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OF GENERAL INTEREST

ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS OF EXCHANGES

MEXICO WANTS HOLSTEINS

Butter Market Firm at 20 Cents—Big Woodman Class in Chicago this Year

The butter market on the Elgin board of trade was reported firm at 20 cents. There were no offerings nor sales.

Henry Janson has bought the John Stapleton farm in the town of Bonus for \$10,000. The price per acre was \$100, there being 100 acres in the farm, which is a valuable piece of property.

This demand for Holstein cows in Mexico will in time reduce, if not diminish, the supply of this particular breed in Kane county, as well as other counties in the northern part of the state.

Wm. Hallott was drowned in the Kishwaukee river two miles west of Belvidere Thursday at 4 p. m. He lost his life in saving that of his 13-year-old daughter, who had fallen into the river.

Miss Edna Osborne, a graduate of the Belvidere high school this spring, was neither absent nor tardy during her entire school life, from the time she entered the primary department up to the last day.

For grasping a young white woman by the foot, a Texas negro has been sentenced to 999 years in the penitentiary. For good behavior he will be entitled to a reduction in the time specified for him to serve.

The Modern Woodmen of Chicago are planning to initiate a class of 2,500 this fall. Last year they planned to initiate a class of 1,000, and instead had 2,000, and it is hoped that the 1906 class will number from 4,000 to 5,000.

The Frank C. Patten company, of Sycamore, has filed bankruptcy papers which were scheduled yesterday morning with Referee in Bankruptcy, Chas. L. Abbott, at Elgin. The liabilities of the company amount to \$424,341.64, and the assets to \$402,472.99.

Hereafter the "opened by mistake" excuse will be a mistake that will cost \$200. The post office department has ruled that mail must be looked over before leaving the office, and that any letter put in your box by mistake must be returned before leaving the post office under penalty of \$200 for failure to do so.

Owing to the numerous attacks on women and children in Chicago, and the wave of particular phases of crime which have made the streets of that city unsafe for unprotected women and children, the next session of the state legislature will be asked to pass a law providing that any man convicted of an assault upon a woman or a child shall be hanged.

The burning of the entire wheat crop of Washington this year as a means of exterminating the Hessian fly, which has made its appearance, is recommended by Entomologist Melander of the state agricultural college, who says it would be better to lose one crop than to see the insect gain a foothold in the state and destroy a large percentage of all succeeding crops.

Mayors of 150 cities in five states in which women have the right to vote have sent messages to Chicago club women endorsing the movement for giving municipal suffrage to the women. Over 160 mayors in all in the five states have been heard from. Only one expressed himself as opposed unqualifiedly to the extension to the right to vote at city elections. Nine were non-committal.

SHAFFER IS ENCOURAGED

Meets with Cordial Reception in the South Towns of County

L. C. Shaffer, the Kingston candidate for county treasurer is meeting with considerable encouragement in the south towns of the county. The following article recently appeared in the Sandwich Free Press:

"Mr. Shaffer is a clean, capable young man and in every way qualified to act as custodian of the county's funds. He comes from a township that has not been recognized in the county's official family since 1852. Always a stalwart Republican,



L. C. SHAFFER

through adversity and prosperity, adding each election year its quota towards the grand Republican majority that has made DeKalb county a banner one of Illinois, Kingston now asks the nomination and election of Mr. Shaffer to the office of county treasurer.

"In selecting a candidate they have chosen one of the township's best known and popular young Republicans, fully satisfied and confident that their candidate will administer the affairs of the office with credit to himself and honor to the township and county."

A press notice of the above nature is not necessary in this part of the county for the facts are known here. Mr. Shaffer is held in the highest esteem by all who know him, in the surrounding country as well as in his home town. He is a member of the Masonic and Woodman fraternities, has been a member of the village board for a number of years and president of the board for three years, also secretary and manager of the Kingston Creamery Co. He is a genial, sociable fellow and is possessed of a shrewd business make-up.

Rev. Satterfield to Talk

At the Genoa Methodist church July 29 Rev. M. W. Satterfield will make an address on Wesley hospital which is one of the great philanthropic institutions of the middle west. Twenty years ago Rev. Satterfield served as pastor of the Genoa charge; many of his old friends and acquaintances are still living in this part of the country and he will be given a cordial welcome and large hearing. On March 1 Mr. Satterfield was called back from California, where he had gone to spend a year with his family, to assume the secretaryship of this important institution, the largest of its kind in Methodism.

Woodstock Beats Aurora

Heck Bros. Manufacturing Co. of Aurora will move its plant to Woodstock. Stock totaling \$25,000 has been subscribed and a site offered.

New Hospital for DeKalb

DeKalb is to have a public hospital if the plans of some of its citizens materialize. J. F. Glidden has taken the initiative in endorsing such an institution.

THE EAGLES SCREAM

WHEN THE REGULARS PLUCK THEIR FEATHERS

PECATONICAS LOSE SCALPS

The Genoa Base Ball Team Plays an Errorless Game Saturday and Defeats Strong Team Sunday

The Rockford Eagles came over last Saturday to get a few pointers regarding the national game and—well they got the pointers. Those Eagles were plucked and singed while the heavy hitters that compose the Genoa team were drumming up a tune of 11 to 0. The contest was as one-sided as the handle of a jug. When the Eagles came to bat Neurauter made them look like a collection of antique coins. During the entire nine innings they could only secure two scratchy hits while fourteen of them did nothing but cut great gashes in the atmosphere. The Eagles also gave an excellent exhibition of "booting" and juggling in field work.

To make matters worse for the visitors the Regulars never played better than they did that day. Not an error was made, while everyone seemed bent on putting the ball over the Illinois Central dump. Furr started the fun in the third inning with a three-bagger and Neurauter, the next man up, duplicated the act. Rorabaugh sent the ball to deep right field in the fifth for a home run and made a two-bagger in the seventh. Miller was also in the game with a three-bagger and a two-bagger. It was the kind of ball playing that the fans like to see even if the score is overbalanced.

As usual Patterson showed good judgement in base running and crossed the pan four times in five times at bat.

The score:

| GENOA | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|
| Rorabaugh, c. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Miller, 1b. | 5 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Williams, rf. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sager, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Stewart, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Furr, ss. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Neurauter, p. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Nelson, cf. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Patterson, lf. | 5 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 40 | 11 | 11 | 27 | 5 | 0 |

| EAGLES | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|----|---|
| Watts, 3b. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 3 |
| Meier, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Tynaw, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 1 |
| Bartlett, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Golly, rf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Porter, lf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Crawford, ss. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Miller, cf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Leber, p. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| | 29 | 0 | 2 | 24 | 14 | 8 |

Genoa... 2 2 1 2 2 0 2 0 *—11
Eagles... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —0
Earned runs—Genoa 5. Two base hits—Rorabaugh, Miller. Three base hits—Miller, Furr, Neurauter. Home run—Rorabaugh. Stolen bases—Rorabaugh, Sager (2), Patterson (2), Watts. First on balls—off Neurauter 2, off Leber 4. Struck out—by Neurauter 14, by Leber 3. Passed ball—Bartlett. Hit by pitcher—Sager, Porter.

The game at Pecatonica Sunday was a different article and as evenly balanced as Teddy Roosevelt's reasoning power. The Regulars had to play ball all the time for the Pecatonicas are the most formidable foe they have met this season. Palmer has speed to spare and a variety of snake twisters that were not easy to untangle. Ackerman's cool head and easy delivery were equal to Palmer's speed however and the battle waxed warm.

The one run credited to Pecatonica was made in the first inning. Markham was hit by a pitched ball, walked to first, and Palmer's two-bagger put him over the pan.

It was then a series of goose eggs for both teams until the eighth inning when Genoa put two notches in the stick. Nelson, the first man up in the eighth, was hit by a pitched ball and placed on first. Patterson fouled out and Rorabaugh flew out at centre field. "Cannon ball" Miller then came to bat and leaned on the ball for three bases forcing Nelson to score. Markham then kindly threw the ball over the third baseman's head and Miller trotted in with the second run. Both teams were blanked in the ninth.

Patterson played a star game at second, accepting six chances without an error. Of the seven hits made by Genoa, Rorabaugh is credited with three and Miller with two. Furr was a stone wall at short.

| GENOA | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|----------------|----|---|---|----|----|---|
| Rorabaugh, c. | 4 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| Miller, 1b. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 1 |
| Ackerman, p. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Sager, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Furr, ss. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Evans, cf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Neurauter, rf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, lf. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Patterson, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| | 30 | 5 | 7 | 27 | 14 | 4 |

| PECATONICA | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|
| Mortisy, lf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Mertze, ss. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Markham, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 1 |
| Palmer, p. | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Anderson, 1b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Sanders, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Bouton, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Halsted, lf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Goldwood, rf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 34 | 1 | 5 | 27 | 8 | 1 |

Two base hit—Miller, Palmer. Three base hit—Miller. First on balls—off Ackerman 1, off Palmer 2. Struck out—by Ackerman 9, by Palmer 7. Passed balls—Rorabaugh, Markham. First base on errors—Pecatonica 3. Hit by pitcher—Nelson.

GAME NEXT SATURDAY

The Pecatonica team will play the return game on the Genoa diamond next Saturday, July 21. It is not necessary to say that it will be a good game, always provided there is no balloon ascension which is not likely to happen. The Regulars have struck their stride and will no doubt keep it. If you like the game there is now no reason why the team should not receive better support at home. The game Saturday will be one of those kind that causes the fan to sit on the edge of his seat with a war whoop at his tongue's end. Turn out and see the fun. Game called at 2:45.

BATTING AVERAGE

| Player | Games | At bat | Hits | Perc |
|--------------|-------|--------|------|------|
| Williams | 5 | 22 | 10 | 455 |
| Rorabaugh | 13 | 47 | 21 | 445 |
| Miller | 13 | 59 | 17 | 288 |
| Nelson | 7 | 20 | 5 | 250 |
| Stewart | 5 | 20 | 5 | 250 |
| Ackerman | 12 | 53 | 12 | 226 |
| Sager | 13 | 57 | 12 | 211 |
| Furr | 10 | 39 | 8 | 205 |
| Neurauter | 12 | 42 | 6 | 143 |
| Patterson | 12 | 39 | 5 | 129 |
| Kirby | 5 | 18 | 2 | 111 |
| Team average | | | | 247 |

GAMES SCHEDULED

Manager Sager of the Regulars has the following games scheduled for the future, all of which will be played away from home: Hampshire, July 26. Hinckley, July 29. DeKalb at Electric Park, August 1. DeKalb at DeKalb, August 5. Harvard, August 12.

Give Dividends and Outing

Last Thursday evening the employees of the C. F. Hall Company of Dundee received the tenth semi-annual dividend which has come to them from the firm, the total of their checks aggregating about \$400.00, and the individual amounts ranging from \$2.72 to \$97.84. The store was closed at five o'clock to enable employees and members of the firm to reach ball, walked to first, and Palmer's two-bagger put him over the pan, where the gathering was held.

WHAT, WHEN, WHERE

COMING EVENTS OF INTEREST TO OUR READERS

LOCAL DATES OF IMPORTANCE

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

Friday, July 20—W. C. T. U. anniversary meeting and social at church.

Saturday, July 21—Ball game, Genoa vs Pecatonica.

Wednesday evening, July 25—Band concert, Genoa.

Saturday, Aug. 4—Primary election.

Saturday, August 11—Annual farmers' and old settlers' picnic at Burlington.

August 9 to 19—Annual camp meeting at Camp Epworth.

Thursday, Aug. 9—County Republican convention at Sycamore.

August 17 to 27—Chautauqua at Sycamore.

August 18 to Sept. 2—Rockford Chautauqua assembly.

Monday to Friday, Aug. 27 to 31—McHenry county fair, Woodstock.

Thursday, August 30—Annual old settlers' picnic at Kingston.

September 12-14—Sandwich fair.

JUDGEMENT SUSTAINED

Judge Ruth Refuses new Trial in Riddle vs. Genoa Case

After holding his decision under advisement for something like six months Judge Ruth last week refused the village of Genoa a new trial in the Riddle case.

