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## SO DOES THE OSTRICH

WE HAVE all read of the ostrich, that extraordinary bird of the desert, which dines on scrap iron, lanches on stones and when danger threatens thrusts his head in the sand and believes himself safe from harm, because he cannot see the danger.

Picture to yourself this gigantic bird, taller than a man, resting in fancied security because his head is hidden from view, although his body can be seen for miles around.

There are too many of us who adopt the tactics of the foolish ostrich. We are told of an impending danger and think that we can escape it or avoid it by refusing to face it.

We are informed that there is great danger of restriction of our facilities for local trade if our local business men are not given better support; that we may find ourselves deprived of the opportunities for marketing our farm produce in our home town if our storekeepers find themselves stocked up with goods, but with no adequate volume of local business.

What is more natural than that this may be the case if we do not stop sending our money away from home to the mall order houses in the big cities? We must realize such possibilities and take steps to prevent them. If we don't, we will find out, in all probability, that our local merchants will look for other locations than in our town.

Which is the wisest thing to do—to look the conditions squarely in the face and take the steps necessary to counteract them or shall we, like the foolish ostrich, refuse to face the conditions and decline to take cognizance of them?

We can permit matters to drift along until the inevitable occurs, or we can think things over, carefully and with judgment, and take the steps necessary to protect our interests—the interests of ourselves and those who will come after us.

Our community is built up as the result of various interests, not the least of which is the tributary farming population. Our town was created because of the various interests that center here and because this is a natural point for the distribution of farm products and merchandise. The sale of the farm products brings the money for the buying of the merchandise, while the merchandise supplies the necessities of those who raise the crops. It therefore follows, naturally as one of the unfeeling laws of civilization, that IF IT WERE NOT FOR THE FARMERS AND OTHERS WHO PRODUCE THINGS FOR THE MARKET, THERE WOULD BE NO OCCASION FOR THIS COMMUNITY. THERE WOULD BE NO NECESSITY FOR STORES AND SHOPS.

On the other hand, were it not for the stores that are the mediums for the marketing of the crops, there would be a great lack of facilities for marketing and farming would not be as profitable as we now find it in our community.

If the business men of our town do not afford the requisite facilities for marketing such crops as must be handled locally in order to give full advantage to the farmers, then the farmers will find out that they must look for a market elsewhere or accept a much smaller profit on that which they have to sell.

On the other hand, if the farmers do not do their share toward the support of the business men, by spending their money locally and keeping it in circulation in our own town, instead of sending it to the mall order houses, then the local storekeepers will find it necessary to restrict their investments in goods for the local market, thereby resulting in a diminishing of the facilities for getting what we need at home.

This is a point we must not fail to observe. We must look the conditions squarely in the face and arrive at a conclusion as to what steps are necessary to preserve and to maintain the conditions which make for prosperity. If we fail to do this, or if we temporize and let matters drift, we will find that we have emulated the silly ostrich, until the worst happens.

SPEND THE MONEY AT HOME. PATRONIZE THE LOCAL BUSINESS MEN. KEEP THE MONEY IN CIRCULATION IN OUR HOME TOWN. WE NEED EVERY DOLLAR AT HOME TO HELP THE COMMUNITY.

Let the ostriches do as they will and send their money to the mall order houses, but let us hope that we have but few of these foolish birds in this community.

## FOX RIVER EXPRESS

Loses Suit in the Hinckley Case at Geneva

### JUDGMENT OF \$1,000 AWARDED

Silver Moon Club and Express Company Fail to Put One Over on Village Authorities of Hinckley

A judgment for \$1,000 against the Fox River Express company, the Silver Moon club of Hinckley and officers of the club, was awarded the village of Hinckley in a sealed verdict of a jury which was opened in the circuit court at Geneva Saturday.

Attorney Charles B. Hazlehurst, who assisted in the defense of the case, stated that it would be appealed directly to the Illinois supreme court, and would be carried to the United States supreme court if necessary.

The judgment is a distinct victory for the drays of Hinckley, who brought the suit under a strict ordinance passed soon after Hinckley was voted dry, to prevent the sale of liquor there.

The village contended that the Fox River Express company and the Silver Moon club were circumventing the ordinance.

It was charged that the directors of the Fox River Express company are also directors of the Aurora Brewing company, and that the Hinckley agent of the express company is also secretary and manager of the Silver Moon club. It was alleged that the Hinckley office of the express club was located in the Silver Moon club rooms.

The case was given to the jury late Saturday afternoon, following a trial which lasted four days. The case was brought to Kane county on a change of venue.

## OILING EARTH ROADS

State Commission Issues Bulletin Dealing With the Problem

"Surface Oiling of Earth Roads" is the title of Bulletin No. 11 which has just been issued by the State Highway Department. This publication, which was prepared by B. H. Piepmeier, maintenance engineer of the State Highway Department, has been published for the purpose of meeting the increased demand for information of this subject. The purpose of this bulletin is not to cover in detail all that might be said in regard to oiling earth roads, but rather to give a general outline of the subject together with suggestions as to the best methods for oiling and maintaining earth roads.

This bulletin tells of the purpose of oiling, describes the selection and preparation of the roads for oiling and gives directions for applying the oil. Also the questions of shipping and handling the oil are discussed in some detail. The bulletin gives as much cost data as is available at the present time. A short section of the bulletin deals with application of oil on gravel and macadam roads.

Copies of Bulletin 11 can be obtained gratis by applying to the State Highway Department, Springfield, Illinois.

### Basket Ball Tournament

Entries for the northern Illinois basket ball tournament have closed. The schools entered are Rockford, Belvidere, Sycamore, Mount Morris, Freeport, Polo, Byron, Dixon, Harlem, DeKalb, Huntley, Mount Carroll, Woodstock, Waukegan, Sterling, Waterman, Elizabeth and McHenry.

Diamonds at Martin's

## HAVE FEDERAL AID

Every Farmer and Farmer's Wife Can Benefit by Law

### INFORMATION ON AGRICULTURE

DeKalb County First in State to Profit by Smith-Lever Act—The Cost per Year in DeKalb County

How the farmers and farmers' wives thruout the country can benefit by a direct personal relation with the federal department of agriculture was discussed Saturday at Sonomaux by Assistant Secretary Carl Vrooman, who hails from Bloomington, says the Reveille.

According to Mr. Vrooman the federal department, for more than half a century has been accumulating information which until quite recently was not at the command of the farmers generally.

Through the enactment of the Smith-Lever agricultural extension act, according to Mr. Vrooman, this great reservoir of information can now be tapped by every farmer and every farmer's wife in the country. The connecting channel is the county farm agent, whose expenses are paid in shares by the federal government, the state government and the county, through some organization or county appropriation.

"All of the secrets of the federal department," Mr. Vrooman said, "are now open to the people on the farms of the country. They can be obtained thru application to the county agent and, if desired, their benefits can be demonstrated personally by this agent or his assistant.

The farmers of the counties which now have agents have profited tremendously through increased crops and reduced expenses of farming, due to the personal instruction and the personal counsel given by the agent, who is a representative of the federal government of the state, and of the farmers of the county. It is his business to bring all three into co-operation.

"Here is the outlay for one county in Illinois, DeKalb, under the Smith-Lever act: Salary of county soil expert \$4,000 Salary of assistant expert 1,800 Rent, auto, supplies, labor, seed,..... \$4,200 Total..... \$10,000

The annual outlay of \$10,000 is provided as follows: United States government \$1,200 State of Illinois..... 1,200 DeKalb county..... 7,600

The local public provides the greater part of the money. That is, DeKalb county is willing to pay an agricultural specialist a salary of \$4,000 a year and to put up \$3,600 to boot in order to apply scientific methods upon DeKalb county farms."

### Died at Lake Geneva

Mrs. Mary Davis (nee Babcock) passed away at Lake Geneva on Monday, Jan. 17, after a few days' illness of a gripe and pneumonia. Mrs. Davis, whose home was in Beloit, Wis., was here recently visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Wyld, and also well along in years she was at that time comparatively in good health. She was visiting in Lake Geneva when stricken. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Phoebe Crawford and an aunt of Mrs. Hemenway of this city.

### Drink Comes High

Conductor Jerome Coonrad of the Elgin and Belvidere line arrested Gus Johnson of Belvidere for drinking booze on the car last Thursday. He was fined \$25.00 and costs the following day.

## TO RAISE RATES

Interstate Commerce Commission Allows Passenger Rate Advance

Hereafter it will cost more to ride on trains in these eight states: Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri and Kansas which will be affected by changed railroad passenger rates on interstate hauls.

The interstate commerce rates in this section are to be increased from two cents a mile to two and four-tenths cents a mile in Illinois, the Northern Michigan peninsula, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, and in the northern parts of Missouri and Kansas; and from two cents to two and one-half cents on March 1st.

A recent decision of the interstate commerce commission prevented the proposed change but at the same time made possible the smaller increase.

"The carriers have failed to justify an increase to 2.5 cents and 3 cents per mile, but have justified an increase of 2.4 cents," the interstate commerce commission decision reads.

Local agents of the two roads entering Genoa state that the rate between this city and Chicago will probably soon be raised to \$1.40, an advance of twenty cents over the present rate.

## MARRIED IN CHICAGO

Mr. Claude Patterson of Genoa and Miss Bessie Stuart of Kingston Wed

Mr. Claude Patterson of this city and Miss Bessie Stuart of Kingston were married in Chicago on Saturday, Jan. 15, and are now at the home of the bride. The couple have not yet decided where they will make their home, altho the groom has the offer of a good position in Canada which he is considering. He is the older son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Patterson, was born and raised in Genoa and a graduate of the Genoa high school. "Sod," as he is known to his Genoa friends, is one of the city's cleanest young men and well liked by everyone, being naturally good natured, courteous and industrious.

The bride is a daughter of Jas. Stuart of Kingston. She is a native of that village and a graduate of the high school. She also attended the high school in this city where she became acquainted with the handsome Genoa boy.

## SEEK 100,000 MORE COWS

Campaign Aims at \$20,000 Fund For Betterment of Milk Industry in the State

A campaign is well under way to put at work in the state of Illinois 100,000 additional thoroughbred and grade dairy cows, and to improve and modernize the methods of dairy farming in the state.

To accomplish this a fund of \$20,000 is being raised by the "Business Men's Dairy Extension Movement of Illinois," incorporated. Work is being done under the direction of State Dairy and Food Commissioner W. S. Matthews.

At a recent session of the Illinois legislature an appropriation of \$20,000 per annum for dairy extension work was made, but when the "paring down" process was started it was sacrificed. It is certain that if the \$20,000 is raised and the work of dairy extension well under way when the next legislature convenes there will be little difficulty in securing an appropriation for its continuance, the promoters believe.

People are beginning to realize that in H. J. Glass they have an electrician who knows the business and who wants in a trial.

## OLD RESIDENT DEAD

Mrs. Orrin Merritt Succumbs After a Few Days' Illness

### SHE WAS A NATIVE OF CANADA

A. H. Langworthy Passes Away After Long Illness—Funeral of Mrs. James Pierce Conducted by Rev. Ream

Mrs. Orrin Merritt passed away at her home in this city Friday afternoon, Jan. 14, after a few days' illness. Mrs. Merritt had been in poor health for years. Being a constant sufferer from asthma, she was in no condition to fight the slight cold which settled on her lungs.

Funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon, interment taking place in Genoa cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. F. F. Farmiloe, a former pastor, in keeping with her expressed wish.

Miss Mary Wilson, a native of Upper Canada, was born October 24, 1832. Her father, Thomas Wilson, served in the war of 1812. He came to Illinois in 1844, locating near Shattuck's Grove, Ill. Miss Wilson was married to Orrin Merritt at Shattuck's Grove February 7, 1850. They made their home in Cleveland, Ohio, for about six years, then moved to Chicago for about the same period and came to Riley township in 1862. In the year 1875 Mr. and Mrs. Merritt moved to Genoa where they resided continuously until the time of death. Mr. Merritt passed away November 7, 1908. Four children were born to this union—Albert, Andrew, Hattie and Henry. The first named is now deceased. The surviving children all reside in Genoa, the daughter being the wife of Mayor P. A. Quansrong.

Mrs. Merritt united with the M. E. church during her residence in Chicago but never transferred her membership. She also was for years a member of Della Rebecca lodge. She was a firm believer in the church of her choice and in that faith she died.

### A. H. Langworthy

A. H. Langworthy passed away at the home of his wife's son, E. M. Trautman, Friday morning, Jan. 14, at 1:30 a. m., after a long illness of tuberculosis and valvular heart trouble. The body was taken to Aurora, Ill., Monday for interment.

The deceased was born at Marengo, Ill., June 22, 1863, and was married to Mrs. E. Trautman about thirteen years ago. Besides his wife and mother he leaves three brothers. The mother came from Minnesota to attend the funeral altho nearly eighty years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Langworthy came to Genoa some time ago, the former following the painter's trade until his health failed. During the past several months he lived in a tent near the Trautman home and passed away there. During the short time he was permitted to live in Genoa his amiable disposition and courteous manners made him many friends.

### Mrs. James Pierce

Mrs. Mary Pierce died at her home in Genoa Wednesday morning, Jan. 12, 1915. Mrs. Pierce (maiden name Burzell) was born in Buffalo, N. Y., December 12, 1842, and came to Genoa with her parents in 1847. Her husband preceded her in death four years and one month. Six children are left to mourn the loss of a good mother—Mrs. Jennie Riddle, Genoa; Mrs. E. J. Cook, Chicago; Mrs. A. V. Anderson, Rockford; Mrs. F. J. Williams, Sycamore; Mrs. W. Ivan, Dixon, Ill.; Edward of Genoa. There are al-

## SYCAMORE DEFEATS GENOA

Both Genoa Teams Lose on the Sycamore Floor Friday Evening

The two high school basket ball teams journeyed to Sycamore last Friday evening only to meet with another reverse. The first team of the Genoa high school played as if in a daze the first half and let Sycamore roll up a 13 to 3 lead, but in the second half Genoa played Sycamore an even game with both teams going like a whirlwind. The Genoa boys couldn't find the baskets in either half to any degree of accuracy and that always seems to be the main source of trouble. The game ended 20 to 7 in Sycamore's favor.

The line up and score: Sycamore: Austin, L. F.; McIntyre, Shattuck, K. F.; Rose, Albertson, C. F.; Fredericks, Kenn, R. G.; Johnson, Schoonmaker, L. G.; Brown. Genoa: Field Baskets: Shattuck, 1; Austin, 1; Rose, 5; McIntyre, 3; Fredericks, 1. Free throws: Albertson, 3; McIntyre, 2.

The second team put up a good fight and played as fast a game as the first team but the odds were against them. They had trouble in finding the basket and the team work was lacking as in the other game. Kugler, Sycamore's best man on either team, was played to a stand still by Nulle in the second half, our guard being on top of him all the time. Every man worked hard enough but they did not play the ball into safe territory at the right time. The score stood 21 to 8 in favor of Sycamore.

The line up and score: Sycamore: Kugler, R. F.; Peterson, Floyd Patterson, L. F.; Peterson, Corson, C. F.; Dye, Mansfield, R. G.; Moyer, Nulle, L. G.; Bean. Genoa: Field Baskets: Peterson, 2; Kugler, 3; Peterson, 2; Bean, 1. Free Throws: Peterson, 3; Corson, 1; Kugler, 5; Dye, 2.

The Sycamore teams will play in Genoa on Friday night of this week, at the opera house. Every fan in Genoa should turn out and help Genoa regain her standing.

## SHERIFF CAN CUT SENTENCES

New Law Gives Power as Vested in the State Board of Pardons

Sheriff James Scott, and every sheriff in the state, now has the power to commute the sentences of county jail prisoners in accordance with one of the many laws enacted by the last legislature, which have just been brought to public attention. The power is similar to that held by the state pardon board in connection with penitentiary prisoners. Commutation is based on good behavior and faithful performance of all tasks imposed on the prisoner by the jailor, and is according to the following schedule:

One month sentence, 2 days; two months, 6 days; four months, 8 days; five months, 10 days; seven months, 15 days; eight months, 18 days; nine months, 21 days; ten months, 24 days; eleven months, 27 days; one year, 30 days.

so twelve grand-children, two brothers and two sisters—Mrs. Will Long, Ezra Burzell, Elgin; Mrs. David Patterson and George Burzell, Genoa.

Mrs. Pierce was a great lover of home life and found her greatest pleasure in making that home one to be loved by her children and children-in-law, and she was never happier than on the occasion of family gatherings of which there were many. Altho the children have lost this loved one, they are fortunate in the memory of having had such a mother.

Funeral services were held Friday, Jan. 14, at 10 a. m. by Rev. T. E. Ream of Genoa.

