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OF GENERAL INTEREST

ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS OF EXCHANGES

Arthur Guptill of Sycamore was arrested in Elgin Monday for wife abandonment.

Horse thieves stole a valuable 1100 pound bay horse from F. Kelley at Kaneville last week.

Geo. Blake of Belvidere was fined \$50.00 at Rockford last Thursday for driving a horse to death.

The annual tour of Ringling Bros. circus will begin Saturday night, April 7, at the Coliseum in Chicago.

Rev. J. B. Johnson of Danvers is the new congregational pastor at Kirkland. He was formerly located at Malta.

J. H. Patterson & Co. received a carload of timber from Oregon this week. The original cost was \$300 and the freight was \$400—Marengo News.

Parties are contemplating putting in a burial case factory in Belvidere. This is the first intimation that has gotten out that that city was in a dying condition.

Martin Mahon, of DeKalb asks in the Circuit Court \$10,000 damages from the DeKalb-Sycamore Electric company because workmen employed by the company let fall from a pole a chisel which struck the defendant edge down and penetrated his skull.

Alexander V. Combs has brought suit against the city of DeKalb for \$10,000. He slipped on a sidewalk on Gurier street, where, he says, the city negligently let the water overflow from a defective hydrant and freeze, causing him to fall and break his wrist.

The cutting off of passes by certain railroads calls to mind the remarks of an Irish orator in contrasting the differences in fares paid by the classes in the "ould" country and in America. He said: "Over there the aristocrats pay 3 cents a mile, the middle class 2 cents and the laborer a cent and a half. But in America the laboring man pays 3 cents a mile, the merchant pays 2 cents and the rich ride on passes!" And the Irishman was not far from wrong in his observations.

BASKET BALL TO-NIGHT

Genoa and Sycamore Athletics Will Meet at Crawford's Hall

The first and second teams of the Genoa and Sycamore Athletic Associations will meet at Crawford's hall this (Friday) evening.

It will be a contest worth seeing as the Sycamore five has been putting up some good exhibitions while the Genoa Athletics feel confident of making the visitors go the limit. First game will be called at 7:30. Admission 25 and 15 cents.

WM. KIERNAN SELLS OUT

Removes from Belvidere to Log Cabin Resort on Kishwaukee

William Kiernan has sold his slaughter house and business interests in Belvidere to Mr. Tuite of Rockford and is removing from Belvidere to the Log Cabin, located on the Kishwaukee river below Cherry Valley. Mr. Kiernan bought this place of John Peck a year or two ago and will make it his home.

Very Low Rates Southwest

February, 20 and March 6 and 20 the Wabash will sell home-seekers' tickets from Chicago to points in Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and the South at less than half rate for the round trip. Write for maps, time cards and full details. F. H. Tristram, A. G. P. A., 97 Adams St., Chicago, 23-5t

SECOND HONORS

Rev. C. A. Briggs, Formerly of Genoa, Takes Prize in Contest

Charles A. Briggs, formerly assistant pastor of the Genoa M. E. church won second prize in the Kirk Oratorical contest of Northwestern university last week. Besides the laurel wreath, which was presented to him for his work, Mr. Briggs, with the winner of the contest, will represent the Methodist University in the interstate contest, to be held at Oberlin college April 12.

Mr. Briggs chose as his subject "The Little White Slave." Mr. Briggs was a high school student at Elgin from 1896 to 1900. He entered Northwestern university in the fall of 1900. Since then he has had charge at South Elgin and Plato, and for two years was the assistant pastor and leader of the choir at the Genoa M. E. church.

Last year Mr. Briggs represented his university in the Northern Oratorical League. He now is a student at the Garret Biblical Institute of the university, having completed his work in the college of liberal arts.

MAGNUS WILSON

Former Genoa Resident Died Saturday at County Farm

Magnus Wilson was born in Sweden, September 6, 1827. He came to this country 36 years ago and settled north-west of Sycamore. Nine years later he moved to Genoa where his wife died in 1888. Three years ago he moved and made his home with his daughter where he has lived until about six weeks ago when his mind failed him and his relatives were unable to control him. He was taken to the county house where he passed away Saturday afternoon at five o'clock.

Services were held at the Genoa M. E. church Monday afternoon at one o'clock, Rev. T. E. Ream officiating.

WOODMEN BANNER MONTH

February Report of Head Physician Rutledge Shows Steady Growth

The month of February, although the shortest of the year, was a banner one for the Modern Woodmen of America in this state, as the report of Dr. J. A. Rutledge, the head physician will show.

Two thousand, two hundred ninety-one applications were received, 120 more than in the month of January; 2,146 were approved; 384 were returned for correction; 738 were received again; 55 old forms were received; 71 were restored to membership; the increase was 22; four were reinstated; 48 were held from form 107; eight were held from form 107½; fourteen were held to write; 73 were referred to supreme medical board; 40 were rejected by supreme medical board; three were reconsidered and 213 rejected.

Republican Caucus

The Republican voters of the town of Genoa are hereby notified that a Republican caucus will be held at the office of Jackman & son in the village of Genoa, on Saturday, March 17, 1906, from 2 to 7 o'clock p. m., for the purposes following: To place in nomination one Town Clerk, one Assessor, one Collector, one Commissioner of Highways, one Trustee of Schools, three Trustees for Ney cemetery, and to transact any other business which may come before the meeting.

Per order Republican Town Committee.

A SPLENDID SUPPER

SERVED IN DULL MONTH FOR GOOD CAUSE

BY THE GENOA AID SOCIETY

Only Twenty Cents for Enough Supper to Hold Even a Workingman a Week

There is only one such a supper served each year as the ladies of the Genoa Aid Society will serve in the M. E. church parlors next Friday evening, March 16.

Each year in the month of March the ladies have served a supper consisting of good things almost too numerous to mention, and while March is considered by a great many people to be a dull month, yet the ladies are doing all they can to make the supper and social event to be held next a "bright spot" in the lives of all who attend.

The tables will be spread with good things as early in the evening as five o'clock and supper will be served on into the evening until all have been served.

The professional classes, the business people, the mechanics, the farmers and the laborers are invited, and when they come they will find supper already for them.

The proceeds of the supper will be used by the ladies for the purpose of helping to pay the annual taxes on the church and parsonage property.

The various committees to plan and arrange for the supper have been appointed and as far as possible all the members of the Aid Society will assist.

The public is very cordially invited to take supper and enjoy a good social time in the M. E. church parlors.

The price for the supper will be only 20 cents.

The following is the list of the officers for 1906:

Mrs. D. S. Brown, President.
Mrs. M. E. Abraham, Vice Pres.
Mrs. Mary Crawford, Sec.
Mrs. R. McCormick, Treas.

RECOMMEND NEW JAIL

Grand Jury Reports Old Structure Unfit for Use and Past Repair

Another grand jury has visited the county jail and found it in about the same condition it has been for many years—entirely unfit for the use for which it is intended. In its report the grand jury said:

"We, the grand jury, visited the jail in a body and found the same clean and in a sanitary condition as existing conditions there permit. The east wing or the old part of the jail is in very poor repair and entirely unfit for use. The barn is in a dilapidated condition and it is not economy to repair the same and it demands immediate attention. We find no provision for the proper care of debtor, female or insane prisoners as required by law.

"We therefore request that the attention of the county board be called to the existing conditions and recommend that steps be taken at once (by way of securing plans and specifications so that entirely new buildings may be erected) as soon as the financial condition of the county will permit, on those grounds now owned by the county and that the same may be in keeping with the new court house and commensurate with the dignity, wealth and prosperity of DeKalb county. We do not recommend any further outlay of public funds on those old buildings except what immediate necessity may require."

Pure Pennsylvania Buckwheat Flour at T. M. Frazier's.

WEDDING AT LAFAYETTE

Miss Hattie Watson Becomes Bride of Virginia Man

Regarding the marriage of Miss Hattie Watson, well known in Genoa, at Lafayette, Ind., last Wednesday, the Courier says:

A simple but exceedingly pretty home wedding took place to-day at high noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Watson, the bride being their only child, Miss Hattie Porter Watson, and the bridegroom, Miles Norton Hough, of Portsmouth, Virginia. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Walter D. Cole, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church in Cincinnati. About seventy-five relatives and friends of the young couple were present. Mrs. W. F. Dumser of Elgin, Ill., acted as matron of honor, and was the bride's only attendant. The bride wore a handsome gown of cream colored Rajah silk, made belero effect, with circular skirt and trimmed with Irish point lace. She carried a shower bouquet of violets. Mrs. Dumser wore a beautiful princess gown of lavender, with white lace trimmings. Immediately after the ceremony luncheon was served. The dining room was decorated with smilax and flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Hough received a large collection of handsome and valuable gifts. The bride's gift to Mrs. Dumser was a gold necklace set with amethysts. The groom is employed as mechanical engineer at the Seaboard Airline at Portsmouth, Va., and will take his bride to that city for future residence.

FIRST WOODMAN DIES

Lewis G. Blaine, Who Circulated Petition for First Camp, Passes Away

After an illness of several months, Friday night, February 10, 1906, there passed from this life, Lewis G. Blaine, at Eagle Grove, Iowa.

In November, 1882, Mr. Blaine circulated the first chapter petition for members to the first camp of the Modern Woodmen of America, and on January 5, 1883, it was formally instituted as "Pioneer Camp, No. 1, at Lyons, Iowa," with twenty-one members. The first head camp of the Woodmen was organized soon after with J. C. Root as head consul, Albert Hilton, head clerk, and Lewis G. Blaine as head banker. Mr. Blaine was the first person to become a member of the order which in twenty-three years has grown to a membership of 750,000.

OLD SETTLER CHALLENGED

To Show Proof That He Is the Oldest Settler in DeKalb County

The claim of Peter M. Miller to being the oldest settler in DeKalb county is challenged by Ray M. Sebree of Hinckley, Ill. He declares that W. M. Sebree of that place has been a resident of the county longer than Miller.

He declares that Sebree came there in 1834 and that he has lived there constantly since. He also declares that Sebree is in possession of a gold-headed cane presented to him by the Old Settlers' association, and that if Miller wants to accept the challenge to come forward.

Odd Fellows Elect

At the regular meeting of Genoa Lodge, No. 768, I. O. O. F., Monday evening the following officers were elected for the coming six months: T. E. Ream, Noble Grand; C. D. Schoonmaker, Vice Grand; J. W. Sowers, Secretary; H. J. Merritt, Treasurer; Wm. Watson, H. J. Merritt, T. M. Frazier, H. N. Olmsted and C. D. Schoonmaker, Trustees.

EDITOR TAKES A RIDE

HANDLES REINS OVER BACK OF MASONIC GOAT

VISITING BROTHERS PRESENT

Ladies of the Eastern Star Serve Excellent Supper at Crawford's Hall After the Journey

The editor returned during the small hours Thursday morning from a remarkable and glorious journey, and this article is written under circumstances peculiar to shattered nerves and a much distressed constitution—the journey having been made on the back of the frisky Masonic goat. Since the ordeal it has been brought to light that the goat had been fed for a week on nothing less than question marks, exclamation points and dashes with a great preponderance of the latter. Is it any wonder that the hand that pushes the quill is rather shaky this morning?

And to make matters more interesting for the traveler there were many visitors present from out of town, besides the large number of Genoa members, scattered along the route, who continually goaded the goat on to his best efforts. But the editor, remembering the family he must support, stuck to the goat like glue and never for a moment so far forgot himself as to get in front of the beast.

After the work of the evening the entire bunch of fellows repaired to Crawford's hall where an excellent supper was awaiting them, having been prepared by the ladies of the Eastern Star Chapter. There were lots of good things and they were appreciated by the tired candidate as well as the fellows who had tired themselves out driving the goat—no one had the temerity to lead him.

The following visitors were present:

McHenry: Nicholas Hironamus Petesch, John Evanson, J. C. Parks, John Miller.
Hampshire: Frank Channing, Jas. Reams, E. C. Cripps, Mr. Able, P. C. Keyes, E. L. Dalton, Walter Channing, T. Larkin, A. Reed, V. P. Doty, Fred Matlan, C. E. Gift, W. A. Geithman, F. E. Ball, C. H. Click.

Sycamore: Dan Hohn, C. M. Tewksbury, G. E. Singer, W. Langlois, L. M. Gross, S. T. Armstrong.

Kirkland: L. Silverman, Chas. Olson, A. W. Haller, M. P. Murphy, W. A. Goff, John Kope, R. F. Riddle, A. E. McCormick, H. Willard, Riley Brown.
Huntley: C. L. Passmore, C. R. Patchin.
Burlington: Jas. Hutchison, Jr.
Kingston: J. E. Moore, Bert Holroyd.

Eyes Tested Free



Jos. Rendell, graduate optician, will be at Dr. C. H. Mordoff's office Saturday evenings and Sundays for the purpose of fitting glasses. Office hours: Saturday, 7 to 8 p. m.; Sunday, 9 to 12 a. m., 1 to 3 p. m. All work guaranteed.

Basket Social

The Henry Olmsted school will give an entertainment and basket social at the school house Friday evening, March 16. A prize will be given to the lady whose basket will be sold at the highest price. Proceeds will be used for school supplies. Public cordially invited.

Butter Price Drops to 27

The Elgin butter price dropped from 28½ cents to 27 cents Monday. There were no offerings nor sales.

MILK BY MACHINERY

New Method Being Successfully Employed Near Elgin

The latest improved cow milking machinery has invaded Kane county on the farm of H. A. Bowles near Elgin and his neighbors are awaiting results which Mr. Bowles says will solve the problem of dairy farm labor in this district.

"I had to do something to make dairying pay," says Mr. Bowles, "and so I investigated the milking machine proposition and find that it works like a charm. I have had my two machines about two weeks. There is a clause in my contract which provides that I must not admit strangers to my barn until the cows are broken to the machines. This requires about a month.