Mrs. Riddle fell thru an opening in the sidewalk in September of 1904 and in May of the next year brought suit against the village, claiming damages of \$5,000. The case was tried last January, about forty witnesses being called to the county seat. The trial lasted more than a week and resulted in a verdict in favor of Mrs. Riddle for \$1,550 dollars.

Much conflicting evidence was brought out during the trial and the city's attorneys, Carnes, Dunton and Faissler of Sycamore and G. E. Stott of Genoa put up a hard fight. It was the opinion of most Genoa people who had heard the evidence that the village would be acquitted, hence the verdict was somewhat of a surprise.

The case will, of course, be carried to the higher courts, the village council being determined to leave no stone unturned in proving there is no case of damages.

FIND BIG PEARLS

Kishwaukee Gives up Its Wealth During the Past Week

The Kishwaukee river has been giving up its wealth during the past week, many valuable pearls having been discovered by Genoa hunters. S. Abraham started the craze last Thursday when he brought to town two beauties. The largest weighs about twelve grains and is probably worth from \$150 to \$200. The smaller pearl is much more beautiful and worth over \$50. On the same day John Lawyer also found a beauty which will bring about \$50. On Sunday F. A. Holly, the Republican-Journal foreman, found a gem of about ten grains. It is a beautiful pink tint and worth perhaps \$100. At the same time Mr. Abraham found another fine specimen.

It is needless to say that the river is now giving up thousands of clams daily, as the fever has struck dozens of prospectors.

Special bargains at F. W. Olmsted's.

A BEAUTIFUL WEDDING

Rev. Charles A. Briggs takes Miss Jessie Hutchison for Bride

It was a beautiful wedding that took place at the home of the bride Wednesday when Miss Jessie Hutchison became the bride of the Rev. Charles A. Briggs, Jr. There were about seventy-five guests present to witness the ceremony which was performed by the groom's father, Rev. C. A. Briggs of Rockford, assisted by Rev. T. E. Ream of this city.

The ribbon girls, Clarabel Shanahan of Fairdale and Edith Douglas of Elgin, formed a passageway to the east room where between two massive banks of sweet peas and under a canopy of foliage the wedding procession paused, and the bridal couple took their vows. The attendants were Miss Margaret Hutchison, sister of the bride, and Mr. Frank Briggs, brother of the groom. The bride wore a beautiful dress of net over white silk, and the bridesmaid wore pink silk mull.

The wedding march, by Mendelssohn, was played by Prof. Squire of Sheridan Conservatory, Chicago. The ring was carried in the bell of a lily by little Gretchen Marquart. The bride was given away by her father on whose arm she had entered the room. Altho Mr. Hutchison gave his daughter away, he and his estimable wife have the consolation of knowing that they have not lost a daughter, but have gained a son.

After the happy pair had received repeated congratulations an excellent dinner was served at small tables, several young lady friends of the bride acting as waitresses.

There was an elegant display of gifts, consisting of cut glass, china, silverware, furniture, table linen and pictures.

After a short trip to the lakes of the north Rev. and Mrs. Briggs will settle at Union, Ill., where the former is pastor of the M. E. church. They will commence housekeeping on the first of September.

Mr. Briggs was for some time assistant pastor of the Genoa M. E. church and while here made hosts of friends. He is an able speaker, an excellent vocalist and withal a man of rare attainments who will make his name known in the high calling he has chosen as a life's work. He graduated from Northwestern University this spring with high honors.

The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchison and has been a resident of this place since childhood. She is a lady of irreproachable manners, the groom making no mistake in the choice of a helpmate.

The following from abroad attended the wedding:

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCredie, Miss Jane McCredie, Mr. and Mrs. Will Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lauden, of Elgin; Miss J. Archibald, Thos. and John Hutchison of Chicago; Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Briggs, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Craft, Miss Alice, Frank and Walter Briggs of Rockford; Miss Verna Church of Marengo, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hutchison, Jr., Burlington; Mrs. Thos. Shanahan of Fairdale.

Horse Thieves Again

A valuable sorrel driving horse belonging to Jay Conger of Belvidere was stolen from his barn at South street and East avenue some time during Monday night. With the horse the thief took an expensive buggy and a number of robes.

The best handkerchiefs for men for the least money at Holtgren's.

FOR A NEW FACTORY

SYNDICATE OF GENOA MEN BUYS WILCOX PROPERTY

WILL MAKE A GOOD ADDITION

If Lots can be Sold There are Prospects of an Excellent Industry in Sight Now

Another factory for Genoa is a possibility and in fact is a sure thing provided the people take hold of the matter in the right way and help push with financial aid.

L. D. Sampson of the Central Industrial Bureau, Chicago, was here last week and made a proposition that looks good. He represents a piano company which has been manufacturing pianos for thirty years in Chicago, but which now desires to locate in the country. This company demands a bonus of \$12,000 in cash and two acres of land for a factory site as an inducement for it to locate in Genoa. For this consideration the company agrees to employ for a period of seven years no less than fifty hands (mostly skilled mechanics) at an average weekly wage of \$12.00 or a total weekly pay roll of \$600. If the company does not comply with all the provisions of the agreement it loses the title to the building and site.

With this proposition as an incentive to action a syndicate composed of ten Genoa citizens has purchased the Wilcox property on the west side which consists of nearly thirty-three acres. This land includes all the property that remains of the Wilcox farm on the east side of the Illinois Central, including the three acres which lie between Main street and the C. M. & St. P. tracks. These three acres make a desirable factory site. There is not a foot of land that will not cut up into excellent lots. It is high and dry, about one half of it is covered with trees and it is only a few blocks from the business portion of the city. That which appeals to the average person more than anything else is the fact that the addition can be drained in almost any direction and the distance would not be great to an outlet, the land being a well elevated plateau.

This land will be cut up into lots and sold for the purpose of raising money to bring a good factory. If the one mentioned above is not landed the syndicate will be on the outlook for another.

The deal for the land was made thru Wm. Bell, the hustling real estate agent of Kingston.

ONE MONTH MARRIED

Sycamore Wife Brings Grave Charges in Bill for Divorce

Lula Stevens, of Kingston, was married to Julius Stevens on June 6, 1906. In a bill for divorce filed last Saturday she says that she resided with him as his wife until July 7 when she was compelled to abandon him because, a few days after said marriage, he commenced cruel and inhuman conduct toward her, and on the day she left him he threatened her with her life and she was obliged to seek shelter at a neighbor's; and when she attempted to return, he refused to admit her; that he has an ungovernable temper and he used opprobrious epithets to her. She adds that he is seized of personal property to the amount of about \$4,000 and his income is at least \$100 a month, while she has no property of her own, and she asks that the court award her suitable provision.—Sycamore Republican.

TAFT IS STILL UNDECIDED

OFFER OF SUPREME JUDGESHIP IN ABEYANCE.

Secretary Says Question of Acceptance of Invitation to Philippines Will Have No Effect.

Washington, July 16.—In answer to a direct question as to whether or not he intended to visit the Philippine Islands next spring and if so whether that decision might be taken as an indication that he intended to decline the offer of a place on the supreme bench, Secretary Taft Saturday said that he had received an invitation from the Filipinos to be present at the opening of the first native assembly next June. So far he had not come to any decision, but it might be stated that whether he accepted the invitation or not, that decision would have no effect whatever upon his political or judicial future. In other words, he might as a justice visit the islands quite as well as while he occupied the office of secretary of war.

Unless there is a change in the present programme, the new justice to succeed Justice Brown, retired, will not take his seat on the supreme bench before the next calendar year. There will be little or no new business before the court in which the newcomer could participate before the Christmas holidays, and it has also been the unbroken practice to make the confirmation of the senate a condition precedent to the assumption of office by the supreme justice. So it is pointed out that there is really no occasion for a speedy decision by Secretary Taft, and it is indicated that certainly not before the next session of congress will he announce his purpose.

SEVEN CHILDREN DROWNED

Six Sacrificed Lives in Effort to Rescue Little Girl Who Slipped from Sand Bar.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., July 13.—Eight children at a picnic on the river bank, only three blocks from home, went wading Thursday afternoon. The smallest one slipped into a deep hole in the river and in trying to rescue her six others were drowned. The dead: Lucille Sweeting, 7; Hazel Sweeting, 14; Gladys Sweeting, 10; Josie Sweeting, 12; Ruth Coyle, 11; Sioux City; Cora Coyle, 9; Sioux City; Clara Usher, 16.

Ruth Klersey, the only survivor, said they were wading, when little Lucille Sweeting slipped off a shelf in the river bottom into a hole. Then the next girl rushed after her. And so they kept trying to save each other until all the girls except Ruth Klersey had been drowned.

MARSHAL BEATEN TO DEATH

Italian Railroad Laborers Attack Official Serving Warrants for Game Law Violation.

La Crosse, Wis., July 14.—Deputy Sheriff Hamill, of Pierce county, Wis., was dangerously injured and City Marshal Isaacs, of Prescott, Wis., killed in an attempt to arrest members of a gang of Italian laborers near Prescott, last Friday.

Hammill and Isaacs visited a gang of 50 Italians employed in track work on the Burlington and served warrants on several men wanted for violations of the Wisconsin game laws.

One of the defendants was lodged safely in jail, but when the officers returned for the others the Italians turned on them with their shovels, beat Hammill to death and wounded Isaacs so badly that he was thought to be dead.

AUSTRALIANS QUIT VOLIVA

Elder Refuses to Obey Summons to Zion City and Announces Secession from the Church.

Chicago, July 13.—News was received Thursday at Zion City that the Australian branch of the church has repudiated Zion, and henceforth will be independent. When Voliva came to Zion City in response to Dowie's command he left Elders C. F. Hawkins and J. C. McCullough in charge.

Recently he sent word to Elder Hawkins to come to Zion City. The reply was the announcement of the secession. It is understood the action of the Australians is not a move in favor of Dowie, but independent of either faction.

Dowie took up his residence at Shiloh House again to await the decision of Judge Landis.

Quake Felt in Texas.

El Paso, Tex., July 17.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt here at 11:50 a. m. Monday. Buildings rocked and swayed and many persons fled to the streets. The thermometers and instruments in the weather bureau in the federal building swung back and forth for several minutes. No damage was done.

Western Mining Man Insane.

Denver, Col., July 13.—John Turish, well-known mining man aged 35 years, was committed to the insane asylum here Thursday after being arrested on a warrant sworn out by his brother, Henry Turish. The demented man is a son of James Turish, of Stevens Point, Wis.

Blaze Threatens Historic Building.

Boston, July 17.—Faneuil hall was threatened early Monday by a fire that badly damaged the six-story brick building occupied as a cafe by Tosi & Libaldi on the opposite side of Faneuil Hall square. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Lorin Aaron, a Stockbridge Indian, was murdered near Shawano, Wis. Douglas Story, the writer, was severely hurt in an automobile accident in Paris.

Government authorities in Siam have undertaken the suppression of gambling in Bangkok.

Reports from the Philippines indicate a falling off in the number of cholera cases due to vaccination.

The Mexican naval training ship Zaragoza has sailed from New York for Mexico, Cuba and Jamaica.

Persian and Turkish troops clashed over the Persian border July 5 and the Turks were whipped into retreat.

East Liverpool, O., was chosen as the place of next year's convention of the National Brotherhood of Operative potters.

A. J. Smith, general passenger agent of the Lake Shore, is critically ill in the Adirondacks. He is not expected to recover.

Private R. Lonsdale, of the Sixteenth United States infantry, was accidentally drowned in the Pasig river, near Manila.

The walls of the Butte hotel, Butte, Mont., collapsed and fell upon the Southern hotel, adjoining. Both buildings were destroyed.

Leslie Dudley Carter, son of the actress, will marry Miss Norma Munro, daughter of the late Norman L. Munro, the wealthy publisher.

Experts reported at Burlington, Ia., that the county had lost \$40,000 through illegal methods of the treasurer during the last six years.

Suit was begun against members of the Twelfth ward school board at Pittsburg by residents of the district, who charge them with grafting.

The gunboat Nashville was put out of commission at the Charlestown navy yard and placed in reserve under the newly adopted plans of the navy department.

