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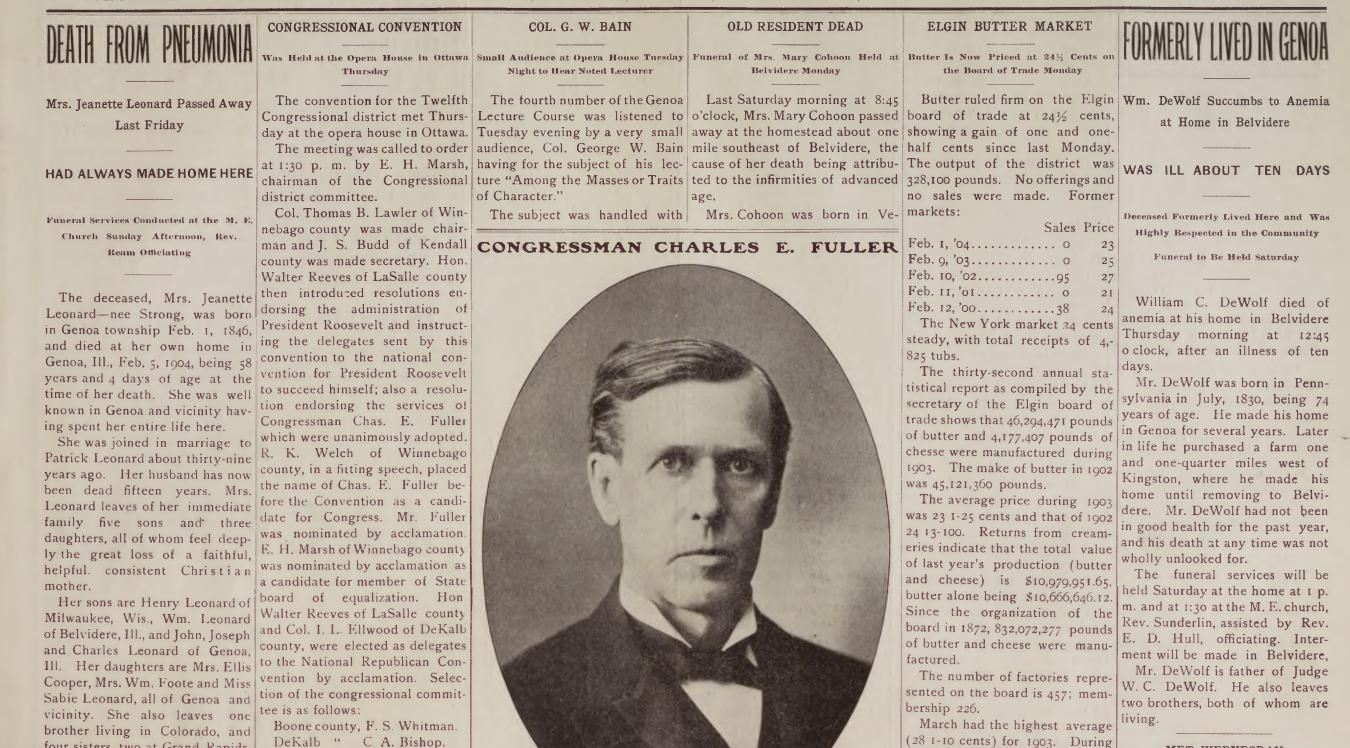
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MET WEDNESDAY Genoa Woman's Club Entertains at Home of Mrs. D. S. Brown

Gave Chalk Talk Lecture

Frank S. Regan of Rockford

According to custom, the G. W. gave one of his celebrated chalk L. C. issued invitations to the hustalk lectures in Odd Fellows' hall bands and friends and friends of last Sunday evening. A large its members and a goodly com-

For Sale

Grundy " D. S. Small.

Kendall " R. A. McClellan.

LaSalle " Wright Adams.

Winnebago Co. J. H. Kelling.

The convention then adjourned.

for her helpful Christian virtues. She was always anxious to do new, capacity 500 feet, several at the convention at Ottawa last Thursday. Mr. Fuller's re-nomina-

Belvidere jurist and statesman who was re-nominated for his Well drilling machine, nearly second term in Congress from the Twelfth District by acclamation

what she could for her family, her contracts ready for spring work, tion shows a clean-cut record for this popular statesman.

(28 I-10 cents) for 1903. During the past year butter was quoted as high as 29 cents. The lowest quotation was 181/2 cents.

audience heard one of the most pany met at the spacious home of

ligion. She has been a member mation call as this office. of the M, E. church at Ney and Genoa for many years. She was also a member of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society, the friends and neighbors who so and the audience was delighted with Nathan C. Phevin of Erie W. C. T. U. and the Ladies Aid kindly assisted us during the ill- with the occasional bits of humor, county. Mr. Phevin drowned society.

four sisters, two at Grand Rapids,

Mich., one at Oxford, Neb., and

another sister, Mrs. Ida Carb of

Mrs. Leonard possessed a great

many friends in this vicinity who

learned to love and esteem her

Genoa, Ill.