E. S. Eno, superintendent of the Borden factories at Elgin, and his milk inspector were refused admittance to the Bowles barn after the machine had been in use for ten days. Manufacturers say that the uninitiated gain a poor impression from the work done if allowed to see a green herd of cows becoming used to the milking machine. Usually the animals become frightened at first and refuse to give up their milk.

Mr. Bowles has a herd of fifty cows, but is milking only twenty-five with the two machines. He says he ought to have six machines for such a herd. On the H. B. Gurler farm in DeKalb county Mr. Bowles saw six machines milk sixty-four cows in one hour and a quarter and do a cleaner job than six men could do in that length of time. Mr. Bowles is breaking in an average of two cows a day.

While farmers in that section expect the milking machine to save them money in farm labor they are wondering whether or not the Borden Condensed Milk Co. will reduce milk prices accordingly.

Speaking of milking machines, labor and farm matters generally, a large farm owner said: "It is getting so any drunken bum who can sit under a cow can get a job at \$20 or \$30 a month, board, washing and everything else thrown in. He will bargain to milk only so many cows and if you need any more help at milking time you have to call on your wife and children."

IN A WOMAN'S POWER

Melodrama at Crawford's Hall, Friday Evening, March 16

An event of exceptional interest is the engagement at the Genoa opera house for Friday evening, March 16, of "In a Woman's Power," a great melodrama in four acts. It is said that the instantaneous hit the piece made has led to the cancellation of many one-night stands in which it was booked so as to enable the manager to accept contracts in larger cities. The engagement in this city will be kept. Managers Crawford & Stott have an iron-clad contract to this effect.

The management of this company does not believe in the too common system of "one or two giving the whole show," but organized what is undoubtedly one of the strongest casts ever offered before a Genoa audience.

Burned Out at Night

The old house on the Snow farm north of Genoa was burned to the ground Tuesday night. It was a poor structure and the loss amounts to very little. The place was occupied at the time of the fire by Fred Sell and family. Mrs. Sell took time to fully dress the children before leaving the house after the flames were discovered.

WIN THE LAST GAME

GENOA HIGHS CLOSE THE SEASON WITH VICTORIES

THIS TIME 'T WAS BELVIDERE

These Games Closed the High School Basketball Season in Genoa—Baseball Next

The Belvidere high school basketball teams, which claimed all kinds of honors last season despite the fact that Genoa had made them dig a few times, could not keep up the pace this season, for on Friday night the Genoa teams knocked their prospects into a cocked hat. The Genoa boys won by a score of 40 to 17 and the girl won 24 to 10.

The games were attended by a large and enthusiastic crowd of rooters who were well pleased with the showing made by the locals. From the first blast of the whistle to the final call of the time keeper the Genoa boys and girls were on edge, keeping the visitors guessing continually. Genoa's easy victory does not signify that the Belvidere players were inferior by any means, but simply chinses the argument that the Republican-Journal has put up from the opening of the season—the Genoa high school basketball teams are the best in the country in point of agility and knowledge of the game. The girls team, composed of Louise Stewart, Margaret Hutchison, Sabie Leonard and Anna Kiernan, is hard to beat. They play an excellent game as individuals and do not sacrifice good team work for personal glory. This fact alone accounts for many of their victories.

The boys' team, which consists of Paul Stott, Abriam Crawford, John Downing, Floyd Stevens and Carl Harvey, is as fast as any in this vicinity and would have made even a better showing for the season had team work been given more consideration.

The boys will soon go into training for the base ball team which gives promise of being a winner this season as it was last.

OTHERS MAY WANT 'JONES'

DuPage County Police Arrest Him on Car for Stealing Coat from Seat

In the arrest of C. W. Jones for stealing an overcoat on the third rail car, DuPage county authorities believe they have captured one who may be wanted by officials in other cities.

When arrested by Deputy Sheriff Prickett about midnight Wednesday, Jones said he lived in Elgin. He and a pal had entered the 11:30 o'clock car at Elgin and on nearing the St. Charles road caught up an overcoat belonging to one of the passengers, but the gentleman in the next seat raised a cry and the conductor interfered. When the car reached the St. Charles road one of the men jumped off but Jones was detained. On reaching Wheaton he was given into the custody of Deputy Sheriff Prickett.

Jones was taken before Justice DeWolf, Thursday, for a hearing and his case continued until Saturday that an effort may be made to establish his identity. He is described as about 35 years of age, of medium build and height, and has a sandy mustache. So far as the local police had learned today there is no Elgin "Jones" answering that description. He claims to have been employed on the pile driver on the DeKalb electric line.

"After a thorough investigation today the police learned that C. W. Jones formerly roomed in Elgin on Grove Avenue and that he owed the land lady a small sum of money. Nothing could be learned regarding his pal, who jumped from the car."

FARM, ORCHARD & GARDEN



THE APPLE TREE.

Trimming the apple tree is a tough question. What is an excellent rule for the close, upright growers would be the reverse for the open, straggling ones. Any way, the trimming should be done while the tree is young, and never to such an extent as to expose the main branches. And it makes little difference to health or productiveness whether the dead wood be taken out of the old trees or not. Of course, dead wood does not help the looks of an orchard, nor is it a convenience in gathering the crops.

It is a question as to the age we should grow an apple orchard, some contending that on account of giving finer fruit, ease of spraying, of cultivating and gathering fruit, the young orchard only pays, and that it is cheaper to grow young trees than old ones. In the average year the margin of profit is not large, therefore it is not worth while to use great care to preserve old trees from decay caused by trimming. In fact, it is not necessary to trim off dead wood when the tree is dormant and the bark is tight as no material damage will be done to the trees. Gathering the fallen fruit is important on account of contagion of fungous diseases, as ripe-rot. As to the codling moth, unless apples are blown off by high wind, he is always gone before the apple falls, so we catch him by spraying.

The borer is said to work only under the protection of weeds or litter. If the soil is kept clean there is little danger. However, better keep looking for his work. A little sawdust is evidence. If you see the sawdust look for the borer and get him out. Have had little experience, but know he kills trees when left to have his own way.

The flat-headed borer has been troublesome to us. This borer is sure to attack the tree where the sun strikes trunk or limb. The remedy is to cut him out. If the tree has a crook, let it be planted so the sun will not strike that portion. Plant young trees and keep them growing. Form the head low and dense enough to shade.

The best place to store your machinery is the shed. And when you are not provided with one make use of your barn floor. You need not construct an expensive shed for this purpose. The object sought is to keep out rains and snows if possible. A shed with a slanting roof, with three of its sides boarded, while the fourth is left open, will give a reasonable satisfaction. In such a shed the implements may be easily conveyed to and taken out when needed. Many good farmers practice taking their implements into sheds every evening and taking them out again for work in the morning. They have found that the expense of putting up an implement shed will more than pay for its cost the first year in the saving of machinery. A little rusting may practically ruin a plow for use in soil which tends to clog and a single winter's rusting may injure a plow more than a full season of heavy service in the field.

LAYING HENS AND FEED.

Wheat is an excellent feed either for the growing chick or laying hen, and oats comes in a good third after wheat. I have never known chickens to be hurt by whole oats—in fact, I feed them that way, and have for years. There are some persons who will argue that a hen cannot be too fat to lay, but I know better than that. The accumulation of fat is decidedly against reproduction, the organs containing the egg becoming what is known as egg bound, i. e., smothered with fat and overheated. One thing noticeable, the hens that are almost constant layers, though they be of the Asiatic breeds, seldom take on too much fat, though plenty of food is within reach all of the time. The main thing is to keep them moving and exercising. If the hens are not laying, and taking on, as you think, too much fat, withdraw all heating food such as mash or corn, and give whole oats. This is a bulky food, and while it keeps up strength and satisfies hunger it keeps down an overplus of fat. A spoonful or two of raw chopped meat fed once a day with the oats is strengthening and induces the productive organs to renewed activity.

Distemper is a disease common to horses that, as a rule, requires no treatment, as it runs out and the animal gets well in about ten days. It is recognized by swellings under the jaw and sometimes below the ear, and if form abscesses containing pus and if not lanced will in time burst of themselves. The animals should not be worked, but fed on good food, with plenty of good water, and if bowels are constipated, a quart of raw linseed oil should be given carefully as a drench by the mouth, never by the nose, and if kidneys are sluggish give a teaspoonful of powdered saltpeter once a day for several days.

WORK FOR MARCH.

Get your hot beds ready. Along the 40 to 42 parallels, seeds of any garden products should be sown by March 20. Then after one transplanting strong plants will be ready for the garden May 1. At and above 42 it is better to delay seeding until April 5, and remove to the field May 15.

Have you been over the orchard, gathering, as far as possible, all the worm nests, insect egg clusters, etc? If not, find a leisure day for it before the season opens. It will be time well spent.

On a hundred thousand farms where no fruit is grown a strawberry bed should be planted this spring. Order well known varieties from some reliable nursery.

Getting the tools in order is seasonable work. The fruit packages should be made up, so saving time in the busy season. Children of 10 or 12 years find this a pleasant occupation and become very expert at it.

It is not wise to remove mulching from strawberry plants until growth starts. Manure hauling should be finished, feed provided for teams and fuel in place for the kitchen. Everything should be done now, with the view of saving time in the busy weeks of April and May.

"Set out trees, adorn the home-grounds, make them pleasant all around. With the elm, the oak, the maple, let the evergreen abound. Make that home of yours so pleasant that the boy with you to-day. When he arrives at manhood and in foreign lands does stray. Will turn, with longing heart and loving eye, to the home among the trees. Which he helped to plant in boyhood; longing there to take his ease."

Set out trees, yes, plant an orchard; dear good people do you know. Of the wealth there is in fruit trees for the labor you bestow. How the apples turn to money, with the peaches, plums and pears. And the luscious ripe red cherries, all the fruit the orchard bears. Little children love the fruit trees, how they wait with their delight. For the blooming of the fruit trees, clad in robes of pink and white.

KAFFIR CORN.

How do you suppose Kaffir corn would do in the southern part of North Dakota? A. J.

We have never had any personal experience in growing kaffir corn. Startling reports come from Kansas and Nebraska claiming that it is a tremendous fodder producer. It likewise produces a large crop of seed which is claimed to be as rich and nutritious as corn. We understand that it is particularly adapted to arid or dry climates, as it resists droughts and the withering hot sun. It has been grown with some success as far north as the southern part of North Dakota. We would suggest trying a small piece before risking too much. It does well on sandy land. We very much doubt whether it will surpass corn fodder when the conditions are favorable for it.

The plows will be running soon. It is of more importance that the soil should be pulverized as deeply as it is stirred than that the plow should run deep and that only surface should be pulverized. The rule is, plow only as deep as the soil will be thoroughly fined. Plants get no nutriment from clods, and in a drouth, fields that were poorly prepared suffer the most. In the press of work land is sometimes plowed when it is too wet, and damaged so much that it practically is ruined for a year or more.

DAIRY NOTES.

Nature prepared the cow for a mother and made her milk rich enough for her calf. So long as man did not tamper with the composition of the milk it was all right. But when man took it into his head to increase the percentage of fat in the milk through selection of the cows giving the richest milk, trouble began for the calf. The calf's digestive system proved quite incapable of using a greatly increased percentage of fat. In time it was found that some cows gave milk so rich that it killed the calf. The remedy was and is to raise the calves of such cows on the milk of cows not noted as butter makers.

It is a fact not generally realized among the raisers of calves, that these animals can assimilate whole corn at a very early age. As early as when the calf is two months of age, whole corn will be readily eaten and completely digested. This remains true up to the time the calf is a year old. During this period of about ten months the calves digest corn more perfectly than ever after, their stomachs at that time being fitted for the using of highly concentrated feed. This fact is especially valuable to those that are trying to raise calves on separator skim-milk.

FRUIT TREE PRUNING.

One of the jobs every fruit grower should attend to during the last half of March and the first week of April, before the buds of fruit trees swell, is pruning. For every cut there should be a good reason, and we here give some of them.

Branches that are more vigorous in growth than the average of the whole tree top should be removed or shortened in severely.

Branches out of place, such as water sprouts, and sprouts throughout the tops that are either in clusters or coming out on the sides of the limbs and are out of harmony with the regular growth should be removed.

Limbs making sharp forks or weak joints with the main trunk or other limbs that will in time split or break should be removed when small.

Limbs that are weak and make too little growth should be removed.

Branching crowding too much may be thinned out.

Trees that are showing a large crop of fruit buds and that are likely to overbear should have some of these fruiting branches removed so as to thin the fruit.

There are some things that should not be done in pruning. Do not prune from the trunk outward, and do not remove the fruit spurs from a branch. If thinning the fruit is desirable remove the whole branch, as indicated above. Too many stand on the ground to prune, and cut away only such branches as they can reach when such pruning is often a damage. Shorten in and make limbs branch as they will become stocky and thicker rather than slim and leggy. Don't cut away at the center of the tree in such a way as to make every limb a long lever and no possible place to grow fruit except near the outer ends. Such pruning makes miserable trees and lessens the bearing power of the trees.

It is usually well when you get through with your implements and at times when machinery should be laid away for the season to look over all parts carefully and if in need of repairs attend to it at once. All parts should be cleaned and dusted. You can protect the iron from rusting by painting or giving it a coat of linseed oil, because this prevents the moisture and air from coming in contact with the iron. You, as a farmer, need not necessarily be a machinist, but you should know some of the fundamental principles underlying the care and use of your machinery. Much of the character and the degree of success is displayed in the farmer by the way he keeps things on and about his premises. By all means see to it that your machinery is properly stored in the shed during the winter.

SELECTING SEEDS.

If a selection of flower seeds has not already been made, no time should be lost in making it now and in purchasing what seeds are required as soon as possible. The pleasure of examining seed catalogues and making a judicious choice is almost as great as the growing of the flowers themselves. While there is considerable fascination in the trial of novelties, something superior to anything ever raised before, it should be borne in mind that some of the old standard varieties which have stood the test of many years are as beautiful as they ever were, and sometimes even more so than untried novelties which cost many times the price of old varieties. Beginners in flower culture cannot do better than to buy some of the assortment of collections offered by nearby seedmen. Generally these contain some of the best and easiest cultivated flowers to be had.