## SOMETHING BETTER

Entertainment at M. E. Church Should be Supported by Genoa People

### THE NUMBERS ARE WORTH WHILE

More Season Tickets Must be Sold To Insure Success of Present Course and a Continuance of the Good Work

"The Boyds," as the fourth number of the M. E. entertainment course, will appear at the church next Thursday evening, Jan. 27, in songs, readings, instrumental music and humorous sketches.

The Boyds have been upon the lyceum course for ten years. For five consecutive years they have been under one management, three years under another, and this is their third year with the Redpath bureau. The Boyds have appeared in most of the states of the Union before both critical and popular audiences. Only companies which "make good" can stand the test of ten years upon the platform.

The committee which has assumed the responsibility of putting on this entertainment course is about discouraged with the evident lack of interest shown thus far this season. Unless more season tickets are sold, members of the committee must dig down into their own pockets and make up a deficit at the end of the season. After these people have given their time to this matter and been good enough to assume the financial responsibility for the benefit of the city about us, we should show our gratitude to the extent of purchasing at least one season ticket. We all know that an entertainment course of this nature, as well as a chautauqua, is a good thing for any city and would dislike very much to learn that this season would end the effort to give Genoa "something better" in the entertainment line. Everyone who possibly can should come to the rescue next Thursday night and buy a ticket for the next three months. A few dollars more or less will determine the attitude of the committee with reference to the future.

## FIX PRICES FOR SUMMER MILK

Producers' Association Seeks Equalized Prices for All Seasons of Year

	3	3.5	4	4.5	5
April.....	1.75	1.97	2.24	2.51	2.78
May.....	1.55	1.82	2.09	2.36	2.63
June.....	1.40	1.67	1.94	2.21	2.48
July.....	1.60	1.87	2.14	2.41	2.68
August.....	1.72	2.02	2.29	2.53	2.83
September.....	1.75	2.02	2.29	2.56	2.83
Average.....	1.62	1.89	2.16	2.43	2.70

The Milk Producers' Association, which for years has been talking of a definite system of arriving at a fair milk price and for several months has been working on a plan to bring about an equalized price for winter and summer, has made public a suggested scale for the summer months, beginning April 1, thru the official publication of the association, The Milk News.

The price is based on butter fat percentage and a vigorous campaign is being inaugurated among members in the interests of the new plan. Interest just now centers on the annual meeting to be held February 1 in Chicago.

### Butter Price Increases

Butter sold on the Elgin Board of Trade Saturday at 31 cents per pound, a slight increase over last week, when the price was 30 and 31 cents. Previous prices are as follows:

January 9, 1915—30 cents  
January 16, 1914—30 cents.  
January 20, 1913—32 cents.  
January 15, 1912 40 cents  
January 16, 1911—27 cents.  
Somerville purchased 25 tubs from Else and 50 tubs from Baltz at 31 cents per pound.

CABINET IS WITH WILSON ON MEXICO

President to Give Carranza Time to Restore Order.

SENATOR WORKS URGES WAR

Administration at Washington Has No Intention of Armed Intervention in Mexico—Chairman Stone Deplores Talk of War.

Washington, Jan. 15.—At the cabinet meeting it was decided that the present policy would be maintained and General Carranza would be depended on to punish the Villa bandits who killed American citizens.

No formal announcement was made but officials close to the president declared the administration had no intention of armed intervention in Mexico at present.

Carranza Given More Time.

The view was reiterated that Carranza should be given an opportunity to demonstrate his ability to restore order. This was encouraged by a telegram from Carranza to his ambassador here, promising every effort to run down the bandits. The attacks on the administration in the senate and house were gone over at the meeting, and Secretary Lansing presented reports from the border.

The president and members of his cabinet were represented as being deeply shocked over the murder of Americans, but as believing that the Carranza authorities should be able to control the situation.

It was generally agreed that, beyond making the representations already sent to Carranza, with which he has promised to comply, no further steps should be taken at present. Whether each member of the cabinet agreed with that view was not disclosed.

Senator Works, Republican, California, introduced a resolution authorizing and directing the president to intervene in Mexico to establish and maintain a government there until it is safe to withdraw.

"Up to this time," said Senator Works, addressing the senate, "congress has permitted all responsibility for conditions in Mexico to rest upon the president. It is too grave a responsibility. We have all sympathized with the president in the hope that conditions would right themselves without intervention. I very much doubt now whether such a peaceful outcome is possible.

Says Intervention Means War.

"Congress alone has the right to declare war, and that is what intervention means. Congress should courageously shoulder the responsibility. There is no reason for dividing the responsibility with other nations or to impose it upon the president. I ask that the resolution be referred to the foreign relations committee, with the hope that it will take prompt action."

The resolution was so referred.

Stone Deplores War Talk.

Senator Stone again addressed the senate.

"On this occasion, more than any time in the last five years," said he, "we ought not to embroil our government with Mexico. We ought now to aid Carranza to establish a government firmly, to maintain order. Can it be we are going to co-operate with Villa and Zapata to help overturn this government before it is established?"

"I do not believe a senator on the Republican side would vote for war. If it is to be partisan politics we are going into as a result of these resolutions, I am here to say the president of the United States is too big to involve so much life and hope in war for politics.

"If we were capable of it, the best thing that could happen to him and the Democratic party politically would be to have war with Mexico and also with Europe. With such a war raging next November the chances of the president's being re-elected would be enhanced a hundredfold.

"But the president happily is not built that way. He will not drag a great international question of this kind into the mire of partisan politics. The American people are behind President Wilson to preserve peace and peacefully to aid in establishing a government in unhappy Mexico."

WIRT, OKLA., LEVELED BY FIRE

Business and Residence Sections of Town Destroyed—Governor Gets Call for Troops.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 18.—Citizens of Wirt, Okla., asked Gov. R. L. Williams to send state militia there to take charge of the situation resulting from a fire on Monday which destroyed the business and residence sections of the town, leaving 1,000 persons homeless. Four men were shot while looting the ruins.

LINER RYNDAM IN DISASTER

Holland-American Steamer Passes Southend, England, Down at Bows—Passengers Safe.

London, Jan. 19.—The Holland-American liner Ryndam passed Southend on Sunday and was fanned by a hurricane, but all the passengers were safe. Three stokers were killed and four injured. Nature of disaster is not disclosed.

MRS. ELIZABETH F. MOHR



Latest photograph of Mrs. Elizabeth F. Mohr, now on trial in Providence, R. I., on a charge of having instigated the murder of her husband, Dr. G. Franklin Mohr, a prominent physician.

1,300 MINERS ATTEND MEET AT INDIANAPOLIS

Policy to Be Outlined Will Affect Half Million Workers in U. S. and Canada.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 19.—About 1,300 delegates faced President John P. White when he opened the twenty-fifth convention of the United Mine Workers of America here for one of the most important sessions the organization has held. Before the convention adjourns it will have outlined a policy that will affect probably a half million coal miners in the United States and Canada.

Wage agreements expired this year in all the hard and soft coal districts of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, West Virginia, Michigan, Iowa, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri, Kentucky, Texas, Montana, Wyoming and Washington.

In these states there will be new demands made, and if the powers that now control the miners' organization have their way, coal mining will continue without interruption as long as there is a possible chance of their coming to an agreement. President White is opposed to strikes, except as a last resort.

The union anthracite mine workers have already formulated their demands, and the convention is expected to ratify them without much discussion. This will leave the way open for wide discussion on the proposition of adopting a basic wage scale for all the bituminous fields. This will come the adoption of a policy that will affect all districts.

The Ohio miners have agreed to ask a 10 per cent increase in wages on the mine-run basis, and hope to have such a demand inserted in the wage scale to be adopted by the convention, and the other districts are expected to fall in line with Ohio.

Too much praise cannot be given President Wilson for his great efforts in successfully keeping this country at peace with the nations of the world, but labor is unalterably opposed to his preparedness program and the whole scheme of preparedness. This, in substance, was the judgment of President White. It was embodied in his report to the biennial convention. White says this represented the opinion of organized labor.

TWO HELD FOR MURDER PLOT

Sons of Oak Park (Ill.) Man Taken to Jail—Planned to Kill Father and Mother.

Oak Park, Ill., Jan. 19.—Irving and Herbert Udyke were formally charged with "conspiracy to commit a felony"—the crime intended being the murder of their aged and wealthy parents for money. Being unable to furnish bonds of \$5,000 each, Police Magistrate Arthur J. Kendall of Oak Park ordered that they be held in jail until January 26, when they will be given a hearing. Herbert said his older brother, Irving, had planned and proposed the murder and threatened him if he did not join in the undertaking. Herbert revealed it to his mother and aided the police in obtaining a confession from his brother.

\$40,000,000 FIRE AT BERGEN

20,000 Made Homeless by Blaze in Norway—Flames Fanned by Hurricane.

Christiania, Jan. 17.—Twenty thousand persons are homeless as a result of a fire which swept the city of Bergen on Sunday causing property damage estimated at not less than \$40,000,000.

SIX PERSONS DIE IN STORM

Los Angeles and Surrounding Country Hit Hard by Wind and Flood—\$3,000,000 Loss.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 19.—After six persons were killed and upward of \$3,000,000 worth of property damaged by floods and wind, the storms ceased. Many families were homeless in Los Angeles and surrounding villages. Heroic efforts were being made to reach marooned passenger trains.

GREEK KING TO FLEE?

BERLIN EXPECTS DRASTIC ACTION AGAINST CONSTANTINE OF GREECE BY ALLIES.

MORE TROOPS ARE LANDED

Germany Learns That an Ultimatum Has Been Handed to Constantine by France and Great Britain—Army's Loyalty Is Doubtful.

Amsterdam, Jan. 19.—French and British troops have been landed at Corinth, Greece, 48 miles west of Athens, according to advices received here.

Allied troops that were landed at Phaleron, five miles from Athens, have been withdrawn to their ships.

A coup d'etat of a kind that Europe hasn't seen for half a century or more is hinted by Berlin officials and openly expressed by the newspapers. The removal of King Constantine from his throne, the inauguration of a republic and the election or selection of former Premier Venizelos as president are suggested.

Berlin announced that the king intended to withdraw to Larissa, in northwestern Greece, when allied troops arrived in Athens, in order to maintain his "armed neutrality." It is hinted that the withdrawal will be more in the nature of a flight.

A note to the Greek government, amounting to an ultimatum, is said by the Overseas News agency of Berlin to have been presented by France and Great Britain. Greece is required to deliver their passports to the ministers of the central powers within 48 hours, failing which the entente will take "necessary measures."

Attitude of Army in Doubt.

"Persons in a position to judge do not agree as to the dependability of the Greek army," says the Cologne Gazette. "Apparently the king controls a considerable portion of the higher officers, and in view of his popularity among the people it will not be an easy matter to compel him to step out."

"The king has told the ministers of the central powers that they were to remain with him."

Another dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from Sofia says that anti-royalist demonstrations are expected at Athens.

"King Constantine retains the sympathy of only the high military officers," the message says, "and the attitude of the army is in doubt."

BRITISH DEFEAT THE TURKS

Ottoman Troops Forced Back Six Miles in Mesopotamia—Constantinople Admits Russ Success.

London, Jan. 18.—Announcement was made in the house of commons on Monday that the Turkish forces in Mesopotamia have fallen back to a point within six miles of Kut-el-Amara. The announcement was made by J. Austen Chamberlain, secretary for India, who said the Turks had retreated as the result of another British victory. The Turkish positions at Waddi, he said, were carried Saturday by the British.

After delaying for a week the advance of strong Russian forces in the Caucasus, the Turks have withdrawn their advance posts several miles at some points, according to the Turkish official statement received here from Constantinople.

BATTERY CAUSED E-2 BLAST

Board of Inquiry Submits Its Findings on Submarine Explosion to the Navy Department.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Battery trouble is believed to have caused the explosion Saturday which destroyed the submarine E-2 in the New York navy yard, killing five men and seriously injuring nine others. This is indicated in the report of the board of inquiry which investigated the accident and submitted its findings to the navy department.

New York, Jan. 17.—Four men were killed and ten others injured, five of them dangerously, by an explosion on the submarine E-2 while the craft was undergoing repairs in drydock at the New York navy yard.

One of the men killed was an enlisted electrician and the other three civilian workers. At least three of the ten now in hospitals are not expected to live. The names of the dead follow:

R. R. Seaber, electrician, second class. James H. Peck, civilian general helper, Brooklyn. J. P. Schultz, civilian machinist, Brooklyn.

Joseph Logan, civilian, general helper, Brooklyn. Chief Electrician L. C. Miles may die as a result of his injuries.

SIX PERSONS DIE IN STORM

Los Angeles and Surrounding Country Hit Hard by Wind and Flood—\$3,000,000 Loss.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 19.—After six persons were killed and upward of \$3,000,000 worth of property damaged by floods and wind, the storms ceased. Many families were homeless in Los Angeles and surrounding villages. Heroic efforts were being made to reach marooned passenger trains.

CAPT. JOHN GOULANDIS



Captain Goulandis of the Greek steamer Thessaoniki has been accused by members of his crew of holding a revolver at the head of the wireless operator and threatening to shoot him if he sent a call for help when the vessel was foundering. When the captain went to the cabin the call was sent out and the 177 persons aboard were taken off by another vessel.

MEXICAN BANDIT CHIEF EXECUTED AT JUAREZ

Bodies of Col. Baca-Valles and Jose Rodriguez Viewed by Americans—More Outlaws Captured.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 19.—Col. Miguel Baca-Valles, the bandit chief captured at Palomas, south of Columbus, was executed by a firing squad at Juarez. Two bullets fired at close quarters penetrated his heart, after he had declared he was not responsible for the robberies of Villa and pleaded to see General Gaviarra, Carranza commandant.

Lieut. Col. Enrique Cisneros, who was captured last week with Baca-Valles, is being marched overland with eight followers caught with him and, according to Mexican officials, also will be stood before a firing squad. Baca-Valles arrived here on the train which brought the body declared to be that of Jose Rodriguez, the bandit chief executed near Madera last Thursday.

The two bodies were taken to the Mexican customs house here to be viewed by Americans, who have expressed doubt as to the identity of the man executed as Rodriguez. Baca-Valles, who was known as Villa's most callous executioner at Juarez, was taken from the box car in which he arrived a few minutes before 5 o'clock. The proceedings were brief. The prisoner said: "I am not responsible for the acts and robberies of Villa. I beg to see your general." The officer commanding the firing squad said he had orders to kill and he and a soldier stepped up close to Baca-Valles and fired point blank into the prisoner's heart.

More than 100 refugees from Parral, Chihuahua, arrived here aboard a special train which started from the Mexican mining center. The party included a number of women and children, who were worn out by the fatigue of the journey and the experiences preceding the arrival of the villa bandits in groups were scouring the country, clearing ranches, mines and other property belonging to foreigners of everything valuable. As far as anyone knew, no one was molested after the 18 Americans, employees of the Cusi Mining company, were massacred at Santa Ysabel.

FIVE FINED FOR RUBBER PLOT

Woman Who Was Carrying Contraband as Baggage Is Ill and Will Plead Later.

New York, Jan. 19.—Edward Weber, Paul Schmidt, Max Jaeger and Richard Wohlberg, accused in a federal indictment of conspiracy to ship four and a half tons of contraband rubber to the German government in violation of the customs laws, pleaded guilty and were fined. A plea of guilty was also entered in behalf of the Rubber and Guayule agency of this city, which was also indicted. Mrs. Annie Dekkers, another defendant, who planned to take the rubber as personal baggage, was too ill to be in court and will plead later. Judge Clayton imposed upon Jaeger a fine of \$1,500, upon Weber and Schmidt fines of \$750 each; upon Wohlberg, \$100, and upon the Guayule agency, \$50.

DISCUSS THE BARALONG CASE

All Political Parties Support German Government in Stand Against Action of British.

Berlin, Jan. 18.—Following a discussion of the Baralong case in the Reichstag, Under Foreign Secretary Zimmerman announced that all German political parties are unanimously supporting the government in condemning the action of the British and the tone of the recent English note relative to Germany's submarine warfare. Doctor Zimmerman added: "The German government will most certainly find ways and means to get satisfaction for the murder of German sailors by the crew of the Baralong."

HISTORIC HOTEL IS BURNED

Hostelry at Mercer, Pa., Which Housed Lafayette and George Washington, Is Destroyed by Fire.

Mercer, Pa., Jan. 19.—Routed from their beds many guests at the Hotel Humes, Mercer's historic landmark which housed Lafayette on his visit to western Pennsylvania in 1784, also our first president, George Washington, were forced to flee from flames which destroyed the hotel and some buildings in North and East streets and North Pittsburgh streets. The burning was a loss slated at \$800,000. U boat.

