

THIS WAS NEWS IN THE YEAR 1896

Items Concerning Events of a Quarter Century Ago

FROM FILES OF THE OLD ISSUE

Many Names You Will Remember and Memories Old Timers Will Cherish

Clipped from the Genoa issue of February 20, 1896:

Sam Wren is back at work in the shoe factory.

Bert Sisson has gone to work with the new bridge crew on the I. C. road.

Frank Holroyd bought August Magnuson's Phoenix bicycle.

Butter sold for 19c on the Elgin board Monday.

Genoa has had its full quota of tramps this winter. (And Genoa will have more this spring.)

Mr. Hauslein will move to Elgin this spring.

Several of Genoa's young braves had their "skates on" at Kingston Saturday night. Rollers.

"Chib" Vandresser will soon sell his farm stock and move to town.

August Magnuson, who has been working for Frank Holtgren, left for California yesterday. (He was later drowned while in the service in the Philippines.)

American bicycle manufacturers are expecting to sell over 2,000,000 bicycles this coming season. Sick people and those over eighty are expected to use horses.

Joe Criswell came back from Maryland this week.

Wm. Heed entertained the Huckleberry Union at his home Tuesday evening.

The top market prices: cattle \$4.50, hogs \$4.95, butter, 18c, eggs 13c, potatoes 22c, lard \$5.40 cwt., flour \$3.25 bbl., wheat 66c, oats 20c, corn 28c, rye 38c.

For the first time in half a century an ice gorge caused the Niagara falls to run dry on the American side.

People laughed a quarter century ago. Here are a few of the good ones:

See the young woman is the young woman being suddenly and unexpectedly kissed? Ah, yes. And does the young woman raise a hue and cry? The young woman raises a slight hue, but no cry.

Altho a schol ma'am may be bright enough to know that a kiss is noun and not proper, she's frequently unable to decline it.

"Order in the court" shouted the judge. "This is the worst disgrace this court has suffered since I was elected to the judgeship."

Wayworn Watson—"Partner, do you eat pie wit' a knife?" Perry Pat-etic—"Wot pie?"

YEAR WITHOUT A WINTER

The "Oldest Inhabitant" Can Not Recall One Like the Present

The year 1920-21 will be remembered in the future as the year without a winter, if present conditions continue. The older people tell of a year without a summer many years ago. During the summer months of that year there was little vegetation and all crops were ruined. Frost appeared every month of the year; ice formed during July and August.

The winter of 1920-21 has been nearly as erratic as that summer of long ago, and especially since the beginning of January has the weather man been kind to us. There is now no frost in the ground, ducks and geese are on the wing, ponds and rivers are all open and the roads are typical of late March, being almost impassable in some places.

Now comes the story that Willard Creel of Fairdale was sowing wheat on Monday of this week. This is entirely possible on the higher ground.

The boys have been playing marbles for several days and base balls have been dug up. It's a gay life, if the weather man doesn't weaken.

[He weakened. A blizzard struck Illinois this (Thursday) morning]

CLOSING OUT SALE

I will sell at public auction on my farm, 3 miles south of DeKalb, on Monday, Feb. 21, 1921, commencing at 10:00 o'clock sharp, 20 head work horses, 10 head cattle, 90 head hogs, including 20 head brood sows, and full line farm machinery, including new Case tractor.

Mrs. John Collins

IS MARENGO OIL RIGHT?

More than Five Thousand Acres Leased Near that City

Drilling in Marengo's prospective oil fields will begin March 10 on either the D. A. Cox, Charles Redpath or John Rainey farms, according to C. C. Downer, engineer of the Kishwaukee Oil and Gas company which has leased lands near Marengo in an effort to find oil in that locality. If drilling rigs are obtainable wells will be sunk on all three of the farms at once, Downer stated. Five hundred acres of land near Union are being considered as the location for an oil refinery and machine shop.

"Pipe lines will take oil from Marengo to the Union refinery if oil is found as we expect," said Downer. "We will build 125 foot derricks on leases. None of the leases will be sold. We are entering the Marengo field for development only."

The earth structure near Marengo is similar to that in the Pennsylvania oil fields, the engineer claims. Gas as well as oil is present, he says, more than 5,000 acres have been leased near Marengo including the farms of A. G. Wilcox, James Cleary, William Cleary, Karl Thurrow, Fred Busse, H. A. Bockman, G. B. Brown, Frank Lundy and McAuliffe Brothers.

An employment office will be opened at Marengo where applications for work in the oil drilling will be received, the engineer stated.

MORE INVESTIGATION

State Senator Dailey Wants to Know Facts

Senator J. Dailey of Peoria will introduce a resolution in the upper branch of the assembly providing for an investigation to determine if the five state normal schools have become only community high schools for the territories in which they are located—DeKalb, Normal, Charleston, MaComb and Carbondale. A questionnaire is planned to go to the president and faculties of these institutions.

"I am told that there are very few normal pupils in these schools. Sen. Dailey said today, "despite the efforts of school authorities to keep them alive. Most of the pupils I have been informed, are high school pupils who are receiving their education at the expense of the state at large for a nominal tuition of about \$10."

In view of the recent demands of president's of normal schools of the state for a large biennium fund to be

FOR A BIG FAIR NEAR OUR HOMES

Biggest Project Northern Illinois Has Ever Undertaken for Herself

STOCK NEARLY HALF SUBSCRIBED

Fair and Exposition Equal to State Fair Only a Few Miles From Your Home

The Northern Illinois Fair and Exposition, the biggest project Northern Illinois has ever undertaken for herself, is now assured. Over one half of the capital stock issue of \$500,000 has been subscribed for at the present time. Present indications are that there will be approximately 3000 charter stock holders when the organization is completed, which insures its being a mammoth community proposition.

The exposition will be built on the Joseph Slaker farm of 117 acres, one-quarter of a mile south of North Aurora on the Lincoln Highway. It will have a scope equal to that of the state fair at Springfield, and in effect will be a Chicago fair from an attendance standpoint. The counties of Cook, DeKalb, Lake, McHenry, Kane, Kendall, Dupage and Will are represented in the organization. Many of the most prominent men of Northern Illinois are back of this gigantic enterprise. They have been cheerfully giving their time without salaries and are expecting no benefits other than those that will naturally accrue to Northern Illinois entire population.

The foundation of the exposition is agriculture, live stock industry and education. Enthusiasm and business methods have marked the steps already taken and stamped the project as far above an ordinary proposition. Business has characterized every move. Staunch and reliable business men and farmers have been named as temporary officials.

There is no "promotion" expense in placing the capital stock issue. That is, no one is receiving any percentage or salary for stock subscriptions secured. All of the men selling stock are volunteer workers.

When the organization is completed, the permanent board of directors will be composed of twelve men and there will be an advisory board of fifty men to be selected by the stock holders. Each share entitles the holder to one vote. The by-laws and regulations of the organization will

THAT CREEPY FEELING

Frank Hasler of Charter Grove Encounters Man in His Cellar

Now just how would you feel if you were to go down into your cellar some evening and encounter a man especially if it were dark and you could not tell whether said man were large or small, black or white, armed or unarmed? You would feel and act just like Frank Hasler of Charter Grove did last Saturday evening—you would beat it for the air as soon as possible.

The Hasler family had finished supper Saturday evening and Mr. Hasler went down into the cellar. There was the man, and, instantaneously, there Frank was not. He immediately armed himself and being thus

MEMORIAL TREE IS DEDICATED

Impressive and Beautiful Services Held at Grounds and Church

ELOQUENT ADDRESS BY A. CLIFFE

D. C. Morehouse Says Just the Right Words at Unveiling of Bronze Tablet

The memorial tree for Genoa's heroes of the world war was dedicated and the bronze plate unveiled last Sunday afternoon. It was an ideal spring day, making it possible for people to stand at the school grounds

FAY'S PICTURES

DeKalb Man Exhibited 6000 in Lincoln Exhibit

H. W. Fay, "the man with a million pictures," who resides in DeKalb, exhibited 6000 pictures at Dr. Wm. E. Barton's church in Oak Park, last week. In the collection were pictures of Lincoln, people associated with Lincoln, the anti-slavery cause, the Civil war and Illinois history, authors of Lincoln's time and people in any way connected with the cause. Mr. Fay has one of the greatest Lincoln collections in America.

He has on file in his vaults at DeKalb over a million pictures of which thousands are autographed. In this wonderful collection will be found the autographed photo of practically every civilized ruler on earth

DEESTRICK SKULE FIFTY YEARS AGO

At the Auditorium, Genoa, Friday Evening of Next Week, Feb. 25

UNDER AUSPICES THE AUXILIARY

The "Dunce Block," the "rod" that "spares Not the Child" and "Rule of Three"

It is to laugh! You'll just have to next Friday evening when you visit the "Deestrick Skule of Fifty Years Ago" at the Auditorium next Friday evening, Feb. 25. Of course you are going—everyone is, for none can afford to miss this one great and glorious opportunity to become intoxicated—with mirth.

This sidesplitting play is being put on by the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion. It will take the old people back to the good old days of the "rule of three," the "dunce block," the "rod" that did not spare the child and the "ruler" which spared not the palm of the hand.

The young people will enjoy it, for it will show them the district school of the old days, exaggerated some, perhaps, but nevertheless faithful in the portrayal of actual conditions. The impatient and sorely harassed school teacher will be there, the overgrown school boys and girls and the egotistical, fire breathing members of the board will visit the school.

The cast of characters appears elsewhere on this page.

BYERS CAUGHT IN NEW YORK

Man Who Cashed Forged Check in Genoa and Later Escaped from Jail

Allen F. Byers, who cashed a forged check in Genoa last April and escaped from the county jail with four other prisoners in May, is now in jail in Elizabethtown, N. Y., awaiting action of the grand jury for another crime.

Byers, who is about 23 years of age, came to Genoa last May and his first act was to open an account at the Farmers State Bank, depositing a certificate of deposit on a Quincy bank in the sum of \$200. He then went into Hughes Clothing store and bought clothing to the value of about eighty dollars, receiving some cash in exchange. Mr. Hughes wasn't at all taken with the appearance of the man who in the mean time had arranged for a room and stated that he intended to open a branch office here for a stock food company. Mr. Hughes, to be safe, deposited his check at once.

The bank had not taken the certificate seriously and after Byers left the bank had telegraphed the Quincy bank. A telephone reply confirmed the cashier's suspicions for it proved that Byers was a veteran forger and is now wanted in various places, his last job having been pulled off in Burlington, Iowa.

He was arrested by Officer Crawford and taken to Sycamore.

In company with four others Byers escaped from the county jail at Sycamore in the latter part of April, after beating, binding and gagging the sixth inmate of the bull pen, who refused to accompany them. Two of the men, Camp Grant soldiers, James Watson and Gerald Undersage, were recaptured near St. Charles.

The jail delivery was a most sensational one. Binding and gagging Archie Flemming of DeKalb, the quartet of prisoners—unlocked the bull pen in which they were confined and then made their way through a window, making good their escape before their absence was discovered.

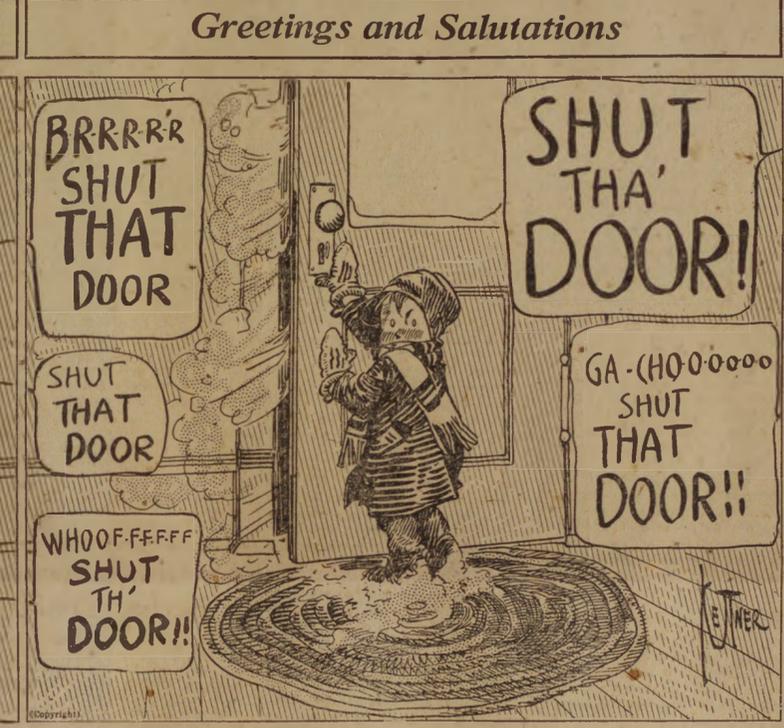
The five who escaped included the two Camp Grant men who stole an auto in Fairdale a few days previous.

Unless Byers is committed to jail in New York for his crime in that state, he will be returned to DeKalb county.

