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## THE EDITORS MEET

AT BRIGGS HOUSE IN CHICAGO LAST SATURDAY

## THEY ADOPT RESOLUTIONS

Congressman Charles E. Fuller Entertains at Banquet—Eighty Plates—All Republicans, in Fact.

The republican editors of the 12th congressional district met at Briggs House in Chicago last Saturday, immediately after a business session of the DeKalb County Newspaper Mens' Association. The object of the editorial association is peace and harmony within the ranks of the party, and the sum and substance of the business transacted at this session is incorporated in the resolutions which appear below. It was a pleasing fact to note that the newspaper men of the twelfth district are not so excited over the political situation as the press of Chicago and other large cities, where the play is to the galleries, rather than the outcropping of real convictions. At the banquet there were eighty plates and that number of newspaper men and friends. There were several speeches made, Hon. C. E. Fuller opening the discussion of the situation with words that carried conviction. Mr. Fuller wanted it understood by all that he stood as a republican, and not with an adjective before the name either. His words were true in that the republican party has always been the party of progress. Of the fifty editors present not one betrayed any symptoms of "insurgency."

The following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, That we believe the Republican party is entitled to the confidence and support of the American people, and is best fitted to control the affairs of the nation.

"Resolved, That we pledge ourselves to earnestly advocate the election of a Republican President and a Republican Congress.

"Resolved, That we favor scientific revision of the tariff, on accurate information, to be furnished by the board of tariff experts, and we favor the creation of a permanent tariff commission that changes in rates may be made from time to time as conditions may require, without unduly disturbing the business of the country; but we adhere to the traditional Republican policy of protection to all American laborers and American industries and for all productions of firm and factory. The duty on imports should at all times be equal to the difference in the cost of production between this and foreign countries, and should take into consideration the maintenance of the American rate of wages and standard of living.

Resolved, That we endorse and approve the arbitration treaties negotiated by President Taft and urge their ratification by the United States Senate.

"Resolved, That we recognize in President Taft an able, conscientious far-seeing and progressive statesman and a worthy

leader of the best and most progressive elements in our civilization. We favor his renomination and re-election as President.

"Resolved, That we endorse our Congressman, the Hon. Charles E. Fuller, for his loyalty to the principles of the party, his faithful, and conscientious attention to the duties of his office, his allegiance to a protective policy and the cause of labor, his valuable services to the old soldier and the people generally of his district. We believe that at no time has the nation needed the services of such men more than now and that his retention in Congress is of the greatest importance. We therefore commend him to the voters of the district and pledge him our co-operation and support.

"Resolved, That William H. Stead, a resident of the Twelfth congressional district, has served the state of Illinois as Attorney General with conspicuous ability, fidelity and courage, and has reflected honor upon his district and credit upon the public service of the state, and that we unqualifiedly commend the clean, capable and lawyer-like administration of the office of Attorney General by William H. Stead, and further, that we heartily endorse his candidacy for renomination and re-election and pledge it our support.

"Resolved, That we recommend to the various conflicting interests within the Republican party of Illinois that they reconcile their differences through submission to a board of arbitration and conciliation, consisting of the Republican editors of Illinois, convened at Peoria, Ill., for that purpose in the near future, and recommend that such meeting be called by the Illinois Republican Editorial association. This recommendation is made because of the fact that there is no other tribunal to which matters of party interest of this nature can be submitted."

The Editorial association for the Twelfth district comprises the counties of La Salle, Grundy, Kendall, DeKalb, Boone and Winnebago. The officers of the association were re-elected as follows:

President, John Fornoff, Streator Free Press; secretary, George S. Faxon, Kendall County News, Plano; treasurer, Frank T. Moran, Belvidere Republican; executive committee, Fred Sterling, Rockford; H. D. Marshall, Yorkville; F. D. Lowman, Sandwich; W. T. Bedford, La Salle; W. L. Sackett, Morris, and F. M. Sapp, Ottawa.

## FOR THE SCHOOL

Entertainment at the Opera House on the 17th.

Under auspices of the Genoa high school an excellent entertainment will be given at the opera house on Friday evening, Nov. 17. The principal feature will be the humorous and dramatic readings by Miss Estella Geneva Parker. Regarding her work the Niles (Mich.) News says:

"Miss Parker takes short story sketches for her readings and puts such dramatic life into her interpretations that the audience sees and feels the character which she portrays."

Miss Lash, dramatic soprano, will also give several selections. The program is well worth your time and money. It is something really good.

## MARRIED IN CHICAGO

LAWRENCE J. KIERNAN TAKES ELGIN GIRL FOR BRIDE

## AT HOLY NAME CATHEDRAL

Will Visit Niagara Falls and Other Points of Interest Before Making Home in Genoa.

At the Holy Name cathedral in Chicago at high noon on the 8th of November, occurred the marriage of Mr. Lawrence J. Kiernan of this city to Miss Blanche Chapman of Elgin, the double ring ceremony being performed by Rev. Jos. E. Phelen. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. L. E. Carmichael of this city and Miss Mabel Powers of Elgin. The others present were the two sisters of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Retan. The bride and groom will travel about the country for about two weeks, visiting Niagara Falls and other points of interest in the east. They will then return to Genoa and make their home on Emmett street.

The bride is a daughter of the late Marcine Chapman, formerly a resident of Hampshire, and a sister of Mrs. John Berry. Mr. Berry is well known here. She has resided in Elgin several years and during that time has become one of the leaders of society. She is not only a beautiful woman, but is bright and accomplished.

The groom has always resided in Genoa, graduating from the high school in the class of 1908, later attending the Wisconsin State University at Madison, making a special study of mechanical engineering. He is now associated with his father in the big business which the latter has established in Genoa. He has always been industrious and could find more pleasure in working about machinery than in playing about the streets.

## SHEEP ARE KILLED

Interurban Car Runs Into Flock Near Sycamore Sunday.

The interurban car on the south branch of the Woodstock & Sycamore line ran into a flock of sheep near Sycamore last Sunday afternoon, killing about thirty-five of the animals and maiming many more. There were about eleven hundred sheep in the flock, and the only reason that more were not killed is that they were not all on the track at the time. The flock, belonging to Townsend & Foy, was crossing the road at the time of the accident, being bunched together as is the habit of sheep. The gasoline car coming in the distance did not hurry the animals and it seems that the car made no stop to avoid hitting the sheep.

There was a long stretch of clear track before the sheep were struck, the accident being the result of the engineer's failure to look ahead. There were three in the engine cab, but at the time they were all busy about the engine which had been giving some trouble.

## Mix Wins Prizes

The Ira J. Mix Dairy Company came in at a few of the prizes at the National Dairy Show in Chicago last week, capturing the 1st prize cup for the best delivery team and best single rig. Mr. Mix also had five horses in the show which took blue ribbons.

## CHANGE IN TIME CARD

Milwaukee Road Again Arranges for "Convenience" of Patrons

Another change went into effect on the C. M. & St. P. road last Sunday, but it was not made with any intentions of accommodations for the people of Genoa and other towns between Chicago and the river. We now have an early train for Chicago (5:37) if one feels like getting up in the middle of the night to prepare for the trip. There are three other trains passing thru Genoa in the morning at reasonable hours, but they do not stop. The train which passed thru Genoa about noon has been taken off. In returning from Chicago one must leave at 4:20 or remain until 9:50 in the evening. This despite the fact that there are three other trains leaving Chicago at 6:00, 6:05 and 8:30.

Following is the new schedule: East Bound—Leave Genoa at 5:37, 7:13 and 8:48 a. m.; The train which leaves at 7:13 is the milk shake.

West bound—Leave Chicago at 8:15 a. m.; 1:30, 1:55, 4:20, 9:50 p. m.

## High School Notes

The Basket Ball team play their first game at Belvidere Dec. the eighth. They were defeated here last year and if they win this year they will certainly feel encouraged.

The members of the Senior class were delightfully entertained at the home of Miss Blanch Hemenway, Tuesday evening, Oct. 31. The evening was spent in playing games suitable to Halloween. The very atmosphere seemed filled with the weirdness and ghostliness of the occasion. At one o'clock the young people departed declaring that they had a fine time.

The Acme Society gives its first program Friday, November the seventeenth. The entertainment will consist of readings and musical selections. The officers of the society are Merle Evans, President, Blanch Hemenway, vice president, Clayton Brown, Secretary, William Lankton, Sergeant-at-arms. The program committee are Blanch Hemenway, Marion Bagley and Margaret Deardurff.

Mildred Hewitt was an Elgin visitor Sunday.

Edith Reed visited in Dundee Friday.

Alva Sowers spent Sunday in Chicago.

Hazel Harshman, Beth Scott, and Mary Thoworth visited school at New Lebanon Monday.

The subject for discussion at the Parents and Teachers meeting Wednesday was, "The Motion Picture Show."

Sydney Burroughs, one of our Sopomore boys, succeeded in producing the largest amount of corn per acre in the corn contest.

## A True Son of the South.

A statue was unveiled at Sceaux to Clovis Hugues, poet and deputy, says the Paris correspondent of the London Standard. Clovis Hugues was a typical son of the south, and like all Marsellais he believed that the Paris boulevards would be a very fair imitation of the Cannabiere if there were only a bit of sea at the end of the street. One afternoon in Marselles a Parisian ventured to claim some charm for Paris "Absurd," said Clovis Hugues. "Paris cannot compare with Marselles at all. Here, at least, we have the sun." "We have the sun in Paris, too," remarked his friend. "Ah, bah!" said Clovis Hugues; "your sun in Paris is only an old moon which Marselles has no further use for."

## OF GENERAL INTEREST

ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS OF EXCHANGES

## REGARDING U. S. PENSIONS

Elgin Business Man Killed—Mystic Workers will Entertain—Man Put off Electric Car; he Refuses to Pay

The last pensioner of the Revolutionary war, Mrs. Phoebe M. Palmeter, daughter of Jonathan Woolley, who served in a New Hampshire company, died at Brooklyn, N. Y., April 25, 1911, aged 90 years.

The number of soldiers and sailors on the pension roll at the close of the fiscal year was 570,050; dependents and widows 321,642, and army nurses, 406. The average age of survivors is now about 70 years.

The Erie flour mill at Erie, Ill., was destroyed by fire last week with a loss of \$6,000. The mill was erected over 50 years ago and was one of the first flour mills erected in this part of the state. The building was as originally erected but the machinery was all modern.

Mrs. Mulveil of Chicago, who died recently leaving an estate of \$170,000, willed \$2,000 for the care of her horse which she had owned for seventeen years.

An invitation was extended Friday evening, at a meeting of the Mystic Workers in Elgin, to members of that lodge in Northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin to hold their annual picnic in Elgin next summer. The invitation was directed to the Northern Illinois Mystic Workers' Picnic Association.

Moses Solomon, manager of the clothing firm of Plaut and Co., prominent Elgin business man, and Commercial club leader, was instantly killed in an automobile accident at Danville, Ill., Friday afternoon.

Elgin News: Although he claimed to be worth a million dollars and flourished a roll of bills and a check for \$100 to substantiate his assertion, Wm. Flaherty, a Hampshire farm hand last night refused to pay his fare on a Belvidere car and was put off. He was later arrested for being drunk. When searched at the police station he had \$20 in cash and checks—one for \$100 and the other for \$50.

Elgin News:—While her mother and sister were at church across the street from there home, Mrs. Alice M. Cary, 315 Standish street, committed suicide at 11:30 o'clock yesterday forenoon by drinking carbolic acid. Discovered within a few minutes after taking poison, she died before medical aid arrived.

The price of butter was declared firm at 32 cents on the Elgin board of trade Monday afternoon an increase of one cent over last week's price.

Adolph Danrose, of South Elgin, employed as farmhand on the Frank Hopp farm, lost his arm at the elbow when a glove he was wearing caught in the cogs of a corn shredder. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital in Elgin for amputation of the member.

Dr. Thompson, Graduate of the American School of Osteopathy Kirksville, Mo., will be at the Eureka Hotel, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, mornings from 8 to 12 o'clock. 5-1f

Read Lemcke's ad.

## NO LIMIT TO SALOONS

Ordinances to that Effect are not Valid says Judge Carnes

Judge Duane J. Carnes on Saturday held that the ordinance in the city of Aurora limiting the number of saloons was invalid and also that the ordinance allowing liquor licenses to be paid in semi-annual installments was invalid.

These rulings were given in the circuit court in connection with the hearing of the writ of mandamus sought by Hugh Currie against the city of Aurora. Currie sought a license. The city refused to grant it.

Following Judge Carnes' decision the city took an appellate court appeal.

Officials of many cities are watching the case with interest, as they have illegally limited saloons according to the ruling of Judge Carnes and also allow the license fee to be paid in semi-annual installments.

## W. C. T. U. Notes

The W. C. T. U. meeting held at the home of Mrs. Alfred Buck last week was very interesting. A program on the Francis E. Willard National Temperance Hospital, conducted by Mrs. Rowe showed that one could be treated and cured without the use of alcohol. The object of this institution is to provide medical and surgical care for the sick without the use of alcohol. It was organized in 1884 and has demonstrated beyond a doubt that a greater percent of its patients recover than those who are treated with alcohol. Arrangements were made to send a box of canned fruit and other supplies which they ask for to help care for those who are not able to pay for the service they receive. One hundred sixty four patients were treated last year. Any one willing to give anything towards the box in caring for the sick please leave at Mrs. Carb's as soon as possible as we want to send a box next week. If Mrs. Carb is not home a box will be on the front porch in which the articles can be put. Old linen, woolens, napkins or bedding will be accepted.

The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ida Kellogg on Thursday, November the 16th, at 2:30 p. m. A good attendance is desired. A program on some line of the work will be given.

