

# THE GENOA ISSUE.

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## An Up-to-Date Stock!

That's what I am now offering. For the Ladies I have every thing in the Latest Shapes in Lace, Button and Congress Fine Shoes. Toe Slippers, Pumps, and Kid Slippers.

Entirely new stock and at Bottom Prices.

## E. CRAWFORD

In Gents Shoes I am offering the best stock ever brought to Genoa. Very Latest Styles.

Always the Best Goods

With Prices as Low

As is consistent with

The quality of our Goods.

## There are many good women

and many wise ones—wives, daughters, aunts, cousins, nieces of yours, you will be surprised how many of these women are using

## Pillsbury's Best Flour.

Make inquiries and if you find one of these users who wants to make a change, write us a letter. If you find every user of Pillsbury Flour willing to recommend it, will it not prove to you that you should use it.

## C. B. CRAWFORD.

Genoa's Leading Grocer.

## A Remnant SALE!

Do you know what that means to the Careful Buyer,  
It means nothing more nor less than

## A Saving of One-Half!

The cost of the goods is lost sight of in the great desire to clear up all remnants.

## We Have a Stack of them.

Consisting of

Cotton and Woolen Goods,

Ginghams, Shirts, etc.

and Dress goods, etc.

ALL KINDS. : ALL QUALITIES.

A Promising Feast. Partake of it Quick.

## H. H. SLATER.

### LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS.

Personal Notes, Happenings, Etc Pertaining to Genoa.

St. Valentine's Day, tomorrow.

L. M. Olmstead Chicagoed, Wednesday.

Leslie Lock is here from Hampshire, today.

Ira J. Mix was out from Chicago Monday.

Frank Stott was home from Elgin over Sunday.

J. A. Kepple was here from Kingston, Tuesday.

Hon. Geo. Reed was in town on business Monday.

A. L. Fuller, of Kingston, was in town last week.

Jas. E. Stott returned on Monday from the east.

Miss Helen Shutts was a Sycamore visitor Saturday.

S. L. Platt is entertaining his mother from Canada.

Ike Miner, of Kirkland, was a caller here on Monday.

Ed. H. Lane transacted business in Chicago yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Hunt spent Sunday at Kingston.

Thos. Scott, of Hampshire, was a caller here Saturday.

Alva Sowers visited in St. Charles Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. Harth transacted business in Chicago last Thursday.

Butter sold for 18c. on the Elgin board of trade Monday.

Mrs. S. L. Miller visited at Hampshire a few days last week.

Wanted—Girl to do house work. Enquire at Exchange Bank.

W. L. Sisley was here from Hampshire, Friday and Saturday.

Ed. H. Lane is entertaining his father S. E. Lane, of Rockford.

J. B. Stephens, was here from Sycamore last Friday and Saturday.

Harry Hollenbeak, of Casey, Iowa, is the guest of Mrs. E. A. Brown.

James Kiernan has bought the ponies formerly owned by Will Waitt.

—Desirable lots and residence property for sale. D. S. Brown.

S. L. Miller entertained his mother from Michigan a few days this week.

Miss Lizzie Brown entertained her friend, Miss Fannie Perkins, of Elgin, over Sunday.

Mrs. W. I. Caldwell, of Byron, was the guest of Miss Belle Kosier the first of the week.

There will be a free phonograph exhibition at C. B. Crawford's store tomorrow, Friday.

Will Johnson, an employe at the shoe factory, had one of his fingers smashed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willis, of South Grove, were guests at Wm. Watson's this week.

Wm. Hintze, the well-known butter man of Elgin, transacted business in Genoa last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown, of Elgin, were guests this week at their son's, Ira J. Brown.

The Ys are preparing to give something fine in the way of an entertainment in a month or two.

Mrs. C. Wilson returned from Kansas last Friday where she attended the funeral of her brother.

Our streets presented a very lively appearance last Saturday, the farmers being out in full force.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown attended the minstrel show given by the young ladies at Elgin last Friday.

Mrs. F. M. Overaker, of St. Charles, attended the Della Rebecca festivities here last Friday evening.

W. E. Lawyer, brother of Corwin Lawyer, of DeKalb, has gone to work in the heating room at the factory.

A Washington Birthday Party will be given at Crawford's hall on next Thursday night. Good music will be in attendance.

Mrs. A. Snyder has been sick with the measles.

At the present writing the snow is falling thick and fast, and from all appearances we will surely have sleighing.

Miss Nellie Hewitt is the proud possessor of a handsome new Everett piano, which has the orchestra attachments.

Chas. Corson and J. E. Stott returned from the east Monday morning, having disposed of their load of horses at a good figure.

It not only is so, it must be so, One Minute Cough Cure acts quickly, and that's what makes it go. F T Robinson, Genoa; L C Shaffer, Kingston.

H. E. Westgate, who has been running a job printing office in Sycamore, has gone "snucks" with S. E. Dunn of the Kirkland Reporter.

A Valentine Ball will be given in the opera house tomorrow evening. A prize will be given for the prettiest and most comical valentine. Good music and good order is assured by the management.

A high liver with a torpid liver will not be a long liver. Correct the liver with DeWitt's Little Early Risers, little pills that cure dyspepsia and constipation. L C Shaffer, Kingston; F T Robinson, Genoa.

Miss Maggie Haverty has given up her position as forelady in the stitching room at the factory and returned to her home in Chicago, Monday.

Mrs. James Beech, of DeKalb, succeeds her as forelady.

One Minute Cough Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold. See the point? Then don't cough. L C Shaffer, Kingston; F T Robinson, Genoa.

Miss Helen Shutts was at Kirkland on Monday of this week and secured a position as teacher in the Lacey district, where she commenced teaching on Wednesday morning.

Ed. Richardson left yesterday for Cripple Creek, Col. He will join a Sycamore party in Chicago. Ed. says if he likes the place he will bring it back with him.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. F T Robinson, Genoa; L C Shaffer, Kingston.

On the first of the month the C. M. & St. P. road will start the "lunch system." Lunches wrapped in wax paper and bound in tin foil will be for sale on all trains except those carrying dining and lunch cars.

Two of the high school boys came to a conclusion that they had different opinions in regard to a certain matter Monday evening and resorted to "scrapping" to settle the difference, and before it was over one of the faces interested became pretty badly spooled.

The Genoa Rebeccas held a very enjoyable meeting last Friday night. Seven candidates were initiated and a banquet indulged in. Visitors were present from neighboring lodges and a good time was had by all.

Quick in effect, heals and leaves no scar. Burning, scaly skin eruptions quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Applied to burns, scalds, old sores, it is magical in effect. Always cures piles. F T Robinson, Genoa; L C Shaffer, Kingston.

The Byron Express says that place has the meanest person in Ogle county. Some one stole the collection that was taken up Sunday evening after the baskets had been placed on the table within the chancel rail. Genoa has some mean people, but they lack the nerve to do such an act.

Soothing, healing, cleansing! DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the enemy to sores, wounds and piles, which it never fails to cure. Stops itching and burning. Chapped hands and cold-sores in two or three hours. F T Robinson, Genoa; L C Shaffer, Kingston.

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"Hutch" Kellogg has received two carloads of high grade buggies and harness. He has a thousand dollars stock of harness which he purchased way below wholesale price, and he will give customers the benefit of this "snap." You can buy a harness at less than dealers have to pay. Call early and get the cream of the lot.

A series of meetings is now going on at the A. C. Church, conducted by Eld. I. C. Grundy, of Sparta, Wis. A very cordial invitation is extended to all to attend. We ask every true heart to be lifted up to God in earnest prayer for the conversion of many who are out of Christ.

GEO. J. FRENCH.

Our people are growing more and more in the habit of looking to F. T. Robinson for the latest and best of everything in the drug line. They sell Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds, croup and whooping cough. When in need of such a medicine give this remedy a trial and you will be more than pleased with the results.

How is this, ye husky huskers? The Marengo Republican says that for a wager of \$15, Wesley Conrad, a young farm hand living near that place, husked 120 bushels of corn in 10 hours and in fifty minutes more he had a stack of 133 bushels of corn to show for his day's work.

J. W. Pierce, Republic, Iowa says: "I used One Minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with results so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its merit. I will never fail to recommend it to others, on every occasion that presents itself. L C Shaffer, Kingston; F T Robinson, Genoa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stiles and L. C. Shaffer and Oscar Chalmers of Kingston, left yesterday for the south on a several weeks' visit. They went to Chicago on the St. Paul road and then south on the Louisville & Nashville Railway via Cincinnati. They will visit Ocean Springs, Miss, and other points, and will be in New Orleans in time for the Mardi Gras.

Don't invite disappointment by experimenting. Depend upon One Minute Cough Cure and you have immediate relief. It cures croup. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. F T Robinson, Genoa; L C Shaffer, Kingston.

The minstrels last night drew out one of the old time Genoa audiences and a perfectly satisfied audience it was. The band boys and those who so kindly assisted them did themselves proud, and deserve the satisfactory receipts they received. The opening part of the program was especially good. The specialty characters were all well taken and drew forth much merited applause. The sketches were particularly funny and kept the audience in smiles. There were no hitches and the boys went at it like professionals. The receipts were in the neighborhood of \$75.

While Will Wilde and Alvin Hewitt were out sleigh riding Friday morning with two young ladies, the horses became unmanageable as they were passing under the Illinois Central tracks west of town, and all were thrown out of the cutter, but luckily escaped uninjured. The team tore down Main street at full speed, came in contact with B. Goldman's buggy, doing considerable damage. Young boys should not drive spirited horses when they have young ladies with them, for the horses should not be forgotten and the girls must have some attention.

Miss Zina and Allie Smith were the recipients of a very pleasant surprise last Friday evening. Their home was taken possession of by several self invited guests, but from all appearances they were very welcome and were royally entertained. The evening's pleasures consisted games, chess playing and general merry making.

Those present were  
The Misses  
Lida Sellars, Nora Malana,  
Maggie Hewitt, Alma Sumner,  
Bertha Koch, Vinie Koch,  
Mosses  
Elmer Sowers, Alvin Hewitt,  
Owen McCormick, John Merrill,  
C. D. Schoonmaker.

Look out for a change in this paper in a few weeks.

## A STIRRING APPEAL.

Rev. Dr. Talmage Pleads for a Religious Revival

Which, Beginning at the National Capital, Shall Sweep the Country Before the Close of the Nineteenth Century.

The following appeal for a revival of religion was made by Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage before his Washington congregation, in which was included many of the principal men of the nation. He took for his text:

Beginning at Jerusalem.—Luke xxiv., 47.  
"There it is," said the driver, and we all instantly and excitedly rose in the carriage to catch the first glimpse of Jerusalem, so long the joy of the whole earth. That city, crowned with temple and palace, and radiant, whether looked up at from the valley of Jehoshaphat or gazed at from adjoining hills, was the capital of a great nation. Clouds of incense had hovered over it. Chariot of kings had rolled through it. Battering rams of enemies had thundered against it. There Isaiah prophesied, and Jeremiah lamented, and David reigned, and Paul preached, and Christ was martyred. Most interesting city ever built since masonry rung its first trowel, or plum line measured its first wall or royalty swung its first scepter. What Jerusalem was to the Jewish kingdom, Washington is to our own country—the capital, the place to which all the tribes come up, the great national heart whose throbs send life or death through the body politic, clear out to the geographical extremities.

