters to Clon. "They do not let me see Clon," she answered slowly. "Then your woman must tell him," I rejoined. "Or he may say something and betray me." "They will not let our woman come to us."

"What?" I cried, astonished. "But this is infamous. You are not prisoners." Mademoiselle laughed harshly. "Are we not? Well, I suppose not; for if we wanted company, Captain Larolle said he would be delighted to see us—in the parlor."

"He has taken your parlor?" I said. "He and his lieutenants sit there. But I suppose we should be thankful," she added bitterly. "We have still our bedrooms left to us." "Very well," I said. "Then I must deal with Clon as I can. But I still have a favor to ask, Mademoiselle. It is only that you and your sister will descend to-morrow at your usual time—in the parlor."

"I would rather not," she said, pausing and speaking in a troubled voice. "Are you afraid?" "No, Monsieur; I am not afraid," she answered proudly. "But—" "You will come?" I said. She sighed before she spoke. At length, "Yes, I will come—if you wish it," she answered; and the next moment she was gone round the corner of the house, while I laughed to think of the excellent watch these gallant gentlemen were keeping. M. de Cocheforet might have been with her in the garden, might have talked with her as I had talked, might have entered the house even, and passed under their noses scot-free. But that is the way of soldiers. They are always ready for the enemy, with drums beating and flags flying—at ten o'clock in the morning. But he does not always come at that hour.

I waited a little and then I groped my way to the door and knocked on it with the hilt of my sword. The dogs began to bark at the back and the chorus of a drinking song, which came fitfully from the east wing, ceased altogether. An inner door opened and an angry voice, apparently an officer's, began to rate some one for not coming. Another moment and a clamor of voices and footsteps seemed to pour into the hall and fill it. I heard the bar jerked away, the door was flung open, and in a twinkling a lantern, behind which a dozen flushed visages were dimly seen, was thrust into my face.

"Why, who the fiend is this?" cried one, glaring at me in astonishment. "Morbieu! It is the man!" another shrieked. "Seize him!"

In a moment half a dozen hands were laid on my shoulders, but I bowed politely. "The officer, my friends," I said, "M. le Capitaine Larolle. Where is he?" "Diab! but who are you first?" the lantern-bearer retorted bluntly. He was a tall, lanky sergeant, with a sinister face.

"Well, I am not M. de Cocheforet," I replied; "and that must satisfy you, my man. For the rest, if you do not fetch Captain Larolle at once and admit me, you will find the consequences inconvenient." "Ho! ho!" he said, with a sneer. "You can crow, it seems. Well, come in."

"They made way and I walked into the hall, keeping my hat on. On the great hearth a fire had been kindled, but it had gone out. Three or four carbines stood against one wall and beside them lay a heap of haversacks and some straw. A shattered stool, broken in a frolic and half a dozen empty wineglasses strewed the floor and helped to give the place an air of untidiness and disorder. I looked round with eyes of disgust and my gorge rose. They had spilled oil and the place reeked foully.

"Ventre bleu!" I said, "Is this conduct in a gentleman's house, you send half of you to the wooden horse?" They gazed at me open-mouthed. My arrogance startled them. The sergeant alone scowled. When he could find his voice for rage—"This way!" he said. "We did not know a general officer was coming, or we would have been better prepared!" And muttering oaths under his breath, he led me down the well-known passage. At the door of the parlor he stopped. "Introduce yourself!" he said rudely. "And if you find the air warm, I don't blame me!"

I raised the latch and went in. At a table in front of the hearth, half covered with glasses and bottles, sat two men playing hazard. The dice rang sharply as I entered and he who had just thrown kept the box over them while he turned, scowling, to see who came in. He was a fair-haired, blonde man, large-framed and florid. He had put off his cuirass and boots and his doublet showed frayed and stained where the armour had pressed on it. But otherwise he was in the extreme of last year's fashion. His deep cravat, folded over so that the laced ends drooped a little in front, was of the

finest; his great sash of blue and silver was a foot wide. He had a little jewel in one ear and his tiny beard was peaked a l'Espagnole. Probably when he turned he expected to see the sergeant, for at sight of me he rose slowly, leaving the dice still covered. "What folly is this?" he cried wrathfully. "Here, Sergeant! Sergeant!—without there! What the—! Who are you, Sir?"