70,000

ATED ON GALICIAN AND Bessarabian Front in 24-DAY BATTLE.

6,000 PRISONERS CAPTURED

Official Statement Issued at Vienna Says Teutons Held Positions Along Eighty-Mile Front and Were Victorious Everywhere.

London, Jan. 19.—A twenty-four-day "battle of nations" on an eighty-mile front in Bessarabia has been won by the Austro-Hungarians, with 70,000 Russians killed and wounded. The Russian offensive has been completely broken and hurled back. This announcement is made in an official statement from Vienna.

According to the statement, the battle was one of the most terrific of the entire war, and has resulted in complete frustration of the czar's plans for a crushing blow against the Teutonic allies. Single regiments fought seventeen days without relief.

Statement From Vienna.

Berlin (via Sayville), Jan. 19.—An official report issued at Austro-Hungarian army headquarters says:

"The battle in eastern Galicia and on the Bessarabian front can now be considered as having been finished yesterday. Until the present the daily reports have for obvious reasons been reticent as to the details of this fighting.

Say Teutons Were Victorious.

"The Austro-Hungarian arms have been completely victorious on a battle front extending over 130 kilometers (81 miles). The infantry which decided the engagements and was assisted by the artillery, has maintained all its positions against the enemy who, at some points, had a numerical superiority of several times the number of the Austro-Hungarian troops.

"This great new year's battle on Austria's northeastern front began on December 24 and was interrupted on only a few days. It ended on January 16, and was thus 24 days long. Many regiments during this period experienced 17 days of the hottest fighting.

"The Russian losses were at least 70,000 in killed and wounded and besides this nearly 6,000 were taken prisoners by the Austro-Hungarians.

"All the nations of Austria and Hungary took part in the battle. The enemy is now bringing up reinforcements."

German Evacuate Lutsck.

Kiev, Russia (via Petrograd and London), Jan. 19.—Lutsck, the important fortress in Volhynia, one of the triangle of fortifications there, is being evacuated by the Germans, according to information obtained from prisoners who have arrived here recently from the southwestern front.

ONE KILLED IN CHURCH RIOT

Troops Attempt to Install Pastor at Pittston, Pa.—Attacked by Mob of 500.

Pittston, Pa., Jan. 17.—In a pitched battle on Sunday between 30 state troopers and a mob of 500 infuriated men and women in front of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Polish Roman Catholic church at Du Pont, near here, one of the rioters was killed and many of the rioters were hurt. Several are dying in Pittston hospital. Eighty of the rioters are lodged in jail at Wilkesbarre. Thirty of this number only last Friday were held in contempt of court for interfering with services at the church. At that time sentence was suspended. Sheriff George P. Buss with 12 troopers, went to Du Pont to assure protection to Rev. Francis Sowhoski as pastor of the church there. The latter had had trouble with some members of the congregation. The faction opposed to the pastor favored the curate, Father Guzwa, as his successor. Bishop Hoban decreed otherwise and re-assigned Father Kurkowski.

THE NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

The employers' liability act of Indiana was held constitutional by the Supreme court at Washington.

John Richards, a negro, was taken from jail at Goldsborough, N. C., and lynched by a mob for the murder of W. A. Gurley, a prominent planter.

Sixty thousand revolutionary troops have defeated the forces of Yuan Shih-kai, president, who has accepted the imperial throne of China, in a battle in the province of Sze Chuen.

Count Salis Seevia, military commander of Vienna, has been appointed governor general of the Serbian territory occupied by the Austro-Hungarian troops, says a Berlin dispatch.

Typhus fever has broken out in Juarez, Mex. The disease, according to an authoritative report, has been raging for several days. Eight to ten deaths have occurred during the last few days.

The interstate commerce commission at Washington declared the rate of 15 cents per 100 pounds on pickles in carloads, cases, casks or barrels from New Lisbon, Wis., to Chicago unreasonable.

New York is to have a new \$3,000,000 church. Plans for a building for St. Bartholomew's Episcopal church provide for one of the finest churches of the city to be erected at Park avenue and Fiftieth street.

Fire destroyed the American hotel, as well as several other buildings, including retail stores and an ice factory at Panama. Several persons were injured, though none seriously. The loss is estimated at \$500,000.

Ten thousand garment workers went on strike at Philadelphia for shorter hours and an increase in wages. The field covered by the strike includes all the ladies' waist, silk suit and children's dress shops in the city.

British vessels on Lake Tanganyika, in South Africa, have captured the German armored steamer Kingani, according to a statement issued by the official press bureau at London. The German ship surrendered after a brisk action and was brought into port.

An unofficial proposal was made at Paris that a statue of Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, be erected there after the war. This was urged in recognition of his courage in returning to Belgium, even though his health is not the best, that he might aid the Belgians.

Dispatches to London from Rome state that French warships have seized the island of Corfu to prepare the way for the landing of the Serbian army. The French disembarked an ample landing force and have occupied the island in considerable strength. Corfu is a Greek possession.

MONTENEGRO WANTS PEACE

Announcement Made in Hungarian Parliament by Count—Terms to Be Discussed at Once.

Berlin, Jan. 18.—Montenegro has unconditionally surrendered to Austria. She will lay down her arms. She is the first of the European belligerents to sue for peace in the 18 months of fighting. Terms will be discussed at once. It is believed they will include the cession of Mount Lovcen to Austria and the northern Albanian town of Scutari to Montenegro.

Announcement of the submission of the little mountain kingdom was made by general headquarters of the Austro-Hungarian army and by Count Tisza, the Hungarian premier before the Hungarian parliament.

BERLIN DENIES THE CHARGES

Declares the Captain Never Paid Any Money to Persons Connected With Plots in U. S.

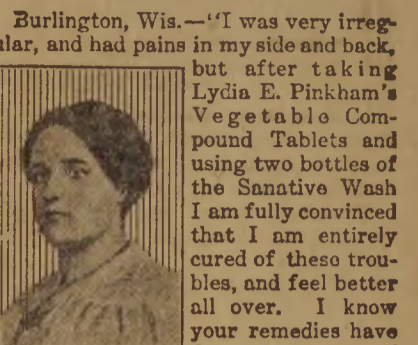
Berlin, Jan. 19.—Denial of charges that Capt. Franz von Papen, recalled military attaché to the German embassy at Washington, paid money to men to blow up munition factories in the United States and to Werner Horn to blow up a railway bridge on the Canadian border was issued by the Overseas News agency.

THE MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various commodities like LIVE STOCK, FLOUR, WHEAT, etc. in New York, Chicago, and Milwaukee.

PAINS IN SIDE AND BACK

How Mrs. Kelly Suffered and How She was Cured.



Burlington, Wis.—"I was very irregular, and had pains in my side and back, but after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets and using two bottles of the Sensitive Wash I am fully convinced that I am entirely cured of these troubles, and feel better all over. I know your remedies have done me worlds of good and I hope every suffering woman will give them a trial."—Mrs. ANNA KELLY, 710 Chestnut Street, Burlington, Wis.

The many convincing testimonials constantly published in the newspapers ought to be proof enough to women who suffer from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the medicine they need.

This good old root and herb remedy has proved unequalled for these dreadful ills; it contains what is needed to restore woman's health and strength.

If there is any peculiarity in your case requiring special advice, write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass., for free advice.

Warner's Safe Remedies advertisement listing various medicines like Warner's Safe Remedy for Kidneys, Warner's Safe Diabetes Remedy, etc.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children advertisement describing the product's benefits for various ailments.

His Natural Tendency advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

To Cure a Cold in One Day advertisement for Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.

Farmer's Wife—What do you think of our eggs? advertisement for a farm product.

Makes Hard Work Harder advertisement for Doan's Backache Kidney Pills.

An Illinois Case advertisement for Doan's Backache Kidney Pills, including a testimonial from Charles Eastor.

Patents advertisement for various mechanical and electrical inventions.

# GETTING A START

By  
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## SAM WAS DISCOURAGED.

"What's the matter, Sam?" asked his friend Will.  
"I'm discouraged," replied Sam. "I haven't been late for a year, and I've worked hard; but the boss doesn't seem to appreciate me. Only yesterday he raised the pay of a fellow who hasn't been there half as long as I have."

"Kind of tough, I admit," replied Will, consolingly. "How did it happen? You say the other fellow got his pay raised. There must be a reason for it."

"The only reason I can think of is partiality. The boss always liked him and just pushed him ahead."

"Let's talk it over," said Will. "Perhaps the boss was partial, but was this partiality due to what the fellow did? Think hard."

"Not much," snapped Sam. "Walter has always been fresh, putting himself in the boss' way, and getting him to notice him, while I've minded my business."

"Let's be fair, Sam," said his friend. "You say that Walter has made his boss notice him. What has he done?"

"Well," replied Sam, "he's all the time doing a lot of things that he hasn't any business to do, things which he isn't paid for doing."

"Such as what?"

"Well, he fixes up the boss' desk, sees that the inkstand is filled, puts on a new piece of blotting paper once in a while, arranges the letters, and a lot of other things which nobody asks him to do."

"Sam," said Will quietly, "you've hit it. You've minded your own business, while Walter has done the same thing and more. You're getting all you are worth for what you're doing. Walter hasn't neglected his regular duties, has he?"

"No," snapped Sam.

"Now, you see, old boy, that Walter has minded his own business as well as you have. He hasn't neglected anything which he should do, but he has gone beyond that and done a lot of little things which the boss particularly appreciates."

"How is a fellow going to do more than his regular work when he is busy all the time?"

"Isn't Walter busy all the time, too? But he found a way, and so can you, Sam, if you want to. Walter has been interested. He has felt his responsibility. You've not been particularly interested, and you've not realized your responsibility. You've let well enough alone. Walter has gone farther. My boss lectured me the other day, and told me how he became a member of the house because he felt just as though he were the firm himself, when he was getting five dollars a week; and he looked out for the firm's interest as well as he would have done if he had owned it. I tell you, Sam, the fellow who gets anywhere nowadays has got to get out of the rut. Sticking to your duties isn't enough. The boss expects you to do that, but he raises the pay of the man who does what he doesn't have to do, provided, of course, that he performs his regular duties satisfactorily."

"Was Sam convinced? I think not, for at the end of the year he was out of a job, and his friend—well, he isn't a partner yet, and perhaps he never will be, but he is the head of a large department. He did what he didn't have to do and 'got there.'"

## Slightly Different.

Some little time ago a benevolent lady read in the papers a paragraph to the effect that, in an effort to save his cat from being crushed by the wheels of a passing omnibus, a small boy had been knocked down and seriously injured by the vehicle, and had been obliged to be taken to a London hospital.

The lady, who kept cats herself, greatly admired the boy's devotion to the "poor dumb animal," and wrote to the hospital, inclosing a handsome sum "for the brave and humane sufferer."

By return of post came a letter from the matron acknowledging the receipt of the money, but alas! explaining that the cat which had been the cause of all the woe was an even dumber thing than the lady had imagined. It was, in fact, that somewhat dangerous toy, a tipcat.

## True Sport.

"The manager of my store," declared the merchant to a little coterie of friends, "is a peculiar genius. Why, would you believe it, when he draws his weekly salary he keeps out only one dollar for spending money and sends the rest to his wife in Indianapolis!"

His listeners—with one exception, who sat silent and reflective—gave vent to loud murmurs of wonder and admiration.

"Now, it may sound thin," added the speaker, but it is true, nevertheless.

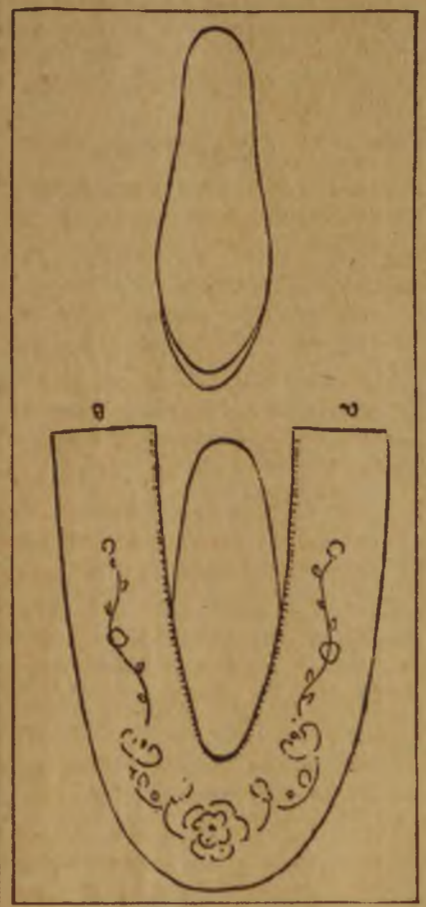
"Oh, I don't doubt it at all!" quickly rejoined the quiet one; "I was only wondering what he does with the dollar!"

## PRETTY LITTLE GIFT

SHOE WORKBOX WITHIN THE REACH OF ALL.

Worthy Tribute of Affection From Small Daughter to the Mother She Adores—Calls for Careful and Conscientious Work.

The small girl who would like to make mother or elder sister a gift, but whose pocket money is limited, should try her hand at this little Chinese



shoe workbox. She will surely succeed if she can sew at all, and if she will be very careful about the cutting and sewing.

One must cut two pieces of cardboard, each seven inches long, then



shape it into a sole and take off one-quarter inch from the toe of one piece. The larger piece is covered on one side with white muslin and the smaller

## THE FARMER AS CONSUMER

Agriculturist Noted as a Good All-Around Customer of the Hardware Dealer.

The farmer is the greatest and most universal consumer of goods in the hardware line of any class in this country. Not only does he use every form of farming implement, but he has likewise usually a complete assortment of carpenter's and mechanic's tools.

He is by far the best customer of the hardware dealer in household and kitchen utensils, and in these days of sanitation has become a large user of bathroom fixtures and plumbing sundries. He is the great cobbler of the day, being a steady absorber of shoe soles, shoe nails, shoe hammers, shoe lasts, and rubber heels. He is about the principal consumer now left in the harness and saddlery line, and likewise buys heavily of automobile and bicycle sundries. Of late he has become a large user of electric light fixtures and of telephone appliances.

Besides that he is a liberal spender in the way of pocket knives and cutlery in general. Also he is the best buyer of stoves and stove fixings known to the trade. He is of more value to the hardware dealer as an all-around customer than a dozen city men living in steamheated flats and apartments.

## Good Taste.

Patience—It is said that rats are not only very cunning, but display good taste.

Patrice—I guess that's so. All the pictures I have seen of girls being frightened by mice were good-looking girls.

## SWEATER SET



This charming sweater set primarily intended for the outdoor girl, has become so popular that all those desiring a chic combination have taken to it. The model is a silk set in banana color with white coat and deep girdele sash and the smartest of caps.

with a bit of bright silk or satin. Next, a strip of muslin is sewed all around the white covered sole and then to the smaller sole, silk upward. When this is sewed together you have a sole half an inch in thickness turning up at the toe as the Chinaman's shoe does. Fill this with cotton.

The "upper" of the shoe is made from scraps of left-over black satin embroidered in bright, crude Chinese colorings, simple or elaborate as one is skilled at such work. The satin should be about eight inches square, but the better plan is to measure carefully after the sole is ready. This may measure a little more or less than the dimensions given, depending upon the depth of the seam taken or similar trifles. The decorated "upper" is lined with the bright silk, the edges buttoned together and then joined at the heel, A to B. Lastly it is sewed to the sole. To furnish make a little pin-cushion and push into the toe; put a strap across the heel to take a pocket of needles; place a spool each of black and white thread in the basket, together with a tiny pair of scissors, which can be bought for ten cents.

The one thing to remember is to take time in making this pretty box. It costs next to nothing but it will not be a success if carelessly done.

I saw an exquisite model of this work case that is to be given to a bride. It is carried out in white satin embroidered in silk and silver thread in a wistaria design, the lining being of wistaria colored silk to match.

## Asbestos Silence Cloth.

Far better than either the felt or quilted silence cloth is the one of asbestos. This cloth protects the table top not only from the spots made by hot dishes, but also from stains and damage done by hot liquids being spilled. The cloth is waterproof as well as heatproof; it is, of course, lintless, and is finished with a neat binding. It is made in halves, each consisting of three strongly bound and hinged sections. It does not warp, and may be folded and put in the sideboard drawer when not in use.

## ARRANGEMENT OF THE HAIR

Various Ideas Which Will Command Themselves to the Woman Who Dresses With Taste.

Every woman should study her face, forehead, ears, the set of her head on her shoulders. Then she should dress her hair to hide any unattractive angles or features and to accentuate the well-formed and attractive features.