What the resurrected Christ said in my text to His disciples, when He ordered them to start on the work of gospelization, "beginning at Jerusalem," it seems to me God says now, in His providence, to tens of thousands of Christians in this city. Start for the evangelization of America, "beginning at Washington." America is going to be taken for God. If you do not believe it, take your hat now and leave, and give room to some man or woman who does believe it. As surely as God lives, and He is able to do as He says He will, this country will be evangelized from the mouth of the Potomac to the mouth of the Oregon, from the highlands of the Neversink to the Golden Horn, from Baffin's bay to the gulf of Mexico, and Christ will walk every lake, whether bestormed or placid, and be transfigured on every mountain, and the night skies, whether they hover over groves of magnolia or over Alaskan glacier, shall be filled with angelic overture of "Glory to God and good will to men."

Again and again does the Old Book announce that all the earth shall see the salvation of God, and as the greater includes the lesser, that takes America gloriously in. Can you not see that if America is not taken for God by His consecrated people, it will be taken for Apollyon! The forces engaged on both sides are so tremendous that it can not be a drawn battle. It is coming, the Armageddon! Either the American Sabbath will perish and this nation be handed over to Herods, and Hildebrands, and Diocletians, and Neros of baleful power, and alcoholism will reign, seated upon piled-up throne of beer barrels, his mouth foaming with domestic and national curse, and crime will lift its unhindered knife of assassination, and rattle keys of worst burglary, and wave forth the widest conflagration, and our cities be turned into Sodom, waiting for Almighty tempests of fire and brimstone, and one tidal wave of abomination will surge across the continent, or our Sabbaths will take on more sanctity, and the newspapers will become apocalyptic wings of benediction, and penitentiaries will be abandoned for lack of occupants, and holiness and happiness, twin son and daughter of Heaven, shall walk through the land, and Christ reign over this nation, either in person or by agency so glorious that the whole country will be one clear, resounding echo of Heaven. It will be one or the other. By the throne of Him who liveth forever and ever, I declare it will be the latter. If the Lord will help me, as He always does—blessed be His glorious name!—I will show you how a mighty work of grace begun at Washington would have a tendency to bring the whole continent to God, and before this century closes.

William the Conqueror ordered the curfew, the custom of ringing the bell at midnight, at which all the fires on the hearths were to be banked, and all the lights extinguished, and all the people retire to their pillows. I pray God that the curfew of this century may no be sounded, and the fires be banked, and the lights extinguished, as the clock strikes the midnight hour that divides the nineteenth century from the twentieth century, until this beloved land, which was to most of us a cradle, and which will be to most of us a grave, shall come into the full possession of Him who is so glorious that William the Conqueror could not be compared to Him, even the one who rideth forth "conquering and to conquer."

Why would it be especially advantageous if a mighty work of grace started here, "beginning at Washington?" First, because this city is on the border between the north and the south. It is neither northern nor

southern. It commingles the two climates. It brings together the two styles of population. It is not only right, but beautiful, that people should have especial love for the latitude where they were born and brought up. With what loving accentuation the Alabamian speaks of his orange groves! And the man from Massachusetts is sure to let you know that he comes from the land of the Adamses—Samuel, and John, and John Quincy. Did you ever know a Virginian or Ohioan whose face did not brighten when he announced himself from the southern or northern state of presidents? If a man does not like his native clime, it is because, while he lived there, he did not behave well. This capital stands where, by its locality and its political influence, it stretches forth one hand toward the north and the other toward the south, and a mighty work of grace starting here would probably be a national awakening. Georgia would clasp the hand of New Hampshire, and Maine the hand of Louisiana, and California the hand of New York, and say: "Come, let us go up and worship the God of Nations, the Christ of Golgotha, the Holy Ghost of the pentecostal three thousands."

It has often been said that the only way the north and the south will be brought into complete accord is to have a war with some foreign nation, in which both sections, marching side by side, would forget everything but the foe to be overcome. Well, if you wait for such a foreign conflict, you will wait until all this generation is dead, and perhaps wait forever. The war that will make the sections forget past controversies is a war against unrighteousness, such as a universal religious awakening would declare. What we want is a battle for souls, in which about forty million northerners and southerners shall be on the same side, and shoulder to shoulder. In no other city on the continent can such a war be declared so appropriately, for all the other great cities are either northern or southern. This is neither, or, rather, it is both.

Again, it would be especially advantageous if a mighty work of grace started here, because more representative men are in Washington than in any other city between the oceans. Of course there are accidents in politics, and occasionally there are men who get into the senate and house of representatives and other important places who are fitted for the positions in neither head nor heart; but this is exceptional and more exceptional now than in other days. There is not a drunkard in the national legislature, although there were times when Kentucky, Virginia, Delaware, Illinois, New York and Massachusetts had men in senate or house of representatives who went maudlin and staggering drunk across those high places. Never nobler group of men sat in senate or house of representatives than sat there yesterday and will sit there tomorrow, while the highest judiciary, without exception, has now upon its bench men beyond criticism for good morals and mental endowment. So in all departments of official position, with here and there an exception, are to-day the brainiest men and most honorable men of America.

Now, suppose the Holy Ghost power should fall upon this city, and these men from all parts of America should suddenly become pronounced for Christ! Do you say the effect would be electrical? More than that; it would be omnipotent! Do you say that such learned and potent men are not wrought upon by religious influence? That shows that you have not observed what has been going on. Commodore Foote, representing the navy; Gen. Grant and Robert E. Lee, representing the northern and southern armies; Chief Justice Chase, representing the supreme court; the Frelinghuysens, Theodore and Frederick, representing the United States senate. William Pennington and scores of others representing the house of representatives, have surrendered to that Gospel which, before this winter is out, will, in this capital of the American nation, if we are faithful in our prayers and exertions, turn into the kingdom of God men of national and international power, their tongues of eloquence becoming the tongues of fire in another Pentecost. There are on yonder hill those who by the grace of God will become John Knoxes, and Chrysostoms, and Fenelons, and Bourdeleaus, when once regenerated. There is an illusion I have heard in prayer meetings and in pulpits, that a soul is a soul—one soul worth as much as another. I deny it. The soul of a man who can bring 1,000 or 10,000 other souls into the kingdom of God is worth 1,000 times or 10,000 times more than the soul of a man who can bring no one into the kingdom. A great outpouring of the Holy Spirit in this capital, reaching the chief men of America, would be of more value to earth and Heaven than in any other part of the nation, because it would reach all the states, cities, towns and neighborhoods of the continent. Oh, for the outstretched right arm of God Almighty in the salvation of the capital.

Some of us remember 1837, when at the close of our worst monetary distress this country has ever felt, compared with which the hard times of the last three years were a boom of prosperity, right on the heels of that complete prostration came an awakening in

which 500,000 people were converted in different states of the union. Do you know where one of its chief powers was demonstrated? In Washington. Do you know on what street? This street. Do you know in what church? This church. I picked up an old book a few days ago, and was startled, and thrilled, and enchanted to read these words, written at that time by the Washington correspondent of a New York paper. He wrote: "The First Presbyterian church can scarce contain the people. Requests are daily preferred for an interest in the prayers offered, and the reading of these forms one of the tenderest and most effective features of the meetings. Particular pains are taken to disclaim and exclude everything like sectarian feeling. General astonishment is felt at the unexpected rapidity with which the work has thus far proceeded, and we are beginning to anticipate the necessity of opening another church." Why, my hearers, not have that again, and more than that? There are many thousands more of inhabitants now than then. Besides that, since then the telephone, with its semi-presence, and the swift cable car, for assembling the people. I believe that the mightiest revival of religion that this city has ever seen is yet to come, and the earth will tremble from Capitoline hill to the boundaries on all sides with the footsteps of God as He comes to awaken and pardon and save these great populations. People of Washington, meet us next Thursday night, at 7:30 o'clock, to pray for this coming of the Holy Ghost—not for a pentecostal 3,000 that I have referred to, but 30,000. Such a fire as that would kindle a light that would be seen from the sledges crunching through the snows of Labrador to the Caribbean sea, where the whirlwinds are born. Let our cry be that of Habakkuk, the blank verse poet of the Bible: "Oh, Lord, revive Thy work in the midst of the years; in the midst of the years make known: in wrath remember mercy." Let the battle-cry be: Washington for God! the United States for God! America for God! the world for God! We are all tired of skirmishing. Let us bring on a general engagement. We are tired of fishing with hook and line. With one sweep of the Gospel net let us take in many thousands. This vast work must begin somewhere. Why not here? Some one must give the rallying cry. Why not I, one of the Lord's servants? By providential arrangement, I am every week in sermonic communication with every city, town and neighborhood of this country, and I now give the watchword to north and south, and east and west. Hear and see it, all people—this call to a forward movement, this call to repentance and faith, this call to a continental awakening.

And now I would like to see this hour, that which I have never seen, but hope to see—a whole audience saved under one flash of the Eternal Spirit. Before you go out of any of these doors, enter the door of mercy. Father and mother, come in and bring your children with you. Newly-married folks, consecrate your lifetime to God, and be married for eternity as well as time. Young man, you will want God before you get through this world, and you want Him now. Young woman, without God, this is a hard world for women. One and all, wherever you sit or stand, I lift my voice so that you can hear it, out in the corridors and on the street, and say, in the words of the Mediterranean ship captain: "Call upon thy God, if so be that God will think upon us, that we perish not." Oh, what news to relate to your old father and mother; what news to telegraph your friends on the other side of the mountains; what news with which to thrill your loved ones in Heaven! It was such news that a man read in a noonday meeting in Philadelphia. He arose and unfolding a manuscript, read:

When'er we meet, you always say  
What's the news? what's the news?  
Pray, what's the order of the day?  
What's the news! what's the news!  
Oh! I have got good news to tell;  
My Saviour hath done all things well,  
And triumphed over death and hell.  
That's the news! that's the news!

The Lamb was slain on Calvary,  
That's the news! that's the news!  
To set a world of sinners free,  
That's the news! that's the news!

The Lord has pardoned all my sin—  
That's the news! that's the news!  
I feel the witness now within—  
That's the news! that's the news!  
And since He took my sins away,  
And taught me how to watch and pray,  
I'm happy now from day to day—  
That's the news! that's the news!

And Christ the Lord can save you, too—  
That's the news! that's the news!  
Your sinful heart He can renew—  
That's the news! that's the news!  
This moment, if for sins you grieve,  
This moment, if you do believe,  
A full acquittal will receive—  
That's the news! that's the news!

And now, if any one should say,  
What's the news, what's the news?  
Oh, tell him you've begun to pray—  
That's the news! that's the news!  
That you have joined the conquering band,  
And now with joy at God's command,  
You're marching to the better land,  
That's the news! that's the news!