"Captain Larolle," I said, uncovering politely, "I believe?" "Yes, I am Captain Larolle," he retorted. "But who, in the fiend's name, are you? You are not the man we are after?" "I am not M. Cocheforet," I said coolly. "I am merely a guest in the house, M. le Capitaine. I have been enjoying Madam de Cocheforet's hospitality for some time, but by an evil chance I was away when you arrived."

"And with that I walked to the hearth, and gently pushing aside his great boots which stood there drying, kicked the logs into a blaze. "Mille diables!" he whispered. And never did I see a man more confounded. But I affected to be taken up with his companion, a sturdy, white-mustached old veteran, who sat back in his chair, eyeing me, with swollen cheeks and eyes surcharged with surprise. "Good evening, M. de Lieutenant," I said, bowing gravely. "It is a fine night."

Then the storm burst. "Fine night!" the captain shrieked, finding his voice again. "Mille diables! Are you aware, Sir, that I am in possession of this house and that no one harbors here without my permission? Guest! Hospitality! Lieutenant—call the guard! Call the guard!" he continued passionately. "Where is that ape of a sergeant?"

The lieutenant rose to obey, but I lifted my hand. "Gently, gently, captain," I said. "Not so fast! You seem surprised to see me here. Believe me, I am much more surprised to see you." "Sacre!" he cried, receding at this fresh impertinence, while the lieutenant's eyes almost jumped out of his head.

But nothing moved me. "Is the door closed?" I said sweetly. "Thank you; it is, I see. Then permit me to say again, gentlemen, that I am much more surprised to see you than you can be to see me. When monseigneur the cardinal honored me

by sending me from Paris to conduct this matter, he gave me the fullest—the fullest powers, M. le Capitaine—to see the affair to an end. I was not led to expect that my plans would be spoiled on the eve of success by the intrusion of half the garrison from Auch!"

"O ho!" the captain said softly—"In a very different tone and with a very different face. So you are the gentleman I heard of at Auch?" "Very likely," I said dryly. "But I am from Paris, not Auch."

"To be sure," he answered thoughtfully. "Eh, lieutenant?" "Yes, M. le Capitaine, no doubt," the inferior replied. And they both looked at one another, and then at me, in a way which I did not understand. "I think," said I, to clinch the matter, "that you have made a mistake, Captain; or the commandant has. And it occurs to me that the cardinal will not be best pleased."

"I hold the king's commission," he answered rather stiffly. "To be sure," I replied. "But you see the cardinal—" "Ah, but the cardinal—" he rejoined quickly; and then he stopped and shrugged his shoulders. And they both looked at me.

"Well!" I said. "The king," he answered slowly. "Tut-tut!" I exclaimed, spreading out my hands. "The cardinal. Let us stick to him. You were saying?" "Well, the cardinal, you see—" And then again, after the same words, he stopped—stopped abruptly and shrugged his shoulders.

I began to suspect something. "If you have anything to say, Monsieur, I answered, watching him narrowly, 'say it. But take a word of advice. Don't let it go beyond the door of this room, my friend, and it will do you no harm.'"

"Neither here nor outside," he retorted, looking for a moment at his comrade. "Only I hold the king's commission. That is all. And I think enough. For the rest, will you throw your glass, and the gentleman a seat. And here, for my part, I will give you a toast. The cardinal—whatever befall!"