W. A. G. Clark and William Whitman, of North Carolina, have been appointed by Secretary Metcalf to investigate markets for the cotton products of the south.

Villafructe, a notorious Ladrone rebel and brother of the leader captured some time ago, was killed by Philippine constabulary in charge of Lieut. Costello.

Secretary Metcalf, of the department of commerce and labor, will pass his vacation in California. Postmaster General Cortelyou will visit Nova Scotia and Long Island.

Quartermaster General Humphrey, of the army, has completed a statement showing that the amount necessary to be expended as a result of the fire in San Francisco aggregated \$2,268,478.

Thomas Reid and Martin Krafe were perhaps fatally injured and a dozen other persons were less seriously hurt in Worcester, Mass., when a runaway electric car struck a telegraph pole.

Frank J. Buckley, of Grand Rapids, Mich., was instantly killed when a caboose on which he was stealing a ride broke away from a train on the West Shore railroad and ran backward into another freight train.

B. F. Wetmore, of Chicago, has brought an action in Laporte, Ind., to recover a sequestered estate left by his grandfather, James V. Bailey, a miser who pleaded poverty and who was buried in a pauper grave.

Because its capital stock has been increased from \$65,000,000 to \$100,000,000 the American Smelting & Refining company has been called upon to pay an extra filing fee of \$3,685 by the secretary of state of Montana, and a legal fight is promised.

Tobacco Probe Near End.

Nashville, Tenn., July 17.—The investigation of the alleged tobacco trust, which has been in progress before the federal grand jury here for the past two weeks, will come to a close this week. If any indictments are returned, it is expected that they will be filed Wednesday or Thursday. There are several witnesses who have not yet been examined. The examination of witnesses was continued Monday.

THE MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various commodities including Live Stock, Flour, Wheat, Corn, and other goods. Columns include item names and prices per unit.

CHRISTIAN'S LIFE CHEAP IN PERSIA

PREVAILING STANDARD PLACES IT AT THIRTY-THREE TOMANS OR DOLLARS.

Murdered Missionary's Wife Sought to Prevent Collection of Indemnity Fearing It Would Be Detrimental to Missions in That Country.

Washington, July 17.—In the Persian correspondence, in the portion of the Red Book on foreign relations which was made public by the state department Monday, is contained a strong protest addressed by Mrs. Mary Schaeffer La Bree, formerly of Urumia, Persia, to American minister Richmond Pearson, at Teheran, against the exaction by the United States government of an indemnity of \$50,000 for the murder of her husband, Rev. Benjamin W. La Bree, a missionary, killed on Mount Arrarat by religious fanatics.

While believing that when an American citizen has been murdered because of the criminal laxness of a foreign government those dependent to him for support should be awarded a suitable indemnity, Mrs. La Bree made the following declaration:

"I believe the great mission cause to which my husband and I dedicated our lives, and which has become dearer to me because of the terrible sacrifice I have been called upon to make for it, may receive serious injury if my children and I accept an indemnity for this murder. The matter would not be understood by the great mass of the people in this district who would inevitably know of it, as the Persian idea of 'blood money' is so different from our civilized understanding of an indemnity. This serious and lasting injury might be done to the mission cause for which we have already sacrificed so much, that I prefer to waive my rights as an American citizen rather than to see this cause suffer."

Value of Christian's Life.

She further protested against the size of the indemnity, saying that while her husband's life could not be measured in value by the standards prevailing in that country which fixed the life of the Christian at 33 tomans (dollars) and the maximum value of life of a Moslem at 1,000 tomans, yet the disproportion between the sum demanded in this case with that of sums paid in similar circumstances by other governments was too great.

Mrs. La Bree asked that the strongest measures be taken by the United States government to see that if any indemnity was in the end exacted it should not be extorted by the Persian government from the innocent people of the province where the murder occurred.

Received Large Indemnity.

In spite of her protest, \$30,000 was actually paid to her by Persia before the 30 days' period named in the ultimatum of the United States expired. This sum was three times greater than the maximum ever before paid by the Persian government for the murder of a private person. Minister Pearson exacted a promise that the money should not be levied under any guise of special tax from the inhabitants of the province.

ELEVATOR AND GRAIN PROBE

Alleged Monopoly Through Special Favors Granted by Railroads to Be Investigated.

Washington, July 14.—An investigation is to be made by the interstate commerce commission, by authority of the United States senate, of the elevator, grain buying and forwarding business of the country to determine to what extent special favors have been granted to them by railroad companies; the influence which the alleged monopolizing of this branch of business has had upon the market, the injury it has worked to railroads, their officers, directors, stockholders and employes own or control the grain buying and grain-forwarding companies; and the manner in which such holdings, if any were secured.

DREYFUS NOW A CHEVALIER

Decree Announcing Reinstatement to Army Accompanied by Notice of Elevation to Legion of Honor.

Paris, July 16.—The celebration of the French national holiday Saturday was marked by the Official Journal publishing decree announcing Dreyfus' reinstatement and promotion, and the inscription of his name on the list of chevaliers of the legion of honor.

Dreyfus, who remains in his apartments, is besieged by friends. Hundreds of felicitations have reached him by mail, telegraph and cable.

Diamond Mine Swindle.

Washington, July 16.—Consul General George E. Anderson, in a report to the bureau of manufactures from Rio Janeiro, charges that while some bona fide Brazilian diamond mines may be reputedly profitable, that country is full of schemes which are either out and out frauds or which are based upon claims and facts so slight as to make them little less than frauds.

"Siberian Pest" at Bialystok.

Bialystok, Russia, July 17.—The "Siberian pest," which was first reported at Yekaterinograd, has appeared here.

NO PLACE TO LAND.



THREE MEN KILLED IN MILL BLOW-UP

TWENTY HURT IN POWDER EXPLOSION NEAR ASHLAND, WIS.

Superintendent Pierce and Two Workmen Are Found Torn and Disfigured Inside Building Where Accident Occurred.

Ashland, Wis., July 17.—A powder mill seven miles from this city blew up Monday morning, killing three men. Twenty others were injured.

The dead are: J. L. Pierce, Wilmington, general superintendent of the powder mill; William Wallace, laborer; George Woodisil.

The neutralizing plant was totally destroyed. The mill is owned by the Atlantic Dynamite company, and there was 25 buildings in the group. The shock was terrific and broke many windows in Ashland.

The accident occurred just as the men, 25 in number, were entering the building for the day's work. Superintendent J. L. Pierce, of Wilmington, Del., William Wallace, a laborer, and George Woodisil were first to enter the building. They had scarcely entered when the nitroglycerin acid let loose and for fully a minute a black cloud of smoke hid the killed and injured from view. Then one by one the less injured men came out of the pall of smoke and each dashed back in search of their companions.

Victims Badly Mangled. The mutilated body of Superintendent Pierce was found where he had fallen, inside the neutralizing building, and close beside him were found Wallace and Woodisil, torn and disfigured.

Coming from all directions of the plant, the employees of the 25 buildings crowded to the scene of the accident and a hasty search was made for other victims but without result. Fire had broken out at several places amongst the debris of the wrecked building, but this speedily was subdued by the workmen. An examination of the other buildings on the premises showed that not one of the 25 had escaped some damage.

Superintendent Well Known.

Superintendent J. L. Pierce, whose home is at Wilmington, Del., and who came to Wisconsin to take charge of the Atlantic Dynamite company's plant, is well known as a chemist and powder maker, he having previously been engaged in the same occupation at various points throughout the country. He enjoyed an extensive acquaintance in the trade and particularly in New England.

VOTE RUSS FAMINE RELIEF

Council of Empire Surprises Douma by Concurring in Its Proposition to Aid Peasants.

St. Petersburg, July 16.—The council of the empire's acceptance without amendment on Saturday of parliament's bill appropriating \$7,500,000 for famine relief came as a surprise, but has occasioned the greatest jubilation in the camp of the lower house, as it is regarded as a vote of lack of confidence in the Goremynkin ministry on the part of the upper chamber.

While many of the speakers in the council of the empire rarely favored adoption of the cabinet's recommendations, they recognized that it would be a fatal mistake for the council to antagonize the lower house in the present crisis.

Three Boys Drowned.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 17.—Three young boys were drowned in the Monongahela river near lock No. 1, Monday by the capsizing of their skiff from the swells of a towboat.

Dreyfus Gets a Regiment.

Paris, July 17.—The council of ministers Monday appointed Maj. Alfred Dreyfus to the command of the 21st Twelfth regiment of artillery at Vincennes.

DEATH CALLS DIAMOND KING

ALFRED BEIT OF SOUTH AFRICA PASSES AWAY IN LONDON.

Was Said at One Time to Be Forming Gold Trust in Connection with American Financiers.

London, July 17.—Alfred Beit, the well-known South African financier, died Monday. He had been in bad health for some time.

Mr. Beit was born in 1853 in Hamburg. He was a life governor of the De Beers consolidated mines, a partner of the firm of Berner, Beit & Co., and a director of the Rand mines, Rhodesia railways, Bechuanaaland railway trust, Consolidated Company Bultfontein mines and British Chartered South African company.

When Cecil Rhodes died in 1902 it was found that Mr. Beit was appointed one of his executors.

Early in 1903 Mr. Beit had an apoplectic stroke while at Johannesburg, and it appears he never fully regained his health. Since that time he had lived in London.

Mr. Beit, who is said to have been the richest man in London, and who controlled the output of gold in South Africa, was at one time alleged to be forming a "gold trust," in which the names of prominent American financiers were mentioned. He gave large sums of money to the Red Cross and other institutions, and recently gave \$500,000 to found a university at Hamburg.

AMERICA AS PEACEMAKER

Guatemala and Salvador Avail Themselves of Good Offices of the United States.

Washington, July 16.—Both Guatemala and Salvador have accepted the tender of the good offices of this government, looking to a settlement of their differences. This information is conveyed in official dispatches received at the state department Sunday from the American diplomatic representatives in Guatemala and San Salvador, announcing that the two belated countries have availed themselves of the tender of the good offices of the United States looking to their approaching each other in a conference having in view an adjustment of their differences, the cessation of hostilities, and the bringing about of peace.

SLEEPING MEN ARE BLOWN UP

Explosion Demolished Shanty in Stone Quarry Near Bellwood, Ill., Killing Three Men.

Chicago, July 14.—Three men were instantly killed and a score of others were injured, several of whom are expected to die, shortly after one a. m. Friday, when a shanty at the O'Laughlin Bros' stone quarry, near Bellwood, was blown up by dynamite. The explosion was the result of a deliberate attempt to kill the occupants of the shed, laborers employed in the quarry, according to employees of the concern.

Suicide of Prominent Southerner.

Birmingham, Ala., July 16.—Jere Fountain, one of the best known men in Jefferson county, committed suicide by taking morphine at his home in Mary Lee, four miles from Birmingham. Mr. Fountain was for many years deputy sheriff at Bessemer, Ala., and was recently made head of the Order of Eagles in Alabama. Domestic troubles are assigned as the cause.

Miners Resume Work.

Harrisburg, Pa., July 15.—The men in the collieries of the Central Pennsylvania bituminous coal district numbering nearly 4,000, who have been idle since April 1, when the mines closed down because the operators would not restore the scale of 1903, will resume work on practically the same scale as 1905.

Many Would Be Meat Inspectors.

Washington, July 16.—Up to date over 3,000 applications have been received by the civil service commission for the examination for meat inspectors to be made on the 21st inst. Four hundred appointments are to be made.

DEPUTIES IN DUEL OVER DREYFUS CASE

SWORD THRUST BY M. COUTI DISEMBLES UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE.

Conferring of Higher Rank on Former Captain and Col. Picquart Is Accompanied by Fisticuffs in the Chamber.

Paris, July 14.—The scene of tumultuous disorder which marked the enactment Friday of the law restoring Alfred Dreyfus to the army was followed by a bloody duel at night, in which Under Secretary of State Sarraut was dangerously wounded by the sword of M. Pugliesi-Conti. The duel assumed the aspect of a veritable combat between the government and the opposition, as M. Sarraut's sword was Minister Clemenceau and Thomson, while M. Pugliesi-Conti's attendants were M. Millevoye and Gen. Jaquet, who were drawn from the elements which bitterly resist the government's rehabilitation of Dreyfus.