We cannot too often think there is a never-sleeping eye, which reads the heart, and registers our thoughts.—Bacon.

Theologians are well in their place, but repentance and love must come before all other experiences.—Beecher.

## DEATH BY DROWNING.

Many Lives Lost in a Storm on the Atlantic.

Two Schooners Wrecked Off the Massachusetts Coast—Their Crews Are Swept Into the Water and Ten Sailors Perish.

Amesbury, Mass., Feb. 10.—A three-masted schooner was wrecked Sunday night half a mile off Salisbury beach. The schooner, presumably the Florida, of Lockland, Me., coal laden for Newburyport, was driven on the beach in a heavy northeast gale about five o'clock and within an hour began breaking up. The sea was so heavy that to launch a small boat was out of the question, yet in the face of this peril two of the crew could be seen making the attempt. The boat was taken up by a huge wave and tossed beyond their reach, to be washed up on shore, stove to pieces. As the hatches and house went by the board the crew made for the rigging, one, thought to be the captain, lashing himself to the mainmast, where through a glass an hour later he appeared to be dead. Five of the others took to the mizzenmast, lashing their bodies to it, while the seventh man lashed himself to the other mast.

Hundreds gathered on the beach, and the fishermen battled for an hour in the surf in an effort to launch a boat, but they were forced to abandon it. The Plum island life-saving crew was notified and drove over the ten miles of rough road in the lifeboat behind four horses, arriving at 7:15. At that hour a blinding snowstorm had set in, cutting off a view of the vessel and making it impossible to throw a life-line to the doomed craft. At 10:15 two bodies were washed ashore, and soon after it cleared for a few minutes, when it was seen that the masts had been swept away and the other five had gone down to watery graves.

Schooner Allianza and Three Men Lost. Newburyport, Mass., Feb. 10.—The three-masted schooner Allianza, New

## RACES AT WAR.

Three Men Killed in a Riot at Whiting, Ind.

Whiting, Ind., Feb. 7.—Whiting was the scene of a bloody riot Thursday afternoon and as a result three men are dead and another is lying at the point of death. The dead are: Emory Szanjo, Steve Mutchka and John Mokin.

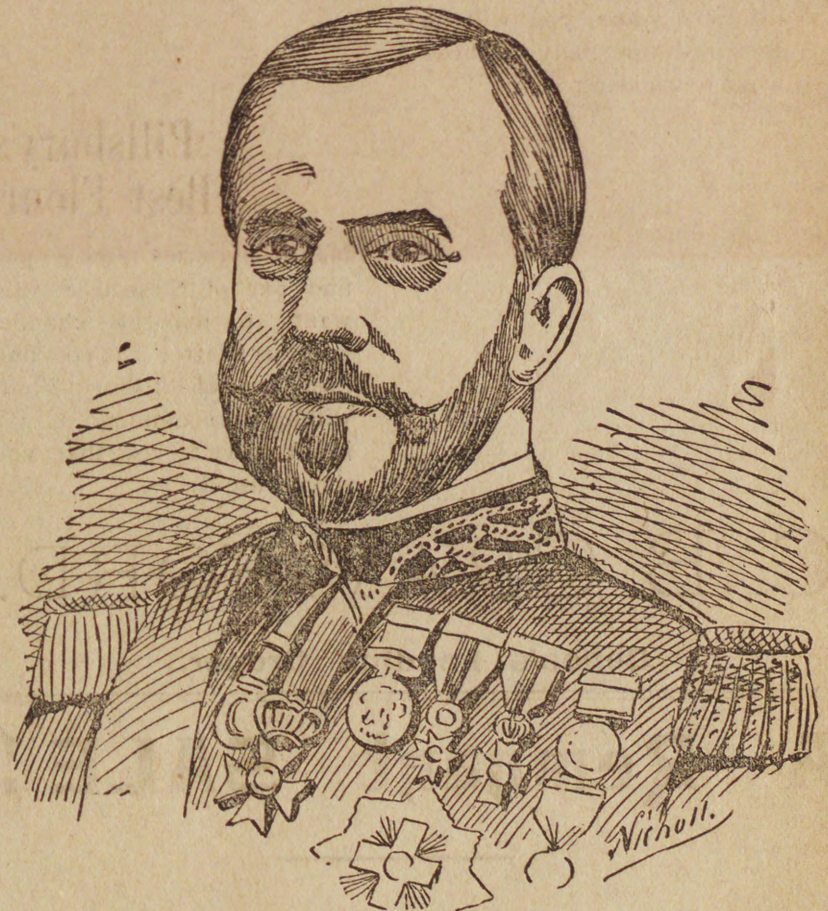
Seriously injured: Jacob Gladstone, cigar manufacturer, 397 South May street, Chicago, shot in breast; John Thomas, foreman for Standard Oil company, shot in right side, will die.

The trouble began in the saloon of Joseph Maovitik, corner of Adams street and Whiting road. For some years bad blood has existed between the Hungarians and the Poles living in Whiting. Maovitik is a Pole, and about two o'clock Thursday afternoon a crowd of Hungarians entered his saloon with the avowed purpose of cleaning out the place. They began by directing insulting remarks to the saloonkeeper and his wife, who was also in the saloon at the time. Several of Maovitik's friends were standing around, and one of them struck a Hungarian, knocking him senseless.

The Hungarians became enraged at this, and, drawing revolvers, opened up a promiscuous shooting. Maovitik and his wife fled upstairs, leaving the Hungarians in possession of the saloon. Several of the Hungarians rushed outside and with clubs began breaking out the large plate-glass windows of the saloon. Maovitik from an upper window fired a volley at the men below. His shots told, and when the smoke cleared away Szanjo, Mokin and Mutchka lay dead in the street.

In the meantime, Mrs. Maovitik stood at the head of the stairs and fired into a crowd attempting to mount the stairs. Thomas fell, it is thought, mortally wounded. Gladstone was in the saloon at the time the trouble began taking orders for cigars, and was endeavoring to escape when one of the shots from the woman's gun struck him in the breast, just over the heart. The bullet was checked by a matchbox in his vest pocket, which saved his life.

At this juncture, Chief of Police Dob bins, Officer Lowenthal and Deputy



VALERIANO WEYLER Y NICOLAN,  
New Captain General of the Spanish Forces in Cuba.

York for St. John, was driven on Plum island at seven o'clock Sunday night. She had been in the company of the Florida all day and met the same fate. Her seven men lashed themselves to the masts and the craft broke up an hour after striking. Three bodies were washed ashore and the other four men were swept in, tied to the masts, and were rescued by plucky spectators, who at the peril of their lives rushed into the breakers. The vessel was commanded by Capt. Melanzo, of St. John, who was one of the three men drowned.

Drowned in a Flooded Meadow. Middletown, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Peter L. Atkins, proprietor of a wagon repair shop in this city, took Maud Kelly, aged 23, out driving Saturday night. They crossed Walkkill river at Hopkins' bridge, and in the darkness Atkins drove off the road into the flooded meadow. The water was nine feet deep, and the two stood on the seat of the wagon calling for help. A Frenchman named Baupre went to their assistance with a lantern, but when the water reached his hips he was obliged to retire. The two succumbed to the intense cold, and both sank beneath the flood after an hour's suffering. Searching parties went out early Sunday morning and at noon Atkins' body was found. Sunday night the girl's body was found fast to a barb wire fence half a mile down the stream.

Labor Classes Disfranchised. London, Feb. 8.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times says the government of Saxony has prepared a bill changing the election system and virtually disfranchising the working classes, the avowed object being to exclude socialists from the diet.

Sheriff Emmell came on the scene. The maddened Hungarians barricaded themselves in the saloon and refused to come out. With drawn revolvers, the officers attacked the doors of the building. They succeeded in forcing an entrance and arrested the ringleaders.

## CUBANS FALL.

Eighty Reported Killed in a Recent Battle—4,000 Put to Flight.

Madrid, Feb. 10.—Col. Segura, according to advices received from Havana, routed 4,000 insurgents in the province of Pinar del Rio, killing 80 of them. The Spanish loss was seven killed. Maceo was at the head of the insurgents. The conflict took place at San Cristobal, and the insurgents left 80 dead on the field as they retired. More than 300 of the Cubans were wounded. An aid-de-camp of Maceo was killed.

## For Cuban Recognition.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The concurrent resolution which the senate foreign affairs relations committee reported last week, requesting the president of the United States to use his influence with the government of Spain to recognize the Cuban revolutionists as belligerents, was practically set aside Wednesday, by a substitute reported from the same committee by Senator Morgan (dem., Ala.). The substitute recognizes a condition of public war in Cuba, and declares that the United States shall maintain a strict neutrality between the contending powers, and shall accord to each all the rights of belligerents in the ports of the United States.

## CHEERS FOR WEYLER.

### Cuba's New Ruler Warmly Greeted at Havana.

#### He is Showered with Flowers, and Takes the Oath of Office at Once—Troops Reviewed—Plans a Vigorous Campaign.

Havana, Feb. 11.—The Spanish cruiser Louis XIII., with Gen. Weyler, the newly-appointed captain-general and commander in chief of the Spanish forces in Cuba, on board, arrived off Morro castle at nine o'clock Monday morning and at ten o'clock entered the harbor and steamed up to the city. As the warship passed Morro castle she was saluted by the guns of that fortress and as she proceeded was welcomed by thunders of artillery from the Cabanas fortress and the dipping of flags and other greetings from the ships in the harbor.

After landing Gen. Weyler proceeded on foot to the palace, where he at once took the oath of office as captain-general of Cuba. After this ceremony, the new governor and commander in chief held a reception in the palace, receiving the leading citizens of Cuba, a number of grandees of Spain, at the heads of various commercial bodies; leaders of political parties and the foreign consuls. Crowds of people in holiday attire filled the streets and the plaza de Armas, in the vicinity of the palace of the captain-general, was packed with cheering men, women and children, while numerous bands of music played patriotic airs. The weather was delightful, and the enthusiasm of the populace unlimited.

The balconies in all the streets about the water front and in the vicinity of the palace were full of ladies in holiday attire, and they showered flowers upon the new commander as he passed. Besides, numerous floral offerings of the most beautiful description, principally in the shape of crowns, were presented to the general, who expressed his thanks in each case in a few brief words. He seemed to be much pleased with his reception.

After the reception of the local military and civil authorities, corporations and clergy was completed Gen. Weyler appeared upon the balcony of the palace and reviewed the troops. His appearance before the public was the signal for a long outburst of the most enthusiastic cheering, the firing of cannon and the sound of martial music, all the bands in the city being stationed at different points.

Accompanying Gen. Weyler were Capts. Gelaber and Linares, who are known as "military editors." They will most likely have charge of the press censorship here, and it is already rumored that there will be considerably more difficulty experienced in this connection by the correspondents in the future.

Gen. Weyler will first devote himself to a complete review of the operations already undertaken and then he will figure out the situation as it actually exists. For this purpose, almost immediately after taking the oath of fealty, he issued orders to be sent to all the commanders in the field to draw up promptly and forward to headquarters complete returns of the conditions of their commands, together with the state of the railroads, telegraphs and public thoroughfares and the probable location and strength of the enemy in their neighborhoods.

