

## NOTES FROM THE COURT HOUSE

### Detailed Account Given Of The McMenamin-Redmond Controversy

### SHERIFF AND DEPUTIES IN RAID

Arrest Sycamore Man for Having Still-Get Man for beating Wife and Driving While Intoxicated

The first of the week Sheriff Crawford and his flying squadron of deputies raided the residence of Dan Shuckis on East Elm street in Sycamore and found moonshine and wine. Chas. Shuckis, a brother, and Tony Ganich, a roomer, were brought into court; Monday afternoon and fined \$100 and costs, amounting to \$369.00. "Chief" and his flying squadron were called upon to place one Joe Kirivin in custody of the law Tuesday afternoon when the latter became unruly under the influence of liquor and started abusing his family and striving to drive a car at the same time, on the road between Sycamore and DeKalb. At this writing the case is still in the docket awaiting the further order of the Judge.

Controversy over land in Afton Township nearly resulted in bloodshed Wednesday evening, May 23rd on the Gossman Farm, which was leased by John McMenamin, Jr., from the administrators of the Gossman estate. It appears that the farm consists of two tracts, one containing eighty acres on which is a building occupied by McMenamin and another tract adjoining the eighty acres tract containing one hundred sixty acres. This latter tract has a building on it which has been taken possession by William P. Ward who claims some interest as a trustee in ten acres. Ward's wife was a daughter of Geo. Gossman, deceased, the owner of the farm, and at her death left several children.

About seven o'clock in the evening on May 23rd, McMenamin drove with his hired man one Cornelius Coyne to the 160 acre tract passing thru the gate near the building occupied by Ward. After doing their chores they proceeded with their families to visit a neighbor across the road, when they observed an approaching automobile leading two horses, in which was seated one John Redmond and a lawyer named Sweeney from Chicago. McMenamin surmised that they intended to place the horses in the pasture and he therefore left his family at the neighbors and proceeded excitedly called up the sheriffs who tract. He entered the gate near the house of Ward and then observed Ward, sitting on the porch with a shotgun in his hand. In the meantime Redmond and Sweeney drove up and Sweeney attempted to serve a notice on McMenamin, who asked him what authority he had there, etc. Redmond lost his temper, took of his coat and vaulted over the fence exclaiming he would show McMenamin their authority. Redmond called to Ward to bring the gun and according to McMenamin's story, Ward then got up and released a big mastiff at his side still holding the gun in his hand. McMenamin then drew an automatic revolver and thus the parties stood in a belligerent attitude. Neither, however, fired a shot.

Some of the neighbors during the excitement called up the sheriff who came down took possession of all the artillery and in order to insure their safety brought Ward and McMenamin along.

On Thursday morning, McMenamin swore out a warrant charging Ward and Redmond with making threats against his life and both men were arraigned before Justice of the Peace Sell of Sycamore, by State's Attorney Post. The defendants appeared represented by Perry Culough and Mr. Sweeney of Chicago. Mr. Sweeney it appeared took no part in the altercation but advised the parties to put away their guns.

The defendants did not controvert the charge before Justice of the Peace Sell and were each placed under bonds of \$1,000 to keep peace for six months. The entire affair will probably have its complete airing out in the civil courts where the respective interests of all parties may be determined.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parker drove to Rockford Tuesday.

Harvester Works Fast. From 150 to 200 tons of sugar cane can be cut and sorted in a day with a New Orleans harvester's cutter.

## JOHN LEMBKE TO GREAT BEYOND

A Highly Respected Citizen of This City Dies After Illness of Few Weeks

The shadowed hand of death stalked into the home of John Lembke about 11:00 a. m. this (Thursday) morning and claimed that "venerable old gentleman as its own. No man in the community was more highly respected and could call as many "Friend" as the deceased. He was beloved by all and his departure to the world of the great beyond has left a niche in the community that can never be filled. The cause of death was a paralytic stroke suffered by the deceased several weeks ago.

The deceased numbered his friends by the hundreds and his was such a philanthropic nature, that no one was ever turned from his door empty handed.

He came to Genoa in 1879 and opened a boot shop which was later expanded into a grocery and dry



JOHN LEMBKE 1850-1923

goods store. He maintained this business until 1920 when he retired and had since then devoted his time to personal interests. John Lembke was an ardent and devoted worker for the German Lutheran church and his life was a splendid example of Christian righteousness.

John Lembke was born in Kamper, Germany, Kirkspiel Nerring, the son of Marie and Fred Lembke, on January 20, 1850.

In 1871 the deceased came to America and started work in and around Elgin. In 1874 he married Mary Awe, who died February 21st. of this year. For five years the happy couple resided in Dundee and then came to Genoa where they resided until death. To this union were born seven children, three of whom are living, the others having died in infancy. Those that are living are Mrs. Emma Duval of Elgin, Mrs. Lee Smith of Kingston and Wm. Lembke of Genoa. John Lembke leaves to mourn, his children, grand children and a host of friends and neighbors who will miss the kindly talks and wisdom that was constantly shown them by the deceased.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 1:30 at the home and 2 o'clock at the church. Rev. Branscher officiating.

## DECORATION DAY A SUCCESS

### Large Crowd Attends Exercises in Honor of Deceased Heroes

Memorial Day was fittingly commemorated Wednesday, May 30, with the affairs in charge of Bayard Brown Post No. 337 American Legion.

The legion went in body to the tree planted in the public school grounds and reverently dropped flowers on the earth as a symbol of unrelenting love for those comrades who died while doing their duty.

Returning to the legion headquarters, the detachment was met by the remaining members of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, members of the army in the Spanish-American War and by school children. Lead by the band, the procession marched to the cemetery where flowers were placed on the graves of departed heroes and on the tomb of the unknown dead, after which an excellent program was given. The readings, songs, solos and concert pieces by the band were beautiful and although we could eulogize for an hour on their respective merits, it is not necessary—we all know how good they were. Rev. Robeson made a few introductory remarks and introduced the main speaker of the day, Rev. W. Briggs of Chicago, who served overseas as a chaplain. His was an extraordinarily good talk, full of vim and vigor, told in the most simple

and direct manner. (Continued on last page)

## NATIONALS WIN GAME IN NINTH

### Score 4 Runs on 4 Hits, Walk, and Hit Batsman to Beat Marquettes

### KINGSTON LOSES TO GENOA 2-11

Locals Win Rubber Game in Easy Fashion—Will Go to Union Sunday

Coming from behind in the ninth and scoring four runs enabled the Genoa Nationals to slip a win over the Rockford Marquettes Sunday in pastime. The final count was three and four.

It has been man a day since the fans of Genoa witnessed as good a game as that put over last Sunday.

The contest started out to be a pitching duel between Musgrave of Genoa and Johnson of Rockford, with Johnson having the advantage because of the perfect support, until the ninth. However, Genoa's men played a snappy, aggressive game and were on their toes every minute, putting down sure hits and shining with great fielding. Ox Overly made two very spectacular catches in the left field when he ran in back of the trees to gather in long flies that were meant for two-base hits.

Of the two pitchers, tho, Musgrave was by far the best, allowing only four hits, to his opponent's 8. The Marquettes starting scoring in the third inning and added two more in the eighth for good measure and apparently had the game on ice. Not to be counted out of the running, Al Overly opened the ninth with a single over third, his first hit of the day; Sell hit one over short for a single, Overly going to second; Sod Patterson up next drew a base on balls putting three men on; Fred Clausen up next lined one between second and first scoring Overly; Overly up next. On a pass ball, Sell scored and Overly took first after being hit by a pitched ball. Musgrave came to bat and singled over second scoring Patterson. Clausen coming home on a wild peg. No outs when the 4th run was scored.

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Swenson 1 2 0 3 0 0  
Hedlund 0 1 0 3 1 0  
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Holmes 0 0 0 4 0 0  
Clayton 1 0 1 0 4 1 1  
Johnson 0 0 0 3 0 0

Earned runs, Genoa 4, Rockford 1; First on balls, off Musgrave 3, off Johnson 1; Left on bases Genoa 6, Rockford 8; First on errors, Genoa 1, Rockford 1; Two base hits, Gustafson, Yankitch; Struckout by Musgrave 6; by Johnson 9; Hit by pitcher, Olson and Ox Overly.

## CLASS PLAY A HIT

Over 450 Witness Home Talent Show At School Last Friday

Playing to what may termed a packed house, in that there was not even standing room, the senior class of '23 in their play entitled "Where is Helen?" and a two act Minstrel show carried the audience off its feet and brought down many a hearty applause for the clever wit that was portrayed.

The play this year deviated from the policy heretofore adhered to in that the play took the form of an interlude between two acts of a minstrel show. The stage settings were very good, and the costumes could not be very well improved upon. The only thing that could be made better is the audibility of the speakers. This was not their fault, it is rather the fault of the stage itself which will probably be remedied before another play is given.

The pupils all showed hours of coaching and hard practice. There were no outstanding stars; they were all good and to each one is allotted a just proportion of praise that is heard on all sides. The instructors, for their's is a hard lot when it comes to coaching plays, are deserving of the thanks of everyone for making the entertainment such a pronounced success.

## KINGSTON

The Kingston Tigers were handed a severe trimming Wednesday by the score of 11 to 2 and thus winning the rubber of a three-game series.

Kingston had all the better of the argument for the first three innings and then things began to break for Genoa. The locals scored one in the fourth and one in the fifth leading Kingston by one run which the invaders squeezed around in the first.

The sixth inning saw Genoa's heavy artillery get into action and before Fred Lilly, pitch for Kingston, could descend from his position in the clouds, Genoa pushed across 8 runs, with the help of a few errors on the part of the Kingston aggregation.

The Tigers fought back in the first half of the seventh but managed to squeeze across one lone marker and thus the tussle ended 2 to 11.

With all due consideration to the prowess of Genoa's crew of "nines", we scribe would say that Kingston merely had a little hard luck in the 6th, for as a general rule, these teams are pretty evenly matched.

Score, Genoa: eabr h 1 5 1 0 0 3 1 1 1 4 3 3 0 6 1 3 0 6 1 3 1 5 1 1 0 4 1 0 1 3 2 2

## Remarkable Play--"The Storm" at Chautauqua



### The Thrilling Forest Fire in "THE STORM"

HELD the audience spell-bound with breathless attention."—New York Evening Mail.