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home at I o'clock and at the Ad- beautiful flowers. vent church at 1:30. The services were largely attended. Rev. T. E. Ream conducted the services and spoke very appropriately from the scripture text: "She hath lines:

thee;

come;

those who make or sell the ma-Thou now must dwell with me at Home.

### **NO AUTO LICENSE**

#### **Owners of Machines in Chicago Win Legal** Fight

says: Simultaneously with the M. E. church. opening days of the automobile show at the Coliseum, automobile owners today won a legal fight Charter Grove M. E. church. which will enable them to operate automobiles in Chicago without licenses, examination of chauf- at the studio of Miss Alice Davis fuers or display of numbers. In at 7:45 on Saturday evening. a decree of the appellate court read by Judge Ball it is held that Epworth League meeting on Sun- at his home early Monday mornmost of the city ordinances regu- day evening at Odd Fellows hall ing. He was 87 years old. Mr. lating automobiles are illegal and at 6:30. void. The court granted an inenforcing the ordinances.

bers of the Automobile club.

neighbors and the Christian re- part time if desired. For infor-

## Card of Thanks

ness and death of our mother, all conceding this lecture as the four years after their marriage. The funeral services were held Mrs. Jeanette Leonard, and also best thus far.

last Sunday afternoon from the to thank the friends who gave the

Members of the Family.

## Many Attend Auto Show

held by the association.

M. E. Church Notes

The choir will meet for practice

The auto show in Chicago this worthy to an inspiring theme. Mr. Cohoon dying April 31, 1896. week is drawing a few Genoaites, Sincerity, earnestness, sympathy Only one of six brothers and done what she could." Among as well as from the near-by towns, -these were the dominent char- sisters survive, being Fenton Cowere the following appropriate play say that it is magnificent. was a rare literary treat and it is sister for the past two years. The display is found at the Coli- not saying too much, when his Mrs. Cohoon had no children, but Come in thou blessed, sit with me, seum, the doors of which are open many lecture subjects are taken there are three step children, Mrs. With my own life I ransomed to visitors in the afternoon and into consideration, that he is L. H. Murch, O. S. Cohoon and judge was directly responsible for was caused when the gentlemen evening only. The forenoon is probably the best all-around en- A. R. Cohoon, the latter living the indictment of Van Fleet. Come in thou rasomed spirit, devoted to those interested in the tertainer on the American stage one mile north of Genoa. E. H trade end of the auto business,

## DeKalb Wins at Basket Ball

The girls of the DeKalb high chines. The show is considered

A press dispatch from Chicago next Sunday afternoon at the Ney was far more interesting, the Rev. J. E. DeLong will preach The game was hard fought all terment.

next Sunday afternoon at the the way, the latter winning by a score of 19 to 18.

## Death of Robert Corron

Robert Corron of Plato Center, There will be a very interesting county, succumbed to pneumonia Corron came to Illinois from West

The M. E. church scrvices will Virginia in 1835, and owned sevschool will be held at 12 o'clock. Wednesday afternoon.

the ease and grace characteristic nango, Erie county, New York, of the distinguished speaker. His March 3, 1816. She was married We wish to thank our kind logic was plain and convincing, three times, the first union being

In 1850 she was united in marriage

Col. Bain is in every way worthy to William Wilson and moved to of a large audience. If one were Columbia, Wis. Mr. Wilson died said that neither Judge Willis or As soon as possible places were to sum up a description of his in 1873. In 1877 occurred her Bishop care to hear the case, and found at the tables and a substanlecture in a sentence he would marriage to John Cohoon. They as Judge Brown has resigned it tial 6 o'clock dinner was served. say it was an inspiring address lived for some time in Belvidere, will be necessary to await the The young laidies, Miss Eva election of a new judge.

the closing words of the sermon and those who have seen the dis- acteristics. Col. Bain's lecture hoon, who has taken care of his to try the case and says he is efficient waiters and left nothing ready to take it up.

The defense will probably ob- comfort of the guests.

