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## FARMERS' STATE BANK

Mrs. T. E. Gibbs underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Ovitz hospital Monday.

E. McMackin, the barber, has been doing a little house cleaning as a result, his shop is now painted in white both interior and exterior which makes it very attractive.

Don't forget the Chicago Imperial Male Quartet at Slater's hall Thursday evening, Nov. 2. Single admission for this number fifty cents.

B. C. Awe purchased the Albert Shurtliff property last Saturday, his bid being \$4425. Scott Waite bought two lots for \$130.

The Epworth League will meet at the church parlors as usual Sunday evening. Miss Myrtle Pratt will lead and the Morehouse Quartet will furnish the music.

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The W. C. T. U. will meet on the 26th in the church parlors. The platbe discussed. All women of Genoa be discussed. All women of Genoa and vicinity are urged to be present.

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I am prepared to give instructions in china and oil painting. All who wish to take up this work can call at residence or phone 159. Firing done. Orders taken for china painting.

A wire to S. R. Crawford Wednesday from his son, Irvine, at Rib Lake, Wis., announces the arrival of a new citizen at his home, it being a boy. Sam is very proud of being placed in that ancient but distinguished class of "Grand-pas."

A Republican rally will be held at DeKalb Saturday, Oct. 21, afternoon and evening. At 3:00 o'clock Senator Berry of Carthage, Ill., will speak; at 4:20 the Lowden special train arrives; at 7:45 Mrs. Kate Wood Ray of Gary, Ind., and David Shanahan of Chicago, Speaker of the House, will speak at Haish's Auditorium. Music will be furnished by the Barbed City Quartet and the DeKalb Band.

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Oct. 21 "The Reform Candidate" featuring Mallyn Arbuckle PALLAS

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FAMOUS PLAYERS Oct. 28 "The Old Homestead" All Star Cast

FAMOUS PLAYERS Nov. "Lydia Gilmore" featuring Pauline Frederick

## WEEK'S SOCIAL EVENTS

MRS. HELEN SEYMOUR, Editor

Classmates Wed on Same Day Elgin Daily News: On the same day, within a few hours of each other, two girls who were classmates in the Genoa high school and who had been lifelong friends were married to Chicago men. Altho they spent an evening together, a few days before their weddings, they did not tell their plans to each other.

One was Miss Alys Sowers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sowers of this city, whose marriage to Hubert Fultz Brandoff, took place October 9, and was just announced today. The ceremony took place at Geneva and the bride returned to the home of her uncle, O. L. Couch, where she had been visiting during the absence of her parents on a motor trip through Iowa. The bride was born in Genoa four years ago, the family removed here and Miss Alys graduated from Elgin high school in 1915. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brandoff, 600 North Lockwood avenue, Chicago, and is a graduate of Crane technical high school. He is employed by the Crane Manufacturing company, Chicago. They will be at home after November 1, at 359 Fulton street, Elgin.

The other bride was Miss Marjorie Reinken of Genoa who was married to J. E. Tischer of Chicago. Mrs. Tischer is the daughter of C. H. Reinken and a graduate of Genoa high school in '14 and Brown's business college, Rockford, the following year. She has been employed by the Thrift Service company in Rockford. The groom is connected with a Chicago commission house and has charge of branch houses. They will reside at 6334 Aurelia street, Pittsburgh.

Farewell Party After the regular meeting of the Eastern Star Tuesday evening, a party in the nature of a farewell was tendered Mrs. L. W. Miller, who leaves shortly for her new home in Aurora. Mrs. Miller has been an active member in the Eastern Star for some time, holding the office of Conductress and will indeed be missed by her many Genoa friends as will Mr. Miller and their daughter, Miss Ruth. Mrs. Wm. Furr, on behalf of the Star, with a very appropriate speech presented Mrs. Miller with a beautiful cut glass dish. Refreshments followed.