"It is extraordinary."—New York Times.

"The Storm can run for years and be remembered for a lifetime."—New York Herald.

Such are the press comments on "The Storm," which will be produced in all of its realism on the first night of our Community Chautauqua. The tent will be crowded and parking space for automobiles will be at a premium for this remarkable attraction will draw not only the people of our own community but will bring large delegations from the surround-

ing towns to the Chautauqua tent on that night.

What would you do if you were a young girl and a tremendous blizzard forced you to remain for three months shut up in a cabin in a northern forest with a rugged American and a polished Englishman, both professing love for you, and you not daring to admit your affection for either because of the tense situation which would come to a climax? Would you do what the little French Canadian girl did in Langdon McCormick's play "The Storm"? Or if you were one of these men would you, under this severe test, prove one of Nature's Noblemen, conducting yourself

under every condition honestly with yourself, with others and with your Maker? Could you endanger your own life to save that of another whom you had previously had cause to doubt?

These are but a few of the situations in which the characters of "The Storm" find themselves. The realism of the blizzard and of the great forest fire as they will be presented on the Chautauqua platform on the opening night of the Assembly, will carry you into the primitive and make you to live the parts portrayed by the members of the company. But once in a generation is there a play produced which is at the same time a great spectacle and a great sermon.

DeKalb's Wonder Restaurant Will Hold Big Dinner on 1st Birthday

The Innovation, DeKalb's "Wonder restaurant," will on Sunday, June 3, conclude its first successful year of existence.

## WOMAN IS KILLED IN FALL

Found Dead by Husband at Foot of Stairs; Was Ill

Rockwell, May 25—A fall down a basement stairway proved fatal to Mrs. John Smith of Rockwell late Thursday afternoon. Her husband found her lifeless body at the foot of the stairs on his return from a brief visit to town just before the supperhour. It is thought that Mrs. Smith, who was advanced in years, had become ill while at work in the kitchen and had started to go for help, when she fell down the open trap doors which led to the basement. Evidence of a severe hemorrhage was found in the kitchen where Mr. Smith left his wife working, when he went to town.

Mrs. Smith had been in failing health for the last several months. She had lived in Rockwell with her husband, a retired farmer, for several years. She was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic church. A son William, lives on a farm at the edge of Rockwell and a daughter, Mrs. James, lives on a farm near the town.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all friends for their sympathy, kindness and flowers offered at the time of the death of our sister, Mrs. Clara M. Piper. Mrs. R. M. Williams Mrs. A. J. Williams Chas. M. Corson Milton J. Corson

## INNOVATION TO CELEBRATE

An Excellent Program Will Be Given On Every Day—Watch Further Notices

With the days of the Genoa Chautauqua drawing near the interest of our citizens is becoming more apparent. The Chautauqua program of this year includes so many unusual attractions and such a variety of music, entertainment and lectures, that it is believed the attendance will break all records.

The first program of the Chautauqua will be presented in the evening, the attraction being Langdon McCormack's great dramatic success "The Storm," a thrilling spectacle in which is reproduced on the platform in the tent a great blizzard and snow storm, followed in one of the later acts by a great forest fire, both of which are most realistically reproduced by means of special inventions by Mr. McCormack, who has personally co-operated with the Chautauqua management in adapting these effects for use in the tent.

A great lecture of adventure and exploration by George W. Ray, world famed explorer of South America; the comic opera "Olivette" in three acts; an art program by The Barnaby Entertainers and two great Band Concerts by Green and His Band, are among the many other features that the Chautauqua program includes.

The Local order of Old Fellows will hold their annual decoration day Sunday, June 3, instead of the 10th, as was announced in last week's issue.

Everyone is requested to be at the hall at 10:00 a. m. and to bring flowers. The lodge will attend the church at the regular hour, 11:00 a. m. after which the graves will be decorated.

## I.O.O.F. DECORATE JUNE 3

On Monday, June 4, there will be an election of officers. All members are urged to be present.

## A FREAK CHICKEN

The hatching of eggs in the incubator this week at the local plant of the Genoa Quality Hatcheries, disclosed a freak chicken numbered among the new arrivals. The little fellow has four legs, is perfectly healthy, however and will, no doubt, live as long as a normal chicken.

## NOTICE

Genoa Hotel and Restaurant is under new management. We make a specialty on our Sunday chicken dinners and also parties. Short orders are served too. We have weekly rates and board and room. Give us a trial, if satisfied, tell others, if not tell us. We try to Please

## NOTICE

As I am leaving town within a few days to make my home elsewhere, I would greatly appreciate the remittance of money for bills due me, at an early date. If you fail to see the undersigned, L. F. Scott will act as my agent and is authorized to receive all money due me after my departure. Geo. H. Martia

## HEB KITCHEN

Heb Kitchen of Clarksville, Iowa, is spending the week with his brother, Cole Kitchen. The former's mother, Mrs. T. L. Kitchen, will return to Iowa with him to make an extended visit.

## MRS. CLARA PIPER LAID TO REST

### Was a Daughter of John Corson; Came From Pennsylvania When a Child

### MARJORIE PIERCE PASSED AWAY

Youngest Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pierce Buried Monday—Obituary of John Oursler

The many friends and relatives of Mrs. Clara M. Piper were saddened last Friday when word came of the death of the latter at a sanitarium where she had gone to recuperate in health. She had, for many years, previous to her departure to the hospital lived at the home of her brother, M. J. Corson at the latter's home in Ney.

Clara M. Corson was born in 1851 at Tivola, Penn., coming West with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Corson when a small child. In 1890 she was married to Daniel Piper, living in Marengo and vicinity until her husband's death seven years later, when she returned to the parental home.

She united with the M. E. church when a young girl, faithfully attending the services as long as her health permitted and continuing to take a keen interest in the affairs of the church after she was deprived of this pleasure.

She leaves to mourn her death, which occurred on May 25, two sisters, Mrs. Mariette Williams of Otis, Colo., and Mrs. Caroline Williams of Genoa, two brothers, Charles and Milton Corson of Genoa, nephew, nieces and many other relatives and friends.

There were five children in this family and this is the first death in sixty years.

## OBITUARY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pierce of Chicago was saddened last Friday morning with the death of their youngest daughter, Marjorie, who succumbed to pleura-pneumonia.

The body was brought to Genoa and funeral services were held at the home of the deceased's aunt, Mrs. Fulcher, interment in Genoa cemetery. Rev. Robeson officiated.

Obituary of Wm. F. Oursler  
William F. Oursler was born in Baltimore, Maryland in 1846 and died at the home of his son, W. F. Oursler, Chicago, Ill., May 19, 1923 at the age of 77 years. Fifty-two years ago the deceased was married to Laura Mansfield. To this union were born nine children six of whom survive; three sons, Wm. F. of Chicago, Albert of Rockford and Frank of California; three daughters, Mrs. Geo. Dye of Rockford, Mrs. Charles Fenigan of California and Mrs. Arthur Mattland of Beloit. He leaves besides his widow, Mrs. Laura Oursler and the six children, nine grand-children. Services were held Friday afternoon, May 25 at the M. E. Church in Genoa. Rev. Robeson officiating. Interment in Genoa cemetery.

## THE BACCALAUREATE SERMON

Was Preached in M. E. Church Last Sunday Night By Rev. Robeson

The graduating class of the G. T. H. S. was addressed by Rev. J. T. Robeson Sunday night in the auditorium of the church. A large audience was present to hear the fine sermon delivered by the pastor.

On (this) Thursday evening in the auditorium of the high school the graduation exercises will be held, the main speaker of the evening being Dr. Coltour of Chicago University.

Those in the class of '23 are: Rhea Saul, Franz Grams, Nellie Gethman, Harry Adler, Florence Brown, Wayne Gethman, Bertha Peterson and John Dyer.

Owing to the horse (Jordan) being lame, I will not be able to travel him. Persons wishing to breed mares, please bring mares to barn. Fees will be \$12.50 for standing colt, B. C. Awe Jr., Genoa, Ill. Tel. 907-14. 4t.

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**The Custard Cup**

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**LETTIE IS WON**

**SYNOPSIS.**—Living in a barn, converted into a dwelling, Mrs. Penfield is manager of an apartment building known as "The Custard Cup," originally "Cluster Court." Her income is derived from laundry work, her chief patron being a Mrs. Horatius Weatherstone, whom she has never seen. Living with her are "Crink" and "Thad," homeless small boys whom she has adopted. They call her "Penzie." Thad tells Penzie a strange man was inquiring for her under her maiden name. A tenant, Mrs. Gusale Bosley, induces Penzie to take charge of a package, which she does with some misgivings. Searching a refuse dump for things which might be of value, Crink, veteran at the game, encounters a small girl, Lettie, who proves a foeman worthy of his steel. He takes her to Penzie, and Lettie gets adopted into the family. The stranger proves to be Mrs. Penfield's uncle Jerry. He announces he is going to remain in the vicinity of The Custard Cup.

**CHAPTER IV.—Continued.**

"So do I," sighed the girl. "We most had a quarrel over it. You see, some friends of the Bosleys are getting it up, and there was room for two more, so Mr. Bosley invited—"

"Oh!" interrupted Mrs. Penfield, in a different tone. "Well, if I was in your place, I wouldn't think about it again. You know it's always a good idea for folks to stick to their own circle of friends, and I'll bet that was what Mr. Chase was thinking."

"Maybe," conceded Lorene; "but how I've wanted to go to Diablo with a jolly party! I expect I'll get over it," she laughed. "If you say I'd better, it'll help me to do it." She waved her hand and went on toward the Percy flat.

Mrs. Penfield turned back into the living-room; then stepped in the most profound amazement. Jerry Winston had risen and was still holding an attitude of listening, of thoughtful absorption. She tried in vain to recall anything in her light interchange with Lorene that could have had significance.

"What's the matter, Uncle Jerry?" she asked.

He shrugged his shoulders and became instantly the nonchalant, good-natured man of a few minutes before. "Nothing, Carline. I'm naturally kind o' interested in this little nest you live in."

"Wait till the children get here," she nodded proudly. "I'll bet you'll be intrusted then. They're dears, ev'ry one o' 'em."