## Cohoon of this place is a stepgrandson.

## **Gave Cuticle for Grafting**

To Play at Sycamore

The funeral service was held at men of Los Angeles, California, Mr. Stout had to draw cuts for second to none that has yet been school came here last Friday Belvidere at 9 o'clock Monday, bared their arms to a surgeon's the prize, which Dr. Patterson evening and defeated the high the relatives attending from knife last Friday, giving strips of won. Time passed quickly and school girls 23 to 3. The second Genoa being Mrs. A. R. Cohoon, cuticle to save the life of Charles pleasantly and with many hearty game which was between the high Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cohoon and Schissler of Des Moines, Iowa, thanks to the genial host and Rev. T. E. Ream will preach school boys and the town team Mrs. Blanche Hollembeak. The who was almost fatally scalded by hostess the goodnights were said. remains were taken to Watertown, the explosion of an instantaneous teams being more evenly matched. Wisconsin, her old home, for in- heater. If successful the operation will be recorded as a remark-

Until within the past two years able surgical feat, as great patches Mrs. Cohoon had been a regular of skin from Schissler's neck and attendant at the Baptist church chest were burned out. The in Belvidere, doing all in her Woodmen lodge of which he is a one of the oldest settlers of Kane power for the welfare of the member volunteered its services.

church. She was greatly esteemed by many friends and relatives

## W. C. T. U. Notes

The home of Mrs. Chas. Smith team this Friday evening at the King's New Discovery. It surejunction restraining the city from be held next Sunday, Feb. 14th, eral fine farms in the vicinity of will be open for the W C. T. U. latter place. This is the second ly saved my life." This great at Odd Fellows hall. Morning Plato Center. Besides the wife, Frances Willard Memorial meet- game of the season with Syca- cure is guaranteed for all throat The decision was rendered in a preaching service at 10:30. Even- a son and three daughters survive. ing to be held on Feb. 18, at 2:30 more, and from the experience of and lung diseases by Hunt's suit brought by prominent mem- ing service at 7:30. Sunday The funeral services were held p. m. A good program is expect- previous games the locals should Pharmacy, Druggists. Price 50c ed and all are cordially invited. win.

forceful temperance advocates in Mrs D. S. Brown Wednesday the United States of today. evening, Feb. 10, 1904. As the Special singing by the M. E. guests arrived the ladies drew church choir was arranged for the form a box a picture. Then it was her duty to find the original,

with whom she was to eat dinner, As most of the pictures were tak-

In all probability, Van Fleet of en in early childhood the task Aurora, who murdered his wife, was not an easy one, but served will not be tried this term. It is to dispel all feelings of reserve.

Sager, Miss Margaret Hutchison Judge Williams denies the and Miss Hazel Robinson, gowned statement that he does not want in white, proved to be very undone that contributed to the

ject to his hearing the case, as the After dinner much merriment

were requested to write a description of their wife's wedding dress. A prize was given for the best, One hundred Modern Wood- Dr. Patterson, Mr. Robbin and

## **Escaped an Awful Fate**

Mr. H. Haggins of Melbourne, Fla., writes: "My doctor told me I had consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, induced me to try it. Results were

The high school team will play startling. I am now on the road basket ball with the Sycamore to recovery and owe it all to Dr.

and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

service. Van Fleet Will Not Be Tried

## THE GENOA REPUBLICAN By J. M. ALDEN

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12 1904

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POLITICAL NOTES

## For Collector

I wish to announce to the voters of Genoa that I am a candidate for the office of collector and hire. respectfully ask your support at the Republican caucus. GEO. W. BURBANK.

For Collector

I am a candidate for the office

of tax collector of Genoa, and will \$2 allowed. be thankful for the support of the CHAS. E. ADAMS. voters.



C. Cole was a Kingston visitor Monday.

the measles. Albert Stray was a Genoa visit-

or the first of the week.

Gene Campbell of Belvidere was through here Saturday.

Jno. Babbler and wife called at A. B. Stray's Friday evening.

H. Whitney's sale was well at tended and prices were good.

C. F. Ollman & Sons received a car of brand and middlings Saturday.

went to Rockford Monday to visit friends.

Mrs. C. F. Ollman and son, Herman, were Kingston visitors last week.

Chas. Cole has received a complete line of A. Peats prize wall paper. Now is the time to buy.

loe Littlejohn held a graphaphone entertainment at the school house last Wednesday. A large crowd was in attendance.

Frank Stray is expected home from Antioch, Ill., where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Jos.

## **On a Large Scale**

and have about 3,200 persons on

Just at this time these schools

## Probate

COURT HOUSE

Estates of-Charles H. Lang. Proof of notice to creditors. Expense account of \$788.36 allowed.

N. C. Warren-Charles E. Walker appointed administrator by the International Correspond- Pharmacy. ence Schools of Scranton, Pa. de bonis non. Bonds \$20,000. John Duval-Appraisement bill Scranton is a town among the and inventory approved.

