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Genoa, Illinois.  
CONNECTED TO MAR. 1, 1901.  
**C. M. & ST. P. R. R.**  
TRAINS GOING EAST.  
L.V.R. GENOA ARR. CHICAGO  
No. 8..... 6 07 a.m..... 7 45 a.m.  
No. 36..... 7 30 a.m..... 10 00 a.m.  
No. 32..... 8 58 a.m..... 10 25 a.m.  
No. 6..... 11 58 a.m..... 1 45 p.m.  
No. 24..... 3 54 p.m..... 5 55 p.m.  
TRAINS GOING WEST.  
L.V.R. CHICAGO ARR. GENOA  
No. 21..... 8 20 a.m..... 10 38 a.m.  
No. 5..... 2 00 p.m..... 3 39 p.m.  
No. 39..... 3 06 p.m..... 5 13 p.m.  
No. 33..... 4 00 p.m..... 5 28 p.m.  
No. 7..... 5 15 p.m..... 6 50 p.m.  
No. 3..... 10 35 p.m..... 11 58 p.m.  
J. M. HARVEY, Agent.

**ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.**  
TRAINS GOING EAST.  
L.V.R. GENOA ARR. CHICAGO  
No. 4..... 7 30 p.m..... 9 30 p.m.  
No. 38..... 11 11 a.m..... 12 55 p.m.  
No. 6..... 4 45 a.m..... 7 00 a.m.  
TRAINS GOING WEST.  
L.V.R. CHICAGO ARR. GENOA  
No. 35..... 2 30 p.m..... 4 54 p.m.  
No. 31..... 3 45 p.m..... 5 18 p.m.  
No. 3..... 8 50 a.m..... 10 25 a.m.  
S. R. CRAWFORD, Agent.

**C. & N. W. AT HENRIETTA.**  
Trains South—8:00 a. m. 10:51 a. m. and 6:16 p. m.  
Trains North—9:07 a. m. 2:45 p. m. and 5:47 p. m.

**Chicago & North-Western.**  
RAILWAY.  
At Sycamore.

Lv Sycamore At Chicago  
Chicago Express..... 6 35 a.m..... 8 31 a.m.  
"..... 8 25 a.m..... 10 10 a.m.  
"..... 11 07 a.m..... 1 30 p.m.  
"..... 4 55 p.m..... 7 06 p.m.  
"..... 6 30 p.m..... 8 30 p.m.  
Sunday Milk Train..... 7 35 a.m..... 10 20 a.m.  
Lv Chicago At Sycamore  
Des Moines Express..... 7 25 a.m..... 9 15 a.m.  
Colorado Special..... 10 00 a.m..... 12 01 p.m.  
Clifton Express..... 12 35 p.m..... 2 40 p.m.  
Sterling Express..... 4 15 p.m..... 5 55 p.m.  
Omaha Express..... 5 30 p.m..... 7 30 p.m.  
Pacific Express..... 10 30 p.m..... 1 25 a.m.  
FOR WEST Lv Sycamore  
Des Moines Express..... 8 20 a.m.  
Colorado Special..... 11 07 a.m.  
Clinton Express..... 2 10 p.m.  
Sterling Express..... 5 32 p.m.  
California Overland Limited, Sioux City  
Northern Iowa and Dakota Limited..... 6 30 p.m.  
Rochelle Milk Train, Sunday only..... 5 05 p.m.  
South Bound  
DeKalb Passenger..... 6 30 a.m.  
DeKalb-Cortland Passenger..... 8 25 a.m.  
DeKalb Passenger..... 11 07 a.m.  
"..... 2 10 p.m.  
Spring Valley Passenger..... 5 32 p.m.  
DeKalb Passenger..... 6 30 p.m.

**C. & N. W. R. R.**  
AT HENRIETTA.  
NORTH BOUND.  
9:07 a. m. Mail and Express.  
9:45 p. m. Way Frt. Takes passengers for Herbert only.  
5:17 p. m. Express.  
SOUTH BOUND.  
8:00 a. m. Way Freight, to Sycamore and South of DeKalb but not to DeKalb.  
10:51 a. m. Mail and Express.  
5:16 p. m. Mail and Express.  
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**C. Gt-W. R. R.**  
March 3, 1901.  
Trains Leave SYCAMORE as follows.  
WEST BOUND.  
Express for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and Kansas City..... 10:27 a.m.  
Night Express for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and Kansas City..... 12:30 a.m.  
Byron Local..... 5:42 p.m.  
Limited for Dubuque, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines, St. Joseph and Kansas City..... 8:06 p.m.  
EAST BOUND.  
Chicago Suburban..... 6:00 a.m.  
" Suburban..... 7:40 a.m.  
" Limited..... 7:40 a.m.  
" Local..... 7:28 a.m.  
" Special..... 12:50 p.m.  
" Express..... 8:00 p.m.  
SYCAMORE-DE KALB.  
Leave Sycamore Arrive DeKalb Leave DeKalb Arrive Sycamore  
6:30 a.m. 6:40 a.m. 6:50 a.m. 8:00 a.m.  
10:45 a.m. 11:50 a.m. 7:35 a.m. 7:49 a.m.  
11:15 p.m. 12:25 p.m. 8:35 a.m. 8:50 a.m.  
3:45 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 11:55 a.m. 12:05 p.m.  
\*7:15 p.m. \*7:25 p.m. \*7:30 p.m. \*4:50 p.m.  
8:15 p.m. 8:25 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 7:40 p.m.  
\*Daily except Sunday. All others daily.

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**Local Pick Ups.**  
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For Sale—A Piano, Inquire at the JOURNAL office.  
Andrew Swanson was at the county seat last Saturday.  
Doesn't our streets require a slight amount of attention?  
Mrs. M. W. Ferslew spent Sunday with Kirkland friends.  
Owen McCormick was out from the city and spent Sunday at home  
Found—A glove. Owner pay for this ad and get it. JOURNAL office.  
Mrs. Joseph Patterson was visiting with friends in Sycamore last Saturday.  
Miss Maud Humphrey spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Hampshire.  
Mrs. Jeannette Leonard was transacting business at the county seat last Friday.  
Wm. Wyde and wife and their son Don visited with Rockford friends over Sunday.  
Fred Anderson and wife were Saturday and Sunday visitors in the city by the lake.  
Boyd Ainley who has been quite sick the past few weeks we are glad to say is improving.  
DeKalb is infested with a dog poison-crank. No less than eight were doped on one street.  
FOR SALE—About 25 bushels of timothy seed. Call on or address Geo. W. Buck, Genoa, Ill.  
Every scholar should make an effort to get the "Life of Columbus" in the JOURNAL contest.  
Chris Awe and wife were passengers to Elgin last Saturday where they visited with friends.  
Aldermen John Haddell and Chas. H. Smith were attending to business in Chicago last Saturday.  
W. A. Kelsey and wife of Morris, were the guests of the former's sister Mrs. V. Harris last week.  
TO RENT—A large choice pasture, of easy access and with plenty of water. A. R. Coboon.  
Mrs. E. H. Lane and daughter Mamie left here last week for Kansas City where they will remain through the summer.  
Furnished rooms to rent—We will rent a few rooms furnished for house keeping to small family. Inquire at the JOURNAL office.  
The Misses Maud Sager, Oss Downing, Florence Pratt and Carrie Nichols were at the county seat Saturday taking graduation examinations.  
FARM FOR SALE—A highly improved farm in the town of Franklin. Every foot a desirable piece of soil. Call at the JOURNAL office for full description.  
Mrs. Al Harryman arrived here from West Pullman where they moved last fall. Mr. Harryman arrived here Saturday and they will again take up their abode in Genoa.  
DeKalb papers are howling about the deplorable condition of their streets. In the next breath they say that their mechanics are driving a good business supplying rubber tires.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Abraham came out from Chicago Saturday evening and spent Sunday with their parents. Fred returned Monday morning but Mrs. Abraham will remain a few weeks.  
Elgin merchants are closing their stores four nights in each week. The grocers, butchers and bakers has yielded this request of the clerks and the other stores soon began signing the agreement.  
Gov. Yates has named Charles P. Burton, editor of the Aurora Express, to be printer expert in place of John A. Barton of Carbondale. This is the position for which Geo. E. Sisley has been candidate.  
Mr. Root of the firm of Ohlmacher & Root, plumbers, was a transient at the McDowell house Thursday night. He was on his return from Rockford where he had passed the State Plumbers Examination.  
The DeKalb County Telephone Company have extended their line north as far as W. A. Eiklor's residence and 'phones have been put in at J. H. Vandressor's and at Eiklor's. In all probability it will be extended still further.

Mrs. Al Harryman is quite sick.  
Jake Kunzler is around on a crutch.  
F. R. Rowen was up from Kingston Tuesday.  
Miss Jennie Leonard spent Sunday at home.  
Mrs. Ford's condition is reported unchanged.  
Lester Olmstead is still in a very critical state.  
E. H. Coboon had business in Elgin last Saturday.  
Robert Gallagher we are glad to say, is much improved.  
Ain't it warm. So are those fried cakes at Browne's.  
Mrs. E. C. Crawford had business in Chicago yesterday.  
E. H. Lane transacted business in the big city yesterday.  
Mrs. Gusta Stevens, of Kingston, was shopping in Genoa Tuesday.  
J. M. Davan came down from Milwaukee and spent Sunday at home.  
Come in and see our assortment of Alluminum card cases. You will want one.  
Remember that if you wish to rent a house in Genoa the JOURNAL can help you.  
Dr. Donahue was a passenger to Chicago on the early Monday morning train.  
E. J. Donahue, O. Lopath, will be at Mrs. Baldwin's house every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.  
Just arrived, a car load of Rural New Yorker potatoes, also early Ohio seed potatoes. F. O. Swan.  
FOR SALE—Some choice seed oats of the White Russian variety and free from all foul seed, E. H. Olmsted.  
If your horses, cattle, hogs, or chickens are not doing well, go to K. Jackman & Son and get a package of stock food.  
A married man says that a wife should be like a roast lamb—tender and sweet, nicely dressed, but without sauce.  
The twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Pierco was celebrated at their pleasant country home last Wednesday.  
Geo. H. Ide and wife served a wild goose dinner to a few near relatives last Saturday. Wild goose dinners are getting to be few and far between.  
In the state of New York there is a fine of ten dollars for throwing stones, cans, etc. in a gutter or in grass, where these nuisances have been removed.  
William Hollingsworth died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. B. Rowen, in Belvidere on Monday the 18th inst. aged a little over seventy six years.  
"Yes, sir," said Gallagher, "It was funny enough to make a donkey laugh, I laughed until I cried," and then, as he saw a smile go around the room, he grew red in the face and went away angry.  
The time required for a journey round the earth by a man walking day and night, without resting, would be 428 days; an express train, 40 days; sound, at a medium temperature, 324 hours; a cannonball, 21 1/2 hours; light a little over one-tenth of a second; and electricity, passing over a copper wire, about one-tenth of a second.  
Robert Hewitson (Doc Bluch) was in Aurora last Sunday visiting with his brother Fred, who expects to leave the United States soon for Australia where he will assume the management of the affairs of the McCormick Harvester Co., by which company he has been employed in various responsible positions of trust for some time.  
A separator in the creamery at Kirkland last week while running at the rate of 6000 revolutions per minute, flew into fragments seriously injuring Chas. Oleon, the proprietor. One piece struck him on the front of the elbow and tearing away a part of the bone, another striking him in the side which caused considerable pain.  
The rural free delivery is not a pleasing thing to many of the people of York state where it has been established some time and a number of communities have petitioned to have them discontinued and the rural postoffices has been re-established. Even on our own rural mail route we often hear grand kicks about it and we would not be surprised to hear of steps being taken in the matter, at least there is some talk among the patrons that point that way.

Mrs. S. S. Slater has been quite sick the past week.  
John Lembke transacted business in Chicago Monday.  
Geo. Gelthman was an east-bound passenger Monday morning  
Miss Emma Smock is here from Monroe visiting her sister Miss Elma.  
Farmers tell us that the roads are worse now than they have been for years.  
Guy Singer is on the sick list. G. G. DeWolf is wearing the star during the vacancy.  
Some of the common characters on our streets have been somewhat "fogged" for a spell past.  
The board of town auditors met at the town clerk's office Tuesday and transacted business for the town.  
Mrs. Elliott, formerly of Chicago has opened dressmaking rooms at the home of Mrs. John Olmstead. Work guaranteed.  
Miss Ruby Flint returned to her home at Elgin yesterday morning, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Mabel Patterson.  
John Mansfield and family have removed from DeKalb to Sycamore. They reside in Factory addition—City Weekly (Sycamore).  
P. B. Staver, of Winslow, was a caller at the JOURNAL office last Friday. Mr. Staver is a large stock dealer and was looking about for a market for a car load of new milch cows.  
The bottom has dropped out of the canned goods business and the slump in prices will drive many concerns to the wall. The market is said to be glutted and jobbers are offering goods for less than it cost to produce them.  
After July 1st stamps will not be required on bank checks, promissory notes, money orders, express receipts, deeds where the consideration is less than \$2400, insurance policies, leases, mortgages, patent medicines or chewing gum.  
Our main street was once put in good shape by a thick coat of gravel but as the years have rolled by it has become buried. Monday morning some of our most thoughtful business men set out to remove the mud and discovered the solid gravel street at the depth of about six inches.  
FOR RENT—On account of Mr. Davan deciding to move away from Genoa I offer my new residence property on South Genoa street for rent, either the whole to a single family or will rent to two desirable families. Furnace heat, bath, barn, etc. Inquire of owner. J. B. Smith.

John Gordon and P. B. Staver have a splendid lot of new milch cows at the C. M. & St. P. stock yards, which have just arrived from Stephenson county, near Freeport. The cows are positively native cattle. They are not culls shipped into Chicago or from the west but are bred in Illinois. Call and see them.  
Mart L. Ives, late of Kirkland, died at Eureka Springs, Ark., on Wednesday the 20th inst. He had gone there some time ago for the benefit of his health. The remains arrived in Kirkland on Thursday evening and funeral services were held on Saturday. Mr. Ives was well known through the county.  
A clergyman while catechising his Sunday school a few weeks ago had occasion to ask the children the meaning of the word "epistle." A little girl in the youngest class was so certain that she knew, that she did not hesitate a minute, but with the greatest of confidence answered: "An epistle is the wife of an apostle."  
It is supposed by some that the assessor who will do the work this spring is the one to be elected this spring, but such is not the case. Since the new law went into effect a few years ago the assessor that is elected one year does the assessing for the next year. This change was made in order to give the county and state officials more time to equalize and extend the books and accounts.  
An exchange gets this off: A few days since a popular attorney called upon another member of the profession and asked his opinion upon a certain point of law. The lawyer to whom the question was addressed drew himself up and said: "I generally get paid for what I know." The questioner drew a half dollar from his pocket, handed it to the other and coolly remarked: "Tell me all you know and give me the change."