Woman's Club The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Virginia Wilcox Wednesday afternoon. Two very interesting papers were given. Mrs. Roy Beardley handled the subject of "Banks and Banking" as only one

connected with a bank can. Mrs. Wilcox had "Travel" as her subject which was given in a very pleasing way. The first division of the club will have a one o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. D. S. Brown on Saturday of this week.

Birthday Party. Mrs. Arthur Eiklor entertained a company of friends at her home on Friday evening in honor of her birthday. Cards furnished the amusement of the evening after which a dainty two-course luncheon was served.

Season tickets for the lecture course may be procured from any member of either the Woman's or Fortnightly Clubs at \$1.50.

Gust Schmidt, a former resident of Genoa, died in Chicago on the 7th of this month, of typhoid pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt moved to Lynn Haven, Fla., some time ago, but things financially did not go well with them there. Last month the former went to Chicago for work and was taken ill shortly after. Mrs. Schmidt will remain in Lynn Haven where she has ten acres of land. The deceased was a member of the Genoa Woodman camp and carried \$2,000 insurance.

Woman. They put the interrogation to Thomas De Quincy, "Why are there more women than men in the world?" and he answered them: "It is in conformity with the arrangement of nature. We always see more of heaven than of earth."

Too Small a Steak. "I'll match you," said the hungry man in the boarding house dining room, "to decide whether you take my share of beef or I take yours." "No, thank you," replied the other hungry one. "I never play for small steaks."

Facts in the Case. Said he, "Were they divorced because of a misunderstanding?" Said she, "No, because they understood each other too well. I believe."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Sympathy. Give to the afflicted those words from the heart which temper the bitterness of tears. There are no sufferings which sympathy does not alleviate.

Greater Annoyance. Mrs. A.—Didn't her constant singing in the fat annoy you? Mrs. B.—Not so much as the constant fat in her singing.

Suspicious are weeds of the mind which grow of themselves and most rapidly when least wanted.—Wallace.

## Slip a few Prince Albert smokes into your system!

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A Change in John. "John proposed to me in the first car he ever owned, and our wedding journey was made in a new automobile that he bought especially for the purpose."

"Was it any different from ordinary automobiles?" "No, but it was a strange thing about the places to which we went. Some of them seemed perfectly wonderful to me, but John never took the least bit of interest in any of them. That was four years ago. We have just been making another tour of the same places."

"I suppose they brought back all the sweet romance of your honeymoon?" "I shall never want to take that trip again. John was so interested in everything and so enthusiastic over every old hill and hollow and rock that I could have put on a new hat and a new suit every morning and he'd never have noticed the difference."—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

Ancient Incubators. Few of those who wrestle with the chicken incubator problem and often fail to solve it realize how old an art they are struggling to master. Thousands of years ago Egyptians in one part of the world and the Chinese in another had the art of incubating eggs so highly developed that it was an hereditary profession, the secret of the successful processes being guarded with religious sacredness and handed down from father to son. The odd stoves called "mammals" that the Egyptians used as incubators date back to remote antiquity. Even before the French revolution the Paris markets had incubator chickens, thanks to the Bonnemain apparatus, which was invented in 1777.

Canals in England. Canals in England date back to an early period, for the Romans built two in Lincolnshire—the Foss dike, forty miles long and still navigable, and the Caer dike. The first British made canal was constructed in 1134 by Henry I, and joined the Trent to the Witham. It was toward the end of the eighteenth century that the greatest amount of energy was expended in the building of canals, mainly due to the Duke of Bridgewater and the skill of his engineer, James Brindley. In the last decade of that century a canal mania raged.

Where Needed. An Irishman on board a steamboat for the first time, seeing a big pile of cork belts, asked what they were and, being told that they were life preservers, remarked, "Thin why don't ye put them in the hospitals, where people are dyin' an' dyin' all the toime?"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

A Fond Delusion. "Mrs. Grabcoff gives herself a grand air." "Don't let her overhear you say that." "Why not?" "She thinks it was inherited."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

He Scented It. "Listen, Joe! We've always been good pals, haven't we?" "Sure we have, Phil! But the fact is I haven't got a cent either."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

## PETEY'S PROGRAM

Season tickets for the lecture course may be procured from any member of either the Woman's or Fortnightly Clubs at \$1.50.