WE NEED ONE

The City Council of Plano has purchased and are now installing a new and modern electric fire alarm, which will be placed in the cupola of the City Hall. This new alarm has been long contemplated by the council and just now it is very timely and an element of safety to our citizens due to the factory's inactivity and that the old steam fire alarm at number 3 factory is not in operation.

Use the Want Ads. Get Results.



THE "DEESTRICK SKULE"

—OF—

FIFTY YEARS AGO

- Emily Jane Honeysuckle Mrs. Ada Shesler
- Martha Ann Honeysuckle Mrs. Mable Baldwin
- Samantha Honeysuckle Mrs. Pearl Holmes
- Aramantha Honeysuckle Mrs. May Corson
- Patience Peterkin Mrs. Lois Brown
- Mary Jane Jones Mrs. Irene King
- Betsy Ann Bobbett Mrs. Minnie Wallace
- Mrs. Samantha Tryphosa Honeysuckle Cora Furr
- Prudence Plunkett Lorene Brown
- Jerusha Hatch Margaret Hutchison
- Temperance Hartshorn Madeline Larson
- Mike O'Flynn Harvey King
- Ole Olson Albion Duval
- Sam Randall Fred Duval
- John Bull Harry Holmes
- Ezekiel Jedediah Honeysuckle Ed. Tischler
- Woodrow Wilson Ralph Browne
- Committee Men George Goding
- Albert Prain
- Paul Miller

fortified persuaded the man to come up out of the darkness. It proved to be a boy, seventeen years of age who gave his name as Herbert Cramer, and stated that he had escaped from the St. Charles home for boys and Mrs. Hasler gave the boy some supper and telephoned Officer Crawford who went out and brought the youngster to Genoa, later taking him to Sycamore.

Cramer had escaped from the home several days previous and was a sorry looking sight when he came to light at the Hasler home, having traveled on foot thru the mud and slush.

He entered the cellar by forcing a window, but did not state why he was there. It is quite likely that he expected to find something to eat, for one can not believe that even a runaway would select a basement as sleeping quarters.

A RATTY TIME

Not less than 14,000 rats have been killed in Harvard during the past week. A rat exterminator of Beloit, Wis., is on the job in attempt to rid that city of the rodents.

CHACKLE IN JANUARY

John McWhorter of Crystal Lake owns twenty-seven single comb White Leghorn pullets which laid 432 eggs during the month of January.

ally every month of the year, putting on events of one kind and another that will provide business, amusement and recreation to all classes. Such events will be held as automobile races, industrial exhibitions, pure bred stock sales, frontier day exhibits, horse races, children's pageants, base-ball, foot-ball, aeroplane contests, spectacular night fire work spectacles, winter sports, carnivals, society horse shows, merchants' carnivals, manufacturers' shows, etc.

Headquarters of the organization are located in the Chamber of Commerce at 109 Fox Street, Aurora. Volunteer workers with whom applications for stock can be made are located in the farming districts and smaller cities and villages of Northern Illinois.

In this immediate community, Mr. L. H. George and Mr. E. Bate are members of the present organization.

with comfort. It was here that Mr. D. C. Morehouse delivered a masterful dedication address. Owing to the fact that the audience at the grounds was not large, we publish below, the address, believing that everyone in the community should read it.

At the church immediately after the dedication, an excellent program was rendered. Misses Klea Schoonmaker and Evelyn Patterson and Mrs. Pearl Reiniken of Hampshire rendered vocal selections, with Mrs. E. W. Brown as accompanist. Their selections were appropriate to the occasion. Mrs. J. T. Shesler read three selections in keeping with the spirit of the occasion in her usual charming manner.

Miss Irma Perkins, president of the Genoa Community Club, in a few well chosen words introduced Judge A. C. Cliffe of Sycamore, who spoke interestingly for an hour on "Americanism!" The judge is getting better every day as an orator, and he is always sure of an appreciative audience in Genoa.

Address by Mr. Morehouse

Members of the American Legion and Fellow Citizens:

In an old, old book, written many hundred years ago, which I love to read because of its literary merit, its mental stimulus, its moral force, and its spiritual power and grandeur, I find this statement: "He saved others, himself he cannot save."

It was said of the Son of God as he hung in dying agony on the Cross of Calvary by those who hated him, but divine authority and human experience alike attest to the truth of that assertion.

And just as truly, tho of course in a more limited sense, it may be said of our heroic dead, who wore the khaki, "They saved others, themselves they could not save."

The cause for which they rendered the last full measure of devotion must inevitably triumph in spite of bolshevism, anarchy, social unrest and financial crises. Then shall "Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" be a common possession of all peoples who dwell on the face of the earth.

Since time began, men have set apart various objects as memorials

PRETTY SOFT

A soft (?) drink parlor, conducted by John Ritner at Libertyville, was raided at midnight last Saturday. The officers secured thirty-three cases of Lashe's bitters, nine cases of beer and four barrels of cider.

of great events or of great men but certainly no more fitting memorial of those, who from this community went forth to lay down their lives for the cause of humanity, could be selected than a sturdy, living tree, emblematic of those who the sleeping in the bosom of mother earth yet are living in the hearts and memories of a grateful people. Tho this memorial tree will bewail in November the untimely death of Lieut. Brown and Pvt. Niss, Mulhr, Wolters, and Listy, yet in May, while the birds are singing joyously in its branches, it will whisper full faith in a glorious resurrection.

And surely no more appropriate location could be chosen than this where as future rising generations pass to and fro in search of knowledge, they shall gain here lessons more valuable than can be learned in recitation rooms or lecture halls and thus be inspired by this memorial tree to lofty ideals and noble lives

It matters little what a man possesses of material wealth or what he may claim of ancestry or social distinction, the acid test of character is what he does "By their fruits ye shall know them."

The men of the American Legion can fully supplement and continue the glorious work of their fallen brothers as they shall honorably and efficiently discharge the duties of American citizenship and shall unite with patriotic men of this and other countries in the formation of a (new) League of Nations, wise in its construction, just in its operations and world-wide in its comprehensive influence.

Then indeed shall swords be beaten into plowshares, spears into pruning hooks; nations shall learn war no more; and Truth, Justice and Peace shall unite all peoples into one harmonious brotherhood. "For God hath made of one blood all nations of the earth."

Back Given Out?

There's surely some reason for that lame, aching back. Likely it's your kidneys. A cold or strain oftentimes congests the kidneys and slows them up.

Thomas B. Walker, 1124 Forrestville Ave., Pullman, Ill., says: "My kidneys acted irregularly and I had to get up several times during the night. Mornings my back was sore and lame and I could hardly gress myself. All through the day it pained me. Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended and I began using them. After I had used two boxes of Doan's I was cured."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

A National Fault. "Extravagance," said Senator Cummins at a dinner, "is at the root of most of our ills. We Americans are the most extravagant people on earth."

Would lessons in good manners printed in big red letters on the billboards go a great way?

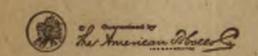
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Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Washington

President Wilson passed several hours at the house in Washington where he will make his home after his retirement from office on March 4.

Congress at Washington was asked to provide more space for the storing of government funds.

Lieuts. J. E. Menken and John C. Woodford, naval flyers, were killed in Cuba, according to a Washington dispatch.

An amendment to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, providing for an increase in the salary of the vice president from \$12,000 to \$15,000 was passed in the senate at Washington.

Secretary Colby at Washington refused to submit to the senate foreign relations committee information regarding negotiations with Japan looking to the framing of a new treaty.

An American navy "at least equal to that of any other power" is advocated in a report of the senate naval committee filed in the senate at Washington.

Members of the Nashville (Tenn.) Carpenter's union have voted unanimously to cut their wage scale 20 per cent, according to a statement issued by R. D. Bartfield, president of the organization.

The soldier bonus bill will pass congress this session. Assurance to this effect was given the national legislative committee of the American Legion at Washington by Senator Penrose.

Warren Gamaliel Harding of Ohio and Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts were formally declared by congress at Washington to be elected President and vice president of the United States for four years, beginning next March 4.

Domestic A mob broke into the county jail at Ocala, Fla., and seized a negro who had been arrested on a charge of attacking an aged white woman.

A strike of 40,000 needleworkers, 50 per cent of whom are women, was called at New York by officials of the joint board of dress and waistmakers' unions in an effort to enforce the closed shops.

The headless body of a girl apparently about twenty years old, was found in the Calumet Sag canal near Blue Island, Ill. Both arms had been chopped off, apparently with a heavy, sharp knife.

A 20 per cent reduction in wages for independent steel plants of the Mahoning valley (O.) and the Shemango valley (Pa.) fields was announced at Youngstown, O. More than 40,000 men are affected.

Liquor said to be worth more than \$30,000 was seized by agents of the state food and drug department in a raid in an exclusive district at Detroit, Mich. Walter Lange was arrested.

The death at Bartow, Fla., of Representative Fred L. Blackman of Arkansas, recently elected to congress for the seventh time from the Fourth Alabama district, was announced at Mobile, Ala.

A blanket indictment naming two score defendants and charging violation of the state anti-trust law was returned by the Supreme court grand jury at New York investigating the alleged building trust.

A preliminary investigation into the flight to Germany of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, convicted Philadelphia draft dodger, was authorized by the military affairs committee of the house at Washington.

A wage cut of 10 per cent, affecting 11,000 employees of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, was announced formally at Chicago by General R. W. Stewart, chairman of the board of directors.

Senator Roland Ricci, recently appointed ambassador from Italy to the United States, arrived at New York from Genoa.

The house of representatives at Salem, Ore., unanimously passed the soldier bonus bill. The bill provides \$15 cash for each month in service.

A \$200,000 life insurance policy issued to Jake L. Hamon, multimillionaire Oklahoma "oil king" two hours before he was fatally shot, was paid to his estate at Ardmore, Okla.

Federal Judge Walter Evans at Louisville permitted a Louisville brewery to use the word "lager" on its cereal beverage labels and thereby upset a regulation of the department of internal revenue.

Half a million women seeking husbands will be among the 1,300,000 immigrants expected to land in New York this year, Frederick A. Wallis, immigration commissioner at New York, said.

Three deaths from typhus and 20 cases of typhus among 1,375 passengers on the Italian liner Sanguetto, which arrived here from Trieste and Naples, were announced at New York by the port health officer.

Henry Nelst, elected representative from Washington county, was unseated by the Texas house of representatives at Austin by a vote of 114 to 13. He was charged with disloyalty.

Registered mail, including \$30,000 to \$50,000 in currency, was stolen from the railroad station at Corbin, Ky., according to reports reaching Louisville.

Foreign The Vatican at Rome officially confirms the announcement that the Most Rev. D. J. Dougherty will be made a cardinal in March.

The Portuguese cabinet at Lisbon has resigned.

Ex-Empress Charlotte of Mexico is ill with influenza at Bucimont castle near Brussels. The king and queen of Belgium call on her daily.

A London dispatch says that the government's stock of 800,000 barrels of herrings has been sold to Bloomsfields, Ltd., exporters of Dortmund, for \$15,000,000.

Sir Harry Lauder, the noted Scotch comedian, was made a knight by King George. Sir Harry attended the ceremony of investiture at London attired in the Highland costume.

General Rennud, professor in the superior war school at Paris, warned the allies through the French press that Germany and Russia may attack jointly and asks America to be ready to send 4,000,000 troops.

The Greek army in Asia Minor is crumbling; deserters are forming bands and looting towns or engaged in guerrilla warfare against the Turks and Greek military police, according to a dispatch received at Paris.

Polish troops are massing along the German border, according to officials of the German foreign office at Berlin. About 200,000 Poles have been mobilized and are prepared to launch an offensive.

The cabinet at Belgrade rejected the draft of a treaty of commerce with Germany, prepared in collaboration with German representatives there and approved by the minister of commerce.

Two persons were killed and one wounded in a conflict between communists and extreme nationalists at the naval shipyard at Monfalcone, Italy, says a Rome dispatch to the London Central News.

A Tokyo dispatch says five American bluejackets were fired upon by unknown persons in the streets of Vladivostok at eleven o'clock Thursday night and one was wounded.

Col. Chester Harding, governor of the Panama canal zone, sailed from Panama for the United States. His resignation and departure leaves Col. Jay J. Morrow as acting governor.

The ministry of finance at Berlin has reached the conclusion that the utmost sum Germany can pay in reparations is 150,000,000,000 marks (\$35,700,000,000), estimating the mark at normal (gold), 23.8 cents.

A Paris dispatch says 150,000 British, French and Belgian soldiers in the Rhine area of occupation were issued heavy marching equipment and ordered to stand in readiness to receive orders to advance toward Germany.

The police seized, in a house in the west end of Berlin, 45 machine guns, 40,000 rounds of cartridges and a number of carbines belonging to an organization called the Berliner Heintatverband.

A Dublin dispatch says that a large body of Sinn Feiners swooped down upon Skibereen and held the town for two hours. They carried rifles and revolvers and, during their stay, had complete control of the streets.