To some the hair is more becoming if the greater part of the forehead shows. To others the hair drawn down so as to "cut" the forehead proves more becoming.

If the ears are not beautifully shaped the hair should be brought over them by all means. If covering the entire ear forms an angle that is not becoming to the face, the lobe of the ear should be allowed to show.

The eyes are particularly affected by the manner of combing the hair. Some eyes, especially the almond-shaped, are most beautiful when the hair comes over the forehead, almost touching the eyebrows. Other eyes appear larger and give forth more brilliancy if the hair is drawn well away. Parting the hair in the center or on the side also has great influence on the eyes.

And the nose! That is placed in such a variety of positions and is itself of so many shapes and sizes that there seems no set rule to go by. The principal thing to avoid is accentuating the length of a large nose and the smallness of a small nose. Also to remember that the profile should be one of woman's greatest attractions. If the hair on the back of the head is pressed out from the head too far and

too low the profile of a large nosed person is entirely spoiled; and the head looks disheveled.

A well-shaped head makes the art of hair dressing much less difficult than it is for the person with a poorly shaped head. But the right puffs, braids, knots and swirls of hair will make any woman's head appear to be of classic shape.

## Effective Schemes.

Fur is frequently introduced as a trimming detail, and several effective schemes are being carried out with a combination of crape and skunk. A charming example is a blouse of the palest of pale pink chiffon with veiled fine ivory shadow lace arranged to fall in a little basque movement over a deep belt of black panne, tiny black dots trimming the V-shaped neck opening and sleeves, which are furthermore adorned by ruffles of fine net. The distinctive feature is a little bolero of old gold mousseline de soie, the edges bordered by a finger depth of skunk fur, the fronts just caught together by a cameo brooch.

## New Leghorn Models.

When summer days approach leghorn hats, with masses of pink roses and beautiful laces will be the choice of the charmingly attired woman. Many of these models are turned up in the rear, and their picturesque lines accentuated by the streamers of soft silk. Attractive creations are also developed with broad trims of French crepe, on which are embroidered dainty flowers in delicately colored silks. Even the quaint poke and other modes favored by the Empress Eugenie will find expression in the new leghorn models.

## ILLINOIS NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

Wire Reports of Happenings From All Parts of the State.

### TAXPAYERS' ALLIANCE MEETS

Attorney H. R. Rathbone Will Deliver Address on Constitutional Amendment at Meeting in Chicago January 25.

Chicago.—The Illinois taxpayers' alliance will hold its annual meeting January 25 at 12:30 o'clock in the east room of the Hotel La Salle. The principal speaker of the day is to be Attorney H. R. Rathbone, who will talk on a new phase of the pending constitutional amendment. Members of the alliance are invited to prepare and present such propositions as they feel may be profitably considered in connection with the program for the new year.

Chicago.—Shipping fever threatens to destroy horses sent to the Illinois National Guard from Kansas City a week ago by United States army officers. Two of the animals were dead and nineteen were sick at the Union stock yards, where Dr. George E. McEvers, veterinarian for the First cavalry, I. N. G., is working over them almost constantly. Adj. Gen. Frank S. Dickson was told that the well animals had been separated from the sick ones, and that it was believed twenty-nine would escape the fever. The horses cost \$200 apiece and the \$10,000 paid for the lot comes out of the federal government's appropriation to the state militia.

Murphysboro.—After being out 20 hours a jury found John S. Pritchard of this city guilty of murder and sentenced him to 14 years in the penitentiary. He was charged with having murdered his wife more than a year ago and throwing her body in Big Muddy river. The trial attracted an unusual amount of attention through the southern part of the state. Tracey Force was placed on trial when court convened here charged with the murder of John Atkinson, a prominent labor leader, while en route to his home. Force made his escape but fearing that he would be caught and lynched he surrendered to Sheriff White and has been confined in the jail here since.

Casey.—Word has reached here of a fatal fight between cousins which took place at Hickory Church, seven miles south of Casey, during church services, when Bob Ping, age eighteen, slashed Orval Nisley, age twenty-one, with a knife, severing the jugular vein. Nisley died a few hours later. Ping at once fled on horseback, leaving his own horse and buggy behind and has not been captured. The boys were single, and drink is supposed to be the cause of the quarrel.

Danville.—L. M. Vaughn, secretary of the Danville Industrial club, has resigned to become secretary of the San Antonio Business Men's organization. Since last April Vaughn reorganized the local club into the Danville chamber of commerce and quadrupled its membership.

Murphysboro.—Bracey Force was placed on trial on the charge of killing John Atkinson, a labor leader, last August. Atkinson was shot through the heart while on his way to his home. Force later surrendered to Sheriff White.

Danville.—Rev. Charles Reed Parker, pastor of the First Congregational church, has resigned to accept a call to Altoona, Pa. Rev. Parker leaves for his new charge on January 23.

Danville.—"Slipper Joe" Jakonis, former police chief of Westville, was brought back from Montreal, Canada, to face charges of wife abandonment, forfeiture of bond and misappropriation of Westville funds.

Springfield.—Pleas were made to the prison board at its meeting here for a pardon for Clifford Gilbert, serving a life sentence at Chester for killing a young railroad fireman named Woods at Mattoon, Ill., in October, 1913.

Pana.—Mrs. Julia Delany, the oldest woman in Christian county, widow of Patrick Delany, a wealthy pioneer land owner, died of senility at her home, west of Pana. She was ninety nine years old.

Elgin.—Of 61 honor girls released from the Geneva Girls' school for the holidays, all have returned. The officials declare the result of the experiment is most gratifying.

Murphysboro.—Bushnell was chosen as the next meeting place of the Illinois Firemen's association at its closing session here. Otto Sorgenfrei was re-elected president.

Joliet.—Robert Fleming, the convict who stood off his pursuers for several hours, was captured. He was found hiding in the cellar of his home.

McLeansboro.—Former Judge Isaac H. Webb, a leading lawyer of this county, died. Judge Webb held the office of master of chancery for two terms, then was elected state's attorney on the Democratic ticket two terms, and county judge for one term. He had been a member of the board of directors of the First National bank for 13 years.

## News Nuggets From Illinois

Danville.—Andrew Steinhart of Gary, Ind., arrested here because of his strange actions, has been sent to the state insane hospital at Kankakee for treatment.

Danville.—Mrs. Mary Jane Harrison, widow of Richard Harrison, many times mayor of Tuscola, is dead at the home of her daughter in Tuscola. She was seventy-eight years old. Pneumonia caused her death.

Pana.—Overcome by cold and stricken with apoplexy, Frank Elam, wealthy farmer of South Pana, fell dead in his barn lot. The body was found by relatives. The widow and eight children survive.

Clinton.—Owing to the smallpox epidemic here, all public meetings have been prohibited by the state board of health. The schools will continue to hold their regular sessions, however, unless additional cases of the disease are reported.

Chicago.—Rev. James E. Walker, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church of Chicago, has resigned his pastorate to become assistant to Billy Sunday the evangelist. He came to Chicago from the Sixth United Presbyterian church of Pittsburgh.

Geneva.—Girls of the state training school located in this city have developed great skill in needlework and cookery, and most of them will leave the institution thoroughly equipped to take up housekeeping. The girls recently held a show at which they displayed their handiwork.

Jacksonville.—As a result of a quarrel between William L. Henfling and Austery Econtetch, inmates of the Jacksonville State hospital, Henfling was struck over the head with a mop handle and killed. Henfling was taken to the hospital here from the Anna hospital and Econtetch from the Kankakee hospital.

Murphysboro.—After being out 20 hours a jury found John S. Pritchard of this city guilty of murder and sentenced him to 14 years in the penitentiary. He was charged with having murdered his wife more than a year ago and throwing her body in Big Muddy river. The trial attracted an unusual amount of attention through the southern part of the state.

Springfield.—Ten persons were injured, three perhaps fatally, when "The Daylight Special" on the Illinois Central railroad struck a crowded Illinois Traction company parlor car in the city. J. A. Jeffries of St. Louis, coal agent for the Illinois Traction system, suffered a fractured skull and the loss of his right leg and is expected to die. Miss F. Smith of Greenfield, Kan., also received a fractured skull and is expected to die. Walter Mays of Danville, colored porter on the electric car, was also probably fatally injured.

Chicago.—Details of the conduct of Clinton Avery and Daniel Walsh, two attendants in the Chicago State Hospital for the Insane at Dunning, who have been suspended and arrested on charges of beating and fatally injuring Leonard Noll, a patient, were given by witnesses at the inquest in the morgue of the institution at Dunning. Walsh and Avery, who had been arrested on warrants charging manslaughter on complaint of Superintendent George Leininger, were taken to the inquest in custody of two detectives of the Irving Park police station. They were represented by Attorney John F. O'Connell.

Chicago.—Child labor in Illinois and particularly in Chicago, is greatly on the decrease. The semiannual report of Oscar F. Nelson, state factory inspector, just completed, says: "In two years eight State street department stores employing more than 36,000 persons, show a decrease of 49 per cent in the number of children employed. The reduction in mail-order houses is even greater. In 1913 five mail-order houses with 14,000 employees hired 495 children. In 1915 the number dropped to 60. Three large soap manufacturers employed only 37 children last year, as compared to 210 in 1913. Five large meat-packing establishments employing more than 17,000 persons, hired 181 children in 1913 and only 43 in 1915."

Chicago.—Following revelations that for more than a week the public utilities commission has been making an investigation of overcrowding of elevated trains it became known that another inquiry along the same lines has been conducted by the public service department of the city. Many complaints have been made to both the utilities commission and to Commissioner of Public Service John Garner. The latter detailed a force of inspectors to make an investigation of the situation. They found conditions on the Northwestern elevated lines intolerable. The trains were overcrowded, especially during the rush hours, and in some instances trains on the Ravenswood branch ran 15 and 20 minutes apart. Observations were taken by inspectors stationed on the Belmont avenue station.

Rhinelander.—A blue hawk, released on the farm of Stephen Allen, near Crandon, in September, has been captured at Moosup, Conn. When Allen caught the bird in a trap he placed a tag bearing the date, his name and address, about its neck and liberated it. He has just received a letter from Charles Tyler of Moosup, Conn., saying that he had shot the hawk while it was trying to capture pigeons on his farm.

Johnston City.—John Stodghill, seventy years old, a driver, was killed at work in Lake Creek mine. He came from Kentucky six weeks ago.

## "CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now. Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

## SYMPTOMS PLAIN TO HIM

Elderly Medical Man Had His Own Idea of Diagnosing Case in Which He Was Interested.

"What is your diagnosis?" asked the older physician of his young confederate, who is earnest but inexperienced, and who has been called in consultation.

"Well," said the younger medico, "there doesn't seem to be much the matter. The patient has a slight fever and some light tightness of the chest. I should say there was nothing more than a cold bothering him."

"My boy," said the older man, kindly, "you have gone about it wrong. Note these symptoms: A white marble stairway in the entrance hall, gold furniture in the parlor, cut glass and silver galore in the dining room, two automobiles in the side yard, a solid mabogany—"

"But what has that got to do with the sickness of Mr. Gumpurse?"

"It has lots to do with it. The man has congestion of the bank account, and the proper move for us to make is to relieve that as much as possible."

## Hotel to Have Food Albums.

One of the New York hotels has provided a food album to help the faded appetites of their guests. Hereafter when you see a menu printed in French, you may banish the look of bewilderment, for the food album will translate it for you. For instance, if you see "Jeune Perdreau" on the menu, and opposite page 15, just flip back the book to that page and you will see the picture of a well-done bird, surrounded with a cunning tombstone of rice. "That is partridge, smothered in rice," the waiter explains. And in case the diner does not like the picture he may take the book and go through it until he finds something that appeals to him.

## Exaggerated Peace.

"Of course, you are in favor of peace." "Certainly. But I don't want to be equipped with nothing but arguments in case I meet the kind of man whose one idea of peace is to have all his enemies stowed away in a graveyard."

## PRESSED HARD

Coffee's Weight on Old Age.

When people realize the injurious effects of coffee and the better health that a change to Postum can bring, they are usually glad to lend their testimony for the benefit of others. "My mother, since her early childhood, was an inveterate coffee drinker, had been troubled with her heart for a number of years and complained of that 'weak-all-over' feeling and sick stomach."

"Some time ago I was making a visit to a distant part of the country and took dinner with one of the merchants of the place. I noticed a somewhat unusual flavor of the 'coffee' and asked him concerning it. He replied that it was Postum.

"I was so pleased with it that I bought a package to carry home with me, and had wife prepare some for the next meal. The whole family liked it so well that we discontinued coffee and used Postum entirely.

"I had been very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time she felt much better, had little trouble with her heart, and no sick stomach; that the headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was well and hearty.

"I know Postum has benefited myself and the other members of the family, especially my mother, as she was a victim of long standing." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup. "There's a Reason" for Postum. —Sold by Grocers.

# 9 BIG BARGAIN DAYS LEFT 9

## AT PICKETT'S

You can not afford to let this opportunity slip by. Many have taken advantage of the great price reduction and have gone away well satisfied with the bargains. Only 15 more shopping days in which to get in on this snap. You'll have to hurry.

**GENOA LODGE NO. 288**  
A. F. & A. M.  
Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month  
G. H. MARTIN, W. M. T. M. Frazier Sec.  
Master Masons Welcome

**EVALINE LODGE**  
No. 344  
2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month in I. O. O. F. Hall  
J. H. Noll, Perfect  
Faunle M. Heed, Secy

**Genoa Nest No. 1017**  
Order of Owls  
Meets 1st and 3d Tuesdays Each Month  
W. E. JAMES, Pres.  
J. J. RYAN, Sec.

**GENOA LODGE**  
No. 768  
I. O. O. F.  
Meets every Monday evening in Odd Fellow Hall.  
T. E. GIBBS, J. W. Sowers, Sec.  
N. G.

**Genoa Camp No. 163**  
M. W. A.  
Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month.  
Visiting neighbors welcome  
Wm. James, V. C. R. H. Browe, Clerk

Phone No. 38  
**Dr. Byron G. S. Gronlund**  
PHYSICIAN and SURGEON  
Office Hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.  
Mordoff Building, Genoa, Ill.

**Dr. J. W. Ovitz**  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office over Cooper's Store.  
Hours: 10:00 to 12:00 a. m., 2:00 to 4:30 p. m., 7:00 to 8:30 p. m.  
Phone No. 11

**C. A. Patterson**  
DENTIST  
Hours: 8:30 to 12:00 a. m., 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.  
Office in Exchange Bank Building

**Dr. Franklin R. Turner**  
Diseases of the Rectum  
Suite 501 Trust Building  
ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS

**SWANSON BROS.**  
**ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS**  
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Phone 240 DeKalb and Sycamore

Miss Frances Hoover, who underwent an operation in Chicago last week, is recovering nicely.

The Genoa high school basketball team will hereafter play in the opera house instead of the auditorium.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sheffner, at Charles City, Iowa, Sunday, Jan. 16, a son. Mrs. Sheffner was formerly Lillie Downing.

Oysters served in any style at the Cozy Lunch, at any time of the day or evening. Our regular meals are popular. Try one.

George Anderson, at one time editor of the Sycamore Tribune, died at Colorado Springs, Colo., on Tuesday of this week.

Have you tried one of those delicious hot drinks at Brown's? Hot chocolate with whipped cream served in one minute.

I have installed a rectifier and am now prepared to charge automobile batteries. Prices reasonable. Electric shop. W. F. Hemenway.

G. E. Singer, formerly of Genoa, and Miss Eleanor Ellwood, daughter of the late "Abe" Ellwood of Sycamore, will be married on Saturday, Jan. 29.

The Ira J. Mix Dairy Company is putting up a fine quality of ice from the Kishwaukee this week. The work is being done under contract by Ralph Patterson.

The bowling alley, in the basement of the Evans building, will open on Saturday of this week under the new management of C. F. Wensky. All new equipment will be installed.

The children of the late Abigail J. Patterson desire thru these columns to thank the many friends for the kindness shown and the beautiful floral offerings following the death of their mother.

The next number of the M. E. entertainment course is billed for Thursday night, Jan. 27, at which time "The Boyds" appear in a program of songs, readings, instrumental music and humorous sketches.

Remember, you can get cut flowers and potted plants from now at the same price you pay at the green house, and I pay the express. The florist gives me my commission. I will appreciate your orders. W. W. Cooper.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly falling to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Charles Nelson, superintendent of the Cracraft-Leich Electric Co. factory, submitted to an operation for appendicitis at the Ovitz Hospital last Saturday, Dr. Ovitz operating. Mr. Nelson came up from the ordeal in fine shape and is now convalescing rapidly.