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# A PRETTY COMPANION

By Louise Bedford.

## CHAPTER X.—(Continued.)

"If you mean it and can stick to it, I will think over what I can do to help you. No, you needn't thank me; it's for your sister's sake, not yours. She's a girl one cannot but respect."

They were nearing the Grange as he spoke. The moon was looming big on the horizon as it neared its setting, and a faint shadowy light rested on the horse and on the little town below, and the quiet gray sea beyond. The Doctor was walking his horse cautiously down the steep descent when he broke into a low, soft whistle.

"By Jove! there's something wrong there! I'm certain there's a man about the place! Hold hard for a minute, will you?" And he handed the reins to Neville.

"Let me come, too!" implored Neville.

"No, wait out here; and, if I shout, leave the horse and come after me. It may have been a policeman marching round."

Neville's ears strained to catch every sound; but there was nothing to be heard, for the Doctor was making his way noiselessly across the grass to the drawing room window, from which, sure enough, a man was cautiously descending with a bag in his hand.

He did not either see or hear the Doctor, for his back was turned towards him, so he was unprepared for the sudden, cat-like spring that the Doctor made upon him. With an oath he dropped his bag and turned furiously upon his assailant. They were unequally matched, for Doctor Drake was of slight build and small in stature, whilst the man whom he tried to hold was broad and proportionately strong.

The burglar's hand sought his pocket; but Doctor Drake was too quick for him. With one hand he kept a steady grip on the man's collar, with the other he sought and found the revolver that was concealed in his coat pocket, and threw it far away from him on the grass, and two rapid shots in quick succession showed that it had exploded.

With a desperate effort he freed himself, hurried the Doctor to the ground with stunning force, and made for the gate; but the shots had brought Neville rushing to the rescue. The horse, finding himself abandoned and frightened by the quick shots, trotted off towards home; whilst Neville drew back to let the man pass, and sprang upon him with the determination of a bulldog not to relax his hold until others came to the rescue.

His lithe arms clung tightly about the burglar's neck, and he was shouting at the top of his voice as he clung—"Help! help! murder!"

The words reached the Doctor's ears as he rose to his feet, dazed but not disabled by his fall, and he gave an answering shout.

"Hold on, Howard, I'm here!" But as he uttered the words there was a thud and a fall and heavy groan, and up the hill the sound of footsteps running as if life depended on it.

Neville lay a crumpled heap by the gate; and in the rapidly fading light the Doctor saw that the poor fellow was steeped in blood.

"Give chase—he's done for me!" said Neville, with clenched teeth. "He's made off up the hill!" And scarcely knowing what he did, the Doctor did so.

As a boy, he had been famous for his running, and his training stood him in good stead now. Even now he was conscious that he was gaining on the man whom he pursued. He could hear his heavy breathing. As he reached the top of the hill he saw the dark figure in front of him running along the dim, white line of road on top of the cliffs, and the Doctor thought with fierce delight that he had his prey safe enough. He could turn neither to the right nor left; he was committed to the road before him.

Doctor Drake would breathe himself a bit, and then he was pretty certain to prove the better man of the two, for he could see by the way the burglar swayed from side to side that he was getting spent. They must have run for a mile when the man gave a fearful glance behind him, like a hunted animal; and the Doctor answered the glance by a wild halloo of triumph. He was not more than a hundred paces from him.

Suddenly the burglar stopped, ran to the edge of the cliff, looked over it for an instant, and the next had thrown himself upon his hands and knees and was letting himself cautiously over the edge. As his head disappeared the Doctor came up to the spot, and, in horrified astonishment, looked down over the cliff. The burglar had evidently felt that his one chance of escape lay in making his way down its face.

There was a drop of twenty feet from the level of the road to a projecting ledge of rock below; after that a good climber might make his way safely to the shore, and the man had decided on the leap. But he miscalculated his distance; the rocky ledge was slippery with frost, and one wild yell broke the night silence as his feet barely touched the ledge he sought to rest on, and he tumbled headforemost, bounding like a ball from point to point, until a final thud told the Doctor that he had reached the shore. He

could dimly see him, a dark speck, as he lay there a hundred feet below, and silence reigned supreme again—a silence that could be felt!

## CHAPTER XI.

Neville, meanwhile, lay where the Doctor left him, but for long. The sound of the pistolshots and the shouts that followed had reached the ears of a policeman in the town below, who, whistling for one of his comrades, ran at full speed towards the spot from whence the sounds seemed to come. At the bottom of the hill they were met by the Doctor's empty dogcart, which his fast-trotting horse was taking safely home. They stopped and turned its head in the direction from which it came.

"We'll need it very likely," said one; "there's an accident."

"With violence," replied the other, hurrying on his way; "or else what's the meaning of the shots?"

The sound of a groan close at hand arrested his steps, and the next moment both the men were kneeling by Neville's side.

"Bad business!" muttered one. "This is murder, or very like it."

Neville unclosed his eyes for a minute. "Doctor; burglar; follow on; he'll want you," he gasped faintly, moving his head slightly in the direction which the burglar had taken. But both men felt that their present task was to try and save the life of the poor fellow who was evidently so desperately wounded.

"We'd best carry him in there," said one of the men, glancing at the house. "That's where the burglar's been, and the family is aroused safe enough. I see lights moving to and fro."

"Without more ado they lifted Neville as gently as they could in their strong arms, and made their way to the door, ringing loudly at the bell. It was Mrs. Mortimer who admitted them, and who, with quick presence of mind ordered them to carry Neville into the study, where she rapidly turned the couch into an extemporized bed.

"Bandages, please! he's bleeding to death. The brute's stabbed him!" said one of the policemen. And as Mrs. Mortimer hastened off to obey the order, Janetia passed her on the way to the study. The girl's face was as white as the wall.

"Don't go in there! They've brought in a man wounded by a burglar, who has made his escape as far as I can make out. Don't go in! I've gone through too much already!" But Janetia, drawn by some unaccountably strong instinct, pushed open the door and entered.

An agony so intense as partially to paralyze all feeling possessed her as she recognized that the dying man before her was her own brother. She knelt down quietly beside him, putting her arm under his head.

"Neville," she said, with unutterable tenderness, "do you know me? It's I, Janetia!"

The eyelids unclosed for a moment and the glazing eyes rested upon her with a smile of recognition. "It's all up, Jennie! A bad lot!" he said faintly. And the policeman standing by thought that he spoke of the man who had murdered him; but Janetia knew that it was the lad's final confession of failure.

She bent and kissed him. A quarter of an hour later the Doctor, haggard and disheveled, entered the room, to see Janetia's beautiful head bent over her brother, and her arms clasped tightly about him; and the first glance showed him that the lad was dead.

A knot climbed into the Doctor's throat. "Come away, Miss Howard; I must see your brother alone," he said. Janetia looked up with a quick shake of the head. Must he be the one to break it to her that her brother had passed beyond all human help? The door was pushed gently open, and Clarice came softly into the room. One look from Doctor Drake told her what had occurred. Her own weakness and helplessness seemed forgotten in her sympathy for her friend's overwhelming trouble. She knelt beside her, stroking her hair caressingly.

"Janetta, we can do nothing more for him," she said, feeling that to tell the exact truth was the wisest course to adopt. "God has called your brother. Oh, my dear, the shock is enough to kill you; but you'll let me, your sister, help you to bear it?"

Janetta lifted her scared, white face and gazed into that of her friend, transformed, illuminated by the power of a great emotion. She was utterly exhausted by the awful rapidity of the events of the last few hours, her brain seemed too dull even to understand Clarice's words; but there were her open arms ready to receive her, and Janetia threw herself into them and suffered herself to be led away.

## CHAPTER XII.

Six months had passed, and one sunny afternoon late in October Clarice Seymour and Janetia were seated on the wall which surrounds the Alhambra in Grenada.

On one side lay the ruins of the beautiful Moorish palace, with its vista of courts, enchanting alike to the eye and the imagination; on the other they could see down the sloping sides of the hill on which the palace is built, across miles of smiling plain, to the purple line of the Sierra Nevada.

They had been traveling about together ever since the awful burglary, with its attendant deaths of the burglar and his victim, Neville Howard. Of the events which had immediately followed, Janetia, prostrate in mind and body, knew little or nothing; and the moment it was possible to move her, Doctor Drake had suggested that she should be sent abroad with a nurse.

"I shall take her," Clarice had said. "I will have a serviceable maid; but Janetia will need some one she knows about her if she is to get well."

"You?" the Doctor had exclaimed, half incredulously. "Are you equal to the task?"

"I am equal to anything that will make Janetia well," Clarice had replied. And the Doctor went on his way, greatly wondering.

After all Clarice's improvement in health was only the fulfillment of his own prediction. The shock which had done for her wreck Janetia's life, or deprive her of reason, had helped her friend to the better exercise of both. The need for exertion had come, and in her devotion to Janetia, Clarice had laid aside her own weakness.

So the two started off on their travels together, and by slow degrees Janetia began to rally from the awful mental shock she had undergone; and Clarice, in her loving care and watchfulness, had cast aside the last traces of invalidism, and had grown as pretty and animated as in the days before her accident.

To hear Janetia laugh was sufficient reward for an hour's amusing chatter, and the first day she could walk a mile the fact had to be duly chronicled in a long letter to Doctor Drake, who, from time to time, came out to see how his patient prospered.

Happily these days were passed, and Clarice, as she watched Janetia's beautiful face this afternoon, thought that her task was completed. Janetia was really as well and strong as ever again, only there was that touch of pathos about the curves of the mouth that told the tale of some great sorrow. Janetia turned, conscious that she was watched, and smiled at her companion.

"What are you thinking of, dear?" "That you are as beautiful as ever, that at last even I think you quite well—well enough to go home, Janetia. We've wandered about so many months that I'm homesick, and I believe I should welcome the sight of Mrs. Mortimer's grim but worthy countenance."

"Let us go," Janetia answered, after a moment's pause. "I have often thought that I should like to hear every detail of the night of the burglary. I wonder if you would tell me about it now as we sit here?"

Clarice glanced up quickly. By Doctor Drake's advice, everything that was painful had been kept away from Janetia.

(To be continued.)

## QUEER FANCIES IN FOOD.

Odd Dishes That Are Placed Before Guests at Fashionable Functions.

Odd food fancies are met at nearly every house. I know a hostess who uses rock candy for sweetening in her afternoon tea and maraschino cherries for flavor, one to each cup. Nobody else brews such delicious tea, her friends declare, and they never seem to understand why. The rock candy comes in neat packages of crystal, which are dipped up by an antique sugar spoon. Another young hostess made a specialty of cake and beverages in which she could serve whipped cream. She was under salary from the proprietors of flavoring extracts, which they were continually booming, and was supplied with the material, which she demonstrated in her refreshments every afternoon. She was a popular girl and had instituted a tea hour before she became an advertising agent. She was devoted to cooking, and therein lay her value to her employers. She began with vanilla, made cakes flavored with it, and put it in her tea. It adds a most fascinating flavor to the favorite feminine beverage. Then she added chocolate to her tea outfit and used whipped cream. The next day she changed to lemon flavoring, then to almond and orange and created such a degree of interest through her afternoons that questions began to be poured over her. There was her chance to speak a good word for the makers of the flavors, and she used it in such a clever way that their popularity was established without anybody suspecting her interest in it. You can readily see how valuable an assistant she was.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Strange Wooling of Lück.

Ever since the assassination of King Humbert hundreds of Italians have been trying to win prizes in the national lottery by playing those numbers which correspond with his age. These numbers are 56, 10 and 49, the king having lived for fifty-six years, ten hours and forty-nine minutes. If these three numbers should win the player would receive 4,250 times the amount of his stake. Some unusually optimistic gamblers have tried to win even more than this by playing a fourth number (73), which is the symbol of a regicide. If this combination, 56, 10, 49, and 73, were to win the government would have to pay 60,000 times the amount of the stake. The last drawing was held in Milan a few days ago, and, singularly enough, the winning numbers were 55, 10, 48 and 72. These came pretty close to the mark, and as a result Italian gamblers are more determined than ever to keep on playing their favorite combination until it brings them good fortune.

Make yourself necessary to somebody.—Emerson.

## ON CHINESE CIVILIZATION

Minister Wu Talks of His Nation's Standing.

## COMPARES CHINA WITH WEST.

Asks Our People to Study the Civilization of China Instead of Trying to Pull it Down—China Must Also Learn Lessons.

His excellency Wu Ting-fang, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of China to the United States, addressed the thirty-seventh convocation of the University of Chicago Tuesday. He paid high tribute to western civilization, but maintained sturdily that its superiority to the civilization of China has not been proved.

The establishment of the present political and social institutions of China Mr. Wu attributed to the duke of Chow, who flourished eleven centuries before the Christian era and was the Moses of the Chinese. Then came Confucius, who not only made the institutions permanent, but made known to the world Chinese writings and fixed the language as it now exists. He said Nature had blessed the country with every variety of soil and climate, so that the people had never been obliged to look to other countries for the supply of their wants. They have been able to live within themselves without difficulty, and to get along without having anything to do with the other nations. Their long seclusion has been not only a matter of necessity, but also a matter of choice. It must be admitted that today China is centuries behind the age in her knowledge of chemistry, electricity, steam navigation, rapid transit and other arts and sciences. All these things she must learn from other nations before she can hope to put herself abreast of the times. There has lately been a great deal of newspaper talk about civilizing China. Mr. Wu gave credit to those people who advocate such a policy for their good intentions, but its desirability, to say nothing of its difficulty, should not be overlooked. China has already a civilization of her own. It is the growth of time. Long before the ancestors of the people of the west ceased to be naked savages and emerged from the primeval forests of central Europe the Chinese had already known the use of the compass and the art of printing. Now for the people of the west to turn around and ask the Chinese to put away their old civilization is rather novel. The people of the west know more about the building of railroads, the floating of foreign loans, the combination of capital and trusts, the development of resources and the like. But the Chinese naturally feel that they are in a better position to judge what is best for their own interest and welfare than any outsider can be. Therefore any attempt to impose upon them any reform or religion they do not feel the need of is apt to create trouble. It is not easy for foreigners to look at Chinese questions from a Chinese standpoint. Fortunately there is an increasing number of men in America and Europe who deal with Chinese affairs not in a high-handed way, as of old, but in a spirit of forbearance and with an earnest desire to do what is right.