France has the greatest standing army in the world, according to information sent to congress at Washington by Secretary Baker, but, counting its active and reserve forces, Italy is the world's leading military power.

The dispatches from Rome stating that Archbishop Dennis J. Dougherty of Philadelphia would be raised to the cardinalate were confirmed, says a Philadelphia dispatch.

According to the Paris Intransigent, the ex-kaiser is suffering from loss of memory and can no longer write.

The treaty of peace between soviet Russia and Poland was signed at Riga on Thursday. It is announced in a wireless dispatch received at Helsinki, Finland, from Moscow.

HOW WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

May Escape the Dreaded Sufferings of that Period by Taking Mrs. Block's Advice



Hopkins, Minn.—"During Change of Life I had hot flashes and suffered for two years. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the paper and got good results from taking it. I recommend your medicine to my friends and you may publish this fact as a testimonial."

Only Cheap Thing Left. The H. C. of Living had been discussed and the family felt as though it behooved them to watch the corners.

Constipation, indigestion, sick-headache and bilious conditions are overcome by a course of Garfield Tea.—Adv.

Airplane Evident. "We should keep up our airship department," thinks a punning correspondent, "because our masculine aviators stars will prove menaces to unfriendly governments."—Boston Transcript.

Nothing is more unsatisfactory than vanity in another.

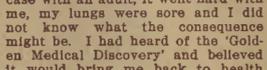
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OWN A HOME IN ARKANSAS—Fruit, Poultry or stock raising. Write for prices. STAPLETON & SON, HARRISON, ARK.

SOLOMON IMPEACHES JUDGE K. LANDIS

"High Crimes and Misdemeanors" Are Charged to Federal Jurist.

SENATOR DIAL TO ACT ALSO

Ohio Representative Refuses to Include in Impeachment Proceedings Landis' Statement in Releasing Ottawa Bank Clerk.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Federal Judge K. M. Landis of Chicago was attacked in the house by Representative Welty of Ohio, who in impeaching the jurist charged "high crimes and misdemeanors" in the acceptance of the position of arbiter of organized baseball at a salary of \$42,500 a year.

Should the house decide to adopt a resolution for impeachment, a trial before the house bar will be held and a judgment will be rendered. Mr. Welty did not introduce a resolution for impeachment, as is the custom, but arose on a "question of high personal privilege" and announced that he impeached the judge.

Without debate, the Welty charges were referred to the judiciary committee for investigation. There were a few scattering "yees."

Mr. Welty said he would confine himself to the question of Judge Landis' serving as supreme arbiter of baseball while holding a federal office.

Senator Dial announced that besides seeking to have impeachment proceedings brought against Federal Judge Landis in the house he would prefer charges against him with the department of justice.

There is little likelihood of action by the judiciary committee on the Welty charges against Judge Landis at this session of congress, Chairman Volstead said. "The fact that Mr. Welty retires March 4 does not affect the status of the proceedings, nor does the case necessarily end with adjournment of congress," Mr. Volstead added.

"No arrangement has been made for a meeting of the committee, but we probably will hear Mr. Welty shortly, and the committee believes there is sufficient ground to go ahead, it will be necessary to adopt a resolution providing therefor."

Senator Dial, resuming his attack on Judge Landis in the senate, called the judge a "freak" and a "crank" and said Judge Landis' attack on the senator with reference to his connection with banks and Southern cotton mills was "demagogic."

"If Judge Landis' views, as shown in his parole of this boy who embezzled \$96,000 from a bank, were known to the senate, he would never have been confirmed by this body," said Senator Dial. "I conceive his parole of this boy under the circumstances to be revolutionary, and an Ohio Court of Appeals has decided that sentences suspended in this way are illegal."

"Judge Landis affords the spectacle of a federal judge who is also the chief arbiter of baseball at \$42,000. The attorney general says there is nothing illegal in a judge engaging in business, but it was never expected he would do so. There are 1,230 cases on the docket in Judge Landis' court, which it would take him two years to hear, and it is the business of a judge to stay in the courthouse and attend to his business. It brings his court into disrepute. I have no criticism of baseball, although I know very little about it. I suppose it is innocent enough and that it is all right to engage in it with moderation."

"His reply to me shows he is not fit to sit on the bench. I will not lower the dignity of this body to reply to this 'freak' and 'crank' as he replied to me."

Chicago, Feb. 16.—Judge Landis, notified unofficially that impeachment proceedings directed against him by Senator Dial of South Carolina probably would be started in the senate, repeated his defiance of the man who has declared him to be "unworthy of the ermine."

"It isn't my judicial character that has caused this attack," declared the judge. "The basis for the impeachment movement was my plain statement concerning the responsibility of employers and the question of fair wages."

"As for this impeachment talk—it's pish-posh."

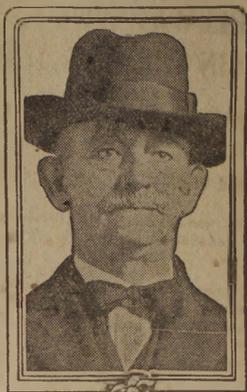
Wabash Road Cuts Force. Decatur, Ill., Feb. 16.—A reduction of 640 men in the mechanical forces of the Wabash system will be made next Saturday, it was announced here by G. F. Hess, superintendent of motive power of the system. This includes 212 men at the local shops and the closing of the shops at Springfield.

Center Moves West. Washington, Feb. 16.—The center of population, as disclosed by the 1920 census, is in the extreme southeastern corner of Owen county, Indiana, 8.3 miles southeast of the town of Spencer, the census bureau announced.

Senate Passes Appropriations. Washington, Feb. 16.—The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was passed by the senate and sent to conference. It carries about \$114,000,000 for salaries and maintenance of government departments.

WELL TO DO FARMER GAINED 20 POUNDS

H. W. Boring Says He Is In Better General Health Than He Has Been in Years Since Taking Tanlac.



H. W. BORING of Overland Park, Kansas

"Since Tanlac has overcome my troubles I have gained twenty pounds in weight and am in better general health than for years past," was the straightforward statement made a few days ago by H. W. Boring, a prominent and well-to-do farmer living at Overland Park, Kans.

"During the two years I suffered I tried everything I knew of to get relief, but nothing seemed to reach my case until I tried Tanlac. My appetite was poor and my digestion was so bad I could hardly retain my food. Nothing agreed with me; in fact I was almost a confirmed dyspeptic. My whole system seemed to be out of shape. I would have pains across the small of my back so bad at times I could hardly move around."

"My nerves were all unstrung and I would become up-set at the least little thing. I seldom slept well at night and, finally, became so weak and run-down that I lost weight rapidly. I was also troubled a great deal with catarrh and of mornings had to spend a half hour or more clearing up my head."

"This is just the condition I was in when I began taking Tanlac and it certainly has been a blessing to me. It just seemed to be made especially for my case. I improved from the very first. My digestion now is per-

fect and regardless of what I eat I never suffer any bad after effects. "The pains across my back have entirely disappeared. The catarrh has left me, too, and my head is perfectly clear. I am no longer nervous and rest well every night. I have regained my lost weight and am feeling better and stronger than I have in years. I am going to keep Tanlac in my house so it will be handy at all times."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.—Adv.

Had She Heard That? "My dear, since it's impossible to dress my dolls decently, I never take them out."—Paris Le Journal Amusant.

For a disordered liver, take Garfield Tea, the Herb laxative. All druggists.—Adv.

SCENERY BIG PART OF PLAY Modern Theatrical Productions Evidently Depend a Great Deal on the Stage Settings.

"The Beggar's Opera" is now being presented in New York with the company that was gathered for the London revival, and settings which also crossed the ocean. It was not that it was cheaper to bring the scenery over, but simply because it would have been impossible to duplicate the original sets without doing a great deal of Eighteenth century research work that would mean going over the same ground that had been carefully covered by the London designer.

The situation is hardly a parallel to that of "Her Own Way," the Clyde Fitch comedy which could not be played for several days after the date set for the London opening because the scenery had been put on a steamer other than that taken by the company. Fitch had written this play with intricate, though unobtrusive, scenic effects, constantly in thought. The result was that, broadly speaking, the special scenery for this play actually did some of the acting.

The viper, England's only poisonous snake, is found in all regions, from Persia to the arctic circle.

One can't smile in the face of adversity unless one has an impregnable income.

Life is no joke to the chap who has to live by his wits.

ADVERTISING IN OLDEN DAYS Collection in Pennsylvania Museum Shows It Was a Fine Art a Few Generations Ago.

Advertising was a fine art in Philadelphia when Dock street was a canal. The proof that the merchants and business men of those days were cognizant of the value of printers' ink is a large collection of billheads, cards, newspapers and other advertising media that has just been purchased by the Pennsylvania museum for display in Memorial hall.

In those days every business man of note used the columns of the newspapers. The front pages of the dailies of the time were devoted largely to advertising matter.

Virtually all of the business men also used elaborately decorated billheads, generally copper plate engravings. The custom was copied from England, although the Philadelphia printers often struck an original style.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Praise Where Due. The good old minister naturally wished to speak well of all who had participated in the benefit concert, and, happily, could praise the efforts of most of the volunteer performers with sincerity and truth.

"And Miss Hightry?" some one asked, "Did she sing well?" The old gentleman hesitated, then smiled beamingly.

"Miss Hightry's intentions were excellent—splendid—most to be admired!" he declared enthusiastically.

A Bit of Frost. Mable—Did Percy propose to you in flowery language? Martha—Yes, but I nipped it in the bud.

Men will do almost anything for money—some will even work.

If There's Any Question whether coffee causes sleepless nights followed by drowsy days—change to INSTANT POSTUM

This table drink is pure and wholesome, has a flavor that pleases, and is made instantly in the cup.

You can make Instant Postum strong or mild to suit individual taste, there is no waste, and whether you need one cup or ten—it's always ready.

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M. E. CHURCH NOTES

The service Sunday evening promises to be a very enjoyable and helpful. The Epworth League will have charge of this service and is preparing a good program with special musical numbers of duets and chorus.

The treat of the season will be given Tuesday evening, the 22nd. The Philathea class will sponsor a chicken pie supper at the church. The Adult Bible Class will furnish the program. Supper served from 5:30 p. m. until all are served. Supper and program, adults, 50c; children under 12 years of age, 35c.

Ho, ye men and women, have you noticed the splendid attendance both at Sunday school and the preaching services? Adult Bible class attendance Sunday morning, fifty; the Philathea class, twenty-eight. But watch for next Sunday—all records will be broken.

Service Sunday afternoon at Ney with Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Geithman at 2:30.

COURT HOUSE NOTES

In Probate Court
Estate of—
Elias Hoag. Proof of heirship made. Inventory and final report approved, estate settled and executor discharged.

Louisa Hix. Final report approved. Estate settled and executor discharged.

Louisa M. Rosenfeld, distracted. Conservator's inventory approved.

Sarah E. Wood. Proof of notice to creditors made. Claim of Benjamin F. Wood allowed at \$308.67.

Fern and Luella Mowers, minors. Bond of Grace B. Mowers, guardian, approved, and letters issued.

Ella A. Stone, late of Kirkland. Will and petition filed and set for hearing March 7.

James W. Wyde, late of Genoa. Estate of farm property and about \$30,000 of personal property. Will and petition filed and set for hearing March 7. Proof of heirship made.

Henry Koch. Will proven. Fred E. Koch appointed executor. No appraisal. April term for claims.

Old Man Declared Insane

Ole Lofth, a resident of Sycamore, aged 79 years, was found insane in county court on Tuesday and taken to the Elgin State hospital. The assigned causes were heat strokes, injuries received in a street car accident and from his condition and age. He imagined some one was trying to kill him.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Harman Taylor, aged over 21, and Anna Swanson, aged over 18, both of DeKalb; Henry O'Hare, over 21 and Mary Agnes McGlynn, over 18, both of DeKalb; Thomas E. Jordan, over 21, Cortland, and Masie O'Malley, over 18, DeKalb; Glenn Fell, 21, DeKalb, and Mildred Ferris, 18, Steward, Ill.

HAMPSHIRE EDITOR IN HOSPITAL

John Brill, editor of the Hampshire Register, is in the Elgin Hospital recovering from an operation for appendicitis. In the meantime, the editor of The Republican is trying to keep things going in the Hampshire plant, thus keeping this office rather busy.

MIKE SEYLER DEAD

Mike Seyler, an old resident of Burlington, died in that village Tuesday morning shortly after having suffered a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Seyler was widely known and has a large family of children.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the flowers, their kindness and help during the illness and after the death of our loved husband and father.

Mrs. Isaac Clayton
Frank E. Clayton

Table Oilcloth 39c a yard at Theo. Swan's

Every housewife should be sure to fill her needs in table oilcloth while this very special price is in force. This is of the very best quality and choice includes plain white and a large variety of fancy table and wall patterns. During the Clean-Up sale we're selling it special at 39c a yard. Theo. F. Swan Elgin Ill.