Follows Fight in Chamber.

The meeting followed a fight on the floor of the chamber of deputies, in which M. Sarraut sprang from beside Minister of the Interior Clemenceau, sitting on the ministerial benches, on M. Pugliesi-Conti, who had been heaping denunciation on the members of the government as scoundrels. Sarraut struck Pugliesi-Conti a stunning blow in the face. A scene of the wildest uproar ensued, compelling the suspension of the session. It was after the close of the session that the duel occurred. Late reports show that M. Sarraut is suffering from a deep wound in the right breast, penetrating the lung. While the wound is considered to be serious, it is not necessarily dangerous.

Reinstates Dreyfus and Picquart.

Despite this sanguinary conflict laws were finally enacted by the chamber of deputies reinstating Dreyfus, who obtains the rank of a chief of squadron of artillery, and Picquart, who is made a brigadier general. Both houses were overwhelmingly favorable to Dreyfus and Picquart. Throughout the day feeling was stirred intensely between the Dreyfus and anti-Dreyfus elements. This was heightened by fierce attacks by Dreyfusists against Gen. Mercier and other prominent officers who were responsible for Dreyfus' condemnation. Early in the day Minister of War Etienne presented the government bills restoring Dreyfus and Picquart to the army.

The army committee quickly and unanimously reported the bills and the debate in the chamber of deputies was decisive. Dreyfus securing 472 votes against 42, and Picquart 467 votes against 27.

NO RECEIVER FOR HOTELS

Court Sustains Taggart in State's Action Against French Lick Springs Resort.

Paoli, Ind., July 17.—Judge Thomas B. Buskirk, in the Orange county court Monday sustained the third section of the demurrer of the French Lick Springs and West Baden Hotel companies against the petition in quo warranto of the state for a temporary receiver and temporary injunction against gambling at the resorts.

In this third section the hotel companies set up that the allegations of the state in its complaint do not state facts sufficiently to constitute a cause of action against them.

VATICAN GOING TO PIECES

Pope Is Moving from Apartments, the Walls Being, It Is Said, in an Unsafe Condition.

Rome, July 14.—It has long been known that some parts of the Vatican are unsafe; but it has just been discovered that the palace is practically falling to pieces.

Even the corner where the pope's apartment is situated needs strengthening, and the pontiff is moving out.

The walls, which are cracked, bulging and leaning outward will be temporarily strengthened immediately.

To make the whole building safe will require more than \$100,000.

Fourteen Die in Street Fight.

Teheran, Persia, July 16.—A sharp street fight occurred here between the troops and a procession of student malcontents, in which 12 of the students and two soldiers were killed. The activity of the authorities has tended somewhat to restore public confidence, with the result that the shops have been reopened. The Mul-lahs, however, are still in the great mosque. The opinion prevails that the true state of affairs is hidden from the shah.

"Holy Roller" Killer Not Insane.

Seattle, Wash., July 16.—An autopsy held here demonstrated George Mitchell was not insane, although a jury had acquitted him of the murder of Edmund Franz Creffeld, the "holy roller," on that plea. The autopsy followed the killing of Mitchell by his sister, Esther, a fanatical follower of Creffeld.

Babe Is Only Survivor.

Clarksburg, W. Va., July 16.—After a Baltimore & Ohio railroad train had hurled its father and one sister to death from a trestle near here and fearfully injured the mother and three other children, a nine months old baby of Elijah Norris, of Uniontown, Pa., was found between the ties un hurt.

Under the Red Robe

By STANLEY J. WEYMAN

CHAPTER VIII.—CONTINUED.

It was clumsily said perhaps, for she shuddered and looked at me with a ghastly smile. But she persuaded her sister to taste something; and she took something on her own plate and raised her fork to her lips. But in a moment she laid it down again. "I cannot," she murmured. "I cannot swallow. Oh, my God, at this moment they may be taking him!"

I thought that she was about to burst into a passion of tears and I repented that I had induced her to descend. But her self-control was not yet exhausted. By an effort painful to see, she recovered her composure. She took up her fork and ate with a fierce under-look. "I want to see Clon," she whispered feverishly. The man who waited on us had left the room. "He knows?" I said.

She nodded, her beautiful face strangely disfigured. Her closed teeth showed between her lips. Two red spots burned in her white cheeks and she breathed quickly. I felt, as I looked at her, a sudden pain at my heart; and a shuddering fear, such as a man awaking to find himself falling over a precipice, might feel. How these women loved the man!

For a moment I could not speak. When I found my voice it sounded dry and husky. "He is a safe confidant," I muttered. "He can neither speak nor write, Mademoiselle."

"No, but—" and then her face became fixed. "They are coming," she whispered. "Hush!" She rose stiffly and stood supporting herself by the table. "Have they—have they—found him?" she muttered. The woman by her side went on, unconscious what was impending.

I heard the captain stumble far down the passage and swear loudly; and I touched mademoiselle's hand. "They have not!" I whispered. "All is well, Mademoiselle. Pray, pray calm yourself. Sit down and meet them as if nothing were the matter. And your sister! Madam, Madam," I cried, almost harshly, "compose yourself. Remember that you have a part to play."

My appeal did something. Madam stifled her sobs. Mademoiselle drew a deep breath and sat down; and though she was still pale and still trembled, the worst was past.

And just in time. The door flew open with a crash. The captain stumbled into the room, swearing afresh. "Sacre nom du Diable!" he cried, his face crimson with rage. "What fool planned these things here? My boots! My—"

His jaw fell. He stopped on the word, stricken silent by the new aspect of the room, by the sight of the little party at the table, by all the changes I had worked. "Saint Siege!" he muttered. "What is this?" The lieutenant's grizzled face peering over his shoulder completed the picture.

"You are rather late, M. le Capitaine," I said cheerfully. "Madam's hour is eleven. But come, here are your seats waiting for you."

looking troubled. "It was so sudden. I am—I did not understand. You quarrelled so quickly."

"It is very simple," I answered, smiling. "M. le Capitaine insulted you yesterday; he will pay for it today. That is all. Or, not quite all," I continued, dropping my voice and speaking in a different tone. "His removal may help you, Mademoiselle. Do you understand? I think that there will be no more searching to-day."

She uttered an exclamation, grasping my arm and peering into my face. "You will kill him?" she muttered. "Why not?" I said.

She caught her breath and stood with one hand clasped to her bosom, gazing at me with parted lips, the blood mounting to her cheeks. Gradually the flush melted into a fierce smile. "Yes, yes, why not?" she repeated, between her teeth. "Why not?" She had her hand on my arm and I felt her fingers tighten until I could have winced.

"Why not? So you planned this—for us, Monsieur?" I nodded.

"But can you?" "Safely," I said; then, muttering to her to take her sister upstairs, I turned towards the garden. My foot was already on the threshold, and I was composing my face to meet my enemy, when I heard a movement behind me. The next moment her hand was on my arm. "Wait! Wait a moment! Come back!" she panted. I turned. The smile and flush had vanished; her face was pale. "No!" she said abruptly. "I was wrong! I will not have it. I will have no part in it! You planned it last night, M. de Barthe. It is murder."

"Mademoiselle!" I exclaimed, wondering. "Murder? Why? It is a duel." "It is murder," she answered persistently. "You planned it last night. You said so."

"But I risk my own life," I replied sharply. "Nevertheless—I will have no part in it," she answered more faintly. "It will bring no good." She was trembling with agitation. Her eyes avoided mine.

"On my shoulders be it then!" I replied stoutly. "It is too late, Mademoiselle, to go back. They are waiting for me. Only, before I go, let me beg of you to retire."

And I turned from her, and went out, wondering and thinking. First, that women were strange things. Secondly—murder? Merely because I had planned the duel and provoked the quarrel! Never had I heard anything so preposterous. Grant it, and dub

every man who kept his honor with his hands a Cain—and a good many branded faces would be seen in some streets. I laughed at the fancy, as I strode down the garden walk.

Any yet, perhaps, I was going to do a foolish thing. The lieutenant would still be here; a hard, bitter man, of stiffer stuff than his captain. And the troopers. What if, when I had killed their leader, they made the place too hot for me, monsieur's commission notwithstanding? I should look silly, indeed, if on the eve of success I were driven from the place by a parcel of jack-boots.

I liked the thought so little that I hesitated. Yet it seemed too late to retreat. The captain and the lieutenant were waiting in a little open space 50 yards from the house, where a narrower path crossed the broad walk, down which I had first seen mademoiselle and her sister pacing. The captain had removed his doublet and stood in his shirt leaning against the sundial, his head bare and his sinewy throat uncovered. He had drawn his rapier and stood pricking the ground impatiently. I marked his strong and nervous frame and his sanguine air; and 20 years earlier the sight might have damped me. But no thought of the kind entered my head now, and though I felt with each moment greater reluctance to engage, doubt of the issue had no place in my calculations.

"I have not made up my mind," I answered irresolutely.

"Well, nom de Dieu! make it up," the captain replied, with an ugly sneer. He took a staggering step this way and that, playing his weapon. "I am afraid, lieutenant, there will be no sport to-day," he continued, in a loud aside. "Our cock has but a chicken heart."

"Well!" I said coolly. "I do not know what to do. Certainly it is a fine day and a fair piece of ground. And the sun stands well. But I have not much to gain by killing you, M. le Capitaine and it might get me into an awkward fix. On the other hand, it would not hurt me to let you go."

"Indeed?" he said contemptuously, looking at me as I should look at a lackey.

"No!" I replied. "For if you were to say that you had struck Gil de Berault, and left the ground with a whole skin, no one would believe you."

"Gil de Berault!" he exclaimed, frowning.

"Yes, Monsieur," I replied suavely. "At your services. You did not know my name?"

"I thought your name was De Barthe," he said. His voice sounded queerly; and he waited for an answer with parted lips and a shadow in his eyes which I had seen in men's eyes before.

"No," I said. "That was my mother's name. I took it for this occasion only." His florid cheek lost a shade of its color and he bit his lips as he glanced at the lieutenant, trouble in his eyes. I had seen these signs before, and knew them and I might have cried "Chicken-heart!" in my turn; but I had not made a way of escape for him—before I declared myself—for nothing and I held to my purpose. "I think you will allow me," I said grimly, "that it will not harm me even if I put up with a blow!"

"M. de Berault's courage is known," he muttered.

"And with reason," I said. "That being so, suppose we say this day three months, M. le Capitaine? The postponement to be for my convenience."

He caught the lieutenant's eye and looked down sullenly, the conflict in his mind as plain as daylight. He had only to insist and I must fight; and if by luck or skill he could master me, his fame as a duellist would run, like a ripple over water, through everyarrison town in France and make him a name even in Paris. On the other side were the imminent peril of death, the gleam of cold steel already in fancy at his breast, the loss of life and sun shine and the possibility of a retreat with honor, if without glory. I read his face and knew before he spoke what he would do.

"It appears to me that the burden is with you," he said huskily; "but for my part, I am satisfied."

"Very well," I said. "I take the burden. Permit me to apologize for having caused you to strip unnecessarily. Fortunately the sun is shining."

"Yes," he said gloomily. And he took his clothes from the sundial and began to put them on. He had expressed himself satisfied; and I knew that he was feeling very ill-satisfied with himself and I was not surprised when he presently said abruptly and almost rudely, "There is one thing I think we must settle here."

"What is that?" I asked.

"Our positions," he blurted out. "Or we shall cross one another again within the hour."

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Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities and Towns.

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Killed by Stove Explosion. Sycamore.—Mrs. Henry Phinstrom was burned to death, the result of a gasoline stove explosion. Her husband and neighbors tried to put out the fire and were burned.

BAD COMPLEXIONS
Depressed Blood Causes Pimples and Boils—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Make New Blood and Cure Follows.

"I abused my stomach, my blood got out of order and then my face broke out with pimples and boils," says T. E. Robertson, of 197 Addison street, Washington, Pa. "This was over two years ago. My stomach was in bad shape. After eating I would have to rest awhile or I would suffer the most severe pains in my stomach. On arising I would often be so dizzy that I could hardly stand up. The slightest exertion would start my back aching so that I often had to sit down and rest awhile. At times I experienced a pain around the heart which alarmed me but which I suppose came from my stomach trouble."