## The Situation in China.

Minister Wu referred to Hawaii as a country which had yielded to the political, social and religious influences from abroad. As to a similar effort of foreign influence upon the institutions of his own country, he declared the cause to be different with China. That occidental civilization in all its phases is superior to oriental civilization is not clearly established. The burden of proof is on the side that endeavors to effect a change in the existing order of things. The mere assertion that one system is superior to the other is not sufficient. It does not follow that system which has been tried and proved successful in the west must be suitable to the conditions which prevail in China. A superb landau runs with great smoothness and rapidly on the pavement of a city; but that does not show that it can go any faster and more safely than an old express wagon in a muddy country road. Sixty years of foreign intercourse have by no means convinced the Chinese that western ways and methods are better than their own in all respects and under all conditions.

If the people of the west will study the civilization of China instead of trying to pull it down, they will save themselves a great deal of trouble. They will find that the Chinese are not addicted to "ways that are dark and tricks that are vain," as they are represented to be by an American poet.

## Say, China Is Vigorous.

They will find that China, once she is still exhibits all the strength and vigor of full maturity. They will find that the civilization that has stood the test of forty centuries is far from being effete. They will find that the proper course to be pursued in putting China on the road to prosperity and happiness is not to shake the foundations of her social and political fabric, but to allow her to incorporate such elements of western civilization as she can assimilate. On the other hand, China must keep up with the times in the onward march of progress. To do this it is necessary for her to take lessons from the western world. But she need not be a servile imitator. By adopting from the west only what is best for her welfare, and avoiding everything that is not suited to the conditions and needs of her people, she will transform herself into a modern nation without losing those elements of national character which have made her great and strong in the past.

## Alleged Plot on Czar's Life.

The Berliner Tageblatt prints a special dispatch from St. Petersburg by way of Lemberg to the effect that the Karpovitch investigation has revealed a great plot similar to the nihilist conspiracy, with Kieff as a center, the main branch at Odessa, and ramifications extending to the lowest strata of society. The plan was to make an attempt on the life of the czar, who was thereupon removed to Gatchina. Eighteen students are closely confined at Schluesselberg because they were affiliated with the murderer of M. Bogoliefoff.

## Ship Wrecked by an Iceberg.

All aboard the sealer Iceland narrowly escaped death in a collision with an iceberg, according to the story told by the officers of the Aurora, just in port at St. Johns, N. F. The bows were crushed in, the jibboom, bowsprit and topmasts were carried away, the foredeck torn up, and the fore-castle filled with jagged beams. All hands were above or many fatalities would have resulted. Twenty-two sustained slight injuries. A panic followed the accident, but the ship remained afloat and the sailors were quiet.

It is a remarkable fact that the chameleon, when blindfolded, loses the power to change its hues, and the entire body remains of a uniform tint.

If You Have Rheumatism. A lid no money, but write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., box 143, for six bottles of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatoid Cure, express paid. If cured pay \$5.00; if not it is free.

Seventy dollars was paid in London the other day for a copy of Franklin's "Cicero," Philadelphia, 1744.

Now that the Winter season is past, it is well to cleanse the system and purify the blood with Garfield Tea—an Herb Medicine good for all.

The extensive and valuable resources of Louisiana will be exhibited at the Pan-American Exposition.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BRONCHITIS TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on the box. 25c.

Canada's exhibit at the Pan-American Exposition will occupy a space of about 3,000 square feet.

WANTED—Men with rig to advertise and introduce Monarch Poultry Mixture. Straight salary \$15.00 weekly and expenses. Address with stamp, Monarch Manufacturing Co., Box 689, Springfield, Illinois.

The biggest logs in the Western Hemisphere will be seen at Buffalo this summer.

Thirty minutes is all the time required to dye with PUTNAM FADE-LESS DYES.

People who have the least to say usually have the most to talk about.

We thank you for trying Wizard Oil for rheumatism or neuralgia, then you will thank us. Ask your druggist.

We can forgive a good many things in people that can make us laugh.

Go not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN F. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1904.

Remember, woman is most perfect, when most womanly.—Gladstone.

Don't Experiment With your health. Use Batt's Caps for Colds. Prompt cure guaranteed. 25c at druggists.

If a man has crow's feet about his eyes there must be some cause.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

The way of the transgressor often leads to foreign shores.

Coe's Cough Balm. Is the oldest and best. It will break up a cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

At a certain age a man is so much the better for being bad.

The Best Laundry Soap. Is Maple City Self-Washing Soap. Just try it and see. All grocers sell it.

Yawning in company is a beneficent natural exercise.

Baseball players; Golf players; all players chew White's Yucatan Whist playing.

The Berlin Women's club has 205 members.

## WOMEN MUST SLEEP.

Avoid Nervous Prostration.

If you are dangerously sick what is the first duty of your physician? He quiets the nervous system, he deadens the pain, and you sleep well.

Friends ask, "what is the cause?" and the answer comes in pitying tones, nervous prostration. It came upon you so quietly in the beginning, that you were not alarmed, and when sleep deserted you night after night until your eyes fairly burned in the darkness, then you tossed in nervous agony praying for sleep.



Mrs. A. HARTLEY.

You ought to have known that when you ceased to be regular in your courses, and you grew irritable without cause, that there was serious trouble somewhere.

You ought to know that indigestion, exhaustion, womb displacements, fainting, dizziness, headache, and backache send the nerves wild with affliction, and you cannot sleep.

Mrs. Hartley, of 221 W. Congress St., Chicago, Ill., whose portrait we publish, suffered all these agonies, and was entirely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; her case should be a warning to others, and her cure carry conviction to the minds of every suffering woman of the un-failing efficiency of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

SEND NO MONEY. If you live within 30 miles of Minneapolis, we will send you a copy of our special offer price. If you live farther than 30 miles, we will send you a copy of our special offer price. If you live farther than 30 miles, we will send you a copy of our special offer price.

You can examine it at your freight depot, and if found perfectly satisfactory, exactly as represented, and the actual of seeders that others sell at double the price, than pay the freight agent \$0.75. OUR SPECIAL OFFER PRICE \$0.75. This is the Highest Grade End Gate Broadcast Seeder made. Made for an under contract by the best seedling maker in America. Made from the very best material that money can buy. Will sow more evenly and more satisfactorily than any other seeder made. Will sow 10 acres of wheat per day, other seeds at proportionate rates. Very Latest Model for 1904. Embodies every improvement of every other broadcast seeder made, with the defects of none. Write for Free Agricultural Implement Catalogue. Address: T. N. ROBERTS' SEED & SUPPLY HOUSE, Minneapolis.

## UNDER THE SNOW.

Chastly Truths Revealed on the Disappearance of Winter's White Mantle.

Deadly dangers lurk in the ground left bare by the departing snow. All winter long there have been accumulating deadly disease germs.

These have been protected and kept alive by the covering of snow and now, with the first warm days, these death-bringing microbes are awakened by the rays of the sun, and as the ground dries they are carried to all corners of the community in the dust that is blown everywhere by the spring winds.

The human body at this time is particularly susceptible to these germs, especially the germs of fevers. The system has been depleted by the foregoing winter. The blood is sluggish and filled with impurities. The nerves have not recovered from the tension they have been under for the past months. The stomach, the bowels, the kidneys, the liver are all at their worst.

It is therefore, not strange that these germs of disease find fertile ground in which to thrive, flourish and develop into deadly ill.

Spring is the time of year when one should fear an attack of fever, especially when the system is depleted, one should dread any severe illness. The vitality is at a low ebb. There is less power of resistance to throw off disease, and it is on this account that fatalities are so much greater during the spring months than at any other time of the year.

There is but one way to ward off such dangers, and that is to fortify the

human body so that it will become impregnable to the germs of invading disease.

To do this take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. It will build you up quickly, it will re-establish your waning appetite, it will give you restful nights of sleep, it will give vim and vigor to the nerves, and it will dispel all existing poisons that have accumulated in the body besides counteracting the effects of others that may accumulate.

Following is an instance that will illustrate the wonderful power of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

Sheriff Jonas T. Stevens, who is sheriff of Hyde Park, Vt., says:—"I have used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy especially as a blood purifier. I had a very severe humor on my arms, accompanied by a very bad itching, so severe that I could not sleep nights, causing me great inconvenience by the loss of sleep by the itching. A friend advised me to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, which I did with the most satisfactory results, for the trouble has entirely disappeared, and I can now rest comfortably nights and have none of my former misery from the burning, itching sensations."

Remember Dr. Greene's advice will be given to any one desiring same absolutely free if they will write or call upon him at his office, 35 W. 14th St., New York City.

## Lumber Notice.

On and after January 1, 1901, we will sell direct to contractors, consumers or any other parties desiring to buy lumber, lath, shingles or any kind of building material, saving them a middleman's profit. Send in your lists for estimates. Correspondence promptly answered.

JOHN E. BURNS LUMBER COMPANY, LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONES MONROE 211, MONROE 290. 40 W. Chicago Av. CHICAGO, ILL.

PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION. RARE BARGAINS. 17 1/2 acres of land, no better in Western Washington; one mile from town of Centralia, on main line N. P. railroad between Tacoma and Portland; part time if desired. W. J. Trotter, Centralia, Wash.

# DEATH IS DEALT BY WIND

A Tornado Sweeps Through Birmingham, Ala.

TWENTY-FIVE ARE KILLED.

A Half Hundred Others Hurt—Buildings in the Storm's Path Are Crushed Like Eggshells—Property Loss Estimated at \$350,000.

Twenty-five persons were killed outright, a dozen more received injuries from which they cannot recover, a half hundred others were hurt more or less severely and a property loss reaching a total of \$350,000 or more was entailed by a tornado which swept over the southern part of Birmingham, Ala., Monday. Fully 500 houses were demolished or damaged by the gale and more than 2,000 persons were rendered homeless. The storm first struck the city at the southeastern corner about 10 o'clock a. m. It passed eastward with terrific velocity, sweeping away all buildings, trees and telegraph and telephone poles that stood in its pathway. The course of the tornado was due east and from Green Springs on the west to Avondale on the east it left in its wake a scene of ruin, death and desolation. Leaving the city the storm continued eastward until it found its fury checked by the mountains beyond Irondale, a small town six miles east of Birmingham. The path of the storm was narrow, the damage being confined to a track only 150 feet in width. The work of the tornado was quickly done, and rescuing parties were hastily formed to search the ruins for the dead and injured. The former were removed to temporary morgues, and the latter were taken to the various hospitals of the city. Eighteen dead bodies were recovered, of which all but five were those of negroes. It is known that there are other bodies in the ruins, and the number of dead may exceed the estimate of twenty-five made. A large part of the wreckage has not yet been searched and the work of rescue will be resumed at dawn tomorrow. All the members of the fire and police departments and the hospital corps are engaged in the work, along with a large force of volunteers. Among the dead are Dr. G. C. Chapman of the firm of Tally & Chapman, who conduct a private infirmary in this city, and the wife and infant child of Robert J. Lowe, chairman of the democratic state executive committee. The morning dawned cloudy and sultry and grew more threatening as the day advanced. Shortly after 9 o'clock sharp lightning flashed from the southwest. The velocity of the wind suddenly increased and from out of the southeast came the dreaded funnel-shaped cloud. Sweeping close to the earth, it passed through the city in leaps and bounds. The altitude of the cyclone was not more than seventy-five feet. Negro shanties and cottages in the lowlands in the path of the storm were the principal sufferers. The larger residences on the higher grounds suffered but slightly. Large trees were torn up by the roots and great masses of stone were twisted out of the ground and broken and scattered about. From Eighth to Tenth street the tornado bounded like a rubber ball and when it again descended it struck a two-story house occupied by Joseph Busenhelmer and almost razed it to the ground. The 11-year-old daughter of John Krusey was caught under the debris and severely injured. A house occupied by Taylor Hanson near by was unroofed and three small negro houses demolished.

## LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Winter Wheat—No. 2 red, 75¢@77¢, No. 3 red, 72¢@75¢; No. 4 red, 62¢; No. 2 hard, 72¢@75¢; No. 3 hard, 71¢@73¢; No. 4 hard, 62¢@65¢. Spring Wheat—No. 2 spring, 72¢; No. 3 white, 68¢; No. 4 spring, 58¢@60¢. Corn—No. 3, 33¢; No. 3 yellow, 28¢; No. 4, 28¢. Oats—No. 4, 25¢@25½¢; No. 4 white, 26¢@27¢; No. 3, 25¢@25½¢; No. 3 white, 27¢@28½¢; No. 2, 28¢@29¢; No. 2 white, 27½¢@28¢. Cattle—Native shipping and export steers, \$4.50@5.35; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$3.85@5.35; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.50; cows and heifers, \$2.00@4.85; canners, \$1.25@2.85; bulls, \$1.00@3.85; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.45@4.85; cows and heifers, \$2.50@3.50. Hogs—Pigs and lights, \$5.00@7.75; packers, \$5.50@7.75; butchers, \$4.75@6.00. Sheep—Native muttons, \$4.25@4.75; lambs, \$4.35@5.20; culls and bucks, \$2.50@4.00. Eggs—Fresh, 11¢@12¢. Butter—Creameries, extra, 20¢@21¢; first, 19¢@20¢; seconds, 15¢@18¢. Cheese—Full cream, twin, choice, 10¢@10½¢ per lb; first, single, choice, 10½¢@11¢; daisies, choice, 11¢@11½¢; Young Americas, 11¢@11½¢; cheddars, 10¢@10½¢. Dressed Poultry—Turkeys, choice, hens, 11¢ per lb; young gobblers, 8¢@9¢; chickens, 8¢@10¢; broilers, 14¢@15¢; capons, 12¢@13¢; ducks, 10¢@11¢; geese, 8¢@9¢. Live Poultry—Chickens, 9¢@10¢ per lb; turkeys, 6¢@8¢; ducks, 10¢; geese, \$6.00@8.00 per doz. Onions—Red, choice to fancy, \$1.25@1.35 per bu; yellow, \$1.25@1.35; white, \$1.00@1.25. Potatoes—\$3.45@4.50 for common to fancy; mixed, \$4.00@5.00 per bu. Apples—Haldwins, \$3.25@3.75 per brl; Greenings, \$2.50@3.50 per brl; Ben Davis, \$3.25@4.50 per brl; Kings, \$2.50@4.00 per brl.