To Drive a Nail Into Plaster.

Before trying to drive a nail into a plastered wall, first put the nail in boiling hot water until it is thoroughly heated. You can then drive it in clean without breaking or chipping any of the surrounding plaster.

Auntie Should Have Known That.

Little Marie was visiting at the home of her grandmother, and while there she went barefooted. One evening her aunt told her to wash her feet before going to bed. When Marie came into the bedroom her aunt looked at them and said: "Why, Marie, you did not wash the bottom of your feet at all." The little girl looked up surprised and said: "Why, auntie, I don't sleep standing up."—Chicago American.

Twenty-Toed Elephants in Demand.

Twenty-toed elephants are held in veneration throughout India, and are keenly sought by all the rajahs and maharajahs for the prosperity they are supposed to bring, says Charles Mayer, in Asia Magazine. They are guarded more carefully and quartered even more sumptuously than the white elephants of Siam, and the price they will bring is determined almost entirely by the amount the rajahs can gather together.

Peculiar Philippine Buffalo.

When Americans first went to the Philippines they were much interested in the odd-looking beast known there as the "water buffalo"—a smaller variety commonly used as a draft animal, but giving little milk. It is extensively utilized in the same way in China. The brute cannot endure hard work in the sun unless its skin is frequently wet, and hence its habit of wallowing in mud or water. If overcome by the heat it may go crazy and is liable to be dangerous. But the milch buffalo, kept for dairy purposes, needs no water hole.

What's a Toxin?

The ptomaines must not be confused with the toxins. The toxins are poisonous substances derived from germs in the course of their life and growth. They are the active principles of the germs, to which the germs owe their characteristic effects upon the human system. It is the toxin of the diphtheria germs, for example, which causes most of the mischief when infection has taken place.

The Bright Side.

The warden of Ohio penitentiary says that this one is true. Recently a negro prisoner, in for life, was brought before him and in the conversation the warden said: "Why, Rastus, you are in for life, aren't you?" With a broad grin the negro replied philosophically, "Oh, no, warden, just from now on."

Mistletoe Superstition.

Mistletoe, when not suspended in the air, is regarded by the superstitious as a harbinger of bad luck. There is an old reason for hanging a bunch of mistletoe in the center of the room, a custom which had nothing frivolous about it in the first place. Balder, in Scandinavian mythology, was killed by an arrow of mistletoe. On his being restored to life it was promised that the plant would never again perpetrate evil unless it touched the earth.

A want ad will find a buyer.

NOTICE

To Lucy Brown, Lucy C. Brown, Barbary Pratt, Barbara Pratt, Barbary Pratt, David Davis, David C. Davis, David W. Willis, D. W. Willis, Mary Willis, Mary M. Willis, H. Whitmore, Hiram Whitmore, Michael D. Reeves, Permelia J. Church, Permelia Jane Hathway, Jacob Chase, Charles A. Chase, Charles Albert Chase, Lorenzo D. Woodbury, L. D. Woodbury, Alexander Brand, Patrick H. Cashman, P. H. Cashman, Allen Biglow, Jerusha Ingols, Isaac Paddock, Myron Paddock, Rhoda C. Moore, the unknown heirs and devisees of Lucy Brown, deceased, Lucy C. Brown, deceased, Barbary Pratt, deceased, Barbara Pratt, deceased, Barbary Pratt, deceased, David Davis, deceased, David C. Davis, deceased, David W. Willis, deceased, D. W. Willis, deceased, Mary Willis, deceased, Mary M. Willis, deceased, H. Whitmore, deceased, Hiram Whitmore, deceased, Michael D. Reeves, deceased, Permelia J. Church, deceased, Permelia Jane Hathway, deceased, Jacob Chase, deceased, Charles A. Chase, deceased, Charles Albert Chase, deceased, Lorenzo D. Woodbury, deceased, L. D. Woodbury, deceased, Alexander Brand, deceased, Patrick H. Cashman, deceased, P. H. Cashman, deceased, Allen Biglow, deceased, Jerusha Ingols, deceased, Isaac Paddock, deceased, Myron Paddock, deceased, Rhoda C. Moore, deceased, the unknown owners and the unknown owners of the whole or any part of the following described real estate, to-wit: the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter; the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and also the following described real estate, commencing at the 1/2 section corner on the South line of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty Six and running thence North on the 1/2 section line 1815 feet, thence East 674 feet to a stone, thence South parallel to the 1/2 section line 1815 feet to a stone on the section line, thence West to the place of beginning, containing 23 acres, and being the West 28 acres of the South 55 acres of the East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 36; also that part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 36, described as follows: Commencing at the Southeast corner of Section 36, and running thence North on East line Solicitor for Complainant, Genoa, Ill. of said Section 110 rods, thence West parallel with South line of said Section 39 3-11 rods, thence South parallel with East line of said Section 110 rods to the South line of said Section thence East along said South line 39 3-11 rods to the place of beginning containing 27 acres, more or less; all the above described real estate being located in Section 36, Township 42 North of Range 5 East of the Third P. M. containing 215 acres of land, more or less, situated in DeKalb County, Illinois.

You are hereby notified that there is now pending in the Circuit Court of DeKalb County, in the State of Illinois, a certain suit (General No. 20444) wherein James P. Andersen, is complainant, and you are defendants; that a summons has been issued in said cause returnable at the Court House in Sycamore, in said County, on the Fourth Monday of February, 1921.

Geo. A. James, Clerk of said Court.

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Roman Idea Concerning Oysters.
According to an eminent old Roman doctor, the Romans' predilection for oysters was a sanitary one, which he explained thuswise: "Living oysters are endowed with the proper medicinal virtues; they nourish wonderfully, and solicit rest; for he who supps on oysters is wont on that night to sleep placidly; and to the valetudinary afflicted with a weak stomach, eight, ten or twelve raw oysters in a morning, or one hour before dinner, is more healing than any drug or mixture that the apothecary can compound."

Dreaded Element of Which He Sang.
Eduard Grieg, the Norwegian composer, who wrote of the Vikings and the great ocean, who sang, "And it was Olaf Trygvesson and he sailed the north sea wide"—Grieg could never enter a boat because it made him deathly ill. Although money was a badly needed asset in the Grieg household, all the contracts at fabulous prices which American managers offered him were refused, because a boat ride would have killed the ocean-musician.—Charles D. Isaacson in Hearst's Magazine.

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Try every means available to secure an early morning train to Chicago.

Maintain practical chemical fire fighting apparatus and pay the fire marshal enough money so that he can give the department more time.

President-elect Harding has shown judgment in selecting General Wood as governor of the Philippines. The general's most ardent admirers could not believe that he was qualified to fill the office of president of the United States, but as governor of the Islands, which requires more of military training than statesmanship, he is thoroughly qualified.

Judge Landis is now being "investigated" by the senate, the senator from North Carolina having surely started something that he can never finish. Judge Landis' greatest crime is in being human. It is all well and good to respect the bench, but it is more in accord with American spirit for the judge to be human as well as a stickler for "the letter of the law." If a man of Judge Landis' experience can not give vent to his sentiment regarding the laxity of the law and the conditions that make criminals, who can?

THE PORK BARREL

The next time the "pork barrel" cry reaches your ears, just remind the critic that in a chat recently prepared by the Bureau of Standards that it is proved that during the last nine years, exclusive of war costs, all of the civil activities of the Government represent less than one-third of the total expenditures. A speaker at an event where Government expenditures was discussed a few nights ago, produced a dollar bill. He cut it almost in the middle—40 per cent to be exact, and held up the piece to represent the proportion of each taxpayer's dollar required for the Army, Navy, and for pensions and care of soldiers. The legislative Executive and Judicial, was represented by clipping 15 per cent off the

dollar. Public works took eleven per cent. Rivers, harbors, public building and reclamation projects, and all the alleged "pork barrel" matters that represent permanent public improvements do not combine all told, the amount of any division of the military machine. The man who cut the one dollar bill had to pare it very fine to illustrate the expenses of Education, Public Health and Research.

SQUARE PEG IN ROUND HOLE

Recent dispatches from St. Augustine, Fla., state that Mr. Harding has practically determined most of the cabinet appointments. In the same dispatch comes the news that the incoming president is considering the appointment of Frank O. Lowden as secretary of the navy.

The people who elected Mr. Harding, cast their ballots in the belief that he would be first for efficiency in government affairs. If he selects Mr. Lowden for the post of secretary of the navy, he displays a peculiar conception of efficiency. Frank O. Lowden made one of the best governors Illinois ever voted into the office, and there are federal jobs which he could fill with equal credit to himself and the nation, but can any one tell us wherein he is qualified for the post of secretary of the navy? Is he qualified, any more than Daniels, to be the commanding officer over our scores of naval officers of life-time training. Would a big railroad company select the best and most efficient head of a mercantile establishment as its president or manager? Would one expect an army officer to command a battleship? Is it a mark of efficiency to place a business man at the head of a navy?

With all due respects to Frank O. Lowden, he is not the man for the post for which he seems likely to be elated.

WARREN G. HARDING

There were plenty of references from Marion, by reporters who were stationed there during the days of the "front porch campaign" and the succeeding conference with "thorough men," to the condition of "nerves" developed by the President-elect. Senator Harding admitted that he was worn almost to a frazzle when the campaign was over; but by the time he got back from Panama he was again in fine condition. Evidently the conflicting opinions of thoughtful men" almost wore him out once more, and reporters had stories about their difficulties in obtaining statements and interviews with him. They wondered about it a great deal, and described his changed manner.

All of which might indicate, in the first place, that the new President found himself perplexed and out of patience because the "thoughtful men" thought in so many different kinds of ways that he will be obliged after all, to depend almost entirely on his own thoughts in framing policies. And having the same kind of "nerves" that the Creator has assigned to all other human beings, the new President, whom everybody knows,

wants to be frank and straightforward, is likely to need a good many fishing trips in order to keep his vision clear and his judgment running straight. He is a man with a far more vigorous frame and constitution than Woodrow Wilson brought with him to the discharge of the affairs of the Presidency, but it looks as though he will have to cultivate forbearance and patience a good deal before he will be able to find much happiness in his new task at the White House.

Unfortunately, neither Wilson nor Harding are so constituted that they will ever be able to "cuss 'em out" like Roosevelt, or "forget it" and be happy, according to the fashion of William Howard Taft.

The Licensed Falsehood.

Every man, if he catches his son in a falsehood, will at least reprimand him. But the greater the falsehood the man's favorite statesman tells, the more apt he is to vote for him, and bothers others to vote for him.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Suicide Among Musicians Rare.

It has been found that suicide is very uncommon among musicians. Schumann attempted it, and it is also recorded of Tschikowsky, but cases of musicians who have killed themselves are very rare. It is said that these facts are so, because of the mental composure and balance fostered by music.

Man Cannot Sense Coming Rain.

It is somewhat extraordinary, but man is the only animal that cannot naturally perceive approaching rain. All other animals show uneasiness when rain is coming. At such times dogs get restless, cats sneeze and wash their ears, frogs croak with a loud, harsh noise, owls screech, peacocks scream and ducks and geese are unusually noisy. This is said to be due to the relaxation of their nerves by the damp air, which makes them uneasy.

Remarkable Family.

A woman with six young "hopeful" in assorted sizes entered the day coach. She selected a double seat and occupied one-half herself. The oldest child lay down on the opposite seat and the other five sat on his prostrate body. By and by the conductor appeared, and upon being handed one full-fare ticket he sized up the little group and said: "You'll have to pay for some of these children. What is the age of the oldest?" To which the lady answered tartly: "Go on with ye; the oldest one is under five."

The Care of Your Teeth.

A teaspoonful of lime water in a glass of milk, taken every day, will help to strengthen the teeth, and will also sweeten the breath. The teeth should be brushed after every meal with a little bicarbonate of soda dissolved in warm water. One of the simplest and best dentifrices for ordinary use is white Castile soap and precipitated chalk. A few drops of tincture of myrrh in a little water makes a delightful mouth wash. Chewing the bark of cinnamon is both an antiseptic process and a healthy one for improving the teeth and gums. Use the Want Ads. Get Results.

Forenoon Marriages.
Why is noon the traditional and fashionable hour for wedding ceremonies? Because the hour became the customary one in England many years since, when the rule of partaking of the holy communion as the first act together of the married pair was universally obeyed. It was not permissible to celebrate that sacrament after mid-day.

Gladstone's Umbrella.
Gladstone's umbrella is a catch phrase for the Gladstonian policy. When in September, 1885, Mr. Gladstone issued his manifesto to the Midlothian electors, it was said that he "opened his umbrella." His ministry were said to shelter under his umbrella, and that is why in caricature he was frequently shown with a "gamp" under his arm.