## Talk on Socialism

Miss Esther Edelson will lecture on socialism at Odd Fellow's hall on Wednesday evening, Nov. 15. Miss Edelson is considered the bravest girl orator of the socialist platform, being able to hold her audience for most any length of time. A Peoria paper states that she held 2000 people for two hours at a street meeting in that city.

## Without Regard to Expense.

After a week in the country, up in Montgomery county, a prominent lawyer returned to town determined to stay here during the summer. But before coming home he had the satisfaction of telling the keeper of the "real old country boarding farmhouse" just what he thought of things.

"There is one thing on your table," said the lawyer, "which is not to be excelled by the best hotels of New York or Philadelphia."

"What is it?" asked the farmer. "The salt," answered the attorney with a fine display of biting sarcasm. "Well, I'm glad ye liked it," returned the farmer. "It's the best Jimson's keep, an' I ain't pertlecker about the price."—Philadelphia Times

## PRODUCERS OF MILK

KANE COUNTY RANKS SECOND IN ILLINOIS

## McHENRY COUNTY IN LEAD

St. Lawrence County, New York, Greatest Producing Section in the United States

Kane county is the second milk-producing county in Illinois and the fourth in the United States, with 24,244,532 gallons. The significance of these figures will be more fully appreciated when it is realized that according to the 1900 census there were only eight counties in the whole United States where the sales were in excess of 20,000,000 gallons, according to a bulletin issued by the department of agriculture.

McHenry county is the third largest milk-producing county in the United States, being credited in the census of 1900 with sales of 29,194,198 gallons. It is exceeded only by St. Lawrence and Orange counties, N. Y. with sales of 39,795,642 and 29,617,072 gallons respectively.

A clean bill of health is given to Chicago's milk supply in the bulletin of the department of agriculture just issued. Improved conditions are commented on freely. The report shows that the amount of milk being consumed daily in Chicago is approximately 1,000,000 quarts a day. In discussing the source of Chicago's milk supply the report says:

Most of the milk supply of Chicago is produced within 60 miles of the city and a 100-mile circle about the city would include nearly all the dairies producing its supply, though in times of exceptional scarcity in the summer sweet cream is shipped 200 miles. The production of Chicago's milk within such a short distance of the city is in marked contrast with conditions in Boston and New York.

Greater Boston has a population only one-third that of Chicago, but most of its milk supply is produced outside of a 50 mile circle, and some milk cars start 209 miles from the city. New York City, with 1,000,000 more population than Chicago, receives practically no milk from within 50 miles, and some of its supply comes from points as far away as 400 miles.

The Chicago milk supply is chiefly produced in 24 counties, of which 11 are in Illinois, 8 in Indiana, and 5 in Wisconsin. Occasionally a little milk comes from Michigan. Fully three-fourths of the total supply is produced in Illinois.

## Criminal, Not Commercial.

Judge A. A. Adams of the Indiana Appellate court, says the Indianapolis Star, tells a story of a man who was a good horse trader, but, through lack of a mathematical education, was unable to determine his per cent of profit. "This man," relates Judge Adams, "made a good trade, and he was anxious to know his real per cent of profit, so he consulted a school teacher. 'I bought a horse the other day for \$25 and sold it for \$175; now, what was my per cent of profit?' he asked the teacher. 'That,' replied the teacher, 'was not profit; it was larceny.'"

## Dr. L. G. Hemenway

Physician and Surgeon  
Hours: 7:30 to 9:00 a. m.  
Office and residence in E. C. Crawford house, Genoa street 2nd house south of Main. Phone 185

## Genoa Camp No. 163

M. W. A.  
Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month.  
Visiting neighbors welcome  
B. C. Awe, V. C. E. H. Browne, Clerk

## A. M. Hill, M. D.

Office over Martin's jewelry store.  
Hours: 12:30 to 2 p. m.  
6:30 to 8 p. m.  
Residence on East Main St. Calls promptly attended to day or night

## GENOA LODGE NO. 288

A. F. & A. M.  
Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month  
Jas. Hutchison, Jr., W. M.  
C. D. Schoonmaker, Secy.

## GENOA LODGE No. 768

I. O. O. F.  
Meets every Monday evening in Odd Fellow Hall,  
E. C. Ober, N. G. G. W. Sowers, Sec.

## EVALINE LODGE

No. 44  
Meets 4th Tuesday of each month in I. O. O. F. Hall  
C. H. Altenberg, Precinct  
Fannie M. Heed, Secy

## DENTIST

Hours: 8:30 to 12:00 a. m.  
1:00 to 5:00 p. m.  
Office in Exchange Bank Building  
C. A. Patterson

## Dr. E. A. Robinson

Physician and Surgeon.  
Hours: 10:00 to 12:00 a. m.  
1:00 to 3:00 p. m.  
Office and residence cor. Monroe & 1st Sts. Calls promptly attended.

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and we will teach you Gregg short hand and secure you a position.  
If we fail to do so WE WILL  
Pay You \$50.00  
ELLIS BUSINESS COLLEGE, Elgin

ARE THE STARS FADING?

The opening of the present theatrical season is accompanied by the proclamation of a new principle. For 20 years or more the star has been the idol of the public and the god of managers.

Grindell Matthews, a young English engineer, is believed by his friends to be on the verge of giving to the world a wireless telephone with which conversations may be carried on across the Atlantic.

The New York populace is apt to smile with pitying superiority when it hears a Cockney drop his "b's." It forgets that it is equally culpable in regard to another letter of the alphabet, "r."

When a man holds up his fellow man at the point of a gun and relieves him of his belongings, it is called highway robbery.

When a man sues a girl for the money he spent in courting her, it behooves the girl to enter a counter suit for the gas that was burned during the sessions in the parlor.

An Ohio man fainted after he had played a piano continuously for twenty-seven hours. We haven't heard what happened to the people who were compelled to listen.

A Chicago man jumped from the third story of a burning hotel, but the kind that jump a bill on the first floor in the silent night are the kind the hotelkeepers don't like.

One of the esteemed missionaries tells us that China will one day dominate the world. Think, brethren, of being forced to eat all one's meals in a Chinese restaurant!

A telephone girl in Portugal gave warning of a royalist attack and quelled a revolt, proving herself a first-class information operator.

The freshman and sophomore medals are rather rough in their rushes, but after they graduate they will mutilate with more finesse.

Chasing a monoplane with automobiles is a merry sport at which not even the fairy tales of our childhood hinted.

A Boston clergyman advocates the teaching of love-making in the schools. That's where it begins, usually.

U. S. AID IS ASKED

TURKEY FORMALLY DEMANDS THAT UNITED STATES STOP ITALIAN HORDE.

MATTER IS NOW UP TO KNOX

Roman Soldiers Are Accused of Transgressing the Most Elementary Laws of Humanity—Atrocities in Tripoli Officially Confirmed.

Washington, Nov. 6.—The so-called Italian barbarities in Tripoli finally have been brought officially to the attention of the American government in such form that some declaration of the position of the state department in the matter now is expected.

The subject was broached first in the course of a verbal statement by the Turkish ambassador to Acting Secretary Adee, and later in the shape of a letter. In each case the ambassador, who declared he was acting by express cabled instructions from his government, described in detail the acts attributed to the Italian troops, and protested in the name of humanity against the alleged barbarities inflicted upon helpless women and children and noncombatants by the infuriated Italian soldiery.

Appeals to United States. By order of the government the ambassador appealed to the United States to exert itself to put a stop to practices that, he declared, were in plain violation of the rules of warfare in contravention of The Hague convention, to which the United States and Italy are parties.

The ambassador's note was based upon a cablegram from the Turkish minister of foreign affairs.

Supplementing this cable came another from the Turkish foreign office, which was also transmitted to the state department. This is regarded as of great importance, because it formally demands intervention by the United States. It reads as follows:

"The Italian atrocities in Tripoli being confirmed officially and from every quarter, I beg your excellency to reiterate the representations prescribed in my pressing telegram to insist upon the necessity of prompt and efficacious intervention, in order to put an end immediately to these inhuman proceedings."

Eye-Witnesses Confirm Brutalities. Malta, Nov. 6.—Steamer passengers arriving from Tripoli describe the situation there as a reign of terror. Strong military patrols are continually conducting rigorous house to house searches, and on the smallest pretense summary punishment is meted out.

An order forbidding anyone to be out before six o'clock in the morning or after six o'clock in the evening has been strictly enforced. The Italian soldiers appear to have unlimited power, and the passengers say, were shooting down man, woman or child who disobeyed the order. The passengers also confirm the stories of the brutality displayed by the Italians in their treatment of the Arabs.

CANAL COMMITTEE IS BACK

Members of Congress Who Visited Panama Declare Big Ditch Will Open in 1913.

New York, Nov. 8.—All but two members of the congressional committee that went to the Isthmus of Panama last month returned satisfied that President Taft's prediction would be fulfilled, and that the canal would be finished and open for business by 1913.

The party that arrived from Cristobal on the steamer Ancon included Senators Brandegee, Connecticut, chairman of the interoceanic canals committee; Bristow of Kansas, Cummins of Iowa, Pare of Vermont and Overman of North Carolina and Representative Higgins of Connecticut.

CRISIS REACHED IN PERSIA

Russia Presents Ultimatum and Government at Teheran Refuses to Comply.

Teheran, Persia, Nov. 7.—The Russian minister presented an ultimatum to the Persian government setting forth that unless the Persian minister of foreign affairs apologized for the alleged insult to the Russian vice-consul, M. Petroff, on the occasion of the seizure of the property of Shnaes-Sultaneh, removed the Persian gendarmes, formerly there, Russia would occupy the provinces of Ghilan and Mazanderan, in the north of Persia, bordering on the Caspian sea. The government has decided not to comply with the Russian demand.

Lorimer Quiz Nears End

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Prospects of completing the Chicago end of the Lorimer inquiry by the end of next week at the latest were held out to the senators on the committee. It will then be resumed in Washington next month.

Boston Hotels Bar Bible

Boston, Nov. 7.—Managers of three large Boston hotels have refused to allow the Cideons, an organization of traveling men, which seeks to donate a Bible to every hotel room in the country, to place Bibles in their hostleries.

ADVANTAGE OF THE 'BUY 'EM EARLY' HABIT



FOSS IS RE-ELECTED

MASSACHUSETTS RETURNS DEMOCRATIC GOVERNOR BUT BALANCE OF TICKET DEFEATED.

NEW YORK GOES REPUBLICAN

Has Majority in Legislature—G. O. P. Wins in Maryland and Rhode Island—Democrats Carry Kentucky—New Mexico in Doubt.

Boston, Nov. 8.—Gov. Eugene N. Foss, Democrat, has been elected over his Republican opponent, Louis A. Frothingham, at present lieutenant governor, by about 10,000 votes. The Republicans elected the rest of the state ticket, with the possible exception of Robert E. Luce, candidate for lieutenant governor.

Boston gave Governor Foss a majority of about 22,000, but he lost heavily in the manufacturing cities. Outside Boston he made heavy gains in the farming districts in the western part of the state.

Republicans Carry New York. New York, Nov. 8.—The Tammany ticket has apparently carried New York county by 4,000 majority, while the state assembly, which had a clear Tammany majority of 22 at its last session will be overwhelmingly Republican and fusion.

In Kings county all the fusion candidates were elected. Returns from the state indicate that the next assembly will contain 85 Republicans and fusionists as against 65 Democrats, an anti-Tammany working majority of 20. In the last assembly Tammany had a majority of 22.

Schenectady, N. Y., Nov. 8.—For the first time in the history of New York state Socialists have a city. Rev. Dr. George Lunn, Socialist candidate for mayor, was elected by 2,049 votes, two-thirds of the votes polled. The common council, now Democratic, will be Socialist by a majority of at least two aldermen and the board of supervisors, now Republican, is also likely to be Socialist.

Cleveland is Democratic. Cleveland, O., Nov. 8.—By an overwhelming vote the city of Cleveland again swung back into the Democratic column after two years of a Republican mayor and Newton D. Baker was elected mayor by a plurality that may be anywhere from 10,000 to 20,000.

Baker, who is a young lawyer, is a protégé of the late Tom L. Johnson and was with him in all his fight for three-cent fare.

Cincinnati Goes Democratic. Cincinnati, Nov. 8.—Henry T. Hunt, Democratic candidate for mayor, was elected by a substantial majority over Dr. Louis Schwab, his Republican opponent.

Columbus elected George Korb, a Democrat, for mayor. Gorman Defeated in Maryland. Baltimore, Nov. 8.—Returns and estimates from the several wards of this city and from the counties indicate that Hon. Phillip Lee Goldsborough, Republican, is elected governor of Maryland by at least 5,000 majority and probably by a larger majority.

Democrats Win in Kentucky. Louisville, Ky., Nov. 8.—The Democrats have carried Kentucky by an old-fashioned majority which promises to be one of the largest in the history of the state. James B. McCreary was elected governor.

The Democrats will have a big majority in the legislature. Chicago Ticket Is Split. Chicago, Nov. 8.—Returns from the judicial election in Cook county indicate that six Democrats and five Republicans have been elected.

Pothier Is Re-Elected. Providence, R. I., Nov. 8.—Returns for governor from 74 out of 184 districts in the state outside of Providence give: Pothier, Republican, 13,527; Waterman, Democrat, 9,357. Pothier's election is conceded by his opponents.

Earl Wins in Philadelphia. Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—George H. Earle, Republican, is elected mayor over Rudolph Blankenburg, Reform party, by a plurality estimated at between 3,000 and 5,000.

The reformers, however, hold that the official count will show they have won. Democrats Beat Socialists. Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 8.—Beard, Democrat, is re-elected mayor by a large plurality over Stuart, Socialist.

Democrats Gain Congressman. Iola, Kan., Nov. 8.—Joseph A. Taggart, Democrat, was elected to congress in the Second Kansas district over Ulysses S. Guyer, Republican, by a majority of 2,100.