In finishing a bunch of steers for the market remember that exclusive corn feeding does not give the best results, but that more economical gains can be made by feeding in connection with corn from one to three pounds of gluten feed or oil meal per day to each steer. This helps balance up the ration, gives the animal a better appetite, and keeps the steer in a healthy and vigorous condition.

COLD GRAFTING WAX.

Every orchardist knows what trouble it is top grafting in cold weather in spring time to warm his wax. He has to carry some kind of heating apparatus along with him, and by some carelessness if the wax is too hot, it is possible the bark of the stock or scions will get burnt. This never occurs when cold grafting wax is used and it is not very costly if made as follows:

One pound of resin melted slow on the stove. When it is melted, warm two and one-half ounces of alcohol and one tablespoonful of linseed oil; add this to the melted resin. Put in a tin pot, mix well and let cool slowly and then close hermetically. This wax can be put on with a stick or brush, put on small wounds, and is very useful for grafting. This grafting wax we can use in any kind of weather, warm or cold, dry or moist.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA

A Desperately Serious Case Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Brought to the very verge of starvation by the rejection of all nourishment, her vitality almost destroyed, the recovery of Mrs. J. A. Wyatt, of No. 1189 Seventh street, Des Moines, Iowa, seemed hopeless. Her physicians utterly failed to reach the seat of the difficulty and death must have resulted if she had not pursued an independent course suggested by her sister's experience.

Mrs. Wyatt says: "I had pain in the region of the heart, palpitation and shortness of breath so that I could not walk very fast. My head ached very badly and I was seized with vomiting spells whenever I took any food. A doctor was called who pronounced the trouble gastritis, but he gave me no relief. Then I tried a second doctor without benefit. By this time I had become very weak. I could not keep the most delicate brooch on my stomach, and at the end of a month I was scarcely more than skin and bone and was really starving to death."

"Then I recalled how much benefit my sister had got from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and decided to take them in place of the doctor's medicine. It proved a wise decision for they helped me as nothing else had done. Soon I could take weak tea and crackers and steadily more nourishment. In two weeks I was able to leave my bed. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were the only thing that checked the vomiting and as soon as that was stopped my other difficulties left me. I have a vigorous appetite now and am able to attend to all the duties of my home. I praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People to all my friends because I am thoroughly convinced of their merit."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists and by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

Prof. Wyman's Point Told.

Prof. Wyman of Harvard university, in lecturing recently to a class in economics upon the law limiting the liability of stockholders of a bankrupt corporation to the amount of their respective stocks, told the story, by way of illustration, of a business man who, when he saw insolvency approaching, transferred all his property to his wife, his sister and his sister-in-law, and formed of them a corporation to escape his creditors. When the professor had finished, he turned to one of the students and said, "Mr. Green, what would you say of this action?"

Mr. Green, who had listened to the story with more attention than he usually gave to a lecture, answered with considerable enthusiasm: "Golly, I guess he had 'em fooled all right."

Trees Becoming Scarce.

It is almost an instinct with descendants of the earlier settler of this country that trees are to be got out of the way so as to make land for cultivation. Until recently there were too many trees and clearing land was one of the hard, necessary tasks. Now the condition is different but the old feeling that there are always plenty of trees lingers, and with it the notion that a little extra labor in cutting and hauling timber so as to preserve the forest is sheer waste of time. But the forests are disappearing in some places where they are much needed and they do not return for a long time when they have been cut clean.—Hartford, Conn., Times.

A PERFECT HAND.

How Its Appearance Became Familiar to the Public.

The story of how probably the most perfect feminine hand in America became known to the people is rather interesting.

As the story goes the possessor of the hand was with some friends in a photographer's one day and while talking, held up a piece of candy. The pose of the hand with its perfect contour and faultless shape attracted the attention of the artist who proposed to photograph it. The result was a beautiful picture kept in the family until one day, after reading a letter from someone inquiring as to who wrote the Postum and Grape-Nuts advertisements, Mr. Post said to his wife, "We receive so many inquiries of this kind, that it is evident some people are curious to know, suppose we let the advertising department have that picture of your hand to print and name it 'A Helping Hand.'" (Mrs. Post has assisted him in preparation of some of the most famous advertisements.)

There was a natural shrinking from the publicity, but with an agreement that no name would accompany the picture its use was granted.

The case was presented in the light of extending a welcoming hand to the friends of Postum and Grape-Nuts, so the picture appeared on the back covers of many of the January and February magazines and became known to millions of people.

Many artists have commented upon it as probably the most perfect hand in the world.

The advertising dept. of the Postum Co. did not seem able to resist the temptation to enlist the curiosity of the public, by refraining from giving the name of the owner when the picture appeared but stated that the name would be given later in one of the newspaper announcements, thus seeking to induce the readers to look for and read the forthcoming advertisements to learn the name of the owner.

This combination of art and commerce and the multitude of inquiries furnishes an excellent illustration of the interest the public takes in the personal and family life of large manufacturers whose names become household words through extensive and continuous announcements in newspapers and periodicals.

Great Simplon Tunnel Now in Full Operation



First Train Through the Great Simplon Tunnel.

The Simplon tunnel is now open for traffic and is in operation. The first train made a successful and uneventful trip through it. This is the third great tunnel through the Alps, the two others being the St. Gothard and Mont Cenis. The Simplon is the most expensive of all and will have the most traffic. It will make the four-

ney over the mountains by the great monasteries unnecessary. Napoleon led his army into Italy over the surface of the ground under which the Simplon runs. The Italians have made arrangements to blow up the tunnel in the event of war with France or Germany.

MISSOURI ADDING TO WEALTH.

Ranks High as Manufacturing as Well as Agricultural State.

For many years Missouri ranked next to Illinois and Iowa for corn acreage; it took high rank as a fruit and wine producing state and was fourth on the list of American states in wine. Missouri corn, Missouri apples and Missouri grapes were admittedly excellent products. Within five years, however, the manufactures of Missouri have increased 30 per cent. In place of cornrowing, but not to the neglect of that industry. Missouri has taken up meatpacking, to the amount of \$60,000,000 last year. Tobacco yielded \$30,000,000 and malt liquors \$25,000,000. The trade in boots and shoes in which St. Louis is a formidable rival of Boston, was \$25,000,000 and in foundry and machine shop products, made profitable through the recent development of Missouri's iron, lead and zinc mines, \$20,000,000. Instead of being a distinctly agricultural state Missouri has become one of the chief manufacturing states of the country.—New York Sun.

BUSINESS METHODS ON FARM.

Agriculture No Longer Profitable Conducted in Haphazard Way.

Thousands of farmers in the more opulent agricultural regions of the country still conduct their farms in a haphazard way, but everywhere the advantage and necessity of the business spirit are being recognized. The west has been warned, for example, that the fertilizer problem of the east and the south will have to be met before many better rotations and economy of land is being preached. It is now generally accepted as a truism that the better the business man the agriculturist of to-day becomes, the more profitable will be found that occupation which once was described by a keen, though not wholly wise farmer, in the statement that "farmin' ain't all keepin' books, by a long shot."—Boston Globe.

Milliners and Theater Men War.

London theatrical managers view with concern this new wrinkle of women wearing hats with full dress evening toilettes and thereby transporting what is termed the "restaurant dress" to the stalls of playhouses. Nothing can induce this elaborately put together person to disturb the composition by removing its crowning glory her \$50 hat. The great milliners are in league with their patronesses and "create" such evening millinery it is sinful to abandon it even for an hour or so. It is expected that some slaves to the beautiful would even sleep in their hats if they could. The London milliner and the London manager are at odds. It is war to the knife between them.

Senator Good Judge of Character.

While seated at luncheon with Senator Nixon of Nevada, Senator Anthony of Washington, who has been in the senate three years, remarked that he had been attending meetings of the canal committee and had been much impressed with the ability of "a short, smooth-faced young fellow" who seemed to have some sort of connection with the committee. Said Mr. Ankeny: "I believe that young fellow has a fine future. He is working for the committee apparently and why, there he is now." Senator Nixon glanced in the direction indicated and said: "That is Philander C. Knox, former attorney general of the United States and now senator from Pennsylvania."

Music's Many Uses.

It is a reasonable proposition that music intelligently administered will produce definite results in disease treatment. It supplies a stimulant, both psychic and physical. In melancholia and insanity music stimulates the attention centers, withdraws the attention from self and so effects a cure. Take the business man, so fagged that he cannot control his attention. Let music be softly and continuously played; his attention will be centered, then tired and he will sleep like a child.—New York Sun.

MARKING HISTORIC OLD TRAILS

Eastern Journal Praises Movement Now General in West.

A movement is spreading through the West which has for its object the permanent marking of the old trails along which the country was penetrated and crossed by adventurers and emigrants in the period before the construction of railroads. This is a highly praiseworthy undertaking and to the degree that the object is faithfully accomplished will be a more noteworthy contribution to history than many of the books that are so classed. Out in Kansas they have a "trail day," which is observed in the Kansas public schools. This year the day was observed last month. The purpose of it is to instruct the children in the history of the old Santa Fe trail, with its significance in the growth of the west and through the interest thus aroused in the community to raise money for marking the course of the trail which stretched for 400 miles across what is now the state of Kansas when it was a wilderness.—Boston Herald.

FARMS AWAITING THE FARMER.

Glorious Chance for the Suffering Residents of City Slums.

All over the country there are farms crying for tilling and there are few responses. The lure of the city has absorbed thousands of the best young people of the agricultural district. If no plan is found for keeping young men and women on the farms, then a large scheme of emptying the cities of their poor and helpless should be evolved. It is one of the incomprehensible phases of the situation that, no matter how poor and suffering the average family of the city slums may be, it prefers to suffer the miseries of the tenements rather than go out in the country where healthful employment awaits all and where the pure air will revive debilitated bodies and the sunshine win back the feeble tides of life.—Kansas City Journal.

Goat Dairying is Profitable.

I have often wondered why English agricultural laborers do not keep goats for the sale of the rich milk they yield. They cost very little to keep as goats will eat any kind of vegetable food, so long as it is clean and fresh. We learn from Woman that two Frenchwomen have made a great success of goat farming; one, Mme. la Comtesse de la Boulaye, especially has created in Brittany a large industry of butter and cheese making from the milk of her large herd of goats. The butter is such a delicacy that she can hardly meet the demands for it and is just about to turn her private enterprise into a company, so that means can be taken to supply the quantity required by the public.—The House Beautiful.

Union Looked Upon as Ideal.

The romantic career of the marquis of Gratam reached a climax when his engagement was announced to Lady Mary Hamilton, the richest heiress in England. He is 27, has been before the mast, has served on Lord Brassey's yacht, has worked with the naval brigade in South Africa and has been press censor at Cape Town. He is very good looking, while his future bride can best be described as comely. She has \$2,225,000, as well as an annuity of \$35,000, while her estates are worth \$125,000 a year more. From a Scotch point of view a union of the heir of Monroise to the only child of a duke of Hamilton is positively inspiring and ideal.

Description of Watersput.

A scientist says of a watersput that passed over a certain district in France last summer: "Its passage was accompanied by a sound which is described as resembling that of a battery of artillery drawn on the gallop over a paved street. At the base of an extended nimbus hung the reversed one characteristic of phenomena of this kind. A strong wind was then blowing from the south-south-west. The watersput was preceded by a storm and followed by a shower."

DAZED WITH PAIN.

The Sufferings of a Citizen of Olympia, Wash.

L. S. Gorham, of 516 East 4th St., Olympia, Wash., says: "Six years ago I got wet and took cold, and was soon flat in bed, suffering

tortures with my back. Every movement caused an agonizing pain, and the persistence of it exhausted me, so that for a time I was dazed and stupid. On the advice of a friend I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and soon noticed a change for the better. The kidney secretions had been disordered and irregular, and contained a heavy sediment, but in a week's time the urine was clear and natural again and the passages regular. Gradually the aching and soreness left my back and then the lameness. I used six boxes to make sure of a cure, and the trouble has never returned."

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

Fined the Dead Man \$25. The judge's decision in a case settled a few years ago in Millinocket, Me., probably will not serve as a precedent, but no exception to it was reported.

An Italian laborer was killed while at work on a dam at the pulp mills. At the hearing before the local justice there was found in a pocket a roll of bills containing \$25, and hidden in one of the boot legs was found a dirk knife.

As there was no probate court within many miles of the town, the judge was at a loss to know what disposal should be made of the money. Finally he hit upon the solution. The court took charge of the money and fined the corpse \$25 for carrying concealed weapons.

Rich, Juicy Radishes Free.

Everybody loves juicy, tender radishes. Salzer knows this, hence he offers to send you absolutely free sufficient radish seed to keep you in tender radishes all summer long and his great

SALZER'S BARGAIN SEED BOOK, with its wonderful surprises and great bargains in seeds at bargain prices.

The enormous crops on our seed farms the past season compel us to issue this special catalogue.

SEND THIS NOTICE TO-DAY, and receive the radishes and the wonderful Bargain Book free.

Remit 4c and we add a package of Cosmos—the most fashionable, serviceable, beautiful annual flower. John A. Salzer Seed Co., Lock Drawers W., La Crosse, Wis.

His First Words.

"Gee!" remarked simple old Farmer Hoo, "that wed' better have Andrew stop studyin' so hard. 'Tain't good for his mind."

"I haven't noticed anythin' onusual," answered his wife.

"No? But I have. When he come home from school for his holidays, after traveling scores and scores of miles, what do ye think his fust words was?"

"I d'no."

"He says: 'Well, father, I'm half-back now.'"

"I looked at 'im, and I says: 'What do you mean?'"