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The yellow and white corn which won first honors at the exhibition given under the auspices of the Rural Life Progress Club of Ney on Wednesday evening, is on exhibition at the Exchange Bank for a few days. A complete report of the "doings" and a list of prize winners will be published next week.

The lecture course for this year, consisting of selected talent, will be conducted under the auspices of the Genoa Woman's Club and Genoa Fortnightly Club. The first number will be the celebrated Chicago Imperial Male Quartet. This quartet has been organized for a number of years and has become famous. If you miss the opportunity of hearing them you will miss a rare musical treat, as they are considered one of the best male quartets in the United States. This first number will be given at Slater's hall Thursday evening, Nov. 2, at 8:15 o'clock. The lecture course will consist of five numbers, three musical and two lectures. Season tickets are \$1.50 and may be procured from any member of either club. The talent has been carefully selected and are not from any Lyceum Bureau and each individual number was selected for its merits only. Getting talent in this way there is no fee to be paid to a Lyceum Bureau and therefore much better for the money.

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Don't Use "Don't" Improperly. There is nothing incorrect about the elision of "do" and "not" which makes "don't" if it is used correctly. But there is scarcely another word in the English language which is so often used incorrectly. It is a strange thing, but we often hear otherwise educated people using this elided form of the negative in the singular, people who would not think of using the affirmative of it as singular. "She don't" and "he don't" are just as disagreeable to the cultivated ear as "she do" and "he do" would be, and it is astonishing that any one of the most elementary grammatical knowledge could be so deaf to the values of English speech as to use them. Still the mistake is annoyingly common. Recently we even heard an actor, playing the part of a gentleman of refinement, say, "She don't love me." Ugh! And if actors cannot at least speak our mother tongue grammatically, what are they good for? Remember, it is just as easy to be right and say "she does not" or "doesn't."—Ohio State Journal.

Variety in Punishment. In the old days in England local courts exercised much ingenuity in the treatment of criminals. Here is a case at Liverpool in October, 1565: "One Thomas Johnson had been apprehended for picking purses. Apparently he underwent no regular trial, but was dealt with summarily, the program being as follows: First he was imprisoned several days and nights, and then he was nailed by the ear to a post at the flesh shambles. As the next item he was turned out naked from the middle ward, and many boys with withy rods whipped him out of the town. He was then locked to a clog with an iron chain and horse block until the Friday morning following and finally adjured the town before the mayor and bailiffs, at the same time making restitution of 6s. 8d. to the wife of one Henry Mylin."

Delicacy. A woman went into a country bakery one hot, sultry, summer day. "I'll have some of that nice plum cake," said she to the baker. "That ain't no plum cake, lady," said he, waving his arm gently to and fro over the delicacy.



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Chaufeur to Joffre.  
The Pollu, a lively little newspaper produced in the French trenches, finds this Joffre story:  
The generalissimo's chaufeur, L—, was chatting with some soldiers.  
"Well," they asked him, "what does the general say?"  
"Oh, not much; he talks very little."  
"But yes—"  
"Well, the other day, for instance, in getting into the car, he said: 'Things all right, L—?' 'Yes, general,' I replied.  
"And was that all he said?"  
"Another time he said to me, 'You have a very pleasing appearance, L—?' 'Yes, general,' I replied.  
"But does he never speak about the war?"  
"Oh, not often. But yet—the other day he did say to me, 'Ah, my brave L—, when is this war going to end?'"

### Black Snakes Beneficial.

In Burlington county, New Jersey, the farmers who, in the erroneous belief that they are a pest, have been killing black snakes, are being urged to conserve them as enemies of the rattlers, which have been unpleasantly numerous this year. The damage done by the non-poisonous reptiles is now recognized to be a slight account in comparison with the good they do. Not only will the black snake fight and best the rattler, but he eats more than his keep by keeping down other pests. It has taken man a long time to identify his friends of the lower orders, and even today many persecuted animals do not receive the credit that is due them.—New York Sun.