RODGERS FLIES TO COAST

Lands at Pasadena, Ca., and Finishes Greatest Feat in World's Aviation History.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 6.—The continent has been crossed in an airplane. Calbraith P. Rodgers in his Wright Vin Fiz flyer landed at Pasadena, completing the most marvelous feat of aviation in history.

Although Rodgers has been forty-nine days making the record-breaking flight, his actual flying time was but a little more than 100 hours, but a few hours less than the running time of the fastest trans-continental trains.

During his trans-continental flight Rodgers landed in or passed through ten states and flew approximately 2,534 miles. He has met with eleven accidents, and his machine was wrecked seven times.

Rodgers started from the race track at Sheephead Bay, New York, at 4:25 p. m. Sunday, September 17.

KILLS HIS BABES AND SELF

Man Jealous of Divorced Wife Shoots Two Daughters and Then Commits Suicide.

Boston, Nov. 6.—Jealousy over his former wife, who had divorced him, and an obsession that by death he could bring happiness to himself and his two children, led Ludwig E. Jaeger to commit double murder and suicide.

Jaeger, who is supposed to have been at one time connected with the office of the Italian consul in Chicago, shot his daughters, Olive, four years old, and Anita, five years old, on the beach at Winthrop and then turned the revolver against himself. All three died.

RISK CHIEF IS ARRESTED

H. M. Coudrey, Former Congressman, Taken in New York on Fraud Charge.

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Atlantic City, N. J., Nov. 6.—Leon Mandel of Chicago, president of Mandel Brothers, one of the largest dry goods establishments in the west, died here from neuritis. He had been ill several months and came here a month ago in search of health. He was born in Kerzenheim, Germany, September 10, 1841. He came to this country a penniless lad in 1852 and became one of the country's most successful merchants.

DECREE AIMED AT ROOSEVELT

Colombia Official Declares Former President "Soul of Conspiracy" Leading to Secession.

New Orleans, Nov. 6.—Copy of an official decree accredited to Jorge Willis Pradilla, director general of public instruction of the department of Boyaca, Colombia, has been received here. It declares that former President Roosevelt "was the soul of the conspiracy" that resulted in the secession of Panama from Colombia and asserts that leaders of the secession were "suborned by Yankee gold."

California Orange Delayed

San Bernardino, Cal., Nov. 7.—Because the artificial coloring of oranges no longer is permitted by the bureau of food and drug inspection eastern tables this Thanksgiving will be without oranges, so far as southern California is concerned. According to prominent orange shippers, the crop will be from two to four weeks late because of the order.

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RODGERS FLIES TO COAST

Lands at Pasadena, Ca., and Finishes Greatest Feat in World's Aviation History.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 6.—The continent has been crossed in an airplane. Calbraith P. Rodgers in his Wright Vin Fiz flyer landed at Pasadena, completing the most marvelous feat of aviation in history.

Although Rodgers has been forty-nine days making the record-breaking flight, his actual flying time was but a little more than 100 hours, but a few hours less than the running time of the fastest trans-continental trains.

During his trans-continental flight Rodgers landed in or passed through ten states and flew approximately 2,534 miles. He has met with eleven accidents, and his machine was wrecked seven times.

Rodgers started from the race track at Sheephead Bay, New York, at 4:25 p. m. Sunday, September 17.

KILLS HIS BABES AND SELF

Man Jealous of Divorced Wife Shoots Two Daughters and Then Commits Suicide.

Boston, Nov. 6.—Jealousy over his former wife, who had divorced him, and an obsession that by death he could bring happiness to himself and his two children, led Ludwig E. Jaeger to commit double murder and suicide.

Jaeger, who is supposed to have been at one time connected with the office of the Italian consul in Chicago, shot his daughters, Olive, four years old, and Anita, five years old, on the beach at Winthrop and then turned the revolver against himself. All three died.

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YOUNG MAN'S BODY EXHUMED

Fiancee of Frank Brimmerkamp Swears His Death Resulted From Drug Given Him by Mother Accused of Policeman's Murder.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Formally charged with the murder of Policeman Arthur Bissonette, Mrs. Louise Vermilya was given a bedside hearing by Municipal Judge Walker and later conveyed to the county jail hospital by authority of a mittimus issued by Judge Walker. She will be given a further hearing November 28.

Coinciding with this action Assistant State's Attorney Burnham declared that Mrs. Vermilya "and others" will in all probability be indicted for murder when the grand jury convenes next Monday, or as accessories to murder.

Accused of Poisoning Son. Simultaneous with this statement, Coroner Hoffman made public an astounding affidavit signed by Miss Elizabeth Nolan, former fiancée of Frank Brimmerkamp, Mrs. Vermilya's son, in which she declares that Frank believed he was being poisoned by his mother and that he suspected his father died as the result of poisoning.

Miss Nolan also mentions the name of Undertaker Charles C. Boyesen and declares that Mrs. Vermilya named him as having paid the premiums on certain life insurance policies. Coroner Hoffman exhumed the body of Frank Brimmerkamp and placed the viscera in the hands of Prof. Walter Haines for analysis.

The viscera of Richard T. Smith, who also died in Mrs. Vermilya's house after a short, violent and mysterious illness, is already in the hands of Professor Haines.

Many Volunteer New Information. One witness after another has voluntarily gone before the city and county authorities and volunteered information bearing on the case, so that the mysterious death of Policeman Bissonette has led to an avalanche of information and evidence which presages the most astounding criminal case in modern annals.

Physicians in attendance on Mrs. Vermilya declared her condition so much improved from the effects of arsenic, self administered, that she could safely be conveyed to the county jail hospital, and displaying the same cool demeanor that has characterized her throughout the investigation, she was taken there and formally committed on the charge of murder.

Arthur Bissonette, Sr., father of the dead policeman, told the police of having visited Mrs. Vermilya's home the day before his son was removed to Mercy hospital, where he died the following day.

Victim's Father Eats; Made Ill. "Mrs. Vermilya gave me ham and eggs for breakfast," said he, "and I used pepper on them. Shortly afterward I was stricken with pains in my stomach and they have not entirely left me yet."

"My son, Archie, accompanied me; Mrs. Vermilya gave him a drink of whisky and he also was stricken with pains in his stomach, the cause of which we could not determine."

NOLLE PROSSE BRIBE CHARGE

St. Louis Millionaire, for Ten Years Fugitive From Justice, Is Freed From Prosecution.

St. Louis, Nov. 7.—Ellis Wainwright, the millionaire brewer, who for ten years was a fugitive from justice on account of an indictment for alleged bribery in connection with the St. Louis and Suburban franchise deal, was freed from prosecution when Circuit Attorney Jones entered a nolle prosequi in circuit court.

The disposition of the Wainwright case ends with one exception, the famous boodle trials inaugurated by former Circuit Attorney Joseph W. Folk.

I. C. STRIKERS PUT IN JAIL

Two Charged With Being Implicated in a New Orleans Shooting.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 7.—John Lacy and John Dahner, said to be Illinois Central strikers, are under arrest here charged with being implicated in the shooting of Nicholas Jung, a United States deputy marshal, and a man named Lanckenbauer, October 5, near the Illinois Central freight sheds.

Both pleaded not guilty before the commissioner, and were sent to jail in default of \$5,000 bonds each. Lanckenbauer is still in the hospital.

SUGAR TAKES ANOTHER DROP

Price of Refined Article Is Cut Ten Points at New York—Third Recent Decline.

New York, Nov. 7.—The price of refined sugar was marked down another ten points in the local market, making the third decline recently reported.

Fine granulated sugar is now quoted at 6.40 cents a pound in the wholesale market, whereas at the height of the recent bull movement some of the refiners were asking 7 1/2 cents.

SHE SUFFERED FIVE YEARS

Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Erie, Pa.—"I suffered for five years from female troubles and at last was almost helpless. I went to three doctors and they did me no good, so my sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and when I had taken only two bottles I could see a big change, so I took six bottles and I am now strong and well again. I don't know how to express my thanks for the good it has done me and I hope all suffering women will give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It was worth its weight in gold."—Mrs. J. P. ENDLICH, E. F. D. No. 7, Erie, Pa.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., from women who have been cured from almost every form of female complaint, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration. Every suffering woman owes it to herself to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you want special advice write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for it. It is free and always helpful.

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Gentle Willie—Does that bull terrier of yours ever bite?

Mrs. Subbubs—No, he generally swallows everything whole.

RED.

It's the Red Blood Corpuscles That Proper Food Makes.

An Ohio woman says Grape-Nuts food gave her good red blood and restored the roses of youth to a complexion that had been muddy and blotchy. She says: "For 10 years I had stomach trouble which produced a breaking out on my face. The doctors gave it a long Latin name, but their medicines failed to cure it. Along with this I had frequent headaches, nervousness and usually pain in my stomach after meals."

"I got disgusted with the drugs, stopped them and coffee off short, and quit eating everything but fruit and Grape-Nuts, with Postum for my table beverage."

"The headache, stomach trouble, and nervous weakness disappeared almost like magic, which showed that when the cause was removed and good food and drink used nature was ready to help."

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"I recommended Grape-Nuts and Postum to one of my friends, who was afflicted as I had been. She followed my advice and in a short time was restored to complete health and in about 8 months her weight increased from 100 to 148 pounds."

"Our doctor, observing the effect of Grape-Nuts and Postum in our cases, declared, the other day, that he would hereafter prescribe these food products for gastritis." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Read the little book, "The Road to Well-being," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

# The BRONZE BELL

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## SYNOPSIS.

David Amber, starting for a duck-hunting visit with his friend, Quain, comes upon a young lady equestrian who has been dismounted by her horse becoming frightened at the sudden appearance in the road of a burly Hindu. He declares he is Behar Lal, and that the appointed mouthpiece of the Bell, addresses Amber as a man of high rank and pressing a mysterious little bronze box, "The Token," into his hand, disappears in the wood. The girl calls Amber by name. He in turn addresses her as Miss Sophie Farrell, daughter of Col. Farrell of the British diplomatic service in India and Quain home is burglarized and the hunting on an island and become lost and Amber is left marooned. He wanders alone, finally reaches a cabin and recognized Rutton, whom he last met in England, and who appears to be hiding. When Miss Farrell is mentioned Rutton is strangely agitated. Chatterji appears and summons Rutton to a meeting of a mysterious body. Rutton releases a revolver and dashes after Chatterji. He returns wildly excited, says he has killed the Hindu, takes poison and when dying asks Amber to go to India on a mysterious errand. Amber decides to leave at once for India. On the way he sends a letter to Mr. Labertouche, a scientific friend in Calcutta, by a quicker route. Upon arriving he finds a note awaiting him. It directs Amber to meet his friend at a certain place. The Hindu who he knows his mission is to get Miss Farrell out of the country. Amber attempts to dispose of the Token to a money-lender, is mistaken for Rutton and barely escapes being mobbed. A message from Labertouche causes him to start for Darjeeling; on the way he meets Miss Farrell, and at their journey's end asks her to become his wife. A Hindu conducts Amber to a secret place, and in the presence of a beautiful woman who mistakes him for Rutton. Later Amber is dragged into a Hindu plot to rebel, and at Labertouche's instigation Amber returns to the woman Naraini to discover the secret of the conspiracy. He learns they would make him their king.

## CHAPTER XVIII. (Continued.)

Again he failed to answer. Some-where near him he heard a slight noise as of a man moving impatiently; and then a whisper: "Respond, thou fool!"

"Art thou come, O chosen of the Gateway?" the bell-voice rang.

"I . . . I am come," Amber managed to reply.

"Hear ye!" rang the bell. "Hear ye, O lords and rulers in Medhyamal O children of my Gateway, hear ye well! He is come! He stands upon the threshold of the Gateway."

A great drum roared like the crack of doom; and Amber's jaw dropped. For in the high roof of the temple a six-foot slab had been noiselessly withdrawn, and through it a cold shaft of moonlight fell, cutting the gloom like a gigantic rapier, and smote with its immaculate radiance the true Gateway of Swords.

Not six paces from him it leaped out of the darkness in an iridescent sheen; an arch a scant ten feet in height, and in span double the width of a big man's shoulders, woven across like a weaver's frame with ribbons of pale fire. But the ribbons were of steel—steel blades, sharp, bright, gleaming. With their pommels cunningly affixed so that their points touched and interlaced, yet swung free, they lined the piers of the arch from base to span and all the graceful sweep of the intrados, a curtain of shimmering, trembling steel, barring the way to the mystery beyond. Which was—darkness.

"O ye swords!" belled the voice. "O ye swords that have known no dishonor! O ye swords that have sung in the grasp of my greatest! Swords of Jehangir, Akbar, Alamgir! Swords of Alludin, Humayun, Shah Jehan! Swords of Timur-Leng, Arungzeb, Rao Rutton!"

The invocation seemed interminable. Amber recognized almost every name noted in the annals and legends of Hindustan.

"Hearken, O my swords! He, thy chosen, prayeth for entry! What is thy welcome?"

One by one the blades began to shiver, clashing their neighbors, until the curtain of steel glimmered and glistened like phosphorescence in a summer sea, and the place was filled with the music of their contact; and through their clamor boomed the bell:

"O my chosen!" Amber started and held himself firmly in hand. "Look well, look well! Here is thy portal to kingship and glory!"

He frowned and took a step forward as if he would throw himself through the archway; for he had suddenly remembered with compelling vividness that Sophia Farrell was to be won only by that passage. But as he moved the swords clattered afresh and swung onwards, presenting a bristle of points. And he stopped, while the voice, indifferent and remote as always, continued to harangue him.