"I began to break out on the face with pimples and later with boils which confined me to the house a week or more at a time. One day I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People advertised in a pamphlet which was left at the door and I thought I would give them a trial. I took several boxes of the pills before all the pimples and boils left me, but I am now glad to say that my blood is good. I do not have any eruptions and I no longer have the head and stomach troubles I have described. I am very grateful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me and I have recommended them and always will advise those who are suffering from bad blood or stomach trouble to try them."

"If you want good health you must have good blood. Bad blood is the root of most common diseases like anemia, rheumatism, sciatica, neuralgia, St. Vitus' dance, nervousness, indigestion, debility, partial paralysis and locomotor ataxia. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50c. per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y."

BADGER PHILOSOPHY.
A man can't be unusually polite without being looked upon with suspicion.

When the real nature of a man's business is in doubt it is often hinted that he is a gambler.

A woman is never satisfied with herself until she has outdone her neighbor in some respect.

It's hard to understand why actors with such fabulous salaries always sip at such modest hotels.

Lots of people think they have been cheated unless they get more than their money's worth.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
The thing that makes a pretty hat is the face under it.

People may love their children for their faults, but mighty few others.

Singing in a choir is the very best way not to make friends of the rest of it.

Hardly anybody would like to get the cussing a millionaire has without his money.

There is hardly anything that makes a woman madder than to have her photograph look like her.

The meanest man is the one who won't kiss a doll for a child when she thinks it has been hurt.

When you see a man looking pretty cheerful in town it's a sign his family is away for the summer.

A very useful thing about an amateur garden is it's such a nice place for the dog to bury his bones.

Girls don't get much fun out of going in swimming unless there is some man around to show them how.

Even if a baby understands the language the women talk to it he'd be ashamed to admit it by answering.

A man can make a good deal of money in stocks by being careful not to have anything to do with them.

When a man lets a collar button fall and brags that it didn't rattle under the bureau it's a sign he is a perjurer.

One of the meanest things a man can do when his wife has a point in an argument that can't be beaten is to agree with her.—N. Y. Press.

OUTDOOR LIFE
Will Not Offset the Ill Effects of Coffee When One Cannot Digest It.

A farmer says: "It was not from liquor or tobacco that for ten years or more I suffered from dyspepsia and stomach trouble, they were caused by the use of coffee until I got so bad I had to give up coffee entirely and almost give up eating. There were times when I could eat only boiled milk and bread and when I went to the field to work I had to take some bread and butter along to give me strength."

"I doctored with doctors and took almost everything I could get for my stomach in the way of medicine, but if I got any better it only lasted a little while until I was almost a walking skeleton."

"One day I read an ad for Postum and told my wife I would try it, and as to the following facts I will make affidavit before any judge:

"I quit coffee entirely and used Postum in its place. I have regained my health entirely and can eat anything that is cooked to eat. I have increased in weight until now I weigh more than I ever did; I have not taken any medicine for my stomach since I began using Postum. Why, I believe Postum will almost digest an iron wedge."

"My family would stick to coffee at first, but they saw the effects it had on me, and when they were feeling bad they began to use Postum, one at a time, until now we all use Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ten days' trial of Postum in place of coffee proves the truth, an easy and pleasant way. "There's a reason."

Look in pkgs. for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

News Items
That Are of
General Interest
to All

DOINGS OF THE WEEK ABOUT THE TOWN

Spring jackets at cost at F. W. Olmsted's.

Miss Emma Swanson is visiting in Elgin.

Chas. Leth spent Saturday and Sunday in Chicago.

Geo. Brown of Elgin called on Genoa friends Saturday.

Mrs. T. J. Hoover and daughters were Elgin visitors Saturday.

John Riddle of Elgin was here several days during the past week.

Mrs. C. A. Patterson was an Elgin visitor Saturday and Sunday.

New and neat patterns in string and four-in-hand ties at Holtgren's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbins of Chicago spent Sunday with Genoa friends.

Misses Lyma and Lottie Ream visited at Pingree Grove over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Perry of Bensenville were here Saturday evening.

Miss May Burroughs of DeKalb spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother.

Mrs. Rachael Dean of Elgin visited at the home of Ren Robinson last week.

Miss Ruby Portner left Tuesday for a several weeks' visit at Bensenville and Chicago.

Mrs. R. B. Field is ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hutchison.

H. F. Tibbits and wife, F. P. Tibbits and Mr. Cameron of Milwaukee were here last Thursday.

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

Butcher knives from six to fourteen inch in length at Perkins & Rosenfeld's. Warranted ware.

There is nothing neater than a fancy vest for the dressy man. See those new ones at Holtgren's.

Miss Sabina Canavan has been seriously ill during the past two weeks but at this time is improving.

Mrs. L. Fraley and children of Rockford were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. H. T. Ream, last week.

Mrs. Geo. DeWolf and Miss Belle Myers went to Climax, Mich., last week for a visit of three weeks.

Mrs. Sam Madison and son, Harvey, of Burlington visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Arnold, last week.

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

Mrs. Irving of Apple River, Wis., has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. S. R. Crawford and Mrs. W. H. Jackman.

Christian Science services are held in Slater's hall every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday "Love." All are invited to attend.

The young ladies who formerly constituted the mysterious O. F. F. club of this city gave Miss Jessie Hutchison a kitchen shower at her home last week.

The Tibbits, Cameron Lumber Co. has purchased and taken possession of the stock and yards formerly owned by the Sycamore Lumber Co. at the county seat.

The large soft maple tree which stood on Main street, at the corner opposite the old Pacific hotel building, was cut down last week. The old tree has been a landmark for over sixty years and no doubt could tell many stories if gifted with the power of speech. Perhaps it is just as well for the peace of mind of some of the older citizens that it can not talk. The tree occupied the middle of the sidewalk and was considered a nuisance by the sidewalk committee.

Don't miss some of the bargains at Olmsted's.

Fred Browne went to Elgin Thursday morning for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Renn, John Geithman and family were Belvidere visitors Wednesday.

Homeseekers excursions every Tuesday via the C. M. & St. P. Ry. almost half fare. Inquire of the agent for particulars, as to points tickets are sold to. Dec. 1.

B. P. S. paint is still on top. Jap-a-lac is best for inside decorating. It gets hard as flint. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

The annual picnic at Burlington will be held on the eleventh of August. An early date is selected this year so that all may see their way home by the light of the moon.

If your furnace needs repairing or you intend to put in a new one it will pay to see Perkins & Rosenfeld now. They make a specialty in heating apparatus.

Bernie Pierce was here from Bedford, Iowa, last week. He returned the first of this week accompanied by his daughter, Hazel, and Mr. and Mrs. Ren Robinson.

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

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

Fred Penny, who has acted as night watchman at the Eureka during the past three years, left last week with his daughter, Carrie, for Vancouver, B. C., where he will make his home.

The mail sack thrown from train No. 6 Wednesday was drawn under the wheels of the train and torn to shreds. As far as can be ascertained all the mail was recovered.

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

Miss Julia Bowers entertained her friend, Amos Balsom, the past week. Mr. Balsom graduated from the Madison University as electrical engineer and has accepted a position at South Bend, Ind.

The last of the cement blocks in J. P. Evans' new store building were laid this week. The structure has the appearance of being as stable as the rock of Gibraltar. The rock face front is neat and substantial looking.

Mrs. Charles Smith on Saturday last attended the wedding of Miss Maude Marks and Charles Dawson at the home of Forrest Crissey in Chicago. Miss Marks is quite well known in Genoa having often visited here. She is a niece of Speaker Shurtleff of Marengo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kohne and daughter attended a wedding at North Plato last Thursday. It was a typical German wedding. The Burlington band was present and none of the features of a genuine Fatherland ceremony were omitted.

Jas. R. Kiernan has disposed of two complete Advance threshing outfits this week. One was unloaded at Marengo for Thos. Guth and the other was sold to a party at Elburn. The Advance becomes more popular every year and Mr. Kiernan is one of the most successful agents on the company's list.

The Ladies Aid Society of Charter Grove was pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Lottie Brown in this city last Thursday. An excellent three-course lunch was served and the ladies had a most enjoyable time. Miss Brown entertains every year and the event is always looked forward to with delight by the Charter Grove Ladies.

Patrick Travers severed connections with the Illinois Central Railway Co. Thursday morning of this week. Mr. Travers has been foreman of the Genoa section for eighteen years and during that time has not lost that many days. Before going to the Central he was foreman on the C. M. & St. P. for eight years. Pat is certainly deserving of a pension for the faithful manner in which he has performed his duties.

When Maxin, the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be much below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise, instead of disappointment. It is the same with the manufactures of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. They do not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the users make the statements. What they do claim is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail. For sale by G. H. Hunt.

"The Eden of Love"

The beautiful verse printed below was written on the typewriter by C. A. Brown as they were repeated by A. N. Hollembeak about a year ago. The origin of the words is surrounded with mystery. Mr. Hollembeak does not remember of ever having read them nor does he remember of ever having composed the verse by any effort. The venerable gentleman has reached the advanced age where he has put the past behind him and is continually looking toward the future. It is safe to assume that these words came to Mr. Hollembeak while in one of his old age reveries as they correspond in every way with his own exalted ideas of the life beyond.

"How sweet to reflect of the joys that await me in your blissful region, the Eden of Love. Reincarnated in light and glory enshrouded. My happiness perfect, my mind unclouded. I will bathe in the ocean of pleasures unbounded. And range with delight through the Eden of Love."

Shoe Factory Notes

Supt. Adler and family were in Chicago Sunday.

Vina Downing has returned from an extended visit with Chicago friends.

Willie Rosenski began work in the cutting room Thursday.

Mr. Kuhn began work in the cutting room Thursday.

Florence Lord began work in the stitching room Monday.

Supt. Adler was a Chicago visitor Saturday.

Fred Anderson was in Rockford Sunday.

Lima Ream visited relatives at Pingree Grove Sunday.

Mary Prain has been very sick the past week but is much improved at present.

The ghost walked Tuesday night.

Breaks From Joliet Prison

Henry Johnson, a DeKalb county burglar serving a sentence at Joliet penitentiary, made a sensational break for liberty while working as a "trustee" outside the walls of the prison. A number of guards, armed with rifles, took up the hunt. They found the prisoner hiding in a quarry hole, 200 yards away. He surrendered when he saw that a struggle was useless. His break for liberty will cost him another year in prison.

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.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Bills Aggregating More than \$1,000 are Allowed

Genoa, Ill., July 13, 1906.

Minutes of regular meeting of village trustees. Called to order by Pres. J. E. Stott. Present: Whipple, Schmidt, Tischler, Browne, Shipman, Dralle.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

The following bills were approved by the finance committee:

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| Fred Foote, special police | 5.00 |
| Lloyd Layton, team work | 21.22 |
| E. G. Cooper, gasoline | 63.91 |
| L. C. Duval, salary | 55.00 |
| M. M. Dean, mowing street | 19.20 |
| Geo. Hammond, street work | 47.80 |
| Wm. Watson, salary | 22.00 |
| C. D. Schloemaker, printing | 4.75 |
| Hendon & Hubbell, repairs | 7.88 |
| Brown & Brown, Buckle & Evans order | 106.12 |
| Fairbanks, Morse & Co., repairs | 4.04 |
| Perkins & Rosenfeld, rep. water works | 4.75 |
| M. Malana, fire department | 22.02 |
| Tibbits, Cameron Lumber Co., lumber | 60.84 |
| Eureka Electric Co., castings | 14.69 |
| Ralph Patterson, team work | 30.00 |
| W. H. Heed, gravel and hauling | 24.50 |
| Perkins & Rosenfeld, wire joints | 14.45 |
| Thos. G. Sager, hardware | 10.81 |
| Genoa Electric Co., lights | 145.74 |
| Jas. B. Clow & Son, repairs | 9.25 |
| H. B. Downing, street work | 4.00 |
| Buckle & Downing, crossing and repairs | 25.05 |
| Steve Abraham, police | 2.00 |
| Carnes, Danton & Faisler, Riddle case | 224.95 |

Moved by Whipple, seconded by Dralle that the bills be allowed and orders drawn on the treasurer for the amounts. Motion carried.