Lettie came in first and dashed to the sink. "I got some'n now," she shrieked. "I'll bet it don't leak, neither."

There was a sound of running water. Then Lettie appeared in the door to the living-room. In her right hand she swung an old agate teakettle. "She's a peach!" declared Lettie triumphantly. "She don't leak. Look at her!"

"O Lettie!" cried Mrs. Penfield. "Look yourself!"

The child's gaze followed the direction of Mrs. Penfield's finger. The water had percolated through the obstructions in the bottom of the teakettle and had found many holes for escape. The teakettle had become a sprinkling-pot, merrily spraying the floor.

"Jiminy!" exclaimed Lettie. "Ain't that the darndest luck?" With a flash of black curls, she made for the sink.

Jerry Winston's broad shoulders shook with laughter. "I can see she's going to be a comfort, Carline. I'd stake my life she's got some'n in her."

"Land sakes!" laughed Mrs. Penfield. "I wouldn't give a last year's carrot for a feller that didn't have some spirit. It's a motor attachment; and if you want to see one that's in good working order, you just hang around and keep an eye on Lettie."

"I'm thinking of doing that very thing," said Uncle Jerry.

**CHAPTER V**

The Pink Sweater.

"My grateful goodness! I knew some'n was up," Mrs. Wopple, who had straggled through the kitchen door, paused at the entrance to the living-room to emit this commentary on Mrs. Penfield, sewing by one of the windows in the midst of an unusual array of materials.

"Come right in," invited Mrs. Penfield, as cordially insistent as if Mrs. Wopple had not already done so. "Wait till I move this nice comfortable chair into the sunshine for you. Ain't it lucky you came in just's the sun did!"

She moved the best chair into the narrow shaft of yellow radiance. If the sun were not mercifully acrobatic in its possibilities, twisting its way into incredible intricacies of city architecture, it would never have penetrated into Mrs. Penfield's living-room at all; but by a marvelous astronomical provision, there was a pre-

struck her neighbor's white wall and was deflected, nearly full strength, through one of Mrs. Penfield's windows.

She took up her sewing. Mrs. Wopple's gloomy eyes fastened upon it with glowing curiosity.

"What in time you makin'?" she inquired.

Mrs. Penfield exhibited the pink garment, rich with basting thread.

"This here's a sweater for Lettie."

Mrs. Wopple reached over and nipped a piece of the goods between two thin fingers. "Ain't that underwear silk?"

"It sure is. It's going to make a beautiful sweater."

"H'm! 'Tain't suitable for Lettie."

"Not suitable! Why, ev'rybody's wearin' 'em."

"Not silk. 'Tain't no ways suitable to dress Lettie so fine."

Mrs. Penfield laughed. "Would you suggest my making her a calico sweater?" she asked pleasantly. "No, Mrs. Wopple, I been wishin' I had some nice clo'es for that child, 'cause she needs 'em to pell herself up with. Ain't nothing going to help her so much as taking pride in something, and she's the kind that'll live up to her clo'es. Poor dear, she's always been doing it; 'tain't no wonder she hasn't riz faster."

Mrs. Penfield reached for a soft roll of white goods. "Look here. Didn't this wash fine? Couldn't anything pleased me more'n white corduroy. Yes, I saw that streak; it had an accident spilled on it, I guess. But taking that out, there's 'nough for collar and cuffs for Lettie's sweater and 'nough for a skirt, too. I'm going to let her wear it Sundays when she's been good through the week. It'll be a reform dress, if there ever was one. She's going to be the happiest child in The Custard Cup. My! I can't scarcely wait for her to get home; I want to see her as happy as she's bound to be."

"If I was in your place, Mis' Penfield, I wouldn't count on it too much. I've



"It's a Mercy You Got Sun Faith in Lettie."

always heard that if folks wasn't happy inside 'em, there couldn't nothin' make 'em happy from the outside."

Mrs. Penfield smiled. "Yes, that's so, but there's something got to start the happiness going inside 'em. Some folks have got a factory of their own, and they make their happiness fast; they can use it, and some folks have had so many hard knocks that their happiness machinery has grown rusty and set. Then it's got to be oiled up and started going. Why, look at the birds, Mrs. Wopple. You never heard a bird sing on the ground; but give him a bit of encouragement in the way of a fencepost or a bush or something with an outlook to it, and he'll sing his little head off, 'cause he's so bubbling over with joy. It's up to me to give Lettie that encouragement."

Mrs. Wopple rose. "I must be goin'. All I got to say is, it's a mercy you got such faith in Lettie. I sh'd call her an affliction if she was to my house."

So far Lettie had merely changed her allegiance and her boarding place; the routine of her days had not been disturbed. The lust for loot was in her blood; and now that she was well treated and well fed, it had become a sort of frenzy. She knew little about putting gratitude into speech, having always employed that medium for vastly different purposes. The more thoughtful Lettie felt, the higher grew the heaps of rubbish in Mrs. Penfield's back yard.

As another sycamore collects his beads and blankets, so this one collected the superfluities of human living, the by-products of organization and reorganization, the driftwood that eddied in from the wrecking of many households. Mrs. Penfield, tolerating the instinct of acquisitiveness in Crink as a more or less natural phase of boyhood under stress, was frankly dismayed over the

far stronger trait in Lettie, and she looked forward to the time when she could fill the child's life with other interests. Only in such wise could she effect a change, because a vacuum in occupation would have drawn from Lettie the abhorrence which it deserves. And surely in a few months, clothes could be accumulated and book money saved, so that it would be possible to send the child to school.

When Lettie returned, it was to the accompaniment of a mixed sound, rasping and swishing around the house and across the board walk in the back yard. She had chanced upon a scene of tree-trimming and had acquired many branches, which she had jubilantly snaked home, to be dried and broken for the kitchen stove. The triumph of successful exploration was in her voice.

"Penzie, you oughter see what I bring now. It'll make swell kindlings." She edged into the living room, her thin chest heaving from the violent exertion. "Say, whatcha makin'?" She came nearer, her black eyes widening as they took in the incredible details of Mrs. Penfield's sewing.

"I'm making something for you, Lettie. Ain't it pretty?" She held it up. Lettie thrust out a grimy hand and nipped a piece of the goods exactly as Mrs. Wopple had done before her—with the same conclusion, but with a totally different emotional reaction.

"Is it silk?" she inquired, in an awed voice.

Mrs. Penfield nodded.

"And it's for me?"

"Yes, dear."

"Hope to die if you told a lie?"

Mrs. Penfield choked; then vowed the solemn vow.

"Holy Jiminety!" cried the child. "You've got me sold. Gee, there ain't nothing I wouldn't do for you." For the first time her wary reserve broke. She hurled herself into Mrs. Penfield's lap and threw her arms around Mrs. Penfield's neck. For the first time Mrs. Penfield dared to kiss her.

"Lettie, dear, I'm so glad you like it!"

"Like it! I'm beat to a frazzle."

"But listen, Lettie. You can't wear this every day, you know. It's too nice. This is for Sunday."

Lettie straightened, but took this blow rather placidly. "We-ell. Well, all right. Any more strings to it?"

"For Sunday," continued Mrs. Penfield, "when you've been good through the week."

"Oh, that's dead easy," scoffed Lettie, with great jauntiness. "You just watch me. If I try, I can beat the angels behaving."

Uncle Jerry appeared in the doorway. "Say, Carline, I toddled 'round to see if you could give me a room."

"A room? Why, Uncle Jerry, we haven't got any."

"Yes, you have." Rolling his eyes whimsically, he jerked his thumb upward.

"The loft? My land, you couldn't sleep up there. 'Tain't fitted up nor nothing. There was a family of mice tried to live in it once, but I always thought they gave it up of their own accord, rather'n 'cause they disapproved of the trap."

"I'm smarter'n a family of mice," chuckled the big man, "and if you can't think of any greater objection, I'm going to move in. It'd seem kind o' good to be near the only folks I got a claim on, and besides, I—I got another reason. Thank you, Carline. I'll be 'round tonight with my traps. Good-by."

"Why, Uncle Jerry— wait—you haven't thought—"

But he was gone. His hearty laugh trailed back to her as she reached the door.

"My goodness, I'm 'fraid he's short of money," she thought. "I wish we had a room for him."

**CHAPTER VI**

Perennial Prue.

"I can't set down, Mis' Penfield. I just come in to borrow an egg. I didn't know I was out, but I'll get some more tomorrow."

"Bless you, Mrs. Wopple, you came to the wrong place. I ain't got an egg right now. I used the last one Saturday, and I shan't have any more till—till later."

"My landy Goshen!" cried the amazed Mrs. Wopple. "I never heard of anybody keepin' house 'thout havin' eggs constant."

Mrs. Penfield laughed. "Well, I'd hate to be so beholden to a hen as that. Seems like exalting a bird above a human being, don't it?" She thrust her darling needle placidly into Crink's stocking.

"You got an awful light way of takin' serious matters," disapproved Mrs. Wopple. "Me, I shouldn't—heavens to Betsy! What's that?" Her eyes rolled wildly toward the ceiling.

"It's my Uncle Jerry," smiled Mrs. Penfield.

"Your Uncle Jerry! What's he doin' up there?"

"Why, Mr. Bosley's riding 'round in a new car."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

**COMPILING WORLD WAR DATA**

Achievements of Men and Women During Great Conflict to Be Recorded in General History.

Compilation of the achievements of the men and women of the World war, and the establishment of a national historical archives for the preservation of documents and important data concerning the campaigns of the war, is the principal work which has fallen to the office of the national historian of the American Legion.

One of the most recent advances of this important cog in the Legion machine at headquarters in Indianapolis, is the completion of the biographical data of the men whose World war careers and prominence in Legion history will be of interest to Legion men in future years.

Eben E. Putnam, of Wellesley Farms, Mass., national historian of the organization, whose entire time is demanded in the obtaining of data and records for the continuance of the archives section of the Legion, has delegated much of this work for biographical reference to Harvey G. Thomas, assistant national historian formerly of Monticello, Ind.

Under Mr. Thomas' direction, accumulation of this data concerning nearly 8,000 Legion members throughout the 11,000 posts of the organization



Harvey C. Thomas.