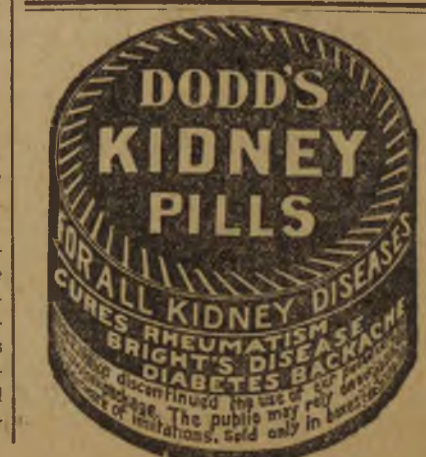
"I says: 'Andrew, don't ye realize where 'yare? Ye ain't half-back. Ye're all the way back, and I'm glad to see ye, too.' An' all he done was to jes' laugh and say he'd tell me all about it some time."

A Biblical Argument.

Dorothy Drew, Gladstone's little granddaughter, one day positively refused to get up, and her grandfather had to be called to overawe the rebel. "Why don't you get up, Dorothy?" he asked. "Because the Bible doesn't approve of early rising, grandfather," was the unexpected reply. "Really, Dorothy," said the astonished statesman, "you must be mistaken." "Oh, no, I'm not," she persisted. "Here it is." And she turned to the second verse of the one hundred and twenty-seventh Psalm—"It is vain for you to rise up early." The old parliamentarian had nothing more to say. The argument floored him.—London Tatler.

First Paper Made in England.

The first English paper maker was John Tate, who founded a mill at Hertford at the close of the fifteenth century. Tate made a fine thin paper, having for a watermark an eight pointed star within a double circle. White coarse paper was made by Sir John Spelman, a German at Dartford in 1580, and here the first English paper mills on a large scale were erected. Till 1690, however, when William III. passed an act to encourage the home manufacture of white paper, all the best paper for writing and printing was imported from Holland and France.



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BECAUSE that girl smiles at you, young man, it is no sign that she is pleased with your appearance. She may be only amused.

THE township high school proposition will surely come to a vote again this spring, and there should be a full vote of the people. Study the question and vote intelligently.

THE high license law in Chicago will add between one and three million dollars annually to the city's revenue. More policemen, more protection (?) and more graft.

THE annual report comes from the peach country that the frost nipped the buds. Of course these reports are given out every year to vinticate the packers who are continually pushing the bottom of the baskets toward the top.

I am a candidate for the office of assessor for the town of Genoa and respectfully solicit the support of voters at the coming caucus. J. W. SOWERS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county treasurer and respectfully ask your support. L. C. SHAFFER, MAY 1.

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of County Judge and respectfully ask your support at the coming primary election. WILLIAM L. POND.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of township collector and respectfully solicit the support of my friends at the coming primary election. HENRY LEONARD.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of highway commissioner for the township of Genoa and respectfully solicit the support of friends at the caucus. Joe. Patterson. 23-1f

I am a candidate for the office of highway commissioner of the town of Genoa and respectfully solicit the vote of my friends at coming township caucus. H. M. CRAWFORD.

I am a candidate for the office of county treasurer and respectfully solicit your support at the coming primary election. F. ROMPF

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and respectfully ask your support. DANIEL HOHM.

To the Republican voters of the 35th Senatorial District. I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from this, the 35th Senatorial District, subject to the Republican Prim-

aries, which will be held on the fourth Saturday of April 1906, and respectfully ask the support of the Republican voters.

JOHN B. CASTLE.
Sandwich, Illinois.

To the Voters of DeKalb County I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and respectfully ask your support. 18 1f
JOS. D. MORRIS.

To the Voters of DeKalb County I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of county clerk and respectfully solicit your support at the primaries to be held April 28, 1906. S. M. HENDERSON.
21-1f Waterman, Ill.

To DeKalb County Voters The undersigned hereby announces himself as a Republican candidate for the office of County Clerk and respectfully requests and hopes to be accorded the honor of your support at the forthcoming primary election and convention. 22-1f
ALBERT S. KINSLOE.

To the Voters of DeKalb County I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for representative to the General Assembly from the 35th Senatorial district on the Republican ticket, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries on April 29th, 1906. 22-1f
GEORGE M. TINDALL.

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS The undersigned announces himself as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the decision of the primary election, which will be held April 28, 1906, and respectfully solicits the support of the voters of the county. 23-1f
LEWIS M. GROSS.

For County Superintendent Of Schools I am a Republican candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the decision of the voters at the Primary election, which will be held April 28, 1906. The support of the voters, I respectfully solicit. W. W. COULTAS.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Weekly Resume of Business Transacted at the Court House

MARRIAGE LICENCES
Dell Lanan, Kingston, 21; Olive A. Townsend, Mayfield, 23.
Mark V. Smith, DeKalb, 22; Edna B. Marshall, DeKalb, 28.
D. Park Overton, Shabbona, 28; Ella M. Deming, DeKalb, 22.
Homer G. McDole, DeKalb, 20; Elsie O. Snyder, DeKalb, 23.
G. Trietag, Waterman, 27; Matilda George, Waterman, 19.
Terence Redmond, DeKalb, 25; Mattie Hobbs, DeKalb, 20.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
Joseph Patterson to H. A. Stephenson—lot 9 blk 2 Citizen's Genoa—\$75.
Jas. R. Smith to Grant Smith, Genoa—lot 7 blk 13—\$1.
Barbara Hatter to Thos. Maxwell—lot 8 blk 3 Rowan Bros.' Kirkland—\$1450.
John MacQueen to Anna McCloskey—pt 22 1/4 nw 1/4 sec 26 Franklin—\$300.
Peter Johnson to Anderson Olson—w 1/2 ne 1/4 and ne 1/4 sec 32 Squaw Grove—\$12,000.
Jos. Greenway, hrs. to J. F. Belshaw—lot 4 blk 4 Fairdale—275.
J. F. Belshaw to David Gallano—lot 4 blk 4 Fairdale—\$800.

Homeseekers Excursions
To points in Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Mexico, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, Texas, Utah and Wyoming at only one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. Tickets on sale the first and third Tuesday of each month to April 17th inclusive. Tickets also on sale at same low rate to points in Alberta, Assiniboia, Canadian Northwest, Manitoba, Minnesota, Montana, Ontario, Saskatchewan and Washington on the first and third Tuesday of March and April. For further information apply to F. R. Mosier, T. P. A., 115 Adams St., Chicago, Ill. Apr. 17.

Torture By Savages.
Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives reminds me of the suffering I endured for three months from inflammation of the Kidney's," says V. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me. "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures liver complaint, dyspepsia, blood disorder and malaria and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by Hunt's Pharmacy. Price 50c.

Colvin Park

Chas. Cole was a Sycamore visitor last week.

Jefferson Colvin was here from Belvidere last week.

Frank Stray will work for his brother, Albert, this summer.

A pleasant party was held at John Babblers' Saturday evening.

Mrs. Fred Hagen is entertaining her sister, Miss Keiter, of Belvidere this week.

Ed. Mayberry has moved from Mr. Colvin's farm to a farm owned by C. G. Myers.

Messrs. John Babblers and Albert Stray were Sycamore visitors Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Nettie Beebe returned to her home in Sycamore Monday after visiting her sister, Mrs. John Babblers, for two weeks.

Chas. Cole started his new Kenwood incubator Monday, which holds twenty-one dozen eggs. He intends raising poultry for the market.

No charge for cashing checks on Marengo, Sycamore or Belvidere at Farmers' State Bank, Genoa. Also interests on deposits. No charge for issuing drafts.

A Chicago Alderman Owes His Election to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"I can heartily and conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for affections of the throat and lungs" says Hon. John Shenick, 220 So. Peoria st., Chicago. "Two years ago during a political campaign, I caught cold after being overheated, which irritated my throat and I was finally compelled to stop as I could not speak aloud. In my extremity a friend advised me to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I took two doses that afternoon and could not believe my senses when I found the next morning the inflammation had largely subsided. I took several doses that day, kept right on talking through the campaign, and I thank this medicine that I won my seat in the council." This remedy is for sale by Hunt's Pharmacy.

Opportunities

On the line of the Chicago Great Western Railway in Iowa, Missouri, Illinois and Minnesota for business men, professional men and manufacturers. Openings for nearly all lines in live town on a progressive railway, affording a "square deal" for all. Maps, Maple Leaflets, Town Talk and full information given on request to Industrial Department, Chicago Great Western Railway, St. Paul; or E. B. McGill, Manager, Township Department, Omaha, Neb. Apr. 30.

**You
Look
Yellow**

The trouble is, your liver's sick. One of its products, "bile," is overflowing into your blood.

You can't digest your food, your appetite is poor, you suffer dreadfully from headache, stomach ache, dizziness, malaria, constipation, etc. What you need is not a dose of salts, cathartic water or pills—but a liver tonic

**Thedford's
Black-Draught**

This great medicine acts gently on the sick liver. It purifies the blood, renews the appetite, feeds the nerves, clears the brain and cures constipation. It is a true medicine for sick liver and kidneys, and regulates all the digestive functions. Try it. At all dealers in medicines in 25c packages.

HOLLISTER'S

Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets
A Bony Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form. 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis. GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

M. E. Church Notes

Rev. T. E. Ream will preach at the Ney M. E. church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. J. E. DeLong will preach at the Charter Grove M. E. church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Last Sunday afternoon Rev. T. E. Ream received into the Charter Grove M. E. church two young men on probation.

All members of the choir and the extra singers are urged to be present at the rehearsal on Saturday evening to practice some of the new pieces in the new song books.

Rev. T. E. Ream, who is the secretary of the Rockford District Ministerial Association went to Rockford on Thursday to attend to business matters connected with the spring session which will be held some time in April.

Services will be held at the M. E. church next Sunday both morning and evening at the usual time. In the morning at 10:30 Rev. T. E. Ream will preach. In the evening at 7:30 Rev. J. E. DeLong will preach. The public is most cordially invited.

There will be a splendid Epworth League service in the League rooms next Sunday evening at 6:30. Topic: "A Christian Life." Leader, Mrs. T. E. Ream. The new song books of The Epworth League will be used for the first time. The public is cordially invited.

Colonist Rates to West and North-West

The Chicago Great Western Railway will sell one way Colonist tickets to points in Alberta, Arizona, British Columbia, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah and Washington at greatly reduced rates. Tickets on sale Feb. 15th to April 7th inclusive. For full information apply to F. R. Mosier, T. P. A., 115 Adams St., Chicago.

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If you want a nice stylish turnout for a drive, everything clean and up-to-date, call here

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Doctors Are Puzzled.

The remarkable recovery of Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., is the subject of much interest to the medical fraternity and a wide circle of friends. He says of his case: "Owing to severe inflammation of the throat and congestion of the lungs, three doctors gave me up to die, when, as a last resort, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery and I am happy to say, it saved my life." Cures the worst coughs and colds, bronchitis, tonsillitis, weak lungs, hoarseness and la grippe. Guaranteed at Hunt's Pharmacy. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Seed Oats

Wisconsin No. 4. Best of 32 varieties in quality, yield and strength of straw, as tested by the Wisconsin experiment station. Treated for smut in 1904. For sale by A. F. Parke & Son, Genoa, Ill. 23 4t

Glazier Fined Again

For the second time within two weeks George H. Glazier manager of the Glazier Lyceum bureau of Chicago, was fined in the Harrison police court Monday for "mashing."

Glazier was arrested on the charge of following and annoying Miss Ellen Packingham, a stenographer, at 171 LaSalle St. Glazier strongly denied the charge but fifteen minutes after he had been arrested he was arraigned before Justice Prindiville and assessed a fine of \$100 and costs.

For Sale—4 acres of land, good house, barn, chicken house and other outbuildings. Plenty of fruit and shrubbery, city water. All in good repair and at a price that is right. D. S. BROWN.

BAKET BALL TO-NIGHT

**A STORE OF
BARGAINS**

We are closing out all of our winter goods such as Flannelettes, Imitation of French Flannels, Tennis Flannels, Teasel Downs, Woolen Underskirt Patterns and Ladies' night gowns at prices ranging as follows:

Flannelettes

25c now 19c
18c now 13c
13c now 11c
10c now 7 1/2c

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18c now 13c
Tennis Flannels
14c now 10c
12c now 9c
10c now 7 1/2c

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from
\$15.0 to \$9.00

Children's Coats

from
\$2.00 to \$10.00
Furs
from
\$15.0 to \$8.50

Ribbons in all colors only 10c per yard.

**Ladies' Waists and Sweaters in
All Colors**

Ladies' Waists

\$3.00 now \$2.25
\$1.75 now \$1.35
\$1.40 now 90c
\$1.25 now 75c

Ladies' Sweaters

\$3.00 now \$2.25
\$2.75 now \$2.10
\$2.25 now \$1.50
\$2.00 now \$1.35

Look for our new line of ten cent goods next week. A Green Trading Stamp with every ten cent purchase.

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GENOA - - - ILLINOIS

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**Hard and Soft Coal
Charcoal, Kindling
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CASH DEPARTMENT STORE
DUNDEE, ILLINOIS

March Curtain Sale

Our annual spring sale and a better assortment than we have ever shown before. The facts:—
Curtains full 3 to 3 1/2 yds. long and extra wide, in Scroll, Grecian and Fish Net designs. Prices \$1.29, 1.49, 1.98
Extra quality, very wide fine Curtains, now priced at..... \$2.29, 2.98

Specials

Fine Lawn, ruffled edge, Curtains.....\$1.29
Good full size Lace Curtains.....49, 75, 79, 69c
Come this week.

\$860.00

For Children's Shoes

One purchase consisting of nothing but children's shoes. Lot of Boys', Girls' and Children's Calf and Kid Shoes, bought at low prices. We had these makes before, knew just the quality we were getting and did not hesitate to take the entire lot.
Prices 49, 98, 79, 89c, \$1.29
Over twenty styles.

Come early and get first choice.