**Herron Divorce Is Reported.**  
The Grinnell, Iowa, Herald makes the statement that Mrs. Herron has secured at Algona, Iowa, a divorce from her husband, Prof. George D. Herron, the well-known lecturer, on the ground of desertion.

**Big Locomotive Plant Sold.**  
New York capitalists have closed a deal by which the Rogers Locomotive works at Paterson were bought outright. What was the price paid and who were the purchasers were not made public. William Barbour, one of the receivers, said: "It is impossible for me to make known any of the conditions of the sale. I will say, however, that the sale is practically closed, and that within two or three weeks at the latest the works will be running full capacity and that 2,000 or more men will be employed."

# ENGLAND'S NATIONAL DISH,

Consul at Liverpool Says It Is New Jam Not Beef.

A wholesale emigration of the American small boy and girl might seem probable if the latest report of James Boyle, United States Consul at Liverpool, should be disseminated among the youngsters. For Mr. Boyle makes the astonishing statement: "It is probably a fact that jam and not beef is now the national dish of the Britisher."

Mr. Boyle points out that, except so far as the very poor are concerned, jam or marmalade is on every English breakfast table, and an almost universal "sweet" (the English for dessert) at luncheon and dinner is a compote, stew, or tart, of which the chief ingredient is preserved fruit. Mr. Boyle says:

The English people are the largest consumers of jam in the world. It is probably the fact that jam and not beef is now the national dish of the Britisher—or, at any rate, jam (including marmalade) runs bacou a close second. As the United States is now supplying a large proportion of the beef and bacon consumed in England, she can also, by proper methods, capture a great share of the trade in jam, preserves, etc., in this country.

It is well known that nowhere in the United States can better American beef and bacon be bought than can be bought in England, and many American visitors declare that better American beef can be had in London and Liverpool than can generally be obtained in New York or Chicago. Shippers of American beef to this market understand that they must send over the very best in order to compete with the home and colonial product.

The English trade in jams and preserves is increasing all the time. A great revolution is going on in the English table, more especially among the middle and working classes. What were a few years ago expensive delicacies, found only on the tables of the well-to-do, are now to a great extent articles of daily consumption by the masses.—New York Tribune.

## The Senator and the Prince.

There is a Canadian Senator who once bought a newspaper from the future King of England, and he hasn't got over it yet. When Prince George was doing his sea-service he was stationed some time at Halifax and he used to run out into the surrounding country on little expeditions. He was returning on one occasion by train from a flying trip to a nearby village when the Senator encountered him. The Senator, who, by the way, was the Hon. Thomas A. Temple, of York County, New Brunswick, and is known as a rather pompous individual—espied the Prince sitting in the smoker surrounded by a pile of newspapers, and wearing his undress naval uniform, the cap of which bore some resemblance to that worn by the uniformed trainboy.

"Here, boy," called the Senator sharply, "Give me a paper."

The young Prince looked up and quietly handed the lawmaker one of his papers. The Senator fished out two of the cumbersome Canadian coppers and held them out. The Prince took them gravely, and lay them on the seat beside him.

Senator Temple found out his mistake, and was a very unhappy man, for if a Canadian Senator does not reverence royalty, who does?—New York Sun.

## Italy's King Studies Politics.

Victor Emmanuel III. is new to parliamentary life, as during his father's reign he kept quite out of politics. The only time he is ever known to have expressed an opinion was after the disaster of Adowa, when he came expressly to Rome to warn King Humbert against Crispi, his reward being a month's confinement in a fortress. He is now extremely busy studying the practical working of Parliament, to which end every Deputy has free audience to him daily at 11 a. m. He is represented as a man of sterling honesty, so that this initiation into political intrigues cannot fail to be a great disillusion, but will materially help to a just estimate of persons and things. He certainly starts well equipped for the race, as no sooner had he ascended the throne than by a series of acts he gained, at one bound, the love and confidence of the nation, which before had been something less than lukewarm. Now what is required for a triumphant finish is to prove himself above all energetic, and to have the true interests of a suffering country at heart. So far he has shown every disposition to fulfill this ideal.

## How to Use a Madstone.

In Central Ohio a number of people have been bitten by mad dogs, and the madstone is having all it can do. This is the method of treatment: A small incision is made in the skin of the patient, preferably on the hand. Then the stone, which is about the size of the end of a man's thumb, and translucent, is placed upon the cut. If it sticks there the patient is infected. If it does not there is no fear of hydrophobia. Such is the popular belief. If the stone sticks it is allowed to stay there until it is filled with the poison of the disease, which makes the stone turn pale green in color.

## The Demon Calculator.

According to the Newcastle (Eng. Chronicle), an industrious calculator has been searching out some interesting facts concerning the new century. He points out that the twentieth century will contain 36,525 days, which lacks but one day of being exactly 5218 weeks. The middle day of the century will be January 1, 1951. Fifteen out of the hundred years will be gin on Wednesday, and the same number on Friday. Fourteen will begin on each of the other days of the week

# THOUSANDS OF FAIR WOMEN HERALD PRAISES FOR PERUNA.

Catarrhal Dyspepsia and Nervous Prostration Make Invalids of More Women Than All Other Diseases Combined.



Peruna is the woman's friend everywhere. It is safe to say that no woman ever used Peruna for any catarrhal derangement but what it became indispensable in her household.

Letters From Women.  
Every day we receive letters from women like the following. Women who have tried doctors and failed; women who have tried Peruna and were cured.

Miss Katia Klein, 6125 Bartmer avenue, St. Louis, Mo., writes: "Peruna has done me more good for catarrh than the best doctors could. I had catarrh so bad, but after taking Peruna it is entirely gone, and I feel like a different person."

Miss Anna Prescott's Letter.  
Miss Anna Prescott, in a letter from 216 South Seventh street, Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

"I am sincerely grateful for the relief I have found from the use of Peruna. I was completely used up last fall, my appetite had failed and I felt weak and tired all the time. My druggist advised me to try Peruna and the relief I experienced after taking one bottle was truly wonderful."

"I continued its use for five weeks, and am glad to say that my complete restoration to health was a happy surprise to myself as well as to my friends."—Anna Prescott.

A constant drain of nervous vitality depleting the whole nervous system causes the mucous membrane surfaces to suffer accordingly. This is the condition called systemic catarrh. It very nearly resembles, and there is really no practical difference, between this condition and the condition known as neurasthenia, or nervous prostration.

New York State will have about 4,000 square feet of space for its exhibit at the Pan-American Exposition.

Peruna will be found to effect an immediate and lasting cure in all cases of systemic catarrh. It acts quickly and beneficially on the diseased mucous membranes, and with healthy mucous membranes the catarrh can no longer exist.

Peruna a True Friend to Women.  
Mrs. F. J. Lynch, writes the following from 324 S. Division street, Grand Rapids, Mich.:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O. Gentlemen—"I earnestly recommend Peruna to any suffering woman, as it cures quickly. Last year I had a most persistent cough which nothing seemed to cure. Two bottles of Peruna did more for me than all the doctors seemed to do. In a couple of weeks I found myself in excellent health, and have been enjoying it ever since. Hence I look on Peruna as a true friend to women."—Mrs. F. J. Lynch.

Peruna is equally efficacious in curing catarrh of the throat as in curing systemic catarrh or catarrh of the stomach. Catarrh is essentially the same wherever located. Peruna cures catarrh.

Peruna Makes You Feel Like a New Person.

Miss Mary Coats, a popular young woman of Appleton, Wis., and president of the Appleton Young Ladies' Club, also speaks in glowing terms of Peruna. A letter recently received from her by The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, reads as follows:

"I am glad to call the attention of my friends to Peruna. When that languid, tired feeling comes over you, and

Queensland, Australia, is twelve times larger than England, with a population about equal to Birmingham.

your food no longer tastes good, and small annoyances irritate you, Peruna will make you feel like another person inside of a week.

"I have now used it for three seasons, and find it very valuable and efficacious."—Miss Marie Coats.

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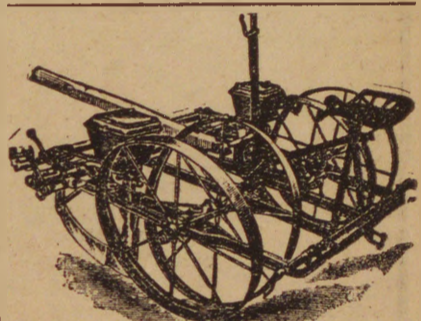
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aska at one fare for the round trip. For  
further particulars call on the under-  
signed.  
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### Annual Town Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the Citiz-  
ens, legal voters of the town of Genoa  
in the County of DeKalb and State of  
Illinois, that the Annual Town Meet-  
ing for said Town will be held at the  
office of Jackman and son in the Vill-  
age of Genoa, in said Town, on Tues-  
day, the 2nd, Day of April Next,  
being the first Tuesday of the month,  
for the purposes following, viz.:-  
To elect One Supervisor, (who will  
be ex-officio Overseer of the Poor.)  
One Town Clerk,  
One Assessor,  
One Collector,  
One Commissioner of Highways,  
Two Constables,  
Two Justices of the Peace.  
One Trustee of Schools,  
As many Pound Masters as the Elec-  
tors may determine, and  
Three Trustees for Ney Cemetery.

Also to transact the miscellaneous  
business of the Town, and to act upon  
any additional subjects which may, in  
pursuance of law, come before said  
meeting when convened.  
Polls will be opened at seven o'clock  
in the forenoon, and closed at five o'-  
clock in the afternoon of the same day.  
Given under my hand at Genoa, Ill.,  
this 22nd, day of March A. D. 1901.

H. A. PERKINS,  
Town Clerk.

### How to Obtain Pure Water.

A great deal of interest has been  
awakened of late in all questions per-  
taining to proper methods of living,  
and the evil effects of unsanitary con-  
ditions are everywhere made the sub-  
ject of close investigation, with a view  
to their correction. One of the most  
important questions of hygiene, and  
one that is of vital interest to all of our  
readers, is good water. Pure water is  
just as essential for the preservation of  
healthy bodies and sane minds as pure  
food or pure air, and without it life  
cannot be sustained for any length of  
time.

The problem is, how to obtain it.  
For untold ages mankind has depended  
upon the rainfall as a source of water  
supply, and apparently has been ignor-  
ant of the fact that the open or dug  
well is a settling basin for surface wa-  
ter and the breeding place for the  
germs of typhoid and other diseases.  
There is no question that impure water  
has caused more sickness and death  
than all other conditions put together.  
If a dug well is located near a stable,  
and at a lower level, the surface water,  
with its burden of impurities, gravitates  
to it. The statement is often made  
that water is purified by the soil  
through which it percolates, and to a  
certain extent this is true, but when  
we reflect that each drop contains  
thousands of living organisms it is  
plain that this filtering is not sufficient  
in the case of water collected in shal-  
low surface wells. Moreover, soluble  
substances can not be removed by such  
means. For example, mix some salt or  
sugar with a glass of water and then  
filter it. You will find that it is still  
impregnated with the foreign sub-  
stance, although it may look as clear  
as crystal.

It makes no difference how a dug  
well is protected, there will be this  
seepage of water into it, and the old  
saying that "where ignorance is bliss  
'twere folly to be wise" does not apply  
to this state of affairs. Had it been  
known in the past that nearly all of  
this broad American continent is under-  
laid with pure water, which is easy to  
reach with the proper appliances, there  
would have been no such thing as a  
dug well; but for years this was not  
known. Neither was it understood  
that as much water could be obtained  
from a well six inches in diameter,  
drilled into the bowels of the earth  
and tapping Nature's supply, as from  
the six-foot shallow wells with which  
all were familiar, and if anyone had  
used such an argument he would have  
been considered as a fit subject for a  
lunatic asylum.

But man is progressive, and when he  
learned that from these subterranean  
reservoirs pure water could be obtain-  
ed, his quick inventive genius came to  
the rescue, and machinery for drilling  
through any formation, to any depth  
required, is the result. It was only a  
question of a little education of the  
farmers and householders on this sub-  
ject, to convince them of the advan-  
tages of drilled or tubular wells, and  
and now the shallow well is almost a  
thing of the past.

This is a matter which also interests  
the farmer from a commercial point of  
view, as well as in regard to the health  
of himself and his family. If he has a  
lot of fine stock he cannot afford to  
allow them to drink impure water which  
will bring disease among them. It has  
been proven that the disease commonly  
known as hog cholera is spread among  
the hogs by their wallowing in places  
where the germs are bred. There is  
no better authority on this subject  
than Mr. Bitting, of the Purdue Ex-  
periment Station, Indiana, and he  
states, after an exhaustive study of the  
subject, that the prevalence of this dis-  
ease among hogs is due to keeping them  
in proximity to running streams;  
and if a swine grower had such a  
stream passing through his place he  
should keep the animals away from it  
altogether, so that the cholera germs  
carried by the running water would  
not be communicated to them. Dr.  
Bitting further states that the best  
water for live stock is that taken from  
deep drilled wells, with a system of  
tanks and drinking fountains.

### A GOOD JOKE

It is said that a Rockford man lost  
a fine dog recently, and received a  
letter that the animal would be return-  
ed if 50 cents was left in a certain place.  
He left the 50 cents, mark. The dog  
was on the front porch soon after. He  
was astonished to see his eight year  
old son have the coin the next day. The  
dog napper thought it a good joke till  
invited to the woodshed.

A newspaper sent instructions to its  
correspondent in Washington the other  
day to ask leading members of congress  
this question: What would you do  
if you had \$75,000,000?  
Senator Mason's reply was; Build  
insane asylums for editors that origi-  
nate such questions."  
Senator Kerns said; Young man  
that is too much money to spend in two  
minutes conversation.

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every second and fourth Thursday evening  
of each month in Crawford's hall.  
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V. C. Clerk

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every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.  
Ammon Frazier, J. W. Sowers,  
Noble Grand. Sec'y.

COURT OF HONOR—Genoa District No. 418  
meets every second and fourth Friday even-  
ings of each month at eight o'clock p. m. Visi-  
ting brothers and sisters are cordially invited.  
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Recorder. Chancellor.

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Epworth League 7:00 p. m. Young People's  
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Prayer meeting Thursday evenings.  
Rev. E. K. D. HESTER, Pastor.