I drank it, and sat down to play with him; I had not heard the music of the dice for a month, and the temptation was irresistible. But I was not satisfied. I called the mains and won his crowns—he was a mere baby at the game—but half my mind was elsewhere. There was something here I did not understand; some influence at work on which I had not counted; something moving under the surface as untellable to me as the soldiers' presence. Had the captain repudiated my commission altogether, and put me to door or sent me to the guard-house, I could have followed that. But these dubious hints, this passive resistance, puzzled me. Had they news from Paris, I wondered. Was the king dead? or the cardinal? I asked them. But they said no, no to all, and gave me guarded answers. And midnight found us still playing; and still fencing.

CHAPTER VIII.

THE QUESTION.

"Sweep the room, Monsieur? And remove this medley? But, M. le Capitaine—" "The captain is at the village," I replied sternly. "And do you move! move, man, and the thing will be done while you are talking about it. Set the door into the garden open—so!" "Certainly, it is a fine morning. And the tobacco of M. le Lieutenant—But M. le Capitaine did not—" "Give orders? Well, I give them!" I answered. "First of all, remove these beds. And bustle, man, bustle, or I will find something to quicken you."

In a moment—"And M. le Capitaine's riding-boots?" "Place them in the passage," I replied. "Oh! in the passage?" He paused, looking at them in doubt. "Yes, booby; in the passage." "And the cloaks, Monsieur?" "There is a bush handy outside the window. Let them air."

"Oh, the bush? Well, to be sure they are damp. But—yes, yes, Monsieur, it is done. And the holsters?" "There also!" I said harshly. "Throw them out. Faugh! The place reeks of leather. Now, a clean harness. And set the table before the open door, so that they may see the garden. So. And tell the cook that we shall dine at 11, and madam and mademoiselle will descend."

"Oh! But M. le Capitaine order the dinner for half past eleven?" "It must be advanced then; and mark you, my friend, if it is not ready when madam comes down, you will suffer, and the cook too."

When he was gone on his errand, I looked round. What else was lacking? The sun shone cheerily on the polished floor; the air, freshened by the rain which had fallen in the night, entered freely through the open doorway. A few bees lingering with the summer hummed outside. The fire crackled bravely; an old hound, blind and past work, lay warming its hide on the hearth. I could think of nothing more, and I stood and watched the man set out the table and spread the cloth. "For how many, Monsieur?" he asked in a scared tone.

"For five," I answered; and I could not help smiling at myself. What would Zaton's say could it see Berault turned housewife! There was a white glazed cup—an old-fashioned piece of the second Henry's time—standing on a shelf. I took it down and put some late flowers in it, and set it in the middle of the table, and stood off myself to look at it. But a moment later, thinking I heard them coming, I hurried it away in a kind of panic, feeling on a sudden ashamed of the thing. The alarm proved to be false, however;

and then again, taking another turn, I set the piece back. I had done nothing so foolish for—more years than I liked to count.

But when madam and mademoiselle came, they had eyes neither for the flowers nor the room. They had heard that the captain was out beating the village and the woods for the fugitive, and where I had looked for a comedy I found a tragedy. Madam's face was so red with weeping that all her beauty was gone. She started and shook at the slightest sound, and, unable to find any words to answer my greeting, could only sink into a chair and sit crying silently.

Mademoiselle was in a mood scarcely more cheerful. She did not weep, but her manner was hard and fierce. She spoke absently and answered fretfully. Her eyes glittered and she had the air of straining her ears continually to catch some dreaded sound. "There is no news, Monsieur," she said, as she took her seat. And she shot a swift look at me.

"None, Mademoiselle." "They are searching the village?" "I believe so." "Where is Clon?" This in a lower voice and with a kind of shrinkng in her face.

I shook my head. "I believe they have him confined somewhere. And Louis, too," I said. "But I have not seen either of them." "And where are—? I thought these people would be here," she muttered. And she glanced askance at the two vacant places. The servant had brought in the meal.

"They will be here presently," I said coolly. "Let us make the most of the time. A little wine and food will do madam good." She smiled rather sadly. "I think we have changed places," she said; "and that you have turned host and we guests."

"Let it be so," I said cheerfully. "I recommend some of this ragout. Come, Mademoiselle; fasting can do no one a full meal has saved many a man's life." (To Be Continued.)