I have made arrangements with two parties to furnish me with motor hearses at any time. This means that I can give my customers their choice of a motor or horse-drawn hearses. W. W. Cooper.

We call your attention to the adv. of the Exchange Bank in this issue, offering money for farm loans. That bank is able to negotiate such loans with promptness and at consistent rates. Legal details handled by the bank. If interested, call in.

If you wear glasses and break a lens, tell your troubles to Martin. He can duplicate any lens made and at a price far below that charged by the oculist. People who need glasses on account of old age will find a good assortment at Martin's.

Dr. Barber, optometrist, will be in Genoa at Dr. Gronlund's office on Wednesday, Jan. 26. It is a well known fact that medicine will not cure headache caused by eyestrain, therefore see Dr. Barber about your eyes.

Mrs. Ernest Corson entertained a number of ladies last Saturday in honor of Miss Millie Peterson of this city. The latter, who will soon become a bride, was the recipient of a miscellaneous shower, there being a generous precipitation of articles which will be appreciated in the new home.

Milburn Duval entertained ten of his playmates at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lembke, Sunday. The event was in honor of his birthday. The children played games for several hours, after which a six o'clock supper was served. The little guests departed feeling very happy.

The girls' Sunday school class served supper to the young men's class in the church dining room Tuesday evening at 6:30. The boys sure did fall for the "eats." A fact that was appreciated by all the girls. There still remain a few girls who can cook to suit the boys; but the boys had better remember that this is 1916.

W. F. Hemenway, who is engaged in electrical contracting, has found it necessary to hire two men to help him on account of the growth of his business. At present he is wiring several houses at Byron. Among his contracts for wiring is one from the U. S. government for lights in the Sycamore post office and for setting and lighting posts outside. He is doing the electrical work in all the towns from Hampshire to Byron.—Adv.

James Dorsey, the Gilberts cattle king, has sold his business and a 460 farm to James H. Marks of Fennimore, Wis., the consideration said to be near the \$100,000.00 mark. Twelve years ago Dorsey started in as a calf buyer. Today he is worth several hundred thousand dollars.

The Field & Patterson ice rink is now in excellent condition and the young people are taking advantage of the fact. Despite the bitter cold many are on the pond every day and evening. Even some of the older "boys" have sharpened up their rusty old blades and endeavored to pull off a few stunts.

January 23 is communion Sunday at the German Lutheran church. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the church in the afternoon of the same day at 2:15. The attendance at the parochial school has again reached a point near normal. Many have been absent during the past two weeks on account of sickness.

Miss Maria Holroyd, who has been confined to her bed since before Christmas with la grippe and heart trouble, is now able to get about the house. Miss Holroyd wishes to thank her many friends for the beautiful Christmas greetings and flowers that were sent during her illness. She appreciated the fact that it is the little things in life that count and make life worth living.

The cold summer of last year is evidenced in the bills which B. C. Awe, the ice dealer, has been presenting to his customers. In some cases the account is nearly fifty per cent less than for the summer previous. Mr. Awe states that after the season closed he had approximately sixty-five tons of ice left on hand, which normally would have been disposed of before winter set in.

On January 22 the Christmas Savings Club will close. If you wish to join and cannot come in, send in your name and we will open your account for you. You can open an account with the smallest amount and if desired to add more later you can do so. One cent will enroll your name in the list. Do not let the opportunity go by unheeded. Remember you get interest on your savings in the Christmas Savings Club at the Farmers State Bank of Genoa.

Speaking to the Exchange Bank: "Do you handle farm loans?" "Yes, sir, we certainly do. We invite Applications now for loans—money for use at any time." "Can you act quickly if necessary?" "Yes, sir,—speed, with care, is a part of our service." "What rates?" "Interest rates at the market, according to character of loan and privileges." And the Exchange Bank received an application for a loan. It will be glad to handle one for you if in need.

Members of the M. E. church choir and a few invited guests, including husbands of some of the choir members, gave a towel shower for Miss Millie Peterson at her home Monday evening. The men of the company presented the prospective bride with a beautiful picture. A light luncheon was served. Since joining the choir Miss Peterson has become a great favorite with other members, having a delightful voice and never being backward when called upon to use it. The shower Monday was an evidence of appreciation.

The new ice rink has suggested the game of hockey and probably three teams will be organized, two made up of the boys about town and one from the high school. For the benefit of the uninitiated it might be well to tell what "hockey" consists of. It is a game in which two parties of players, provided with sticks curved at the end, seek to drive the "puck" (a small piece of vulcanized rubber) thru opposite goals. The goals are six feet broad. In ice hockey there are

seven players on a side in a regulation game. Is is a regulated improvement on the old-time shin-breaking game that we called shinny.

### Engle-Peterson

Mr. Will Engle and Miss Millie Peterson were married at the Methodist parsonage at six o'clock Wednesday evening, Jan. 19, by the pastor, Rev. R. E. Pierce. The wedding was strictly private the bride's mother, Mrs. Carrie M. Peterson, Mrs. R. E. Pierce and Miss Mary Pierce being the only witnesses to the beautiful ring ceremony.

The bride is one of Genoa's most popular young women and is well known in the Ney and Riley neighborhoods and has many friends. Mrs. Engle is especially gifted as a singer and the members and friends of the Methodist church have greatly appreciated her willing and most helpful service. Mr. Engle is a well known and successful farmer.

### E. D. Patrick Made President

E. D. Patrick of Marengo who entered the First National bank at twelve years was last week elected president to succeed his father, the late R. M. Patrick. The board of directors includes besides Mr. Patrick, N. V. Woleben, vice president, C. B. Whittemore, F. A. Patrick and Charles Scofield. A. C. Smith was named assistant cashier and R. F. Dusenberry, teller. Mr. Smith is a former Hampshire boy, being a son of U. Smith, the blacksmith.

### Merely a Rumor

The rumor appearing in press dispatches the latter part of the week to the effect that a movement was being started in Los Angeles to bring about the transfer of the Rt. Rev. Peter James Muldoon, bishop of Rockford, to the diocese of Los Angeles to fill the place of the late Bishop Connaught was disposed of by Bishop Muldoon Saturday night in an interview:

"I have heard nothing of it," declared the Rockford prelate. "Such a movement is possible of course, but it would first be announced in clerical circles rather than in press dispatches."

### What the Woods Teach

A week in the woods, with your ear close to Mother Nature's heart and your eyes finding vistas up into the blue eternal mystery, may teach you that your little selfish strivings, your puny vanities, your petty hatreds and jealousies, that make up so large a part of your daily living and your nightly worrying, are of no more worth to the world or you than are the nameless little gnats that so foolishly zigzag in the gloom.

**With the Sick**  
F. H. Oriel has been seriously ill during the past week.

Miss Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Glass, is confined to her bed on account of illness of a serious nature.

Dr. T. N. Austin, who has been laid up several days with la grippe, is again able to attend to his practice.

Wm. Jefferey, who was dangerously ill with pneumonia, is again able to get out of doors.

The Nichols family, residing south-west of Genoa, is having cause for rejoicing over the fact that all four members who were ill are recovering. Ira Nichols was in a precarious condition for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter James are recovering nicely from their recent illness.

F. O. Holtgren, who has been laid up for two weeks, is again able to get down to the store.

T. L. Kitchen, who has been suffering excruciatingly for several months with cancer of the stomach, is failing fast.

F. H. Holroyd, who has been suffering with a gathering in the head, is on the gain.

Rudolph Schmidt, who has been confined at the home of his parents for several weeks, is still too ill to get about.

Mrs. Nellie Olmsted, who has been confined to her home for several weeks and at times in a serious condition, is considerably stronger at the present time.

A. F. Corson, who has been laid up for several weeks with rheumatism and neuritis, is on the gain.

Never Give Up. Be not discouraged or out of humor because practice falls short of precept in some particulars. If you happen to be beaten, come on again, and be glad if most of your acts are worthy of human nature. Love that to which you return, and do not go like a school-boy to his master, with an ill will.—Marcus Aurelius.

## The Last Week

This is Your

## Final Opportunity

To become a Member of our

**LANDIS**

**Christmas Savings**

**Club**

If you have not already become a member, think the matter over seriously. Ask those about it who have enrolled and who are thoroughly familiar with the advantages that you will enjoy if you become one.

Those who know will tell you that it is the sure and convenient way to provide money for Christmas or other purposes.

We extend a final invitation to you and your friends to come in before the enrollment books close Saturday, Jan. 22.

## Farmers' State Bank

### Some Timely Suggestions in Yard Goods at Attractive Prices

Flannellettes for dresses and Kimonos, per yd. 10 @ 15c  
36 in. Fercalles in all colors, plain and figured, per yard ..... 10c  
Heavy weight Tennis Flannel, per yard ..... 10c  
A nice assortment of lace insertion, 3 yards for ..... 1c  
Bargains in Embroidery Edgings from 1 to 18 inches wide

These are only a few of the items in which we can interest you at the present time. Remember always that the goods purchased here are of the highest quality and were never bought with the intention of making a "special sale." If at any time you are not satisfied with an article, we will try to make it right. We guarantee full value for the money.

# John Lembke

## January Clearing Sale

### Commencing Wednesday, January 12

**TURKISH TOWELS, unbleached, 20x42 in. .... 10c**  
**HUCK TOWELS, bleached, 18x32 in. .... 10c**  
**GINGHAMS, plain colors, fine, special per yard ..... 10c**  
**WAISTINGS, barred and striped white Dimities, per yard 10c**  
**HANDKERCHIEFS, plain hemmed lawn, per doz ..... 15c**  
**TENNIS FLANNELS, plain and fancies, per yard ..... 8c**  
**UNION SUITS, light fleeced ..... 50c**  
**COATS, values up to \$15.00 and \$18.00, for ..... \$10.00**

**F. W. OLMSTED, Genoa, Ill.**



## NO WET FEET

if you wear this famous "DRY SOX" Shoe



It is as near water proof as a shoe can be made and you can laugh at the coldest weather when wearing them. We guarantee it to give satisfaction in snow of winter or slush of early spring. We can give you names of satisfied wearers. Ask us.

**New Shoes in.** We have just unpacked our line of fine shoes for spring wear and invite you to call and look at them. Our shoe line is unexcelled for high quality, conservative prices and variety of styles.

**F. O. HOLTGREN, Genoa, Ill.**

A. G. Stuart is in Indiana this week buying corn.

William McDonald was a week end visitor in Chicago.

Charles Corson was in Savanna the first of the week.

Mrs. Ida Smith is visiting her parents at Cadillac, Mich.

W. L. Hayes transacted business in the windy city Monday.

J. L. Patterson, R. B. Field and A. D. Hadsall were in Chicago Wednesday.

Miss Anna Holzwarth of Rockford spent Sunday at the M. L. Geithman home.

Miss Margaret Hutchison and Mrs. E. G. Harvey were Chicago visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. Thos. Shannahan of Hampshire visited her mother, Mrs. Koch, Wednesday.

Mrs. R. E. Pierce has been called to Edwardsville, Ill., because of the serious illness of her mother.

Orrin Merritt of the Republican-Journal force has been confined

to his home during the past week with an attack of pleurisy.

O. M. Leich was called to Rochester, N. Y., the first of the week by the serious illness of Mrs. Leich's mother.

W. H. Shepherd came from Cleveland, Ohio, last week and is again employed at the Cracraft-Leich factory.

Mr. Shepherd was here several years ago, being a brother of Mrs. Chas. Kinnear.

Rev. R. E. Pierce attended the great Methodist Forward Movement Meeting in Chicago Tuesday.

The evening service was held at Orchestra Hall which was crowded with enthusiastic workers.

Mrs. A. C. Senska, who has been in an Elgin hospital several months for treatment, came home last week and is pronounced cured, altho still in a weakened condition.

Mrs. Will Foote was over from Sycamore Wednesday, being on her way to Kirkland where she will have charge of a sick case.

Mrs. Foote has been nursing for

several months with success. Mr. Foote, who was ill so long, is able to do light work out of doors.

About a dozen local Elks went over to DeKalb Monday evening where the two Zellers of the firm of Zeller & Son enjoyed a goat ride.

It is said, however, that the officers of the lodge showed some partiality in selecting the roughest riding goat in the stables for the junior partner.

John Geithman has nearly recovered from the effects of the severe laceration of the skin which he suffered by being caught in the belt of a corn shredder some time ago.

The skin of the left arm was torn away from the flesh, an attack of blood poisoning following. At the present time he is barely able to move his fingers.

Fred Awe, who has been visiting relatives in Genoa for several weeks, left Monday for his home in Billings, Mont.

His son, Charles, left two weeks ago. B. C. Awe accompanied his brother

to St. Paul in quest of more lambs. The latter shipped several car loads to Chicago recently, receiving the top price.

## COMING EVENTS

In this column each week will be found a list of coming events in Genoa, showing the various dates taken to date. If readers know of any future entertainment and the date they will confer a favor by telephoning the information to the Republican-Journal office.

January 21—Basket ball game at opera house. Two games; Genoa and Sycamore first and second teams.

January 23—Special "Dry" services at the M. E. church.

January 27—"The Boyds" will appear at the M. E. Church in an entertainment of songs, readings instrumental music and humorous sketches. M. E. church entertainment course.

Aside from the above are the regular picture show nights at the opera house and "Grand" also the regular Saturday night dances at the auditorium and roller skating at the opera house.

### Then Time to Stir.

A Swedish guide is the author of the following original, if not universally practical, rule for making coffee: "Der ban only von vay to cook coffee. Take von trip into woods up on Flambeau river; build fire vid pitch-pine knots; put von quart water and two handful coffee in coffeepot, and sit on cover so she can't boil over. Ven cover get too hot for pants, coffee she done."—Forest and Stream.

### Use for Eggshell.

A medical authority says the shell of an egg is used as an antacid, being better adapted to the stomach than chalk. The white of egg is an antidote in cases of poisoning with strong acids or corrosive sublimate. The poison will coagulate the albumen, and if these poisons be in the system the white of an egg, if swallowed quickly, will combine with the poison and protect the stomach.

### Kilometer.

A kilometer is a length of 1,000 meters, equal to 3,280 feet, or 0.621 of a mile. The kilometer is the chief unit for long distances in the metric system of measurement.

## FAMILY LIFE IN CHINA.

A Father's Will at Times is Greater Than the Civil Law.

The Chinese family in its old fashioned organism is a small kingdom, says the Peking Gazette, with the head of the family as the king and ruler of all under his roof. Except for the law of the country, his words are law. In certain cases the word of the family chief is even greater than the law of the country.

The absolute power of control and punishment of the father over his sons and daughters, the latter before their marriage and the former even after their marriage, is universal throughout the land. A proverb says:

"If a king wishes his subject to die, he must die; if a father wishes his son to be destroyed, he must be destroyed."

Such is the severity of the family law. For the son, as well as the daughter, it is a duty to be obedient and good humored under all circumstances and do what he or she can to make the parents, as well as the whole family, happy. The son is not to decide anything without the consent of his father or other elderly member of the household and, as Confucius has said, is "not to go too far away from home while his father is still living and, if he does, to give the name of the locality to which he journeys." The sacrifice of self is absolutely necessary for a dutiful son. Confucius says, "While the father is living look at his ambition; when his father is dead look at his deeds."

As to the duty of a son after his father's death the sage says, "A man may be called filial if he does not depart from the principle his late father has laid down for three years" (after the death of the latter).

The principles summarized above can be accepted as typical of a truly Chinese home, although in middle and lower social life it is modified to some extent. The modification, however, is due more to peculiar conditions of life than to lack of principle, for it is obvious that when every member of the house has to do the best he can in the struggle for a living there is very little room for elaborate application of Confucian principles. One principle, however, is universal—that is, the father is supreme in his house, and the son must yield unswerving obedience.

## Buckwheat Cakes

made from that excellent pure Buckwheat sold at the Genoa Cash Grocery are sure winners. There is nothing that appeals to the inner man more enticingly on a cold winter morning than a stack of nice, brown buckwheat cakes. And the attraction is more noticeable if a cup of that famous

## LOG CABIN SYRUP

is on the table. It is made of pure cane and maple sugar, just right for the average taste, being just sweet enough and having that delicious maple flavor.

## Genoa Cash Grocery

## Standard Dry Dip and Disinfectant

Designed especially for cold weather use. For Keeping Hogs, Cattle, Sheep, Poultry and all farm animals free from lice at all seasons of the year. For disinfecting drains and out buildings and wherever germs form.

### INEXPENSIVE AND EASY TO APPLY

1 lb. can, \$ .25      3 lb. can, \$ .50  
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# THE BATTLE=CRY

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## SYNOPSIS.