Moved by Browne, seconded by Shipman, that the fire marshal be instructed to purchase all necessary repairs for fire department. Motion carried.

Petition for cement walk on north side of Central street from Brown street west to Stott street read and referred to street and walk committee.

Petition for crossing on west side of Sycamore street across Second street and cement walk on north side of Second street from west line of Sycamore street to a point 76 feet east, also on Sycamore street from First to Second street referred to street and walk committee.

Petition for cement walk on north side of Hill street from Emmett street east to Genoa street referred to street and walk committee.

Petition for light on corner of Jackson and Emmett streets referred to water and light committee.

Moved by Dralle, seconded by Tischler that the board take an appeal on the Riddle case. Motion carried.

Moved by Tischler, seconded by Dralle, that crossing across C. M. & St. P. rail road be opened and that the clerk notify the company accordingly. Motion carried.

Moved by Dralle, seconded by Whipple that a walk be put in at the German church. Motion carried.

Moved by Schmidt, seconded by Dralle that the street and walk committee repair street at Advent church. Motion carried.

Moved by Whipple, seconded by Dralle, that board walk on

north side of Railway Ave. east of electric light plant be replaced with cement walk. Motion carried.

Moved by Whipple, seconded by Dralle, that the board adjourn to Friday night, July 20, 1906. Motion carried.

T. M. FRAZIER, V. C.

Another Illustrated Sermon

Rev. T. E. Ream will deliver another illustrated sermon at the M. E. church next Sunday evening. The topic will be "Among our Filipino Cousins," and will be very beautifully illustrated with many scenes from the Philippine Islands. The sermon last Sunday evening on "Japan or the Sunrise Kingdom" was listened to by a large and attentive audience, and all showed their appreciation of the beautiful services. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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M. E. Church Notes

Choir rehearsal Saturday evening at 7:45.

Rev. DeLong will preach at Charter Grove next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Ream will preach at Ney next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Camp meeting will begin this year in the Rockford district on August 9 and last until August 19.

There will be a very important meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society at the home of Mrs. D. S. Brown on Friday afternoon, July 20. All members and friends are urged to be present.

There will be an Epworth League devotional meeting of deep interest next Sunday evening at 6:30 in the League rooms. Topic: "How Brethren can help Each Other." Leader, L. Pratt.

Services will be held next Sunday at the usual time. In the morning at 10:30 Rev. Ream will

preach and an opportunity will be given any who may desire to join the church. In the evening the sermon will be most beautifully illustrated with 75 scenes. The public is cordially invited.

Joke Pays Dividend

Not long ago a prominent merchant in a neighboring town received a letter from a large distilling firm asking for a list of names of citizens who might be interested in the literature issued by the firm setting forth the merits of a new brand of whiskey, and promising him a commission on all sales. The merchant being somewhat of a joker himself, sat down and made out a list of the prominent prohibitionists of the place and forwarded it. He forgot all about the matter until about a month later, when it was called to his attention by a letter from the distillers enclosing a draft for \$1650 with thanks for the list, which had been found peculiarly remunerative.

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JOHN LEMBKE

MILLIONAIRES GO PACE THAT KILLS

Pittsburg Men of Wealth Unequaled in Furnishing Sensations for the Lovers of Scandal—Allurements of Painted Stage Beauties Fatal to Domestic Peace and Harmony.

New York.—Now that the crime of murder has been added to the eccentric doings of the dozen or more Pittsburg millionaires, it is probable that the limit of their capacity for sensationalism has been reached.

Remarkable divorces, remarriages, breaches of promise, alimony and chorus girls have hitherto been ordinary features of their lives. They seem to have become rich so suddenly that they have lost their heads. Never before, however, has any one of them been accused of murder.

Years before Harry Thaw ever heard of Evelyn Nesbit or Stanford White he was eccentric to the verge of crazy-

sprang up between Mr. Phipps and his wife. The breach gradually widened, and Mr. Phipps brought suit for divorce, naming Hart McKee as co-respondent. Pittsburg society was disrupted by the news, and the McKee and Phipps factions waxed bitter in their denunciations.

Kidnaped His Children. Following the return of Mrs. Phipps to this country, her two little children were forcibly taken from the Waldorf-Astoria by Mr. Phipps and hurried away to Denver, where he had resided for some time. It was openly stated that when the divorce proceedings were over Mrs. Phipps would marry Hart McKee, but in the meantime that eccentric young man had become enthralled with Mrs. Hugh Tevis, who a few years previous had been wed and widowed within six weeks.

Mrs. Tevis and Mr. McKee sailed away to Europe on the same steamer, and shortly afterward were married. Things were rather dull in the Pittsburg colony for awhile until Mrs. Phipps went out to Denver, where the divorce case was brewing.

Mrs. Phipps began a contest for the possession of the children, but eventually terms were reached under which

folded a roll of bills as large as an elephant's trunk. The run broke all records. Fifteen engines were used. There were eight passengers, and to transport them in lower berths instead of upper cost \$1.13 a minute for 59 hours, or nearly two dollars a mile. But Mr. Peacock was from Pittsburg and did not care.

When some Englishmen sent over \$150,000 to back Shamrock II. Mr. Peacock headed a syndicate who covered it with \$250,000. He played in a poker game on the steamship Deutschland in which \$500,000 changed hands. Peacock won, although there were nine other Pittsburg millionaires at times in the game. There was a \$90,000 jackpot.

They tell how when Mrs. Carnegie was buying her wedding trousseau in this city years ago she was waited upon by a handsome young saleswoman to whom she told her secret.

"I'm to be married, too," confessed the young woman. "That is my intention over there—Mr. Peacock."

"That's a Scotch name," said the future Mrs. Carnegie. "Where does he come from?"

"From Dunfermline, ma'am," replied the salesgirl. Andrew Carnegie learned about the incident, and in due time the ironmaster brought Peacock to Pittsburg and made the floorwalker a millionaire.

At the Waldorf one morning Mr. Peacock was discovered scribbling on a sheet of paper in the writing-room. A friend asked him what he was doing.

"Oh, my wife at breakfast just now insisted that I was worth \$10,000,000. I think it is only \$7,000,000. She is usually right, but I can't find the other \$3,000,000 this morning."

Married Mother's Maid. John Alston Moorhead is one of the latest. He was a heavy man on the Yale football team and also pulled in the crew. He never did anything else to deserve particular distinction. Only a few weeks ago he eloped with his mother's French maid. They have not been entirely forgiven yet, but it is understood that John Alston is being treated in a New York sanitarium, his father paying the bills, and it is said the little French maid is crying her way back to sunny France, well paid, if cash can make it good, but with her foolish little heart broken.

More recently the limelight of notoriety has been turned upon W. E. Corey, one of the best known of the Carnegie group of Pittsburg millionaires. He dined upon New York several years ago on a special train consisting of one dining car, four sleeping cars and two baggage cars, which carried the entire office forces of the National Steel company and the National Hoop company. In the baggage cars were 50 trunks filled with ledgers and account books and 12 typewriter girls who took down dictation as the train rolled along.

Corey's Lurid Exploits. Some time afterward Mr. Corey gave Mr. Schwab a Lucullan feast. The costliest wines, the daintiest hot-house fruits and the rarest flowers were lib-

Harry K. Thaw the Only One of Gay Crowd That Has Essayed the Novel Sensation of Murder, But All Have Sought in Startling Manner to Dissipate Their Easily Earned Millions.

of Miss Gilman, and at present Mrs. Corey is in the west, where she is residing with a view to securing a divorce.

During the course of business in Pittsburg Andrew Carnegie transformed Gibson D. Packer from a poor man into a millionaire. Mr. Packer did not miss his chance to get before the public. Mrs. Mary I. Vetter, armed, it is said, with 140 love letters, prepared to sue Mr. Packer for \$100,000 for breach of promise. There were many pledges of affection in the shape of jewelry.

Contemporaneously with the Thaw murder Mrs. Scott Hartje, the wife of Augustus Hartje, Pittsburg millionaire paper manufacturer, has begun suit against her husband for divorce. Mrs. Hartje says that her husband wore paper collars for years; that he would buy a \$1,500 horse over the telephone and the next minute refuse Mrs. Hartje's request for three dollars for a pair of shoes. Some of the charges of both Mr. and Mrs. Hartje cannot be printed here.

Cooked His Own Meals. Charles Clarke, son of Mrs. Eliza Clarke, cousin of James King Clarke, married Miss Elizabeth Stocking, of Atlanta, Ga. "Chic," as he was known, was a jolly good fellow. Before his marriage he tried newspaper work in Pittsburg. He essayed a publication similar to Town Topics, but the United States could only stand one such at a time, and the Pittsburg production died and the owner was in debt. Times went hard with him about the time he married, and he apparently lost all his money, it being tied up in legal broils. Either he tired of his wife or she tired of him.

At any rate, he sued for divorce and told that he had endeavored to maintain the two by doing the family cooking in a chafing-dish in their little room over in Allegheny. He got his divorce, and the next day the wife became the wife of "Sport" Donnelly, son of a Pittsburg millionaire.

While George Lauder Carnegie has figured somewhat among the Pittsburg prodigals, his brother Coleman, or "Coley," also a high-roller, has decided to "straighten up." Hitherto he has been piling along on \$125,000 a year without saving much of it. It is said that if Coleman will continue to straighten up his uncle Andrew will take him to Scotland and make a real lord of him.

Frank Galey, nephew of John H. Galey, partner of Col. James McGuffey,



ness. He was known as a cigarette fiend, a heavy absinthe drinker, an admirer of chorus girls and a reckless spendthrift. He gave dinners costing tens of thousands of dollars, and like the general run of Pittsburg millionaires he always had one or more "affairs" on hand with women of the footlights.

It is a strange fact that chorus girls and actresses seem to appeal to the Pittsburg millionaire past all power of resistance. Four of them who have made New York their home during the past few years, and whose wealth amounts to \$50,000,000 in the aggregate, have become infatuated with stage beauties more or less widely known throughout the country, according to the World of that city.

Three of them have married actresses, and the infatuation of the fourth for a beauty of the footlight is being used against him in divorce proceedings. Although Harry Thaw was probably the wildest among the Pittsburg high rollers who have sown in the wild winds of the Tenderloin, young Hart McKee was almost as well known, but in a different way.

Forgot Marital Obligations. His father, E. Sellers McKee, a multi-millionaire glass manufacturer of Pittsburg, supplied him with practically limitless funds, with which the young man proceeded to cut a wide swath. He was handsome, dapper and fastidious, with the red and white complexion of a healthy girl. Soon after leaving college he married a Miss Sutton, from whom he separated a year or two afterward, giving her \$300,000 outright in lieu of alimony.

In Mrs. McKee's allegations against her husband she testified that he was not with her much during the two years of their married life, and that he became more neglectful as time proceeded. Finally Mrs. McKee left him, "owing to his entire neglect." She made affidavit that he cut off her personal allowance and household allowance and put at the head of the household a butler, who was objectionable and very insolent, and over whom she had no control. He was given the money to pay the servants, and was empowered to hire and discharge them. Mrs. McKee protested, but was told that she had no power to discharge him.

McKee became acquainted with Mrs. Genevieve Phipps, the wife of Lawrence Phipps, another Pittsburg millionaire, then living in Denver. McKee and Mrs. Phipps were frequently seen together, and an estrangement

divorce was granted on the ground of desertion. Then almost before their friends had ceased talking about their case Mr. and Mrs. Phipps made up, and it is said that they will be remarried. This seems to have finished the calendar of sensations as far as the Phipps and McKee millionaires are concerned.

Another Pittsburg millionaire who had a varied and noteworthy career was James King Clarke, known to his friends as "Jamie."