Daniel Pierce-Report ap-

allowed

Edward Smith-Account of \$28.40 allowed. Frederick Helmke- Account of their pay roll. Their mailing de-

H. M. Clark-Accounts a mounting to \$224.90 allowed.

worth of postage daily, and last Orrin Stagord-Petition for disrition of chattel property kind year they sent out something like 63.000,000 pages of instruction. granted. Proof of heirship.

Hugh Gallagher-Final report are making a special effort by adapproved. vertising and through a window Thomas Delehanty-Proof of

display and by offering special Geo. Payne is recovering from notice to creditors. Appraisement bill and inventory approved. discounts to have the people of Genoa inquire into what they are Accounts amounting to \$774.87 really doing and how they are allowed. doing it. It goes without saying Henry M. Thorp-Belinda that there are quite a good many Thorp ordered appointed adminwho will be glad to avail themstratrix on filing bond of \$8,000. Catherine E. Lloyd-Report selves of the opportunity thus Via the North-Western line. On approved.

> of \$150 allowed. Betsey A. Cole-Expense account of \$428 allowed.

Charles Webster-Inventory Mr. and Mrs. Chas. V. Johnson and report approved.

> tion that may be desired. filing bond of \$40,000.

> > COMMON LAW

Milwakee Harvester Co. vs. Kiernan Testimony heard in part. gineering course with the International Correspondence School People vs Beacham, settled. Wallace vs Johnson, judgment I was employed in the machine on verdict. Raymond vs Anderson, judgeand Pump Co. at Batavia, Ill., and

ment on verdict. Austin vs Clark, docket fee paid, rule discharged. Common law term adjourned

for term.

## **Mysterious Circumstance**

Every little while we run across One was pale and sallow and facts that serve to emphasize, that the other fresh and rosy. Whence this is a very large country in the difference? She who is which we live and that we do blushing with health uses Dr. things freduently on a very large King's New Life Pills to maintain scale. One of the recent things it. By gently arousing the lazy to cause our thoughts to run along organs they compel good dithis channel is the stupendous ed- gestion and head off constipation. ucational work being carried on Try them. Only 25c at Hunt's

## To California

hills of Pennsylvania and until a Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & dozen years ago was hardly known North-Western Line. Two solid proved and F. B. Townsend as to the world at large. Today it fast trains through to California conservator allowed, \$5833 22 for is the synonym of progressiveness daily. The Overland Limited services and \$2366.66 for clerk in matters educational. Think of (electric lighted throughout) less an army of more than 600,000 than three days en route, leaves W. H. Shuey-Report approved seekers after knowledge whose Chicago 8:00 p. m. Another fast and expense account of \$551565 Alma Mater is this institution not train leaves Chicago 11:35 p. m. Apply to Agents Chicago & yet in its teens. The schools employ a capital of over \$3,000,000 North-Western R'y.

**Advertised Letters** 

The following are the letters at partment handles about 15,000 pieces of mail every day, necessithe Genoa postoffice that remain tating the use of more than \$400 uncalled for:

> Letters: Mr. Nick Solomon. Samuel Shidden. " H. F. Kidder.

Mrs. J. T. Shinn. " G. M. Sivwright. Miss Marrie Krahn.

" Jessie L. Rouse.

C. B. CRAWFORD, P. M.

and Winter Resorts

presented them to get an educa- account of the Mardi Gras, excur-Elizabeth Shumaker-Account tion along the line of their work sion tickets will be sold to New or in connection with some sub- Orleans, Mobile and Pensacola, ject that they are interested in. Feb. 9 to 14, inclusive, also to The school's representative, New Orleans, on Feb. 15 for trains whose announcement and address arriving at New Orleans by noon may be found in our display col- on Feb. 16, with favorable return James J. Stuart, Ed. J. Stuart umns, will be pleased to give to limits and stop-overs. Excursion to be appointed administrator on interested persons any informa- tickets are also on sale daily, at A STUDENT'S TESTIMONIAL. When I enrolled in the civil en-

Special Reduced Excursion Rates shop of the U.S. Wind Engine Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & North-Western had no knowledge of drafting Railway for the occasions named whatever. I am now a draftsman below:

in Love Bros.' engineering office. Los Angeles, beginning May Aurora, Ill., which position I ob-3rd, General Conference Methotained as a direct result of my dist Episcopal Church. course with the course. I feel I



The plaster that relieves pain. You do not buy a plaster because it is cheap, do you! you buy it for expected relief. Buy a REX and you will not be disappointed. It is the

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for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Bronchitis and all lung troubles, also for Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago and Backache. With each plaster there are illustrations showing where to apply for the above ailments.

When you want a plaster buy the REX and you will be satisfied. Price 25c at

## Hunt's Pharmacy

**JACKMAN** 

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Bess Johnson.