In the world is progressing rapidly. Comprehensive questionnaires have been sent out and there is already a mass of this matter in his office, awaiting classification.

In preparation of this general history of the Legion, the history of each post is necessary. Through the state organization, requests are made to the individual posts for names of organizers, dates, the officers since the chartering of the unit, the progress in members annually, all of which points out definitely the leaders in that post. This information is in turn garnered by the department historian, executive committee meetings and conferences. This combined with the post history will give the entire department history.

The history of posts and departments will be added to the biographical data obtained by Mr. Thomas, making complete records for a Legion history, publication of which is now contemplated.

Thomas entered the service early in May, 1917. He received a commission of lieutenant in infantry shortly afterwards and was assigned to the Fifty-eighth infantry, which later became a unit of the Fourth division. He went overseas with this organization and was with the regiment during the Aisne-Marne campaign. Wounded at Fismes, he was returned to the United States, landing on Armistice day, and was retired from the service in July, 1920, with the rank of captain.

**FLOWERS ON NURSES' GRAVES**

Major, Julia C. Stimson Makes Trip to Paris to Decorate Last Resting Places.

Honoring the last resting places of eleven American nurses who sleep in Suresnes cemetery in France, an impressive ceremony conducted by United States representatives, and attended by American residents in France, recently marked the decoration of the graves of these brave women. Their bodies lie in the American cemetery, where sleep nearly 1,500 other American World war dead.

The cemetery, now a shrine of American patriotism, was chosen for the services presided over by Maj. Julia C. Stimson, former chief of the American nursing service and a member of the Jane A. Delano post of the American Legion of Washington, D. C. Major Stimson made the trip to France for the purpose of decorating the graves.

Col. Francis A. Drake of Paris represented the American Legion of Continental Europe at the services. Elliott Wadsworth, assistant secretary of the treasury of the United States, was present, as was Col. T. Bentley Mott of the American embassy, and other prominent members of the American colony in Paris. Prayers were recited by Dr. Frederick Beckman of the American church of the Holy Trinity.

Additional Wards Ordered.

An additional ward building has been authorized by the Oklahoma legislature for the Soldiers' Tubercular home at Sulphur, due to the efforts of the American Legion of that state. The legislature also authorized the construction of an additional ward to care for mentally incompetent and shell-shocked veterans at the Norman (Okla.) hospital, another suggestion of the Legionnaires. The expenditures in the two cases will reach \$200,000.

**EXPECT BIG CROPS**

Conditions in Western Canada Please Farmers.

Seeding Has Been Begun Earlier Than for Many Years, and Soil is in Perfect Shape.

With weather conditions highly favorable, the farmers of Western Canada, with the exception probably of a portion of Manitoba, have completed seeding from ten to fifteen days earlier than for some years past. In some parts of Manitoba there were floods which delayed seeding, but they have abated, and left the land in good shape for quick work and speedy germination. In Saskatchewan soil conditions for seeding were never better. With a generous quantity of snow, which after melting left needed moisture, and another snowstorm after seeding was finished, there was an ideal condition created. From all parts of Alberta there came the best of reports as to rainfall and snow moisture, leaving the ground in the condition required for the prospects of a good crop.

Spring, as in most other parts of the continent, was backward, but notwithstanding this, as has been said, farmers were able to get on the land earlier than for some years. In fact, seeding was practically commenced about the 12th of April, which to many readers may seem remarkable, when it is known that several hundred miles farther south it was not possible to do spring seeding for several days later. Reports to hand on the 16th of May state that wheat is up above the ground in a great many places, oats are being sown, and corn planted. Farm labor was scarce for awhile, but the demand has fallen off. One feature of the demand for farm help is that farmers are now employing help by the year, at of course smaller wages than those paid for special work. The increasing tendency to employ help by the year is evidence that farmers are not relying solely upon wheat growing, but are going out into other branches, such as dairying, stock raising, etc. The prospects in all portions of Western Canada were never brighter than at present. Information regarding the condition of the crops at any time will be sent on request made to any Canadian government agent.—Advertisement.

**A Palace of Kings.**

The Excelsior, often termed the eighth wonder of the world, is a palace of the Spanish kings 25 miles from Madrid. It has cost about \$50,000,000. It is in the form of a gridiron and contains many art treasures.

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City Collector's Report

Genoa, Ill., April 1, 1923 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NO. 8 Amount of Each Installment Paid

Table with columns for Name, Amount, and Total. Lists various residents and their assessed amounts.

Respectfully submitted MARY CANAVAN City Collector

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NO. 7

Table with columns for Name, Amount, and Total. Lists residents for Special Assessment No. 7.

Respectfully submitted, MARY CANAVAN City Collector

SOLVES MYSTERY OF FICTION

Question Long in Dispute Said to Be Explained by Weavings in Persian Rug.

Most Persian rugs tell a story of some sort, but few tell one as clearly as a bargain rug Banks bought and proudly exhibited to his friends.

This history is told, not as in most Oriental rugs, in Arabic characters, but in hieroglyphic figures that suggest the whole story. At one end are two figures, man and woman, the founders of the family, and their first home, a humble dwelling.

Banks, the American owner of this rug, declares that the mystery of the origin of American success fiction is solved. Two hundred years and more ago they took this medium to show low perseverance and frugality paid.

MADE THE BRITISHERS GASP

When It Came to Underdone Meat, Cowboy Was in a Class by Himself.

It is related that in the early days of the Southwest, when Fort Worth, Texas, was a railroad and rather on the edge of things, three Englishmen who were bent on seeing the borderlands of America sat down at a table in the dining room of the one small hotel for dinner.

Presently the waiter came up and orally presented the menu, announcing that the only meat available was antelope steak, and asking how the guests would like to have it cooked.

"Underdone," said the first Englishman. "Serve mine very rare," said the second.

"I wish mine scarcely cooked at all; just sear it a bit on a hot griddle, and bring it so," said the remaining Briton.

The waiter turned to the cowboy, who had frankly listened to the three other orders, and the son of the plains drawled, "Wal, just cripple the danged deer a little and chase it through here; I'll git a slice off'n it before it gits out."—Saturday Evening Post.

Arsenic Town's Sole Production.

An arsenic mining and refining plant at the little town of Branton, Va., is said to be the only one in the world devoted solely to the production of arsenic.

Pure arsenic is a steel-gray metallic substance, but the poison is better known in the form of an oxide, the white arsenic usually produced by the refineries. At Branton ore is found running in small veins through a gray mica quartz formation.

When taken from the mine, it is put through a crusher and then placed in an iron tube known as a calciner. Here, for 45 minutes, it is subjected to a heat of 8,000 degrees Fahrenheit. The resulting gases deposit arsenic in the form of an oxide onto "baffle" plates in a flue 319 feet long. The deposit, a dirty gray powder full of impurities, is placed in a refining furnace, and eventually the pure oxide is ground to a powder and placed in barrels by an automatic machine, after which it is ready for shipment.

Gardener's Advantages.

Two men were out for a walk one day, and they commenced a discussion

as to what was the best employment to which to put their sons.

"They discussed various businesses and trades."

"I had been thinking of putting my boy into the motor works," confessed Robinson.

Hughes had been getting the worst of the argument, so he fell back on humor to save himself.

"I think I shall let my son become a gardener," he said quietly.

"A gardener?" retorted Robinson, falling into the trap. "Whyever a gardener?"

"Because a gardener runs his own mint, sets his own thyme, and raises his celery every year."

And they walked on for miles and miles in silence.

Flower Symbolic of Crucifixion.

When the Spanish sailors were roaming about South and Central America they found a flower so symbolic of the Crucifixion that they named it the "flower of the Passion." In the five-parted purple or lavender blossoms with stripes of white they saw the crown of thorns and the five marks of the wounds of the Savior. The styles were the three nails, and the stems were the hammer that drove the nails into His hands and feet. The floral leaves were the ten apostles, Judas and Peter being absent, the one having betrayed and the other denied the Master. The leaves were the hands of the persecutors, and the clinging tendrils the scourges.

Some of the species of the flower are cultivated for the pale yellow berries, of the size of a small apple. The root of some species is poisonous, the juice from them acting like morphine.

A Simple Rule.

When, after his death, a sale was made of the effects of Boerhaave of Leiden, a book was offered as containing in it a synopsis of his medical learning. The eager purchaser found in it simply these words: "Keep the head cool, the feet warm, open the digestive system."

Police as "Coppers."

Police Commissioner Enright of New York once said the word "cop" is composed of initials of "constabulary of police," but other authorities say it is an English expression, a shortening of the word "copper," as the English policeman is called, Sir Robert Peel, as prime minister of Britain, instituted the first London police force. The men were nicknamed "bobbies" and "peelers." Later they wore a helmet with a heavy band of copper over the crown. This was kept burnished and they soon were called "coppers" as a result.

Looked for Braver Lover.

I was a tall, awkward lad of seventeen and in love with Annie, two years my junior. One night I started to see her when it looked sort of rainy. I got a short distance from the house when it thundered a little, and I came back. My sisters teased me and told the girl how frightened I was when it thundered, and she turned me down for a braver escort.—Chicago Journal.

Objects of Charity in Old Age.

Objects and spinsters in the United States make up the larger part of those who in their old age are obliged to depend on the town or state for support. Figures show that of men who have a trade only one in a hundred thousand has to go to the poorhouse, and that of men with a college education the proportion is smaller still.

Following Tradition.

How many things we do, simply because our forefathers have done them, or those around us do them. Break away from traditions. Ask yourself whether a thing is right or wrong, logical or illogical, reasonable or otherwise, and then do it—or don't do it.

Advertisement for Zeller & Son Hard Coal. Includes text: 'YOUR COAL SUPPLY', 'THE SUPREME QUESTION OF THE HOUR', 'ORDER HARD COAL TODAY', 'For Your Next Winter's Use', 'We urgently request all those who want hard coal for their next winter's fires to place the order at once.', 'PLACE THE ORDER TODAY', 'ZELLER & SON'.

Advertisement for Chevrolet Touring \$525, f.o.b. Flint. Includes image of a car and text: 'Chevrolet Touring \$525, f.o.b. Flint', 'B & G GARAGE', 'Nothing Compares With a Chevrolet'.