Young Clarke inherited a part of the millions of his father, Charles J. Clarke, of Pittsburg. He was in the habit of spending a part of his time in Washington, and it was there that he met Miss Esther Bartlett. They were married on April 26, 1899, in Washington, and with the best man, Mackintosh Kellogg, journeyed to New York, where they took rooms at one of the big hotels.

As related by Clarke in the suit for divorce, which began a month later, upon their arrival in this city he left his bride in his room with Mr. Kellogg while he went downstairs to look after some baggage. He was detained for some time. On his return he found the door locked, and when it was finally opened Mr. Kellogg's shirt front was stained with the violets which Mrs. Clarke wore as a corsage bouquet. That settled it. Mr. Clarke waxed wroth and left his bride.

Mrs. Clarke afterward sued for and obtained a divorce, after which she became the wife of L. T. Whitehead, of Erie, Pa. Mr. Clark then married a Miss Katherine Willoughby, of St. Augustine, Fla., thus closing another chapter of Pittsburg millionaire sensationalism.

Career of A. R. Peacock. Mr. Alexander Rowland Peacock is another Smoky City candidate for fame. Mr. Peacock is worth many millions of dollars. When he came to New York he evidently made up his mind to live up to the traditions and habits of the lively Pittsburgers who had preceded him. To perpetuate his name he had a \$17,000 peacock made of genuine diamonds, sapphires and emeralds and gave it to his wife. He also had a peacock put on the livery of his servants.

Once Mr. Peacock was in Los Angeles. There were only upper berths left in the train to Chicago. "Give me a special train, then," he ordered. "It'll cost \$4,000," said the passenger agent. "I'll take it," replied Peacock, un-



erally provided. The waiters wore colonial costumes with powdered wigs, and the souveniers were silver card-cases. Previous to this, however, Mr. Corey had emulated other Pittsburg rich men by figuring in a swimming party of which Miss Maybelle Gilman, an actress, was a member. The party took place at the Pittsburg natorium. There were hot birds and cold bottles and some very pretty exhibitions of plain and fancy swimming.

At this party an infatuation for Miss Gilman is said to have sprung up on the part of the millionaire. An estrangement took place between Mr. and Mrs. Corey supposedly on account

the millionaire oil producer, of Pittsburg, distinguished himself by committing a burglary.

The suicide of young T. O. Jones, the only son of the millionaire steel man of Pittsburg, a few weeks ago, fittingly rounds out the record of the young Smoky City high rollers. He had lost his mind because of his love for his first cousin, a charming Pittsburg girl. He killed himself when she married another.

This almost exhausts the crop of Pittsburg's gilded youths, but there is a new crowd growing up. They are as yet in knickerbockers.

THE SCIENCE OF LIVING.

Dr. George F. Butler Tells How to Eat and How to Assimilate.

Dr. George F. Butler, medical superintendent of the Alma Springs Sanitarium, Alma, Mich., in the October number of "How to Live" gives some interesting as well as sensible rules for acquiring and keeping health. He says: "Without we eat and drink, we die! The provocative to do both rests with the appetite, which, in process of time, becomes a very uncertain guide; for the palate will often induce a desire and relish for that which is most mischievous and indigestible. The old saying of 'eat what you like' is now shunned by everybody of 20 years' experience. Still, without appetite, it is a very difficult affair to subsist—for the pleasure depends chiefly upon the relish. The relish may become, as has been stated, a vitiated one, but it is quite possible to make the stomach, by a little forbearance and practice, as enamored of what is wholesome and nutritious, as of that which is hurtful and not concoctible."

Again he says: "The delicate should feed carefully, not abundantly; it is not quantity which nourishes, but only that which assimilates." "Be careful of your digestion" is the keynote of the doctor's argument. He says: "Health in man, as in other animals, depends upon the proper performance of all functions. These functions may be shortly said to be three: (1) tissue change; (2) removal of waste; (3) supply of new material. For the activity of man, like the heat of the fire by which he cooks his food, is maintained by combustion; and just as the fire may be prevented from burning brightly by improper disposition of the fuel, or imperfect supply of air, and as it will certainly go out if fresh fuel is not supplied, and may be choked by its own ashes, so man's activity may be lessened by imperfect tissue change and may be put an end to by an insufficient supply of new material and imperfect removal of waste products."

"We should see to it that free elimination is maintained, for the ashes must be kept out of the system in order to have good health. The skin, kidneys and bowels must do their eliminative work properly. If the bowels occasionally become torpid, try to regulate them with exercise and proper food, such as fruits, green vegetables, salads, cereals, corn, whole wheat or graham bread, fish, poultry, light soups, etc. Plenty of water is also valuable, and a glass full of cold or hot water the first thing upon rising in the morning will aid much in overcoming constipation. Regular habit, cold baths, and massage are very efficacious. In case the constipation does not yield to these hygienic measures, some simple, harmless laxative may be required, such as California Syrup of Figs—a non-irritating preparation of senna in fig syrup. Laxative mineral waters are beneficial in some cases, but not to be employed continually."

"Above all be an optimist, keep the heart young. Cultivate kindness, cheerfulness and love, and do not forget that 'we shall pass through this world but once.' Any good thing, therefore, that we do, or any kindness that we show to any human being, let us do it now. Let us not defer it or neglect it, for we shall not pass this way again."

BY THE GENTLE CYNIC.

Oratory is merely talk with a frock coat on.

It's a poor fool that can't be worked both ways.

If at first you don't succeed, do it over; bellow who falls in love at first sight deserves another look.

Putting up a sign "Post No Bills" won't keep them from coming through the mails.

What is the good of a cookbook when it doesn't tell us how to keep a cook?

The choir may sing "Peace on Earth," but that doesn't mean peace in the choir.

God created the first woman, but the devil was hanging around and stole the pattern.

Some men are born great, some shrink, and others never find out how small they really are.

A girl's first proposal always convinces her that it will be necessary to establish a waiting list.

Attractive Colorado Booklet.

One of the most attractive of the summer vacation booklets that have been issued is "A Colorado Summer," put out by the passenger department of the Santa Fe railroad. The picturesque mountain scenery and the descriptions of it which the booklet gives impress the reader with a new idea of the grandeur of the mountain crags of Colorado, and will start one daydreaming of the time when he can view for himself the magnificence which the booklet describes. After reading the booklet one must certainly be convinced that Colorado offers both pleasure and health for every summer tourist. "A Colorado Summer" may be secured from Mr. W. J. Black, Pass. Traffic Manager, Santa Fe Railway, Chicago.

Has Served Country Sixty Years.

Henry P. Adams, the veteran cashier of the Boston postal district, has just completed 60 years in the United States service.

The up-to-date girl does all her blushing for the mistakes of her friends.

Smokers appreciate the quality value of Lewis Single Binder cigar. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Feoria, Ill.

Hottentot widows cut off a finger joint when they remarry.

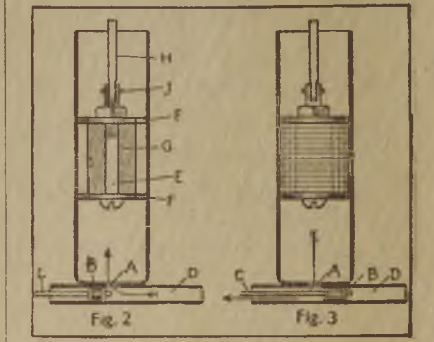


A TOY STEAM ENGINE.

A toy engine can be easily made from old implements which can be found in nearly every house.

The cylinder, A, Fig. 1, is an old bicycle pump, cut in half. The steam chest, D, is part of the piston tube of the same pump, the other parts being used for the bearing, B, and the crank bearing, C. The flywheel, Q, can be any small sized iron wheel, either an old sewing-machine wheel, pulley wheel, or anything available. We used

ing the cylinder, and in Fig. 3 the valve, B, has closed the steam inlet, and opened the exhaust, thus allowing



THE VALVE MOTION.

the steam in the cylinder to escape. The piston is made of a stove bolt, E, Fig. 2, with two washers, F, F, and a cylindrical piece of hard wood, G. This is wound with soft string, as shown in Fig. 3, and saturated with thick oil. A slot is cut in the rod, H. The valve, B, is made of an old bicycle spoke, C, with the nut cut in half and filed down as shown, the space between the two halves being filled with string, and oiled.

The valve crank, S, Fig. 1, is cut out of tin, or galvanized iron, and is moved by a small crank on the shaft. This



ENGINE IN OPERATION.

crank should be at right angles to the main crank.

The boiler, Fig. 4, can be an old oil can, powder can, or a syrup can with a tube soldered to it, and is connected to the engine by a piece of rubber tubing. The heat from a small gas stove will furnish steam fast enough to run the engine very fast.

THE GAME OF GLOCK GOLF.

No doubt some of our boys and girls are expert golfers, but most of them have no opportunity to play the game because one must have regular links, and they are few and far between, owing to the great stretches of ground they must cover. However, you can all play clock golf, and get nearly as much fun out of it as others do from the more pretentious game.

Your own lawn, or a neighbor's, will afford ample room. You need but one stick, a "putter," which you can buy for one dollar, or you can easily make

center post dig a hole deep and wide enough to contain a tin can without a top. Sink the can in the hole so that its rim is just level with the ground. Stick the other numbered cardboards in an uneven circle about the center and, making your circle as large as your ground will permit, build a little "tee" or pile of earth by each number, and try to drive it into the hole in the center with one stroke. It is not at all likely that you will, but it will probably take you four or five. Then mark on a card the number of strokes you had to use, and go to the second tee, and so on until you have gone "all around the clock."

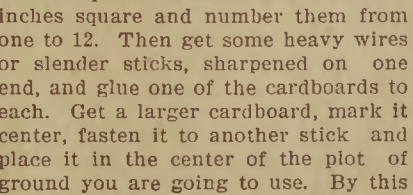
Place the ball on the tee by No. 1, and try to drive it into the hole in the center with one stroke. It is not at all likely that you will, but it will probably take you four or five. Then mark on a card the number of strokes you had to use, and go to the second tee, and so on until you have gone "all around the clock."

Place the ball on the tee by No. 1, and you are ready to play. Your ball should be the regulation golf ball.

After a little practice, says Good Literature, you will be making almost every hole in two strokes, but it will be a long time before you can do it in "bogey," or the least number of strokes possible to the ordinary player. Some very fine players beat "bogey," which is usually placed at one stroke for every other hole, and two strokes for the remainder, or "around the clock" in eighteen strokes. You will improve your game almost every time you play, and you will find "clock golf" the best sort of practice for real golf. Clock golf is not to be despised by any means for lots of golf professionals play it a great deal, as it is the finest kind of training in putting.

Playing Clock Golf. One just as you make a "shinny" stick in the winter, or, better still, your old hockey club will be found just the thing.

Get 12 pieces of cardboard about four inches square and number them from one to 12. Then get some heavy wires or slender sticks, sharpened on one end, and glue one of the cardboards to each. Get a larger cardboard, mark it center, fasten it to another stick and place it in the center of the plot of ground you are going to use. By this



PLAYING CLOCK GOLF.

FLYING-FISH.

Flying-fish must have been watched ever since the first mariners ventured upon the sea, and yet the question of the manner in which they perform their flights is apparently unsettled. Dr. Abel, of the Austrian geological survey, in a recent memoir on these fishes, maintains that the initial impetus by means of which they launch themselves is due to screw-like movements of the tail fin, and that the wings are



in no sense propelling organs, but act simply as parachutes. On the other hand, says the Youth's Companion, it is maintained by other observers that the

flight of flying-fishes is due to incessant and extremely rapid movements of their wing-like fins. It has been suggested that there may be differences in the manner of flight of different species of fish, and that consequently there may be truth in both views.

Walter's Adjectives.

It was little four-year-old Walter's first sight of a baby colt. In his delight and surprise he cried: "Oh, papa, what an enormous small horse!"—Chicago Daily News.

AS TO A CANINE KING.

If dogs should form an empire great, As men do who are wiser, I wonder would their chief of state Be called the grand kai-yi-ser. —John Kendrick Bangs, in St. Nicholas.

KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Mrs. L. C. Schaffer was in Belvidere last Wednesday.

Miss Mary Gibbs was home from Hampshire Sunday.

Geo. Warne was here from Rockford on business Monday.