TOO PRESSING QUESTION.

Witness Was Reluctant to Reply but Gave the Lawyer His Answer.

Now and then in court counsel will elicit unlooked-for information when a witness is too closely questioned. During a recent case, the counsel for the defense was endeavoring, during cross-examination, to serve his client by throwing suspicion on a certain witness.

"You admit," said he, sternly, "that you were a constant visitor at the prisoner's abode during the six months referred to?" "I do," replied the witness.

The lawyer smiled significantly. "Then kindly inform the court whether you and he were interested in any special transaction—business or otherwise?" "Yes, we were."

"Ah!" exclaimed the lawyer. Then raising his voice, he continued: "And now, no doubt, you will be so good as to let us know a little more of this. What was the nature of the business in which you had a common interest?"

"Well, sir," cheerfully responded the witness, "if you really insist on knowing, I suppose I must tell. The fact is, I was courting his niece!"

Whiskered Priests. Amid the highlanders of Scotland many good catholic priests of the mountains and islands have permission to protect their throats from the raw damp of the winters by beards, often of quite patriarchal dimensions. "I remember," says a writer, "a good old Scottish padre who was elected (much against his will) bishop of a highland see and went to Rome to receive episcopal consecration with his cheeks adorned with whiskers much more voluminous than the 'clerical inch' which custom or courtesy used to allow to all catholic ecclesiastics. The cardinal prefect of propaganda, who was to perform the consecration ceremony, was horrified and insisted on the sacrifice of the whiskers before the consecration took place. The bishop-elect submitted under protest. But he was no sooner back in his highland fastness than the whiskers blossomed forth again."

How He Made Them Strong. Two builders, of a type too familiar in America, were talking about some buildings that had collapsed before they were finished. "Well, loaves," said one, "you always have better luck than I do." "Better luck? How so?" "Why, my row of new houses blew down in last week's wind, while yours weren't harmed. All were built the same—same woodwork, same mortar, same everything."

"Yes," said the other builder, "but you forget that mine had been papered."—N. Y. Tribune.

Native Element. Once when Mme. de Maintenon, who had risen from the gutter to grandeur, was looking pensively in the golden pool at Versailles, her companion, noting the fish in the crystal water, observed: "How languid the carp are." "Yes," replied the famous beauty, with a sigh, "they are like me; they miss their mud."

What He Would Have Done. Sargent, the painter, recently met a young lady whom he knew very well, and she said: "Oh, Mr. Sargent, I saw your latest painting and kissed it, because it was so much like you." "And did it kiss you in return?" "Why, no." "Then," said Mr. Sargent, "it was not like me."

Illinois State News

Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities and Towns.

Chicago's Death Rate Light.

Chicago.—In the weekly bulletin issued by the health department it is predicted that the death rate for this year in Chicago will probably not exceed 13.77 per thousand, the smallest with but two exceptions in the city's history. This estimate is based on the death rate for the first six months of the year—14.30 per thousand. Pneumonia and scarlet fever were two of the most destructive diseases with which physicians had to cope during the month of June. Consumption and phthisis alone caused nearly one-third the deaths. There were 1,947 deaths in June, as against 1,951 in 1905. For May of this year there were 2,561 deaths, showing an improvement in health conditions as the year progresses. From statistics compiled by the department it is shown that suicides and other violent deaths have been decreasing during the last six months.

Much Trouble at Tampico.

Tampico.—The return of the mayor of Tampico has resulted in more entanglements than ever. When Mayor Kemp desired to enter the city he was arrested on a state warrant charging him with illegally arresting John Blacklund and Herbert Dennison, temperance aldermen of the village, and also for falsely imprisoning them in the city hall. With Mayor Kemp, his marshal, James Daley, and the assistant marshal were also arrested on the same charge, having acted on the orders of the mayor when he ordered his police force to arrest and bring in the temperance men into the council.

Saloonkeepers Fined.