Advertisement for 'A GREAT PAGEANT FOR THE "KIDDIES"'. Includes text: 'LISTEN, Boys and Girls!', 'Four days before Chautauqua opens, the Junior Chautauqua leader is coming to town.', 'UNCLE SAM SEEKING CITIZENS', 'THE BOYS and GIRLS', 'SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NO. 11', 'Chas. Whipple', 'Margaret Frazier', 'John W. Pruit', 'Chas. Whipple', 'Chas. Whipple', 'Chas. Whipple', 'Mrs. Orin Buckle', 'J. R. Kierman', 'I. W. Douglass', 'Frank J. Clausen', 'Frank J. Clausen', 'Frank J. Clausen', 'AUG. NELSON', 'Marie Corson', 'Marie Corson', 'Chas. Whipple', 'T. Canavan', 'Genoa Twp. High School', 'Feb. 1, 1923 Paid City Treasurer', 'Apr. 1, 1923 Balance on Hand', 'Respectfully submitted, MARY CANAVAN City Collector'.

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**OVERLAND RED BIRD COMPLETE**

New Model Sponsored by the Willys-Overland Co. Has Longer Wheel-Base and Roomier Body

Nothing has been omitted from the list of equipment made standard on the new Overland Red Bird, but what is necessary and convenient for the motorist who demands something out of the ordinary and who at the same time does not want to plunge into reckless extravagance in having his ideal satisfied.

Included in the equipment are bumpers, front and rear, wind shield wiper, scuff plates, door grips, spare rim and tire carrier, beside the usual dash light, speedometer and other accessories.

Glistening nickeled radiator with bar cap, nickeled head lamps, wind shield stanchions, outside door handles, nickeled head lamps, wind shield, scuff plates and back curtain window frame are admirably set off by a Khaki top with red bindings and welts.

Red Spanish grained upholstery leaves a pleasant impression when blended with the superb and rich, gleaming Mandalay Maroon, a shade that is exciting much comment, affording to the eye as it does a delightful sense of sprightliness, artistically subdued to a tone of agreeable refinement.

The Red Bird has a roomier body, riding on a lengthened wheel base of 106 inches and a spring base of 136 inches. This specification alone insures extremely comfortable traveling at all times and under the most adverse conditions. When the patented triplex springs, adopted by Overland engineers are further considered it will be readily understood that restful riding is one of the many outstanding merits of this new car.

Straight side, Fisk cord tires, 37 by 3 1/2 are also standard equipment on the Red Bird enhancing its value to the purchaser and adding to his motoring satisfaction.

The engine is larger and more powerful and in every way adapted to maintain that far-reaching reputation of creditable, economical performance gained by the Overland motor. Speed, flexibility, quick pick-up and

low cost of operation are established and proven facts.

The Red Bird has a one piece differential case of great strength.

There are no bolts to work loose and no openings for faulty assembly to throw halves out of alignment thru dirt or other foreign matter working between the halves. The design permits of two unusually large differential pinions.

The ring gear is exceptionally large of the spiral bevel type and with the accurately cut pinion runs smoothly, quietly and without trouble or need of adjustment for many thousand miles of service. Particularly noteworthy is the substantial well assembled, strong rear axle assembly with axle shafts 1 1/2 inches in diameter.

The axles can be removed without disassembling the housing and all the bearings are of the highest types known. These features, together with the many estimable points of excellence in mechanism, single out the Overland Red Bird as deserving of discriminating favor.

**FORD USES MUCH STRAW**

Detroit, Mich., May 31.—Invisible yet daily gripped in the hands of millions of persons, straw from the farm of Henry Ford is literally scattered to the four corners of the earth.

Strange as this statement may seem, it is true.

Out on the Ford farm at Dearborn, Mich., operated entirely by Fordson tractor power, there was no use for the great loads of straw annually harvested there with the grain until the Ford Motor Company, given to doing unusual things found a use for it.

The straw is used as an ingredient in the composition of Fordite, a ma-

terial of flint-like hardness and a development of the Ford Motor Company, from which steering wheels are made and the Fordite plant at Highland Park supplies these steering wheels for all Ford cars and trucks, wherever assembled throughout the world—in the United States, Canada and abroad—and also for use on Fordson tractors.

The Fordite plant, begun about four years ago something as an experiment, is present producing an average of 8,500 of these steering wheels daily under the manufacturing schedule of three eight-hour working shifts six days a week. Subjected to the most minute inspection and given the most exacting tests, they are the strongest and most durable steering wheels produced, of ever-wearing quality, a bright lustrous black and superior in many ways to wooden steering wheels.

The straw from the Ford farm, which is sufficient in quantity for only about nine months' manufacture after which straw must be purchased outside is utilized, following a shredding process, as a binder in making that part of Fordite which forms the core of the steering wheel, insuring a rim of exceptional strength. The daily consumption at present is about a ton and a half.

Manufacture of Fordite begins with the raw materials. In preparing core, stock, the straw, rubber base, sulphur, silica and other ingredients are mixed in batches of 150 pounds each for a period of forty-five minutes. By that time the substance is ready for the tubing machines into which it is fed in small strips and from which it emerges thru a round die, fifteen sixteenths of an inch in diameter,

such as sausage from a sausage grinding machine. As it comes out it is cut on the bias, into lengths of 52 inches and then is ready to be rolled into the outside covering of fine rubber-like substance.

After the core has been wrapped into the covering, which is of equal length and seven and a half inches wide, affording a double cover, the whole is secured in circular form and sent to steel molds the exact size of a steering wheel.

Held fast in these molds under hydraulic pressure of 2,000 to the square inch, these Fordite steering wheels are subjected to a heat treatment of 68 pounds of steam for a period of fifty minutes. Hot as they come from the steam ovens they are soft and pliable, but within a short time after they are placed in the cooling racks, they assume a flint-like hardness that remains.

Next, the Fordite steering wheels go to the finishing room where they are smoothly polished and trimmed. The pressed steel "spider", or cross piece, is then placed in the wheel and securely fastened on by a machine, which is one operation bores a small hole and in the next screws in the screw. The steering wheel is then ready for shipment and assembly on the car.

Manufacture of these wheels is only a part of the work done in the Fordite plant. In addition it turns out daily an average of 9,000 front spring pads, 150,000 commutator insulator buttons, 9,000 contact insulators, 7,

500 cut out insulators, 8,000 generator insulators, 8,000 dash terminal blocks, 6,000 battery cable bushings, 19,000 hood block bushings, 20,000 tail light wire bushings, 3,200 battery covers, 6,500 rear panels plugs and 10,000 cable insulators for metal dashes.

**MARRIED FORTY YEARS**

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shurtleff Celebrate Event in Glendale, Calif.

The following letter was received at the Republican office from L. P. Durham, the forepart of the week:

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shurtleff, formerly of Genoa, and now sojourning in California, celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary, May 23, at Glendale, Calif.

The first feature of the celebration was the climbing of the Verdugo mountains.

The following Illinois people participated in the event: Messers and Mesdames: H. H. Shurtleff, E. H. Olmstead, F. E. Wells, L. P. Durham, and Mrs. Eva Sedgwick.

There were nine mountain climbers that started out on that beautiful day;

Three were laggards and loitered on the way;

Six journeyed on, but four stopped when the top was nigh;

But two victors went over the top of Mount Verdugo so high." After the climbing the party returned to the home of H. H. Shurtleff and partook of a dainty two-

course luncheon.

The table was very prettily decorated with roses and gladiolas.

Everybody voted Mr. and Mrs. Shurtleff excellent entertainers.

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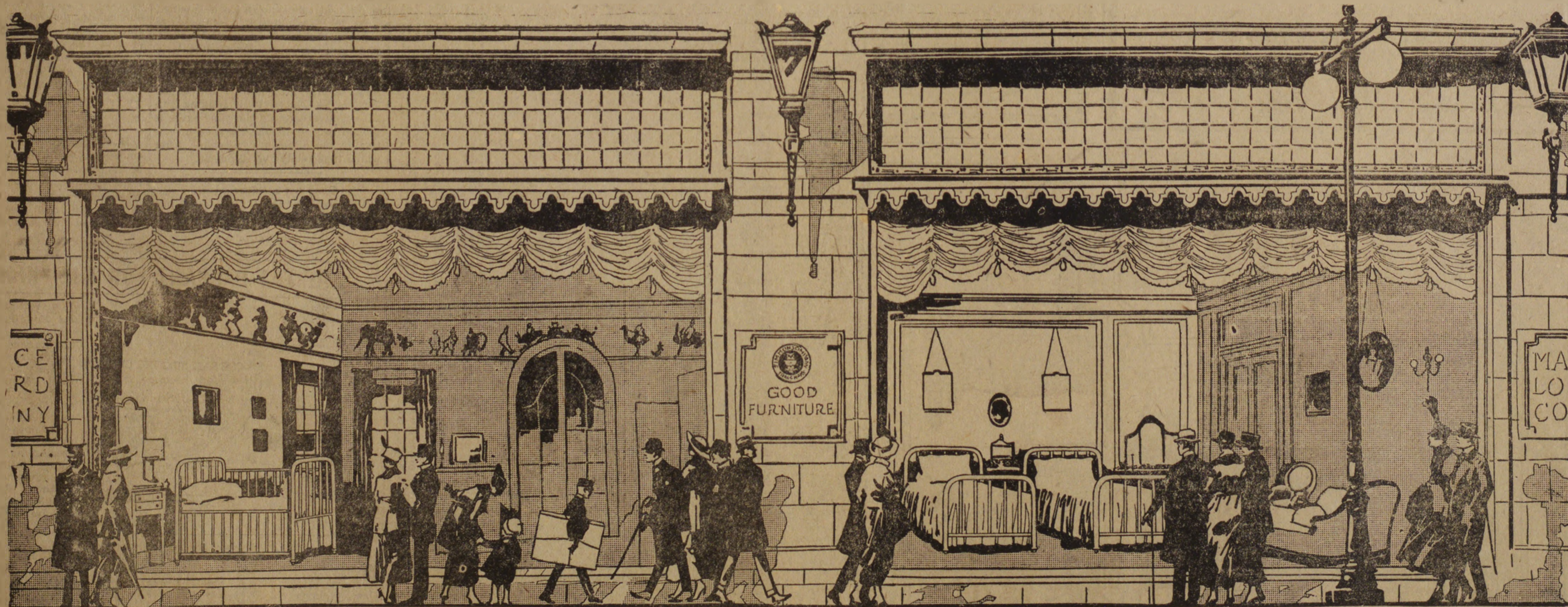
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Illinois

Mr. West of Elkhorn, Wis. was the guest of James Hutchison from Wednesday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett announce the birth of a son Tuesday, May 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stanley of Kenosha, Wis. spent the week end here.