**ANTHRACITE COAL--Plymouth** 

# Very Low Rates to the Mardi Gras

reduced rates, to principal winter resorts in the United States and Mexico. For full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Britton, for the past four weeks.

## **Kirkland** Notes

Youen Ferguson spent Monday in Genoa.

Frank Campbell was a Chicago visitor Monday.

Miss Edith Tindall spent Saturday in Genoa.

Mrs. Dow Ottman is spending the week with her aunt at Kingston.

Mrs. Hiram Burchfield of Rockhere

Robert Byers is home from a visit with relatives at Sioux City, Iowa

A series of revival meetings are being conducted at the M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garland are parents of a son born last Monday.

Mrs. Charles Camp and Miss Bea Coffey of DeKalb spent several days last week with friends here.

The Masonic dance Thursday evening at Rowan's opera house was largely attended, many from Geo. Astling, Sycamore ...... 26 Deceased. near-by towns being present.

Gorham attended the teachers inand Saturday.

## **Nearly Forfeits His Life**

A runaway almost ending fatally started a horrible ulcer on the Illinois Central railway will sell Estate are notified and requested leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, excursion tickets to Jackson, to attend for the purpose of hav-Ill. For four years it defied all Tenn. Aberdeen, Durant, Mc- ing the same adjusted. All per- package of our treatment absodoctors and all remedies. But Comb, Clarksdale, Greenville, sons indebted to said Estate are lutely free. Write today. All Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no Vicksburg and Natches, Miss., requested to make immediate trouble to cure him. Equally Baton Rouge and New Orleans, payment to the undersigned. good for burns, bruises, skin erup- La. Tickets good to return until A. D. 1904. tions and piles. 25c at Hunt's June 1'04. For particulars en-Pharmacy.

TRANSFERS

F. B. Townsend to Carrie C. Patten lot 15 Pattens add Sycanore—\$1000. F. W. Severance to William

Ashton lots 4 and s one half lot lot 5 blk 4 Millers Hinckley-\$2800.

Conrad W. Dralle to Arthur Fulcher lot 12 H. N. Perkins add Genoa-\$1400.

William Soost to Nels Persons n one half lot 2 blk 5 Kingston-8475.

Albert D. Wallace to William ford spent last week with her son Aherns and E. E. Henniston lots I and 2 blk I Hendees and Sandwich-\$4,200.

C. S. Smith to W. M. Hay se one quar se one quar lot 15 blk 1 sec 14 Hay-Smith sub div De-Kalb-\$190.

James E. Johnson to O. J. Prestegard lot 1 blk 13 Village of Lee -\$500.

R. Biehl to C. E. Olson lot I ne one quar sec 15 Squaw Grove-

W. L. Ellwood to Joseph R Tudor w 60 ft lot 2 blk B I. L Ellwood add DeKalb-\$800.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lizzie Vandeburg, Kingston...19 Misses Lulu Sutherland, Ora G. Esperson, Clinton, Ia., over 21 Will and Testament of Alfred S. salvation. This is no ordinary Jaquish, Mary Sullivan and Emma Eva Roberts, Waterman. . over 18 Hollembeak late of the County of disease and yields to no ordinary Silas A. Whitney, Sandwich ... 23 DeKalb and State of Illinois, de- drugs or methods of treatment. stitute at Sycamore last Friday Olive Minick, Waterman.....22 ceased, hereby gives notice that We now offer our treatment

## C & N. W. R'y Announcement

Commencing October 15 and April Term, on the first Monday num, cocaine or other drug habit continuing until April 30, the in April next, at which time all or refund your money. To any quire of I. C. agent.

can not say too much in their behalf, as I owe my present advance entirely to their simple, thorough and concise method of instruction.

AUGUST BENSON. 140 McKee St., Batavia, Ill. Persons interested may refer to Student Benson, who will be glad to answer all inquiries.

## **Better Than Gold**

years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for

weak run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Hunt's

## **Executor's Notice**

Estate of Alfred S. Hollembeak

Pharmacy.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executrix of the last she will appear before the County which we guarantee will cure any Court House in Sycamore at the case of morphine, opium, lauda-

Executrix.

San Francisco, May 3rd to 8th, Retail Grocers' National Association San Francisco, Sept. 5th to 9th, Triennial Conclave Knights

Templar. San Francisco, Sept. 19th to 25th, Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.

For information as to rates, dates of sales, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon the "I was troubled for several ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

**MORPHINE** 

stantly Increasing Number of Drug Victims?