"If thy heart, O my chosen, be clean, unswayed with fear and guile; if thy faith be the faith of thy fathers and thy honor rooted in love of thy land; if thou hast faith in the strength of thy hands to hold the reins of empire enter, having no fear."

"Trick-wer!" he told himself. He set his teeth, with determination. "Hope they don't see it to cut me to pieces on suspicion. Here goes!" He moved forward with a firm step until his bosom all but touched the points. Instantaneously, with another clash as of cymbals, the blades were deflected and returned to their first position, closing the way. He hesitated. Then, "That shalt stop me!" he said through his teeth, and pushed forward, heart in mouth. He breasted the curtain and felt it give; the blades yield-

ed jealously, closing round his body like cold, caressing arms; he felt their chill kisses on his cheeks and hands, even through his clothing he was conscious of their clinging, deadly touch. Abruptly they swung entirely free, leaving the entrance clear, and he was drawing a free breath when the moon glare showed him the swords returned to position, with the speed of light. He jumped for his life and escaped being slashed to pieces by the barest inch. They swung to behind him; and again the drum roared, while afar there arose a furious, eddying walling of conches. Overhead the opening disappeared and the light was shut out. In darkness as of the Hall of Eblis the conches were stilled and the echoes ebbed into a silence that held away for many minutes ere again the bell spoke.

"Stretch forth thy hand." Somewhat shaken, Amber held out an open palm before him. Then out of nothingness something plopped into Amber's hand and his fingers closed convulsively about it. It was a hand, very small, small as a child's, gnarled and hard as steel and cold as ice.

Without any forewarning two heavy hands gripped him, one on either shoulder, and he was forced to his knees. At the same instant, with a snapping crackle a spurt of blue flame shot down from the zenith, and there it fell with a thunderclap and dazzling glare of emerald light shot up breast-high.

To his half-blinded eyes it seemed, for a time, to dance suspended in the air before him. A vapor swirled up from it, a thin cloud, luminous. By degrees he made out its source, a small, brazen bowl on a tripod.

In front of him he could see nothing beyond the noiselessly wavering flame. But presently a hand appeared, as if by magic, above the bowl—a hand, bony, brown and long of finger, that seemed attached to nothing—and cast something like a powder into the fire. There followed a fizz and puff of vapor, and a strong and heavy gust of incense was wafted into Amber's face. Again and again the hand appeared, sprinkling powder in the brazier, until the smoke clouded the atmosphere with its fluent, eddying coils.

The gooseflesh that had prickled out on Amber's skin subsided, and his quails went with it. "Greek fire burning in the bowl," he explained the phenomenon; "and a native with his arm wrapped to the wrist in black is feeding it. Not a bad effect, though."

It was, perhaps, as well that he had not been deceived, for there was a horror to come that required all his strength to face. He became conscious that something was moving between him and the brazier—something which he had incuriously assumed to be a piece of dirty cloth left there carelessly. But now he saw it stir, squirm, and unpeel, unfolding itself and lifting its head to the leaping flame; an immense cobra, sleek and white as ivory, its swelling hood as large as a man's two hands, with a binocular mark on it as yellow as topaz and with vicious eyes glowing like twin rubies in its vile little head.

Amber's breath clicked in his throat and he shrank back, rising; but this instinctive move had been provided against and before his knees were fairly off the rocky floor he was forced down again by the hands on his shoulders. He was unable to take his eyes from the monster, and though terror such as man is heir to lay cold upon his heart, he did not again attempt to stir.

There was no sound. Alone and undisturbed the bleached viper warmed to its dance with the pulsing flame, turning and twisting, weaving and writhing in its infernal glare.

"Hear ye, O my peoples!" Amber jumped. The voice had seemed to ring out from a point directly overhead.

He looked up and discovered above him, vague in the obscurity, the outlines of a gigantic bell, hanging motionless. The green glare, shining on its rim and partly illuminating its empty hollow (he saw no clapper) revealed the sheen of bronze of which it was fashioned.

Out of its immense bowl, the voice rolled like thunder:

"Hear ye, O my peoples!" A responsive murmur ascended from the company round the walls:

"We hear! We hear, O Medhyama!" "Mark well this man, O children of my Gateway. Mark well! Out of ye all I have chosen him to lead thee in the work of healing; for I thy mother, I Medhyama, I Bharata, I the body from which ye are sprung, call me by whatever name ye know me—I am laid low with a great sickness. . . . Yes, I am stricken and laid low with a sickness."

In the brazier the flame leaped high and subsided, and with it the cobra leaped and sank low upon its coils. "I, thine old mother, have called ye together to help in my healing. From my feet to my head I am eaten with pestilence; yea, I am devoured and possessed by the evil. Even of old was it thus with thy mother; long since she complained of the Plague that is Scarlet—moaned and cried out and turned in her misery. . . . But ye failed me. Then my peoples were weaklings and their hearts all were

craven; the Scarlet Evil dismayed them; they fled from its power and left it to batten on me in my sickness."

A deep groan welled in uncounted throats and resounded through the cavern.

"Will ye fail me again, O my children?" "Nay, nay, O our mother!"

"Too long have I suffered and been patient in silence. Now I must be cleansed and made whole as of old time; yea, I must be purged altogether and the evil cast out from me. It is time. . . . Ye have heard, ye have answered; make ready for the day of the cleansing approacheth. Whet thy swords for the days of the healing; for my cleansing can be but by steel. Yea, thy swords shall do away with the evil, and the land shall run red with the blood of Bharata, the blood of thy mother; it shall run to the sea as a river, bearing with it the Red Evil. So and no otherwise shall I, thine old mother, be healed and made whole again."

Amber was watching the serpent—dazed and weary as if with a great need of sleep. Even the salvos of shouts came to him as from a great distance. To the clangor of the bell alone he had become abnormally sensitive; every fiber of his being shuddered, responsive to its weird nuances.

It returned to its solemn and stately intoning.

"Out of ye all have I chosen and fixed upon one who shall lead ye. Through his shall my strength be made manifest, my will be made known to my peoples. His must ye serve and obey; to him must ye bow down and be humble. Say, are ye pleased? Will ye have him, my children?"

Without an instant's delay a cry of ratification rang to the roof. "Yea, O our mother! him we will serve and obey, to him bow down and be humble."

The voice addressed itself directly to the kneeling man. He stiffened and roared:

"Thou hast heard of the honor we confer upon thee—I Medhyama, thy

The suspense grew intolerable.

"Hast thou judged him, O death?" Instantly the white cobra reared up to its utmost and remained poised over Amber, barely moving save for the almost imperceptible throbbing of the hood and the incessant darting of the forked tongue.

"If he be loyal, then spare him." The hood did not move. Amber's flesh crawled with unspeakable dread. "If he be faithless, then . . . strike!"

For another moment the cobra maintained the tenacity. Then slowly, cruel head waving, hood shrinking, eyes losing their deathly luster, coil by coil it sank.

A thick murmur ran the round of the walls, swelling into an inarticulate cry, which beat upon Amber's ears like the raving of a far-off surf. From his lips a strangled sob broke, and, every muscle relaxing, he lurched forward.

Alarmed, in a trice the cobra was up again, hood distended to the bursting point, head swinging so swiftly that the eye could not follow it. In another breath would come the final thrust.

A firearm exploded behind Amber, singeing his cheek with its flame. He fell over sideways, barely escaping the head of the cobra, which, with its hood blown to tatters, writhed in convulsions, its malignant tongue straining forth as if in one last attempt to reach his hand.

A second shot followed the first and then a brisk, confused fusillade. Amber heard a man scream out in mortal agony, and the dull sound of a heavy body falling near him; but, coincident with the second report, the brazier had been overturned and its light extinguished as if sucked up into the air.

## CHAPTER XIX.

### Rutton's Daughter.

In darkness the blacker for the sudden disappearance of the light, somebody stumbled over Amber—stumbled and swore in good English. The Virginian sat up, crying out as weakly as a child: "Labertouche!" A voice said:



"O My Chosen!"

mother, and these my children, thy brothers. Ye shall lead and rule in Bharata. Are ye ready?"

Half hypnotized, Amber opened his mouth, but no words came. His chin dropped to his breast.

"Thy strength must be known to my peoples; they must see thee put to the proof thy courage, that they may know thee to be the man for their. . . . Ye are ready?"

He was unable to move a finger. "Stretch out thine arms!" He shuddered and tried to obey. The voice rang imperative.

"Stretch forth thine arms for the testing!"

Somehow, mechanically, he succeeded in raising his arms and holding them rigid before him. Alarmed by the movement, the cobra turned with a hiss, waving his poisonous head. But the Virginian made no offer to withdraw his hands. His eyes were wide and staring and his face livid.

A subdued murmur came from the men clustered round the idols, in semi-darkness.

The bell boomed forth like an organ. "O hooded death. . . . O death, who art trained to my service! Thou before whom all men stand affrighted! Thou who canst look into their hearts and read them as a scroll that is unrolled. . . . Look deep into the heart of my chosen! Judge if he be worthy or wanting, judge if he be false or true. . . . Judge him, O death!"

Before Amber the great serpent was oscillating like a pendulum, its little tongue playing like forked red lightning, its loathsome red eyes holding his own.

"Look well, O death, and judge him!" The dance of the hooded death changed in character, grew more frenzied; the white writhing coils melted into one another in dizzying confusion; figure merged into figure like smoke,

disclosing a black cavernous opening.

"In with you," panted Labertouche, removing the lever. "Don't delay."

Amber did not. He took with him a hazy impression of a vast, vaulted hall filled with a ruddy glare of torchlight, a raving rabble of gorgeously attired natives in its center. Then the opening revealed him and he found himself in a black hole of an underground gallery—a place that reeked with the dank odors of the tomb.

Labertouche followed and with the aid of a smaller electric pocket lamp discovered another socket for the lever. A moment later the slab moved back into place. Labertouche chuckled.

"Come along," he said, and drew ahead at a dog-trot.

They sped down a passage that delved at a sharp grade through solid rock. Now and again it turned and struck away in another direction. Once they descended—or rather fell down—a short, steep flight of steps. At the bottom Amber stopped.

"Hold on!" he cried. Labertouche pulled up impatiently. "What's the matter?"

"Sophia!" "Trust me, dear boy, and come along."

It was some time later that Labertouche extinguished his lamp and threw a low word of warning over his shoulder. Synchronously Amber discerned, far ahead, a faint glow of yellow light. As they bore down upon it with unmoderated speed he could see that it emanated from a rough-hewn doorway, opening off the passage.

Labertouche pushed Amber on ahead. Stooping the Virginian entered a small, rude chamber hollowed out of the rock of Kattapur. A crude lamp in a bracket furnished all its illumination, filling it with a reek of hot oil. Amber was vaguely aware of the figures of two women—one standing in a corner, the other seated dejectedly upon a charpoy, her head against the wall. As he lifted his head after passing under the low lintel, the woman in the corner fired at him point-blank.

The Virginian saw the jet of flame spurt from her hand and felt the bullet's impact upon the wall behind his head. He fung himself upon her instantly. There was a moment of furious struggle, while the cell echoed with the reverberations of the shot and the screaming of the woman on the charpoy. The pistol exploded again as he grappled with the would-be murderer; the bullet, passing up his sleeve, creased his left arm as with a white-hot iron, and tore out through the cloth on his shoulder. He twisted brutally the wrist that held the weapon, and the woman dropped it with a cry of pain.

"You would!" he cried, and threw her from him, putting a foot upon the pistol.

She reeled back against the wall and crouched there, trembling, her cheeks on fire, her eyes aflame with rage. "You dog!" she shrielled in Hindi—and spat at him like a maddened cat. Then he recognized her.

"Naraini!" He stepped back in his surprise, his right hand seeking instinctively the wrist of his left, which was numb with pain.

His change of position left the pistol unguarded, and the woman swooped down upon it like a bird of prey; but before she could get her fingers on its grip, Labertouche stepped between them, fended her off, and quietly possessed himself of the weapon.

"Your pardon, madam," he said, gravely.

Naraini retreated, shaking with fury, and Amber employed the respite to recognize Sophia Farrell in the woman on the charpoy. She was still seated, prevented from rising by bonds about her wrists and ankles, and though unnaturally pale, her anguish of fear and despair had set its marks upon her face without one whit detracting from the appeal of her beauty. He went to her immediately, and as their eyes met, hers flamed with joy, relief and—he dared believe—a stronger emotion.

"You—you're not hurt, Mr. Amber?" "Not at all. The bullet went out through my sleeve. And you?" He dropped on his knees, with his pocket-knife severing the ends of rope that bound her.

"I'm all right." She took his hands, helping herself to rise. "Thank you," she said, her eyes shining, a flush of color suffusing her face with glory.

"Did you cut those ropes, Amber?" Labertouche interposed curtly.

"Yes, why?" The Englishman explained without turning from his sombre and morose regard of Naraini. "Too bad—we'll have to tie this woman up, somehow. She's a complication I hadn't foreseen."

Here, you'd better leave me to attend to her—you and Miss Farrell. Go on down the gallery—to the left. I'll catch up with you."

The pistol which he still held lent to his demand a sinister significance of which he was, perhaps, thoughtless. But Sophia Farrell heard, saw and surmised.

"No!" she cried, going swiftly to the secret agent. "No!" She put a hand upon his arm, but he shook it off.

"Did you hear me, Amber?" said Labertouche, still watching the queen.

"What do you mean to do?" insisted Sophia. "You can't—you mustn't!" "This is no time for half-measures, Miss Farrell," Labertouche told her brusquely. "Our lives hang in the balance—Mr. Amber's, yours, mine. Please go."

## (TO BE CONTINUED.)

What Chance Has He? Johnny—"Grandpa, do lions go to heaven?" Grandpa—"No, Johnny." Johnny—"Well, do ministers?" Grandpa—"Why, of course. Why do you ask?" Johnny—"Well, suppose a lion eats a minister?"—Life.