Millinery Department

Misses' latest styles in Spring Caps. Girls' Tam o' Shaners. Big bargains at.....25 and 49c
See new White City Caps at..49c

Corsets

The foundation of any suit or dress is the form, and the form is made by the fit of the Corset. New modes with the tapering waists and extended hips are necessary for the waists and dresses made and being worn this spring. Corsets in this style, with 4 hose supporters.....49c

Working Pants

Men's and Boys' Work Pants... 79, 89, 98c, \$1.29
Five months ago we ordered these to be made up for our trade. The prices of materials were much less than now.

Hats for Men

New spring styles now on sale. Some very splendid values at the following low prices..... 88c, \$1.29, 1.69

Boys'

Confirmation Suits

We are complete outfitters—can furnish everything to be worn by a boy about to be confirmed. Suits, Hats, Shoes, etc.—all complete. Suits bought especially for confirmation now on sale.

\$2.29 \$2.29

**Misses' Spring
Jackets**

A new style Pony Jacket adds completeness to any Misses' toilet. Note the price.....\$2.29

**Remember Horse
Ticket, Dinner Tick-
et, Introduction Tick-
et and Refunded Car
Fare Offers.**

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

**GENOA AND SYCAMORE
BUS LINE**

Leave Genoa

at 9 a. m. daily.

Leave Sycamore

at 4 p. m. daily.

PARCELS DELIVERED, 10c FARE:

One way, 35c; round trip, 50c

Renn Robinson, Prop.

Leave orders or wait at the Republican office.

News Items
That Are of
General In-
terest to All

DOINGS OF THE WEEK ABOUT THE TOWN

Please Notice

Hereafter all cards of thanks published in these columns will be charged for at the regular advertising rates of five cents per line. This is done more to discourage the practice than any desire for revenue. To us the card of thanks as published in a newspaper seems superfluous, as invariably those who assist during the sad hours in our homes are publicly thanked by the pastor at the grave. The newspaper card of thanks is merely a matter of form established by some one years ago, has no weight whatever, and is not taken seriously by friends.

Mrs. Chas. Adams has been numbered among the sick.

Mrs. Ed. Duval was a Chicago passenger Wednesday.

Mrs. C. M. Chapell and daughter were Fairdale visitors the first of the week.

Carpets, Rugs and Linoleums at reduced prices during the sale at S. S. Slater's.

The semi-annual carpet and rug sale is on at S. S. Slater's furniture store.

Job and repair work done on short notice and done well, Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Andy Baldwin is moving into the house vacated by E. Adler, on Sycamore street.

For Sale—Good Buggy, Cutter and Harness and some Robes.

*26-2t PETER ROSENKR.
For Sale—Forge, anvils, vices and a great variety of blacksmith tools. Inquire of T. J. Hoover.

Cheap Homeseekers' Excursion

via C. M. & St. P. Ry. first and third Tuesdays each month. may 1
We need some money badly. Hope any one owing us will help us out. Jackman & Son.

Jackman & Son will keep their office open until eight o'clock Wednesday evenings after this date.

Geo. M. Stanley left Tuesday for Tilden, Neb., where he will visit at his father's home for three weeks.

The editor's family is now settled in the Robinson house on Jackson street, having moved last Saturday.

Why don't you deposit your money in the Farmer's State Bank and get 3 per cent interest for six months? Try it. 37-1f

Elmer C. Lewis, who has been employed by Ellis Confer, has gone to his home at Wing, Ill., to spend the summer.

The Farmers' State Bank has for sale the lots in Morningside Addition. If you wish to purchase call and see them. tf

Miss Emma Swanson, who has been seriously ill at the home of her sister, Mr. Macaulay, at Elgin, returned home last week.

Buy your Carpets and Rugs during the special sale at S. S. Slater's. Reduced prices and large assortment to select from.

A baby born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Becker Wednesday night, died an hour later. The funeral will be held at the Lutheran church Saturday at one o'clock.

We have more Stock Food than money. If any farmer has horses, cattle, hogs or chickens that are not doing well, call and try some. Jackman & Son.

Yet a few more weeks and then you paint. Be wise, use only the B. P. S. sold by Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Bonny Heather Oat Meal Soap, a family toilet Soap, equal to many of the 25c soaps.

Hunt's Pharmacy.
Witch-Hazel Soap, nicely perfumed, a good toilet soap, special price, 3 cakes for 10c, worth 10c per cake. Hunt's Pharmacy.

High speed wins: Lou Dillion, the trotter; Reliance the yacht and the White Lily washing machine. Perkins & Rosenfeld sole agents.

Miss Lorene Brown and Miss Helen Barcus attended the matinee "Coming Thru the Rye" at the Chicago Opera House last Saturday.

Creme Marquise Complexion soap keeps the skin soft, smooth and white, nicely perfumed, your choice, 3 cakes for 25c. Hunt's Pharmacy.

For Rent—Old and reliable boarding house near Main street in Genoa. Chambers furnished if desired. 12 rooms, electric lights and city water.

* MRS. PAUL LAPHAM.
Willis Ide has ordered a cement block machine which will be used in finishing the material for the Crawford building, about 2000 more blocks being needed. The machine is adjustable and with it any shape or size can be made.

The Fortnightly Club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. C. A. Brown Saturday afternoon, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Slater and Mrs. Barcus.

Any one wishing to buy a small cozy home near Kingston, with about two or more acres, good buildings and variety of fruit trees, apply at this office or of S. F. Shoemaker, Roselle, DuPage Co. Ill. 26-2mo.

The basket social given at Crawford's hall Tuesday evening by the High School Athletic Association was well attended and many fellows were there with the wherewithal to buy baskets, but

the supply was not equal to the demand. Those sold brought good prices, ranging from 80 cents to nearly two dollars.

Jos. Rendell of Elgin, son of Mrs. M. Heine who resides south of Genoa, has established office hours in Genoa in Dr. C. H. Mor-doff's rooms and will hereafter make weekly trips to Genoa for the purpose of fitting glasses. Mr. Rendell is a young man of integrity is a graduate optician and his word can be depended on in any transaction.

A Scientific Wonder.

The cases that stand to its credit make Bucklin's Arnica Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. R. Mulford, lecturer for the Patrons of Husbandry, Washington, Pa., of a distressing case of Piles. It heals the worst burns, sores, boils, ulcers, cuts, wounds, chilblains and salt rheum. Only 25c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

Low Rates West and Northwest

Daily February 15 to April 7. Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, \$33.00 to points in California. \$32.40 to North Pacific Coast points. Greatly reduced rates made to many other points West and Northwest. Half rates for children of half-fare age. Liberal stop overs allowed on all tickets. Tickets are good in Tourist sleepers. For further information regarding rates, routes and train service see nearest ticket agent or write F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

In the spring time you renovate your house. Why not your body? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea drives out impurities, cleanses and enriches the blood and purifies the entire system. 35 cents. Slater & Douglas and Hunt's Pharmacy.

"In a Woman's Power."
Read F. W. Olmsted's bills this week.

Trade at Olmsted's and get a dish free.

The latest in dress goods at F. W. Olmsted's.

A nobby line of Spring jackets at F. W. Olmsted's.

County Supt. of Schools L. M. Gross was here Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Danforth were Chicago visitors Thursday.

See the large line of spring wraps at F. W. Olmsted's.

Miss Lottie Kent of Milwaukee is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Leonard.

Georgie Walker finished her term of school in the Model district last Friday.

The G. W. C. will meet at the home of Mrs. F. O. Holtgren next Wednesday.

Henry Leonard has moved into the house recently vacated by O. S. Low on Sycamore street.

Miss Gertrude Kirk has sold out her stock of millinery goods and will retire from the business.

The Genoa High School second basket ball teams, boys and girls, will play at Monroe this evening.

Miss Ella Morris of Marengo has been the guest of the Misses Cora and Flora Buck the past week.

The Royal Neighbors met with Mrs. Ida Tischler Wednesday evening. Coffee, doughnuts and candy were served.

If you want to buy a residence at any price from \$500 to \$5000 come and see me. I can fit you. D. S. Brown, at Exchange Bank, Genoa, Ill. 15-1f

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stiles returned Wednesday from Biloxi, Miss., where they have been spending the winter.

F. J. Pierce came up from Elgin last Saturday morning and visited with the family of his brother, A. V., until Monday evening.

Dr. C. H. Mordoff desires us to make a statement to the effect that he is not attending any small pox case, as is generally reported.

Christian Science services are held in Slater's Hall every Sunday at 3 p. m. Subject for next Sunday, "Matter." All are invited to attend.

The entertaining and fascinating melodrama "In a Woman's Power" at the opera house Thursday evening, March 15. Tickets 50, 35 and 25c on sale at Hunt's Pharmacy March 14 at 9 a. m.

Men Wanted: Intelligent, active and reliable men for conductors and motormen on street and interurban railways. Give qualifications and references. Address "Z", care Republican-Journal.

Chas. Saul has leased the Eureka Hotel of G. W. Sowers and took possession this morning. Mr. Sowers has established an enviable reputation for the house since putting it into commission and his successor steps into a well established business. Mr. Saul is a genial young man and will make an ideal host. He will retain the services of the present cook, Mr. Hoose, who has been instrumental in putting the house on its feet as the best in the county.

Chicago To the City of Mexico Without Change of Cars Via the Wabash

Commencing Feb. 12, the Wabash will run through sleepers from Chicago to the city of Mexico in connection with the Iron Mountain Route leaving Chicago at 9:17 p. m., Mondays and Thursdays. Write for illustrated booklets, time cards, maps and full details. F. H. Tristram, A. G. P. Agt., 97 Adams St., Chicago. 23-6t

A Safe Cough Medicine for Children.

In buying a cough medicine for children never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it and relief is always sure to follow. It is especially valuable for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by Hunt's Pharmacy.

Pay Your Taxes

The tax books for Genoa will be closed on the tenth of March. Do not delay longer. Pay your taxes now lest you forget. W. C. COOPER, Collector.

Low Rates to North and S. Dakota

Greatly reduced rates made to North and South Dakota and many points in Northern Minnesota, via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, every Tuesday during March and April. For further information regarding rates, routes and train service, ask nearest ticket agent of the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, or write to-day to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago. 25-3t.

A Lively Tusser!

with that old enemy of the race, constipation, often ends in appendicitis. To avoid all serious trouble with stomach, liver and bowels take Dr. King's New Liver Pills. They perfectly regulate these organs without pain or discomfort. 25c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

I want to sell a residence, well located, fit to live in and at a price that is right. If you want to buy, call and investigate. D. S. BROWN.

Keep the little ones healthy and happy. Their tender, sensitive bodies require gentle, healing remedies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will keep them strong and well. 35 cents. Slater & Douglas and Hunt's Pharmacy

Every Two Minutes

Physicians tell us that all the blood in a healthy human body passes through the heart once in every two minutes. If this action becomes irregular the whole body suffers. Poor health follows poor blood; Scott's Emulsion makes the blood pure. One reason why

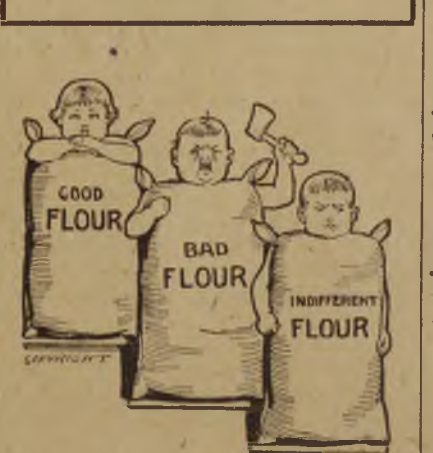
SCOTT'S EMULSION

is such a great aid is because it passes so quickly into the blood. It is partly digested before it enters the stomach; a double advantage in this. Less work for the stomach; quicker and more direct benefits. To get the greatest amount of good with the least possible effort is the desire of everyone in poor health. Scott's Emulsion does just that. A change for the better takes place even before you expect it.



We will send you a sample free. Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy. SCOTT & BOWNE Chemists 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50 cents and \$1.00 All druggists

EXCELSIOR ..FLOUR..



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

T. M. FRAZIER Genoa, Illinois

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES
FRUITS, VEGETABLES, ETC.



There is nothing that will bring comfort and renewed hope to the invalid so surely as good news. When the vital forces are at a low ebb and everything seems useless, a ray of joy and assurance will stimulate the weary body to new effort and energy. A letter from a loved one has turned the tide in many a sleep of sickness. Dr. R. V. Pierce, founder of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., has good news for every suffering woman. Write him to-day and tell him your troubles, and he will send you free of charge just the right advice to restore you to health and bring back the roses to your cheeks. His "Favorite Prescription" has been the rescue of thousands of suffering women. Many grateful patients have taken Dr. Pierce's advice.

"I am pleased to add my testimony in behalf of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," says Miss Earline Agard, Chaplain Patriotic Daughters of America, 418 1/2 Michigan Avenue, Lansing, Michigan. "I cannot find language to express my gratitude and joy over the fact that I am well once more. Wearing my corsets too tight seemed to have brought on an extra abdominal pressure, weakening the ligaments and pushing internal organs down. What to do I know not, as no medicines I took seemed to help me. I had heard of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and determined to try it, as a last resort. Before the first bottle was used I began to feel better, but could hardly believe that this was permanent, but my improvement went steadily on, and within four months I was like a new woman. Now I have no more pains, am well and strong, and am extremely grateful to you."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. Use them.

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S. H. MORDOFF M. D.
Office and residence, south side of Main street.
Office hours: 1 to 3 p. m., 6:30 to 8 p. m.

A. M. HILL, M. D.
Office over Witt and Short's jewelry store.
Hours: 6:30 to 8 p. m., 12:30 to 2 p. m. Residence on East Main street. Calls promptly attended to day or night.

DR. T. N. AUSTIN
Physician and Surgeon.
Office over J. Lemble's store.
Office hours: 7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 2:30 p. m. and 6:30 to 8 p. m. X-ray laboratory in connection.