The exact plan of campaign of Gen. Weyler, naturally, is not known, but it is believed that it will be a very different one from that of Campos. He is likely to call in all the small detachments of troops, which have from the first had such a weakening effect upon the Spanish operations, and he will try to drive the insurgents into a position from which they cannot escape without a pitched battle.

Regarding his political standing, Gen. Weyler will be entirely non-partisan, while willing to listen to suggestions and advice from all parties. In short, his first efforts will be directed toward concentrating his forces and restoring public confidence.

Later he will try to engage the insurgents, who are understood to be concentrating their forces in anticipation of having a much more difficult task before them than they have had up to the present. In fact, some reports credit the insurgents with desiring to concentrate all their scattered detachments and columns into one body, and so bring the insurrection to a direct issue. If so, there seems to be no doubt that the Spanish general will not put any obstacle in the way of the insurgent commanders.

### MR. ENGLISH'S WILL.

#### An Estate Worth \$3,000,000, Which Goes Almost Entirely to His Children.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 11.—The will of the late William H. English was probated on Monday. Of his \$3,000,000 but \$2,000 is bequeathed for public use. This amount is set aside for the benefit of the Indiana Historical society, of which he was president at the time of his death. He leaves \$2,000 with which the managers of Crown Hill cemetery are to keep his grave green. The will was written in 1892. It sets aside \$10,000 or such part of that amount as may be needed to be used in the completion of Mr. English's history of Indiana. Two volumes have been issued and one more will be published.

## THE BOND SALE.

### It Will Net the Treasury About \$111,000,000 in Gold.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The treasury will receive in round figures from the bond sale about \$111,000,000. Geographically considered, the bonds are distributed in round figures as follows: New York, \$78,000,000; New England, \$9,000,000; eastern states, \$5,500,000; western states, \$3,350,000; central states, \$3,000,000; southern states, \$1,250,000. It is impossible to give the exact average rate at which the bonds awarded was made, but it was close to 111, at which the interest realized will be slightly less than 3 3/4 per cent. The exact average rate may not be computed for a week or so by the treasury officials. The amount awarded to the Morgan syndicate is slightly reduced from that stated, owing to overlooking two bids, or rather in not being able with a hurried examination to discover the exact rate named. These mistakes reduce the amount awarded the Morgan syndicate by \$32,100 and makes the true amount of bonds the syndicate receives \$34,179,250. There were 781 separate successful bidders, and they were formally notified Saturday night by Secretary Carlisle of the acceptance of their bids.

New York, Feb. 10.—Uncle Sam is already reaping the harvest of the loan, \$10,600,000 having on Saturday been added to the reserve. It will not be calculated as a part of the reserve until a record is made of it in Washington on Tuesday, but it is now available for any purpose to which the government wishes to put it, so as a matter of fact the reserve is now over \$55,000,000. The most of this gold is from the Morgan syndicate, which was awarded \$33,179,250 of the bonds. The treasury officials were notified of this and a few other awards by telephone from the treasury department at Washington, and the successful bidders were at once notified that gold payments would be accepted, thus saving the successful bidders the two days' additional interest which would have been required had the receipt of gold been delayed until awards were formally made.

## THE BOND ISSUE.

### Its Effect as Viewed by Dan & Co.—Review of Trade.

New York, Feb. 8.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say:

"The wonderful success of the popular loan alters the face of events. January operations become ancient history as the nation mounts above all doubts and fears to a solid certainty that the people can and will uphold their government. The influence of this event upon all manufacturing and all trade cannot be lightly estimated. It strips the silver situation of all its power to hurt. It puts the treasury upon a safe basis for the time, whether congress does anything or not. It notifies foreign nations that the United States has power as well as purpose. It unlocks millions of gold which have been gathered in preparation, brings directly several millions of gold from Europe and stimulates the anxiety of foreign investors to obtain American securities.

"With such a revolution in business suddenly effected, the customary records of the past week and month are of less value than usual. But there have been signs of improvement in the iron manufacture, although the average of prices is nearly 1 per cent. lower this week, and orders for wire nails are stimulated by a decision to advance prices again March 1. There is also a more active demand for plates and sheets. The boot and shoe manufacture does not get as yet, leather being about 1 per cent. lower for the week. Hides are depressed by tight money, though in light demand and about 1 per cent. lower for the week. The cotton mills continue generally active, though talk of decreasing the production still continues; print cloths do not rise above 2 1/2 cents, and some goods tend lower. Speculation in wheat has again lifted prices. The speculative market has been largely influenced by rumors of injury to the coming crop and by foreign advances. Corn has been comparatively quiet. Failures for the week have been 22 in the United States, against 23 last year, and 63 in Canada, against 68 last year."

## DUNLOP SENTENCED.

### Must Serve Two Years and Pay a Fine of \$2,000.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Joseph R. Dunlop, publisher of the Chicago Dispatch, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$2,000 and to undergo a penitentiary imprisonment of two years. The sentence of Judge Grosscup came after an hour and a half of an argument by Attorney For rest for a new trial and the consideration of the mitigating circumstances in the case.

The prisoner was allowed 20 days in which to file his bill of exceptions and apply for a writ of supersedeas. In the meantime he will be at liberty on bail.

Mr. Dunlop's crime was the publishing of obscene advertisements in his paper and sending the same through the United States mails.

## NOTED SURGEON DEAD.

### Dr. Richard Manning Hodges Expires Near Boston.

Boston, Feb. 10.—Dr. Richard Manning Hodges, one of the most famous surgeons in this country, died at his back Bay residence Sunday of heart failure, aged 70 years. Dr. Hodges had been ill five days.

[Dr. Hodges was born in Bridgewater, Mass.; graduated from Harvard in 1847, from the medical school in 1850 and studied in Paris and Dublin. In 1855 he was appointed demonstrator of anatomy at Harvard under Prof. Oliver Wendell Holmes, and in 1862 appointed surgeon of the Massachusetts general hospital. He was assistant surgeon general during the war and was with McClellan in the peninsula campaign. After the war he was appointed professor of surgery at Harvard, which position he held until his death. He held numerous offices at Harvard and in medical societies, and had contributed valuable volumes to medical literature.]

### Her Romance.

I did not wed him, no, ah, no,  
Hence is my soul submerged in woe;  
And hence my heart's an ashen speck,  
My life a harsh, embittered wreck.

I did not wed him, no, ah, no,  
Yet do not chide me though 'tis so;  
My secret sad I breathe to you—  
The stupid never asked me to.

—Chicago Record.

## A WOMAN PIONEER.

### The Extraordinary Career of Mrs. J. P. Hadley.

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She is now sixty-five years old and was afflicted with bleeding of the lungs for forty-five years. During that time she was a great sufferer, she was weak, tired and run down, and in consequence existence, even, was a burden. There was no pleasure in life for her.

"During all these years," she said to the writer, "I had received treatment from many very successful and eminent physicians. They could do nothing for me. I continued to grow worse, year by year, until last spring when I was so bad that I could not even walk across my room, and when I coughed the blood often gushed from my nose and mouth. At this time I was receiving treatment from the local physicians, and while they are men of more than ordinary skill, I was constantly growing weaker and worse. Under these circumstances I became thoroughly discouraged and disheartened.

"My physicians told me frankly that they could do no more for me, that I could live but a short time at the best and that I should arrange my affairs with that fact in view, that my death was only a question of a very short time. Under these trying and discouraging circumstances my attention was called to the advertisement of Pink Pills for Pale People. I decided to try them. I could not see that I had anything to lose and everything was to be gained. My physicians were doing me no good so there was nothing to lose by dropping their treatment, so without saying anything to them about it, I began on March 22, 1895, to take Pink Pills for Pale People, and I have continued their use up to the present time. In all I have taken eleven boxes. I began to improve almost as soon as I began to take them and I have gained constantly until I am now remarkably well for one of my years. It has been more than forty-five years since I was as I am now. I now fully realize that I have not known what it was to be really well. That weak, tired, languid feeling which has been the burden of my existence for so many years and which has made any labor or even life itself a thing to be dreaded is gone. I can now work about the house and assist in the duties which fall to women on farms and even enjoy the labor while thus employed. I can not help wondering how I ever endured my years of torture. I consider myself fully as strong and healthy now as women of my age usually are.

"When I began taking the pills my skin was dry, harsh and dead. It has since peeled off and is fresh, soft and healthy now. My hair which was almost white, crisp and dead has regained its vigor and much of its color and is soft and pliable. It is in better condition than it has been for years. My feet were badly swollen, the skin on them was dry and cracked. They gave me great trouble. Now that is all changed. The swelling has entirely disappeared and they are in a perfectly healthy condition.

"Taking it all in all," she said, "I think my cure a most remarkable one and I am more than willing that the world shall know what Pink Pills for Pale People have done for me, for it may prove a blessing to other sufferers. Yes, you may make any use you like of my experience."

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WOULD it not be better to hold two conventions this year. There should be no haste in nominating county officers, even if the state convention is held early. DeKalb county was not in a position to dictate when that convention should be held. We have no machine in our county and time should be given to look over the available material before a selection is made. Let us have two conventions.

THE overwhelming magnanimity of Bro. Van Galder of the Sycamore Republican, places us in a very peculiar predicament. In the first place Genoa has but one candidate, and that for the office which the Republican tenders us. Now we would hate to say no to Van, for in his official capacity he might refuse us anything else. But of the two evils we accept the former, and shall, when the time comes, present the name of Genoa's irrepensible candidate.

THE HON. BUCK HINRICHSSEN of Illinois, continues to pursue his favorite diversion of swallowing a large silver dollar every two minutes of the day and evening. He thus gives a practical illustration of his devotion to the pure white metal, but at considerable ultimate inconvenience to himself, for he will soon be full beyond PLIMSOLL mark, and will be compelled to content himself with issuing silver certificates. Mr. Hinrichsen's load of silver prevents him from delivering his usual quota of orations, speeches, and addresses, but his mighty mate in the Democratic politics of Illinois, the Hon. Jabberwock Pardon Altgeld, is issuing new editions of his voice every five minutes, so that the State will not be compelled to burst in ignorance. In truth, scarcely any other State in the country or country in the world can boast of two such flaring-winged geniuses as Hinrichsen and Altgeld. Even the Populist of Kansas unship their wheels for a moment and gaze with bulging eyes and cavernous mouths of wonder at the two sons of wind—From the Democratic New York Son.

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Simon S. Hartman, of Tunnelton, West Va., has been subject to attacks of colic about once a year, and would have to call a doctor and then suffer for about twelve hours as much as some do when they die. He was taken recently just the same as at other times, and concluded to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says: "I took one dose of it and it gave me relief in five minutes. That is more than any thing else has ever done for me." For sale by F T Robinson, Genoa; H R Fuller, Kingston.