Jacksonville.—The state's attorney arrested Edward Tobin, Thomas E. Lane, Timothy Keating, Frank Lohman and O. C. Henry, all saloonkeepers, on the charge of keeping open their places of business on Sunday. Keating and Lohman pleaded guilty and paid their fines and costs amounting to something over \$23 each. Lane and Henry promised to do the same. Tobin sold his place of business and fled the city before the warrant was served.

Suicide While Demented.

Peoria.—Suffering from a sudden attack of dementia during which she wandered from home and to the railroad yards a mile away, Miss Mary Murphy, a teacher in the Peoria public schools, committed suicide by throwing herself under the wheels of a switch engine in the Peoria and Pekin union yards. Her head was cut off and her body otherwise mangled. No cause is ascribed for the act except poor health.

Domestic Tragedy at Elco.

Elco.—Because of the alleged acquaintance of his mother with Drew Beasley, aged 35, 18-year-old Harrison Lentz, it is charged, shot and killed Beasley with a double barreled shotgun at his home in Elco, this county. It is said that Mrs. Sarah Lentz, mother of the boy, is prostrated with grief.

Loss by Fire at Fithian.

Danville.—Fithian, a small town near this city, sustained a loss by a fire which raged in that village for two hours. The loss is estimated as follows: Samuel Hart, \$8,500; Long Implement company, \$6,000; Jenkins Brothers, \$4,000; D. T. Doney, including grocery, post office and residence, \$5,500.

Fatally Shot Husband.

East St. Louis.—Mrs. Maude Deasso shot her husband, Peter Deasso, twice through the head, mortally wounding him. When arrested she declared that he had threatened to kill her with a hatchet and was preparing to leave her and join his former divorced wife.

Celebrate Wedding Anniversary.

New Windsor.—Mr. and Mrs. William W. Phares, of this place, were married 60 years ago, and their children held a celebration in honor of the event. Mr. Phares is 85 years old, while his wife is seven years younger.

Sparta Clergyman Resigns.

Sparta.—A surprise came to the congregation of the United Presbyterian church when Rev. Ralph Atkinson announced his resignation to take effect September 9. No explanation was given.

Dolos S. Brown Dead.

Peoria.—Dolos S. Brown, one of the pioneers in the distilling business in Peoria, and a millionaire, died, aged 66. He had lived in Peoria for over 40 years.

Death of Aged Resident.

Sparta.—Thomas Finley, one of the oldest known residents of this county, died in this city, aged 90.

Death in Harvest Field.

Assumption.—While working in the harvest field for Denis Caton, six miles west of Assumption, James Nichols, aged about 48 years, was overcome by the heat and died from the effects while in a wagon on the way to the house.

Chicago Firm Burned Out.

Chicago.—The plant of the E. J. Noblett Manufacturing company, cabinet makers, was destroyed by fire. One million feet of lumber stored in the rear of the factory was burned. The loss is estimated at \$150,000.

Elections All Illegal.

Peoria.—As the outcome of the defalcation of Newton C. Dougherty as superintendent of the Peoria schools, another chapter was added when Judge Nicholas E. Worthington of the circuit court issued an ouster order which will remove the eight hold-over members of the school board—O. J. Bailey, John E. Keene, Bernard Meals, Joseph Wolf, H. L. Blye, Fritz Lueder, F. M. Zeitz and T. H. McIlvaine.

Judge Worthington based his decision practically upon the contention that the school boards in the past have ignored the rights of the city council to call the elections as provided by the general law as well as the special charter. He holds, in substance, that all previous elections have been illegal.

Dr. Norbury Declines Position.

Jack-sonville.—Dr. F. P. Norbury of this city has been tendered the position of superintendent of the Eastern Hospital for the insane at Kankakee, but has declined the offer. When asked the reason for his refusal he said his duties in Jacksonville, where he now has charge of one of the largest private institutions for nervous diseases in the west, claimed his attention to such an extent that he could not consider becoming a candidate for head of the Kankakee hospital.

Waverly Puts on "Lid."