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Styles Decried for the Children



THE stores are displaying entire outfits of ready-made clothes for children of all ages. For the smaller ones there are so many practical and attractive frocks that it seems hardly worth while to make them at home, except that the home seamstress can put in little individual touches not to be found in ready-mades. The styles displayed and the materials used are interesting to every one, for these ready-made garments are the work of expert specialists and they have turned out frocks more charmingly childish than ever for the coming spring.

For pretty frocks white and colored organdies appear to have inspired the imagination of designers. The daintiest dresses are made of them nearly always in combination of white and one color, as white with frills of pink or blue or yellow. These frills or ruckings have picot edges usually in black. Very dressy little frocks are made of the light-colored organdies and have adorable sun-bonnets to match, shaped with many shirrings. There are many pretty frocks of colored, dotted swiss, made up with yokes and sleeves of white organdy matching the white

dots. Where the body of the frock joins the short yoke sprays of tiny colored flowers and foliage are embroidered.

Following these sheer affairs come the small checked ginghams, in white and a color, banded and finished with white organdy which serves for collar, cuffs, sash or yokes, and sleeves, and then come the plain chambrays, usually trimmed with applique-scalloped borders of chambray in a darker color, outlined with simple stitches in mercerized floss. For very little folks, from two years to four or five, there are innumerable practical dresses and rompers, much like that one shown in the picture. Strong plain cotton or coarse linen is used for making it and its edges are finished with button-holed scallops. There is a little simple needlework on plaits at each side and button-holed slashes about the waist for a belt of ribbon or of the material, to slip through.

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Genoa Ill. **Genoa Cash Grocery Co.** Genoa Ill.

E. W. Lindgren was a Chicago passenger Wednesday.

You want fresh candy? Go to the Genoa Candy Kitchen.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Peterson, Wednesday, Feb. 16 a son.

Before buying machinery, be sure and get prices at The Midway Store.

For that painting job, there is none better than B. P. S. paints. Sold by The Midway Store.

The Jolly Eight club members met with Mrs. C. A. Goding Thursday afternoon of this week.

A. J. Kohn and O. M. Leich are attending a telephone convention in Milwaukee this week.

Mrs. Wm. Lembke spent a couple of days of last week in Chicago buying for the Cash Grocery.

The Genoa Candy Kitchen still makes that delicious fudge, Bon Bons and taffy. Try it, its great.

You are cordially invited to visit The Midway Store and look over our fine line of wall paper samples. Prices are right.

This week Friday and Saturday, Frank Mayo in "Burnt Wings" Universal superior screen star, at the Genoa Opera house.

Mr. Forrest, who has been working the Glenn Buck farm, will move onto the Joe Patterson farm south of town the first of March.

Mrs. David Divine was hostess at an eight-thirty o'clock breakfast Wednesday morning. The guests were Mesdames Caroline Richardson, F. O. Swan, F. W. Duval and C. A. Goding.

The first degree was exemplified at the Masonic Lodge at a special meeting Monday evening, when two candidates were given the degree.

Mr. Martin of Detroit, who has received his Master's degree at the University of Toronto, is teaching Manual training in the G. T. H. S.

Mrs. H. D. Aykens of George, Ia., who has been spending the past ten days with Mrs. E. W. Lindgren, left Wednesday for a short visit in Indiana.

Miss Guyla Buck and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith are leading in the contest at W. W. Cooper's store. The phonograph will be given away the last of March.

Wedding rings must be lasting as well as beautiful. Wetzel Brothers have the seamless rings in plain or engraved style in yellow, white or green gold.

J. R. Kiernan has torn down the porch at the rear of his building one much larger so that it may be utilized as a sleeping porch.

Frank Mayo, Josephine Hill, Betty Blythe, Rudolph Christians, All Universal Favorites, appear in "Burnt Wings" at the Genoa Opera house this week Friday and Saturday.

The Odd Fellows entertained in their usual pleasing manner last Monday evening. The Rebekahs and members of Odd Fellows' families were present to enjoy the program and the luncheon.

Rev. J. C. Hoffmeister of Lena, Ill., who has been preaching at the German Friedens church for some time, will soon move to Genoa and become

the permanent pastor. He is now looking for a residence.

O. E. Olson and W. A. Munger, former employes of the piano factory, are fitting up a paint shop in the Ford warehouse near the C. M. & St. Paul depot. They will specialize in painting automobiles, signs and other fine interior work.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corson returned after a week's visit in Indianapolis, Ind. at the home of their daughter, Mrs. S. W. Todd. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Burgess and L. E. Patterson.

Mrs. G. E. Wittwer, who has been visiting in Delevan, Wis., and Maywood for the past month, returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Edsall, Tuesday evening. She expects to leave soon for her home in Redlands, Calif.

Holy Communion will be served at the Lutheran church next Sunday, Feb. 20. Services begin at 10.00. Any desiring to consult Rev. Blanken before services, may see him at the residence of Mrs. Erlina Teyler on Saturday or Sunday.

Are you taking care that your glimmond is securely mounted? If you take it over without charge to you. The new best mountings are absolutely safe and enhance the beauty of the stone.

Considering the condition of the roads and the money market, the Hartman & Muhr sale at New Lebanon was well attended last Tuesday. Stock brought fair prices, but of course nothing like a year ago.

The Republican edition of January 7 1921, was entirely exhausted and we are in urgent need of three or four copies for filing purposes. If any of our subscribers have copies left, we will appreciate greatly their sending in or bringing them to the office.

As Roe Bennett and another mechanic employed by E. W. Lindgren were leaving the farm of Leonard Strack Tuesday evening, they discovered flames on the roof of the Strack residence. Prompt action on their part prevented a real blaze.

One woman had wealth, beauty, every worldly thing. The other had made for him, the greatest sacrifice a woman could—and she was his wife. The story is powerfully told in "Burnt Wings" at the Genoa Opera house this week Friday and Saturday.

The Sherwood Musical School of Chicago will soon open a branch studio in Genoa, under management of Miss Nan Wright of Elgin who teaches piano. Those desiring to become pupils please address Miss Wright at 30 South Porter Street, Elgin, Ill.

Mrs. E. W. Lindgren entertained twelve guests Monday evening, in honor of her friend, Mrs. H. D. Aykens of George, Ia. The evening was given over to five hundred, followed by dainty refreshments served in two courses.

Miss Nan Wright of Elgin, accompanied by Mrs. Schultz, was in Genoa Wednesday arranging for the opening of a music studio. She will teach piano and make regular visits to Genoa as soon as a sufficient number have signified a desire to become pupils.

Beautiful glassware reflects both refinement of taste and wisdom in buying. Many unusual pieces may be found at G. H. Martin's. No matter the occasion, be it an elaborately appointed dinner or a quiet home meal—beautiful stem ware is always appropriate.

The tower at the hose house, which is used for drying out hose after use, is being covered with fire proof shingles. This was made necessary owing to the fact that the iron covering was badly rusted. Whereas it was an eyesore, it now is more of an attraction.

If there are any surviving members of Co. K, 42nd Ill. Inf of the boys of '61 will said member or members please communicate with Charles Nichols at Kingston, Ill. Cpl. Nichols served 4 1/2 years, was wounded at Kenesaw Mt. and taken a prisoner. He is anxious to hear from some of his old comrades.

Some of the side streets in Genoa were badly cut up the first of this week, but the road drag on Wednesday helped some. The drag, persistently and consistently used is the best treatment known for a sick and ailing dirt or gravel road. Why Illinois and other states are so slow in following Wisconsin's example, passes understanding.

Charles C. Downer, who is promoting the oil enthusiasm in Marengo, was in Genoa Wednesday evening

and met several local men at the Farmers State Bank. Mr. Downer states that there are oil prospects in this vicinity as well as near Marengo and urges the forming of a stock company for the purpose of securing leases.

The dance given by the American Legion at the auditorium last Friday evening was well attended and it is pleasing to note that the boys are gradually making the objectionable dancers realize that they are not wanted. There are always a few who will try to pull off something when they think the floor managers are not in sight, but invariably, they are sooner or later caught.

Everyone in District No. 7 is invited to attend The Parent Teacher Association meeting this Friday evening, Feb. 18. There will be a program by the pupils and Supt. Warren Hubbard will speak. Come and hear Mr. Hubbard, encourage your children and boost your school. Please bring your cup and plate as a light lunch will be served after meeting. Della Gray, Secretary, Treasurer.

The Philathea class of the M. E. Sunday school will sponsor a chicken pie dinner at the church, Tuesday, Feb. 22 at 5:30 o'clock. Fifty cents is the price per plate for adults and thirty-five cents for children under twelve years of age. Come and enjoy this treat. After the dinner the Adult Bible class will hold their regular monthly meeting. This is to be an open meeting and all adults are invited to stay and enjoy their program.

BELLS OF BUDDHA

Their Tones Vary With the Tastes of the People.

Continuous Symphony of Tinkling in Rangoon and Mandalay—Japanese More Stern in Tone.

The bell is almost as characteristic a symbol of Buddhism as is the seated figure of Buddha himself. It varies, in the different Buddhist countries, with the temperament and tastes of the people. In Burma, where even Buddhism turns to sunshine and to prettiness and the towers of the temples evaporate in lace work and jewelry, the bells, glittering with precious stones, hang in clusters from the umbrella-like top of the pagoda spire and ring at their own sweet will. In the temple courts of Rangoon and Mandalay there is a continuous symphony of tinkling and chiming things—dainty, casual, wayward.

But the bells of China and Korea and those of Japan are more grandiose and sober. Like the stained-glass windows of European cathedrals, Japanese bells are storied records of their temples and their times. They bear inscriptions by famous poets and scholars; they are molded into a wealth of symbolism. And around them cling, like the moss and flowers that have overgrown the woodland Buddhas of Nikko, legends and tales and history that live on the lips of generations who have dwelt in the shadow of some great bell and whose lives have been unconsciously attuned to its grave and somber harmony.

Yet, though the imagination of the people clings around it, the temple bell seems to speak most eloquently from lonely places, from the heart of monastic woods, from heights to which the contemplative may withdraw for meditation. It has none of the familiar and sociable character of the occidental church bell. Though Christianity, like Buddhism, has understood the value of the bell, the difference between the bells of East and West is typical of a difference in the genius of the two faiths. In the cities of England and northern Europe the bell is the first to speak out on any occasion of special significance to the people. It announces funerals, weddings, fires and wars. It is at its best in the expression of communal joy. The very method of ringing—in carillons, chimes and joyous changes—makes it seem a representation of many voices raised in a chorus of gladness.

The Buddhist bell has none of these social characteristics. It could hardly quicken its deep tone to speak of joy. It seems a voice apart from temporal things, cognizant only of eternity and Nirvana. Yet on any occasion of general sorrow its accent—tranquil, remote, unhurried—may be immeasurably consoling. An American who lived in Kobe while the epidemic of influenza was at its worst often speaks of the comfort he felt in the sound of the temple bell from the hill. All day he saw the procession of the dead pass his house and smoke of the crematories dimming the sky; but every night at nine o'clock the great bell spoke out—serene and gracious on the evening air—and its grave voice seemed to be saying: "Fret not; for all this passes. It is well."—Marjorie Latta Barstov in Asia Magazine.

Let's Gather It In.
It is computed that the earth's atmosphere contains at least 4,000,000,000,000 tons of nitrogen directly accessible. The quantity in the air over one square kilometer of land is sufficient to enrich the earth of the whole world for twenty years at the present rate of consumption.

A Sunflower Definition.
Really, a pessimist is only a person who expects to get the worst of it a little sooner than the rest of us.—Topeka Capital.

Ringwalt Floor Coverings 69c a Square yd. at Theo. F. Swan's.

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Elgin, Ill.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Christopher H. Awe Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Christopher H. Awe, late of the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County at the Court house in Sycamore at the April Term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against the said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 31st. day of January A. D. 1921.

Caroline Awe, Executrix.
E. W. Browne, Atty. 14-3t

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NOTICE

To Michael D. Reeves, the unknown heirs and devisees of Michael D. Reeves, deceased, and the unknown heirs and devisees of Richard Eddy, deceased, the unknown owners and the unknown owners of the West 49 1/2 acres of the South 1/2 of the South east 1/4 of Section 25 and all of that part of the Southeast 1/4 of the South-west 1/4 of Section 25 as is north of the St. Charles and Genoa Road, supposed to contain 5 acres, all in Township 42 North, Range 5 East of the Third Principal Meridian, situated in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois:

You are hereby notified that there is now pending in the Circuit Court of DeKalb County, in the State of Illinois, a certain suit (General No. 20438) wherein Malinda M. Harrington is complainant and you are defendants; that a summons has been issued in said cause returnable at the Court House in Sycamore, in said county, on the fourth Monday of February 1921.

Geo. A. James
Clerk of Said court.
Earle W. Brown,
Solicitor for Complainant.
Genoa, Illinois.

12-4t

No Fox; No Fables.
Foxes have figured in the fables of every race of men on earth since the dawn of history, writes Dr. R. W. Shufeldt in the American Forestry Magazine. Take what the fox did out of the fables of Aesop and other writers of fables and their work would be robbed of four-fifths their interest.