"U. C."  
"That man talked for four hours and a quarter."  
"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum.  
"When it comes to using up time he's one ultimate consumer who doesn't have to pay."  
"The fermenting power of brewers' yeast has been increased by five minutes' exposure to ozone."

## In Woman's Realm

New Coats Are of Luxurious Looking, Furry, Thick Fabrics and the High Collar Has Been Reinstated—Wraps For Children Are Shown in Many Patterns and Materials.

Soft, thick fabrics, loosely woven and luxurious looking, supply a deep, persistent undertone in the harmonies of the new fashions. There are many of them, christened with names more or less descriptive of their character which is decidedly furry. They suggest warmth and comfort and enhance the value of the new fashionable colors, being especially good in burgundy, prunelle, castor and dark brown. They call for fur in trimmings, but fur is scarce and therefore high priced. But wonderful fur fabrics answer the purpose more style in it. This coat would be improved by a little shortening. It is simple in width, simple in cut and line, and these are the things that insure grace. The sleeves are capacious, with wide, turned-back cuffs bordered with fur banding.

In reviewing the styles presented for children, it appears that there is a long procession of coats that have been made in a considerable variety of materials and patterns. For practical wear there are models in serge wool velours, Scotch mixtures



AUTUMN MODES IN COATS.

pose and cost much less than fur trimmings.

A coat of Bolivia cloth, shown in the picture is trimmed with a fur fabric imitating beaver. The castor color of this trimming looks well with all the fashionable colors brought out this season and is used for both coats and suits in collars and cuffs and bandings.

The high, enveloping collar which may be turned up about the face, made its entry last year and was reluctantly



REVIEWING THE STYLES IN CHILDREN'S COATS.

retired when the weather grew warm. With the return of cool days, it has been promptly reinstated so that we are to be once more muffled up in neckwear. The collar on the coat pictured is of velvet banded with fur fabric. The average coat is not so long as the model pictured for it lacks a few inches of covering the dress, and there onto it. There are large, practical patch pockets. It is a trim, well-fitting little garment, very shapely and neat looking, suited to the little miss of five and upward.

Julia Bottomley

## ROBBER ROBBED IN CLOTHING SHOP

Slick-Tongued Lipp, Caught With "the Goods," Had to Pay for Trick.

## ADVENTURE COSTS \$3

Cohen, the Cashier, Takes \$11 From Stranger Who He Thought Had Stolen That Amount From Cashbox.

Chicago, Ill.—There's \$3 waiting for "Mr. Lipp of Columbus, O.," at the office of a local clothing house. Maybe he'll have nerve enough to call for it. Anyway—

Charles Cohen, office manager, was putting away a line of fall models, 32 to 40, Saturday afternoon, when a young man with "snappy" clothes and an air of efficiency breezed in.

"Mr. Lipp been here?" he inquired choppily. "Lipp of Columbus. Don't know him? He's m' father. General store. Wants bill o' goods. I'll wait."

Recalls That \$400 Pay Roll.

Lipp, Jr., was in a chair when Cohen strolled back to overlook the stitching of a consignment of white duck pants. He was just leaving the inner office when Cohen, recalling a \$400 pay roll in a desk drawer, returned hastily.

Cohen halted Mr. Lipp and searched his pockets. Twenty dollars. He examined the office. Only one cash compartment touched. He looked over the daybook. Balance, \$11.

Cohen counted off the eleven and handed the remainder back.

"Now, git," he advised. "You ain't even a first-class crook."

Morris Snower, head of the firm, came in later. On hearing Cohen's story he chuckled.