## CAN THEY BE CURED?

This question is agitating the minds of the best ministers, doctors and thinking men of today. There are over a million drug users in the United States alone, and the number is rapidly increasing. All unite in saying that a reliable cure is the only

person suffering from this dreadful disease we will send a trial

On and after Monday, February correspondence strictly confiden-1st, I will be at Clefford & Perkins tial in plain envelopes. Address, MANHATTAN THERAPEUTIC ASSOCIhardware store to receive the tax-ATION, Dep't B., 1135 Broadway, es of Genoa township. August Fite, Collector. New York City.

and Scranton

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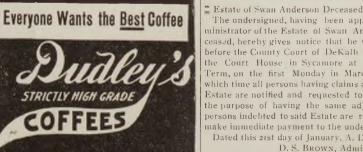
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not so good.



**GRAIN** Buyers and Shippers

#### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE



The undersigned, having been appointed Ad istrator of the Estate of Swan Anderson de sed, hereby gives notice that he will appear fore the County Court of DeKalb County, at Court House in Sycamore at the March m, on the first Monday in March next; at hich time all persons having claims against said state are notified and requested to attend for re purpose of having the same adjusted. ersons indebted to said Estate are requested to ake immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 21st day of January, A. D., 1904, D. S. BROWN, Administrator

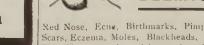


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tric Needle. I guarantee the hair never to re urn. Si half hour, \$2 per hour or by contract.

Dr. T. Henri Whiting Late of Chicag Spurling Block, Room 9 Hours 9 to 5, Sunday 10 to 9. ELGIN, ILL

For Sale by T. M. Frazier, Genoa Notice to Taxpayers



Facial Hair on Ladies' faces destroyed by Elec-

8 year practice

Dated this 9th day of January

BLANCHE HOLLEMBEAK,

What is to Become of the Con-

Supplement to the Genoa Republican, February 12, 1904.

# The Kingston News

News of Kingston and Vicinity as reported for THE GENOA REPUBLICAN of the week Ending February 12, 1904.

A SHORT	ILLNESS
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## WM. STARK IS DEAD

Mardi Gras

Mrs.	Harriet Fuller Died Su	ddenty Last	Miss Lizzie Vandeburg and George Astling	Passed Away	Suddenly at	His	Hom
	Saturday		Married Last Wednesday		Canton, S. D.		

TAKE SOLEMN VOW

ton, Ill., Feb. 6, 1904, being 73 of Miss Lizzie Vandeburg to South Dakota, last Saturday. He years, 6 months and 2 days of age. George Astling of Sycamore. is a brother of Frank Stark of

remaining to mourn the loss of a Kingston. mother one son, A. L. and fam- The bride is the oldest daughter who with two children mourn his Maple Park over Sunday. ily who reside in this village.

ago and the widowed mother took groom is a popular young man of plus \$2, for the round trip. The up her abode with her son.

Mother Fuller's demise removes | March 1. another landmark from the circle of old settlers, which gradually grows less each year.

The funeral services were held in the M. E. church last Monday, Rev. C. S. Clay, the pastor, having charge of them.

## Have Secured Rev. Liston Bass

The choir of the M. E. church have perfected arrangements with

rangements are made. Dr. Bass is quoted by the Southern Lyceum Bureau at \$125 a single lecture, The traffic department of the Chi-

Harriett Blanche Wheeler was At the home of Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Stark, a former resident born at Great Barrington, Mass., C. S. Moore in Sycamore last of Mayfield township, died sud-Aug. 4, 1830, and died at Kings- Wednesday occurred the marriage denly at his home in Canton,

On Sept. 23, 1847, she became Only a few friends and relatives Mayfield, and was about 45 years united in marriage to Augustus were present to witness the cere- of age. During his residence in Fuller at Canaan, New York, to mony. Mr. and Mrs. Astling de- South Dakota, Mr. Stark has acwhich union were born three parted on an afternoon train for quired considerable property, ownchildren of which a son and Chicago, where they remained a ing 400 acres of fine farm land. daughter died in infancy, there few days before returning to Mrs. Stark is a sister of Wm.

of Mr. and Mrs. I. Vandeburg, untimely death. She with her husband came possessing many personal charms west about the year 1853, moving and a winning manner. During to Wisconsin and remaining in the autumn and winter months For the above occasion the Illi- was a Kingston visitor Friday. that state until 1888 when they she has been teacher in the Hix nois Central will sell round trip removed to Kingston. The hus- school just south of town, giving tickets to Mobile, Ala., and Penband departed this life some years excellent satisfaction. The bride- sacola, Fla., at one first-class fare,

Sycamore, being held in high es- date of sale is February 9 to 14, Mother Fuller became a Chris- teem by a countless number of inclusive; also February 25 for tian when but a young woman friends. Mr. and Mrs. Astling trains reaching Mobile or Pensa and tried as best she could to will move to the E. C. West farm, cola. Return limit, leaving deslead a consistent Christian life. one mile west of Sycamore, about tination February 20, 1904. Tick-

For Sale

Six fresh milk cows. Enquire of Roy S. Tazewell, Kingston, Ill.