Mrs. Emma Lord spent the first part of the week with relatives at Belvidere.

For 5 per cent farm loans see Geithman & Hammond, 234f.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott and Mrs. Nelson and son, Frank, of Rockford spent Sunday here at the George Lange home.

Mrs. Arthur Eicklor and Mrs. Lillia Dyer were Elgin shoppers Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson visited their daughter, Mrs. Nina Meyers at Lake Bluff Sunday.

C. E. Carlson of Rockford transacted business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silvins of Maple Park were callers here Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Fulcher was in Chicago several days last week.

Elmer Sowers of Elgin was a caller here Friday.

Mrs. Julius May and Mr. and Mrs. Al May of Chicago visited Genoa and Kingston friends over the week end.

Miss Mary Canavan was an Elgin shopper Saturday afternoon. From there she went to Belvidere where she spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. M. Tilden.

Mrs. Frank Wallace spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. Walter Channing, at Elgin.

Mrs. Roe Bennett entertained the H. G. L. club and Mesdames O. M. Barcus, E. J. Tischler and John Sell at "500" last Thursday afternoon. Favors for high score were awarded Mrs. Harry Whipple and Mrs. W. E. Gnakow. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess in the dining room where the table was prettily decorated with tulips and narcissus.

E. J. Whiteman was here from Grays Lake Friday.

Mrs. Donald McKibbin and little son of Belvidere visited relatives here the first of the week.

Let's all go.—Secretary

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snow of Chicago were here for Decoration Day and to attend the commencement this Thursday evening.

Mrs. Fred Robinson of Rockford was the guest of Mrs. F. O. Swan and Mrs. W. W. Cooper this week.

Mrs. Albert Rudolph entertained her sister, Mrs. Howard King, of Chicago a part of the week.

Mrs. Jas Hutchison entertained the Jolly Eight club at "500" Thursday afternoon. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess.

Miss Ruth Dolvin of Melros Park spent Tuesday and Wednesday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott and Mrs. Nelson and son, Frank, visited at the Lange home Saturday and Sunday.

The Shoe factory is having a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wahl motored to Chicago Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mitchell of Hampshire announce the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, May 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson of Rockford spent Sunday with Genoa relatives.

**ORIGIN OF FIRE NOT KNOWN**

Fire, of undetermined origin, but believed to have started from combustion or sparks from a hot box on a shredding machine at work there, entailed damage estimated at nearly \$75,000 at the George Drake farm at noon Tuesday. The farm is located one-half mile east of the Mayfield town hall, and two and one-half miles from Clare. The flames were discovered at about 11:15 and from then on the rest of the day farmers from the vicinity worked patiently and waited, hoping the wind would not change, and drive the flames toward the house.

Mr. Drake, when the flames were first discovered, went to work until he became exhausted and he was in a serious condition at two o'clock in the afternoon. Neighbors assisted in getting the household furniture out of the stock out of the barns. A brother of George Drake worked hard in getting over 200 thoroughbred Chester White hogs out of the shed, but it was necessary to throw many of them out of the shed by the ears, and he too, became exhausted.

**FIRE BELL TOLLS TWICE**

Last Thursday about six o'clock p. m. the roof of Hemenway's home on Locust street caught fire, presumably from the sparks emitted by the pipe leading from the kitchen. Rapid work by the department put an end to what might have been a serious blaze and little loss was suffered.

On Tuesday morning the bell rang again and, altho the fire equipment was assembled in jig time, no fire could be found in the places designated by the call.

Later facts developed that a waste basket on the rear porch of the E. L. Crawford home was on fire and was just starting to eat into the siding of the house when discovered. A few bucketfuls of water did the trick and hit all traces of the fire so that the department was unable to discover it.

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—and judge for yourself. When you compare both price and quality there in you will find the reason why the LEATH FURNITURE STORE is always looked upon as Furniture Headquarters and the reason for the slogan "Better Furniture Values for Less."

**Come Over to Our House**

Mr. and Mrs. J. Randell of DeKalb and Mr. and Mrs. Lew Doty and daughter, Miss Harriet, motored to Marengo Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown of Marengo and Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller of Belvidere were callers at the J. P. Brown home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Maderer and Frank Wallace motored to Elgin Sunday evening and called on Walter Channing who is very sick.

James Hutchison was in Chicago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gnakow were Elgin callers Friday afternoon.

Miss Anna Pratt of Chicago visited at the home of her brother, J. W. Pratt Saturday.

The Epworth League will meet at a quarter of six Sunday evening for a social hour preceding the devotional meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Goetz of Chicago spent Sunday with L. F. Smalley.

Mrs. William Gnakow, Sr., and Mrs. Caroline Awe entertained the Lutheran Ladies Aid society Friday afternoon. A delightful luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. William Raddatz and son spent Sunday with Mrs. Caroline Awe.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. Bramscher Sunday, May 27, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hill entertained at a picnic dinner last Sunday, which was served on the lawn of the former on the farm west of town. The affair was in honor of the birthday of the hostess' mother, Mrs. James Mansfield's, birthday and the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tischler.

Mr. and Mrs. Lentz and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parker spent Decoration Day at Fort Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mowers, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parker motored to Rockford on Thursday of last week.

All members of Rebekah Lodge No. 330 will meet at the I.O.O.F. Hall on Sunday morning, June 3, at 10 o'clock to attend Memorial services.

Mrs. Sarah Shefneer went to Elgin Tuesday evening and will spend the remainder of the week there with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter Channing.

Mrs. C. A. Briggs and daughter, Dorothy, of Freeport were guests of Miss Margaret Hutchison Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Miss Jennie Deschner of Elgin was the guest of Mrs. C. A. Stewart Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jeffrey and daughter, Jeanette, and Vera Overlee visited the former's aunt at Sandwich Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Confer of Beloit spent Sunday here with the latter's parents.

Rineholtz Stoll of Elgin spent Saturday evening and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Emma Stoll.

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Fig Bars, Special 22c Devils Food, Now 31c  
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The carriage was a family vehicle belonging to Charles Boubien, a French-Canadian.

The governor of a Mexican province took a liking to the Boubien family bus. Boubien craved land. They got together in the spring of 1846 and the swap was effected.

That, of course, was before that portion of the United States comprising the grant was ceded to the American government.

Old Boubien, it would appear from the history of the deal, was considerable of a land baron. He already held one grant, which prevented the making of the Sangre de Cristo grant direct to him, so he put forward two nephews—Narcissus Boubien and Luis Lee—as the ostensible beneficiaries. They were killed in the Mexican revolution of 1847 and the elder Boubien fell heir to the grant.

As far as history records data with respect to ancient land grants, the Sangre de Cristo was the second largest ever made. It included all the territory under the watershed of the Rio Grande from source to mouth.

Eventually, the grant was divided into two parts. The upper part, lying mostly in southern Colorado, is now known as the Trinchera estates; the lower as the Costilla estates.

It can almost invariably be ascribed to fear. Perhaps the person is afraid of assuming too much importance and of appearing egotistical and therefore lurks in the background when he should come forward. Perhaps he fears that some one will think he is trying to curry favor, and therefore he is so distantly polite as almost to be rude. Perhaps his good will is so mingled with admiration as to make him awkward and embarrassed; the fear of being regarded as commonplace and unimportant as he cannot help knowing himself to be prevents him from showing proper courtesy. Or, on the other hand, the fear that courtesy will be assertive, overbearing or truculent.

Fear is the great enemy to happiness and accomplishment. One of the most effective ways in which fear works is through curbing or suppressing the courteous manners and actions that, if it were not established in a position of authority, would display themselves as the natural expression of the heart.

**Went the Whole Route.**  
A fussy old gentleman engaged a footman and having instructed him in his duties asked him if he understood sequences.

"I don't know, sir," replied the man;



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"Will you explain?"  
"Why," he said, "when I ask you to lay the cloth, you are to put the knives, forks, salt and so on, on the table."

"Oh," replied the footman, "if that's all, no doubt I shall please you." His master, being ill one morning, ordered him to summon a nurse. He did not return until late at night and on being reproached explained the delay by stating that he went and found the nurse, who was below; the sequences of a nurse, he thought, were a chemist, a doctor, a surgeon and an undertaker; and he had asked them all to attend. In fact, they were waiting below.

**Truly Pathetic Plea.**  
A doctor received a hamper and a note from his elderly aunt, who was passionately devoted to cats.

This was the note:  
"Dear Richard: I am sending you by special messenger a hamper containing 'Tiggles.' The realization has been forced upon me that he has become extremely old and infirm and the painful necessity arises for me, as his devoted mistress, to arrange for his speedy and merciful demise. It would be too heartless, I think, to consult a veterinary surgeon. Therefore,

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It is of interest to note that yews of indefinite growth by nature never die, except by a violent death. This extraordinary length of life in the world of trees, savoring somewhat of the perpetual, is shared also by the vine, olive and fig tree.

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Take an empty spool and cover or paint it to suit the color of the carpet. Take a long brass-headed nail and nail through its hole to the floor about four or five inches from the wall behind the door. This will prevent the handle of the door injuring the wall.

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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

Washington

The Marine corps at Washington issued a statement repudiating suggestions that there was any mystery about the cause of the death of Lieut. Col. Earl H. Ellis, who died at Paro, in the Caroline Islands.

The War department announced at Washington that 252,167 officers and enlisted men of the regular army, National Guard, organized reserves and civilian training corps will be given instruction this summer.

Foreign ships may be permitted to bring within the three-mile limit liquor for their crews to be prescribed by the ship's doctor but not issued as rations, under new regulations at Washington.

Bituminous operators have filed statistics with the federal coal commission at Washington showing that coal mining is a less dangerous occupation than more than 100 others.