"Believing is Nix."  
"Believe me, Mr. Snower—" his agitated employee began.  
"Believing is nix," returned Snower. "I know. This morning I bought three tickets for the policeman's benefit



Searched His Pockets.

fund. I forgot to put it in the daybook. Your friend, the burglar, is \$3 shy. He ain't the only robber around here."  
"Well, I'll show him," said Cohen.  
"I'm a good sport. I'll tell the newspapers. Maybe they print a piece and Lipp comes back for his three dollars, eh?"  
"Maybe," said Snower.  
How about it, Mr. Lipp?

## HIS BADGE SAVES POLICEMAN

Bullet Strikes Shield When Officer Is Shot at by Roommate and Makes Only Slight Wound.

Dallas, Tex.—His metal police badge, worn on the front of his blouse, saved the life of Motorcycle Officer Jared McCannico early the other morning when his roommate, John J. Gleason, shot at him, thinking he was a burglar. McCannico was entering the room through a window to get some matches, having left his key in his room. Gleason awakened to see the form of a man at the window and seizing his pistol, fired one shot. The bullet struck McCannico's badge and turned to one side into his left lung. His condition is not serious, it was said at the city hospital, where he was taken for treatment.

## THIS LINEMAN HAD BAD DAY

Nearly Electrocuted, Lost an Eye and Found Wife Had Eloped With Friend of Family.

Bethlehem, Pa.—David Hehney, a lineman, narrowly escaped electrocution here when on a high pole when he came in contact with a live wire carrying several thousand volts. The fact that he was strapped to the pole prevented him from being dashed to the ground. The end of the wire struck him across the eye, destroying the sight.

More hard luck greeted Hehney when he reached home several hours later and found that his wife had disappeared. She is believed to have eloped with a young man who was a frequent visitor to the Hehney home.

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"Yes'm," he answered promptly, "you're going to shake it at me and say, 'Willie Parsons, if you ever do that again I'll switch you good!'"  
But she didn't.—Christian Herald.

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## Grape-Nuts

"There's a Reason"

### Meudon in Wartime.

Mendon, the gay Meudon of trysts and moonlight promenades, has been transformed into a military camp. The station platform is crowded with uniformed soldiers of all branches; men on furlough in their suits of faded blue like dirty water, showing with pride holes torn in their coats by rifle balls, convalescents wearing the old red pantaloons, used only by those behind the fighting line, often with one leg folded up; Zouaves, whose baggy trousers, formerly blood-red, have now changed to an earthy color; Belgians in long brown coats, who never smile, and British Tommies spick and span as if they had just stepped from a bandbox.

The women, in passing, glance at the war crosses and smile.—Mme. Bernadine-Sjoestedt in Cartoons Magazine.

### Postponed It.

The Recruiting Sergeant—But you surely are not eighteen yet?  
The Recruit—I should have been, sir; but I was ill for a couple of years.—London Sketch.

### The Bargaining Instinct.

"You took your boy to a circus to reward him for being good?"  
"Yes. And then he decided it wasn't much of a circus and tried to be bad enough to make sure he wasn't being cheated."

### Difference of Tastes.

"I wish you would go on a piscatorial expedition with me tomorrow, Mr. Comeup."  
"Can't do it; I'm going on a fishing party."

### Autumn Melancholy.

The campaign brings a tuneful cheer. Once more to every spot. The autumn days which now appear. Are melancholy—not.

KINGSTON NEWS

MISS EDITH MOORE, CORRESPONDENT— F. P. SMITH, BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVE—

Mrs. Nancy Scott is visiting friends in Kirkland. Mrs. Ida Moore is spending a few days at Fairdale. Miss Marie Rubeck spent a few days last week in Rockford. Miss Esther Locke was home from Aurora Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Helen Shelley of Iowa is the guest of relatives and friends. Mrs. Benj. Knappenberger and Lila were Sycamore visitors Saturday. Sidney Burton and Frank Shrader were Elgin visitors one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Heckman entertained their son, Harry, of Elgin Sunday. Miss Mary Armer was home from her school duties at Ladd, Ill., Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Payne of Herbert were pleasant callers last Friday. Miss Marjorie Crowell of DeKalb was the guest of Miss Eula Gray last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Burton and son, Robert, were the guests of relatives Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Uplinger and sons, Leon and Ray motored to DeKalb Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Uplinger and Mrs. Ida Moore autoed to Sycamore Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bicksler returned home last week after a visit with relatives in Minnesota. Edward Bell of Wyoming, Ohio, was the guest of his father, W. H. Bell a few days last week. Mrs. John McKee of Kirkland was the guest at the Charles Cunningham home, east of town, Tuesday.