**C. A. PATTERSON
DENTIST**
Office over Exchange Bank.
Office hours: 8:30 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m.

**H. W. BELKNAP
Dentist**
Office in Wells building.
Office hours: 8 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

G. W. MARKLEY, M. D.
KINGSTON, ILL.
Office hours 12 to 2 p. m.
Spectacles Properly Fitted

F. M. NEWCOMB, Oph. D.
and Eye Specialist of DeKalb
will be in Genoa the first Wednesday of each month, beginning Wednesday, July 5. Will cure headaches, give good vision and perfect satisfaction. You take no chances and do not pay for them until you know they do all that is claimed.
Don't Forget the Date.

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Graduate Brown School of Embalming, Chicago, passing examination before State Board of Health.
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**Genoa Lodge No. 288
A. F. & A. M.**
Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.
Geo. J. Patterson, W. M. W. M. Adams, Sec.

**EVALINE LODGE
NUMBER 344**
Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. hall.
Martin Malana, Perfect. Fannie M. Heed, Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD
Meets first and third Thursdays of each month Slater's hall, Genoa.
A. A. Cochran, Council Commander.
Geo. J. Patterson, Clerk.

**INDEPENDENT ORDER
OF ODD FELLOWS**

Meets every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. hall.
W. M. WATSON, N. G. J. W. SOWERS, Sec.

**Genoa Lodge No. 163
M. W. A.**

Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month. Visiting neighbors welcome.
J. H. VanDresser, Ven. Consul
E. H. Browne, Clerk

Our Eighth Monster Mill End Sale

Will Open in Our Store on Saturday, March 10

And Continue Until Wednesday, March 21

To those of our customers who have attended any of our previous seven Mill End Sales, this sale needs no words of commendation from us.

To those who are not familiar with the scope and benefit of this great trade event, we would say, that the Mill End Sale is owned and controlled by the Mill End Syndicate, who select stores in the various sections of the United States as an outlet for the large quantities of Mill Ends, Remnants, Broken sizes, Odd Lots and accumulations that collect in every factory, mill or manufacturing establishment. These Mill Ends are sold at but a fraction of their actual value and our store is the selection for this section.

The Mill Ends are arriving daily and we expect our store to be crowded to its utmost capacity during the ten days the sale continues.

Watch for our yellow Mill End circulars that will be distributed in your town or city. It will contain two pages of price offerings, values that have never been equaled. Remember the date. Sale opens SATURDAY, MARCH 10.

Our store will close Friday at noon in order to arrange this great aggregation of Mill Ends for sale.

THEO. F. SWAN

Great Department Store - Elgin, Illinois

WORLD'S NEWS - TOLD IN - PARAGRAPHS

The craze for bridge whist will lead to social degeneracy if not checked, declared Rev. William Austin Smith, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, Milwaukee, in a Lenten sermon.

For the murder of Milan Bennett and Abbot Davidson, members of a theatrical company, George Hasty, proprietor of a hotel in Gaffney, S. C., was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

A wireless message, telling of a fire at sea, was received at Newport, R. I., from the steamship Minneapolis, which reported another steamship going to the rescue of the burning vessel.

Delegates representing the Longshoremen's association of Lake Erie and the dock managers met at Cleveland and appointed committees to arrange an agreement on hours of work and rate of wages for the coming season.

The international waterways' commission met in Toronto to discuss the distribution of power from the Soo river and the diversion of water in the Niagara river.

Matt Vranesh, aged 22 years, one of the Austrians arrested for the murder of H. Tolovic, a patriot, at West Duluth, Minn., confessed that he fired the shot that killed Tolovic.

Last fall J. H. Ward, a prominent merchant of Wood county, Ohio, made a spirited campaign for auditor. The contest unbalanced his mind and while seated in the sheriff's office he shot himself, dying instantly.

J. Pierpont Morgan is suffering from a slight cold at Rome, but generally his health is good. He will be received by King Victor Emmanuel shortly.

E. E. McJinsey of St. Joseph, Mo., recently appointed United States consul at Callao, Peru, forwarded his resignation to Washington, having recently purchased a newspaper in Springfield, Mo.

On the recommendation of Gen. Bates, chief of staff, Brig. Gen. William R. Duvall, recently promoted from lieutenant colonel of artillery, will be assigned to the command of the department of the Gulf.

President T. B. Pray of the Stevens Point (Wis.) Normal school has been requested by Supt. Cary to resign. The reason for the request is not made public.

Veloz Golticoa, the charge d'affaires of Venezuela, paid his respects to President Roosevelt prior to his departure from the capital.

At a joint meeting of the stockholders of the State bank of Seaton, Ill., and the Farmers' State bank of Seaton a proposition to consolidate carried.

Emmet Bowsher was killed at Upper Sandusky, Ohio, by the Pennsylvania's eighteen-hour train. He was struck while returning home from a dance.

William Kenefick, a Kansas City capitalist and railway contractor, is organizing a \$25,000,000 company to build a railroad from Chicago to Evansville, Ind., touching several of the principal cities of the Hoosier state.

Patrick Kearney of Wood River, Neb., wandered five days on the Wyoming plains in a blinding blizzard without food, drink, shelter or sleep. He will live.

James A. Sapp, aged 31, and his younger brothers, Jess and Floyd, were arrested at East St. Louis, charged with counterfeiting silver dollars.

Reports from Meridian, Miss., gave the number of killed by the tornado as twenty-four and the injured forty-six, several of whom will die. The property loss is placed at \$250,000.

Several bribery cases at Warrensburg, Mo., following the celebrated Hyatt murder trial last June, were terminated when the defendants filed a nolo contendere. J. F. Corbin, charged with an attempt to bribe a juror, was fined \$500. W. C. Hyatt, father of the Hyatt boys, charged with attempt to bribe a juror, was fined \$500. W. K. Mullins was fined \$1,800 and C. D. Wallace \$500. Dr. John Fullerton cannot be located.

Bias Otero and Salomon Aragon, 18-year-old boys, confessed to having killed and robbed Marcelino Carrenzo, whose body was found in a mine hole near Jicarilla, N. M.

Thomas Fuller, agent for the Jesse Mining company of Prescott, Ariz., was arrested at Columbus, O., on the charge of using the mails to further a scheme to defraud. The complainants aver that the Jesse company does not own mines of any kind. Fuller was held for a preliminary hearing March 15.

George C. Thomas, a retired Philadelphia banker, has presented \$100,000 to the board of missions of the Protestant Episcopal church.

Albert Sonnichsen, a correspondent of the New York Evening Post who disappeared from Sofia, Bulgaria, has been heard from.

Democrats carried Muscatine, Iowa, in the mayoralty election, their candidate, Joseph Asthalter, defeating R. S. McNutt, his Republican opponent.

Mark M. Davis, the brakeman shot by a negro at Springfield, Ohio, last Wednesday, and whose shooting precipitated the race riot, is dead.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Produce.

Butter—Extra creamery, 23c; prints, 30c; firsts, 22 1/2c; second, 17 1/2c; renovated, 13 1/2c; dairies, Cooleys, 24 1/2c; firsts, 20c; packing stock, 14c; storage, 21 1/2c. Eggs—Fresh stock at mark, new cases included, 13 1/2c; cases returned, 12c; firsts, 13 1/2c; prime firsts, packed in whitewood cases, 14 1/2c; packed for city trade, 16c. Cheese—Full cream, daisies, 12 1/2c; twins, 11 1/2c; young American, 13c; long horns, 12 1/2c; Swiss, block, 12 1/2c; drum, 13 1/2c; Limburger, choice, 11 1/2c; off grades, 6 1/2c; brick, 11 1/2c; or grades, 6 1/2c. Fish—Black bass, 14c; carp and buffalo, 2c; pike, 7 1/2c; pickerel, 6c; perch, 4c; sunfish, 2c; croppies, 2 1/2c. Live poultry—Turkeys, per lb, 12 1/2c; chickens, fowls, 11 1/2c; roosters, 7 1/2c; springs, 11 1/2c per lb; ducks, 13c; geese, 8 1/2c. Game—Rabbits, 50¢ per doz; jacks, gray, \$1.25 per doz; white, large, \$1.50 per doz; opossums, 25¢ per piece. Apples—Russets, \$4.50 per box; greenings, \$4.25 per box; Baldwin, \$4.50 per box; Ben Davis, \$4.50 per box. Berries—Strawberries, Florida, 25¢ per qt. Green vegetables—Asparagus, hothouse, \$1.50 per doz; beets, home-grown, 75¢ per sack; Brussels sprouts, California, 12 1/2c per qt; cabbage, \$1.00 per doz; carrots, home-grown, 45¢ per sack; cauliflower, California, \$2.50 per crate; celery, 15¢ per bunch; cucumbers, hothouse, 50¢ per doz; eggplant, Florida, \$2.50 per crate; horradish, home-grown, 60¢ per doz; lettuce, head, \$3 1/2 per doz; leaf, 2 1/2c per case; mushrooms, 20¢ per lb; parsnips, home-grown, 30¢ per sack; Spanish, \$1.50 per crate; potatoes, car lots on track, 40¢ per sack; parsnips, home-grown, 70¢ per sack; parsley, home-grown, 20¢ per doz; peppers, Florida, \$2.50 per case; radishes, home-grown, 12 1/2c per doz; shallots, Louisiana, \$3.00 per box; spinach, Illinois, 40¢ per box; string beans, Florida, \$1.65 per box; sweet potatoes, \$1.25 per box; tomatoes, \$2.50 per case; turnips, home-grown, 30¢ per sack; watercress, Virginia, 20¢ per doz. Broccoli—Market firm; self-working, common to choice, \$2.00 per ton; hurl, common to choice, \$3.00 per ton; dwarf, \$7.00 per ton.

Elgin Butter Market.

Elgin, Ill., March 5.—Butter—No sales or offerings, official, 27c; firm.

Grain Quotations.

WHEAT. Chicago—No. 2 red, 30 1/2¢; No. 2 hard, 30 1/2¢; Minneapolis—No. 1 northern, 31c; St. Louis—No. 2 red, 30c; Duluth—No. 1 northern, 30 1/2c; Kansas City—No. 2 hard, 27 1/2c; Milwaukee—No. 1 northern, 32c; Toledo—No. 2 red, 28c. CORN. Chicago—No. 2, 40c; Liverpool—American mixed, 48 1/2¢; No. 2, 47c; No. 3, 44 1/2c; St. Louis—No. 2, 41c; Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 39 1/2c; Milwaukee—No. 3. OATS. Chicago—Standard, 30 1/2¢; Mixed, 30 1/2c; St. Louis—No. 2, 30c; Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 29 1/2c; Milwaukee—Standard, 31c.

Live Stock.

CATTLE. Chicago—\$1.60 per lb; Omaha—\$2.05 per lb; Kansas City—\$2.25 per lb; St. Louis—\$2.00 per lb; St. Joseph—\$1.55 per lb; New York—\$1.50 per lb. HOGS. Chicago—\$5.25 per lb; Omaha—\$5.30 per lb; Kansas City—\$5.35 per lb; St. Louis—\$5.50 per lb; St. Joseph—\$4.75 per lb; New York—\$5.00 per lb. SHEEP AND LAMBS. Chicago—\$3.50 per lb; Omaha—\$4.00 per lb; Kansas City—\$4.75 per lb; St. Louis—\$4.85 per lb; St. Joseph—\$4.00 per lb; New York—\$5.25 per lb.

Most of the 1,573 telegraphers and agents employed by the Southern railroad will go on a strike Friday unless their demands for a minimum wage of \$50 a month and a maximum of \$85 are complied with.

Division No. 2 of the Supreme court of Missouri transferred the murder case of "Lord" Frederick Seymour Barrington to the court in banc for a hearing before the full court.

The Supreme court of New Jersey decided that Justice Garretson has no authority to grant the motion for a new trial for Mrs. Antoniette Tolla, now under sentence of death.

Mrs. Emma Bond is under arrest in Minneapolis awaiting the action of the authorities of Baltimore, Md. She is held in connection with the death of a girl in Baltimore five years ago.

By the collapse of the concrete roof pylon of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad in Pueblo, Col., one man was instantly killed and three others badly injured.

Richard Olney has been reappointed as a regent of the Smithsonian institution for a period of six years.

The carpenters' union of St. Louis has been forbidden by the United States Circuit court to carry on a boycott against the Fox Brothers' manufacturing company.

Professor James Rignall Wheeler, professor of Greek archaeology and art, has been designated as acting dean of the faculty in the new Columbia College of Fine Arts.

The First Congregational church of La Crosse, Wis., has sent Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxwell to Natal, Africa, to work among the Zulus. They will be gone nine years.

Walter Knox was convicted in Hillsdale, Mich., of the murder of Joe Cawsey, who perished in the screen door factory fire Dec. 3, 1903.

Fred Klingbell, aged 70, a farmer near Belleville, Ont., is in jail charged with having beaten his wife to death.

Andrew Carnegie has signified his intention to donate \$25,000 to Rio Grande college, a Baptist theological school at Rio Grande, Gallia county, Ohio.

Miss Fenehan, dean of the Woman's hall of Beloit college, Beloit, Wis., has resigned.

In the circuit court at Wheaton, Ill., Joseph Raggi, an Italian barber of Chicago, pleaded guilty to the murder of Otto Klotz at Naperville, Oct. 22, and Daniel McAuley, colored, pleaded guilty to killing his wife.

The Beloit, Wis., Fair association has decided to quit business.

Sovereign Commander Root of the Woodmen of the World announced that the headquarters of the order would be moved from Omaha because of the state tax on reserve funds, and that either Chicago or Detroit would be selected.

HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE.



Find the Soldier's Sweetheart.

CARDINAL BEMIS WEARIES OF LIFE

Noted Hotel Keeper of Chicago Commits Suicide at His Home.

MADE AND LOST BIG FORTUNE

Accumulated Wealth in the Brewing Business, but Lost It in Effort to Conduct the Finest Hotel in the World.