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**Monthly School Report.**

Total number enrolled in all departments, 194. During the month there was considerable sickness among the pupils which cut the attendance on an average from what it was the month before, but now I think about all the pupils are in school again. Work is moving along in all the departments quite satisfactory. I am sorry to have to state we had tardiness than usual during the month and have resorted to the following method to reduce if not to prohibit tardiness: Pupils are required to forfeit 30 minutes after school for each case of tardiness unless an excuse is brought, signed by parent or guardian, for such tardiness. I think parents are to blame for the tardiness of their children and I wish to insist on them to try and get their children to school on time. When school begins at nine o'clock there is no necessity, as a usual thing, for pupils to come in from 15 to 20 minutes late, disturbing the school and setting a bad example before the school. Again, I discover a certain amount of indifference on the part of some pupils relative to their work in school. I wonder how many parents in Genoa do not know where their children are or what they are doing from seven to nine o'clock each evening. I rather think that quite a number of our boys and girls are not at home preparing their school work as they should, and parents encourage them in their lack of interest by holding a loose rein over them.

For a child to do its best in school it must work at home and at school, keeping the work before it and mastering what it has already gone over. Full cooperation in heart and spirit must be given to the child by the parents and be in accord with the teacher. In government, if parents do not exercise the right control over their children, the teacher is apt to have trouble with them, and often it becomes necessary for the teacher to correct them in some way for their irregularities. On the other hand, the boy or girl who has properly been dealt with at home, causes the teacher but little trouble—the child is an index to the home.

On last Friday the intermediate and grammar rooms came together for oratorical exercises and everything went off very enjoyably. Much credit is due those pupils who so willingly take a part in those exercises.

With the above remarks we are looking forward with full confidence that our work in all the departments during this month will be progressive and of good standing.

Respectfully submitted,  
JOSEPH GRAY,  
Supt. Genoa schools.

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

The little daughter of Mr. Fred Welber, Holland, Mass., had a very bad cold and cough which he had not been able to cure with any thing. I gave him a 25c. bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says W. P. Holden, merchant and postmaster at West Brimfield, and the next time I saw him he said it worked like a charm. This remedy is intended for acute throat and lung diseases such as colds, croup and whooping cough, and it is famous for its cures. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by F T Robinson, Genoa; H R Fuller, Kingston.

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## THE NEWS.

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### CONGRESSIONAL.

#### The Proceedings of the First Session.

The house tariff bill was reported back to the senate on the 4th with an amendment striking out everything after the enacting clause and placing in lieu thereof a free coinage substitute. In precisely the same words as that adopted by the senate as a substitute for the bond bill. Bills were favorably reported granting a pension of \$200 a month to the widow of the late Gen. Walter Q. Gresham and \$100 a month to the widow of the late Gen. Thomas Ewing; prohibiting the desertion of the American flag; for the annexation to Utah of all the portion of Arizona lying north of the Colorado river, and west of the eastern boundary of Utah... In the house the senate free coinage substitute for the house bond bill was reported, with the recommendation that the house non-concur and insist on its bill.

In the senate on the 5th Senator Morgan (Ala.) introduced a resolution in favor of absolute neutrality between the contending powers in Cuba, and that to each all the rights of belligerents in the ports of the United States shall be accorded. Senator Vest (Mo.) severely criticized the secretary of agriculture because he did not distribute seeds to farmers... In the house a bill was passed to prevent prize and bull fights in any state or territory. The free-coinage substitute for the house bond bill was discussed, but no action was taken.

Senator Sherman (O.) on the 6th presented Mr. Foraker's credentials to succeed Senator Bruce March 4, 1897. The bill to prohibit prize fighting in federal territory, which passed the house, was passed. Senator Turpin (Ind.) spoke in favor of a constitutional amendment to have the United States senators elected directly by the people of the several states... In the house the time was devoted exclusively to the further consideration of the bond bill and the senate free-coinage substitute therefor.

In the senate on the 7th Senator Frye (rep., Me.) was unanimously elected president pro tem. A bill was passed opening the forest reservations of Colorado for the locating of mining claims. The resolution contemplating a reform in handling appropriation bills by distributing them among several committees was referred to the committee on rules, to be reported back next December... In the house the time was occupied in debating the free-silver substitute for the bond bill. During the discussion Mr. Talbert (S. C.) tried to defend secession and was called to order by Mr. Barrett (Mass.), who offered a resolution of censure, and it was referred to the judiciary committee. The senate was not in session on the 8th... In the house the time was occupied in discussing the senate free-coinage substitute for the house bond bill. Mr. Towne (Minn.) made the principal speech in favor of free coinage and Mr. Hall (Mo.) against. It was decided to vote on the measure on the 12th.

### DOMESTIC.

Frank Blair & Sons, the largest manufacturers of tubs and pails in Ohio, failed at Garrettsville.

All but four of the 100 students at the Smith college in Sedalia, Mo., were converted at a revival.

Two shocks of earthquake were felt at Creighton and Norfolk, Neb., and at Sioux City, Ia., and Elk Point and other places in Minnesota.

Joseph Dunlop, publisher of the Chicago Dispatch, was found guilty of sending obscene matter through the United States mails.

The bank of Wilton M. Durham at Momence, Ill., failed with liabilities amounting to \$25,000, consisting principally of deposits.

At St. Paul, Minn., Joe Friedmann, a man of 24, fatally shot his former sweetheart, Julia Celker, wounded a man named Hoffman, his rival, and then killed himself.

Four thousand six hundred and forty bids for \$558,269,850 worth of bonds was the total of the subscriptions opened at the treasury department in Washington in accordance with the terms of the call issued a month ago inviting proposals for \$100,000,000 of United States four per cent. bonds to run 30 years from February 1, 1895.

Richard Klaetka killed his wife, father, mother, three daughters and himself with a pistol in Chicago. The cause was said to be anarchistic tendencies and domestic trouble.

Allen Sharpless, aged 47, and his 15-year-old daughter were burned to death at their home in Montpelier, O.

The agricultural lands of the Red Lake Indians in Minnesota, which embrace about 600,000 acres, will be opened for settlement May 1 and will be sold at \$1.25 per acre.

Dr. Hurst, of Pennington, Va., while drunk, injected morphine into himself and his companions, causing his own death and that of two others.

James H. Rice, president of one of the largest manufacturing and exporting concerns in the plate glass industry in America, died in Chicago, aged 66 years. His wife died two days before.

Krout, the express agent who pleaded guilty to robbing the express company of \$20,000, was sentenced at Colorado Springs, Col., to five years' imprisonment.

The Reclaimer Manufacturing company of New York, makers of face cream balm, failed for \$125,000.

John Field, receiver of the Fifth avenue bank at Columbus, O., which failed about a month ago, reported a shortage of nearly \$70,000.

The Maurice (Ia.) state bank closed its doors.

The first cyclone in the history of Mobile, Ala., did considerable damage in that city and vicinity.

Hans Peterson, aged 58 years, wandered about the streets of Omaha, Neb., until he starved to death.

John Torrence, the oldest railway mail clerk in the country, died at his home in Indianapolis from injuries received in a railway wreck, aged 67 years.

The Columbia Spring company, doing business in several states and with headquarters at Newport, Ky., failed for \$172,000.

R. & H. Adams, manufacturers of cotton goods in New York, failed for \$500,000.

The entire coast from Florida to Maine was swept by violent gales, the wind reaching velocities from 50 to 70 miles, and all the Atlantic coast districts were deluged with heavy rains.

The village of Bound Brook, N. J., was flooded by a heavy rain and during the storm a fire destroyed 20 houses.

The Excelsior Manufacturing company, a large stove-making concern in St. Louis, failed for \$150,000.

The dam at Pocahontas lake broke and all the lower part of Morristown, N. J., was inundated and 25 persons were missing.

Scott Jackson, a dental student in Cincinnati, accused of the murder of Pearl Bryan, of Greencastle, Ind., confessed his guilt and implicated Alonzo M. Walling.

In a saloon fight at Whiting, Ind., Stephen Malji and Emile Szanyo were killed and several others were badly injured.

There were 323 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 7th, against 404 the week previous and 281 in the corresponding period of 1895.

The R. M. Connally company, manufacturers at Dayton, O., of overalls and heavy clothing, failed for \$100,000.

The plant of the W. S. Reed Toy company was destroyed by fire at Leominster, Mass., entailing a loss of \$100,000.

The right of the women of Ohio to vote for members of school boards was sustained by a decision of the supreme court.

The treasury at Washington completed its tabulation of the bids for bonds above the Morgan syndicate bid. The result is 781 bids for a total of \$66,788,650. This leaves the amount which will be awarded to the Morgan syndicate \$34,211,350.

The following Baltimore business concerns went into the hands of receivers: The J. W. Winslow Jones Packing company, \$150,000; the Highland Packing company, \$10,000; the Patuxent Canning company, \$10,000; and the Riverton Live Stock company, \$25,000.

The bill to prevent prize fighting in the District of Columbia and territories was signed by the president and became a law.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 7th aggregated \$999,006,400, against \$890,980,970 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 1.5.

Benjamin Radcliff, the slayer of the entire school board of Jefferson district, Park county, was hanged at Canon City, Col.

Joseph Merrifield, the 13-year-old son of Frank Merrifield, of Hedrick, Ia., shot his eight-year-old brother with a rifle and then killed himself.

L. A. Hendry, who has been in the mercantile business at Angolia, Ind., for 50 years, failed with liabilities of \$70,000.

A storm in New Brunswick, N. J., carried away great quantities of lumber and goods in many stores and factories were damaged, the loss reaching fully \$100,000.

The recent storm and fire at Bound Brook, N. J., caused a loss of \$200,000 and the death of one man named Miller, who perished in the attempt to aid people in distress.

The schooners Florida, Alhazna and Glendon were wrecked on the Massachusetts coast and ten sailors lost their lives.

Peter L. Atkins and Miss Maud Kelly while out riding were drowned near Middletown, N. Y. In the darkness Atkins drove off the road into a flooded meadow.

The packing house of the Tri-City Packing company at Davenport, Ia., was burned, the loss being \$110,000.

Henry Blake, his wife and children were whipped by white caps in Georgia, who suspected him of illicit distilling. Blake would die.

Washington advises say the treasury will receive in round figures from the bond sale about \$111,000,000 in gold.

The Newberry Coal & Coke company at Morgantown, W. Va., failed for \$190,000.

The state factory inspector of Michigan says that the loss from factories in the state closing or running on short time last year aggregated \$17,000,000.

On the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy road a passenger train ran from Galesburg to Mendota, Ill., a distance of 80 miles, in 71 1/2 minutes.

The Altmyer theater block was burned at McKeesport, Pa., the loss being \$130,000.

Rev. Father John M. Fitzgerald, convicted at Rochester, N. Y., of arson in the second degree, was sentenced to two years' confinement in the state prison at Auburn.

Oscar Barneybeak shot Mrs. E. B. Catlin on the street at Anaconda, Mont., and then killed himself. A love affair was the cause.

Fifteen persons were injured in a railway wreck near Hannibal, Mo., one, Miss Margaret Whitey, of Quincy, Ill., probably fatally.

Conrad Truss, 90 years old, committed suicide by hanging at his home in Waltz township, Ind. He was wealthy, but feared poverty.