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vices 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday  
School 11:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday  
evenings at 7:15.  
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soil, nice level land, ½ mile from church, school  
house, store and post office. Abundance of water  
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Journal Office, A. 6.

BOARDERS Wanted.—One or two gentlemen  
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# Correspondence.

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## KINGSTON KINKS.

### Personals.

Prof. Madison returned to Chicago Saturday.

Walter Poust of Sandwich was seen on our streets Monday.

Thomas Clark and son Ross were in Genoa last Thursday.

Samuel Tee of Sycamore was calling on acquaintances here Saturday.

Dr. J. B. Ludwig made a professional call in Colvin Park Saturday.

Albert Goff and George Heyward of Kirkland were in town Monday.

Edward Stuart and Leonard M. Irish were on the streets of Genoa last Thursday.

Hortense Burchfield of Kirkland was calling on her many friends here Saturday.

F. A. Burr of the firm of Burr Bros., Rockford, was here on business last Saturday.

Grant Dibble and Abraham Lankton were passengers to Kirkland Saturday evening.

Misses Jennie Worcester and Zada Tazewell were calling on Genoa friends last Saturday.

Frank Gorham, formerly of this place now of Pittsville, Wisconsin is visiting friends in this vicinity.

The ladies of the M. E. church realized a clear \$41.50 from their fair which they held last Saturday.

L. C. Shaffer received a carload of fine Wisconsin potatoes Monday and is retailing them at 50 and 55 cents per bushel.

Jesse Burton of the Elgin Business Academy came out Friday for a visit with his parents, returning to his school Sunday afternoon.

Ferrell Lewis and Orvis Hix were passengers to Aurora, Saturday. Mr. Lewis is traveling salesman for the McCormick Harvester Co. Orvis returned home Monday.

The remains of Martin Luther Ives were interred in East Kingston cemetery Saturday. Mr. Ives was a resident of Kirkland and has for the last few years, for the benefit of his health, spent most of the time at Eureka Springs Arkansas, where his death occurred.

## HERBERT ITEMS.

Herbert, Ill., March 25, 1901.

Geo. Waite shipped a car of horses on the 19th.

James Thurlby has been re-shingling his house, recently.

Nathan Sheeley has employed Chas. Rands as assistant "wood-butcher" the coming season.

Sam. Powell's blacksmith made his escape from our village last Wednesday.

Alto Brainard was up town last Thursday for the first time since his recovery.

Johnie. Moan was home from Rockford and spent Sunday with his parents.

M. C. Thornton is canvassing for a Philadelphia firm.

Mr. Royal White and Miss Etha Witt were married at Belvidere last Wednesday evening.

## NEW LEBANON.

R. D. Lord was a caller at Genoa Saturday.

Willie Schult of Genoa visited the school Friday.

Mr. Hammond of Genoa was a visitor here this week.

Dora Spansail was a caller at Hampshire Thursday.

Pike Watson is doing business in Hampshire Saturday.

Miss Emma Dumolin was a Hampshire visitor Friday.

Phila Scott of near Genoa visited the New Lebanon school Friday.

Mr. Lathrop of South Dakota is now visiting at the home of Fred Adgate.

Mrs. Fred Spansail and daughter Clara were visitors at Elgin Friday.

James Moore and Will Cramer were callers at Charter Grove Saturday.

Will Moore was in St. Charles last Saturday looking for help on his farm.

Wher's Commissioner—Heed—Several culverts are washed out down here.

Mrs. A. Schneider of Genoa was a visitor at the New Lebanon school Monday.

Mrs. L. S. Ellithorpe has purchased a lot in the citizens' addition at Genoa and expects to put up a tenement residence this summer.

**DIED:**—Last Sunday at her home near New Lebanon, occurred the death of Mrs. Mary Weide at the age of 29 years, 7 months and 25 days. Mrs. Weide had been suffering for a long time from that dread disease, consumption and bore her affliction with great fortitude. The funeral services took place at the house yesterday after which the remains were taken east on the noon train to Itasca from where it was conveyed to Arlington Heights for burial. Mr. Weide has the sympathy of the community and also of the JOURNAL.

### A Geographical Question.

The bishop of Missouri not long ago was traveling westward in a Pullman car. To beguile the tedious ride, he began to talk with his neighbor, who proved to be a rich but rough cattleman. The bishop was jovial and interesting, and quite took the fancy of the cattleman, who presently said: "Where in hell have I seen you before?" The bishop's reply was the question, "What part of hell did you come from?"—Los Angeles Times.

### Hotel with 4,000 Employees.

There is in Paris a hotel which has 4,000 employees. The smallest kettle in its kitchen will hold 100 quarts and the largest 500. Each of fifty roasting pans is big enough for 300 outlets. Every dish for baking potatoes will hold 225 pounds. When omelets are on the bill of fare 7,800 eggs are used at once. For cooking alone sixty cooks and 100 assistants are always at the ranges.

### Oldest Yacht in the World.

The Royal George, Queen Victoria's first yacht, still exists. She lies at Portsmouth, a depot ship for the crews of royal yachts when they are under repair or refitting. She is the oldest yacht in the world. The last state occasion on which she was used was in August, 1852, when her majesty made her first visit to Scotland, accompanied by the Prince Consort.

### Disfranchised for Non-Payment.

A curious condition has arisen in the constituency of Waterford, Ireland, which is represented by John Redmond. Two thousand five hundred of the electors have been disfranchised for nonpayment of rates out of a total register in 1899 of 3,007, so that, deducting losses from death, less than 300 of the electorate are left to vote.

### Why the Water Freezes.

Water in a shallow pan, in a sheltered place, will freeze even when the thermometer is above the freezing point. This is due to the rapid loss of heat of the earth after nightfall. In some hot countries ice is obtained in commercial quantities by setting shallow earthenware pans of water on the ground protected from the wind.

### Coal in the Caucasus Range.

An enormous bed of coal, which can be utilized by the Russian navy, has been discovered at a small place called Ochensk, in the Caucasus, about twenty miles distant from the sea. The coal extends over an area of about thirty miles and the quantity of fuel in one of the districts investigated is reckoned at about 73,000,000 tons.

### Legal Steps Against Kissing.

An old record has been unearthed in Ulster county, New York, in which a consistory of Dutch clergymen way back in 1667 set forth their "supplication" to the civil authority to suppress kissing games and a popular pastime known as "pulling the goose."

### Japan's Cheap Postal Service.

The cheapest postal service in the world is that of Japan, where for two sen—about one and two-fifths cents—letters are conveyed all over the empire.

## Additional Locals.

**Duck!**  
Lee Wylde is now employed in the shoe factory.

Miss Jennie Edsall is spending a few days at home.

Owen McCormick visited his parents over Sunday.

Jas. Hutchison, Sr. was a Chicago visitor Thursday.

Frank Grajek spent Sunday in the big city by the lake.

Mrs. Clara Wilson was in the city Friday and Saturday.

Miss Mable Irvin visited Chicago a couple of days this week.

Chas. Cunningham took a pleasure trip to the big city last Thursday.

Joe Patterson is now occupying the Lane property on Sycamore street.

Joe Heldt of Kirkland transacted business in our town Friday and Friday.

Thomas Shannahan, agent at Fairdale was a pleasant caller in our town Sunday.

Geo. Anderson and wife were over from Charter Grove Sunday and visited with relatives.

Messrs Campbell and Luther of Kirkland attended the dance at the opera house Saturday.

Eli Austin last Monday morning received a telegram that his daughter's child at Waco was dead.

Water has been the cause of several abandoning their furnaces. It is worse this year than it has been for a number of years.

Mrs. Carrie Schneider arrived here from Chicago last Saturday evening for a visit with her parents H. P. Edsall and wife.

Mrs. Bagley has been to The City, and returned with a new stock of millinery goods. Call and see the hats and trimmings.

Rev. O. R. Jenks will be at the Advent Christian church on Monday and Tuesday evenings, April 1st and 2nd. Everyone should come out and hear him.

Miss Leafy Gilchrist was up from Fairdale Saturday and Sunday. This is probably the last time we will see her for some time as Saturday was the last dance Prof. Yalding will have right away.

So long as a man is prospering and has plenty of money he can't keep his friends off with an Indian club, but as soon as he is unfortunate and starts down grade, most of them grease the track and let him slide. A few will push him for the pleasure of seeing what speed he can make. Occasionally a friend is found who is willing to sand the track, but, oh! how scarce.

Tramps were on the lark Sunday night. They were probably from Massachusetts as they broke into Holroyd & Winter's market and took several cans of Boston baked beans and two or three bottles of catsup. They also entered Goding's basement and Swann's flour room from the former of which they carried away property to the value of \$4.00

### Change of Time on the Chicago Great Western R. R.

On March 3rd, 1901, the Chicago Great Western R. R. puts into effect a new schedule, adding some new trains and shortening the time of others. The faster time is made possible by the new and powerful passengers recently purchased by the company. For the change of time, see time-card in these columns. For further information consult any Chicago Great Western Agent, or F. H. Lord, Gen'l. Pass. Agent, Chicago.

### Only the Healthy may Wed.

The Minnesota senate, March 12 reconsidered and finally passed Senator Chilton's bill prohibiting the marriage of insane, epileptic and idiotic persons, and requiring a medical certificate of all applicants for marriage licenses. Amendments were adopted making the physicians' certificate not quite so sweeping, and to permit marriage of any feeble-minded person over 45, the bill originally having extended such permission only to women. The bill passed by a vote of 34 to 17.

### American Proverbs.

"He who knows, and knows not that he knows not, is a fool; avoid him."

"He who knows not, and knows that that he knows not, is simple; teach him."

"He who knows, and knows not that he knows, is asleep; awake him."

"But he who knows, and knows that he knows, is a wise man; follow him."

"He who buys a W. & W. machine of Cohoon & Stanley for his wife is a wise man, for he knows that it is the smoothest runner of any, and a delight to run."

"This man is of sound judgment and you should follow his example and be happy."

## Scholar's Columbus Contest.

The GENOA JOURNAL offers to give to the most popular scholar a full set of books of "The Life of Christopher Columbus" handsomely bound in three large octavo volumes. This set is a rare work of art in the binding and is, historically, of great value. These volumes can be seen at our office any time.

The conditions of the gift is that it will be given to a scholar who receives the greatest number of votes and is attending school in DeKalb county.

One vote will be allowed for each cent paid on subscription; either for new or delinquents.

Each week a coupon which will entitle the holder to ten votes will appear in the JOURNAL.

For a club of five subscribers paid up a year in advance 250 votes extra will be allowed.

The one receiving the most votes before June 1, next must present a letter from their teacher stating that they are attending school in district, or in town as the case may be.

Two more have entered the Contest this week. The vote stands as follows:  
Vay Kellogg ..... 325.  
Mary Tischler ..... 300.  
Jennie Merritt ..... 180.  
Theresa Taylor ..... 150.  
Charlie Holtgren ..... 100.

Total vote 1,055.

### Hotel for Sale.

A first class hotel and livery stable that can be rented for \$100 per month in a good C. & N. W. town near Genoa. Situated on the best business corner in the place. This will bear investigation for those who wish to buy a good income property for \$6000. Inquire at the JOURNAL office.

### Here is a Snap.

One hundred and twenty acres in Kane county. No improvements. Forty acres of fine timber and 80 acres of good plow land that rents well and readily. There is \$1400 worth of wood above the price of cutting, on the place. This piece can be bought for \$45 per acre. For particulars inquire at the JOURNAL office.

### 987 Acre Farm.

We offer a large farm of 987 acres in South Dakota which we will sell at a ridiculously low price if sold within the next 90 days. It is considered a bargain, good black soil, nice level land, 1/2 mile from church, school, store and post office. Abundance of water and a fine farm. Only \$14.00 per acre. Inquire at the JOURNAL office.

### For Sale.

A residence property well located and well equipped and in good repair, barn, fruit, well, cistern, large house with good cellar, two large lots and can be had cheap. Small payment. Inquire at the JOURNAL office.

### Carpet Weaving.

I am prepared to do Carpet Weaving for the public at reasonable prices. Come and see me. 44 Mrs. Ida Carb.

### Horse Radish.

Parties desiring Fresh Horse radish will be promptly supplied in any quantity by leaving word at Wells & Olmstead's store or at my house.

Jas. R. Smith.

### Sycamore and Genoa Stage.

Leaves Genoa postoffice daily, except Sunday, at 9:00 a. m. for Sycamore; returning, leaves Westgate Feed Stable, Sycamore, at 4:00 p. m., arriving in Genoa to connect with train going west.

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### For Rent.

We have for rent a well apportioned residence property; two lots, large house, large barn, good well, cistern and cellar, lots of fruit, on main street and cheap rent. Will give possession March 1st. Inquire at the JOURNAL office for key and particulars.

### For Rent.

A good store room, suitable for a tailor-shop or clothing store. Inquire JOURNAL.

### Elgin Butter Market.

Elgin, Ill., March 25.—Butter steady at 21c. Offerings 110 tubs. Sales, 40 tubs at 21c. Output for the week, 10,350.

### Genoa Markets.

Hay	per ton	\$8.50
Corn	" bu.	34
Oats	" "	24
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Brn.	" ton	16.00
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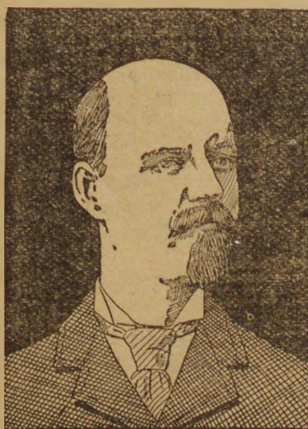
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### Beecher Higby,

City clerk of Omaha, Nebr., favorably and widely known as a man of integrity and ability, writes: "I believe that

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### George W. Hervey.

"Omaha World-Herald," Omaha, Nebr., had the worst form of Dyspepsia for years. After three of Nebraska's best physicians had failed to relieve him, he decided to go to Chicago for treatment, but then, as he says: "I was induced to try

### Dr. Kay's Renovator

with the result that, now, eight months since I last used Dr. Kay's Renovator, I have no symptoms whatever of my old trouble!" Dyspeptics should write for Free Full Report of this Wonderful Case.

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MINOR EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Items of General Interest Told in Paragraphs.

COMPLETE NEWS SUMMARY.

Record of Happenings of Much or Little Importance from All Parts of the Civilized World—Incidents, Enterprises, Accidents, Verdicts, Crimes and War.