Waverly.—As a direct result of a special meeting of the city council all places in possession of slot machines or wheels of chance and parties who were selling hop ale or beverages of that class, were visited by the city marshal and notified to discontinue the use of the wheels and desist from further sale of such beverages.

Many stores were affected by the slot machine order, but the beverage edict only affected two places of business.

Death in Mine Accident.

Roanoke.—In an accident in the Roanoke mine four men fell 400 feet and were dashed to death at the foot of the shaft. The dead are August Mueser, Andrew Mitchell, Joseph De-wasme, and Camiel Faucon.

The accident was caused by scaffolding giving way about 80 feet from the top of the shaft, which they were enlarging.

Killed at Baseball Game.

Spring Valley.—Patrick Gosgrove, of Peru, while watching a game of baseball, received injuries from which he is dead. Charles Berg, first baseman of the Spring Valley team, while running to field a ball, fell over Gosgrove and spiked him in the head. Berg was exonerated by the coroner's jury. Gosgrove was 70 years of age and a resident of Peru for 50 years.

Files Suit Against Railroad.

Bloomington.—Suit for \$5,000 was filed here by Mrs. J. M. Gwin of Baltimore, Md., against the Chicago & Alton because of ejection from a train due to her failure to produce a hat check.

Deaths

Teleo.—Robert Cather died at his home, aged about 60 years. Mr. Cather served in the civil war in the One hundred and fiftieth Illinois regiment.

Carlinville.—Mrs. Henry Sanbush

died at her home in Washburn after a sickness of two years' duration. Her daughter, Mrs. George Arnett, of Greenfield, formerly of this city, has been attending her during her illness. She was 55 years old.

Niantic.—John Brannock, a farmer

whose home is near Niantic, was struck and fatally injured by an interurban car.

Pittsfield.—Mark V. Shive, aged

about 90 years, a prominent farmer of Pleasant Hill, was found dead in his tobacco patch. An inquest was held and a verdict of death by heart failure returned.

Decatur.—Jacob Knox, proprietor

of the Franklin saloon of this city, committed suicide in the City cemetery here by shooting himself in the head. The tragedy was enacted over the grave of his first wife. Domestic trouble is said to be the cause of the man's actions.

Havana School Census.

Havana.—The 1906 school census shows that Havana has 1,156 children between the ages of 6 and 21 years, a gain of 76 over last year. There are 561 males and 595 females. At this time there are but four vacant houses in the city.

Badly Hurt in Runaway.

Curran.—Thomas A. Murray was injured in a runaway here. The injuries are mostly internal and it is not known at this time whether or not they will result fatally.

CONGRESSMAN DIES AT CHICAGO HOTEL

HENRY C. ADAMS, OF WISCONSIN, PASSES AWAY AS RESULT OF OVERWORK.

Was Instrumental in Framing Packing House Inspection Bill—Prominently Identified with Dairying Interests of Native State.

Chicago, July 10. His strength exhausted by days and nights of work in behalf of the packing-house inspection bill, Congressman Henry Cullen Adams, of Wisconsin, died Monday morning at the Auditorium hotel. He had been in poor health for some time, and his relatives, who came to Chicago a short time before his death, declare that his close attention to duty in congress is directly responsible for his death. He collapsed almost immediately after adjournment. The burial will be at Madison, Wis., where the congressman resided.

A short time after congress adjourned Mr. Adams came to Chicago and registered at the Auditorium hotel. Then came the collapse. His wife and his son, Charles Cullen Adams, were sent for. They found the congressman in a sinking condition. Then the family physician was called from Wisconsin. The patient, however, lacked vitality, and he had no strength left to combat his illness. "He worked so hard in congress," said Mrs. Adams. "I did not have a word with him the entire time about our private affairs. He worked too hard and could not stand it."

Life Lived in Wisconsin.