John Barnett, aged 75, died with palsy at Paris, Ky., and the minute he died a large clock in the room stopped and had since refused to run.

Joseph R. Dunlop, publisher of the Chicago Dispatch, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$2,000 and serve a term of two years in the Joliet penitentiary for the offense of using the United States mails to circulate obscene advertisements.

### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Gen. John Gibbon, the famous Indian fighter, died at his home in Baltimore of pneumonia at the age of 63.

William H. English died at his home in Indianapolis, aged 74 years. He was a congressman during the eight years which preceded the civil war, and was the democratic candidate for vice president on the ticket with Gen. Hancock in 1880. Mr. English was also a great financier, and left an estate valued at \$1,750,000.

Charles Wachsmuth, the world's greatest paleontologist in the line of crinoids, died suddenly at Burlington, Ia., aged 66 years.

Dr. Richard Manning Hodges, one of the most famous surgeons in this country, died at his home in Boston, aged 76 years.

The republican state central committee of Ohio decided to hold the state convention in Columbus on March 10 and 11.

The republican state central committee of New York decided upon March 24 as the date for the state convention and New York as the place.

Louis Allard died at his home in Cohoes, N. Y., aged 109 years. He worked at his trade up to five years ago.

William L. Kenyon, aged 75, died at his home in Kingston, N. Y. He was a member of the Thirty-sixth congress.

### FOREIGN.

Miss Clara Barton, president of the American Red Cross society, and party left London on their way to Armenia for the distribution of relief funds.

Lady Jane Francesca Wilde, mother of Oscar Wilde, died in London.

An earthquake shock was experienced at Santa Cruz del Sur, Cuba, and houses were rocked and furniture was thrown about.

John Hays Hammond, the American mining engineer charged with the leadership of the late uprising in Johannesburg, South Africa, was liberated on bail from the jail in Pretoria.

The Russian official crop report for 1895 makes wheat 80,000,000 bushels and rye 115,000,000 bushels less than in 1894.

The new Manitoba legislature convened at Winnipeg.

In reply to a letter from Queen Victoria the sultan of Turkey says the Armenians were the aggressors in the recent massacres. He also says that in every part of Asia Minor everything is now tranquil.

### LATER.

Rev. Sandford Hunt, D. D., of New York, senior agent of the Methodist Book concern, and treasurer of the Methodist Missionary society, dropped dead of apoplexy at the Grand hotel in Cincinnati. He was 72 years old.

Mrs. Eve Stone, who would have been 101 years old next June, died at her home in Warrensburg, Mo.

A statement prepared at the treasury department shows that the government will realize from the new loan \$111,378,836 97.

William Roy and William Lutes were murdered by William Riggins in a respectable house at Danville, Ill.

F. W. Curtis, of Douglas, Wyo., sold his sheep at the stock yards in Chicago for \$5,000 and two men robbed him of the money.

Joseph and Dillard Walker, brothers, living near Winston, N. C., were burned to death in a barn.

A train on the Cincinnati & Muskingum Valley road was derailed near Roseville, O., and Thomas Fisher was killed and 12 other persons were injured.

William H. Crain, of Cuero, Tex., who has occupied a seat in the last six congresses, beginning with the Forty-ninth, died in Washington of pneumonia, aged 48 years.

The steamer Alfonso arrived at Havana, having on board Gen. Valeriano Weyler, the new captain general of Cuba.

Joseph Leeds (colored), who attempted to assault Mrs. A. D. Prince at Sedden, Ala., was taken from the authorities by a mob and hanged to a tree.

The fire loss of the United States and Canada during January amounted to \$11,040,000. The total for January, 1895, was \$11,895,600.

The Northern Pire association of Columbus, O., went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of \$900,000 and assets of \$50,67.

W. G. Browne, proprietor of the City bank at New Philadelphia, O., failed for \$100,000.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Short speeches were made in the senate yesterday on the Monroe doctrine and relative to the termination of the war in Cuba.

The nomination of Edwin F. Uhl, of Michigan, to be ambassador extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Germany was confirmed. In the house the bond bill was further discussed. The death of Representative Crain, of Texas, was announced, and as a mark of respect the house adjourned for the day.

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REVOLUTIONS are not made, they come. A revolution is as natural a growth as an oak. It comes out of the past. Its foundations are laid far back.—Wendell Phillips.

### Very Awkward Indeed.

This is precisely the kind of mistake a man makes if he "turns out" on the wrong side of the road when a vehicle comes toward him. No less absurd is the error of the individual who takes drastic medicines to relieve his liver. That organ is on the right side, and the road to its relief is Fostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine also adapted to the relief of dyspepsia, constipation, kidney and rheumatic ailments and malaria.

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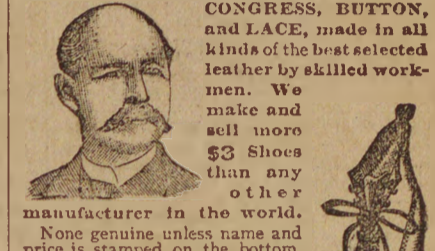
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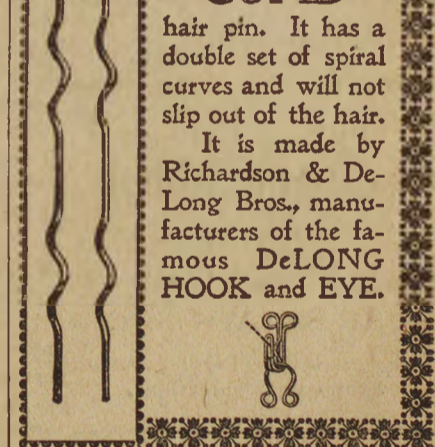
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A little china figure  
On a little bracket sat,  
His little feet were always crossed,  
He wore a little hat,  
And every morning, fair or foul,  
In shine or shadows dim,  
A pretty little housemaid came  
And softly dusted him.

She took him up so gently,  
And with such a charming air,  
His china soul was melted quite,  
He loved her to despair.  
All day he sat and thought of her,  
Until the twilight came,  
And in his china dreams at night  
He breathed her little name.

One day, whilst being dusted,  
In his joy he trembled so,  
To feel her little fingers, that,  
Alas! she let him go,  
In vain she tried to grab him back,  
Fate willed it they should part;  
He fell against the fender edge  
And broke his little heart.

She gathered up his fragments,  
And she told a little lie,  
Expounding to the mistress how  
The cat had made him die,  
And on the following morning, when  
The shutters back she thrust,  
She spoke his little epitaph:  
"There's one thing less to dust."  
—Fall Mail Magazine.



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## CHAPTER V.—CONTINUED

With any luck at all the boy should have got back to the old post by three or a quarter past three in the morning. Crane and his little guard, Mrs. Downey and her sympathizing friends, however, had reasoned that he would not be allowed to attempt to return, and so had ceased to look for him. Crane conveyed to the woman the tidings brought by Ferguson, for up to that moment he had disbelieved Muncy's wild tale. Then, doubling his sentries, and telling the rest of his party to lie down and rest, he coolly sprayed himself on his blankets and went to sleep. The next thing he knew it was nearly dawn, and the sentries had roused the guard. Springing to his feet, Crane demanded the cause of the alarm, and was told there was firing up by Kelly's ranch. It was still dark, though the eastern sky was beginning to flush as the little detachment quickly, noiselessly assembled in the starlight in front of the old guard house. Two veteran war soldiers, Tracey and Collins, were on post at the time, and both declared that there had been a rapid fusillade—at least a dozen shots. It could have come from nowhere but Kelly's, said they, though from their stations they could not see the farm buildings. Corporal Foot, on duty, was inside the corral wall when the distant firing began, and ran for the gateway at once, but it had ceased by the time he got to a point whence Kelly's ranch was visible. Then for a moment the lieutenant was in a quandary. His orders required him to send to and fire the beacon at the butte if the Apaches appeared in the valley, but this might not have been Apaches at all. It might have well been a skirmish between the horse thief and his pursuers, who had tracked him to some refuge near Kelly's. That was a matter in which military interference could hardly have been tolerated. Settlers and frontiersmen, though eager enough to have the army look after the Indians, much prefer to dispose of their own reprobates in their own way. If an attack had been made by Apaches it was speedily over, for not another sound was heard. Within the corral the women and children, however, had been aroused by the suppressed excitement, and Kelly's daughters were now clamoring to be allowed to go to see if all was well with father and mother, and Crane ordered a corporal and two men to mount, ride thither and ascertain what had happened. In ten minutes they rode away, and in ten minutes more were back again, driven in by a sharp and sudden volley from the thicket along the Sandy, not five hundred yards up stream. The prowlers had so secreted themselves as to enable them to command the road leading to Kelly's and the canyon, reasoning, no doubt, that some of the troop would be sent up to reconnoiter. Crane had never fought Apaches before, but this served to convince him. He reasoned that the bottom was full of Tontos, that they surrounded him on every side and that the only thing for him to do was to dispose his little force as best to defend the terrified women and children and hold out against overpowering numbers until relief reached him from the fort. He now thought it high time to fire the beacon, but who was to do it with Apaches watching every pathway? How could anyone hope to reach that outlying butte? Every minute it was growing lighter, however, and as soon as broad day came he determined to make the attempt, and then Downey, also an ex-dragon and a stalwart settler, took a hand in questioning the corporal who, with his fellows, had been driven in unhurt, yet a trifle demoralized. Neither

horse nor man had a scratch, yet everybody had heard the fusillade—six or eight rapid shots almost bunched. "I never knew Apaches to fire so many shots before," said he, "and miss. You're sure they weren't more'n ten yards away?"

"Certain sure," said the corporal. "Certain sure," said his followers, two good looking young troopers. Then after a moment's pondering Downey said he believed he could get to the butte in safety, and he'd go and fire the pile, whereat the women began to wail again and the lieutenant to protest, and right in the midst of the discussion somebody shouted "Hurrah!" and a column of smoke, speedily bursting into flame, shot upward toward the zenith from the summit of the old butte, and everybody thought how plucky a thing it was in Kelly to creep out there and climb that jagged boulder strewn cone in the dim morning light, set fire to the ever ready stack of wood and steal back to his lair. They were talking of it when broad daylight and Kelly came in together.

"The blackguards ran off my mules," he said, with a fierce oath, "and killed poor Bustamente. There can't be more'n six all told. Can't the lieutenant spare me a few men to go after them? They've all skipped off for the Socorro." But Crane said he'd go himself with a dozen men if he need be, for he had been chafing at the idea of having done nothing at all and was eager to retrieve himself ere relief could reach them and the chance be gone.

"The bottom must be clear if you came across from the butte," he said, "and very likely they'll run for all they are worth."

"Yes, the bottom's clear enough, sir, though I haven't been near the butte."

"You haven't? Then who fired the beacon?"

"I'm sure I don't know, sir. I thought, of course, some of this party had been sent over to do so."

And then men began looking into each other's faces, bewildered. If not by some one at Kelly's or here at the post who could have scaled the butte and started the signal fire? Already a lookout, peering eastward through the lieutenant's binocular, reported a dust cloud far up the rise toward the new post—the coming of the reinforcements—and if Crane meant to do anything at all now was the time.