Baseball emissaries scouring country to sign players.

M. de Witts, finance minister of Russia, to be made prince and imperial chancellor.

Guards at Queenstown, Cape Colony, called out on alarm of Boer raid into colony.

Renewed activity among insurgents in Colombia.

Mrs. Frank Preble, Englewood, Ill., bride of three weeks, killed herself by taking poison.

Edwin Norton, Chicago, elected president of American Can company.

Gould said to have bought the Denver and Rio Grande Western.

Local staff of newspaper at Columbus, O., went on strike.

Corn for May delivery at Chicago Monday reached record price of 42 1/2 cents.

Two missionaries left Pekin to recover body of Stonehouse, the missionary who was murdered in Tungan district.

Force of 1,500 Boers under General Delarey defeated at Vandersdorp with loss of 140 prisoners and nine guns.

John Latimer at Chicago shot and killed his wife, from whom he had separated, and then committed suicide.

Charles S. May, former lieutenant-governor of Michigan, died at his home near Kalamazoo.

Percival Lowell, Boston broker, to study Mars from private observatory in Arizona.

Southern Indiana Teachers' association to meet at Seymour on April 4, 5 and 6.

Many points in Wisconsin flooded by melted snow.

The Japanese squadron sailed for Korean coast. Commanders of Japanese forts called to Tokio for council of war.

Karpovich, assassin of Bogolepoff, Russian minister of instruction, sentenced to hard labor for life.

Czar called council of ministers to consider repression of riots in St. Petersburg.

Vesselmen looking for largely increased passenger business on great lakes next summer, stimulated in part by Buffalo exposition.

W. J. Gilbert, attorney of defunct First National bank, Niles, Mich., shot and killed himself. Funds for which he was trustee supposed to be involved in failure of bank wrecked by C. A. Johnson.

Mrs. Kate Xenia Morris, former state president of South Carolina W. C. T. U., charged with passing worthless checks.

Enlarged and remodeled Presbyterian church dedicated at Lexington, Ill.

North Carolina judges on impeachment trial expect senate to acquit them.

F. B. Wright, publisher of Cincinnati, O., and his wife both died Sunday.

Union Pacific train stalled in snow bank near Ogallala.

Practically all remaining insurgents in Panay surrendered and gave up arms.

Japan notified powers that it will oppose aggression in Korea at any cost. Mikado's government waiting to see secret treaty with Russia concerning Manchuria.

Kaiser says too much latitude has been permitted in criticism of crown. Italian chamber voted down proposal for free trade in breadstuffs.

French chamber instructed ministry to prosecute trusts.

Omaha police say confession of man in Dallas, Tex., to Cudahy's kidnaping is trick to get the reward.

Prominent horsemen at Louisville joined fight against Western Jockey club.

Jeffries and Ruhlin may fight on Pacific coast.

Dun's weekly review of trade says position of general business is satisfactory and marked by increased retail activity in the west.

Illinois Steel company bought several thousand acres of coal land near Herrin, Ill.

Kenyon B. Conger, promoter, nephew of Minister Conger, filed petition in bankruptcy at New York. Liabilities, \$53,695; assets, \$1,507.

Trolley car left track and rolled down hill at Anderson, Ind., injuring several persons.

Woman found dead in a New York boarding house believed to be daughter of Thomas Lowry, the Minneapolis millionaire, and wife of H. P. Robinson, editor of Chicago Railway Age.

Steamboat City of Poughkeepsie ran on rocks and sunk at Stony Point. All on board saved.

Pennsylvania company to expend \$8,000,000 in improvements in New York harbor.

Brooklyn man introduced system of endless chain meal tickets.

Sailor arrived at Southampton from Cape Town suffering from bubonic plague.

AN INHERITANCE IN WESTERN CANADA.

Indian Reservations and Other New Districts to Be Opened Up This Year.

In the Great Saskatchewan Valley and the Fertile Plains of Assinibola.

To the Editor, Dear Sir: The past three or four years have demonstrated to a large number of Americans the value of the grain-growing and ranching lands of Western Canada. Tens of thousands have taken advantage of the offer made by the Canadian government as well as of the exceedingly low prices asked for lands by the railway, colonization and other companies. The experience of those who have been settled there for some little time is of a highly gratifying character. So much so that the Canadian government, who has control of the immigration into Western Canada, has decided to open up some new districts this year in the well known Saskatchewan Valley and also in the fertile plains of Assinibola. These Districts are probably the most productive in the entire West and in close touch to largely settled communities as well as being situated on some of the most important lines of railway. They are within easy reach of markets, schools, churches and other social advantages. In some of these districts lands may be homesteaded as well as purchased outright at very low prices. Now as to what can be done on these lands. The evidence of the settlers in the neighborhood of the lands now about to be opened for settlement (some of them being located in one of the best Indian Reservations) goes to show that the very best results have followed even most indifferent methods. Cases are given where farmers having gone there with most limited means, barely enough to erect a small house and break up a little land, have in three or four years time become prosperous, all debts paid and money in the bank. The soil in the Districts mentioned, Assinibola and Saskatchewan, is a rich black loam, fifteen inches to three feet deep. As a settler says, "It appears like the accumulation of decayed vegetation and ashes for centuries (the sub-soil is a stiff, putty clay)." On this soil it is possible to raise from 40 to 50 bushels of wheat to the acre, oats 75 to 100 bushels, all of which bring good prices at the local market. For mixed farming these new districts are probably among the best in Western Canada. Stock fatten easily on the wild grasses. Hay is plentiful, and prices splendid. Another settler writing to a friend in Iowa says: "The climate is all that could be desired, plenty of rainfall in summer, with no hot, dry winds. On the 28th of September I saw prairie flowers in full bloom, sweet corn, potato and tomato vines that had not been touched a particle with frost, and the winters are milder than those in the State from which I came. After the holidays the winter sets in clear and cold, with plenty of snow for good sleighing; no high winds or blizzards are known. Horses live out all winter and pick their own living, while cattle live all winter in open sheds and around the hay ricks. Wheat, oats and barley are the principal grain crops. Potatoes and all other roots and vegetables do well, the yield being enormous as compared to those in the States. Wild fruits, such as strawberries, raspberries, cranberries, gooseberries and all varieties of currants yield in abundance. As a reader of your valuable paper for a number of years, I feel that I should inform you of the progress and advancement being made in Canada within the past few years, and the inducements and advantages that will follow settlement in Western Canada. Those who desire information can do as I did, and apply to any Agent of the Canadian Government, whose name I see appears in advertisements appearing elsewhere in the columns of your paper, and when writing ask particularly about the Saskatchewan Valley or Assinibola Districts.

Yours truly,  
Old Reader."

Jarring Proposition.

The scheme of forming large game preserves in the east is to surround them with a wire fence and have it charged with electricity. The poachers who run up against it will at least be surprised.

Do Your Feet Ache and Burn?

Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot and Sore Feet. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N.Y.

William F. Kline's celebrated painting, "The Flight into Egypt," which was awarded the Clark Prize at the recent Academy Exhibition, will be shown at the Pan-American Exposition.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist today and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

The Ordnance Exhibit at the Pan-American Exposition will surpass any display of the kind ever made at an exposition.

In the Spring, take Garfield Tea.

This wonderful Herb Medicine purifies the blood and gives new and vigorous life to systems depleted by the trying winter season.

Stamp collectors all over the world are adding the new Pan-American series of stamps to their collections.

Don't Do Unnecessary Work

Use the great labor-saver, Maple City Self Washing Soap. All grocers sell it.

Spanish sheep are white, except those of La Mancha, which are black.

Chopped Her Rival to Bits.

Mrs. Addie Harris and her 10-year-old daughter, Waunette, fairly hacked to pieces at Ensley, Ala., Mrs. Ella Humphreys, who was suspected of being intimate with Richard Harris, the husband of the Harris woman. Mrs. Harris went to Ensley to make a personal investigation of the alleged relationship of her husband and Mrs. Humphreys. She went to the Humphreys' home. There she found her husband in Mrs. Humphreys' room. She demanded admission, but her husband barred the door. At this Mrs. Humphreys emerged from a back door. The Harris women attacked Mrs. Humphreys and stabbed her to death. The mother and daughter were arrested.

Furniture Men to Unite.

Announcement is made that organization of the furniture trust, capitalized at \$6,000,000, will be completed about May 1. The trust will take in the leading Grand Rapids, Mich., manufacturers. Charles R. Flint of New York is conducting the negotiations. The manager of the new company and most of the directors will be Grand Rapids men. The companies that will go into the combine are: Berkey & Gay, Widdicombe company, John Widdicombe company, Oriol, Grand Rapids Chair, Michigan Chair, Royal New England, Fancy, Luce & Nelson and Matter companies.

Farmers Banded to Flight.

The farmers of central Kansas are organizing against a grain combination. At Solomon sixty-three farmers have organized a stock company and will operate an elevator of their own. At Salina a similar scheme is on foot. M. P. Collins, vice president of the company, said today: "Solomon is a big shipping point, with three railroads, and on each road there is one grain buyer. Our company includes most of the large wheat growers of the neighborhood and our plan is to have an elevator of our own, employ a man to run it and have him pay always a fair market price for the wheat."

Big Boom in Ship Building.

Great activity is shown at the Newport News, Va., ship yards. Everything is building there from a steam yacht to a battleship. The Pacific Mail steamer Korea, which was launched Saturday, will be followed in a few weeks by her twin, the Siberia. On the ways vacated by these two ships the keels for two more vessels will be laid at once. Probably one of the ways will be occupied by the last of the four Morgan liners, and the other by one of the new warships for which contract was recently closed with the navy department.

Votes Marriage Regulations.

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Queer Epitaph Discovered.

On an old, moss-covered tombstone in the Keller cemetery, near Rich Valley, Ind., has been discovered a strange epitaph. Old residents say the stone stands at the head of the grave of a young girl, whose parents made every endeavor to save her life, and, failing, inscribed the following on the monument: "Physicians were sent for, and men of talent, too, but in spite of all they could do our darling had to go."

Massacred by Turks.

According to private advices from Macedonia, a band of Turks massacred three Bulgarian families, men, women, and children, in the village of Aghamallah, near Seres, a town forty-seven miles northeast of Salonica. Details of the outrage have not been received. The news created a profound sensation. It is reported that a village near Monastir, in Macedonia, with a mixed population of Mussulmans and Bulgarians, has been burned.

Woman Cremates Herself.

Miss Eliza Burrus of Murfreesboro, Tenn., saturated her clothing with coal oil and set fire to them. She had been deeply distressed over the loss of her position as teacher in a school, and recently had made two attempts to end her life. The body of the girl was found in the parlor of her home, the flesh charred by her burning clothing.

Johnson Prefers the Jail.

Louis Newman of Cassopolis was in Grand Rapids, Mich., Friday to furnish \$10,000 bail for Cashier Johnson of Niles. Johnson, however, said he preferred to remain in jail, at least for the present, rather than go free and meet his old friends. The grand jury will not meet until October, and he may change his mind before then.

Wounds with an Ink Well.

Thomas Lane, a contractor, and Hugh Sidey, a dentist, quarreled in Sidey's office at Atchison, Kan., and blows were exchanged. Lane finally struck Sidey with an ink well, crushing his skull and inflicting a fatal wound.

Guns to Persuade Sultan.

The armored cruiser New York arrived at Gibraltar Friday. She will proceed to Tangier to demand the settlement of the claims of the United States government against Morocco.

THE ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE.

Work in Both Houses at Springfield.

REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

Representative Hammond is Pushing a Bill for the Protection of Discharged Employes by Providing Against Blacklisting—Written Cause of Discharge.

Tuesday, March 19.

Frank Farnum of Chicago introduced a bill regulating the taxation of capital stock of corporations. It closely follows the New York law which taxes corporations. It provides that Illinois corporations shall pay an annual tax into the state treasury, computed upon the basis of the amount of its capital stock employed in the state, as follows: One-half mill for each 1 per cent of dividends if the dividends amount to 6 per cent or more; 3 mills if the dividends are less than 6 per cent; 3 mills upon each dollar of capital stock if no dividends are made or declared. Representative Cornelius D. O'Connor of Belvidere stirred the legislative waters by introducing a street railway bill, which fixes the maximum life of a franchise at ten years. The bill seeks to repeal the old horse and dummy act which once was repealed by the Allen law but which was put back on the statute books when the Allen law was repealed. Governor Yates appointed his brother, Harry Yates, superintendent of insurance, to succeed James R. Van Cleave. This is one of the best appointments the governor can make. He also appointed his cousin, Charles E. Mueller of La Salle county, a member of the Illinois and Michigan canal board, to succeed Homer J. Tice of Menard county.

Wednesday, March 20.

Much of the time in the house was given to the fight over the bill which relates to the disconnection of territory from cities and villages. All of the many amendments offered by the opponents of the bill were voted down and the bill was advanced to third reading. The fight will be renewed again when the bill comes up for a vote. The purpose of the bill is to give discretionary power to a city council or village board over the disconnection of territory.

At the meeting of the Knox county board of supervisors at Galesburg the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, We believe the passage of the hard-roads bill now before the legislature would greatly increase our state taxation and create a lien upon our property from which we would receive no adequate benefit; therefore,

"Resolved, That this board is opposed to any legislation granting state aid for improvement or in any degree taking from local authorities the care or control of country roads."

Thursday, March 21.

Gov. Yates sent to the senate this morning a message announcing the appointment of Homer F. Asplwall of Stephenson county as a member of the board of managers of the reformatory at Pontiac to succeed William Jackson of Rock Island county, resigned. After the call of the regular order the senate went into executive session and confirmed the appointment. In the house the senate bill regulating the disconnection of territory from cities and villages was read a second time and amended so as to prevent railroads from securing the disconnection of their rights of way from a city or village through which it may pass. The discussion of the bill occupied nearly an hour. It was again advanced to third reading.

Electrocution as the method of inflicting the death penalty in Illinois may be substituted for the hanging man's noose. Legislative sentiment in favor of replacing the gallows with an electric chair is changing. The house judiciary committee has voted to make a favorable report on Denis E. Sullivan's electrocution bill.

Friday, March 22.

Less than a quorum was present in the house and senate. In the house Carl Burgett introduced a bill regulating stockyards charges, fixing the yardage rate for cattle, horses and mules at 10 cents per head and for hogs and sheep at 50 cents per head, and providing that not to exceed 25 per cent in excess of current prices for food shall be charged. No charge is to be made for loading or unloading or watering. Five insurance bills went before the governor's cabinet. A fire insurance association in Chicago is preparing a bill creating the office of state fire marshal. There is some prospect that the active politicians in the house and senate might take this bill and pass it, for the measure, it is said, provides that the state fire marshal shall have a deputy state fire marshal and an attorney in every county. This would add 204 jobs to the Illinois civil list.