## SPARKS FROM LIVE WIRES

"Wanted—100 ministers in the next year to fill vacant Iowa Baptist pulpits." This is the appeal made by Dr. S. E. Wilcox, secretary of the Iowa Baptist convention.

The engagement of Miss Katherine McCook of New York to Hugh S. Knox, the second son of the secretary of state, is announced. No date has been set for the wedding.

One hundred and fifty thousand gallons of oil were destroyed by fire at the Bayonne (N. J.) refining plant of the Standard Oil company. Four employees were painfully burned.

Clubwomen in all parts of the country have been asked to indorse the movement and sign a petition to congress to pass an act making the mountain laurel the national flower.

Immanuel Baptist church of Cambridge, Mass., decided, after several women had wept and prayed at its meeting, not to accept the resignation of Pastor C. V. T. Richeson, in jail on a murder charge.

The United States district court of appeals has affirmed the right of 5,000 Cherokee Indian children born since 1902 to share in an undistributed allotment of \$5,500,000 by the government to the Cherokee nation.

Miss Anne Morgan, daughter of J. P. Morgan, sitting at a table with six men in greasy overalls, ate and apparently enjoyed a 20-cent meal in the restaurant she founded about three years ago in the Brooklyn navy yard.

Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh has come out in favor of pensioning superannuated government clerks, and it is said that in his annual report to congress this year he will make this pensioning plan a feature.

The illness of Capt. Ernst Chambers, usher of the black rod, has temporarily tied up the arrangements for the opening at Ottawa, Ont., of parliament November 15. Captain Chambers is the arbiter of all questions as to admission.

Charles W. McBride, a prominent business man of Rochester, N. Y., died suddenly while seated in an automobile which he had just purchased. It is thought excitement incident to handling the car for the first time affected his heart.

Maine retains constitutional prohibition. Governor Plaisted and his council decided to accept the corrections in the vote of four towns, cast in the special election in September, thus reversing the result as indicated on the face of the first official returns.

The navy department, having perfected the manufacture of smokeless powder and embarked upon the production of that important naval requisite on a large scale at the Indian Head powder factory, is about to enter upon the business of making its own high explosives.

Howard A. Bennett, aged twenty-one, of Boston, was presented a gold watch, paid for out of the Charles D. Rood fund, which provides prizes for good behavior. Bennett said he has never used oaths, drunk or indulged in tobacco, and added that he had never kissed a girl, except those in his family.

## CHILD CLEARS UP MURDER

Five-Year-Old Girl Implicates Her Mother and Three Others in Man's Death.

Bedford, Ind., Nov. 8.—"I know who killed a man!" This statement from Grace Sutton, aged five years, enabled the police to clear up the mysterious murder of James Mitchell, the farmer whose body was found near here Sunday night.

The child implicated her mother, Lulu Sutton, Joseph Fultz and Oliver Younger.

Mitchell was murdered for money he had in his purse. The child was supposed to be in bed but she overheard the plotting, according to the story she told, and witnessed the crime. She said that Fultz struck Mitchell with a club and the latter sank to the ground.

## THE MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 7. LIVE STOCK—Steers . . . \$4 00 @ 7 55 Hogs . . . 6 50 @ 8 70 Sheep . . . 2 00 @ 3 50 FLOUR—Winter Straights . . . 4 00 @ 4 25 WHEAT—December . . . 88 @ 98 1/2 CORN—No. 2 . . . 73 1/2 @ 82 OATS—No. 2 . . . 53 @ 53 1/2 RYE—No. 2 . . . 78 @ 80 BUTTER—Creamery . . . 19 @ 23 EGGS . . . 12 @ 15 CHEESE . . . 9 @ 15

CHICAGO. CATTLE—Prime Steers . . . \$7 00 @ 9 00 Fair . . . 6 15 @ 8 50 Fancy Yearlings . . . 8 70 @ 9 50 Feeding Steers . . . 4 40 @ 5 60 Heavy Calves . . . 4 50 @ 6 25 HOGS—Packers . . . 6 05 @ 8 20 Butcher Hogs . . . 6 25 @ 8 45 Pigs . . . 4 25 @ 6 25 BUTTER—Creamery . . . 21 1/2 @ 23 1/2 Dairy . . . 20 @ 28 LIVE POULTRY . . . 13 @ 15 EGGS . . . 15 @ 27 POTATOES (per bu.) . . . 70 @ 75 FLOUR—Spring Wheat, Sp. . . \$9 00 @ 10 00 GRAIN—Wheat, December . . . 92 1/2 @ 93 1/2 Corn, December . . . 62 1/2 @ 63 1/2 Oats, December . . . 46 1/2 @ 47 1/2

MILWAUKEE. GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n . . . \$1 05 @ 1 07 December . . . 93 1/2 @ 94 Oats, December . . . 62 @ 63 Rye . . . 47 @ 48

KANSAS CITY. GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Hard . . . \$3 @ 1 07 No. 2 Red . . . 97 @ 97 1/2 Corn, No. 2 White . . . 48 @ 48 1/2 Oats, No. 2 White . . . 48 @ 48 1/2 Rye . . . 97 @ 98

ST. LOUIS. CATTLE—Native Steers . . . \$7 50 @ 9 00 Texas Steers . . . 6 00 @ 7 00 HOGS—Packers . . . 6 10 @ 8 30 Butchers . . . 6 30 @ 8 55 SHEEP—Native . . . 3 00 @ 3 50

OMAHA. CATTLE—Native Steers . . . \$4 75 @ 7 00 Stockers and Feeders . . . 3 25 @ 6 00 Cows and Heifers . . . 3 00 @ 4 80 HOGS—Heavy . . . 6 17 1/2 @ 8 25 SHEEP—Wethers . . . 3 25 @ 3 80

## WOMAN CURED BOY OF ECZEMA

Eczema Caused Abscesses Now Entirely Cured by Resinol.

Who can tell the terrible suffering of this poor boy until his mother finally discovered Resinol? Taken from school because of his sad plight, he was in misery greater, probably, than words can describe. Read what his mother says:

"My boy had Eczema in such a form that it caused abscesses on his head. I was compelled to take him from school. After using your soap and ointment for three weeks he was entirely cured. I will always keep both in my home."

"MRS. FLORENCE GRIFFIN, "828 Winton street, Philadelphia, Pa."

If Resinol can do this in one case it can do it in all cases of skin disease. We have thousands of testimonials telling of wonderful cures. Resinol Ointment is prescribed by physicians for every skin irritation, including cuts, sores, scalds and burns, and is a remedy for boils, carbuncles, felons, piles, eczema, barber's itch, tetter, shingles, psoriasis, eruptions of poison ivy and other skin troubles. Gives immediate relief, and should be on hand ready for immediate use. It is put up in screw-top opal containers selling at fifty cents and a dollar.

Resinol Soap, made of the same ingredients, represents the highest art in soap-making. It is refreshing and soothing and should be used by every one for the toilet and bath. It is especially adapted to the skin of infants. Prevents many of the skin troubles and there is nothing quite so good for shampooing and the cleaning of the scalp. The ointment and soap are for sale by all druggists. Sample sent free if you will mention Department No. 61, Resinol Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.

Subjective. "I see somebody has invented a 'noiseless' soup spoon. In what way is it noiseless?"

"Why, madam, it's constructed in such a manner that—er—you don't make a noise when you're using it."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules. Easy to take as candy.

RATHER PLEASANT.

Dunn—Ah, you are in this time. I've called five times with this bill, but you've been out.

Owens—Indeed? Well, you are out this time. Fine morning, isn't it?

Fever's On. "There's no fever like the football fever," said George H. Earle, Jr., at a dinner party in Philadelphia. "Let me tell you about a brother's boy in Third street."

"A Third street broker sat at his desk the other morning when his office boy entered and said respectfully: 'If you please, sir, my grandfather's dead and I'd like to get off early to go to the funeral match—I mean the football ceremony—that is—'

"And then, blushing scarlet, the boy withdrew."

To Be Pleasant In the Morning

Have some Post Toasties

with cream for breakfast.

The rest of the day will take care of itself.

Post Toasties are thin bits of White Indian Corn—cooked and toasted until deliciously crisp and appetizing.

"The Memory Lingers"

**Warm Coats For Women, Misses, and Children.**

We are offering remarkable values in plush and cloth coats for women, misses and children. They're all the product of makers who pack up their goods with a guarantee of satisfactory wear. They're all in the newest models and are tailored in the very best manner. Caracul plush coats for women and misses are priced special at \$9.50 and \$13.50

Fashionable cloth coats at \$12.50 and up. Warm caracul plush coats for children are priced at only \$5.98.

We also have a fine showing of the newest styles in tailored suits, separate skirts, tailored and fancy waists, house dresses and negliges and a big display of beautiful new furs. All are marked at our usual low prices.

Theo. F. Swan.  
Great Department Store, Elgin.

**ROBES AND BLANKETS**

Having bought a big order of robes and blankets from Wallace Smith & Co. of Milwaukee, and paying CASH, I am prepared to

**GIVE SOME REAL BARGAINS**

I also carry a full line of

**Harness, Halters, Whips, Tie Ropes**

AND EVERYTHING FOR THE HORSE

10 Cent **W. W. COOPER** Genoa Illinois  
Hitch Barn

**PRIZES!**

List of Prizes to be Awarded at the **BAND CARNIVAL**

First and Second Prizes will be Awarded at the Genoa Band Carnival, at **THE PAVILION, GENOA** November 21-22-23-24 ON EXHIBITS OF THE FOLLOWING FARM PRODUCTS:

**MEN:** CORN 6 ears to each entry  
OATS 1 quart to each entry  
WHEAT 1 quart to each entry  
POTATOS 6 to each entry  
APPLES 6 to each entry

**LADIES:** A prize will be awarded for each of the following baked articles, exhibited on dates specified:

BREAD. November 21  
CAKE. November 22  
PIE. November 23

It costs you nothing to enter an exhibit and you may win a prize. All are invited to enter. Articles entered must be grown or made by exhibitors, and within 25 miles of Genoa.

The prizes to be offered are in cash or merchandise.

Entries for farm produce must be in before 7:00 p. m., Nov. 21, and cooking entries must be in before 7:00 p. m. of date specified for each article.

Entries may be made with E. H. Browne, or A. E. Pickett, Genoa.

All exhibits will become the property of the Genoa Band and will be sold during the carnival.

Exhibits of any kind of grain or vegetables will be received and shown during the carnival, but prizes will be awarded only on articles above named.

Donations of fancy work will be gladly accepted by the committee in charge.

THIS CARNIVAL WILL BE THE BIGGEST AND BEST STUNT EVER PULLED OFF IN GENOA

BAND CONCERTS...EXHIBITS...EXCELLENT PROGRAM AND DANCING EVERY NIGHT

**ANNUAL Fur Exhibit and Advance Sale**  
Friday & Sat'day, Nov. 10-11  
TWO DAYS ONLY

During Sale We Will Make **SPECIAL ADVANCE SALE PRICES**

**G. M. Peck Co.**  
The Store of Quality and Close Prices  
THE BIGGEST FUR STORE IN ELGIN



At **AUGUST TEYLER'S**  
DURING MY  
**Mammoth Clearance Sale...**

**TO THE PUBLIC:** We are receiving daily large shipments of Pianos and Furniture for the Holiday trade, and we must have more room at once. Therefore we have inaugurated **The Greatest MONEY SAVING Piano Sale**

ever held in the history of Piano selling in GENOA and vicinity.

**MR. AND MRS. PIANO BUYER**

I have been in business in this county close to FORTY YEARS. I have on my floor a few brand new high-grade pianos in the latest mahogany and oak case designs that we will offer, as long as they will last, for cash only, at the rediculously low price of **\$129.00.**

In addition to these wonderful bargains, I have five brand new standard make pianos that will be sold for

**\$129      \$149      \$169      \$189**

I will sell these goods to responsible parties with no down payment and take notes covering a period of one or two years, with 6 per cent interest. Or if local Genoa people desire to purchase on the monthly payment plan, I will sell them on terms of \$5.00 to \$25.00 down and weekly payments of 1.00 to 2.00 per week, or 4.00 to 8.00 per month.

AUGUST TEYLER.

Here are a few bargains that will be placed on sale Friday, November 10th, and offered as long as they last. Come **EARLY. FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED.**



**AUGUST TEYLER GENOA ILLS.**



## A Note to You

GENOA, NOVEMBER 10, 1911

We went into the Drug business from choice—not by accident.

We choose to continue the selling of choice Drugs and Reliable Remedies rather than any other kind and if you choose our store for your purchases, we will endeavor to make you feel, in every case, that your choice was a wise one.

Phone 83  
DRUGS TOILET ARTICLES SOAPS ETC.

Sale on millinery, at Olmsted's, Special. Grey wolf muffs, \$6.50 at Olmsted's.

Mrs. O. L. Koch was here from Hampshire last Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brown, Friday, Nov. 3, a boy.

Black Cat prize. Are you interested? Read Lemke's ad.

Everything in millinery will be closed out, at F. W. Olmsted's.

If you need a new well, call up or see Ed Naker, Charter Grove Ill.

A chance to get in on the grand prize offered in Lembeke's ad.

Floyd Olmsted and wife attend the National Dairy Show in Chicago.

Miss Hazel Robinson of Chicago was an over Sunday visitor in Genoa.

Misses Ruth and Velma Crawford were Chicago visitors last Saturday.

A splendid line of novelty, caracul and sealette coats, at F. W. Olmsted's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Holly are entertaining the former's mother of McHenry.

Mrs. Kit Schneider of Chicago has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Leonard.

Hunting positively forbidden on our respective farms. C. Mackey, G. A. Palnow.