"I'll leave you to find out who did it, sergeant," he said. "We'll go on after the mules. Perhaps the Apaches did it themselves as a joke."

"Apaches don't joke," growled the old man, with gloomy face, as the detachment trotted away. "There's been no joke from one end of this night to the other, but there's been some stupid blundering on somebody's part, or I'm a recruit." And then, turning to one of his daughters, who stood silently by, he said, briefly: "Fetch me the pony, Kate. I'll ride back to your mother."

"Sure, didn't you ride yet, father?" "Twas Leon took it to ride to the fort for medicine for Mrs. Downey."

And thus for the first time was the veteran trooper made aware that his little friend and foundling had dared that midnight ride. Fiercely he broke forth:

"And was there no man among ye?" he turned to the silent group of soldiers



"THEN WHO FIRED THE BEACON?" left behind. "No man among ye fit to do a man's work that ye should let a boy baby ride into the teeth of them Indian devils? Where were you, Phil Downey, that you should send a kid like that for yer wife's poppy sauce?"

"Where was I but tending to my own business, as you were, Sergt. Kelly," answered the other veteran, stoutly, for between the two ex-dragoons and rival ranchmen little love was wasted. "Of course, if I'd been here, 'tisin't Leon or anybody else would have gone for medicine but me, as you ought to have sense enough to know if you weren't so keen to be saddling blower on other fellows' shoulders and so diverting it from your own. Me and Mike spent the night at our ranch, as you did at yours, and niver came up till we heard the firing." And Downey's eyes flashed angrily on his more prosperous neighbor. "I haven't a gov'ment post or a gov'ment arsenal to draw on to defend me property and I have to do it meself," he added in withering sarcasm, and if anything would stir old Kelly's wrath to the nethermost depths it was the faintest hint that he ever used so much as a single cartridge of all the ordnance stores confided to his care.

"Tis no time for settling our scores, Phil Downey, or you and I would expid a few .45's as soldiers and gentlemen did in the days when more gentlemen and fewer frauds were soldiering. Go to yer wife

that's always dyin' if she has an earache, and I'll to mine, that's never known what it was to whimper, and she and I will see what we can do to find the brave little lad that's gone to die for you and yours—for by me sowl the hand that lit yon blazing signal was his, as sure as this," and he clinched a hairy fist under Downey's nose, "is at yer service in any way ye'll have it, Mr. Phil Downey—an' it won't be the first batin' it gave ye."

With that he turned his back on a shame-faced group and strode fiercely away in the direction of his home. Never until that instant had it seemed to dawn upon them that by any human possibility Leon had striven to return—had found the Indians interposed between him and the old post in the valley, and then realizing what its original projectors had not thought possible—that the Indians had probably so closely invested the post itself as to prevent anyone's getting out to fire the beacon—he had risked his own brave life in the attempt; had given the signal that brought rescue to them at the gallop, and in so doing had betrayed his own presence to the lurking foe. Here again, therefore, was a case where the ground remained in the hands of one party, but all the telling blows were dealt by the other.



"IT WON'T BE THE FIRST BATIN' IT GAVE YE."

The soldiers had felt the sting of Kelly's words. True, no one of their number had been ordered to make that perilous ride, though all had heard Mrs. Downey's cries and moans and appeals for aid, and some one might have volunteered and been allowed to go, but not until Leon was well on his way. True, had Downey been there he would not have permitted the sacrifice, and was now ready to bitterly upbraid his weaker half for inspiring it. A good woman in many a way was Mrs. Downey, and very fond of the boys, Randall and Leon, but the least pain or illness prostrated her, and a serious pain frightened her to the verge of distraction. All this Leon was too young to appreciate. He believed her suffering terribly and in dire need, as did all who heard her, perhaps, but Kelly's girls and her own Mexican maid of all work—and so, just as he thought Randy would have done had he been there, he determined to go and went without a word to Crane, who might have stopped him, as, indeed, Mrs. Downey was shrewd enough to declare he would if he happened to hear of it.

And now Crane and his party were well away into the Socorro in pursuit, and Kelly, returning wrathful to his home, was anticipated in his search for Leon by the coming of Turner's troop, followed within a moment or two by Charlton's dramatic announcement of the discovery of the slaughtered pony.

Half an hour later while the old sergeant was bending over and examining the stiffened carcass of his pet broncho, Turner's best scouts, afoot, were scouring every square yard of those jagged, boulder strewn flanks of the butte in search of Leon's trail or that of his Indian foes. Others were examining the signs in the timber and along the Sandy, and the more they found the more they were mystified. Apaches, as a rule, in those days were foot warriors. The Tontos, Sierra Blancas, Hualpals, Apache Mohaves and Apache Yumas had small use for horse or mule, yet there were more hoof than moccasin prints in the timber and around Kelly's corral. What was more, both mules and horses were shod. That meant that they had run off a good deal of stock and were riding instead of walking, said Turner's men, but Kelly, growing graver and less disposed to talk with every moment, continued searching on his own account, and neglecting many a chance to snub some callow young trooper hazarding theories as to the numbers and movements of the Indians.

Maj. Thornton contenting himself with sending a platoon on the trail of Crane's party, had ridden up to Kelly's ranch to pencil some instructions for Raymond. It was now seven o'clock, and neither he nor his men had seen a single Indian; neither had he news of Foster, nor tidings of any kind, yet with the events of the night still fresh in his mind, with the death of Ruckel and Rafferty and Kelly's Mexican assistant and the loss of Leon to mourn, the major felt convinced the Indians had swooped in force upon the valley, and would have killed, burned and destroyed everything in sight but for his prompt answer to the signal which his forethought had caused to be provided at the top of the butte. The Apaches had desisted from their attempt only at his approach, and had fled into the

hills, whither his men were now pursuing. Such, at least, was his theory. This, too, was to be the tenor of his report to department headquarters, to be sent forward by a detachment that day. Already he was framing his dictation, and after a few pencilled words to Raymond, bidding him hold the fort, as he wasn't coming—for the present, at least, the major had borrowed a big sheet of the ordnance sergeant's official paper, and began:

"KELLY'S RANCH, South of Apache Canyon, June 2, 187-. Assistant Adjutant General, Headquarters Department of Arizona:

"Sir—I have the honor to report that on receipt of your dispatch notifying me of the Apache outbreak, and directing me to guard well my working parties at old Fort Retribution and the road connecting it with the new post, I detached Lieut. Crane, with twenty of Capt. Raymond's troop, and sent him to camp temporarily at the abandoned corral, and also took steps to notify the settlers north and south of the post of the new danger. Deeming it possible that the Indians might attempt to pass around us and raid the ranches, I had caused a beacon to be built on the summit of Signal Butte, and instructed Lieut. Crane to fire it if he learned the Apaches were in the valley.

"Last evening my sentries reported firing on the Prescott road, north of the new post, and Capt. Foster, with his troop, was sent to investigate. He reported by courier that he had come upon two Mexicans, who claimed that the Apaches had attacked them and run off their mules, they themselves escaping by hiding in a dark ravine. They also reported a large party of prospectors, etc., at Raton Springs, and represented them as being in peril of similar attack, so Foster pushed on at once to their succor, expecting to reach them at midnight. At two-thirty a. m. Trooper Ruckel, a sentry on post No. 5 in the low ground to the north of the post, was found dead, pierced by several Apache arrows, and Capt. Raymond with his men made a search through the chapparal as far as the foothills without discovering anything of the enemy. A few minutes later a horse recognized as Private Rafferty's, of C troop, came riderless and wounded into the post, and I had just dispatched Capt. Turner with his troop at daybreak to scout the country along the Prescott road, when the flaming signal at the butte told that the Indians had worked around to the valley to the west of us. Leaving Capt. Raymond with the infantry and his half troop to guard the post, I proceeded with Troop F (Turner's) to this point, reaching here after a sharp trot in less than an hour and a quarter, only to find the Indians fled with some stock from Kelly's ranch and Lieut. Crane already in pursuit. The only casualty in the valley thus far reported is one Mexican herder killed at Kelly's, and I regret to add, the probable loss of a gallant little fellow, Leon MacNutt, whose pony was found a few minutes ago at the foot of the butte with three Apache arrows through him. It is feared that the boy has been killed or run off by the Indians, who are reported to have fled into the fastnesses of the Socorro, to the north of us. If, between Capt. Foster's troop, already in the field, and those here at hand, I hope to make short work of them."

And here Maj. Thornton was interrupted by the entrance of the ordnance sergeant. It must be remembered now that old Kelly had served in Arizona in his dragoon days, before the war, and had just completed another period of five long years with the Eleventh cavalry, the predecessors of Thornton's regiment. Like every other old soldier, he was inclined to the belief that newcomers had very much to learn, and, as we have seen, the Indians themselves were taking advantage of this inexperience. Kelly couldn't be disrespectful to an officer, but he had much to say, and there was no time to be lost.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

## Self-Bitten.

About a quarter of a century ago Beranger's "Grisette" was performed at one of the theaters. The part of Lisette was allotted to Virginia Dejazet. This popular actress, then advanced in years, had lost all her teeth, and to do justice to the new role, she had ordered a fresh set. As the teeth felt uncomfortable, she took them out when the play was over and put them in her pocket. When in the green-room she incautiously sat down, and immediately jumped up with a scream.

"What is the matter?" inquired our jolly old friend, Adolph Dennery.

"Nothing," said Mlle. Dejazet. "I have only bitten myself."—*Revue Theatrale.*

## A Cold Weather Joke.

A business man came down to his office on a winter morning when it was bitterly cold.

"Whew! how cold it is!" he said to one of the clerks. "Just shut that safe, if you please."

The clerk obeyed, with a puzzled look. Then, when he could restrain his curiosity no longer, he asked:

"Excuse me, sir, but why did you tell me to shut the safe?"

"Why," replied his employer, with a sly chuckle, "there are a good many drafts in that safe."

## Mother Goose Modernized.

"Howdy, pretty gentleman,

"Whither do you roam?"

"Looking up a poker game;

"Wife's away froz' home."

—N. Y. Record.

## AN AEROLITE BURSTS.

Phenomenon in Madrid Causes Quite a Panic.

Madrid, Feb. 11.—An aerolite burst over the city of Madrid Monday morning, causing great consternation among the inhabitants. The first warning of the explosion was a flash which illuminated the sky, which was almost immediately followed by a tremendous report, the vibrations from which shattered hundreds of windows. The aerolite was accompanied by a great white cloud, and simultaneous with the explosion there was a trembling of the earth resembling the sensation produced by an earthquake. When the flash and ensuing report took place the people rushed panic-stricken into the streets, and some minutes elapsed before the excitement was allayed. It is estimated that the meteoric body was 20 miles above earth when it burst.

Many injuries resulted from the panic which broke out among the people and from the frantic attempts made to escape from the factories and schools. Seventeen persons were injured in one tobacco factory by the collapse of a staircase when the inmates rushed upon it to escape from the building. At the palace it was at first feared that a bomb had been exploded. Much damage was done by the force of the concussion to walls and windows throughout the city.