Monday, March 25.

Carl Mueller introduced a bill designed to place private banks under state control. This is another of the several bills brought out by the legislative attack on John Alexander Dowie of Chicago. The Mueller bill is similar in its provisions to the bill introduced last week by Mr. O'Meara. It requires the state to examine private banks once a year and to make annual reports to the auditor.

NOTES OF THE SESSION.

The bill, sent down by the Illinois Manufacturers' association of Chicago, which exempts from taxation the capital stock of corporations engaged in mercantile business, was ordered to be reported out favorably by the senate committee on revenue after Senator Shumway had failed in his efforts to have it amended so as to exempt also the capital stock of gas and electric light companies.

Mr. Allen stated in the house that somebody had been stealing copies of the revised statutes and other articles from the desks of members during the night. Speaker Sherman said he had received numerous complaints of this nature and that if any more were received there would be changes on the pay roll so that watchmen would be employed who would attend to their business.

Senator May has introduced his bill, which provides for the election instead of the appointment by the mayor of the members of the Chicago board of education.

In the course of the debate over the bill relating to the disconnection of territory from cities and villages the statement was made that unless the bill passed several villages in Illinois would be in peril of disintegration because of a recent Supreme court decision which held that where a majority of property owners petitioned for disconnection of their property from a village it was the mandatory duty of the village board to disconnect such territory.

Senator May has introduced a bill to legalize and confirm defective plats which fail to comply with the law in force at the time of their making. Also one requiring a notice of five instead of ten days in pauper cases.

Left and Right.

Bank clerks are so often called upon for information that they fall into the habit of giving it in a hurried, mechanical way. A Philadelphia exchange cites an instance which was followed by unexpected and amusing results. The usual formula when a stranger is called upon to sign his name is "Sign here, pen and ink, left hand." One morning a stranger entered a New York savings bank and asked for a certificate of deposit for a considerable sum of money, and was directed as above. It took him a long time to sign his name. A month later the same man appeared and presented the certificate. He signed his name, but when the clerk looked at it he saw that it was vastly different from the first signature. "This is not the signature of the man to whom I issued this certificate," he said, severely. "Well," said the stranger, "when I was here a month ago you told me to write my name with my left hand, and I can't write very well that way." A light dawned upon the clerk, and he asked the man to write his name again with his left hand. This he did, producing a fac-simile of his first signature, and the money was paid.—Youth's Companion.

NEARLY GONE.

Mrs. Julia A. Mallahan, of Owosso, Mich., Has a Very Narrow Escape—The Doctor Had Little Hope.

Owosso, Mich., March 25.—(Special.)—Elite Rebekah Lodge, No. 2, I. O. F. of this town, came very nearly losing their esteemed and capable secretary, Mrs. Julia A. Mallahan. Mrs. Mallahan caught a severe cold last winter, and like many others, failed to recognize the dangerous possibilities until it had settled in her kidneys, and left her with very severe bearing down pains and almost constant backache. It almost carried her off. Mrs. Mallahan tells the story this way: "I neglected until it settled in my kidneys, causing severe bearing down pains and almost constant backache. My health had previously been so good that I paid little attention to these symptoms, until the disease had gone so far that my doctor entertained but a slight hope of my recovery. "Fortunately one of our Lodge Members mentioned Dodd's Kidney Pills. Her description of the cures they had effected sounded like a fairy tale, but I sent for a box, deciding to give them a trial. I soon found that she had but half told the story of what they could do. I bless the day I first tried them, and have nothing but the highest praise for them."

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Studying Oceanology.

The growth of German trade and commerce in all parts of the world has led the German emperor to establish an institute for the study of oceanology in Berlin in connection with a naval museum. Both are to form a part of the Berlin university and will serve as a school for naval construction on the most approved modern system and in the widest sense of the word.

Cut by His Own Sharpness.

A certain British pickle-maker has his pint bottles made to hold just over a pint, so as to be on the safe side of English law. His caution met with poor reward when some of these bottles arrived in Canada, where the law provides that any measure holding more than a pint must pay duty as a quart.

Lady Professors in Switzerland.

Six ladies now rank in the professorate of Swiss universities. Berne has four; one is the professor of history of philosophy, others are in the departments of surgery and of the Telluric Observatory, while the fourth is civic librarian. At Zurich there are two, both in the department of surgery.

From Cigarettes to Cheap Cigars.

It is the testimony of the big tobacco dealers that one of the principal effects of the war on cigarettes has been to diminish their consumption and to increase correspondingly that of cheap cigars.

Italian Looms and Spindles.

There are now in operation in Italy in the cotton industry over 20,000 looms and more than 3,000,000 spindles. Italian-made cotton goods are now largely exported, especially to South Africa.

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## BRITISH FORCED TO LEAVE

Their Work on Railway Siding Stopped.

## RUSSIA DICTATES TERMS.

Russian General Does Not Stand on the Order of the English Troops' Departure, but Says They Must Withdraw or He Will Not Do So.

Count von Walderssee, General Barrow and General Wogack have been in consultation at Peking, China, and General Wogack has agreed to withdraw the Russian troops from the disputed ground at Tientsin provided the British also withdraw. He insisted also upon a guarantee that work on the railway siding should not proceed until the matter had been diplomatically adjusted. This proposal and stipu-

## WASHINGTON.

Attorney General Griggs expects to retire from Cabinet on April 1, to be succeeded by P. C. Knox of Pittsburgh. General Chaffee, who is to succeed General MacArthur in Philippines, will reorganize army in islands.

Postoffice department making plans to obviate necessity of rehandling European mails at New York.

Representative Barton, returned from Cuba, says island must be free before annexation comes.

Denied at White House that ex-Senator Wolcott is to be secretary of the interior.

Majors H. C. Carbaugh, J. A. Hull and G. M. Dunn appointed judge advocates general.

Assistant Secretary Hackett likely to remain in navy department.

Politicians in Washington inclined to believe Governor Odell is coming power in New York politics and may be presidential candidate in 1904.

Senator Platt has admitted defeat at the hands of Odell in expressing

## Sioux Cheats the Gallows.

A mixed-blood Sioux Indian, Louis Cottier, was killed at his home on Spring Creek, Pine Ridge Indian reservation, by Billy Day, a full-blooded Sioux, recently, and Tuesday to escape punishment Day killed himself. Cottier was alone when Day, accompanied by his wife, drove up to the house. Day and his wife soon afterward rode hurriedly away, and half an hour later Cottier was found with a bullet hole in his head and a wound in his breast. Indian policemen sent out by Indian Agent Brennan soon brought Day to bay, surrounding his place of refuge. When the officers entered the place they discovered the fugitive's lifeless body.

## Killed Looking for Burglars.

After searching for burglars whom he believed were in his house, Frank P. Scott, a pattern-maker about 40 years old, was found dead with his throat cut in the passageway outside his home in Portland, Ore. A razor lay beside the body.

## TALMAGE'S SERMON.

### THE RELIGIOUS AWAKENING, THE SUBJECT ON SUNDAY.

Franchised from Luke V: 6 as follows: "They Enclosed a Great Multitude of Fishes, and Their Net Broke"—Strong Pica for the Old-Fashioned Revival.

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Washington, March 24.—This discourse of Dr. Talmage is most pertinent at this time when a widespread effort for religious awakening is being made; text, Luke v, 6, "They inclosed a great multitude of fishes, and their net brake."

Simon and his comrades had experienced the night before what fishermen call "poor luck." Christ steps on board the fishing smack and tells the sailors to pull away from the beach and directs them again to sink the net. Sure enough, very soon the net is full of fishes, and the sailors begin to haul in. So large a school of fishes was taken that the hardy men began to look red in the face as they pull, and hardly have they begun to rejoice at their success when, snap, goes a thread of the net, and, snap, goes another thread, so there is danger not only of losing the fish, but of losing the net.

Without much care as to how much the boat tilts or how much water is splashed on deck the fishermen rush about, gathering up the broken meshes of the net. Out yonder there is a ship dancing on the water, and they hail it: "Ship ahoy! Bear down this way!" The ship comes, and both boats, both fishing smacks, are filled with the floundering treasures.

"Ah," says some one, "how much better it would have been if they had stayed on shore and fished with a hook and line and taken one at a time instead of having this great excitement and the boat almost upset and the net broken and having to call for help and getting sopping wet with the sea!"

The church is the boat, the gospel is the net, society is the sea, and a great revival is a whole school brought in at one sweep of the net. I have admiration for that man who goes out with a hook and line to fish. I admire the way he unwinds the reel and adjusts the bait and drops the hook in a quiet place on a still afternoon and here catches one and there one, but I like also a big boat and a large crew and a net a mile long and swift oars and stout sails and a stiff breeze and a great multitude of souls brought—so great a multitude that you have to get help to draw it ashore, straining the net to the utmost until it breaks here and there, letting a few escape, but bringing the great multitude into eternal safety.

**Belief in Revivals.**  
In other words, I believe in revivals. The great work of saving men began with 3,000 people joining the church in one day, and it will close with forty or a hundred million people saved in 24 hours, when nations shall be born in a day. But there are objections to revivals. People are opposed to them because the net might get broken and if by the pressure of souls it does not get broken, then they take their own penknives and slit the net. "They inclosed a great multitude of fishes, and the net brake."

It is sometimes opposed to revivals of religion that those who come into the church at such times do not hold out. As long as there is a gale of blessing they have their sails up. But as soon as strong winds stop blowing then they drop into a dead calm. But what are the facts in the case? In all our churches the vast majority of the useful people are those who are brought in under great awakenings, and they hold out. Who are the prominent men in the United States in churches, in prayer meetings, in Sabbath schools? For the most part they are the product of great awakenings.

I have noticed that those who are brought into the kingdom of God through revivals have more persistence and more determination in the Christian life than those who come in under a low state of religion. People born in an icehouse may live, but they will never get over the cold they caught in the icehouse. A cannon ball depends upon the impulse with which it starts for how far it shall go and how swiftly, and the greater the revival force with which a soul is started the more far-reaching and far-reaching will be the execution.

**Gathering in the Young.**  
It is sometimes said that during revivals of religion great multitudes of children and young people are brought into the church and they do not know what they are about. It has been my observation that the earlier people come into the kingdom of God the more useful they are. Robert Hall, the prince of preachers, was converted at 12 years of age. It is likely he knew what he was about. Matthew Henry, the commentator, who did more than any man of his century for increasing the interest in the study of the scriptures, was converted at 11 years of age; Isabella Graham, immortal in the Christian church, was converted at 10 years of age; Dr. Watts, whose hymns were sung all down the ages, was converted at 9 years of age; Jonathan Edwards, perhaps the mightiest intellect that the American pulpit ever produced, was converted at 7 years of age, and that father and mother take an awful responsibility when they tell their child at 7 years of age, "You are too young to be a Christian," or "You are too young to connect yourself with the church." That is a mistake as long as eternity.

If during a revival two persons present themselves as candidates for the church and the one is 10 years of age

and the other is 40 years of age, I will have more confidence in the profession of religion of the one 10 years of age than the one 40 years of age. Why? The one who professes at 40 years of age has 40 years of impulse in the wrong direction to correct, and the child has only ten years in the wrong direction to correct. Four times 10 are 40. Four times the religious prospect for the lad that comes into the kingdom of God and into the church at 10 years of age than the man at 40.

## Sin Against Holy Ghost.

Oh, I am afraid to say anything against revivals of religion or against anything that looks like them, because I think it may be a sin against the Holy Ghost, and you know the bible says that a sin against the Holy Ghost shall never be forgiven, neither in this world nor the world to come. Now, if you are a painter, and I speak against your pictures, do I not speak against you? If you are an architect and I speak against a building you put up, do I not speak against you? If a revival be the work of the Holy Ghost and I speak against that revival, do I not speak against the Holy Ghost? And who speaketh against the Holy Ghost, says the Bible, he shall never be forgiven, neither in this world nor in the world to come. I think sometimes people have made a fatal mistake in this direction.

Many of you know the history of Aaron Burr. He was one of the most brilliant men of his day. I suppose this country never produced a stronger intellect. He was capable of doing anything good and great for his country or for the church of his God had he been rightly disposed, but his name is United States government, which he tried to overthrow, and with libertinism and immorality. Do you know where Aaron Burr started on the downward road? It was when he was in college and he became anxious about his soul and was about to put himself under the influences of a revival, and a minister of religion said: "Don't go there, Aaron; don't go there. That's a place of wildfire and great excitement. No religion about that. Don't go there." He tarried away. His serious impressions departed. He started on the downward road. And who is responsible for his ruin for this world and his everlasting ruin in the world to come? Was it the minister who warned him against that revival? When I speak of excitement in revivals I do not mean temporary derangement of the nerves, I do not mean the absurd things of which we have read as transpiring sometimes in the church of Christ, but I mean an intelligent, intense, all absorbing agitation of body, mind and soul in the work of spiritual escape and spiritual rescue.

## Coldness of the Objector.

Now I come to the real, genuine cause of objection to revivals. That is the coldness of the objector. It is the secret and hidden but unmistakable cause in every case, a low state of religion in the heart. Wide awake, consecrated, useful Christians are never afraid of revivals. It is the spiritually dead who are afraid of having their sepulcher molested. The chief agents of the devil during a great awakening are always unconverted professors of religion. As soon as Christ's work begins they begin to gossip against it and take a pall of water and try to put out this spark of religious influence, and they try to put out another spark. Do they succeed? As well when Chicago was on fire might some one have gone out with a garden water pot trying to extinguish it. The difficulty is that when a revival begins in a church it begins at so many points that while you have doused one anxious soul with a pail of cold water there are 500 other anxious souls on fire. Oh, how much better it would be to lay hold of the chariot of Christ's gospel and help pull it on rather than to fling ourselves in front of the wheels, trying to block their progress. We will not stop the chariot, but we ourselves will be ground to powder.