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Wants, For Sale, Etc.

Ads in this column 5c a line per week; minimum charge 25 cents

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FOR SALE—One 32x34 SS Miller cord tire and tube at right price. Driven 160 miles. Inquire A. D. Had-sall, Genoa, Ill. Phone No. 1. Fits Buick, Dodge and Chevrolet.

FOR SALE—An 8 room bungalow with all modern improvements, on Emmet St., Genoa, Ill. Inquire of Roy Stanley, 16-tf.

FOR SALE—Some of those good home grown potatoes. Inquire of Wm. Hecht, Genoa, 16-2t.

FOR SALE—One Minneapolis Tractor No. 1225; three Grand de Tour bottom plow; one 20 disc tandem P. O. These were taken in trade and will be sold cheap. J. A. Patterson, Genoa, Phone 22. 15-tf.

FOR SALE—Good used cars. Two five passenger cars, one roadster and one four passenger Lexington coupe. B & G Garage, Genoa, Ill.

FOR SALE—Good used Ford Cars. E. W. Lindgren, Genoa, Ill. 23-tf.

FOR SALE—new milkers with calves by side, 1 yearling Holstein bull, 3 yearling Hereford bulls, registered. A. F. Corson, Genoa, 4-tf.

GOLD STANDARD VALUES—Reo speed wagon chassis, \$1385; cord res, electric starter, regular equipment. Ryckert & Girton, 122 So. California street, Sycamore, Ill. 11-tf

FOR SALE—Cord Wood, also 700 choice 7 foot Burr Oak Fence posts. Geithman & Hammond, Genoa, Ill. 12-tf.

Lands and City Property

FOR SALE—Modern improved house on East Main street, Genoa. Inquire of Dr. J. D. Corson, executor, Leaf River, Ill. 42-tf.

FOR SALE—Eight residence properties, at anywhere from \$600.00 to \$6,000.00, according to location and improvements. Some of these ought to fit and suit you if you want any. 35-tf D. S. Brown.

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FOR SALE—Choice Barred Rock cockerels of the J. W. Park strain of Altoon, Penn. This strain is bred to lay. J. W. Sowers, Genoa, 15-2t.

STOCK SALE—Prairie View Stock Farm 2nd annual sale of Big Type Poland China brood sows and Short horn cattle will be held on Feb. 15, 1921 at the farm 1/2 mile north of New Lebanon. Write for catalog to Hartman & Muhr Post office, Hampshire, Ill. 10-tf.

Use the Want Ads. Get Results.

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WANTED—About 20 Brown Leghorn Pullets. Phone Genoa 181.

WANTED—Telephone operator. Inquire at Genoa exchange of DeKalb County Telephone Co. 16-2t.

SHOE REPAIRING—Since the Genoa shoe repair shops have burned down why not try the Kingston shoe repair shop. All first class fancy heels for women. Work done while you wait at lowest price. All work guaranteed. Open until 10 p. m. Kingston Shoe Repair Shop, Kingston, Ill. 14-3t.

WANTED—Girls and Women up to forty years of age for light factory work. Capable of earning eighteen to twenty dollars per week. Arrangements can be made for room and board. Apply Illinois Wire & Cable Company, Sycamore, Ill. Telephone 69. 15-tf.

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HAY—I am in a position to buy hay or bale hay by the ton. L. A. Wyde, Genoa, Ill. 10-tf

LOST and FOUND

FOUND—G. A. R. Pin. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying advertising charges.

Genoa Township High School

Contributed by SEVERAL WRITERS

GENOA 22—MAPLE PARK 18

Playing the best brand of basket ball that they have shown this year, the high school boys pulled out a fast and exciting game on the Maple Park floor Tuesday night, in five minutes overtime play, by the score of 22 to 18.

The teams were evenly matched and the game was stubbornly contested from the start. Maple Park got away to a lead early in the first quarter, Ahlin making the first basket on a dribble from centre. Adler for Genoa made the next score and for the first quarter the game seesawed back and forth, the advantage with Maple Park. In the first half the Park boys led 14 to 8. Genoa came back forth hard in the second half and fought steadily up hill, finally reaching a lead of 17 to 16 on a shot by Lackner. A free throw by Bartle gave Genoa 15 points, when a rally by Maple Park tied the score at 18 to 18 at the end. This necessitated a play-off. In five minutes of the stiffest kind of playing, Geithman shot two pretty baskets and Genoa won 22 to 18.

The Genoa team played a steady game most of the way, although the team play is still ragged and there was some very poor passing. The defensive work was the best part of the game with captain Gustavison carrying off the honors. He and Bartle carried off the brunt of the guarding, but the forwards and centres showed up better than in the previous games. Geithman is striking his stride and Adler and Lackner are covering the floor better.

Brown and Ahlin played the best game for Maple Park, Ahlin making most of the Park scores. He dribbles fast and shoots well, and would be a dangerous man on any floor. The basket ball game last Friday night, played by Hampshire and Genoa resulted in a defeat for Genoa, by a heavier and more experienced team. Our boys became discouraged during the first quarter and lost their pep. If they had kept up their hard fighting to the finish they would have kept the score down and probably won the game.

However our team now has shown what it can do and we are proud of the work they accomplished in the last game.

The next home game will be played on February 25, when Monroe Centre brings her two teams for a double header.

SENIORS
Earle O'Bright

People looking at our school from the outside are likely to overestimate our disadvantages. To be sure, we are located in temporary quarters and the new school to which we look forward will certainly afford development. Meanwhile, however, we are making the best of our opportunity here and we think it not so bad.

We are fortunate enough to have as many as five rooms to be used as classrooms besides another which being the largest is used as our assembly room and general study. There is also a domestic science laboratory in the basement with equipment which if not adequate is certainly better handled than in most schools of like size. We have warm rooms and plenty of light; plenty of seats; plenty of books—often too many for some; plenty of blackboards; and for each room a clock that doesn't run any too fast.

MANUAL TRAINING

Floyd Gustavison and Young Mr. Moore is about to be relieved of the manual training class in which he has been substitute for the past two weeks. The work has progressed as usual. Carroll Swanson is

making a table which is very near completion. Charles Kellogg has just started a magazine rack. Harry Adler is well advanced on a chaffing dish buffet. Aquariums are the chief aspirations of Wayne and "Scoop."

JUNIOR ASSEMBLY

Zella Fisher acted as chairman of the Junior Assembly given on Feb. 10 and Jeanette Shierk as secretary. The program was opened with the "Levee Song." The following numbers completed the program:

"Lincoln as a boy," by Harold Corson; Dialogue, "Scenes from Lincoln" "St. Valentine," by Leatta Stiltz; "Being a Sport," by Vera Sowers; "Valentine Greetings," by Clarence Russell; "A Valentine Almost Lost," Freda Montgomery; "What we owe to Lincoln," Donald Fulcher; "A Verse for Boys," Kenneth Field; "Dainties Valentine," Griffith Harshman;

After the program the Valentines were distributed. Nobody seemed to be forgotten as there was no endless number of Valentines.

GENOA HI-Life

By Evelyn Patterson

Lost: Miss Skinner's, "Baby Ben." Mr. Moore: "Suppose I insured a barn for \$3,000 in three different companies and that night set fire to the barn, what would I get?" Wayne: "Ten to fourteen years at Joliet."

Miss Irwin: "What is the meaning of the word beaux?" Gladys: "Why don't you know what they are?"

All the Seniors dignified Think the Freshies green Must be greatly magnified Even to be seen Mrs. Schoonmaker: "Yes, the priest is under the bishop, but what is under the priest?"

Harriet: "His feet." Mrs. Schoonmaker: "Erwin, will you please tell me where medieval history begins?" Erwin: "Where medieval history ended"

Mrs. Schoonmaker: "Correct, but where did ancient history end?" Erwin: "Where medieval history started."

Miss Irwin: "Homer wrote the Iliad in Greek." Donald (just waking up): "Greece must not have been as high as it is now."

Miss Cook: "Why do all the words have roots?" Freshie: "I suppose so they can grow."

(Found on Ruth's Oration)

"It is deplorable the way some men do. They find a pretty girl, marry her and then leave her. What can be so sad as to think of a poor lovely mother with her babe, rocking her cradle with one foot and wiping tears with the other."

Mr. Moore (Geometry): "Zelma, did you draw that line accurately or by guess?" Zelma: "I drew it with a ruler."

Klea: "Why is a school room like a Ford?" Evelyn: "I don't know" Klea: "Why, because there's a crank at one end and all the little nuts at the other."

SIXTH GRADE SCHOOL NOTES

By Ruby Russell

Friday night Lucille Fisher attended her first basket ball game. Before the game started a step ladder was brought in to repair the basket. When Lucille saw this, she innocently asked if that was where the referee sat during the game.

The fourth, fifth and sixth grades enjoyed a Valentine box Monday afternoon. The children received many Valentines.

Koth Saul was absent two days last week.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Myrtle Van Wie

The Senior domestic science class is still making bread. For some time the entire class has been working together in breadmaking; now the girls are working individually, each making a loaf just large enough to afford practice in kneading.

The sewing class is making blouses. Some are adding finishing touches while others, with tailored blouses are having a little more work. This work is preliminary to dressmaking in gingham and voiles.

THE SENIOR ASSEMBLY

Freida Kohn

Last Thursday morning four members of the Senior Class gave the following orations, with John Dyer acting as chairman:

"Japanese in America"—Klea Schoonmaker. "Our Nation and Our Waterways"—Mable Montgomery. "Educating from the Bottom Up"—Donald Young.

"Child Labor"—Myrtle Van Wie. These orations are preparing the seniors for their commencement exercises.

Virginia Harshman was absent from school Thursday on account of illness. Leota Niss has been ill and returned to school Monday after two weeks' absence.

FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADES

Reported by Lucille Fisher

Ethel Reid is absent from school, suffering from a broken leg. John Zeller went to Chicago last week and attended the automobile show. He gave us a short talk about it.

We have a new fourth grade pupil, Leland Monks. Edwin Nutt has come back to our school again. Ben Gordon passed from B Class into A Class and is now in our room. The fourth, fifth and sixth grades had their valentine boxes Monday afternoon.

THE COUNCIL MEETS

Fires of Month Cost \$160.00—New Equipment Ordered

Feb. 4, 1921

Regular meeting of the city council called to order by James Hutchison, mayor pro tem. Members present, Patterson, Zeller, Hutchison, Shipman.

(Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved. The following bills were read and approved by the finance committee:

E. E. Crawford	\$110.00
E. H. Browne	10.00
Mary Canavan	3.00
Holcomb Dutton Lumber Co.	31.25
Ill. N. Utilities Co.	251.33
James Kiernan	2.00
A. A. Stiles	3.25
H. A. Perkins & Son	.65
Wm. Heed	95.00
L. Morehart	23.60
Oley Seaburg	4.00
Geo. Loipten	1.00
C. H. Van Wie	1.50
C. M. & St. P. R. R.	22.95
DeKalb Co. Tel. Co.	9.50
Wm. Abraham	1.50
Fire Department	160.00

Motion by Zeller, second by Patterson that bills be allowed and an order drawn on the treasurer for the accounts. Motion carried.

Motion by Shipman, second by Patterson that the city issue an anticipation warrant for the sum of \$700.00 to the Exchange State Bank, the warrant to be payable solely from the taxes levied for the year 1920 by the city council of the city of Genoa, when collected, and not otherwise and shall bear interest payable only out of said taxes at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the date issued until paid. Motion carried.

Reports of the city treasurer and city clerk were read and accepted. Motion by Zeller, second by Shipman that city clerk collect all money from city collector on Feb. 28, 1921. Motion carried.

Motion made by Patterson, second by Shipman that the city purchase 1 1/2 inch nozzle and 80 feet extra heavy pump rod pipe at once. Motion carried.

Motion by Zeller, second by Shipman that council adjourn. Motion carried.

R. B. Field, City Clerk

ACCOUNT OF BABY

By MARGUERITE RAND.

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Little Mrs. Fenway sat alone in her pretty living room, too miserable even to wipe away the tears that rolled steadily down her cheeks. Unheeded, they splashed upon the new gingham dress that she had bought only a week ago because Tom liked to see her in pink and white. Even the baby's gurgling laugh out on the porch could not win a smile from her; indeed, it added to her wretchedness, for was not the baby, that most adorable bit of humanity, the cause of all her trouble?

"Oh, dear," wept Mrs. Fenway, "I wouldn't have believed that Tom could be so brutal! What shall I do? Oh, I'm so miserable!"

Suddenly, like a ray of hope, came the thought of Aunt Marcia.

"She always helped me out of my troubles at school; perhaps she can think of some way to help me now."

Dabbling some powder on her nose, and hoping that no one would notice her red eyes, she hurried to the telegraph station, and an hour later Aunt Marcia was thrown into consternation by the following message:

"Am in a dreadful trouble. Can't you come at once? Dot"

The old lady was busy preserving peaches, but with visions of terrible calamities before her, she left the fruit to its fate, hastily packed a bag and responded to her niece's call.