**Gest Is Appointed** 

Judge W. H. Gest of Rock \$26.75. Island has been appointed to the appelate bench to succeed Judge Brown of Wheaton.

Sarah V. Clark Is Married

the eminent southern orator Dr. Last Wednesday at Elgin, Liston H. Bass of Florence, South Sarah V. Clark was united in mar-Carolina, for a lecture to be given riage to Almon F. Hall, Rev. in the church sometime during Conklin of the Universalist church March. This will be a rare op- tying the nuptial knot. The portunity for the people of this bride is the oldest daughter of community to hear this eloquent Thos. Clark, and formerly lived orator. He will have with him a in Kingston with her parents. lady pianist and a little colored The groom is a son of Franklin girl 5 years of age, who will sing. Hall. They will reside on a farm More will be said when all ar- near Sycamore.

## The Overland Limited

Dersonals Henry Whitney spent Saturday

> in Elgin. Mrs. B. F. Uplinger is on the

sick list this week. Mrs. Holm's father has been

quite ill the past week. Mrs. H. M. Stark visited in Sycamore last Friday.

I. E. Conover was home from and Frank Parker of this place

> Otto Swanson of Fairdale spent Saturday with friends here.

> Miss Ora Jaquish of Kirkland Miss May Gibbs of Hampshire spent Sunday with her parents. Revival services at the Baptist church will continue throughout

Mrs. J. B. Ludwig and Mrs. E. A. Thompson are reported convalescent.

The Chautauqua class met with ets will be limited for continued passage in either direction, but Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tazewell Monstop-overs will be granted upon day evening.

application to conductors at reg- Presiding Elder Earngey ular winter tourist stop over preached at the Davis church Sunpoints. The fare from Genoa is day afternoon.

> N. Weber is recovering from an illness, having been confined to his home the past week.

About \$17 was cleared at the basket social given at the G. A. R. hall Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Getzelman of

Elgin spent Friday and Saturday with George Maderer and wife. Wm. Soost of Belvidere has Wanted-Farmers to buy our sold lot 2, block 5, in Kingston to

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis en- Office Hours:



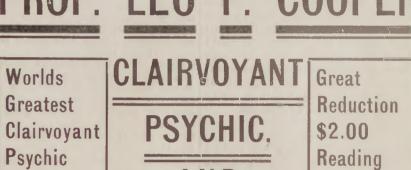
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nia always results from a cold or

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## Bound for Holy Land

The Rev. H. M. Bannen, whose projected trip to the Holy Land was announced some time ago, will leave Rockford March 1. He will attend the World's Sunday School convention at Jerusalem, and will sail from New York together with hundreds of other pneumonia, one of the most dangerous diseases that medical men delegates to the sessions. Rev. have to contend with, can be pre-Gelwicks will occupy the Trinity pulpit during his absence.

## Last Number of Course

The committee in the course of from an attack of influenza (grip) entertainments received com- and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency munication from the Glazier Ly ceum Bureau stating that the final of these diseases toward pneu number on the course of enter- monia. This has been fully prov tainments, The Carolinian Jubilee en in many thousands of cases in Singers, will give their concert which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of Saturday evening, April 16. Posters in the near future will an- colds and grip in recent years, and can be relied upon with imnounce the fact. plicit confidence. Pneumonia

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tertained members and friends of the Eastern Star last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sargent are at Quincy, Ill., this week, owing to the severe illness of the former's sister.

Mrs. Michael Fagan died at her day. She had been ill some time from cancerous trouble. The funeral service was held at Belvi-

Quarterly meeting was held in the M. E. church Sunday morning. Rev. Samuel Earngey preached to a small audience, owing to the severity of the

Word has been received here of the arrival of a son at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Trumbauer of Reedsburg, Wis. Mrs. Trumbauer will be remembered as Miss Jessie Munn.

Darius Fuller, who formerly lived in Flora township but later For Rent-House and barn of Belvidere, died at the home of known as the Mrs. Shattuck his daughter, Mrs A. O. Arminghomestead. For particulars ad- ton, Sunday evening. Rev. T. W. dress Fred S. Hall, 140 east 22nd Heyland conducted the funeral services Wednesday.

> The Rev. Liston Bass, who will lecture here March 16, gave his popular lectore, "Our Brother In Black," at the First Presbyterian church in Rockford on Tuesday evening. He discusses the neglo from every point of view and describes negro life fully.