Juanita Holland, a Philadelphia young woman of wealth, on her journey with her guide, Good Anse Talbott, into the heart of the Cumberlands to become a teacher of the mountain children, faints at the door of Fletch McNash's cabin. While resting there she overhears a talk between Bad Anse Havey, chief of his clan, and one of his henchmen that acquaints her with the Havey-McBriar feud. Juanita has an unprofitable talk with Bad Anse and they become antagonists. Cal Douglas of the Havey clan is on trial in Peril, for the murder of Noah Wyatt, a McBriar. In the night Juanita hears feudists ride past the McNash cabin. Juanita and Dawn McNash become friends. Cal Douglas is acquitted. Noah Wyatt attempts to kill him but is himself killed by the Haveys.

## CHAPTER VI.

When, just before sunset yesterday afternoon, a verdict of acquittal for Cal Douglas had come from the jury room, the town of Peril had once more held its breath and doors had closed and the streets had cleared of such as wished to remain noncombatants. But with no comment or criticism Milt McBriar mounted his horse and rode out of town, shaping his course over the hills toward his own house. Following his example with equal quiet, his kinsmen mounted, too, and disappeared.

As for Cal Douglas, he reserved any enthusiasm his vindication may have brought to his heart until he was back again in the depths of the hills. He and his kinsmen turned their horses by a shorter and steeper trail to the house where the dance was going forward with shuffling and fiddling and passing of the jug.

When Milt McBriar and his fellows started home an informer or two from the Havey ranks kept them in view, themselves unseen, until they passed through the gap and started down the other side of the ridge into their own domain.

That they were being so watched was either known to the McBriars or assumed by them. But a picked squad on fresh mounts was waiting over there in a place where the road ran deep through the forest and laurel, and this squad was equipped with repeating rifles. Milt McBriar himself did not go with them. He had made all his arrangements in advance, and it was not seemly that the chief should take a personal part in an execution which he had decreed.

"Let me hear the news, boys," Old Milt had said with a wave of his hand, and then he had ridden on stolidly toward his own domain.

The house where the dance was being held stood between the knees of two hills.

Near midnight a half-dozen men who had not been invited rode carefully over an almost obliterated trail

which wound blindly through the hills at the back of the place and hitched their horses in a rock-surrounded hollow a half-mile from the house. Other horses and mules were hitched all along the country road, but these belonged to the legitimate guests.

As the half-dozen men, whose arrival had been so cautiously accomplished, began slipping down, each holding his own course in the cover of the laurel, there was nothing to indicate that any warning had gone ahead of them.

From the houses with their yellow windows and their open doors came no note of apprehension—no intimation of suspicion. A medley of voices, now and then a laugh, a din of scraping feet, and the whine and boom of fiddles gave out a careless chorus to the night.

Slowly, with an adept craft that hardly broke a twig underneath, three of the new arrivals hitched their way forward to a point of vantage down near the road.

They went crouched low, holding to the shadows with rifles thrust out

ahead and faces almost smiling in their grim foretaste of sure success. In a few moments they would have before them the doors and windows as lighted targets. Then whoever saw Cal Douglas would crook forefinger on trigger and the error of the jury would be rectified. The others would follow with a volley at random for good measure.

It was almost too easy. It seemed a shame to snatch a full and red revenge with such scant effort.

Then, as the foremost figure, crouching in easy range of a window, braced himself on one knee and peered forward under his upturned hat-brim, there came the reports of several rifles—but they were not the rifles of the McBriar squad, and they came not from the hills in front, but from the laurel at the back. They broke from directly between the carefully picked squad and its horses.

The man who had braced his knee and cocked his rifle gave out a brief, gurgling sound as an oath was stifled in a hemorrhage of the throat, and pitched forward on his face. After that the figure lay without stirring, its own blood reddening the rifle whose trigger-guard pressed against its forehead.

The doors vomited men. There was a trailing and ragged outburst of firearms, and many dark figures plunged here and there across the silvered spaces where the shadows did not fall.

Of the six men who had crept down, three had lain within one hundred yards of the house when the shots came from their rear. The other three were off at the side, ready to bring up the horses as close as might prove safe when the moment came for flight. But they, too, found themselves cut off. Had the man who fired on the one who was about to fire waited one minute longer, there would have been more deaths than the single one. His colleagues would then have been, like himself, covering their respective victims—victims who confidently thought themselves executioners. But as it was, they had not quite yet worked themselves into positions untrammelled by intervening rock and timber.

The man who fired first knew this, for he had not heard the perfectly imitated quaver of "scritch-owls" which was to signify a common readiness. But as he had eyed his crouching victim across his rifle-sights he had also been able to look beyond him, and had seen the figure of Cal Douglas pause at the lighted window. He knew that to wait a moment would be to wait too long. So the others had to fire blindly through the black undergrowth, at speeding shadows—and they missed.

The fleeing murder squad melted back into the black timber, and some of them, signalling with the call of frog and owl, came together in temporary safety. They dared not go to their own horses, since they might be discovered in the effort. The road that led into the McBriar country would be watched. If they were to carry away unperforated skins they must find the other way—into the Havey territory and astride stolen Havey horses. It was every man for himself, and they had not paused to count noses. They hurriedly swung themselves into saddles at the remote end of the line of hitched mounts and galloped pell-mell down the road toward the cabin of Fletch McNash.

When the theft of the horses was discovered Anse Havey sent pursuing parties to ride the roads in both directions. It had seemed to Havey wiser to withhold his warning from all save those whom he needed to use. To all the rest the affair had come without notice, and the hue and cry which followed the rifle-shots was genuine in its excitement.

But in a very few moments the pandemonium fell away and sullenness supplanted the shouting. The mountains behind, where several men were stealthily seeking escape and many others were stalking them, lay silent in the moonlight.

A hundred yards beyond the window a small and inquisitive knot of men gathered around a figure that had hunched forward, sprawling on a cocked rifle. Someone turned the figure up and straightened its limbs so that they should not stiffen in such grotesque attitude. The face, with the yellow lantern-light shining down on it, was the face of a boy of twenty. Its thin lips were set in a grim smile of satisfaction, for death had overtaken him without a suspicion of its coming.

Perhaps, had a photograph of his retina been taken, it would have disclosed the portrait of Cal Douglas pausing at the open window. "It's little Nash Watt!" exclaimed a surprised voice, using the diminutive which in the mountains takes the place of junior and stays with a man well on in life. The victim who had been designated to avenge the death of Noah Watt had been Noah Watt's younger brother.

Meanwhile the pursuing horsemen were gaining slowly on those that fled. The murder squad had failed and must bear back to Milt McBriar if

they ever got back, a narrative of frustrated effort. They were bitterly angry and proportionately desperate. So, as they clattered along the empty road, meeting no enemy whom they could shoot down in appeasement of their wrath, they satisfied themselves with raising their war cry for the benefit of the sleeping cabins.

A little distance beyond Fletch McNash's place lay a cross-trail by which they might find a circuitous way back over the ridge, but it was too steep and broken to ride. They could make better time on foot over the "roughs," so there they abandoned their mounts and plunged into the timber. When the pursuers came up with the discarded horses they realized that their effort in the nighttime would be bootless. Yet, since the heaving flanks and panting nostrils of the horses testified that they had been only a few minutes late, they took a last chance and plunged into the thicket.

There a single defiant shot, sent from a long way up the hillside, was their only challenge, and their volley of reply, fired at the flash, was merely a retort of hatred. But even in the isolation of the hills certain news travels on wings, and the morning would find every cabin dweller wearing a face of grim and sullen realization. The phrase which Fletch McNash had whispered to his boy would travel to the headwaters of every fork, and the faces of the women would once more wear the drawn misery of anxiety for their men.

## CHAPTER VII.

It was into this newly charged atmosphere that Juanita Holland and her missionary guide rode in the morning mists.

Good Anse Talbott was in many ways an inadequate ally. He was both narrow and illiterate, but he was earnest.

At last the girl rode resolutely up to her escort's saddle-skirts and asked: "Brother Talbott, hadn't you better tell me what it all means?"

The missionary lifted a face that was almost haggard. "Hit means," he said, "no idea of irreverence, 'tbat Satan's got both underholts—an' God help this country."

Then he sketched for her the history of the feud and deduced conclusions from what they had both seen and heard.

She listened with a sickening heart until he changed the subject and told her that the Widow Everson, with whom she was to stop, had a sizable house where she would be comfortable.

At last the girl saw, still a long way off, a fertile little valley, where the corn seemed taller and richer than on the scattered coves. There, like a tiny matchbox, on a high level near which the wall of mountain broke into a broad gateway, she could make out a house. It was not of logs, but of brick, and stood in an inclosure that looked more like the Blue Grass than the mountains.

"Does ye see yo brick house nigh ther gap? That's Bad Anse's place, an' over thar across ther ridge, three mile away by crow-flight an' a half-day's ride by ther roads, is whar Milt McBriar dwells. Ye kaint see hit from thar."

It was almost sundown when they reached the house of the Widow Everson, and at sight of the woman standing at the fence to meet them Juanita's heart took strength. This house was not of logs, but of undressed boards, with gayly painted window and door frames of red, and although two days ago she would have called it mean, she had revised her views enough to regard it now as almost magnificent.

The widow dwelt here with her two sons, and the trio, by virtue of great diplomacy, had succeeded in maintaining a neutrality throughout the strife. The comforts of the place were such as must serve to give contentment where teaming is arduous and the mail carrier comes twice a week, but cleanliness dwelt there and homely cheer of a sort.

Before they had yet entered the house the girl saw a horseman approaching with an escort of several men who carried rifles balanced across their pompoms. They came from the east, and though Juanita did not know who they were, she recognized the central rider, himself unarmed, to be a person of consequence.

He was tall, and under his faded coat his rather lean figure fell into an attitude of well-muscled strength despite his fullness of years. "Evenin', ma'am," said the newcomer. "No, I haint a-goin' ter light. I jest heered that Brother Talbott was a-comin' o'er byar, an' I wanted speech with him."

The missionary nodded. "A't right, Milt," he said, and the girl knew, as she had already suspected, that here was a second of her chief enemies.

"I reckon ye all knows what happened last night," she heard him saying slowly. "Hit war a s'ly, an' I

hears that ther Haveys are a-chargin' hit up ergin me. Ther's nat'l enough, I reckon. They 'lows that I'd walk plumb across hell on a rotten plank ter do 'em injury. Ef they stopped ter reason hit out a spell they'd recollect that I went over thar ter Peril an' let a judge that didn't own his own soul an' a jury they hed done packed, clear one of ther kinkfols for killin' a cousin o' mine—an' that I never raised a hand. I reckon they didn't hardly hev no call ter f'gger that I was skeered of them. I done what I done because I wanted peace. I was fer lettin' ther law take hits co'se, even when I knowed the cote war crooked es a drunkard's elbow."

He paused, and no one spoke, so at last he went on again. "But little Nash Watt war young an' hot-headed. He could hardly see hit in ther light of wisdom, and he didn't come ter me for counsel. So he jest went nell-splittin' o'er thar with some other boys that he overpersuaded—an' he didn't come back. I'm sorry. I was



"I 'Lowed I'd Ask Ye Ef Ye'd Fetch the Body Home."

right fond of Little Nash, but I haint complainin' none. He started trouble an' he got hit."

Again the dark giant paused; then he came to his point. His voice was regretful, almost sad, but tinged with resignation.

"So Little Nash is a-layin' dead down thar, an' no McBriar durstn't venture down ter fetch his body home."

He waved a hand toward the west, and the faces of his escort lowered. They seemed the faces of men who "durst" go anywhere, but their chief went on.

"I knowed, Brother Talbott, thet ye sarves Almighty God, an' thet thar haint no word ye carries but what all men will listen ter ye, so I've done come ter ye in behalf of Little Nash's mav, an' his wimmenfols. I 'lowed I'd ask ye ef ye'd ride down thar and f'ch home ther body?"

The missionary nodded, and though he was travel-stained and very tired, he said: "I'll start right now."

Then Milt McBriar continued: "An' ef ye sees fit, ye kin tell Anse Havey thet I haint a sun' fer peace, but thet I haint a-blamin' him nuther, an' thet ef he wants ther truse ter go on I'm a-willin' ter hev hit thetaway. I haint holdin' no grudge on account of last night."

Juanita's eyes grew a little misty as she thought of that desolated cabin where a mother and sisters were grieving for the boy who had been "hot-headed." Even the sight of his older kinsman, who sat his horse with such composure while his eyes wandered off to the purple haze of the far mountains, stirred in her an emotion of sympathy.

Of course she knew nothing of the ten acres of "bottom land" which were to be Little Nash's when Cal Douglas should have ceased to breathe, nor how it was covetousness and cold thrift that sent him out with his rifle in the night. She only heard the McBriar say, "I'm much obleeged," and saw him turn his cavalcade east.

The tired missionary started his mule west again, and she herself followed the Widow Everson into the cabin which was for the time to be her home. When the widow left her she rummaged in her saddlebags and drew out a small leather case. She sat for a long while silent in her shuck-bottomed rocking chair, gazing wearily out at the west, where sunset fires were beginning to kindle, and where an old-rose haze was drowsing over the valley and glowing more brightly in the twisting ribbon of a far-away stream. But her eyes came often back to the panorama out there to dwell a little wistfully on a photograph in the leather frame.

It was the picture of the man she had sent away. Had he himself been there just then, with her courage at

ebb-tide, and had he stretched out his arms, she would have shaken her head wearily on abstract resolves and come into their embrace. But he was not there.

In the quaint conversation of the Widow Everson and her sons Juanita found so much of the amusing that she had to school herself against too great an appreciation of their utterly unintentional humor. Though she was a "fetched-on woman" to be taken on probation, it was only a matter of hours before the family capitulated, as people in general had a fashion of doing under the spell of her graciousness and charm. Jerry Everson, whom men accounted surly, for the first time in years brushed his shapeless hat and remembered not to "hang it on the floor," and Sim Everson bled him into the misty woods at dawn and brought home squirrels for her first breakfast in his house.

In the forenoon of her first day she left the house and, crossing the tiny garden where the weeds were already growing tall and rank enough to hint of future ragged victory, she made her way by a narrow trail that led to the crest of the ridge.

Juanita was steering her course for a patriarchal poplar that sent a straight shaft heavenward at the rim of the crest, opening its verdure like a great flag, unfurled on a mighty parapet. She knew that up there she could look two ways across the divide, and that her battleground would be spread before her.

She looked to the east, and line after line of hills melted into the sky. She looked to the west, and there, too, they rose, phalanx on phalanx, to dissolve in a smoky haze that effaced the horizon. It seemed as if in a majesty of relentlessness they reached from sunrise to sunset, and so, as far as the locked-in life of their people went, they might.

She stood there a long while, and finally she saw, where for a space the road ran near the brick house, unshaded by the woods, a straggling little cortège. At its front rode a stoop-shouldered man in whom, even at that far distance, she thought she recognized the missionary. Behind him came a few horsemen riding in two squads, and between the squads crawled a "jolt-wagon" drawn by mules. She knew that the Haveys were bringing back to the frontier the enemy's dead, and she shuddered at the cold reality.

It may have been three hours later that Good Anse Talbott rode up to the Widow Everson's. When the girl, who had returned long ago from the crest, came out to meet him at the door she found him talking there with Milt McBriar, who had also ridden up, but from the other direction.

"Anse Havey 'lows," the preacher was saying, "that he hed done fetched home ther body of little Nash Watt, an' thet ther boy was shot ter death a-layin' in ther la'rel a hundred paces from the winder whar Cal Douglas was a standin'!"

"I've done already acknowledged 'thet," declared Milt in a voice into which crept a trace of truculent sullenness.

The missionary nodded. "I haint quite through yit, Milt," he went on evenly, and the girl who stood leaning against the door-frame, caught for an instant a sparkle of zeal earnestness in his weary eyes.

"Anse is willin' ter take yore hand on this truce. He's willin' ter stand pledge thet ther Haveys keeps faith. But I'm a preacher of the Gawsel of God, Milt, and I don't low ter be no go-between without both of yo men does keep faith."

Milt McBriar stiffened resentfully, and his dark brows drew together under his hat brim.

"Does ye doubt thet I'll do what I says?" he inquired in a voice too soft for sincerity.

The missionary did not drop his steady and compelling eyes from the gaze direct. It was as if he were reading through the pupils of the other and searching the dark heart.

"I aims ter see thet ye both starts out fair, Milt," he said, still quietly. "An' ter thet end I aims ter admonish ye both on ther terms of this meetin' atween ye."

For an instant Milt McBriar's semblance of calm reflectiveness slipped from him and his voice rose raspingly. "Did Anse Havey learn ye thet speech?"