"Well, Dot, what's the matter?" she asked as soon as the first greetings were over. "Mercy! how you frightened me! Is the baby sick?"

Dot shook her head. "Well, is anything the matter with Tom? Where is he? For heaven's sake, tell me what the trouble is!"

At these questions the flood-gates opened again, and between sobs Dot gasped: "I don't know. He hasn't been home for three whole days and nights."

"Not come home!" echoed Aunt Marcia in astonishment. "Why not?" "We—we quarreled," groaned Dot. "Just because I love the baby so much. He says I won't go anywhere, or have any fun, or—do anything."

"Well, is it true?" asked Aunt Marcia briskly. "Maybe it is," acknowledged Dot. "But how can I bear to leave my baby? He's so adorable. Why, Aunt Marcia, even when he's asleep it's lovely just to sit by his crib and watch him breathing softly. Tom thought so at first, but now he wants to go out to theaters and dinners, instead of staying at home with our own lovely, precious baby."

"Oh, good heavens!" ejaculated Aunt Marcia. "You don't suppose Tom Fenway's whole nature is changed just because you and he have a baby, do you? Tom was always the most popular fellow in town. Of course, he isn't going to settle down at home with nothing to do but hang over a baby's cradle—even as fine a baby as Tom, Jr.," finished Aunt Marcia proudly.

"That's just what he said—that he couldn't spend all his time hanging over baby's crib. Our own darling baby! Oh, wasn't he brutal?"

"Not a bit of it," laughed Aunt Marcia. "He's sensible. Now look here, you don't want to lose Tom altogether, do you?"

"No, no!" cried Dot miserably. "I couldn't live without Tom." Her eyes widened with sudden fear. "Why, you don't think—"

"Yes, I do." Aunt Marcia's tone was decisive. "Tom's bound to enjoy life, and if you won't share his pleasures, some one else will. You'd better make up with him, that's my advice. The nurse is competent to take care of the baby, isn't she?"

"Yes," Dot spoke slowly, "she knows more about babies than I do. I do want Tom to come home, but I can't ask him to. I don't believe he loves me or the baby, or he wouldn't have gone away."

"Nonsense!" Aunt Marcia laughed ruthlessly. "You hate to give in, that's all; but you'd better pocket your pride. Doesn't he come to see the baby?"

"No, not here," sobbed Dot. "He said he wouldn't until I was ready to be what he calls sensible. But he stops in the park every day when baby is out with his nurse. I can see them from my window."

"Well," suggested Aunt Marcia, "can't you walk through the park and pretend that you've met him by accident?"

Dot pondered a moment, then a mischievous smile brought out the dimples in her cheeks.

Late next afternoon Aunt Marcia sat sewing in the living room when Dot danced in, her eyes shining and a big box of roses in her hands. Upstairs a cheerful whistle sounded from Tom's room.

"It worked, didn't it?" said Aunt Marcia with a smile. "Oh, you old dear, let me hug you," exclaimed Dot impulsively. "I'm so glad I followed your advice. Tom really loves baby just as much as I do, but he has different ways of showing it. Now I've got to dress, for we're going to the theater tonight. Tom says we don't want to turn into stupid, old-fogy parents yet. We've got to keep ourselves young and jolly, especially on account of the baby."

"That's right," called Aunt Marcia as Dot flew up the stairs, "and while you're dressing I will pack my bag. I've got to get home to these peaches."

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By Charles Sughroe

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The DARK MIRROR

By LOUIS JOSEPH VANÇE

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THE HAUNTED WOMAN.

Synopsis.—Vaguely conscious of a double personality, but without any idea of its meaning, the girl, Leonora, makes her accustomed way into the Street of Strange Faces. Thoroughly at home in the underworld of New York, Leonora takes her course to her appointed rendezvous. Mario joins her. Greatly in love and seeing the fine qualities which the girl really possesses, Mario seeks to turn her from the path of inevitable destruction. She promises to marry him. At Ristori's cafe, gathering place of criminals, Leonora meets her partner, "Red" Carnehan, and his associates, and is accused of betraying a fellow criminal to the police. She bravely defends herself, and the ensuing argument is interrupted by the appearance of Leo Bielsky, fleeing from the police, one of whom he has killed. Officers in pursuit crash into the room and two are killed by Carnehan. Leonora and the rest escape. In her studio, Priscilla Maine, wealthy artist, awakes from troubled sleep with a distinct feeling of having her life linked with Leonora's. Priscilla has painted a picture of herself in fancy dress—a gipsy—which seems to have a hypnotic effect on her. Unnerved, and fearful that her mind is affected, Priscilla decides to call to her aid a dear friend, Dr. Philip Fosdick.

III. PHILIP FOSDICK—Continued.

"But, Philip, you do it so poorly, you're so professional; you transfuse me with the penetrating eye of diagnosis and prescribe: 'Love me!'—for all the world as if love were bread pills or distilled water in a bottle labeled 'Shake well before using!' And I really don't feel run down enough."

"I see. You want love slipped over on you . . . like bribing the cook to put a philtre in your coffee." "That's it, Philip! Subtlety does it."

"Thanks for the tip. I'm making a note of it. So don't be surprised if you wake up one fine morning and find yourself madly in love with me."

"I won't be; and I wouldn't even mind—"

"Priscilla!"

"But I'm not now. So don't lose your head."

"Why not, when my heart—?"

"Please! I called up to ask a very serious question."

"Shoot."

"What's a psycho-analyst, Philip?"

"Well, I'm one—a cross between a quack and a confidence man."

"I know; but what do you do when you're duly functioning as such?"

"You mean, how do I make a living?"

"No—only what do you do to make people pay fat fees?"

"Why, I pry into their souls, if they happen to have any, and ferret out all their secrets—those they purposely try to keep from me, and those they themselves don't know anything about."

"I see . . . Philip, will you do me a favor; psycho-analyze me?"

"What's the good? I did that long ago."

"Really, Philip? Misgivings put a tremor into her voice. "What did you find out?"

"That you're the dearest, sweetest—"

"No—please! I'm in earnest. I think I've got a buried secret, and I want you to exhume it and see what it's made of."

"Are you serious?"

"Desperately."

"Mm . . . What are you doing this afternoon?"

"Having you to tea, if you can come."

"I'll come whether I can or not. But what about Aunt Esther? We can't have a third present if we're to talk confidences."

"Let's have tea at the studio."

"Same objection; Ada Moyer—"

"I'll get rid of her somehow."

"Right-o! The studio. What time? Four?"

"Please. I'll be waiting."

IV. LOVE?

Ada Moyer was a pretty, vivacious, fluffly little woman, thoroughly mondaine and contented with herself, her husband, her world. Entirely lacking in any special aptitude for painting, she dabbled in oils a bit, partly because it afforded her an outlet for much superfluous energy that might otherwise have got her into mischief, partly because she was fond of Priscilla, believed her by way of being a genius, and was glad to lend the girl the show of chaperonage without which she must have had a difficult time of it with Aunt Esther. But Mrs. Moyer was as apt as not to absent herself from the studio for days at a time; and on this afternoon Priscilla found nothing to indicate that the other had been there at all.

Glad to be spared the necessity of explaining that she wanted to be alone with Philip Fosdick, the girl moved alertly round the room, superintending the preparation of tea by the maid she had brought with her, placing the table and the chairs the way she wanted them—setting the stage for a scene which, she felt instinctively, might affect most intimately all her

days to come. She was always pleased when Philip was about. Consciousness of the love he had for her was something she would not willingly have forfeited. She was only sorry she didn't love him in return; at least, not in the way Philip wanted and deserved to be loved . . . vastly different from such love as had thrown Leonora into the arms of Mario . . .

She paused, a slight frown puckering her delicately lined brows.

Strange how the memory of that caress had power to tug at her heart-strings! Stranger still that anything as fantastic as that shadowy love of shadows should seem so real, more real than all else in the content of her drama, even its culminating tragedy . . . more real, indeed, than anything in this world of reality wherein she moved and lived and had her being . . .

In a long stare she comprehended the studio as with strange eyes, perceiving afresh the substantial beauty of its time-mellowed furnishings; the well-chosen pieces of period mahogany shining with contented luster; the handsome draperies of rich stuffs matchlessly colored and toned, brocades, tapestries, embossed velvets, illuminated leathers of antique Spanish artistry; the framed canvases on its walls and those unframed others that turned to them bashful faces, standing on the floor; the fine old rugs whose collection had been her father's hobby; the darkly polished floor darkly mirroring all things that caught the light; the great wide fireplace with its massive dogs of brass; the bookshelves laden with well-bound works of art; the wide, unglazed window in the south wall whose heavy draperies she had thrown back to let in the sun.

She gave a gesture of doubt and anxiety. If this were not love, what was it? Not sanity; how could one love a phantom? . . . She began to regret the weakness which had moved her to call up Philip Fosdick. How could she bring herself to confess this secret even to him? How keep it hidden from him? How hope to deceive that keen insight which had lifted him to his present high place in the ranks of psychopathologists?

She sang no more, but awaited Philip's coming with more misgivings than she liked.

V. CONFESSION.

Philip Fosdick had a way of exorcising constraint and implanting confidence even in those who had no special liking for him. And Priscilla was genuinely attached to him, more so than she knew. And when she saw how well he looked, how very much alive and alert—mentally and physically Philip always seemed at concert pitch and never to know a let-down—hesitation and doubts were swept away like leaves before an autumnal wind.

"I suspected it," he announced, nodding sagely; "you're a fraud—and thank God for that! Now give me tea, please, and tell me all."

She made a little move of petulance. "I knew you'd laugh at me!"

"I hoped I would."

Philip fopped boishly into his favorite chair, helped himself to a cigarette, and watched Priscilla narrowly while she sugared his cup with the traditional two lumps, added the slice of lemon, and drowned both in tea. Never had she seemed more beautiful or more perfectly poised. Impossible, he told himself, there could be anything amiss with a creature of such radiance! Some girlish notion, nothing more serious . . .

"How long have you known me, Philip?"

"Let me see . . . To the best of my recollection, since you were about a year old; I remember coming into the nursery unexpectedly and finding you—"

"Never mind! Have you ever observed anything in me that led you to believe I was abnormal in any way?"

He contemplated a frivolous reply, but seeing the gravity in her eyes refrained.

"Never!" said Philip solemnly.

"Well, there is something . . . Philip: I have dreams. The strangest dreams don't laugh, Philip. It isn't any laughing matter."

He drew the slightest face of sympathy imaginable. "Go on."

"As far back as I can remember, I've every now and then had a special sort of dream that seemed very real to me. Even as a little girl—though then, I think, they weren't so definite . . . But when I began to grow into long dresses, the dreams took on a certain form they've kept ever since."

"Such as—?"

"What I fancy slums must be like. The self I see in dreams belongs there—dresses, acts, talks precisely like a girl who's never had any advantages to speak of, much education or contact with the pleasant side of life. All the same she is myself . . . much as if I put on some disguise so complete it disguised even my speech and habits of thoughts, even my sentiments and impulses. This girl does and says things I never could and, awake, have never thought of. But to

her they seem quite right, the natural and right things to do and say. The truth is, most of the time she's rather self-satisfied and pleased with everything—the life she leads, the people she knows, the fun she has—everything."

"I understand." Now unfeignedly intrigued, Philip had abandoned all pretense of treating the matter lightly, and was sitting forward, eager smoldering between his fingers, his eyes intently searching Priscilla's face. "Tell me something about the content of these dreams. Go back as far as you can . . ."

"My first memories are very vague," Priscilla told him. "They were childish and simple impressions of another little girl who was rather unhappy most of the time. I think she lived with an old woman—a wretched old witch of a woman who was cruel to her, seemed to hate her and enjoy beating her—in a mean little flat somewhere. The old woman used to totter about with cards in the front room. But all that's very vague now. I don't remember much more, except that the little girl used to play a great deal in the streets."

"But when she—or you—grew up, the dreams became more real?"

"Yes; about that time something happened to the old woman. I presume she died, and the girl was left alone to look out for herself. I don't know what she did for a living because I never saw her except at night. Then I would meet her, or rather find myself with her in the Street of Strange Faces . . ."

A questioning look obliged Priscilla to break off here and explain about the river, the Dark Corner, and the Street.

"And then we," she resumed—"or she—would start off and have curious experiences. She somehow fell in with a sort of desperado, a gang leader such as one sometimes reads about in the newspapers, named Red Carnehan—"

"So you remember names!"

"Oh, perfectly; places, too. And this Red Carnehan fell in love with her, and they became engaged—I

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It seemed that he would never finish reading . . .

VI. THE EVENING PAPER.

She was standing to one side of the south window, abstractedly looking down over Macdonald alley, when she heard Philip utter a startled exclamation and jump up from his chair.

Turning she saw him approaching, the scribbled pages of her narrative crushed in his hand, his face dark with amazement.