Mrs. Luella Griffin and son of Lodi, Ohio, are visiting at the home of E. H. Olmsted.

Misses' black caracul coats, from 8 to 16 years, for \$7.00, \$8.50, \$13.50. These are special bargains. F. W. Olmsted.

The Genoa Feed Mill will hereafter run on Tuesday and Saturday of each week.

Ralph Patterson.

Bishop Muldoon of Rockford will officiate at the confirmation of a large class at Hampshire today (Thursday) at the catholic church in that village.

Dillon Patterson and Isabel Holsker of Genoa will be numbered in the class.

Mrs. McBride was here from Elgin last Friday, returning in the afternoon accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Geo. Evans.

Would you win \$200 if you could without much effort? Read Lemke's ad on another page and learn how this may be done.

Second number of the Lyceum Bureau course at the Opera House Monday, Nov. 13, Reserve seats at Carmichael's. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

At the Opera House, Monday, Nov. 13, The Glazier Jubilee Singers. Second number of the Lyceum Bureau Course. Reserve seats at Carmichael's drug store. Prices are only 25, 35, and 50c.

The open season for hunting prairie chickens begins Sunday, Nov. 12 and closes Friday, Nov. 17, a total of six days. Each hunter may shoot three chickens in one day and no more, and they must not be offered for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Aleen and daughter of Rockford were week end visitors at the home of W. H. Jackman. Mr. Aleen was at one time editor of the Genoa Republican. He is now on his way to Boston in the interests of the firm with which he is associated.

The Glazier Jubilee Singers, the oldest and best organization traveling, sing the plantation lullabys, cabin, river and crooning songs of slavery days. At the Opera House Monday, Nov. 13. Reserve seats at Carmichael's drug store. Prices for this number only 25, 35 and 50c.

The Odd Fellows' supper and dance was the biggest success of the season financially. Three hundred and fifty tickets were sold for the chicken supper and one hundred for the oyster supper after the dance. One hundred dance tickets were sold. The Odd Fellows are well pleased with the results and those who attended were satisfied that they received their money's worth.

Temperance will be the subject in the Sunday school and in the morning service at the Methodist church next Sunday. The children are preparing a temperance program. This will be the subject of the Christian church throughout America on that day. Let every member of the church invite some non-church goer to church next Sunday. Become a part of the best effort of our day.

Serge dress goods, at F. W. Olmsted's.

New fur neck pieces and muffs to match, at Olmsted's.

FARM LANDS—Good homes, good land. I have four nice farms to sell at prices and on terms that will suit. Buy direct and not thru agents. Call or write,

L. L. LARSON,  
Borup, Norman County, Minn. 1-1f

For Sale—Creamery building at New Lebanon, together with out houses and practically new, well built ice house. Lumber could be used to advantage in constructing barns, etc. Inquire of Mrs. Fred Spansail. 5-4-70.\*

Take the Ill. Cent. 8:17 evening train for Chicago. Runs daily. No stops between Genoa and Chicago. 1f.\*

Cider barrels for sale at \$1.50 at the cider mill near the Milwaukee depot in Genoa. E. M. Confer. 5-1-1f

FOR RENT—House on Washington St. Inquire of Mrs. E. W. Halleck. 5-2-1f

All kinds of hair work done by Mrs. E. E. Hall. Dyeing, whitening and renewing. Ring, Mig-non, Josephine and three strand switches, transformations and coils made from combings. Hair furnished to match any shade. 7-2-1f

We have arranged with The Weekly Inter Ocean and Farmer so that our patrons can secure that sterling paper, together with our own, at the exceedingly low price of \$1.50 for one year. This is a rare opportunity and should be taken advantage of.

The Idea Conveyed.  
"Yes," said Mrs. Blunderby, "my boy Willie has been through all the alimentary schools." "Alimentary?" questioned the caller. "Oh, I see; you are going to make a food specialist of him."

Miss Maria Holroyd visited with friends in Belvidere a few days last week.

Mrs. Carrie Oursler (Geithman) was granted a divorce from her husband, Albert Oursler, at Belvidere on the 25th of October.

Get your wife a new range this winter. Do not make her work and fuss over that old worn out stove another season. Perkins & Rosenfeld can show you some interesting prices.

If you want a stove or range right now is the time to talk about it and tomorrow is the time to buy it. Perkins & Rosenfeld have a complete line on their floor at all prices.

There is little danger of getting the worst of a bargain when buying silverware from a friend. Martin is your friend, and he wants to remain your friend. The only way he can do so is to give you the full value for your money. Complete line of sterling and plated ware.

At the big beagle meet, Bass Lake, Ind., last week, F. J. Williams of this city carried away the first prize in the derby and third prize in the event for all ages, his prize winner being "Vanity's Busy." Mr Williams was also elected as a member of the executive committee and is confident that the meet will be held in Genoa next year.

Life in the small compass of a submarine is not very entertaining, but the men, with the true spirit of the sailor, made the most of things. All the cooking was done on board by electricity.

It was customary for some of the men to enter a compartment on the upper portion of the vessel and to enjoy a bath as the submarine dove through the water. If she dipped the bather got more than he wanted, but all the same the sensation was cooling and pleasant.

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## AWE BROTHERS' AUCTION!

Offering 137 Head Stock

Having sold farm, known as the "John Awe" farm, one mile north of New Lebanon, we will offer for sale, at the premises, the following property, on

Tuesday, November 14

commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m.

45 head of cows, mostly new milkers and springers; 29 head of young cattle, consisting of 1 and 2-year-old Holstein heifers, 1 and 2-year-old Holstein bulls, 1 and 2-year-old steers, yearling grade heifers.

14 head horses and colts, consisting of horses and mares, including a pair of sound drivers; yearling and sucking colts.

49 head hogs; shoats, brood sows, and stock hogs

35 acres hill corn, 15 acres drilled corn, all well shocked. About 25 tons choice wild hay, and 5 tons good timothy hay. Full equipment farm machinery, consisting of wagons, drags, riding plows, harrows, harness, etc.; all nearly new and in good condition.

Terms. \$10 and under, cash; over \$10, 6 months at 7 per cent. CHAS. SULLIVAN, Auct.

AWE BROTHERS.

Long Voyage for Submarines.  
The British submarines C 36, C 37 and C 38 arrived in Hongkong on April 20 after a voyage of 9,000 miles from Portsmouth, which they left on February 8.

After the vessels left Spithead it was expected that they would hug the shore, but they carried right through the dreaded Bay of Biscay and proceeded under their own power as far as Gibraltar without any untoward event.

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Dr. John R. Murlin of New York, assistant professor of physiology at the Cornell university medical college, in an article in the October number of the Journal of the Outdoor Life, compares the food we eat to the fuel used in furnishing steam and power for an engine. In selecting our food he says that we should eat enough to furnish energy for the day's work, but that much more than this is not needed. He holds that the appetite is not a necessity for good digestion. "There is no fallacy of nutrition," he says, "greater than that which supposes that a food cannot be digested and utilized without appetite." Most of the food we eat, fully four-fifths, goes to supply energy for our every-day tasks, while less than one-fifth goes to supply building material.

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**The  
Great Awakening  
of China  
By  
Gen. A. W. Greely**

**E**VEN the most casual observer of current affairs must have been impressed by the steadily increasing volume of matter that is appearing in periodical literature relative to China and to its evolutionary progress toward its proper and destined position as one of the great civilized nations of the earth.

In the last decade affairs oriental have been a series of surprises to the world, and in this respect the transformation of China has not been the least wonderful. In late years the Chinese government has astonished the Christian peoples of the Occident by its political audacity and persistent activity in suppressing not only foreign trade in opium but also in abolishing throughout its vast provinces the prevalent growth of the poppy plant. Today it contemplates the predictions of foreign politicians by hastening, instead of delaying, the formation of a central constitutional government with a responsible cabinet. Again it has instituted a system of secondary education along modern scientific lines, and has transformed its antiquated literary examinations into more suitable tests of official fitness.

At home it is redeeming its treaty obligations to mint a standard and national coinage. It has



Kwang-Si	8,000,000
Kweichow	6,000,000
Szechuan	7,500,000
Shang-Si	9,000,000
Shantung	53,000,000
Shensi	8,000,000
Tche-Kiang	11,800,000
Tehli (Peking)	29,400,000
Yunnan	8,000,000
Manchuria	17,000,000

The approximate population of the dependencies, from other sources, is as follows: Mongolia, 2,600,000; Tibet, 6,300,000; Chinese Turkestan, etc., 1,200,000.

Enormous as is the population of the empire, there are but few very great cities, as would be expected with the limited transportation for their maintenance. Possibly Canton, Peking, and Szechuan have each a million of inhabitants, while Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai, Chungking, Fuchau and Suchow probably range in population between half and three-fourths of a million.

In view of these data the belief vanishes that China is the most densely populated portion of the world. The population of Europe is 430,000,000, in an area of 10,000,000 square kilometers, while China has practically the same number over an area of 11,000,000 square kilometers.

Influenced by the spirit of the century, China is gradually changing its form of government to that of a constitutional monarchy. The burning question before the Advisory Parliament, which nearly caused its disruption, was the restriction of imperial powers. Parliament strenuously urged the establishment of a responsible government along English lines. As a compromise the Prince Regent yielded to the extent of adopting a system analogous to that of Germany, and imperial edicts instituted in lieu of the old organization, as officials of the emperor, Suen-Tong, a privy council, a general staff and a responsible cabinet.

The privy council consists of forty-four, of whom ten are non-voting counselors, "especially well-informed men, who have received a modern education." The general staff (two princes), reports direct to the emperor. The responsible cabinet is formed by a premier, with two princely assistants, and ten portfolio ministers as follows: Foreign affairs, interior, finance, public instruction, war, navy, justice, agriculture, public works

**CANADA'S CENSUS**

**A THIRTY-TWO PER CENT INCREASE IN THE PAST TEN YEARS.**

That Canada has come rapidly to the front in the past ten years is amply shown in the results of the census recently made public. The population of the Dominion is now placed at 7,081,869, which with outlying points to be heard from, may bring it up to 7 1/4 millions as compared with 5,371,315 in 1901. Though these figures are large, they do not present a total as large as was expected but they do show a greater increase of percentage in population for the decade than any similar increase in the United States. The highest percentage ever reached by the Republic was 24%; the percentage of increase in Canada for the decade is 32%. Thus it will be seen that the provinces west of the lakes, with the great broad fertile acres ready for the sowing and immediate reaping of grain and the Valleys of British Columbia capable of producing fruit with which to supply its neighboring provinces east of the mountains, have attracted numbers, which has exceeded the most optimistic of the expectations of ten years ago.

Upon the prairies of the ten years ago there was but a sparse scattering of people; but today, no matter in which way you go, take any direction, and you find homes and farms and good ones too, occupied by the very best class of people in good sized settlements with plenty of room for five or six times as many more. The population of Alberta is set down at 372,919, as compared with 73,022 in 1901; Saskatchewan 453,508 as compared with 91,270 in 1901; Manitoba's 454,631 compares well with its 265,211 in 1901; and so does that of British Columbia—362,768 as against 178,657 in 1901, but in a territory as large as this a population of 1,643,000 is little more than discernible in point of numbers. The work through it has been great. Look at the towns that have been built up; its cities, Winnipeg with 125,000; Vancouver with upwards of 100,000; Calgary with 43,000; Edmonton, Regina, Saskatoon; Lethbridge; Medicine Hat, Moosejaw, splendid cities—none better anywhere; well maintained and equipped. These have come with existence and been built as they have been built by reason of the splendid agricultural country by which they are surrounded. The population is scarcely discernible. A population ten or twelve times that shown by the recent census could be easily maintained in even greater wealth than that which maintains the present numbers. There is certainly a wonderful future for Western Canada and that which goes to the development of the west will enrich the last. This is the growing time in Canada and what has been done in the past ten years is but a beginning. The next decade will show a far greater advancement. In the meantime Canada is bidding welcome the progressive and industrious citizen. The invitation is a standing one. At the forthcoming land exposition in Chicago, Canada will have one of the best exhibits of farm products that has ever been made and it will be well worth while inspecting it and getting information from those who may be in charge.

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But once upon a time a party of smart women, prompted by the guides knew not what chance, sat down in the immediate neighborhood to enjoy a game of progressive whist.

"Gee, I give it up!" cried the Echo thereupon, and in consternation fled the place, nevermore to return.—Puck

The assemblies have taken concerted action to extend their influence in imperial affairs, and have occasionally attempted to coerce the imperial government—usually with indifferent results. Twice the assemblies have held congresses in Peking, and lately the congress urged on the government the organization of civil guards in the provinces, opposed the nationalization of railways, and asked a change of the law that the premier must be either a prince or noble. Finally, the members, in the way of compromise, agreed to favor an increase of taxes provided that their wishes were granted as to civil guards and the premier.

The first really national and representative body that ever met in China under authority of an imperial edict convened on Oct. 5, 1910. It has been variously called a senate, an advisory assembly and a provisional parliament; the last appellation seems most appropriate, as the body had no legislative powers, its functions being confined to petitions and reports to the throne on matters pertaining to the formation of institutions and enactment of laws in accord with the age.

The parliament proved to be an able, independent body, equal to the situation, broad-minded in its views, and realizing its responsibilities.

Rarely does a single act mark the upward turn of a decadent nation, but in China it was the signing by the emperor, Kuang-Su, July 26, 1898, of the edict on the liberty of the press, drawn up by the ardent reformer Yang-You-Wei.

Reeling the various needs of railways, the imperial edict of May 9, 1911, points out that for years the emperor has fostered local railway projects, but that hitherto the Chinese companies "have so maladministered affairs that they are in inextricable confusion; they have built neither main lines nor branches. In the Province of Kiangtung they have issued bonds covering half the work, while the railroad has hardly been commenced. In Sze-Chuan an enormous sum, entrusted as bonds to a bank, has been lost by failure of the bank. In Hupeh and in Hounan large sums have been spent uselessly in past years."