Mrs. J. P. Ortz has returned home after spending the past three weeks with her daughter in Rockford. Mrs. Ella Witter and grand-daughter, Miss Marion Witer, spent one day last week with relatives in Fairdale. Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Burton and daughters, Dorothy and Georgia, motored to Belvidere Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. George McClelland entertained the Loyalty Class at their home south of town last Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyllys and children of Rockford were the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Emily McCollom, Sunday. R. S. Tazewell and children Margaret and Richard, spent Sunday with Mrs. R. S. Tazewell, who is still ill in the City hospital in Rockford. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Locke entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hunt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Watson and children of DeKalb Sunday. A party of young people made a surprise visit to Miss May Bicksler at her home south of town last Friday evening. Various recreations occupied the pleasant hours and near the close of this delightful social occasion refreshments were served.

NEW LEBANON

Henry Japp is remodeling his residence. Henry Krueger and family motored to Elgin Sunday. Arthur Helson and family called on George Helson Sunday. Minnie Bahe of Hampshire is visiting at the home of Will Japp.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hartman and son called on their son, Arthur. Miss Ruth Gallanor visited friends at Fairdale Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. John Japp and daughters visited at the home of Will Japp Sunday. Harry Heckman and wife of Paw Paw are visiting relatives here this week. Mrs. George Beck of Carber is visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Chas. Coon. John Johnson of Woodstock was an over Sunday visitor at the home of his brother, G. Johnson. Misses Ida, Dorothy and Mabel Johnson called at the Otto Peterson home in Charter Grove Sunday. Mrs. Eldon Kiner and daughter, Mrs. H. Ford have returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Moline. Mr. and Mrs. Will Bottcher entertained Will Ackerman and family of Harmony, Will Knicker of Riley Lem Gray and family, Arthur Hartman and family at dinner Sunday. Mrs. Arthur Heckman met with a very painful accident Monday evening. While walking down the steps of the porch she fell and broke her ankle. Dr. J. W. Oritz of Genoa is the attending physician. Mrs. Will Bottcher entertained the H. O. A. Club at her home one day this week. Every one had a very enjoyable afternoon which was spent in contests. The club will meet with Mrs. Chas. Coon October 26. Mrs. Chester Shipman is visiting her sister in Dixon this week. Mr. and Mrs. H. Kellogg of Genoa visited at L. D. Kellogg's last Thursday. Mrs. Mable Crawford of Springfield is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. R. Furr. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith are visiting friends and relatives in Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Little and Miss Edith Smith were in Chicago one day last week.

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Frank Colton of Rockford called on his brothers Monday. Mrs. M. J. Corson will entertain the Ladies' Aid of Ney next week Thursday, Oct. 26. Misses Lila Kitchen and Gladys Kellogg of DeKalb spent the week end with home folks. Mrs. T. B. Gray of New Lebanon visited her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Colton, last Thursday. Mrs. Ernest Corson was called to Connecticut on account of the serious condition of her father. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corson, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Corson visited in Chicago Sunday and Monday. Miss Belle Colton of Rockford called on her brothers, Elmer and Ellis last week Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Colton took dinner with Misses Lila Kitchen and Gladys Kellogg in DeKalb last Wednesday. Mrs. Will Furr returned Monday from a two weeks visit with her home folks. She was accompanied by her brother and sister who will remain here for a few days.