## An Unconverted Minister.

But I think, after all, the greatest obstacle to revivals throughout Christendom is an unconverted ministry. We must believe that the vast majority of those who officiate at sacred altars are regenerated, but I suppose there may float into the ministry of all the denominations of Christians men whose hearts have never been changed by grace. They are all antagonistic to revivals. How did they get into the ministry? Perhaps some of them chose it as a means of livelihood. Perhaps some of them were sincere, but were mistaken. As Thomas Chalmers said, he had been many years preaching the gospel before his heart had been changed, and as many ministers of the gospel declare they were preaching and had been ordained to sacred orders years and years before their hearts were regenerated. Gracious God, what a solemn thought for those of us who minister at the altar! With the present ministry in the present temperature of piety, this land will never be enveloped in revivals. While the pews on one side the altar cry for mercy, the pulpits on the other side the altar must cry for mercy. Ministers quarreling. Ministers trying to pull each other down. Ministers struggling for ecclesiastical place. Ministers lethargic with whole congregations dying on their hands. What a spectacle!

Aroused pulpits will make aroused pews. Pulpits aflame will make pews aflame. Everybody believes in a revival in trade, everybody likes a revival in literature, everybody likes a revival in art, yet a great multitude cannot understand revival in matters of religion. Depend upon it, where you find man antagonistic to revivals, whether he be in pulpit or pew, he

needs to be regenerated by the grace of God.

## More Troops Wanted.

During our civil war the president of the United States made proclamation for 75,000 troops. Some of you remember the big stir. But the King of the universe today asks for twelve hundred million more troops than are enlisted, and we want it done softly, imperceptibly, no excitement, one by one. You are a dry goods merchant on a large scale, and I come to you and want to buy 1,000 yards of cloth. Do you say: "Thank you, I'll send you 1,000 yards of cloth, but I'll sell you 20 yards today, and 20 tomorrow, and 20 the next day, and if it takes me six months, I'll send you the whole thousand yards. You will want as long as that to examine the goods, and I'll want as long as that to examine the credit, and besides that, 1,000 yards of cloth is too much to sell all at once?" No; you do not say that. You take me into the counting room, and in ten minutes the whole transaction is consummated. The fact is we cannot afford to be fools in anything but religion.

That very merchant who on Saturday afternoon sold me the thousand yards of cloth at one stroke the next Sabbath in church will stroke his beard and wonder whether it would not be better for a thousand souls to come straggling along for ten years instead of bolting in at one service.

We talk a good deal about the good times that are coming and about the world's redemption. How long before they will come? There is a man who says 500 years. Here is a man who says 200 years. Here is some one more confident who says in 50 years. What, 50 years? Do you propose to let two generations pass off the stage before the world is converted? Suppose by prolongation of human life at the end of the next 50 years you should walk the length of Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, or the length of Broadway, New York. In all those walks you would not find one person that you recognize. Why? All dead or so changed that you would not know them. In other words, if you postpone the redemption of this world for 50 years you admit that the majority of the two whole generations shall go off the stage unconverted and unrepentant. I tell you the church of Jesus Christ cannot consent to it. We must pray and toil and have the revival spirit, and we must struggle to have the whole world saved before the men and women now in middle life part.

## The Coming Great Revival.

It seems to me as if God is preparing the world for some quick and universal movement. A celebrated electrician gave me a telegraph chart of the world. On that chart the wires crossing the continents and the cables under the sea looked like veins red with blood. On that chart I see that the headquarters of the lightnings are in Great Britain and the United States. In London and New York the lightnings are stabled, waiting to be harnessed for some quick dispatch. That shows you that the telegraph is in the possession of Christianity.

It is a significant fact that the man who invented the telegraph was an old fashioned Christian, Cyrus W. Field, and that the president of the most famous of the telegraph companies of this country was an old fashioned Christian, William Orton, going from the communion table on earth straight to his home in heaven. What does all that mean?

I do not suppose that the telegraph was invented merely to let us know whether flour is up or down or which horse won the race at the Derby or which marksman beat at the latest contest. I suppose the telegraph was invented and built to call the world to God.

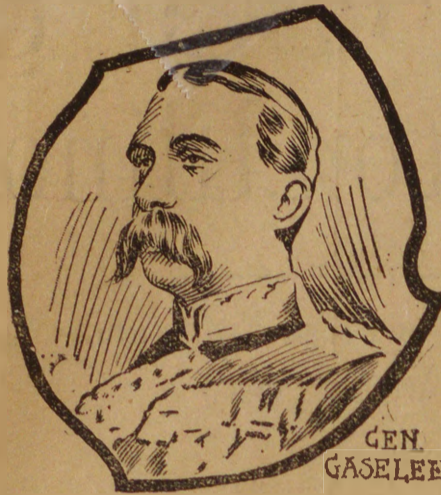
In some of the attributes of the Lord we seem to share on a small scale. For instance, in his love and in his kindness. But until of late foreknowledge, omniscience, omnipresence, omnipotence, seem to have been exclusively God's possession. God, desiring to make the race like himself, gives us a species of foreknowledge in the weather probabilities, gives us a species of omniscience in telegraphy, gives us a species of omnipresence in the telephone, gives us a species of omnipotence in the steam power. Discoveries and inventions all around about us, people are asking what next?

I will tell you what next. Next, a stupendous religious movement. Next, the end of war. Next, the crash of despotism. Next, the world's expurgation. Next, the Christlike dominion. Next, the judgment. What becomes of the world after that I care not. It will have suffered and achieved enough for one world. Lay it up on the dry docks of eternity, like an old man-of-war gone out of service, or fit it up like a Constellation to carry bread of relief to some other suffering planet or let it be demolished. Farewell, dear old world, that began with paradise and ended with judgment conflagration.

## Talking Shop in the Woods.

Mr. Blank, a busy and successful oculist, spent his summer vacation in the woods with his new shotgun. Noticing one day that when using the left-hand barrel he generally brought down his game, and when using the other barrel he invariably missed, he tacked a small target to a tree and fired at it several times with each barrel, in order to bring the matter to a test. The result confirmed his suspicions. One barrel was all right, or nearly so, and the other was all wrong. "Well," he said, "as nearly as I can make out, this gun has a severe case of strabismus, with strong symptoms of astigmatism."—Youth's Companion.

He who sows peas on the highway does not get all the pods into his barn.



GEN. GASELEE



TIENSIN RAILWAY STATION AND TRACKS IN THE DISPUTED TERRITORY.

lation were satisfactory to General Barrow and were accepted by him. The British and Russian troops were withdrawn at 5 o'clock a. m. Friday. Orders had been issued, however, that no British officer should leave, or even "sleep out" at night, or go to dinner without furnishing his address to the adjutant. The marines will return to the ships. Admiral Seymour objects to any of the Australian naval brigades, who volunteered for service on the railway, remaining. The military authorities say he does not understand the situation, that his interference is uncalled for and that the Australian marines are just the men needed. The Russians have ordered a regiment to proceed from Port Arthur to Tientsin. The arrangements made by General Bailloud, the French commander, are regarded as completely satisfactory, and all danger of a collision between the British and French is considerably obviated.

## Glass Plants to Close.

It develops that the visit of President James A. Chambers and General Manager George Moore of the American Window Glass company to the factories in the gas belt of Indiana was due to a desire of the company to close some of the smaller pot plants. Of the forty-two factories owned by the trust twenty-six are located in the Indiana gas belt. The blowers and gatherers at the small plants will be put in the large tank factories, which are short of help. It is probable the shut-down will occur at the beginning of warm weather.

## Butter Laws in Minnesota.

The Minnesota legislature has no bill before it for the control of the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine, as has been erroneously stated. The state has a very stringent law upon the subject, which has recently been sustained by the United States Supreme Court, though it was declared unconstitutional by the Minnesota Supreme Court. The legislature has passed a bill regulating the sale and branding of renovated butter and has passed a joint memorial urging Congress to enact the Groat oleomargarine bill into a law.

## Buy a Mexican Railroad.

Positive assertions have been made at New York to the effect that the control of the Mexican Central Railway company, Limited, has been acquired by a group of New York capitalists. At the next meeting of the company, it was said further, these interests will show their hand and bring about changes in the management.

## Riley White Is Arrested.

Riley White, Mrs. Carrie Nation's grandson, has been arrested at Cleveland by United States Revenue Detective McGinnis of Chicago as a fugitive from justice. He is said to have failed to pay the United States revenue tax. He will appeal to Mrs. Nation to help him out when he gets to Chicago.

## Charlotte M. Yonge Is Dead.

Charlotte Mary Yonge, the author, died in Winchester, England, Sunday. She was born August 11, 1823. Miss Yonge was the only daughter of William Cranley Yonge, a British army officer and hero of the battle of Waterloo.

## Gushing Oil Well in Wyoming.

There is great excitement in the section about Cheyenne, Wyo., over the discovery of high-grade lubricating oil near Evanston, in the southwestern corner of Wyoming. The Union Pacific, while drilling for water, struck a flow of oil, and the well has since assumed the proportions of a gusher. Oil men from California, Pennsylvania, Nebraska and Utah have hurried to the scene, and upward of 621 square miles of oil land have been located. Experts pronounce the discovery one of the most important made in years.

acquiescence in governor's decision regarding police legislation.

United States supreme court may soon give decision on Porto Rican cases.

Controller Dawes assessed stockholders of First National bank, Niles, Mich., 100 per cent. Losses ascertained to be \$195,000.

Ex-Representative Rodenberg of Illinois appointed civil service commissioner to succeed the late M. S. Brewer.

Miss Alice Hay, daughter of Secretary Hay, said to be engaged to James Wadsworth, New York.

Note of British government refusing to accept amended Hay-Pauncefote treaty made public.

Retiring Postmaster Gordon and his successor, Coyne, made arrangements for transfer of Chicago postoffice.

## Fearful for McKinley's Life.

Apprehension that Thomas P. McKeating of Chicago might attempt the life of President McKinley brought Agent L. P. Porter of the United States secret service, who is one of the president's bodyguard when he is traveling, to Chicago Thursday. Any danger that might have existed from McKeating was averted when he was committed to the insane hospital Thursday. Several letters threatening his life have found their way to President McKinley from McKeating. It was believed that the writer was insane, and the matter was turned over to the treasury department, from which County Physician Hunter of Chicago received instructions to find the writer of the letters and examine into his mental condition.

## Slays Six Children.

Becoming violently insane while her husband was away, Lizzie Naramore, wife of Frank Naramore, at Cold Brook Springs, Mass., murdered her six children with ax and club, and tried to kill herself, at their home on the Babcock farm, about an eighth of a mile from the village. Mrs. Naramore laid the blood-drenched bodies on the beds, two on one bed and the other four on a bed in another room, and then cut her own throat with a razor. When discovered she was in the bed on which the bodies of the four children were lying. Although she cut a deep gash in her throat, and suffered the loss of much blood, it is believed she will recover.

## Alexandra on the Continent.

Queen Alexandra has arrived in Brussels, traveling in the same white saloon car used by the then prince of Wales at the time of the attempt upon his life by Sipido. All the curtains of the train were drawn. The British minister to Belgium, Edmund C. P. Phipps, presented a bouquet to her majesty and the train then proceeded for Copenhagen.

## Strikers Will Not Weaken.

President O'Connell of the International Association of Machinists gave out at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, that the sixty striking mechanics in the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern shops at Cedar Rapids cannot go back to work on anything but the day's work schedule, and the 340 other shopmen will stay out until the trouble is ended.

## Students Killed in Corea.

At Intschau, Corea, collisions have occurred between the people and missionary students, according to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Mail, and several students have been killed or wounded.

## Frick and Barber Build Bank.

O. C. Barber and H. C. Frick are partners in a new bank, to be known as the Columbia National, which will be started at Barberton, Ohio. A block will be built as headquarters for the bank.

## Ingulfed by Burning Oil.

A river of floating oil swept down upon the little village of Glen Gardner, N. J., while its inhabitants were asleep Sunday morning and reduced eleven buildings, stores and residences to ashes. The village is in a valley along the line of the Jersey Central railroad. An immense freight train was wrecked at Glen Gardner at 6:30 a. m. It was composed of a string of coal cars and eighteen tank cars. The tank cars burst and the oil caught fire. Villagers awakened by the explosions rushed from the oncoming flood of blazing oil, carrying children in their arms. From the wrecked cars the oil also flowed down the incline of the railroad track, making a long line of fire that destroyed the ties and bent and twisted the tracks. The loss is estimated at from \$60,000 to \$75,000.

## Shoots Theater Men in Cafe.

A. W. Dingwall, general representative of the theatrical enterprises of Jacob Litt, manager of McVicker's theater, Chicago, theaters in Milwaukee and the Broadway theater in New York, is badly wounded in Roosevelt hospital, New York. May Buckley, an actress, the intended target for the bullet which surgeons are trying now to locate in Mr. Dingwall's body, escaped with a bullet hole through the bottom of her skirt. John G. Leffingwell, an assistant to Mr. Dingwall, at the theater, was slightly wounded by a spent ball. These are the net results accomplished by Richard Hayden Moulton, scion of a Springfield, Tenn., family, who terminated an after-theater supper party at the Hotel Pabst, New York, with a few pistol shots, superinduced by too much drink and infatuation for the actress.

## Says 3-Cent Fare Will Pay.

New York and Philadelphia authorities are at present receiving the attention of Albert L. Johnson, the traction company promoter, who wants to introduce his 3-cent-fare system in both cities and connect them with a high-grade trolley service. Johnson will propose to the New York officials a plan to build tunnels under the East river and the narrows in order to carry passengers from the Philadelphia Electric railroad in to the heart of New York city and to build a new trolley system, connecting New York and Brooklyn, with 3-cent fares.

## Tunnel to Staten Island.

Albert L. Johnson has accepted the proposition of Alexander E. Orr, president of the rapid transit commission, to bid for the construction of a tunnel from the Battery to Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, to Fort Hamilton, thence under the narrows to Staten island. Mr. Johnson will put up \$1,000,000 cash security, a bond for construction and a bond for the payment of rent.

## Broken Pledge Costs \$10,000.

The jury in the breach of promise suit of Mrs. Sophia Oleson against John Anderson at Fort Dodge, Iowa, has given a verdict for the whole amount asked—\$10,000. The case has been on trial before Judge Weaver for the last three days and has aroused much interest, as both principals are well known. Anderson is well to do.

## Held as Captives by Indians.

A message found in a bottle picked up on the beach at Galveston, Tex., says the schooner Rover of New York was wrecked at Cape Horn, and that the two writers of the message—Joseph and James Swift—are captives of the Terre del Fuegan Indians. It is believed that the schooner Rover of Baltimore is missing or lost. The message from the bottle bears date of Aug. 1, 1899, and is written on a playing card.