It should be said that Canton, which had made the greatest progress from local resources, accepted the nationalization. The importance and gravity of the action of assemblies and local organizations in Sze-Chuan and Hounan may be estimated from the fact that their combined population quite considerably exceeds that of the United States, and is about one-fourth of that of China.

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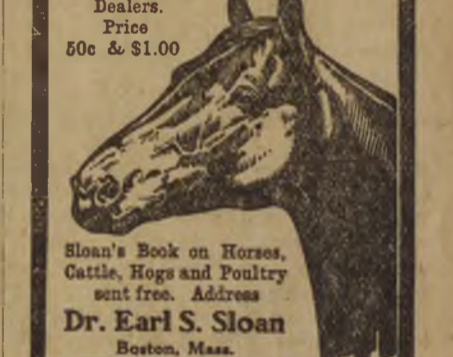
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### ERUPTION COVERED BODY

"Three years ago this winter I had a breaking out that covered my whole body. It itched so it seemed as if I should go crazy. It first came out in little pimples on my back and spread till it covered my whole body and limbs down to my knees, also my arms down to my elbows. Where I scratched it made sores, and the terrible itching and burning kept me from sleeping. I tried several remedies all to no purpose. Then I concluded to try the Cuticura Remedies. I used the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, also the Resolvent, for about four months, and they completely cured me of eczema. I have had no return of the disease since. I never had a good night's rest after the skin eruption first broke out till I commenced using the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I had only used them a few days before I could see they were beginning to heal, and the terrible itching was gone.

"Those that lived in the house at the time know how I suffered, and how the Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured me. I never take a bath without using the Cuticura Soap, and I do not believe there are better remedies for any skin disease than the Cuticura Soap and Ointment." (Signed) Miss Sarah Calkins, Waukegan, Ill., Mar. 16, 1911. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 5 K, Boston.

Test of Real Greatness. Columbus had made the egg stand on end.

"But could you unscramble it?" demanded the mortified courtiers.

Which merely accentuates the great truth that nobody is springing any new puzzles nowadays.

What makes old age so sad is, not that our joys, but that our hopes cease.—Richter.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures all humors, catarrh and rheumatism, relieves that tired feeling, restores the appetite, cures paleness, nervousness, builds up the whole system.

Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

Quick Relief SORE EYES

Petitt's Eye Salve

PISO'S will immediately relieve COUGHS & COLDS

## BRIEF ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST

### Minor Happenings in Illinois Cities, Towns and Villages.

#### DENTISTS CLOSE MEETING

Annual Gathering of Eastern Illinois Association Ends at Charleston—C. A. Boyce of Tuscola is Elected President.

Charleston.—The Eastern Illinois Dental association, in annual meeting, closed a two days' session in Charleston. Tuscola was chosen as next year's meeting place. C. A. Boyce of Tuscola was named president, J. H. Damon of Arcola, vice-president, W. H. Barnfield of Charleston secretary, and Lon Berlau of Paris treasurer.

Mount Carmel.—The bottom tumbled out of the price of ginseng on the Mount Carmel exchange and the product was quoted at \$3.50 a pound. It is expected that the price will go much lower and farmers are unloading their crops. The Chinese revolution is the cause of the decline. Ginseng is raised in America and is used only in China for medicinal purposes. It is also chewed like tobacco.

Canton.—John Lightle, sixty-five years old, for the last twenty years a resident near St. Joseph, Mo., returned to his boyhood home near here, and committed suicide with carbolic acid. He left a note, saying he preferred death rather than insanity, which he feared. His wife and a son are in Missouri and two other sons live here.

Mount Sterling.—Judge Albert Akers of Quincy was here and held a special session of the Brown county circuit court to appoint a master in chancery to fill out the unexpired term of Leon Orr, who died in October. Frank Orr, his father, was appointed; it was made necessary by two real estate notes.

East St. Louis.—William Fogarty, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses by selling tickets for aaffle under the representation that the proceeds were to go to striking Illinois Central railroad men, was bound over to the grand jury under \$1,000 bond.

Edwardsville.—Because the board of supervisors of Madison county drew the names of the grand jury while sitting in a room other than the one in which they usually performed this duty, attorneys moved to quash an indictment charging George Yates with the murder of his wife.

Rockford.—The Rockford Woman's club has decided to discontinue the open meetings. The membership is so large that in order to accommodate the club members outsiders can no longer be admitted.

Shelbyville.—After 24 hours of freedom John Keller, who broke the lock on the calaboose door, became repentant and returning, confessed.

Rockford.—The Swedish-American society will build a new hospital as the result of a campaign whereby 1,500 members were secured.

Utica.—Rudolph Munson, who disappeared from his home here, "came to himself," he says, at Lowell and telephoned his mother just as bloodhounds were about to commence on his trail.

Gillespie.—The state record for one day's hoist was broken at mine No. 2 of the Superior Coal company, when 4,074 tons and 1,800 pounds were raised in an eight-hour day.

Dixon.—A desire to play with the affections of women who advertised for husbands has caused the arrest of Fred Cole, a young business man of this city, recently married. Cole answered advertisements under an assumed name and showed replies to friends as a joke. One of his letters to Miss Ella Lany of Lyons, Colo., was turned over to the post office inspector and Cole is held in \$1,000 bail, charged with mailing obscene letters.

Bloomington.—Following the election of officers the Illinois (Women's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church adjourned at Lincoln. The new leaders are as follows: President, Mrs. M. L. Haywood, Pana; vice-president, Mrs. M. H. Newton, Bloomington; secretary, Mrs. S. A. Ballard, Springfield; treasurer, Mrs. E. J. Strader, Decatur. District reports occupied the morning session.

Marissa.—The White Oak mine near Marissa, which has been shut down on account of a fire in one of the entries, has been fitted for mining by the state mine fire fighting commission after several days' diligent and dangerous work. The fire started from an unknown cause ten days ago, and spread to an entry from a small room.

Rock Island.—At the special election the proposition to increase the city saloon license from \$500 to \$1,000 per annum was defeated 2 to 1.

Jerseyville.—The annual meeting of the Jersey County teachers' institute will be held November 11 at the courthouse in this city.

Litchfield.—The Litchfield Woman's club has agreed to aid in the war upon tuberculosis.

Bloomington.—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moon celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage here.

Mackinaw.—A local paper is said to be preparing a list of persons who owe Mackinaw merchants and are buying goods from mail-order houses and will print it.

Bloomington.—Congressman John Sterling forwarded his acceptance of the invitation to address the convention of Republican newspaper men of the Seventeenth congressional district at Dwight, November 14.

Danville, Ill.—Swango bridge, three miles from Paris, was blown up by dynamite. Big Four officials are investigating.

Fairfield.—The Wayne County Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America met here and elected the following officers: President, W. A. Riley, Xenia; vice-president, George M. Davis, Barnhill; secretary-treasurer, R. F. Bogie, Orchardville; conductor, J. B. Oehler, Jeffersonville; doorkeeper, C. E. Manion, Mill Shoals; chaplain, W. H. Perkins, Fairfield. The following were elected to the executive committee: J. B. Atterberry, George Short and R. W. Hooper.

Springfield.—Articles of incorporation were issued by Secretary of State Rqse to the Illinois Centennial association, the object of which is to hold a state-wide celebration of the centennial anniversary of the admission of Illinois into the union in 1818. The incorporators are William E. Hull, Douglas Bethard, George A. Sells, William E. Stone, Henry C. Block, Charles H. May, Frederick H. Smith, H. M. Pindell, E. F. Baldwin and Garrett DeForest Kinney.

Murphysboro.—Attorney W. P. Wilson of Murphysboro was killed while trying to board a moving freight train. Mr. Wilson was city attorney of Murphysboro from 1909 to 1911. He was thirty-five years old and leaves a family. He owned extensive farm lands in the Mississippi bottoms and was going there to see about some levee work when he met death.

Mount Carmel.—W. E. McNair of Richland county, who is charged with threatening to kill the post office force of Mount Carmel if a special delivery letter was not delivered to Senator Walter Clyde Jones on his appearance here more than a week ago, is in jail at Olney awaiting trial for sanity.

Jacksonville.—Francis Doyle of Adams county was found dead in his room at the Jacksonville State hospital. He had hanged himself to the bed post by a suspender.

Coal Valley.—Search has been started for Mayor Julius Frederick, who has not been seen by his relatives and friends for three weeks. He was elected without opposition last spring. His administration, it is said, has made many enemies.

Pana.—Capt. John W. Kitchell donated 30 acres of land to the state of Illinois for an agricultural experimental station. The land is located north of the city and is valued at \$200 per acre. Captain Kitchell recently donated a handsome park of 40 acres to Pana. The land for the station has been accepted by the state through Prof. Cyrus G. Hopkins of the University of Illinois.

Springfield.—Seventy-eight cases of typhoid fever in Elgin prompted the state board of health to send Dr. C. E. Crawford to Elgin to investigate. Inspector C. S. Nelson has been detailed to Franklin, where, in spite of an epidemic of scarlet fever, it is reported, no quarantine has been enforced. An official report has not been made to the board.

Duquoin.—The annual convention of the Woman's Relief Corps of the Twenty-first district was held here. Mrs. Lottie B. Wheatlean of Duquoin, district president, presided, being assisted in the degree work by Mrs. Anna Work of Chicago. A reception was tendered the visitors at noon.

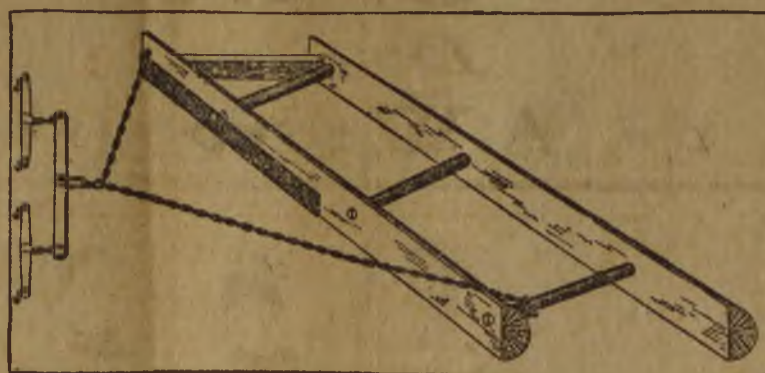
Springfield.—Adjutant General Dickson announced that the range at National Guard camps with two exceptions will remain open until November 30. Camp Logan, near Chicago, will close November 15. The range at Peoria is closed.

Springfield.—An official inquiry into the Wabash engine explosion east of Riverton will be made by the state railroad and warehouse commission. In the explosion, locomotive No. 852 was demolished and three trainmen injured. The engineer, W. C. Lewis, of this city, died of his injuries, and the fireman and brakeman are in a serious condition.

Tuscola.—The Masonic lodge will have charge of the cornerstone laying of the new Douglas county courthouse here November 11.

## MANY ADVANTAGES GAINED BY PERSISTENT USE OF LOG DRAG

Device for Keeping Roads Smooth and Firm and Level Described by Government Expert—Two Mistakes are Commonly Made in Construction of Implement—Dry Cedar Log Best.



Split-Log Drag.

The many useful advantages to be gained from the persistent use of a road-drag on earth roads are very clearly set forth in a pamphlet issued by the United States department of agriculture. The subject, "The Use of the Split-Log Drag on Earth Roads," is treated in "Farmers' Bulletin 321," by D. Ward King, an expert in the office of public roads. In opening his description of the drag, Mr. King explains that there are at present in this country about 2,000,000 miles of earth roads, most of which must be maintained by some means more or less expensive. The split-log drag is of great service on roads of this class. The author of the pamphlet has experimented with a great variety of devices for road dragging, but has found the two-slab log, or plank drag, with liberal setback, the most satisfactory. Double drags for working both sides of the road simultaneously have been tried with only limited success. The reason for this lies in the fact that both sides of an earth road are never exactly alike. This causes the two parts of the drag to work unevenly and to interfere with each other. It is also impossible for one man to operate both parts successfully. Continuing, the author says in part:

Two mistakes are commonly made in constructing a drag. The first lies in making it too heavy. It should be so light that one man can easily lift it. Besides, a light drag responds more readily to various methods of hitching and to the shifting of the position and weight of the operator. The other mistake is in the use of squared timbers instead of those with sharp edges, whereby the cutting effect of sharp edges is lost and the drag is permitted to glide over instead of to equalize the irregularities in the surface of the road. A dry cedar log is the best material for a drag. Red elm and walnut, when thoroughly seasoned, are excellent, and box elder, soft maple, or even willow are preferable to oak, hickory or ash.

The log should be seven or eight feet long and from ten to twelve inches in diameter, and carefully split down the middle. The heaviest and best slab should be selected for the front. At a point on this front slab four inches from the end that is to be at the middle of the road locate the center of the hole to receive a cross stake and 22 inches from the other end of the front slab locate the center for another cross stake. The hole for the middle stake will lie on a line connecting and half-way between the other two. The back slab should now be placed in position behind the other. From the end which is to be at middle of the road measure 20 inches for the center of the cross stake and six inches from the other end locate the center of the outside stake. Find the center of the middle hole as before. When these holes are brought opposite each other, one end of the back slab will lie 16 inches nearer the center of the roadway than the front one, giving what is known as "set back."

The holes should be two inches in diameter. Care must be taken to hold the auger plumb in boring these holes, in order that the stakes shall fit properly. The hole to receive the forward end of the chain should be bored at the same time.