RILEY CENTER

Gus Lind and family visited friends in Herbert Sunday. The following items were received too late for publication last week. Mr. and Mrs. Lou Washburne of Rockford visited their daughter, Mrs. Will Ratfield Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Anthony and Mr. and Mrs. John Anthony autoed to Rockford last Sunday. Mr. Bardell of Chicago is interviewing the farmers in this vicinity, representing a packing house in Rockford. Fred Griebel is moving from the farm to Marengo. His son, Frank, will work the farm the coming year. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ratfield and son, Merritt, and Mrs. Jesse Ratfield visited at Will Schwartz's Sunday. At a business meeting of the Riley Ladies' Aid Thursday afternoon the following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. Thos. Ratfield, president; Mrs. Joseph Lockwood, vice president; Mrs. L. E. Mackey, secretary; Mrs. Clyde Coarson, assistant secretary; Mrs. Harry Dunbar, treasurer. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Mackey. The society is planning to hold a bazaar early in November at Riley.

SOUTH RILEY

Del Sears filled his new silo Monday. Harry Smith and wife have gone East to visit relatives. Mrs. E. Mackey and daughters visited at Rockford over the week end.

The Pioneer Club of Riley met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace of Riley and was one of the most enjoyable meetings of the year. A fine dinner was served. The Ladies' Aid Society of Ney will meet with Mrs. M. J. Corson for lunch on the 26th. The meetings of the society will hereafter be held on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. Alcohol From Wood. Most people when informed of the fact that alcohol is manufactured from sawdust immediately assume that the product is the so called "wood alcohol" of commerce. This is not the case, and a statement of the two processes of manufacture makes the distinction clear. True wood or methyl alcohol is produced by the destructive distillation of wood. Cordwood is placed in a retort which is heated until the gases and liquids are driven off and only charcoal remains. The liquid distillate is then divided into components, one of which is wood alcohol. In the production of ethyl alcohol from sawdust the process at certain stages is very similar to that used with grain, molasses, potatoes, etc., and the product is exactly the same. The sawdust is cooked with dilute acid to produce sugars from the wood substance. These sugars are leached out and the liquor is fermented and distilled, producing grain or ethyl alcohol.—American Lumberman. Imitated Her Model. After awhile I began to read novels. I stole candle ends from the pantry and hid them under my mattress. When Fraulein left me I stuck them to the closet floor and lay on my stomach with my face close to the book. Sometimes I acted out the characters. My favorite was a girl who kept a dance hall in a western town. When her patrons became familiar she boxed their ears. I used my long brown school coat for the patrons. When I read this story we were living in a hotel. Fraulein used to let me sit downstairs for awhile after supper to listen to the music. A little boy with red hair always sat with me. One evening I asked him if my cheek was chapped. My face was very close to his. I waited breathlessly. "Yes," he said, "right there," and touched me gently. "How dare you!" I screamed, and boxed his ears. "Keep your dirty hands off!" Fraulein jerked me upstairs and washed my mouth out with soap.—Katherine Keith in Atlantic. "Studying" Under Difficulties. "I suppose," ventured the interested friend of the family, "that John is still burping the midnight oil at college?" "Yes, indeed," responded the fond but puzzled mother, "but the college must furnish a very inferior quality of oil. John writes me that some midnights the light is so poor he can hardly read his hand."