Congressman Adams was 56 years old and was born in Oneida, N. Y. He was taken to Madison while he was a baby. He attended district school, Albion academy and the University of Wisconsin. He married in 1878 Miss Anna B. Norton of Madison. Then he engaged in farming and built up a profitable dairy and fruit business. Mr. Adams was a member of the state assembly in 1883 and 1885, and engaged in the winters of 1887, 1888 and 1889 in farmers' institute work as president of the State Dairymen's association. Two years he was secretary of the State Horticultural Society and long a member of the state board of agriculture. Mr. Adams was state superintendent of public property from 1888 to 1890, dairy food commissioner 1894 to 1902 and member of congress, Second district of Wisconsin, since 1902.

Prominent in Politics.

Congressman Adams was a Republican, and in 1900 was chairman of the state convention of his party. Four children are living—Benjamin Cullen Adams, Frank T. Adams, Mable Adams and Carrie Adams. It was due largely to the efforts of Congressman Adams during the closing days of the last session of congress that a compromise satisfactory to President Roosevelt and in the main satisfactory to the conservative members of the house, was reached on the packing-house inspection measure.

Mr. Adams was a member of the committee on agriculture, which held many stormy sessions while it was considering the Beveridge inspection measure. The Wisconsin legislator was in sympathy with the government's desire to secure adequate supervision of the packing industries and yet he was not an extremist in his views. He went to the White House and had a long conference with Mr. Roosevelt.

As a result of the conference the way was paved for an understanding. Mr. Wadsworth, the committee chairman, yielded and was followed by the other committee members. The measure altered in accordance with suggestions made by Mr. Adams, was reported to the house and was passed. Representative Adams was ill during the greater part of the last session of congress, but he kept pluckily at his work. He made one of the notable speeches of the year less than two weeks before he left Washington.

JURY ACQUITS W. L. HOUSER

Wisconsin Secretary of State Held Not Guilty of Attempting to Bribe Zeno M. Host.

Madison, Wis., July 7.—Walter L. Houser, secretary of state, of Wisconsin, was acquitted in the Dane county municipal court Friday night of the criminal charge of having attempted to bribe Zeno M. Host, state commissioner of insurance, on June 16, 1903, by taking a prepared decision in the Brunkhorst-Equitable insurance case from Robert Luscombe to the commissioner and telling him, as alleged in the complaint, that the Equitable society would contribute \$2,000 to the La-Follette campaign fund if such a decision were rendered. It took the jury over four hours to reach the verdict of acquittal.

Punished for Illegal Fencing.

Helena, Mont., July 7.—Former United States Marshal J. H. Wolman, Grand Christian and Frank D. Cooper Friday pleaded guilty in the United States court of illegal fencing of government lands, and were each fined \$500 and sent to jail for 24 hours by Judge Hunt.

Deadlock Record Broken.