The two slabs should be held 30 inches apart by the stakes. Straight-grained timber should be selected for the stakes, so that each stake shall fit snugly into the two-inch hole when the two slabs are in the proper position. The stakes should taper gradually toward the ends. There should be no shoulder at the point where the stakes enter the slab. The stakes should be fastened in place by wedges only.

When the stakes have been placed in position and tightly wedged, a brace two inches thick and four inches wide should be placed diagonally to them at the ditch end, as shown in figure 1. The brace should be dropped on the front slab, so that its lower edge shall lie within an inch of the ground, while the other end should rest in the angle between the slab and the end stake.

A strip of iron about 3/4 feet long, three or four inches wide and one-quarter of an inch thick may be used for the blade. This should be attached to the front slab, so that it will be one-half inch below the lower edge of the slab at the ditch end, while the end of the iron toward the middle of the road should be flush with the edge of the slab. The bolts holding the blade in place should have flat heads and the holes to receive them should be countersunk.

If the face of the log stands plumb it is well to wedge out the lower edge of the blade with a three-cornered

strip of wood to give it a set like the bit of a plane.

A platform of inch boards held together by three cleats should be placed on the stakes between the slabs. These boards should be spaced at least an inch apart to allow any earth that may heap up and fall over the front slab to sift through upon the road again. The end cleats should be placed so that they will not rest upon the cross stakes, but drop inside them, while the middle cleat can be shifted to either side of the middle stake. These cleats should extend about an inch beyond the finished width of the platform.

An ordinary trace chain is strong enough to draw the implement, provided the clevis is not fastened through a link. The chain should be wrapped around the rear stake, then passed over the front slab. Raising the chain at this end of the slab allows the earth to drift past the face of the drag. The other end of the chain should be passed through the hole in the end of the slab and is held by a pin passed through a link. One and one-half trace chains are sufficient.

### GUARD AGAINST UNSIGHTLY FOWL

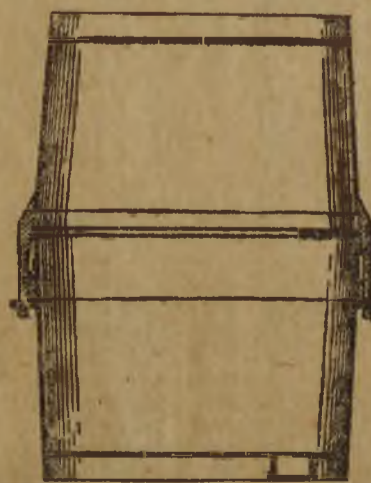
The Loss of Feathers on Cockerel's Neck is Generally Due to Pulling—Good Cure for Scurf.

The loss of feathers on the front of the male bird's neck is generally due to some feather pulling. If the wattles are long, he is apt to get some of the morning mash on them, as well as on some of the feathers on the neck. A hen noticing anything on the wattles of a male bird generally picks it off, and if there should be anything on the feathers near the wattles, it would be natural for her to also pick at them, and in this way may gradually get the neck bare. In cases where the head and back of the neck are bare, and upon which is found a substance like dust, it is due to scurf. For this trouble nothing is better than to first give a teaspoonful of castor oil, after which give, daily, a little condition powder in the food. Anoint the parts with vaseline or petroleum jelly. The loss of feathers on the backs of hens is usually caused by sharp claws of the male bird. File the nails a little blunt, and remove the afflicted hens to separate quarters, feeding a little sulphur in the soft food and anoint the skin with vaseline or petroleum jelly.

### HANDY BARREL IS DIVISIBLE

Made in Two Parts and Can be Used Several Times—Economical in the Long Run.

After the head has been knocked out of an old-style barrel its usefulness, except as a receptacle for ashes, is about over. A Nebraska man, however, has invented a cask that is made in two parts and can be used over and over again for any goods which can be transported in a carrier of this conception. Obviously some things, like flour, could not. The barrel is cut transversely through the middle and the outer edges of the



New Divisible Barrel.

two parts have rings, which fit closely together and prevent the egress of any substance. Threaded bolts, running through small rings and fastened therein with nuts help keep the parts together. Of course, a cask of this type costs much more than the old-style barrel, but it is claimed that it is even less expensive in the long run, owing to the number of times it can be used.

## WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOUR BABY?

The young mother—and many an old one, too—is often puzzled to know the cause of her child's ill nature. The loudness of its crying does not necessarily indicate the seriousness of its trouble. It may have nothing more the matter with it than a headache or a feeling of general dullness. It cannot, of course, describe its feelings, but as a preliminary measure you are safe in trying a mild laxative.

Nine times out of ten, you will find it is all the child needs, for its restlessness and peevishness are perhaps due to obstruction of the bowels, and once that has been remedied the headache, the sluggishness and the many other evidences of constipation and indigestion will quickly disappear.

Don't give the little one salts, cathartic pills or nasty waters, for these will act as purgatives, and they are too strong for a child. In the families of

Mrs. Ona Hawkins, Woodlawn, Illinois, Mrs. Mollie A. Brown, 340 Washington Ave., Chicago, Ill., the only laxative given is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It has been found to answer most perfectly all the purposes of a laxative, and its very mildness and freedom from gripping recommend it especially for the use of children, women, and old folks generally—people who need a gentle bowel stimulant. Thousands of American families have been enthusiastic about it for more than a quarter of a century.

Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way of a druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size) can have a sample bottle sent to the home free of charge by simply addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Your name and address on a postal card will do.

Definition of Velocity. Teacher—What is velocity, Johnny? Johnny—Velocity is what a chap lets go of a wasp with.

Distemper In all its forms among all ages of horses and dogs, cured and others in the same stable prevented from having the disease with Spohn's Distemper Cure. Every bottle guaranteed. Over 750,000 bottles sold last year. \$3.00 and \$1.00. Good druggists, or send to manufacturers. Agents wanted. Write for free book. Spohn Med. Co., Spec. Contagious Diseases, Goshen, Ind.

Sometimes a man who flatters gets even with a girl who flirts.

Lewis' Single Binder, straight 5c—many smokers prefer them to 10c cigars.

Apologies are perfectly satisfactory to those who make them.

It is by no means sufficient to make an auditor grin with laughter.

Lewis' Single Binder, extra quality tobacco, costs more than other 5c cigars.

Every corrupt judge examines badly the truth.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

It takes a bachelor to think that he understands women.

Blood Poisoning is often caused by slight cuts or wounds. Death may result. Hamlin's Wizard Oil will draw out the poison, heal the wound and prevent serious trouble.

After a man has been married about a year he begins to wonder why his friends didn't get busy and have him locked up before he did it.

## WOMAN'S ILLS

Many women suffer needlessly from girlhood to womanhood and from motherhood to old age—with backache, dizziness or headache. She becomes broken-down, sleepless, nervous, irritable and feels tired from morning to night. When pains and aches rack the womanly system at frequent intervals, ask your neighbor about



### Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

This Prescription has, for over 40 years, been curing delicate women, pain-wracked women, by the hundreds of thousands and this too in the privacy of their homes without their having to submit to indelicate questionings and offensively repugnant examinations.

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## Rayo Lamps and Lanterns

Scientifically constructed to give most light for the oil they burn. Easy to light, clean and rewick. In numerous finishes and styles, each the best of its kind.

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The assurance that goes with an established reputation is your assurance in buying W. L. Douglas shoes.

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**CAUTION** The genuine have W. L. Douglas name and price stamped on bottom.

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## Idaho Public Land Water Right \$50.00 per Acre

IN TWELVE ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS

The Wood River Project began its annual run of water for irrigation on March 29th, 1911. There has been no interruption in the service since the run began. There is no shortage of crop on this project this year.

### Some Things You Can Find on Wood River Project

Your choice of 20,000 Acres of new land. The best water right anywhere. Markets for everything you can raise. Good fruit land. Sheep and hogs to feed and feed for all of them every year.

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Market for one million pounds of butter. Market for all the chickens and eggs you can raise. The best potato soil on earth. Irrigation system complete and fully tested by two years use. Ample water, splendid soil.

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Always ready for use. Safest and most reliable. The Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater is just like a portable fireplace.

It gives quick, glowing heat whenever, whenever, you want it. A necessity in fall and spring, when it is not cold enough for the furnace. Invaluable as an auxiliary heater in mid-winter. Drums of blue enameled or plain steel, with nickel trimmings.

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## KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Miss Polly Branch spent Tuesday in Elgin.

Ralph Ort was a business caller in Elgin last Saturday.

Miss Dora Bell was a guest of Chicago friends Saturday.

A number from here were with nesses at Sycamore Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Sherman has taken the place of Miss Lila Whitney at the telephone office.

Mrs. H. G. Burgess and Miss Georgie Walker were Rockford visitors last Saturday.

Mr. Heitter, of Lena, Ill., is expected to take charge of the high room in a few days.

Mrs. R. S. Pratt was a Chicago visitor Tuesday, accompanied by Miss Grace Pratt, of Elgin.

The new seats for the Baptist church have arrived and will be placed in position this week.

Mrs. George Hunt, of Monroe Center, was a guest of her cousin, Mrs. E. J. Stewart, last Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Brown and son, Eddie, were guests at the home of her brother, C. S. Phelps Sunday.

Mesdames D. G. Ottman and John Keating entertained Mrs. G. W. Markely of Belvidere last week.

Supervisor and Mrs. D. B. Arbuckle spent a few days last week with their children near Malta.

Mrs. Lottie Whitney and daughters will move their household effects to Belvidere this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pratt moved from the Whitney house to their own home on railroad St. Wednesday.

Mrs. Laura Patterson was here from Rockford last Thursday, a guest at the home of her brother, E. J. Stewart.

Mrs. Albret Holroyd went to Chicago Tuesday to spend a few days with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bicksler are entertaining their granddaughter, Miss Alice Swartz, of Brainerd, Minn., who came Tuesday.

Mrs. O. F. Lucas, of Belvidere, spent last Thursday with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Burton. Their father, John Taylor, returned with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark, of Fairdale and Wm. Creighton, of Elgin, a confederate soldier attended the G. A. R. meeting last Wednesday at G. D. Wyllys.

An election was held Tuesday to decide whether the township of Kingston should be bonded for the sum of \$2,000 for the purpose of purchasing one or more pairs. The result was 3 votes majority for the park.

The M. E. ladies will hold their fall bazaar, Friday, Nov. 17. A chicken dinner and supper will be served. Useful articles will be for sale. A program will be given in the evening composed of readings by Miss Jamieson, of Rockford College and music by home talent. The admission to entertainment will be ten cents.

The members of the M. E. church and congregation tendered the pastor, C. A. Briggs and family a reception at the parsonage last Friday evening, carrying with them household commodities. It was a complete surprise to Rev. Briggs but his wife and daughter, Miss Alice, knew the plans of the surprisers. A most enjoyable evening was spent with these hospitable people.

The directors of the public school met at the school house Monday afternoon and informed B. E. Nelson, principal of the high room, that his services were no longer needed. The charge against him was drunkenness and he left the same afternoon for his home in Chicago. This is the first time in the history of our public school where such a change was performed against a principal.

### Court House News

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

##### Genoa

Frank J. Drake to John Canovan pt lots 15, 16 and 17, blk 6, Eureka, \$1265.

Eli J. F. Randle to Wm. S. Jeffrey, lot 4, blk 1, Patterson's, \$1200.

Wm. P. Lloyd to Anna Johnson pt n $\frac{1}{2}$  ne $\frac{1}{4}$  and se $\frac{1}{4}$  ne $\frac{1}{4}$  ne $\frac{1}{4}$  sw $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 1, \$1,300.

Chas. A. Brown to Frank J. Betzold, lts 10 and 11, blk 1, Browne's, \$700.

Frank J. Betzold to Catholic Bishop of Rockford, lots 10 and 11, blk 1, Browne's \$1.

##### Franklin

Albert D. Rote to Chas. F. Meyer, lots, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13 and 14, sw $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 11, \$900.

##### Paw Paw

Wm. C. Fraley to C. J. and J. J.

Baker und  $\frac{1}{2}$  (nw $\frac{1}{4}$  ne $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 23 and w $\frac{1}{2}$  se $\frac{1}{4}$  and se $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 14 and se $\frac{1}{4}$  se $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 15), \$20,900.

##### Kingston

Wm. Masterson to Chas. F. Meyers lot 12, sw $\frac{1}{4}$  sec 11, \$200.

#### Our Special Sale of Men's Furnishings

##### Ends Saturday Night

Come and get your share of the bargains before this sale comes to a close. A manufacturer's surplus of men's coat shirts worth 98c are priced in this sale at only 69c. They have plain or pleated fronts and cuffs are attached. There is still a good selection of patterns and a full range of sizes, but come quickly for they are selling fast at the special price. Splendid values are offered too, in warm underwear for men and boys; sweater coats, hats and other furnishings.

Theo. F. Swan,

Great Department Store, Elgin.

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Having decided to dissolve partnership, we have turned our entire stock over to C. W. Whittemore Co., Auctioneers, of St. Paul, Minn., who will close it out at Public Auction and Private Sale. This is an opportunity never before offered the people of Genoa and DeKalb County. A chance to buy goods at your own price, regardless of cost. Our loss is your gain, as everything must and will be sold at once for what it will bring. Your price is our price. Every dollar's worth will be sold right here in Genoa.

The Stock consists of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Furnishing Goods, Rubber Boots, Underwear, Felt Boots, Heavy Footwear of all kinds and everything pertaining to a modern, well-stocked general Clothing Store.

Ladies especially invited to attend this Sale!  
At start of the sale Boys' Suits will be about given away!

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## Saturday, Nov. 11, 1911

And continued from day to day until every article is sold

Auction every afternoon at 2:00 and evening at 7:00 o'clock

Don't Miss Underwear Day, Friday, Nov. 17  
When 100 Suits of Underwear will be Sold in 9 Minutes

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