Chicago, March 7.—Henry V. Bemis—"Cardinal" Bemis—who was proprietor of the old Richelleu when it was considered one of the finest hotels in America in respect to cuisine, committed suicide late Tuesday afternoon in his apartment, 2018 Indiana avenue.

The "Cardinal" had exhausted all the pleasures of life. Despondent over ill health, due largely to his epicurean habits, distressed by what he regarded as poverty as compared to his former manner of living, and crying out against the ingratitude of friends he had aided when he was wealthy, the old bon vivant placed a pistol to the back of his head and shot himself, dying instantly. He was 63 years old and his widow is left with scarcely a dollar.

Mr. Bemis had passed the day in bed. He complained of his health, although at 11 o'clock in the morning he had discussed some financial matters with George Dickinson, who was associated with him for forty years in a business way.

No Longer of Use. Early in the afternoon he said to his wife, as he had often said before: "I no longer am of any use in the world. I shall kill myself."

Mrs. Bemis had heard that threat so often that she did not pay much attention to it. She left the house early in the afternoon and returned later. Her husband was in bed still. He expressed a desire for a cup of coffee. She went into the kitchen to make it when she was startled by a shot. Rushing into the bedroom she found her husband propped up with the pillows, a revolver still in his hand. He had shot himself behind the ear.

Pictures Cover Walls. The Bemis flat is a reflection of the tastes of the old hotel keeper and brewer. The walls are covered with hundreds of pictures of actors and actresses and famous personages that Mr. Bemis had known in happier days. All of them he had mounted himself.

Although Mr. Bemis for many years was a partner in one of the largest breweries in Chicago, he was best known as the courtly smiling proprietor of Hotel Richelleu, which was located from 1885 to 1896 in Michigan avenue, in the Masonry block, a little south of the present Hotel Stratford.

Mr. Bemis made \$750,000 cash in the brewery business and he lost it all in the hotel that was considered a decade in advance of its time. The zenith of its prosperity and popularity was during the world's fair in Chicago, when guests from all over the world lavished praises upon the management for the excellence of its food and service and the magnificence of its appointments. It was Eugene Field who named him "Cardinal."

Fails to Recap Fortune. Finally Mr. Bemis lost the hotel because of some dispute as to his title.

SAYS HEAVEN IS MATERIAL CITY

Scientists Soon to Discover It, Declares New York Minister.

Macon, Mo., special: That the new Jerusalem is a material city was the contention of Rev. William Coburn of New York in a sermon Sunday. The throne of God is the very center of the universe, he says, about which all the planets revolve. This place, declared the preacher, soon will be discovered by scientists. The sermon created a sensation among the church people of the city.

Twenty-One Independent Operators Hold a Secret Meeting.

Scranton, Pa., dispatch: Twenty-one independent anthracite coal operators met here Saturday in the office of W. L. Connell. It is understood those present were pledged to secrecy as to what transpired. Immediately after the meeting Mr. Connell went to Philadelphia, supposedly to confer with President Baer of the Reading company. All the independent operators were represented.

MYSTERY IN MINE CONFERENCE

Instruct for Judge Cartwright.

OPERATORS GAIN BIG ADVANTAGE

Force Miners' President to Accept Terms in Order to Save Union.

SENSATIONAL STORY GIVEN OUT

Mitchell Is Said to Have Agreed to Close Anthracite Mines Under Threat of Bituminous Owners to Cease Collection of Dues.

Pittsburg, Pa., dispatch: President John Mitchell and the bituminous operators have practically completed a deal by which the president of the miners agrees to force a strike in the anthracite region. Unless he brings about such a state of affairs he cannot hope to effect any arrangement for an advance for the miners in the competitive soft coal region.

If he does not do it, the soft coal operators will refuse to continue the "check off" system for collecting the dues of the mines to the union, and this would rob the United Mine Workers of their greatest financial strength.

Operators Are Pleaded. Independent operators are feeling elated here since the word has been passed around that a hard coal strike is practically assured. They hope to do something towards breaking into the eastern market if such a struggle is brought about. Mitchell and President Francis L. Robbins, the leader of the soft coal operators, have held several conferences, and Mitchell is said to have agreed finally to the demands made by Robbins.

Robbins is determined that the hard coal operators shall be forced to come to terms with the miners or their mines shall be closed. If they should close, the way will be open for the soft coal operators to consider the advance demanded by the miners, and there is little doubt but they would be able to get a better scale.

Ultimatum to Mitchell. "Make the anthracite men come to the mark or close their mines and we will deal with you, if you don't, we may deal with you, anyway, on the advance, but we will stop the 'check-off,' and you know what that will mean," was the cold way in which the proposition was handed to John Mitchell within the last seventy-two hours by Robbins or his personal representative, and it has made Mitchell think.

Mitchell and others know what the abolishment of the check-off by the bituminous operators would mean. It would kill the miners' union. The check-off is toll collected from the miners' pay by the operators for the United Mine Workers. This is the only way in which the union is kept up. All admit that, if left to the miners themselves, the dues would never be paid, and the threat to stop this collecting, or "holding out," from the miners' pay has had its effect.

Would Ruin the Union. The anthracite operators are not bothered with the check-off, and that is the reason, according to the people here, that the collectors do not come in from the miners, there.

With the operators in the bituminous field refusing longer to collect dues for the union before the miners are paid, the United Mine Workers would soon go down. This is what has been threatened unless something is done by the union to the anthracite mines.

The move is to boost bituminous prices and get into the Eastern market, long controlled by the anthracite people, once their mines are closed in strike. It is claimed the proposition of the bituminous operators has been as good as accomplished, and that the anthracite strike may be considered a certainty.

BANKER WALSH UNDER ARREST

Former National Bank President Is Held in \$50,000 Bail.

Chicago dispatch: John R. Walsh, former president of the now defunct Chicago National bank, was arrested Friday afternoon by a deputy United States marshal, and required to give \$50,000 bonds to insure his appearance before United States Commissioner Foote next Saturday. The bill of complaint which caused the issuance of the warrant for the arrest accused Mr. Walsh of making a false report of the condition of the Chicago National bank to Special Bank Examiner Arthur L. Curry Nov. 9, 1905, a little more than a month prior to the bank's collapse.

The penalty of the offense with which Mr. Walsh stands charged is not less than five or more than ten years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

To Hang Man in Courtroom.

Madisonville, Ky., special: Judge Fleming Gordon has issued an order to hang Garth Tompkins, a murderer, in the Circuit courtroom at Madisonville.

Fatal Results Follow Woman's Careless Handling of Revolver.

Gettysburg, Pa., dispatch: Mrs. Isaac H. Welkert accidentally shot and killed her sister, Miss Eliza Weaver, aged 35 years. Mrs. Welkert was examining a revolver which had been purchased by her husband, she supposing it was empty. In some manner it was discharged and a bullet entered Miss Weaver's brain. Mrs. Welkert is heartbroken over the affair and is in a serious condition.

SISTER IS SLAIN BY ACCIDENT

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Want Exposition Closed Sunday.

Norfolk, Va., dispatch: Ministers of different denominations in separate session here called upon the Jamestown Exposition company to close the exposition on Sunday.

CUT IN OIL RATES BLOW TO STANDARD COMPANY

Missouri Railroad Commission Fixes Flat Charge Between St. Louis and Kansas City.

St. Louis, Mo., dispatch: By reducing the freight rate on oil shipped between St. Louis and Kansas City to 9 cents per hundred pounds the Missouri railroad commissioners Monday gave the oil trust a severe blow. The existing rate is 20 cents from St. Louis to Kansas City and 17 cents from Kansas City to St. Louis. This discrimination has long been protested against by independent refiners who claimed it was manifestly unjust and in favor of the trust, which has refineries at Kansas City. The action of the commissioners was taken at a hearing of the case brought by the National Refining company of Cleveland.

Owing to the absence of H. Clay Pierce, former president and Charles M. Adams, secretary of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, the hearing of depositions in the case of the State of Missouri against the Republic, Waters-Pierce and Standard Oil companies to oust them from the state was continued to March 19. Counsel for Mr. Pierce and Mr. Adams said the witnesses would be ready to testify week after next.

General Schofield is Dead.

St. Augustine, Fla., dispatch: Lieutenant General John M. Schofield, U. S. A., retired, former head of the army, died at 8:20 o'clock Sunday night. He was attacked in the morning with cerebral hemorrhage. His



The Late Lieut.-Gen. J. M. Schofield.

wife and young daughter were with him. General Schofield entered the civil war as a lieutenant.

STOKES MEETING IS AT AN END

Social Reformers Abruptly Terminate Conference at Noroton, Conn.

Noroton, Conn., dispatch: It was stated Monday at the summer home of J. G. Phelps Stokes, where the conference of men interested in social reform was held Saturday, that there would be no further meeting of Mr. Stokes' guests. It was planned to have an all-day meeting, but as several of the men announced that they would be unable to attend it was decided that the conference had better end. Mr. Stokes refused to give out anything that transpired at the conference.

FORBIDS FRESHMAN BANQUET

Faculty at Cornell Seeks to Forestall Expected Hazing.

Ithaca, N. Y., dispatch: The faculty of Cornell university has requested President Schurman to prohibit the annual freshman banquet on March 10. The professors have taken a firm stand against the social rivalry that always attends the function. President Schurman declares university work is interfered with and the rules against hazing violated by interference of the sophomores at the freshman banquet.

WOMEN WORKERS POISONED

Negligent Cooking in Copper Vessels Held Responsible for Illness.

Xenia, Ohio, dispatch: Thirty-five women employees of the Ohio Soldiers and Sailors' Orphans' home were suddenly taken sick after eating their dinner. Superintendent James L. Smith ordered an investigation, as it is claimed the food was poisoned by negligent cooking in copper vessels. The attending physicians said that nine of the cases are serious.

HOWARD GOULD LOSES HIS SUIT

Court Awards Contractor \$65,000 for Work on "The Castle."

Mineola, L. I., dispatch: A verdict for \$65,000, with \$2,000 added for counsel fees, was rendered against Howard Gould here in the suit brought by Henry Murdock, a contractor and builder of New York, to recover commissions on a contract in connection with Castle Gould at Sands Point, L. I. Mr. Murdock sued for \$120,000.

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Health

Calumet makes light, digestible, wholesome food; free from Rochelle Salts, Alum or any injurious substance.

Economy

Do not pay 45 or 50 cents for Trust baking powders, which are so compounded as to leave large quantities of Rochelle Salts in the food. Constant dosing of Rochelle Salts is injurious to health.

Nature Recovering Its Own.

It was once the common practice of tourists to shoot birds and alligators from the decks of steamboats on Florida rivers and lakes. This admirable, because cruel and useless, warfare was waged until the supply of victims for the brutality was nearly exhausted. The development of the Florida railway system, by which the tide of travel has been directed from the water courses, has had a direct and marked effect on the wild life of the country. Instead of the leisurely progress by water craft, tourists are now whirled through the country by rail, and the bloodthirsty contingent has no opportunity to deal out death at every turn. The waters and the shores are once again becoming populated with birds of plume and even the alligator is coming again into peaceful possession of his mudbank.—Forest and Stream.

Not Safe for Him.

A Denver politician and his wife were on the eighth floor of the hotel to see the art exhibit. When ready to go the woman said: "Wait a moment, John, I want to look over the balcony railing." She did so and was astonished at the distance between her and the floor of the lobby.

Looking Forward.

Leading Lady—Where's my salary? Theatrical Manager—I'm very sorry, but business has been bad this week and the ghost is unable to walk.

A NECESSARY EVIL.

Experience of a Minister Who Tried to Think That of Coffee. "A descendant of the Danes, a nation of coffee drinkers, I used coffee freely till I was 20 years old," writes a clergyman from Iowa. "At that time I was a student at a Biblical Institute, and suddenly became aware of the fact that my nerves had become demoralized, my brain dull and sluggish and that insomnia was fastening its hold upon me."

"I was loath to believe that these things came from the coffee I was drinking, but at last was forced to that conclusion and quit it."

"I was so accustomed to a hot table beverage and felt the need of it so much, that after abstaining from coffee for a time and recovering my health, I went back to it. I did this several times, but always with disastrous results. I had about made up my mind that coffee was a necessary evil."

"About this time a friend told me that I would find Postum Food Coffee very fine and in many respects very ahead of coffee. So I bought some and, making it very carefully according to the directions, we were delighted to find that he had not exaggerated in the least. From that day to this we have liked it better than the old kind of coffee or anything else in the way of a table drink."

"Its use gave me, in a very short time, an increase in strength, clearness of brain and steadiness of nerves; and sleep, restful and restoring, came back to me."

"I am thankful that we heard of Postum and shall be glad to testify at any time to the good it has done me." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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

JOAN OF THE SWORD HAND

By S. R. CROCKETT, Author of "The Riders," etc.
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CHAPTER XXVII.—Continued.

The only one of the party wholly without a settled plan was the woman most deeply interested. Theresa von Lynar simply rode to Courtland to save her son or to die with him. She alone had no influence with Prince Louis, no weapon to use against him except her woman's wit.

When in the morning light of the second day they came in sight of Courtland, and saw on the green plain of the Alla a great concourse, it did not need Al Pikker's shout to urge them forward at a gallop, lest after all they should arrive too late.

"They have brought him out to die," cried Joan. "Ride for the young man's life!"

But all their careful plans and scrupulous intents were in a moment cast to the winds by the urgency of the need. Expecting to find themselves instantly captives, they found themselves instead among a stout and independent people, stirred to the highest point of hatred and excited disgust by the cruelty of the scene and the horror which they knew must too certainly ensue.

The sight of their favorite Prince Conrad raised the highest hopes, not only among the populace, but in the army of Courtland itself. It had long been a standing toast in every guard-room. "To the succession of the knight!" For they looked to their ideal king, Conrad, that hero without stain, to deliver their country from the degrading weakness and subservience of the reign of Louis, and especially from the intruding Muscovite and hated Cossack who had supplanted themselves as guards in the very palace of their Prince.