Personal

George Washington Oormack, said to be the discoverer of gold in the Klondike, died at Seattle in possession of not more than \$1,000. He spent millions gained in the Yukon in fruitless prospecting in the Cascade mountains.

Premier Otto B. Halvorsen died at Christiania. Leader of the Conservative party, he was premier of Norway from June, 1920, to June, 1921, and again assumed office last March.

Mrs. Samuel M. Felton, wife of the president of the Chicago Great Western railroad, died in a hospital at Philadelphia.

Capt. Alexander McDougall, seventy-eight, an internationally known shipbuilder and inventor, died at Duluth, Minn.

Domestic

Maj. Thomas Duncan of the army air service and Irving H. Kroup, civilian, were killed when their airplane crashed and burst into flames at Washington. Both men were burned to death.

The "Progressive bloc," Nonpartisan leaguers, rail labor chiefs and others organized at Chicago to fight rail valuations.

Mrs. Ella R. Greenly, whose will was filed in the surrogate's court at New York, left all of her estate to two members of the family into which she went more than fifty years ago as a nurse.

The state of Illinois at Springfield sold \$10,000,000 of its \$55,000,000 soldier bond issues for \$10,608,000. With the money received it is intended to begin payment to Illinois war veterans about July 1.

Tanks containing half a million gallons of oil, belonging to the F. B. Rate Oil works at Kansas City, Mo., were destroyed by fire.

Governor Pinchot at Harrisburg, Pa., signed a bill requiring the teaching of the Constitution of the United States in public and private schools.

Attaining a speed of 35 knots an hour on its trial run on Puget sound, near Seattle, the scout cruiser Milwaukee set what is believed to be a new world's record for vessels of more than 1,300 tons displacement.

The Jones & Laughlin Steel corporation bought 441 acres at Hammond, Ind., from the East Chicago company, and announced that a \$25,000,000 steel plant will be erected. The price of the land was \$1,500,000.

Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the American Legion, at Indianapolis, declared that sale of silk poppies made in Germany, to be worn in commemorating dead service men, was an insult.

Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., thirteen-year-old son of the famous screen actor, has signed a three-year contract with the Famous Players-Lasky corporation at a salary of \$1,000 a week, it was said at New York.

Three women and two children were killed at Carlisle, two miles west of Franklin, O., when a Baltimore & Ohio passenger train crashed into a truck in which they were riding.

Swarms of locusts flew over Manila for six hours continuously Thursday, darkening the city at times. They evidently were moving northward to the rich sugar lands of Pampanga.

Swollen by heavy rains, waters from Rush creek broke through a dike, and as a result nearly every part of Paul's valley, Okla., is flooded.

Fires last year cost the country \$52,000,000, more than the record-breaking year of 1906, fire underwriters meeting at New York were told.

An airplane line to carry packages, operating between New York and Chicago, is being advocated by Vice President R. E. M. Cowie of the American Railway Express company at Washington.

Resolutions protesting the erection in Washington, D. C., of a statue to the memory of a "black mammy" were adopted by the Negro Missionary Baptist Association of Illinois at Jacksonville, Ill.

Damage of \$40,000 was done in an explosion and fire that demolished the 80,000-gallon tank of gasoline at the Wofford Oil company's plant at Birmingham, Ala. One employee is believed to have been burned to death.

Approximately 30,000 men will be needed to harvest the wheat crop in Kansas this season, George E. Tucker, field director of the United States farm labor bureau, estimated at Kansas City, Mo.

Perley P. Christensen, the Farmer-Labor party's presidential candidate in 1920, has returned to New York from a two-year tour of the world. He said the Danish farmers, through proper organization and perfected methods of cultivation, have become the most prosperous in the world.

Ten American radio amateurs have succeeded in sending messages ranging from 7,000 to 10,000 miles in the Australian trans-Pacific code transmission tests, according to a cablegram received at Los Angeles, Cal.

George Davis, ten years old, 500 High street, Blue Island, Ill., who lost his right leg five years ago under the wheels of a Rock Island flyer, had his left leg cut off by an Illinois Central train.

Fruit associations and grape juice factories at Lawton, Mich., have received estimates from growers showing that the extent of the damage done by cold winds and frost to the grape crop in southwestern Michigan will be millions of dollars.

New roads will be chosen as part of the federal aid highway system before the summer ends, according to Secretary Wallace, who addressed the American Automobile association at New York.

Foreign

An investigation of the Mellilla debacle, which the government promised the people and which is now beginning under the new parliament at Madrid, threatens to implicate King Alfonso himself.

Bands of Communists attacked and looted the warehouses at Essen and overran the market place. Most of the stores throughout the city have been closed. The strike in the Ruhr is gaining.

A London dispatch says United States Secretary of the Treasury Mellon will visit England within six weeks. It is understood he will consult treasury experts on the debt question and discuss methods for enforcing the dry law ruling as to ships.

Fifteen persons, all of them princes, generals or noblemen, have been executed as a result of the discovery of an active counter-revolutionary plot in the Soviet Republic of Georgia, says a dispatch from Tiflis.

M. Venizelos grimly notified the allied delegates at Lausanne that Greece is withdrawing from the conference, resuming liberty of action on Saturday midnight unless given satisfaction in the meantime.

Premier Poincare tried to resign when the French senate repudiated his ministry of justice and refused to try Communist deputies accused of treason. His resignation was not accepted.

At a luncheon given in honor of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler at London Lady Astor appealed to Britons to cease making fun of prohibition, which she called America's great contribution to civilization.

In a collision of two steamers, the Wanli and the Tell, the Wanli sank off the Shantung promontory, near Shanghai, and nine passengers and sixteen members of the crew were drowned.

A member of a Japanese patriotic organization made an attack on Unzo Taguchi, a Japanese, who is secretary to A. A. Joffe, Russian plenipotentiary at Tokyo. The man who made the assault was arrested.

A Constantinople dispatch says all Y. M. C. A. centers and schools in Turkey are to be closed by the Ankara government on the supposition that the teachers are carrying on anti-Turkish pro-Christian propaganda among the inhabitants.

A Tsao Chuang dispatch says the renewal of the fighting between the bandits and government troops resulted in 95 soldiers killed and two captured.

Four European powers yielded at Paris on all the points made by the United States and signed an agreement for the payment of the costs of the American army on the Rhine.

Ninety-five soldiers were killed and two captured by bandits in a battle near the bandit camp, says a Tsao Chuang dispatch.

The KITCHEN CABINET

Frank-hearted hostess of the field and wood, Gypsy whose roof is every spreading tree, June is the pearl of our New England year. —James Russell Lowell.

"WAYS AND MEANS"

It is necessary, for efficiency, for the cook to have an accurate sense of the amount of food to prepare for her table, without being niggardly. Appetites vary and this faculty is a most important one to cultivate. If properly planned any meal may be stretched to include a chance guest, without any one being defrauded.

There is a fallacy called economy, which consists of "using everything up"; of course that is most desirable and to be commended, but when the leftover to be used of ingredients worth three cents must be combined with foods costing five or six times that it is not economy, unless the combination is especially well-liked.

A few slices of bread to save when used with milk, for pudding, with raisins, eggs and spices if the family likes it, is worth while; if not, put those waste slices into the sour milk over night to make into the griddle cakes for breakfast. Or spread the slices with butter and sprinkle generously with chopped rhubarb which you are supposed to have in your garden, sprinkle generously with sugar and bake until the rhubarb is soft and the juices absorbed by the bread. Such a dessert is wholesome, well-liked and economical.

The ordinary ready-to-eat breakfast foods are not economical, especially in a good-sized family. For such let them buy a few pounds of wheat at the mill or from some farmer—if you are not one—soak it over night—a cupful or two—and cook on the back of the range during the day when a fire is in use. Serve with top milk; this is a hearty meal in itself and will make bone and muscle for the growing boys and girls.

Perishable foods should be served in small quantities, so that there will be no leftovers. It is impossible to avoid leftovers and they must be accepted as a necessary evil, served as appetizingly as possible; but avoid having them.

The mission of the dog—I say it with all reverence—is the same as the mission of Christianity, namely, to teach mankind that the universe is ruled by love.—Henry C. Merwin.

WHAT TO EAT

A French pancake makes a pleasant change from the ordinary griddle cake. Cook them as usual and spread with jam, roll up, sprinkle with powdered sugar and serve hot.

Filling for Raisin Pie.—Take one cupful of water, one-half cupful of sugar, one teaspoonful of butter, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of salt, one and one-half cupfuls of seedless raisins, one tablespoonful of flour mixed with a little water. Cook the raisins in the water for fifteen minutes, add the sugar and flour paste and cook six minutes longer, take from the heat and add the butter and salt. Cool slightly before putting into the baked shell.

Mock Chicken Salad.—To one cupful of diced cooked veal add one-half cupful of diced celery and the same of cooked carrots. Add a tablespoonful of gelatin to one cupful of veal stock, one-half cupful of vinegar and one-half cupful of water. Dissolve the gelatin in a little cold water before adding to the above. Put into a mold when beginning to set, add the meat and vegetables. Mix well and put on ice to cool. Serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

Baked Squash.—Wash and cut in half a good sized squash, remove the seeds and steam until tender, then remove from the shell, mash fine, season with two tablespoonfuls each of grated cheese, onion, one tablespoonful of minced parsley, one teaspoonful of salt, one-half cupful of bread crumbs and a few dashes of pepper. Mix well and pour into a well-greased baking dish. Bake for twenty minutes.

Celery Cocktail.—Take one cupful of minced celery, one tablespoonful of minced chives, three tablespoonfuls of minced green peppers, twelve olives chopped fine, salt, pepper and mayonnaise to moisten. Fill halves of green peppers with the ingredients and chill for an hour.

Bran Muffins.—Take one-fourth of a cupful of brown sugar, one-fourth of a cupful of lard, three-fourths of a cupful of milk, one tablespoonful of black molasses, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one and one-half cupfuls of bran, one cupful of flour and three teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Cream the sugar and lard and mix in the order given. Bake in tins in a quick oven. This recipe makes one dozen muffins.

The young, tender carrots will cook without scraping, the skin peeling off easily when cooked. Serve with butter, a dash of cayenne and nutmeg and a bit of lemon juice.