Good Anse Talbott shook his head patiently. "No, I told Anse ther same thing. I'm a-tellin' yo. Neither Anse ner ther four men that fetches ther body will hev any sort of weapon about 'em when they comes across thet stile. Ye've got ter give me yore hand thet none of yore men haint a goin' ter be armed. I'm a servant of ther Most High God." For an instant fire blazed in the preacher's eyes and his voice mounted with fervor. "Fer years I've done sought ter teach his grace an' his hatred of murder ter ther people of these byar hills. When yo two men shakes hands on this truce I aims ter be standin' by with a rifle-gun in my hands, an' ef I sees anything crooked I'm goin' ter use hit."

The dark giant stood for a time silent, then he gravely nodded his head. "Them terms suits me," he said briefly.

The two men walked down to the fence and separated there, going in opposite directions.

A few minutes later Juanita, still staring fascinatedly in the doorway, was looking out across the shoulder of the missionary. He presided at the threshold with grave eyes, and, even after these peaceful years, there was something of familiar caress in the way his brown hand lay on his rifle-lock. Then the girl saw a strange and primitive ratification of crav-

On either side of the little porch stood a group of solemn men, mostly bearded, mostly coalless, and all unarmed. In front of those, at the right stood Anse Havey, his eyes still the dominant feature of the picture.

Over across from him was the taller and older chief of the other clan. They stood there gravely, with a courtesy that cloaked their hatred. In the road was the "jolt-wagon," and in its deep bed the girl could see the canvas that covered its burden.

As Bad Anse took his place at the front of his escort his gaze met that of Juanita. He did not speak, but for an instant she saw his face harden, his eyes narrow, and his lips set themselves. It was the glance of one who has been lashed across the face and who cannot strike back, but who will not soon forget.

This time the girl's eyes did not drop, and certainly they held no hint of relenting or plea for forgiveness.

But at that moment the head of the Haveys turned from her and began speaking.

"I got your message, Milt," he said casually, "an' I reckon yo got my answer. I've brought back Little Nash."

"I'm obleeged ter ye," The McBriar paused, then volunteered: "Ef ther boy had took counsel of me, this thing wouldn't never hev happened."

Bad Anse Havey stood looking at the other, then he nodded.

"Milt," he carelessly announced at the end of his scrutiny, while the ghost of an ironical smile glinted in his eyes, though it left his lips grave, "I've got several hosses an' mules down thar in my barn that we found hitched out in ther timber when Nash an' his friends took to the la'rel." Again he paused and studied the faces of the McBriar men before he went on. "One of 'em is your own roan mare, Milt. One of 'em b'longs ter Sam thar, and one is Bob's thar." He pointed out each man as he spoke. "Ye can get 'em any time ye send down for 'em."

The girl caught her breath and, despite her dislike, acknowledged the cool insolence with which Anse had answered Milt's plea of innocence. Milt replied only with a scowl, so Anse contemptuously continued, as though to himself: "Hit's right smart pity for a feller to go out shootin' in the night-time an' to take a kinsman's horse—with-out takin' his counsel. It might lead to some misunderstandin'."

A baleful glare flashed deep in the eyes of the taller man, and from the henchmen at his back came an uneasy shuffle of brogans.

But the voice of Good Anse Talbott relieved the tension.

"Stiddy, thar, men," he quietly cautioned. "Ye didn't hardly meet ter talk 'bout hosses. I'll lead them nags back myself, Milt."

Then Anse Havey stepped forward and held out his hand.

"I gives ye my hand, Milt McBriar," he said, "that ther truce goes on."

"An' I gives ye mine," rejoined the other. After a perfunctory shake the two turned together and went down the



"I Gives Ye My Hand, Milt McBriar."

steps. The girl saw both squads lifting the covered burden from the wagon and carrying it around the road, where the other wagon waited. She believed that the feud was ended, but it is doubtful if either of the principals whose hands had joined parted with great trust in the integrity of the other's intentions. It is certain that one of them at least was already making plans for the future, not at all in accordance with that compact of peace.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## Haying for Deer.

Winters when the snow is deep for long stretches of time deer congregate in yards in the Adirondacks and many of the weaker ones die of starvation. Their skeletons may be found in various parts of the great wilderness when the snows are gone. This year game protectors have been cutting tons of marsh hay on the beaver meadows in the remote sections of the Adirondacks and stacking it in sheltered places to be fed to the deer next winter when the snow is so deep that other food is not obtainable. The conservation commission believes that it will save the lives of hundreds of deer that otherwise would perish. The stacks have been encased in pole frames and liberally salted. Deer will not eat marsh hay unless it is so treated.

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## Of a Kind.

"I wish Evelyn hadn't gone rowing with that young De Swift. He is a fool in a boat."  
"Rock-the-boat idiot?"  
"No. Not that kind. He is one of the sort that proposes."

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Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely. A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well child again. Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

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"What do you suppose is the per capita cost of the war?"  
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Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

Many a man would never be heard of were it not for his obituary notice.

**Oh! You Good Housewife Cut Out This Coupon and Mail It Now**

Skinner Mfg. Co., Dept. E, Omaha, Neb.  
Please send me full information how I can obtain Oneida Community Par Plate Silverware by saving the trade-mark signature from Skinner's Macaroni Products.

Name.....  
Address.....

We will tell you how we send you a complete set of Oneida Community Par Plate Silverware FREE with SKINNER'S Macaroni Products

Guaranteed ten years. Bridal Wreath pattern. Learn all about this grand offer and about the

Send Coupon for Full Information  
Let us tell you how you can secure a complete set of Oneida Community Par Plate Silverware with Skinner's Products. In the meantime save the trade-mark from packages. Cheaper to buy Skinner's by the case—24 packages. All good grocers sell Skinner's Macaroni Products.

Nine Kinds of Macaroni Products  
Macaroni  
Spaghetti  
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Cut Macaroni  
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Cut Spaghetti  
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Skinner Manufacturing Co.  
The Largest Macaroni Factory in America  
Dept. E Omaha, Neb.




Good General Purpose Cow.

**USEFUL HINTS PICKED UP IN DAIRY YARD**

The greatest feeding value in skim milk is always found in feeding it to young animals.

Persistence in keeping up an even flow of milk is of great importance. Some cows that give from 20 to 25 pounds of milk a day make better annual records than others that give 40 to 45 pounds a day on flush feed and go dry for a long period during the fall and winter.

Timothy hay is poor because it is not palatable to the dairy cow, and because it is deficient in protein.

The economy of the ration is largely affected by the amount of foodstuffs which may be grown at home. If the boys help with the cows teach them, first of all, the importance of gentleness and kindness, not only when milking but when driving and handling the cows.

If the most money is to be made from the dairy cows, a good first-class healthy herd of dairy animals must be established first.

In these days of high-priced grain feed it makes a great difference whether we secure a large quantity of protein foods from our farms or whether

It takes a large portion of our milk checks to buy the same quantity in a more condensed form.

Providing she comes from good ancestry, the development of the cow begins on the day of her birth. Cows seldom develop much after they are in the dairy.

The effort to develop cows after they are in the dairy always falls short of what might have been accomplished had the development been started three years earlier.

It is not expensive barns that make good milk and healthy cows, but well fed and healthy cows, though their stables be plain ones, just as we find the healthiest people living in plain cottage homes.

Feed the young heifer like a little cow and on cow foods. Let calf and stock foods alone. Feed good bran, middlings, a little oil meal, clover hay, silage and that sort of foods. Never overfeed.

Young calves will soon learn to lick at grain and nibble at hay. They are equipped with grinders quite early in their lives and will soon make use of these feeds.

**Temperance**

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

**NO USE FOR IT IN FIVE YEARS.**

A leading banker of Wisconsin vouches for the following incident:

Within the past year the managers of a brewery in one of the smaller cities of the state decided to build a new malt house at a cost of \$25,000. They commissioned their president to go to Milwaukee and effect a loan. He naturally went to one of the big brewery-controlled banks of that city. The vice-president to whom he applied for the loan, was formerly in the brewing business and had made a handsome fortune in that business during the rainy days before the dregs had begun to knock the big profits out of it. He very wisely got out of the business when the getting was good, not as now, when brewing stocks are all shot to pieces.

To the utter surprise and chagrin of the out-of-town brewer he was promptly refused the loan. He exclaimed: "What's the matter? With all this fine property we got, ain't we good for \$25,000?"

Quick came the answer from the ex-brewer-banker: "But what do you want to use the \$25,000 for?"

"To build a malt house, so we can enlarge our business," said the brewer.

"But, you fool, don't you know that in five years you will have no use whatever for a malt house?" replied the banker.

**CAMPAIGN PLANS.**

As part of the campaign program for the year the National W. C. T. U. has adopted the following: Increased activity of the Young People's branch in all lines of campaign work; the Local Temperance legion (children's branch) to have part in public meetings, demonstrations and parades; campaign institutes to be held in the interests of national constitutional prohibition at state capitals; also county institutes at county seats, for the education and inspiration of temperance workers and the general public; special campaign material furnished the newspapers by the W. C. T. U. bureau of publicity; parades, street meetings, medal contests, rallies and other public demonstrations to be held frequently, securing the co-operation of Sunday schools; circulation of the Sunday school petition for national constitutional prohibition to be urged; the relation of woman's ballot to the destruction of the liquor traffic emphasized; the use of posters and poster parades recommended, July 4 and October 12 designated as National Poster days; W. C. T. U. speakers to present in public addresses the status of and reasons for national constitutional prohibition and secure the indorsement of the joint resolution for it.

**PLACARDS IN DRY PARADE.**

"A beef joint beats a booze joint."  
"The path of misery leads from the saloon door."  
"You can't buy dry goods with money spent for wet goods."  
"The cause of drunkenness is it: cense; the cure is total abstinence."  
"One home in four must furnish a boy for the saloon. What about your boy?"  
"Chicago knows enough to come in out of the wet."  
"We'll make the water wagon our jitney bus."  
"A dry Chicago means a clean Chicago."  
"Who gets your next pay envelope?"  
"The saloon is the poor man's club that kicks him out after he has paid his dues."  
"Nineteen dry states. Come on in, Illinois! The water's fine."  
"The last to be hired, the first to be fired—the boozier."  
"Nothing to drink Sunday; clear head Monday."  
"When you down booze, that is personal liberty; when booze downs you, that is slavery."

**ADVICE TO UNCLE SAM.**

There is a certain queer old book which was printed in England more than a hundred years ago called, "The Pleasant Art of Money-Catching." It contains this good advice: "First see that your comings-in be more than your layings-out." Suppose a man were taking ten thousand dollars a year over the counter of his store. That might seem big to him. But if he had to pay ten thousand and one dollars for stock and rent and help and fire, he would not be prospering, but failing. Uncle Sam does get a great deal of money from the liquor traffic. But he and we spend a very great deal more in caring for its victims. So this is bad business, even when enough people have found it out the liquor traffic will go. They are finding it out very fast. Everybody who has studied arithmetic can figure out the reason for national prohibition. It is a matter of dollars and cents.—Christine Tintling.

**FARMERS FOR PROHIBITION.**

The Farmers' National congress, assembled in Omaha for its thirty-fifth annual meeting, proclaimed the prohibition principles of the farmers of the country in the following message to the Nebraska dry convention then in session at Lincoln:

"The Farmers' National congress has for many years been on record as opposed to the legalizing of the liquor traffic. Our sympathies and efforts are with the convention for a dry Nebraska and a dry nation."

**Let Hens Rest in Winter.**

Hens that have rested the winter through and have been injured to cold, coming off hardy and well, will show the largest percentage of fertile eggs when they do begin laying.

**900 DROPS**  
**CASTORIA**

ALCOHOL—3 PER CENT.  
A Vegetable Preparation for Assuaging the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of

**INFANTS CHILDREN**

Promotes Digestion Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

Recipe of Old Dr. SAMUEL PITCHER:  
Pumpkin Seed Oil  
Aloes  
Sassafras  
Rhubarb  
Sulphur  
Castor Oil  
Ginger  
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A Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.

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**Chas. H. Johnston**  
THE CENTAUR COMPANY  
NEW YORK

At 6 months old  
**35 Doses—35 CENTS**

Exact Copy of Wrapper

**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children.  
**Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria Always Bears the Signature of**  
*Chas. H. Johnston*  
**Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA**

**No Wonder They Laughed.**

A man in telling about a wonderful parrot hanging in a cage from a window of a house which he often passed, said:

"It cries 'Stop thief,' so naturally that every time I hear it I always stop."

He couldn't understand why his friends began to laugh.

**FOR BABY RASHES**

Cuticura Soap is Best Because So Soothing and Cooling. Trial Free.

If baby is troubled with rashes, eczemas, itchings, chafings or hot, irritated skin follow Cuticura Soap bath with light application of Cuticura Ointment to the affected part. Nothing so soothing, cooling and refreshing when the skin is fretful and sleepless.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

**Avoid the Deformity.**

Do you know why it is that most noses point east? Take notice in this regard of the people you meet, and you will see that their noses nearly always are turned quite markedly to the right, instead of being set straight on their faces. It is a deformation attributable to the fact that since early childhood they have used their handkerchiefs with their right hands, giving the nose each time a tweak to the right.

Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes make us look older than we are. Keep your eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies Murine Eye Remedy. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

**During the Bugsome.**

The Golf Insect—Where did the Beetle fall off his game, caddy?  
The Caddy Insect—At the seventh hole, sir; he lost four strokes getting over an anthill.

**Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days**

Drugsists refund money if PZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

**Good Advice.**

"Keep your eyes on the sky—not on the ground."  
"You mean that it is better to be a skyscraper than a muckraker?"

**Advice.**

"My capital is brains."  
"You'd better compromise with your creditors."

**When all others fail to please Try Denison's Coffee.**

Naturally. She—He looks prosperous, and yet you say he lives from hand to mouth. He—Yes; he's a dentist.

**No Time to Spare.**

"Now that the football season is over and it's rather too early for baseball, I guess our boy at college will be able to do a little studying," said Mrs. Dubwaite.

"I'm afraid not," answered Mr. Dubwaite. "He writes me that his social duties have been sadly neglected."

**No Boss.**

—He—You always seem so self-possessed.  
—She—Yes; I don't believe in getting married.

**The First Sneeze is the Danger Signal—Time to take**

**CASCARA QUININE**

The old standard remedy—in tablet form—No unpleasant after effects—No opiates—Cures colds in 24 hours—La Grippe in 3 days—Money back if it fails—Insist on genuine—Box with red top—Mr. Hill's picture on it—25c—Any Drug Store.

W. H. Hill Company—Detroit

**Your Liver Is Clogged Up**

That's Why You're Tired—Out of Sorts—Have No Appetite.

**CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS** will put you right in a few days.

They do their duty. Cure Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache, SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature.

**DON'T CUT OUT A Shoe Boil, Capped Hock or Bursitis**

**ABSORBINE**

will reduce them and leave no blemishes. Stops lameness promptly. Does not blister or remove the hair, and horse can be worked. \$2 a bottle delivered. Book 6 M free.

ABSORBINE, JR., for manning, the antiseptic ointment for Boils, Bruises, Sores, Swellings, Varicose Veins, Allays Pain and Inflammation. Price \$1 and \$2 a bottle at drugists or delivered. Will tell you more if you write.

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FREE CATALOGUE OF SPLENDID BARGAINS. R. B. CHAFFIN & CO., Inc. Richmond, Va.

**WHY "ANURIC" IS AN INSURANCE AGAINST SUDDEN DEATH!**

Sufferers from Backache, Rheumatism and Kidney Trouble

Before an Insurance Company will take a risk on your life the examining physician will test the urine and report whether you are a good risk. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, stick-headache, dizzy spells, or the twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout. The urine is often cloudy, full of sediment; channels often get sore and sleep is disturbed two or three times a night. This is the time you should consult some physician of wide experience—such as Dr. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. Send him 10 cents for sample package of his new discovery—"Anuric." Write him your symptoms and send a sample of urine for test.

Experience has taught Dr. Pierce that "Anuric" is the most powerful agent in dissolving uric acid, as hot water melts sugar; besides being absolutely harmless it is endowed with other properties, for it preserves the kidneys in a healthy condition by thoroughly cleansing them. Checks the degeneration of the blood-vessels, as well as regulating blood pressure. "Anuric" is a regular insurance and life-saver for all big meat eaters and those who deposit lime-salts in their joints. Ask the druggist for "Anuric" put up by Dr. Pierce, in 50-cent packages.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well. No alcohol. Sold in tablets or liquid.

**Looked Ominous.**

"I don't think this fellow will be very popular around the hotel."  
"Why so?"  
"I see he registers from No. Tippington, Wis."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**SHAVING A PLEASURE—NOT AN "OPERATION."**

Usit, the wonderful new skin food and "wrinkle chaser," is a boon to men with heavy, wiry beards and tender skins.