EGIN BOY SAW RAID Tells Story of the Work of Submarine U-53 in Atlantic An eye-witness' story of the sea raid by the German submarine U-53 is told in a letter from David W. Raymond of the United States warship Benham to his mother, Mrs. David N. Raymond, of Elgin. The letter in part is as follows: "My Dear Mother: At 12:50 p. m. Sunday we received a message to get under way immediately, along with the whole flotilla. We steamed out of Newport harbor at twenty-six knots and made the Nantucket lightship over 100 miles away. The whole flotilla, spread out in all directions. We cleared ship for action, hoisting forty rounds of 4-inch ammunition and two war heads for torpedoes out of the magazines. All guns were made ready for instant use, and about then we heard by wireless that a German submarine U-53, had sunk a couple of steamers. "About 3 p. m. we received another S. O. S. call, and another about 4 o'clock, and we increased our speed to about twenty-eight knots. Believe me, we were traveling some. "At six o'clock we sighted two ships and two submarines (The Blommersdijk and the Stephano) and when we got up to them there were all kinds of life boats in the water. We rescued forty men and boys, including the officers and crew of the Blommersdijk and then pulled away a bit and watched the U-53 do its work. "On the Blommersdijk they placed a time bomb and in twenty minutes it went off, causing a big explosion and a heavy list to starboard. The vessel settled a bit and about a half hour later its boiler blew up sending parts of the ship high into the air. Then it settled and sank, leaving its bow up out of the water about 5 feet. "Next they proceeded to the Stephano and placed another time bomb on it, but it failed to explode so the submarine opened fire on it and fired thirty shells. This all happened after dark, and it sure was a beautiful sight, even if it was a shame. Ten minutes after the last shot the boat's boiler exploded and there was a big roar and the water was thrown 300 feet in the air. When it settled down we couldn't see anything more. "The Blommersdijk had 700 motorcycles aboard, 300 automobiles and 85,000 bushels of grain, bound from New York to Amsterdam, Holland, and the Stephano carried nothing but passengers. No lives were lost, as far as we know now.

"After it was all over we proceeded to Newport and arrived about 1 a. m. discharged, or rather, unloaded, our human freight we had rescued and are ailing up now, standing by to get out again if necessary." A Sea Monster Hoax. What proved for a time to be the most successful sea monster hoax on record was perpetrated in New York by Dr. Albert C. Koch in 1845. He exhibited on Broadway the skeleton of an alleged fossil monster which he named the "hydrarchos," or "sea king." The remains, including the head and vertebrae, measured not less than 114 feet over all, and the people of New York, as well as of other American cities visited, were greatly excited. But finally Professor Wyman, a naturalist of considerable circumference, examined the skeleton and discovered it to be a composite, including the bones of several zeuglodon strings together. Finally it was sold by Koch to the museum of Dresden.—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

Railway Time Cards

WOODSTOCK & SYCAMORE TRACTION COMPANY Time Table in Effect Friday, Sept. 15, 1916, at 6:50 A. M. NORTH BOUND Leave Sycamore 10:00 a. m. 1:45 p. m. 5:15 p. m. Arrive Genoa 6:50 a. m. 2:15 p. m. 5:45 p. m. Arrive Marengo 7:50 a. m. 3:15 p. m. SOUTH BOUND Leave Marengo 8:05 a. m. 12:00 noon 3:30 p. m. Arrive Genoa 8:55 a. m. 12:55 p. m. 4:30 p. m. Arrive Sycamore 9:25 a. m. 1:25 p. m. 5:00 p. m. C. M. and St. P. East Bound Arrive Chicago 6:34 am 10:20 am 2:45 pm Leave Genoa 7:52 am 11:46 am 3:46 pm Leave Elgin 8:25 am 12:23 pm 4:35 pm West Bound Arrive Chicago 8:00 am 1:30 pm 5:00 pm Leave Genoa 9:25 am 3:05 pm 6:00 pm Leave Elgin 9:56 am 3:57 pm 6:30 pm ILLINOIS CENTRAL East Bound Arrive Chicago 7:00 am 10:50 am 2:50 pm Leave Genoa 8:53 am 12:43 pm 4:43 pm Leave Elgin 9:25 am 3:15 pm 6:15 pm West Bound Arrive Rockford 7:00 am 10:40 am 2:50 pm Leave Genoa 8:44 am 12:34 pm 4:34 pm Leave Elgin 9:16 am 3:06 pm 6:06 pm NORTH WESTERN North Bound Arrive Belvidere 8:40 am 12:30 pm 4:30 pm Leave Sycamore 9:00 am 12:50 pm 4:50 pm South Bound Arrive Belvidere 11:11 am 3:01 pm 7:01 pm Leave Sycamore 11:25 am 3:15 pm 7:15 pm

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