Revolt on in Bulgaria.

London, May 28.—A revolutionary outbreak in Bulgaria is reported in a Bucharest dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company by way of Carlsbad. The premier, Alexander Stamboulsky, is said to have fled.

Captain Baker Dead.

Detroit, Mich., May 28.—Capt. Harris William Baker, great lakes sailor and up until seven years ago owner of a fleet of boats operating on the lakes and the Atlantic ocean, died suddenly at his home here.

Seaman Awarded \$40,000 Against Emergency Fleet

Washington, May 28.—Johnny Murphy, an ordinary seaman, obtained a \$40,000 verdict against the Emergency Fleet corporation when he proved he would no longer be able to work at his calling because of flat feet resulting from injury aboard a shipping board vessel.

TWELVE KILLED IN RUHR RIOTS

Reds Win Half of the City of Bochum in Night Attack.

STRIKE SPREADS IN VALLEY

Truckload of German Police Patrolling Dortmund Attacked With Hand Grenades—Twenty Wounded—Mine Strike Spreads.

Dusseldorf, May 28.—Ten are dead and ninety wounded as a result of thirty-six hours of fighting in Bochum, which suspended at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, when the Communists and Syndicalists retired from their positions around the fire brigade quarters to assemble in various halls for the day's meeting.

The Communists are in possession of the entire western end of the city of Bochum. Sixty of their wounded were removed to hospitals.

A truckload of German police patrolling Dortmund was attacked with hand grenades by rioters. Twenty were wounded.

At Herne two were killed and twenty wounded in street fights. Of the dead at Bochum three were Communists and among the wounded are seven citizens and policemen.

Frenzied speakers at the meeting further stirred up the radicals, urging them to attack the Bochum fire station after nightfall. The fighting probably will be resumed.

Thirty-one mines and fifteen metal works employing 6,000 in the Bochum area are closed by the strike, and the employees in a number of other factories in smaller industrial centers decided to walk out.

The walkout is no longer confined to the Ruhr. About 1,000 left work at Hemscheid, in the British area, and dozens of plants in the upper valley have been compelled to close. Two of the largest mines near Hamm also are idle.

Communication to Mulheim and other cities has been cut and there is no report of the situation there.

The Krupp management still controls Essen and there is no disturbance there.

Dusseldorf is without gas, and only the center of the city is supplied with electricity for power and light.

The anti-Bolshevik movement in Lunen resulted in hundreds of workers assisting the blue police, who deported thirty-five agitating radicals.

From Houston to Detroit, Another Army Plane Record

Mount Clemens, Mich., May 27.—It is just a daylight journey from the Gulf of Mexico to Canada, 1,400 miles. Lieut. Harrison G. Crocker of Kelly field, San Antonio, Tex., proved this when without a stop he drove a specially built De Havilland plane from Ellington field at Houston, Tex., to Selfridge field, near here, in 11 hours and 54 minutes.

Seven Persons Killed in Triple Accident at Detroit

Detroit, Mich., May 28.—Seven persons were killed and several injured, two dangerously, when an interurban car bound from Pontiac to Detroit struck a blue touring car in Echo City, Eight miles north of Detroit, early Sunday evening. The dead include four young women and three young men.

Bandits Kidnap Postmaster and Get \$45,000 Payroll

Stanton, Ill., May 28.—After kidnaping Postmaster G. A. Roberts and a postal clerk in the heart of the city and driving them twenty miles in the country, five bandits escaped with a mail pouch containing the \$45,000 payroll of the Mount Olive and Stanton coal mines.

Consumptive Resort Burns; 400 People Are Homeless

Montreal, Que., May 28.—Seventy residences were destroyed, \$250,000 damage done, and 400 people were made homeless by a fire which swept the town of St. Agatha, a consumptive resort in the Laurentian mountains. No lives were lost.



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**KINGSTON**  
The Elgin West Side Sportmen's club team was defeated here Sunday by the Kingston Tigers by a score of 8 to 6. Elgin batteries were Brown and Henning and Kingston Lily and Ball. Scores by innings:  
Kingston 1 2 1 1 1 0 2 0 x-8  
Elgin 1 0 0 0 3 0 2 0-6  
Next Sunday the Tigers play Dundee in the park.  
At the movies Friday evening "Paid Back" and a comedy "Off His Beat".  
The following program was given in the M. E. Church at the commencement exercises Thursday evening:  
March ..... Miss Leona Chellgreen  
Prayer ..... Rev. John Madgen  
Anchored ..... School Chorus  
Address ..... Prof. S. T. Parsons  
Last Night ..... School Chorus  
Presentation of Diplomas ..... Mr. V. Webster Johnson  
America ..... Audience  
Benediction ..... Rev. John Madgen  
A short program was given at the school house Thursday afternoon in honor of the eighth grade graduates after which Mr. V. Webster Johnson presented them with their diplomas. A community school picnic was held in the park here Friday with a large attendance and plenty of good eats at the noon hour. A short program was given about 1:30 after which a ball game Kingston and Malta in which Kingston was victorious 5 to 7. The Malta school also had a picnic in the park the same day.  
The Thimble club will meet June 7 at the home of Mrs. A. W. Sexaner.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bradford and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford and son, Clyde, motored to DeKalb Sunday evening. Mrs. Margaret Ashcraft returned home with them for a week's visit.  
Mrs. D. E. Arbuckle, Philip Arbuckle and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arbuckle and daughter, Margaret, attended the class play in DeKalb Monday night. Miss Helen Harrington, the former's granddaughter is a member of the class of 1923.

Mrs. Nina Moore spent Monday afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Helsdon, at Kirkland.  
Mr. and Mrs. Marion Arbuckle, Mr. and Mrs. Hagarman, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Whitney and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dmeus of Belvidere were callers here Sunday afternoon.  
Miss Nellie Cole returned to her work in Sycamore Monday, having been absent several weeks on account of sickness.  
Peter Medine and son, Ernest, of Sycamore called on relatives here Sunday.  
Miss Esther Branch returned home Monday from attending a national convention of social workers in Washington, D. C.  
Linwood Whitcomb of Chicago spent Thursday night with friends here.  
Miss Clara Baker entertained Miss Irma Self of DeKalb Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohoon of Rockford called on friends here Friday.  
Mrs. D. A. Himman and daughter, Rachael; and Mrs. Benj. Rasmussen of Sandwich attended the school picnic here Friday. Miss Dorothy Himman returned home with them.  
Miss Zada Knappenberger returned to her home in Sycamore Friday after finishing the school term.  
J. S. Harris motored to Chicago Saturday returning home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. May returned home with him for a couple of days' visit.  
Mrs. Allie Lucas spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis at Kirkland.  
S. Rasmussen motored to Rockford Saturday.  
Mrs. Arthur Pelton of Genoa visited relatives here last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Koch and daughter, Beverly, spent Sunday with the former's parents at Hampshire.  
Mrs. C. M. Cooper of Genoa called on friends here Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Swanson entertained the former's brother, John, and

family of Kirkland Sunday.  
Mrs. Cecil Hoffman went to Janesville Friday to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meyers. Lyle Vosburg, Cecil Hoffman and Zada Knappenberger motored there Sunday. Mrs. Hoffman returned home with them.  
Floyd Bassett and William Johnson of Beloit, Wis. spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Elmer Bacon.  
Miss Laura Branch went to Chicago Sunday where she will work during vacation.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, Mrs. John Vosburg and Mrs. M. L. Bickler motored to Belvidere Monday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford and son, Clyde, and Mrs. Margaret Ashcraft motored to Rockford Monday afternoon.  
Mrs. Edith Bell of Elgin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Helsdon.  
Mrs. O. A. Koch and daughter, Beverly, with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Koch motored to Sycamore Monday.  
S. Rasmussen left Sunday for his home at Wellington.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of Herbert were business callers here Friday evening.  
Melvin Eychner of Sycamore spent last week at the Dr. E. C. Burton home.  
James Stuart of Chicago is visiting relatives here.

Attorney Roy Brown and wife of Rockford called at the Dr. E. C. Burton home Sunday.  
G. Winchester has resigned his position from the creamery.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. G. White entertained the former's sister, Mrs. Hungerford, of DeKalb Saturday.  
Mrs. H. Peavey of Rockford visited relatives here Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ort and daughter spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Helsdon at Belvidere.  
Dr. E. C. Burton and H. W. Witter spent Sunday at Pistaka Bay.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller and daughters and Miss Bess Sherman motored to Belvidere Saturday afternoon.  
Delbert Gustavason is driving a new Overland sedan.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ollman and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Rutz near Rockford.  
Mrs. Peter Rosenke and Mrs. Ophelia Burke of Genoa called on friends here Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Campbell of Rockford spent Saturday night and Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Campbell.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ball and twins, Donald and Dorothy, of Poplar Grove visited relatives here Tuesday night and Wednesday.  
The children of both churches are practicing for Children's Day exercises.

Miss Margaret Tazewell returned home Tuesday from DeKalb, where she has been attending the state normal school.  
Several from here went out to the fire on the George Drake farm near Claire, about noon Tuesday. The house was the only building saved. It is thought to have caught from sparks from an engine they were using shredding corn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gieske of Elgin spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with relatives here.  
Mrs. James Loverty of Elgin was a guest at the Ed. Johnson home Tuesday night and Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ball spent Wednesday and Thursday in Chicago.  
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language, yet forceful enough to get beneath the skin of all persons present. He is, beyond a doubt, one of the best orators that has graced a platform in Genoa in years and this will be fully acclaimed by the hundreds who heard his address.  
After the program was concluded, the band favored with a few more pieces and the audience repaired to their several pursuits in life.  
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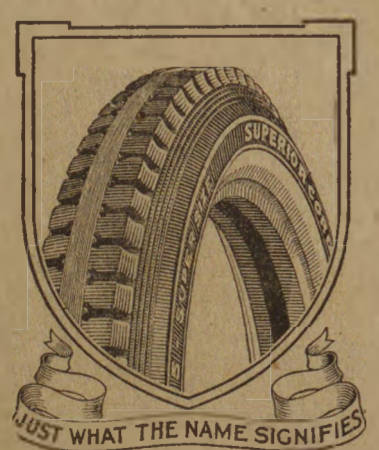
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