Prof. F. L. Bennett was in Aurora Monday and Tuesday on business.

Phil Arbuckle is visiting relatives in Chicago for a few days.

S. M. Henderson of Waterman, candidate for county clerk, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Sexauer entertained the members of the W. C. T. U. Wednesday afternoon.

Geo. Helsdon is at Fox Lake, Wis., working with the C. M. & St. P. Ry. bridge gang.

Misses Jessie Parker and Florence Vandeburg were home over

sunday from the DeKalb normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Moyers are visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Peterson, at Amherst, Wis.

Mrs. Belle Stuart leaves this week for New York to remain two or three months with her parents.

Mrs. Marion Arbuckle was suddenly called to Indiana on account of the serious illness of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gooding are here from Chicago visiting the latter's brothers, Frank and A. J. Lettow.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Halde- man were here from Elgin last Friday on business, the former being a piano tuner.

A number from here attended

the Ladies' Aid Society at the home of Mrs. Walter Cole last Thursday afternoon.

Frank Bradford went to Belvidere Monday where he has secured employment in the National sewing machine factory.

Some of the Epworth Leaguers attended the dedicatory exercises of the basement of the M. E. church in Kirkland Thursday evening.

On the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Ort the Royal Neighbors will hold an ice cream social July 28. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Arbuckle entertained Dr. and Mrs. Irving Heckman of Hinckley and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Heckman of Rogers Park last Sunday and Monday.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Special Bargains

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

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

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

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

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

In July we always close out certain items in every department of the store. It pays us better to sell them for little or nothing than to carry them over until another year. Here are a few that must go.

- Fly nets, covering entire horse.....25c
- Lap dusters 38, 39 and.....59c
- Good halters and tie ropes...10c
- 25c sweat pads, specials...10c
- Men's work shirts, blacks and fine wash ginghams, not 50c but.....39c
- Boys' negligee shirts 25 and...10c
- Ladies' girdle corsets for....10c
- Best calico remnants for 4 1/2 yd. A No. 1 double fold percales, greys, reds and blues, per yd. only.....6c
- Ladies' gingham petticoats 25 and.....39c
- Mexican hammocks only.....59c

Men's Suits

We had done all our buying for our clothing department when there came the chance to buy the bankrupt stock of the Economy Clothing Co., of Elgin. The price was right and we bo't it. The result is we are able to offer the best suits of the season at prices obtainable nowhere else. Two big values in Men's summer suits, worth fully \$7.50 to \$8.00, either 2 or 3-piece style at \$4.95 and.....\$3.95

Higher grades, specials in 2 and 3-piece suits, A No. 1 makes, in fine wools and Worsteds, one of the lots purchased by us direct from the makers at about 1/2 regular prices. Grades commonly sold at \$10.00 and 12.00. Our price....\$7.95

Some 10c Values

Nickel plated bread dish, Coal scuttle, Boys' knee pants, Ladies' corsets, Lamps, large crystal vases, 6-arm clothes drier, 30 varieties of candy and hundreds of other bargains in our 5 and 10 cent department.

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

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

Rockford Chautauqua

The Rockford chautauqua will hold its fifth annual session at Harlem Park, Rockford, Ill., August 18 to September 2, 1906. The program as announced is a very strong one and includes the lecturers, Governor Joseph W. Folk, of Missouri, Gov. J. Frank Hanly, of Indiana, Rev. "Billy" Sunday, Hon. Charles A. Towne, Rev. S. Parks Cadman, Col. Geo. W. Bain, Frank Dixon, Bishop Joseph C. Hartzell, Dr. William Spurgeon, Ernest Thompson Seton, Mrs. La-salle Corbell Pickett, Dr. George R. Stuart, Capt. E. B. Baldwin, Mrs. Leonora M. Lake and many others. Among the entertainers may be mentioned, Opie Read, Rev. Henry R. Rose, J. Franklin Caveny, Reno B. Welbourne, Oxenham moving pictures, Joseffy, the magician, Prof. H. N. Howland, Slayton Jubilee Singers, Nellie Peck Saunders, Phoebe Mae Roberts, etc., etc. The schools and classes are especially strong, including the cooking school, which will be under the direction of Mrs. Sarah Tyson Rorer, of the Ladies' Home Journal. The park is a delightful place to camp, all conveniences being provided. Send to A. C. Folsom, superintendent, Rockford, Illinois, for a copy of the illustrated booklet and arrange to attend a portion, if not all, of the session of sixteen days.

Save the Comrade's Life

"While returning from the Grand Army Encampment at Washington City, a comrade from Elgin Ill. was taken with cholera morbus and was in a critical condition," says Mr. J. E. Houghland of Eldon, Iowa. "I gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and believe saved his life. I have been engaged for ten years in immigration work and conducted many parties to the south and west. I always carry this remedy and have used it successfully on many occasions," Sold by G. H. Hunt.

South Riley

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cooper called at home Saturday evening.

Hay is going up rather fast.

Miss Anabell Fish was visiting friends in this vicinity last week.

Mesdames Will Simpson and H. H. Barber were entertained by Mrs. A. H. Sears on Monday.

Mrs. Bertha Fillweber spent a few days at home last week.

Miss Lizzie Rozenski and W. C. Merrill spent Sunday here.

Walter Buck called at Marengo Saturday evening.

Mrs. Jennie Mackey was at Genoa Friday.

Coon Creek seems to be a great attraction for high divers during the past week.

J. W. Stockwell has purchased a new threshing outfit.

P. M. Reed transacted business in Genoa last week.

Nath Adams was exercising a broncho on our streets Friday.

Mr. Barrow called on friends Sunday.

Illinois Central Excursions

Home seekers tickets to the west and north-west on sale every Tuesday.

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

S. R. CRAWFORD Ag't

Riley Center

Mrs. James Hall is spending a couple of weeks in Chicago.

Mrs. A. Lind entertained company from Chicago over Sunday. Misses Ellen and Esther Gustafson are at home for a week's vacation.

Bruce Fellows' and family are spending a few days at his father's, Frank Fellows.

Chas. Gustafson is entertaining friends from Moline this week. Misses Fannie and Jessie Hall are visiting their aunt at Belvidere this week.

Zeddie Gilliland and family visited at E. Mackey's Sunday.

Miss Anabell Fish called on friends in South Riley last week.

Summer dress goods cheap at Olmsted's now.

Kingston Assessment List

State of Illinois ss. DeKalb County

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

books of said year.

| DANIEL HOHM, Supervisor of Assessments | | | | |
|--|-----------------|-----|-----|-------------|
| Names | Sub-div of lots | lot | blk | ass'd value |
| Ed J. Stuart | 6 & 7 | 1 | | 52 |
| Eli Brainard | w100 ft B | | | 30 |
| Lyman Stuart's addition. | | | | |
| E. J. Stuart | 10 & 11 | 1 | | 260 |
| James Stuart's 3rd Addition | | | | |
| S. D. Whitney | 1 & 2 | 1 | | 260 |
| H. H. Whitney | 4 | 1 | | 155 |

State of Illinois ss. DeKalb County

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

DANIEL HOHM, Supervisor of Assessments.

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|--------------------------------|------|------------------------------|-----|-------------------------------|------|
| Abraham, F. | 246 | Koeneke, Wm. | 376 | Vosburgh, F. | 148 |
| Allison, S. M. | 103 | Kingston Shire | | Vosburgh, J. | 150 |
| Anderson, Aug. | 220 | Horse Co. | 120 | Vosburgh, E. | 380 |
| Anderson, S. M. | 284 | Larson, And. | 400 | Wait, Fred. | 239 |
| Arbuckle, D. B. | 424 | Lawler, Frank. | 241 | Weaver, Jas. | 159 |
| Armbruster, W. E. | 212 | Lankton, H. A. | 220 | Weber, W. S. | 318 |
| Aurner, W. R. | 273 | Lomabrd, John | 340 | Weber, P. C. | 905 |
| Aves, Wm. | 519 | Larsen, Fred. | 148 | Wilson, W. | 933 |
| Ault, George. | 30 | Landis, Alonzo | 186 | Wilson, Ira. | 471 |
| Babbler, John. | 53 | Lettow, Frank. | 281 | Wind, W. H. | 24 |
| Ball, D. W. | 152 | Lettow, A. J. | 287 | Village of Kingston | |
| Ball, James. | 68 | Lettow, E. C. | 201 | Ackerman, C. | 56 |
| Beers, George. | 268 | Little, J. L. | 501 | Arison, Mrs. C. | 45 |
| Brainard, Alto. | 181 | Little, E. B. | 868 | Aurner, C. | 132 |
| Brainard, Levi. | 109 | Little, E. B. | 415 | Aurner, J. F. | 250 |
| Branch, Mrs. H. F. | 413 | Ludwig, Mike. | 361 | Bacon, Elmer. | 44 |
| Brandt, C. H. | 161 | Lanan, H. A. | 765 | Bell, W. A. | 73 |
| Branson, J. R. | 72 | Medin, Peter. | 237 | Bell, Esther. | 35 |
| Blackledge, J. | 171 | McCartney, J. | 70 | Benson, R. C. | 144 |
| Blundy, J. H. | 478 | McCallister, J. P. | 450 | Bicksler, Ira. | 29 |
| Bicksler, Ira. | 152 | McCormick, B. | 148 | Burgess, H. G. | 104 |
| Campbell, H. | 151 | McCullough, C. B. | 206 | Burchfield, R. | 25 |
| Casey, Joseph. | 883 | McDonald, Eva | 236 | Burton, C. R. | 74 |
| Carlson Henry. | 167 | McDonald, Ed. | 223 | Carlson, C. A. | 80 |
| Colvin, J. | 312 | McDonald, D. S. | 149 | Cole, M. W. | 630 |
| Cooper, E. L. | 105 | McKee, John. | 195 | Dockham, Mary W. | 51 |
| Coffey, J. E. | 100 | Moore, C. R. | 114 | Gustafson, F. E. | 123 |
| Cole, John A. | 241 | Morehart, L. H. | 251 | Gross, J. K. | 1633 |
| Cole, W. L. | 318 | May, Grant. | 408 | Harper, Sullie. | 223 |
| Crane, John. | 430 | Mulford, Chas. | 480 | Heckman, J. | 22 |
| Crosby, Porter. | 35 | Nichols, Chas. | 396 | Helsdon, John. | 30 |
| Crane & Han-son. | 248 | Ollman, A. W. | 227 | Hicks, A. E. | 82 |
| Daily, Richard. | 188 | Olmsted, A. H. | 120 | Howe, John F. | 38 |
| Dibble, Ed. | 276 | Ollman, C. F. | 64 | Landis, Henry. | 118 |
| Dibble, S. | 124 | Ollman, J. H. | 241 | Lentz, F. M. | 39 |
| Drake, F. J. | 24 | Ollman, C. F. & Son. | 751 | Lutter, E. A. | 600 |
| Duvall, Wm. | 402 | Page, J. R. | 192 | Markley, Geo. | 121 |
| Easton, S. | 235 | Parker, C. W. | 289 | Mackey, Jas. | 27 |
| Ecklund, Aug. | 110 | Peterson, O. A. | 218 | Miller, J. P. | 49 |
| Eklund, Samuel. | 114 | Pierce, A. V. | 491 | McClelland, G. | 63 |
| Eman, John. | 294 | Powers, C. H. | 423 | Maltby, J. | 16 |
| Elwood, I. L. | 3007 | Quinn, Michael | 337 | Moore, G. W. | 178 |
| Eychner, Geo. | 344 | Quigley, R. R. | 35 | Moore, J. E. | 42 |
| Felty, Henry. | 309 | Ricketts, F. P. | 265 | Moyers, John. | 68 |
| Poster, Thos. | 172 | Robinson, E. H. | 139 | Moyers, A. | |
| Gathercoal, Mrs. Thos. | 69 | Rubeck, F. W. | 271 | Guardian | 120 |
| George, Albert. | 358 | Rubeck, John. | 400 | Moyers, Mrs. Amanda. | 25 |
| Gleason, L. E. | 200 | Rubeck, Carl. | 257 | McCullom, I. A. | 85 |
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