"This is more than extraordinary," he declared—"it's impossible, incomprehensible! . . . Priscilla, tell me; have you by any chance seen the afternoon papers?"

Premonition started a hand fluttering toward her bosom. "Why . . . no."

"You're sure?"

"But of course, Philip!" And then, alarmed by his look of doubt—"What is it? Why do you ask?"

"Half a minute." Philip crossed to the console table near the door, where he had left his hat and stick and a folded newspaper, and came back with the latter, hastily shaking out its sheets. "I remember noticing a news story on my way here," he said abstractedly, as he scanned the columns—"story curiously like yours in some respects—about some gangster or other on the lower East side who shot a detective in the street last night, then took refuge in a restaurant, and escaped after shooting two others. I'm not sure the name's the same but . . . Ah!" The backs of his fingers tapped the paper smartly. "Here it is . . . You see."

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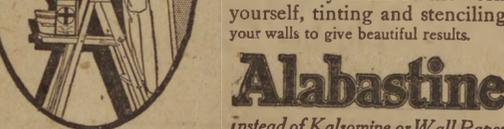
Early Observation. The Teacher—"What bird has been thought by some to bring sorrow and trouble to houses over which it hovered?" **Robbie Multikids—The stork.**

Knitters, Let's Have Wool in Balls. How much time do the women knitters of the fashionable hand-made wool stocking spend winding yarn into balls? English women are investigating a campaign designed to compel yarn manufacturers to wind wool into balls instead of skeins. The women figure the heel or toe of a stocking could be turned in the time it takes to hand-wind the yarn which is now universally sold in skeins.

Soot is doing serious damage to London's big buildings by eating away the stone.

Ask Your Dealer

ASK your local dealer to recommend a practical decorator. If you are unable to secure one you can do the work yourself, tinting and stenciling your walls to give beautiful results.



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Buy Alabastine from your local dealer, white and a variety of tints, ready to mix with cold water and apply with a suitable brush. Each package has the cross and circle printed in red. By intermixing Alabastine tints you can accurately match draperies and rugs and obtain individual treatment of each room.

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End of a Perfect Day! One tot at kindergarten had a habit of ending her stories with the remark, "And they lived happily ever after."

WOMEN! USE "DIAMOND DYES" Dye Old Skirts, Dresses, Waists, Coats, Stockings, Draperies—Everything.

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains easy directions for dyeing any article of wool, silk, cotton, linen, or mixed goods. Beware! Poor dye streaks, spots, fades, and ruins material by giving it a "dyed-look." Buy "Diamond Dyes" only. Druggist has Color Card.—Adv.

Who Knows? A Manhattan dealer in whale meat explains that "the stuff tastes like a beefsteak cooked in clam broth and sugared." Now what does a beefsteak cooked in clam broth and sugared taste like?

Important to Mothers Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of **Dr. J. C. Williams** In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Like many other features of life that are criticized, marriage continues to be pretty general.

War Made World Smaller. The idea of how ex-service men have scattered since the war is obtained from three Christmas cards a former Kansas ex-service man received from three army friends. One came from Japan, another from the Belgian Congo and a third from Johannesburg, South Africa.—Cap-pers Weekly.

Cuticura for Sore Hands. Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes.—Adv.

Don't judge the railway company by the cigars sold on its trains. It's just as well to remember that it's always well to be just.

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Neglected Colds are Dangerous. Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze. Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache

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Poland-China Hog Sale

February 21, 1921

G. F. Sager and Son will hold their annual Red Sow sale on their farm 1 1/2 miles southeast of Belvidere (at Sager's Corners) at which time they will offer 40 head of the best individuals and the best breeding we have ever offered for quality and size. These sows are not fat but in excellent condition and you are urged to attend this sale. If you do not care to buy we would like to have you come and inspect the herd.

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KINGSTON NEWS

Mrs. L. H. Branch was a Sycamore visitor Friday.

Mrs. Ernest Bozzy was a Sycamore visitor Wednesday.

Frank Stark of Sycamore was a Kingston visitor Saturday.

Miss Agnes Robinson was home from Elgin over the week-end.

Miss Hazel Ludwig was home from Rockford Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Eula Davis of Genoa was the guest of Edith Moore last Thursday.

Mrs. M. L. Bickler has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Walker in Sterling.

Mrs. Olive Ortt is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Helsdon in Belvidere.

Mrs. A. J. Lettow went to DeKalb last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bozzy and two children and Florence Howe motored to Beloit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Koch entertained the former's parents of Hampshire Sunday and Monday.

The Ladies of the M. E. Aid Society will serve dinner in the church basement Saturday, Feb. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sitbum have moved from the George Gower farm to a farm near Belvidere.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smith of Sycamore have been the guests of the former's brother, F. P. Smith and wife.

Mrs. H. G. Burgess has returned home from a visit with her daughter, Gladys, at Madison and other relatives in Wisconsin.

Besuro and come to the third number of the Lyceum course in Knappenberg's hall Saturday night, Feb. 19. The Freeman-Hammond Co. of Chicago will be the entertainers and are sure to please. Remember it is a musical number.

Rev. Steadman Aldis of Basim, Berar, India, will preach both morning and evening next Sunday, Feb. 20, at the Methodist church. He will appear in his native costume and exhibit some of the Gods they worship and also some curios from India where he has spent 8 years as a missionary. Everybody welcome.

MORE SCHOOL FUNDS

State Asked to Increase Distributive Fund to \$20,000,000

A conference of county superintendents and school superintendents was held at Springfield last week. The conference discussed proposed legislation which would increase the distributive fund of Illinois from \$6,000,000 to \$20,000,000 and would increase DeKalb county's school fund from \$25,000 to approximately \$30,000 while the city school fund will be increased about \$16,000.

This conference at Springfield was called by the State Superintendent of Schools Francis G. Blair, was attended by county and city school superintendents from all parts of the state. Many other matters pertaining to the schools of the state will be given consideration.

This distributive fund is apportioned to the counties on the basis of the number of persons under 21 years of age. The proposed increase in the distributive fund is advocated by the state teachers' association and represents the view of school authorities who believe the state should pay a large proportion of the cost of education. The distributive fund, increased from \$4,000,000 to \$6,000,000 two years ago, is used for educational purposes only.

Validating acts for high school districts held invalid by the supreme court will be sought by supporters of the districts.

Other legislation taken up by the county superintendents included: The county truant officers' act, the salary law providing for increase in salaries of county superintendents, school consolidation and certification laws.

Could Be Bought Off.

Alice was staying with her father one evening while her mother was away. The father, while reading, was wiggling the floor lamp and Alice spoke up: "You know mamma does not want you to play with that lamp." She waited a minute, then added: "If you will give me a nickel I won't tell her."

Goodness Always Influential.
No man or woman of the humblest sort can really be strong, gentle, pure and good without the world being better for it, without somebody being helped and comforted by the very existence of that goodness.—Phillips Brooks.

New Lebanon

Mr. and Mrs. M. Primm motored to Sycamore Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Colton spent Sunday at T. B. Gray's.

Lem Gray and family were Sunday visitors, at Joe Muhr's.

Lem Gray and Arthur Hartman motored to Sycamore Saturday.

Mrs. Lem Gray and children called on Mrs. Theron Roush Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coon and son spent Tuesday at Dumlin Bros.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the J. Kelly sale Monday.

Chas. Coon and family attended dedication services at Genoa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Hurd and children called at Chas. Coon's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hartman of Sycamore spent Saturday at Joe Muhr's.

Walter Bowman and Elmer Stoxon were callers at Stewart Bowers Sunday evening.

Wm. Becker and family motored to Hinckley Sunday and spent the day at Wm. Beuer's.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mathies and son of Elgin spent the forepart of the week at Joe Muhr's.

Richard Finley, of Bor Bonnais, spent over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Finley and brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gentz were given a farewell party, Tuesday evening. Seventy were present and all spent a very enjoyable time. The evening was spent in contests, and at cards. Anna Coon, first favor; Anna Primm, second favor and Frank Shely, third favor in contests. Mr. and Mrs. Gentz were presented with a purse of money. A luncheon was served at mid-night.

A miscellaneous shower was given Mr. and Mrs. George Schliesher at the Wm. Drendell home Saturday evening. Eighty were present. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Contests, games and 500 were played. Mr. and Mrs. Schliesher were given cut glass, handpainted china, pyrex silver, aluminum and towel sets and kitchen utensils. A luncheon was served at mid-night, consisting of sandwiches, cheese, pickles and fruit.

HOW THEY GROW

LaSalle County Boasts Largest Membership in Farm Bureau

LaSalle county boasts of the largest county farm bureau not only in Illinois, but in the United States, the annual report of George A. Fox treasurer, shows.

At the close of January it had 3,155 active members, according to Mr. Fox's report. Iroquois county ranks second in the state in membership with 2,719; McLean county third, with 2,379; Livingston county fourth, with 2,359, and Champaign county fifth, with 2,317.

Other leading counties in the state follow: Fulton, 2,238; Bureau, 2,205; Madison, 2,192; Henry, 2,189; Vermilion, 2,117; Stephenson, 2,036; Knox, 1,927; Hancock, 1,925; DeKalb, 1,894; Will, 1,885; Sangamon, 1,856; Whiteside, 1,790; Macoupin, 1,689; Adams, 1,672; St. Clair, 1,641; McDonough, 1,637; Lee, 1,633; Kane, 1,570; Peoria, 1,546; Pike, 1,541; Kankakee, 1,509.

TEACHERS TO MEET

DeKalb County Teachers at Normal School Saturday

On Saturday, February 19, the DeKalb county teachers meeting will be held at the DeKalb Normal school where the following program will be rendered:

10:20 to 12—Writing, C. A. Faust. In lecture room No. 117. Continuation schools, J. F. Kolb. In Normal school auditorium.

12 to 1:15 p. m.—Luncheon, Normal school auditorium.

1:15 to 1:45 p. m.—Music in Normal school auditorium.

1:45 to 2:45 p. m.—Address, W. B. Ower, principal Chicago Normal college.

2:45 to 3:30 p. m.—Business meeting.

Superintendent Warren Hubbard has sent out invitations to all the teachers to attend this interesting meeting.

An Historic Forest.

The historical associations connected with the forest of Vallombrosa are very interesting. It was founded in the Twelfth century and given its name which, literally translated, means "Shadowed Valley," by Saint Giovanni Gauberto, says Nelson Courtlandt Brown in the American Forestry Magazine. It was founded as a monastery and retreat for one of the Benedictine order of monks, and from its early inception monks took great pride in caring for, cultivating and replanting the forests.

FREE FROM DREAD OF CANCER NOW

Resident of Pleasant Hill, Ill., Says He was Cured by Dr. Johnson, Kansas City Specialist

The cure of a cancer without the use of the knife is reported by Samuel Kelly, Pleasant Hill, Ill. He was treated by Dr. O. A. Johnson, eminent cancer specialist of Kansas City, Mo. in a letter to Dr. Johnson, Mr. Kelly says:

"I am glad to say that the cancer on my lip was cured before I left your institution, and is still cured, with no indications of its returning, and I am free from that constant dread of knowing that I had a cancer. My health is good and I will always feel grateful for the kind treatment I received while under your treatment and will always feel grateful to the kind nurses. It was October 3, 1916, that I came to you for treatment.

"You have my consent to publish my letter, and I will gladly answer anyone that wants to inquire of me in regard to your treatment and my cure."

Dr. Johnson is today one of the foremost in the study of cancer. He conducts in Kansas City, Mo., a large fully equipped Research Laboratory, and has treated many sufferers in the past twenty years. This treatment is entirely non-surgical, as the knife is not used at any stage. Purely medicinal measures only are employed; that is external applications to destroy the cancer and internal medication to purify the blood. Hundreds of patients testify to the success of the Johnson Laboratory.

"Cancer Truths," Dr. Johnson's book, will be sent free to any sufferer or friend. Delay should be avoided. Address, O. A. Johnson, Suite 565, 1324 Main St. Kansas City, Mo.

Success and Genius

A common mistake among the young and inexperienced is that success in life comes only as the reward of flaming genius. The epochal events of the world, like the great accomplishments of nature, have been the result of slow but constant growth. Be thrifty with your time. Wasted hours are lost and gone forever, but the hours given to constructive labor or study will remain as faithful friends to help and strengthen you through all the years of your life.

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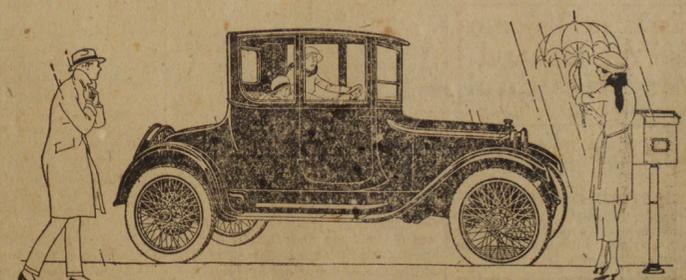
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