Des Moines, Ia., June 7.—The record in

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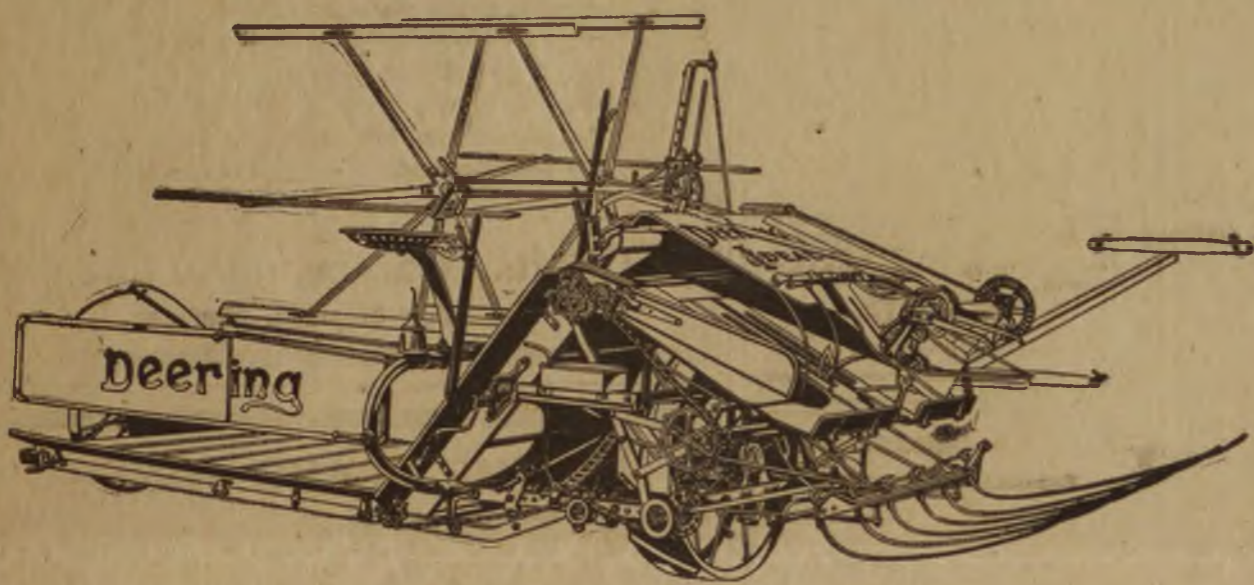
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KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Col. L. H. Whitney of Chicago spent the Fourth here.

Mrs. Lottie Whitney spent last Wednesday in Belvidere.

Wilmer Joslyn was here from Kirkland on business Tuesday.

Pierce Ort entertained Ed Straube of Shannon the fore part of the week.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Clay visited friends near Fairdale last Thursday.

George Ackerman was here from Chicago the Fourth visiting his parents.

Mrs. Mary Allen is entertaining her grandchildren from Kirkland this week.

The officers of the Kingston

Insurance Co. met Saturday to adjust losses.

Mrs. Nina Moore accompanied by her daughter, Floy, drove to DeKalb Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Webster and daughter were here Sunday calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien are the proud parents of a baby girl born last Wednesday.

Misses Nellie and Mary Sullivan were in Belvidere last Wednesday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stark are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Buxton of Vinton, Iowa.

Miss Maude Chalmers came from Chicago last Tuesday and remained until Thursday.

Miss Kittie Heckman spent the Fourth in Belvidere at the home of Miss Zula Taplin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lentz entertained their daughter, Mrs. Byron Poust, of Iowa Tuesday.

Miss Lillian Hill visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Thompson, in Kirkland last Saturday evening.

Earl Pratt and Fred Helsdon left Monday for DeKalb where they have employment in the shoe factory.

Miss Elsie Langenhagen arrived here last Thursday from Iowa and will remain a few weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holcomb went to Rockford Wednesday and returned Thursday accompanied by friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James McClelland were here from Sycamore a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lance Dibble.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Outman and son were out from Chicago over the Fourth visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tazewell.

Mrs. O. W. Vickell went to Rockford last Thursday and remained until Saturday visiting at the home of her sister.

Mrs. O. F. Lucas came from Belvidere Monday evening for a few days' visit at the home of her father, John Taylor.

The Baptist Aid Society held an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. H. F. Branch last Wednesday evening and a large number attended.

The home of Bert Van Dusen caught on fire last Wednesday

evening about ten o'clock. A sky rocket was fired during the evening and landed on the roof. By the aid of the fire engine the citizens soon had the fire put out.

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Shoe Factory Notes
Mary Prain visited in Chicago last week.
Vina Downing visited in the

city last week.
Edyth Schmidt visited in Colvin Park Saturday.

Mr. Berk and T. Bagley were at DeKalb Sunday.

Fred Anderson and wife visited in Chicago Sunday.

Arthur Anderson is again an employe of the shop.

Emma Grabby returned from her home at Nunda Monday.

Chris Scherf has quit the shop and gone to work in the factory at DeKalb.

Miss Edyth Larson returned from her home at Pecatonica Sunday afternoon.

Miss Elsie Fersen returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit at her home in Minnesota.

Sycamore Chautauqua

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Notice

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