## MORE LIGHT.

Lulu Hollingsworth's Latest Confession in the Bryan Case.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 11.—Another confession was wrung from Lulu May Hollingsworth late Monday night by the police superintendent, in which she says she herself officiated at the criminal operation which Pearl Bryan underwent and that Miss Bryan came from Cincinnati here for that purpose, accompanied by Walling, and returned to that city by the first train. Two days later Miss Hollingsworth received a letter from Jackson, saying that Pearl was very sick, and within a day or two afterwards there was a second letter, saying that she had died in his room, and that he and a negro took the body to the Kentucky side of the river, where it was beheaded with a butcher's cleaver, after which he tossed the head into the river as he crossed the Suspension bridge on his return to Cincinnati.

Greencastle, Ind., Feb. 11.—The Hollingsworth girl, who figures in the sensational developments concerning the death of Pearl Bryan, is known in this city, having come here after her elopement from the female college at Terre Haute. She is regarded as an adventuress, and her confession is given little credence by those acquainted with her.

## WHEELMEN MEET.

The League Opens Its Fifteenth Assembly at Baltimore.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 11.—The 15th annual assembly of the League of American Wheelmen was opened with a good roads meeting in the Young Men's Christian Association hall, at ten o'clock Monday morning. Representatives of 40,000 organized wheelmen will wrestle with L. A. W. problems for the next four days.

Monday's meeting was the first of its kind ever held by the L. A. W. Chief Consul Potter, of New York, chairman of the highway improvement committee, called the assembly to order.

Reports of committees, papers and suggestions on the question of highway improvements and short addresses followed. Chief Consul Potter, of New York, delivered an interesting discourse on the subject of good roads and illustrated his remarks with a stereopticon showing good and bad roads in this and foreign countries. He also explained the great financial saving to the agricultural communities, as well as gain to pleasure drivers.

## A SUDDEN CALL.

Death at Washington of Representative William H. Crain, of Texas.

Washington, Feb. 11.—William H. Crain, of the Eleventh district of Texas, died in this city at an early hour Monday morning of pneumonia contracted at the southern charity ball last week. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral. He was in his seat on the floor of the house as late as Thursday last. Mr. Crain was very popular among his associates, both in Texas and in Washington.

[Mr. Crain was born at Galveston, Tex., November 25, 1848, graduated at St. Francis Xavier's college, New York city, July 1, 1867, studied law at Indianola, Tex., and was admitted to practice in February, 1871, and has practiced law since that time. He was elected as district attorney of the Twenty-third judicial district of Texas in 1872; elected a state senator on the democratic ticket in February, 1876; was elected to the Forty-ninth congress, and has served continuously in the house since that time.]

## PLEAD FOR ARMENIANS.

Frelates of the Episcopal Church Send Petitions to the Powers.

New York, Feb. 11.—Sixty-two bishops of the Protestant Episcopal church in this country, who a week ago petitioned President Cleveland to take some forceful action that would lead to a cessation of the massacre of Christians in Armenia, have sent similar petitions to the archbishop of Canterbury, head of the Anglican church, and through the various ministers of foreign affairs to the czar, the president of France and the emperors of Germany and Austria.

**KINGSTON**

Mrs. E. L. Campbell is quite sick. The revival services are continuing this week. Sleighting is very cool here now (on the side of the road.)

Rev. E. J. Rees had business which called him to DeKalb last Thursday.

Miss Maggie Miller has been very sick the past few days with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Hunt, of Genoa, were Sunday visitors at the home of A. L. Fuller.

John Colvin is planning to make a trip to Iowa in a few days to visit his brother Daniel.

A. M. Rice has been filling O. W. Vickell's position as agent here during the latter's vacation.

Miss Myra Davis entertained her cousin Miss Alta Frazer, and friend, of Davis Jc. over Sunday.

Mrs. John Thurston attended the convention of Free Methodist Churches in Sycamore last Friday.

Jacob Dunlap went to Kirkland on Saturday evening to attend a meeting of the Knights of the Globe there.

Oscar Vickell is now enjoying the much needed rest to which he has long been entitled. There are very few agents who have served the C. M. & St. P. road as well as he has.

A number of members of the Knights of the Globe garrison here went to Genoa on Tuesday evening to attend a meeting there.

Ed. Nelson was in town a short time last week on his return from Harper, where he has had charge of the depot for several months.

Archie Fuller spent several days last week rusticated in Chicago with Potter Palmer, George Swift and "s'more" of the boys.

That uncertain spell of weather hindered the putting up of ice a few days, but on Monday J. A. Kepple commenced loading some more for Malta.

Frank King is the latest one to wear that oh-be-joyful look. Girl-weighs eleven pounds—came last Monday. Pretty good for a starter.

Rev. E. K. D. Hester and Robert Clute went over to Sycamore, Thursday, to see if that little hamlet was still doing business.

Frank Wilt and Bert Shannon, of North Kingston, who are learning the jeweler's trade at Elgin, have been visiting a few days with their parents.

Paul Carnahan, of Paw Paw, is the new clerk at C. S. Suter's, and will take charge of the business during the latter's absence.

Miss Fannie Goodwin, who has been spending the winter with her sister Mrs. Hester, will leave Thursday for her home at Sellersburg, Indiana. While here she has made a host of friends, all of whom will be sorry to see her go.

One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. F. T. Robinson, Genoa and L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

Capt. Shaler has brought his recruiting work at this place to a close, and has gone to Kirkland. Mr. Shaler is a hustler when it comes to getting recruits, and is having good success at Kirkland.

G. D. Wylly, F. C. Poust, L. C. Shaffer and Jas. Mackov attended the funeral at Genoa last Tuesday of O. E. Wilbur, who was brutally assaulted in Minnesota, from the effects of which he died. He was buried with Masonic honors.

A number drove over to Genoa from this place Saturday evening to attend the concert given by home talent. Prof. F. H. Palmer was present, and with his usual technique and fine selections charmed the audience with violin solos. J. A. Kepple and family took a part in the program.

Mrs. H. G. Burgess entertained the teachers of the public school at tea last Thursday afternoon, in honor of her brother O. B. Chalmers.

The nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Countryman died on last Thursday. The funeral services were held from the M. E. church on Saturday afternoon, Rev. Hester officiating.

L. C. Shaffer and O. B. Chalmers joined a party from Genoa on Tuesday and started via the Illinois Central railway for New Orleans, where they will take in the sights of the Crescent City, and incidentally witness the Mardi Gras festival there. They may be going to see the Fitzsimons-Maher mill, but don't let them know we told you.

Mrs. M. W. Cole visited with her daughter at DeKalb several days last week.

Mrs. Thomas Clark was the guest of numerous relatives at DeKalb last week.

Miss Vera Walker made her usual weekly trip to Sycamore, Saturday.

The G. A. R. post here is preparing for a patriotic entertainment to be given on or about Washington's birthday. It will be worthy your attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Countryman of Fielding were here Saturday to attend the funeral of the little daughter of Frank Countryman.

Eugene Knappenberger, of Iowa, a brother of Mrs. F. L. Campbell, who has been visiting there a few days, is quite sick.

Ernest Kepple spent several days of this week in Chicago on business.

Miss Essie Pennv, of Belvidere, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Miss Genie Thompson returned from Rossville, this state, last Monday, after nearly a year's engagement with the Diamond Garment Cutter Co.

Rev. Wm. Pierce, pastor of the Congregational church at Croston, was calling on Rev. Rees last Friday.

Tomorrow will be the post office clerk's busy day. St. Valentine's Day will probably be observed as usual although we are pleased to note that the comic valentine's are a thing of the past.

Jessie and Florence Kepple assisted in the concert at Genoa on last Saturday evening.

The Knights of the Globe meeting which occurred on Tuesday evening and which we promised to give an account of, was not all acted out. It was intended to initiate a large number of male candidates, but as the working team of the lodge was a little weak that night, they didn't think it safe to tackle more than two. They accordingly picked out two of the smallest ones, i. e., Thos. Holmes and "Jake" Dunlap. The rest of the candidates were left over until Saturday evening, when a crew from Genoa are expected to be on hand to help in the work. It does not require much work to initiate a lady, and consequently they admitted a large number of them on Tuesday evening.

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**TIME CARD.**

**TRAINS GOING EAST.**

	LVE. GENOA	ARR. CHICAGO
No. 2, Vestibule	5:05 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
No. 4, Express	7:11 A. M.	9:00 A. M.
No. 26, Express	7:46 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
No. 32, Express	11:56 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
No. 32, frt.	8:18 P. M.	5:50 P. M.
No. 92, frt.	9:10 A. M.	

**TRAINS GOING WEST.**

	LVE. CHICAGO	LVE. GENOA.
No. 3, Vestibule	10:25 P. M.	12:14 A. M.
No. 21, Express	8:10 A. M.	10:20 A. M.
No. 25, Express	3:00 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
No. 35, Express	4:00 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
No. 1, Express	6:00 P. M.	7:47 P. M.

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No. 4, Express	4:12 A. M.	6:50 A. M.
No. 32, Express	5:19 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
No. 34, Express	11:19 A. M.	1:10 P. M.
No. 36 Milk Train	7:29 A. M.	10:25 A. M.
No. 92, Way Freight	12:00 P. M.	7:05 P. M.

PASSENGERS WEST.	CHICAGO	GENOA
No. 1, Vestibule	4:02 P. M.	2:30 P. M.
No. 3, Express	2:02 A. M.	11:35 P. M.
No. 31, Express	9:57 A. M.	7:50 A. M.
No. 33 Express	6:18 P. M.	4:30 P. M.
No. 35, Milk Train	7:29 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
No. 92, Way Freight	3:40 P. M.	9:30 A. M.

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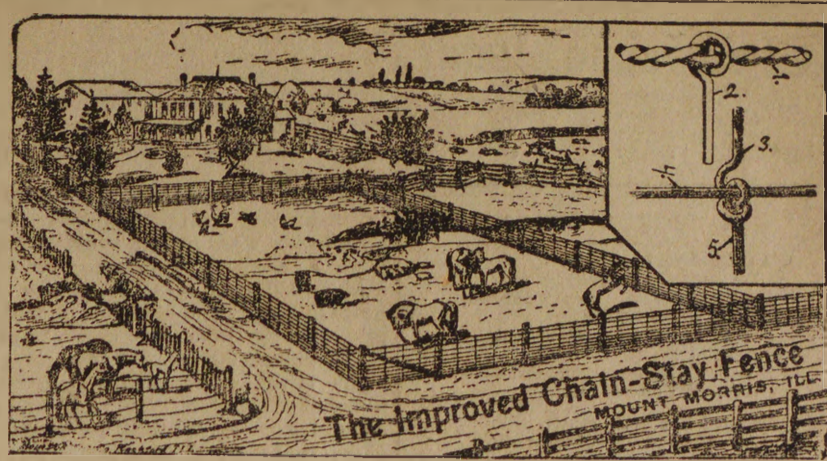
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