A man who has used it for a short time said recently, "Shaving is a pleasure now,—I used to consider it almost an operation."

It is only necessary to rub a few drops of Usit into the beard before lathering to enjoy an easy, quick shave. When Usit is applied before shaving, there is never any smarting, soreness, or drawn feeling after. Get a bottle and shave in comfort. The genuine Usit is always in opal bottles. Beware of substitution. If you do not have yourself, take it to your barber and have him apply it always before shaving you. It is really surprising how fine it makes your face feel. Price 50c.—Mail orders. Usit Manufacturing Co. Inc., 895 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

**The Reason.**

Mrs. Jones—I haven't heard you speak of going to the mountains next summer; but then your lungs are not weak this year.

Mrs. Smith—No, and they're not likely to be, unless my husband's business greatly improves.

**Radical Departure.**

"Just a word, young man," said the owner of the store.  
"Yes, sir."  
"If a customer knows what he wants, sell it to him. I know that a star salesman can always sell him something else, but I have a theory that it will pay just as well to sell him what he wants."

**RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.**

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair and remove dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

**Heavy Reading.**

Flatbush—The post office director of London for the present year weighs almost fifteen pounds.

Bensonhurst—Even so, some English man of letters produce some heavier books than that.—Yonkers Statesman.

**When all others fail to please Try Denison's Coffee.**

If a man was hurt every time he is scared he would never live to reach three score and ten.

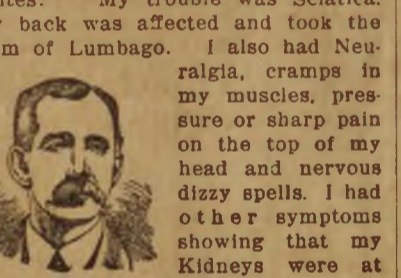
**Mother Explains.**

"My dear," said Mr. Hemandhaw, "I hope you are not planning to buy a lot of new furniture."  
"I am not," replied Mrs. Hemandhaw, "and I don't know what gives you the idea."  
"This shopping list gives me the idea."  
"What shopping list?"  
"On this paper, which I just picked up off the floor, is written: 'Washstand, parlor chairs, dining-room table, writing desk, refrigerator, taboret, piano stool, pedestal, stepladder, cedar chest, music cabinet and garbage can.'"  
"Oh, that is just a record I was keeping of the things the baby has fallen from this week."—Judge.

**SAVED MINISTER'S LIFE.**

Rev. W. H. Warner, Frederick, Md., writes: "My trouble was Sciatica. My back was affected and took the form of Lumbago. I also had Neuralgia, cramps in my muscles, pressure or sharp pain on the top of my head and nervous dizzy spells. I had other symptoms showing that my kidneys were at fault, so I took Dodd's Kidney Pills. They were the means of saving my life."

**Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c per box at your dealer, or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for Indigestion have been proved, 50c per box. Write for Household Hints, also music of National Anthem (English and German words) and recipes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free.—Adv.**



**Physic is Highly Important Cow Aid**

Expert of Wisconsin Station Gives Directions for Drenching—Use Strong Bottle.

A physic is a very important aid in the treatment of most diseases. Dr. A. S. Alexander of Wisconsin gives the following directions for administering a physic:

Dissolve one pound of epsom salts, for a 1,000-pound cow, in three pints of warm water. Add h.l. an ounce of ground ginger root and a cupful of black-strap cane molasses. Shake well and give as one dose slowly and carefully from a strong long-necked bottle or from a drenching horn.

Do not raise cow's head above the level of her back when administering medicine. Hold her head in a straight line with her body. Do not grasp her by the nostrils, or pull out her tongue.

Standing at her right side, pass the left hand over her face and into the left side of the mouth. Insert the neck of the bottle into the right side of the mouth, and pour in the medicine, two or three ounces at a time, and allow the cow time to swallow.

Let her head down at once, if she coughs, and wait for a few minutes before giving the rest of the drench.

**Why Farmer Should Have a Separator**

Little or No Loss of Skim Milk—Less Danger of Introducing Disease Into Herd.

(By S. E. LEE, Wisconsin Experiment Station.)

There is a number of very good reasons why a farmer should own and operate a cream separator.

1. There is little or no loss of skim milk, which, of course, has a high feeding value.
2. There is less danger of introducing such contagious disease as tuberculosis into the herd if the milk is skimmed at home and only the milk produced upon the farm is fed.
3. Time is saved by not hauling whole milk to the factory.
4. Less products have to be taken for upon the farm.
5. There is a wider market for cream than for milk.

**Green Food Needed.**

Do not forget that the fowls need green food. If a change of yards is not possible see that some is fed them daily.

**The Wheat Yield Tells the Story of Western Canada's Rapid Progress**

The heavy crops in Western Canada have caused new records to be made in the handling of grains by railroads. For, while the movement of these heavy shipments has been wonderfully rapid, the resources of the different roads, despite enlarged equipments and increased facilities, have been strained as never before, and previous records have thus been broken in all directions.

The largest Canadian wheat shipments through New York ever known are reported for the period up to October 15th, upwards of four and a quarter million bushels being exported in less than six weeks, and this was but the overflow of shipments to Montreal, through which point shipments were much larger than to New York.

Yields as high as 60 bushels of wheat per acre are reported from all parts of the country; while yields of 45 bushels per acre are common.

Thousands of American farmers have taken part in this wonderful production. Land prices are still low and free homestead lands are easily secured in good localities, convenient to churches, schools, markets, railways, etc. There is no war tax on land and no conscription.

Write for illustrated pamphlet, reduced railroad rates and other information to Superintendent Immigration, Ottawa, Canada.

E. J. BROUGHTON, Room 412, 112 W. Adams Street, Chicago, Illinois.  
M. V. MCKINNIS, 178 Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, Michigan.  
Canadian Government Agents

# KINGSTON NEWS

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

James Sullivan was a Belvidere caller Tuesday.

C. A. Anderson was a Chicago caller Wednesday.

Robert Helsdon was home from Belvidere over Sunday.

Ralph Ort visited with relatives in Rockford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Heckman entertained their son, Harry, of Elgin Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Gardner of Fargo, North Dakota, is visiting with relatives here.

A Bakery Sale will be held in the M. E. church basement Saturday afternoon Jan. 22, 1916.

Mrs. Maggie Whitney returned to her home in Belvidere Monday after a two weeks visit with relatives here.

Mrs. George Moore left Tuesday for Hot Springs, Arkansas. Mr. Moore has been there for some time taking treatments.

A member from the anti-saloon league will preach at the M. E. church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Graham are entertaining the latter's brother, Mr. Markson, of Belvidere.

Mrs. George Helsdon and child have returned to their home in Belvidere after visiting with relatives here a few days.

A surprise party was given in honor of Miss Ada Armbruster at her grandparents' home, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stark, south of town last Friday evening. A good time was reported.

The oyster supper that was given by the brothers of the M. E. church Tuesday evening was well attended. The band and Mrs. Chellgreen's singing was very much enjoyed by all.

At the Kingston Baptist church Sunday, Jan. 23, 1916. 10:00 a. m., Sunday school; 11:00 a. m., morning worship "Head Liners From the Book of Job"; 7:30 p. m. Evening service, "Wonders From the Book of Psalms."

Howard Hitchcock who formerly lived in Kingston passed away in Chicago Monday evening, Jan. 13, 1916. The remains will be brought to Kingston for burial. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 12:30 p. m. at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Shrader.

**Dixon Has Big Fire**

The city of Dixon was visited Saturday night and Sunday morning by a disastrous fire that completely wrecked the Countryman building in that city, entailing a loss of \$80,000. The fire destroyed the telephone exchange, ruined the J. A. Snyder confectionery store and damaged the Socialist hall. The fire was discovered on Saturday night about eleven o'clock, on the ground floor of the Countryman building occupied by Hatten and Mathias. The fire spread with such rapidity that only 12 hours of the hardest fighting controlled it.

## W. H. BELL AUCTIONEER

NINETEEN YEARS EXPERIENCE  
I guarantee satisfaction. My past work speaks for itself. The fall season is now approaching. For dates and terms call or address

**WM. H. BELL**  
Kingston, - Illinois.  
County Phone No. 13.

**S. C. Rhode Island Red Cockerels**  
and  
**Pullets**

from 1st prize winning pen at State Association show in DeKalb. Prices right for quick sale.  
**H. W. PRENTICE**  
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Telephone 24 **THE REDWOOD BARBER SHOP** Prompt Service  
Agency for  
**JOSEPH BROS.**  
**CLEANERS AND DYERS**



**THE Dining Room** should be a cheerful place, for when you eat your meals amid pleasant surroundings you do much to aid digestion. And good digestion means health.

## Have Us Furnish Your Dining Room

The variety of designs in tables, chairs, sideboards, china closets, serving tables and the like, is ample to satisfy your desires, whatever they may be, in the matter of style, finish and price. Come in and talk it all over with us. We are as eager to give satisfaction as you are to receive it.

Our Word Is a Guaranty of Honest Values.  
**W. W. Cooper**

### THE COUNCIL MEETS

Routine Business Done and Ordinance No. 88, Concerning City Purchases, is Passed

January 14, 1916

Regular meeting of the city council called to order. Roll call showed Smith, Durham, Duval, Noll and Shipman present. Absent: Mayor Quanstrong and alderman Danforth.

Motion made by Noll, seconded by Duval, that council adjourn till Tuesday evening, Jan. 18, Motion carried.

January 18, 1916

Adjourned regular meeting of the city council called to order by Mayor P. A. Quanstrong.

Members present: Danforth, Durham, Smith, Duval, Noll and Shipman.

Minutes of the last regular, and adjourned regular meeting read and approved.

The following bills were approved by the finance committee:

Chicago N. & St. Paul R. R. Rent	13.70
J. E. Kierman & Son, Supplies & Dr.	1.70
H. H. King, supplies	1.50
Wm. Lang, Labor	1.50
E. G. Cooper, gasoline	98.11
John Leubke, supplies	1.10
Fred Scherf, teaming	3.83
L. F. Scott, stamps	2.00
H. H. King, salary	75.00
T. J. Hoover, supplies	21
B. E. Crawford, salary	75.00
DeKalb Co. Telephone Co. rent & toll	21.96
Exchange Bank, City vouchers	107.29
Farmer State Bank	280.98

Moved by Danforth seconded by Smith that bills be allowed and orders drawn on treasurer for amounts. Motion carried.

Report of the city treasurer was read showing a balance of \$2968.68 on hand. Moved by Shipman, seconded by Duval that report be placed on file. Motion carried.

Report of superintendent of water works was read. Moved by Danforth, seconded by Durham that report be placed on file. Motion carried.

Ordinance Chapter No. 88 pertaining to the issuing of city vouchers was read. Moved by Danforth, seconded by Noll that ordinance chapter No. 88 be passed, approved and published as read. Motion carried.

Moved by Smith, seconded by Shipman that matter of repairing fire hose be referred to fire and water committee and report at next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Noll, seconded by Danforth that council adjourn. Motion carried.

L. F. SCOTT, City Clerk.

### Ordinance Chapter 88

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Genoa, DeKalb County, Illinois:

That all city vouchers issued on account of services rendered or materials furnished to the city of Genoa shall be signed by either the superintendent of streets, superintendent of water works, superintendent of sewers, or fire marshal and also by the chairman of one of the following named committees, to wit: judicial and finance, fire and water, streets and walks, building and grounds, police and license, light or miscellaneous, before the said voucher shall be paid or ordered paid by the City Council of said city.

Passed and approved by the City Council of the city of Genoa, DeKalb County, Illinois, this 14th, day of January A. D. 1916

P. A. QUANSTRONG, Mayor  
Attest: L. F. SCOTT, City Clerk.

### O Anderson's Sale

Frank Miller, Auctioneer

The undersigned will sell at auction on the old James Corson farm, 1 mile west of Riley Center, 6 miles south of Marengo and 9 miles north-east of Genoa, the following property, on

**TUESDAY, JAN. 25, 1915**  
commencing at ten o'clock, sharp  
**30 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK**

Six cows, springers; 1 heifer, 2 years old; 5 yearling heifer calves; black horse, 8 years old, 1300 lbs.; 2 gray mares, 12 years; 7 shoties; 100 lbs. each; 7 fall pigs, full blood chester white boar, 1200 bu. oats, 40 bu. wheat, 20 bu. seed corn, 50 bu. old corn, 2 bu timothy seed, 12 tons tame hay in barn, full line machinery, tools, wagons, harness, etc., some household furniture.

Plenty to eat and drink at noon. Terms, one year at 7 per cent. The undersigned will move to Genoa.  
**Oscar Anderson**

### New Lebanon News

Fred Naker is shelling corn for Lem Gray.

Arthur Hartman was at Hampshire Tuesday.

John Reinken called at Chas. Coon's Tuesday.

Charles Coon was an Elgin passenger Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Hartman called at Fred Roth's Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Klome spent a few days at Arthur Hartman's.

Chas. Heckman of Paw Paw is visiting at Arthur Hartman's.

Mrs. Will Gray visited with relatives at DeKalb the last of the week.

Quite a number from here attended the farm sale of Fred Roth's Monday.

William Bottcher and family visited at the home of his daughter at Starks Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Hartman entertained the H. O. A. club Thursday. All had a pleasant time. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Hartman's guests were Mrs. Carl Klome of Lanark and Mrs. Earl Cook of Hampshire. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Chas. Coon, president; Mrs. Lem Gray, vice president; Mrs. Arthur Hartman, secretary; Mrs. Will Bottcher, treasurer. The club meets with Mrs. Roy Crawford Thursday. All the members try and be present.

**"MOTORISTS, BE COURTEOUS"**

This is the Gist of Suggestions Sent Out by Chicago Club

The Chicago Motor Club, following the lead set by the Wolverine Automobile club of Detroit, has launched a "Be courteous" campaign among automobile drivers in and about Chicago. Charles M. Hayes, president of the Chicago Motor Club, has set forth in epigrammatic sentences "suggestions" on how to be courteous. He says:

"Courtesy first means safety first; think of the golden rule and you have it.

"Be courteous when you have an insane desire to speed. It is not sport to drive fast in the city.

"When a pedestrian sees you coming and pays no attention to you, remember that some are mentally deficient and you cannot tell them from the clothes they wear.

"When you see a child on a curb slow up; remember, the child can start quicker than you can stop.

"Do not open your cutout; there are many sick people and people on their death beds whom such sounds greatly disturb.

"Remember, your horn is just a few times worse than your cut out.

"Keep out of the safety zones; they are for pedestrians. It is up to you to make them safe.

"Do not cut in front of a street car; a motorman is human and most of them will learn all the courtesy you will teach them.

"When people on the curb are trying to reach a street car, or vice-versa, slow up; stop if necessary.

"Remember that the deaf, hundreds of them, use the streets as well as you; they will not hear your horn.

"Courtesy in motor driving is the recognition of the rights of all others—either motorist or pedestrian. It is that and more—it is the willingness to yield certain recognized rights of your own."

**Administrator's Notice**

Estate of Mary A. Stanley, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Mary A. Stanley, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County, at the Court House in Sycamore, at the March Term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against 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 28th day of Dec., A. D., 1915.  
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NEWTON H. STANLEY  
Administrator.  
E. W. Brown, Attorney

### Wants, For Sale, Etc.

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### Lands, City Property

FOR SALE—Five lots in Bureka Park addition in Genoa. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Inquire of W. W. Cooper. 4-1f

FOR SALE—Vacant lots and improved city property in Genoa, in all parts of town. Lots from \$200 up. Improved property from \$1000 up to \$3000, according to location and improvements. Some ought to suit you. Now is the time to buy. D. S. Brown, Genoa. 31-1f

FOR SALE—The Albert Shurtleff property on Jackson street, Genoa, consisting of a fine residence with electric lights, city water and sewer connections and other modern improvements, good barn and a little over eight acres of land. Inquire of E. C. Crawford, Genoa, Ill. 6-1f

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FOR SALE—Round Oak Stove, in good condition, in fact as good as new. J. J. Hammond, Genoa. 11-1f

FOR SALE—Round Oak Stove, in good condition. Geo. Evans, Genoa. 14-1f

FORT RENT—House and four acres of land in country near Genoa, Ill. Inquire of Geithman & Hammond Land Agency, Genoa. 14-1f

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### Executor's Notice

Estate of Henry R. Patterson, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Henry R. Patterson late of the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that they will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County at the Court House in Sycamore at the March Term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against 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 11th day of January A. D. 1916.  
Herman J. Patterson, Executor.  
Linda J. Patterson, Executrix.  
E. W. Brown, Atty. 14-3f

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