Hence the shouts of "Prince Conrad!" "Our deliverer!" "The true Prince!" "Down with Louis!" "Drive out the Russ!" which saluted them everywhere as the cavalcade advanced slowly through the press.

CHAPTER XXVIII

The Truth-Speaking of Boris and Jorian.

This is the report of Captains Boris and Jorian, which they gave in face of their sovereigns in the garden pleasure of the palace of Plassenburg.

"Speak out your minds, good lads!" said Hugo, leaning a little further back.

"Ay, tell us all," assented Helene, "tell us how you delivered the Sparhawk, as you call him, the officer of the Duchess Joan!"

So Boris saluted and began. "The tale is a long one, Prince and Princess," he said. "Of our many and difficult endeavors to keep the peace and prevent quarreling I will say nothing—"

"Better so!" interjected Hugo with a gleam in his eye. Jorian coughed and growled to himself. "That long fool will make a mess of it!"

"I will pass on to our entry into Courtland. It was like the home-coming of a long-lost true prince. There was no fighting—alack, not so much as a stroke after all that bother of shouting!"

"Boris!" said the Princess warningly. "Give him rope!" muttered Prince Hugo. "He will tangle himself rarely or he be done!"

"I mean the blessing of Heaven there was no bloodshed," Boris corrected himself. "There was, as I say, no fighting. There was none to fight with. Prince Louis had not a friend in his own capital city, saving the Muscovite. And at that moment Prince Ivan the Wasp was glad enough to win clear off to the frontier with his Cossacks at his tail. It was a God's pity we could not ride

"That would be very different!" she said, "yes, very different!"

"Ah!" said Hugo, the Prince, her husband.

Thus the climax came about in the twinkling of an eye, but the universal turmoil and wild jubilation in which Prince Louis's power and government were swept away had really been preparing for years, though the end fell sharp as the thunderclap.

For all that, the trouble was only deferred, not removed. The cruel death of Maurice von Lynar had been rendered impossible by the opportune arrival of Prince Conrad and the sudden revolution which the sight of his noble and beloved form, clad in armor, produced among the disgusted and impulsive Courtlanders.

Yet the arch-foe had only recoiled in order that he might the further leap. The great army of the White Czar was encamped just across the frontier, nominally on the march to Poland, but capable of being in a moment diverted upon the Princesdom of Courtland. Here was a pretext of invasion ripe to Prince Ivan's hand. So he kept Louis, the dethroned and ex-truded prince, close beside him. He urged his father, by every tie of friendship and interest, to replace that prince upon his throne. And the Czar Paul, well knowing that the restoration of Louis meant nothing less than the incorporation of Courtland with his empire, hastened to carry out his son's advice.

In Courtland itself there was no confusion. A certain grim determination took possession of the people. They had made their choice, and they would abide by it. They had chosen Conrad to be their ruler, as he had long been their hope; and they knew that now Louis was for ever impos-

sible, save as a cloak for the Muscovite dominion. The country rose behind the retiring Muscovite, and Prince Louis was conducted across the boundary of his princedom under the bitter thunder of cannon and the hiss of Courtland arrows.

Meanwhile Joan, casting aside with an exultant leap of the heart her intent to make of herself an obedient wife, rode back to Kernsberg in order to organize all the forces to meet the common foe. It was to be the last fight of the Teuton Northland for freedom and faith.

The Muscovite does not go back, and if Courtland were conquered Kernsberg could not long stand. To Plassenburg (as we have seen) rode Boris and Jorian to plead for help from their Prince and Princess. Des-sauer had already preceded them, and the armies, disciplined and equipped by Prince Karl, were already on the march to defend their frontiers—it might be to go farther and fight shoulder to shoulder with Courtland and Kernsberg against the common foe.

The presence of Prince Conrad in the city of Courtland seemed to change entirely the character of the people. From being somewhat friv-

olous they became devoted to the severest military discipline. Nothing was heard but words of command and the ordered tramp of marching feet. The country barons and knights brought in their forces, and their tents, all gay with banners and fluttering pennons, stretched wide along the Alla for a mile and more.

The word was on every lip, "When will they come?"

The day after the deliverance of the Sparhawk, Joan announced her intention of riding on the morrow to Kernsberg. Maurice von Lynar and von Orsen would accompany her.

"Then," cried Margaret instantly, "I will go, too!"

"The rid, would be over toilsome for you," said Joan.

"I will go!" said Margaret wiffully. "I shall never let him out of my sight again!"

"We shall be back within the week! You will be both safer and more comfortable here!"

The Princess Margaret withdrew her head from the open window, momentarily losing sight of her husband and making vain her last words.

"Ah, Joan," she said reproachfully, "you are wise and strong—there is no one like you. But you do not know what it is to be married. You never were in love. How, then, can you understand the feelings of a wife?"

"She looked out of the window again and waved a kerchief.

"Oh, Joan," she looked back again with a mournful countenance. "I do believe that Maurice does not love me as I love him. He never took the least notice of me when I waved to him!"

(To be continued.)

Land Was Out of Sight.

"Yes," said one of the traveling men, who was telling stories in front of the hotel. "I was once out of sight of land on the Atlantic ocean twenty-one days."

"On the Pacific one time I didn't see land for twenty-nine days," said another. A little, bald-headed man tilted his chair against a post and knocked the ashes from his cigar.

"I started across the Kaw river near Lawrence in a skiff once when I was a kid," he said, "and was out of sight of land before I reached the other side."

"Aw, come off," came from one of the crowd. "The Kaw isn't more than 300 yards wide anywhere along near Lawrence."

"I didn't say it was," said the little man quietly. "The skiff turned over and I sank twice."—Kansas City Times.

A Far-Seeing Scot.

The following story is told of an eccentric Scottish keeper on an estate in the north of Scotland:

He was once guiding a shooting party up near the top of a steep and high mountain. Suddenly, when they had reached a great height, one of the beaters gave a loud yell, and seized himself by the back of the neck. Through his interlocked white fingers bright blood oozed. The man had been peppered with stray shot in the nape.

The keeper, seeing the blood, and thinking the accident much worse than it really was, bawled out excitedly—

"Rip, Dugald! Rip, doon the hill! Heaven only kens how far we'll ha'e to caltry ye!"

Thursday March 1, 1936.

The discussion of the railroad rate question was continued in the Senate today by Mr. Dooliver, who spoke in support of the Dooliver-Hepburn bill. The remainder of the session was devoted to the bill providing for the settlement of the affairs of the five civilized tribes of Indians after the termination of their tribal status. The session was adjourned at 5:30 p. m. The Senate went into executive session and at 5:55 adjourned until to-morrow.

The House today passed the army appropriation bill, carrying about \$9,000,000. Provision for a cable ship for the Atlantic coast and for a ship for mine planting in the Pacific were eliminated on points of order. The powder trust bill was passed.

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Congressional Proceedings

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The discussion of the railroad rate question was continued in the Senate today by Mr. Dooliver, who spoke in support of the Dooliver-Hepburn bill. The remainder of the session was devoted to the bill providing for the settlement of the affairs of the five civilized tribes of Indians after the termination of their tribal status. The session was adjourned at 5:30 p. m. The Senate went into executive session and at 5:55 adjourned until to-morrow.

The House today passed the army appropriation bill, carrying about \$9,000,000. Provision for a cable ship for the Atlantic coast and for a ship for mine planting in the Pacific were eliminated on points of order. The powder trust bill was passed.

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ILLINOIS NEWS

Choose items from over the state, specially selected for our readers.

HUNT FOR GOVERNOR'S UNCLE

Search Is Being Made for Relatives of Minnesota's Executive.

Search is being made at Aurora for Andrew and John Hadden, brothers of Mrs. L. Johnson, mother of Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota.

Mrs. Johnson, whose maiden name was Caroline Hadden, and her three brothers came to America from Sweden in 1856, and located in Chicago. Shortly afterward their parents died, leaving the children without a guardian. The girl went to St. Peter, Minn., where she married.

The boys were placed in a Chicago orphan's home, and since then Mrs. Johnson has heard nothing of them. Not long after leaving Chicago she visited the home to inquire concerning her brothers' whereabouts, but the only information she could secure was that they had been adopted. She learned that Andrew was living with an English family either in or near Aurora. Lars, she found, had been adopted by a Chicago family, and John by a Scotch family in Geneva, twelve miles north of Aurora.

The information was not of material assistance, as she was unable to secure the names of the families.

For years Mrs. Johnson wanted to hear from her brothers, but no letters ever have reached her. Last Friday a letter was received from Miss Hattie I. Johnson, sister of Minnesota's governor, soliciting the aid of Aurora attorneys in the search for the three men. The case is a most interesting one, and several Aurora people have taken up the inquiry. If the Aurora attorneys who have taken up the case locate the Hadden boys Gov. Johnson will visit Aurora to identify them.

ANTI-SALOON CRUSADE IS ON

Churches of Henry County to Unite in Fight on Intemperance.

An anti-saloon crusade, which has for its purpose the purification of Henry county, and in which it is expected every church organization in the county will be enrolled, has been started at Geneseo. The matter has been agitated for some time by delegations from the Geneseo and Cambridge ministers, and plans have reached the stage of organization.

To get the organization on a formal footing a convention of temperance advocates has been

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KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Mrs. Markley was a shopper in Genoa last Saturday.

Chas. Mulford went to Cherry Valley on business Saturday.

Fred Slater of Poplar Grove was here Sunday to visit friends.

Miss May Gibbs is spending a few days with friends in Hampshire.

R. C. Benson left Monday for a few days' visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ball have moved from Kirkland to the Branch farm.

Mrs. Daisy Bishop is now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. McCollom went to South Grove Monday to visit relatives.

Mrs. C. H. Meyers went to Rockford Monday and underwent an operation.

Mrs. Emma Tazwell of DeKalb was here over the Sabbath visiting her son, Roy.

A Republican caucus will be held in the council rooms Saturday, March 17.

Mrs. Amanda Moyers and niece, Mrs. Eva Penning, spent last Friday in Rockford.

Miss Mildred Gibbs was here from DeKalb Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Gibbs.

Mrs. Martha Miner and baby of Grant, Iowa, came Monday evening to visit her father, Jay Maltby.

Mrs. S. D. Whitney was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. Scott of Rockford.

Mrs. George Beers left Monday evening for an extended visit with

her daughter, Mrs. Eva Nichols, at Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Carrie Jackson was here from Sycamore a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marion Arbuckle and other relatives.

Fred Gustafson has moved his family here from Hampshire and they are occupying the Henry

Bacon residence on Main street.

Rev. J. J. Higgs came Tuesday evening from Cherry Valley to assist in the revival meetings held in the M. E. church. Mr. Juell of Belvidere is here also to assist in the singing.

A literary and musical entertainment will be given at the Baptist church this (Friday) evening by home talent assisted by Miss Faith Hoyt of Sycamore as reader. Misses Vera Colvin and Pearl Kepple of Belvidere will sing.

Low Rates West and Northwest

Daily until April 7—Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway—\$33.00 to points in California; \$32.40 to North Pacific Coast points. Greatly reduced rates made to many other points West and northwest. Half rates for children of half-fare age. Liberal stop-overs allowed on all tickets. Tickets are good in Tourist sleepers. For further information regarding rates, routes and train service see nearest ticket agent or write F. A. Miller, general passenger agent, Chicago. 26 3t

Card of Thanks

We the undersigned thank the many neighbors for their kindness shown us during our late bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gleason.

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Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is not a simple cough syrup. It is a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine. It cures hard cases, severe and desperate cases, chronic cases of asthma, pleurisy, bronchitis, consumption. Ask your doctor about this.

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Indigestion is making an awful record as a cause of sudden deaths. It is beating heart-failure in its ghastly harvest.

You read in the papers daily of apparently healthy and even robust men being suddenly attacked with acute indigestion after enjoying a hearty meal, and of their dying in many cases before a physician could be called.

This should be a warning to you who suffer with regular or periodical attacks of indigestion. If these unfortunate victims of acute indigestion had taken a small dose of Green's August Flower before or after their meals they would not have fallen a prey to such sudden seizures.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an Execution issued out of the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of DeKalb County and State of Illinois, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain judgment recently obtained against Fred E. Westover in favor of Sarah J. Sumner out of the lands, tenements, goods and chattels of the said Fred E. Westover, I have levied on the undivided one fourth interest of the following real estate belonging to said defendant, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the section line, seven (7) chains and twenty-one (21) links south of the northeast corner of the south-west quarter (36) of section twenty-four (24), township No. forty-two (42) north, range four (4), east of the third (3rd) Principal Meridian, which point is in the center of the highway, from thence running north sixty-one degrees and thirty-seven minutes west, along in the center of the highway sixty-six links (66) to a stake; thence south twenty-eight degrees and twenty-three minutes, west five (5)

chains; thence south sixty-one degrees and thirty-seven minutes, east four (4) chains; thence north twenty-eight degrees and twenty-three minutes, east five (5) chains to the center of the highway; thence north sixty-one degrees and thirty-seven minutes west along the center of the highway three (3) chains and thirty-four links to the place of beginning, containing two (2) acres. Excepting therefrom a piece of land thirty-three (33) feet wide on along and across the west side thereof, which was conveyed by Bertha J. Westover and B. G. Westover to Ella F. Gleason. The above described real estate is also known as lots B and C in Wilcox's addition to the Village of Genoa, situated in the county of DeKalb in the state of Illinois.

Therefore, according to said command, I shall expose for sale at public auction all the right, title and interest of the above named Fred E. Westover in and to the above described property, on Saturday, the 7th day of April, 1906, at two o'clock p. m., at the south door of the court house in the city of Sycamore, DeKalb County, Illinois.

Dated at Sycamore this 3rd day of March, 1906. F. Rompp, Sheriff of DeKalb County, Illinois.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our sincere thanks for the many kind acts by friends and neighbors during the illness and following the death of our wife and mother.

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