> According to the DeKalb Chronicle, Mr. and Mrs J B Aurner and daughter, Mrs Keeler, will arrive home Sunday from Eureka Springs. Ark., where they have been sev 1.1 months. They will encounter severe weather, for them, after the balmy climate of Arkansas.

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## LINCOLN'S ADVICE.

### A Prescription That Might Be Used With Advantage Today.

Illinois which says that an old farm- often the students in colleges and uniplained on one occasion of his poor tras" for rooms, clothes and luxuries. health. He received the following All the cadets stand on the same footyour wife. Be courteous to your cient for the support of a cadet. creditors. Keep your digestion good. tary academy with spendthrift habits reckon, will give you a good lift."

This advice is doubtless applicaapply to us generally—as a nation. "Do not worry. Keep your diges-tion good. Go slow and easy." It der, but you are in debt, and there's no would be difficult to find an Amer-ican who has not something to trendling with tears starting in his eyes and a amend on these points. Worry and trembling voice, responded: "But, colonel, I am almost destitute of changes of dyspepsia have assumed the propor- clothing. I have only one shirt to my It is a fatigue jacket.' both more or less the result of un- The colonel was immovable and simdue haste. There is no surer way to ply said as he dismissed the cadet from promote dyspepsia than to be in a his presence, "Well, Mr. constant state of hurry, and nothing advise you to wear that fatigue jacket or incline one to worrying and fretwill so surely give one the "blues" ting as dyspepsia. Our native institution-the "quick lunch" restaurant-is responsible for a large proportion of the physical ills of milian II.-one a German, the other a business people in large cities. Eat- Spaniard-who had each rendered a ing hastily-"bolting" one's food, great service to the emperor, asked the as it is popularly expressed—is enough to ruin the digestive organs of an ostrich. A man would better eat half as much as usual at the their own prowess must decide it; but, midday meal, which is usually the being unwilling to risk the loss of eimost hurried, and take time to mas- ther by engaging them in deadly comticate properly what he does put bat, he ordered a large sack brought into his stomach. Better still would and declared that he who should put it be if he would give himself ample his rival into it should have his fair time to relax and eat a light lunch Helena. And this whimsical combat without allowing any thought of was actually performed in the presence business to intrude on this necessary hour. The unhappy Spanish nobleman period of relaxation.--Success.

## Ulysses and Philip.

stale the infinite uniformity of the combat is said to be the origin of the human heart. When the late Ad- phrase "Give him the sack" so common miral Philip reproved his enthusi- in the literature of courting. astic men at the battle of Santiago with the tender words of compassion for the defeated foe, "Don't cheer, In the old Atlanta Intelligencer: boys; the poor devils are dying,' the heart of the world responded on Monday last a surgeon who was approvingly. But the American ad- searching the field for the wounded, miral was not the first man to have that he might administer to their needs, that feeling for the humane proprieties in the face of death. It is related of Ulysses, also a sailor, that he shided the old nurse when she he chided the old nurse when she began to rejoice over the slaughter a ball having passed through his brain of Penelope's wooers, telling her at the moment when, resting on his

## LIFE AT WEST POINT.

## An Example of How the Cadets Are Made to Economize.

The cadets at the Military academy There is a story still current in at West Point are not favored as are er friend of President Lincoln, who that is, they are not furnished with an used to correspond with him, com- unlimited amount of each to buy "ex- had for a long time. That's why I reply, which is quoted in Illinois as ing and receive \$500 a year, plus the "Lincoln's prescription:" "Do not commutation of rations amounting to worry. Eat three square meals a \$109.50 a year. However, with proper day. Say your prayers. Think of economy this yearly allowance is suffi-The army cadet who goes to the Mili- of voice."-Chicago Tribune.

Steer clear of biliousness. Exer- soon receives a decided and severe cise. Go slow and go easy. Maybe check. As an instance, a cadet some there are other things that your es- time ago went to the superintendent pecial case requires to make you for an order for four shirts, but the happy; but, my dear friend, these, I superintendent peremptorily refused to give his approval. The young man was sorely in need, and he attempted to convince his superior of the fact. The the protruding lips, the faithful re- goodby." ble in its entirety to many Ameri- latter took up the cadet's account book cans in every state in the Union to- and perusing it a couple of moments day. There are parts of it which threw it back to him, saying. "I have , I would until you get out of debt, but be care-

## "Give Him the Sack."

Two noblemen in the reign of Maxihand of his daughter in marriage. Maximilian said that, as he esteemed them both alike, it was impossible to choose between them, and therefore was first overcome, and the German succeeded in enveloping him in the sack, took him upon his back and laid Time cannot change nor custom him at the emperor's feet. This comical

## A Soldier's Strange Death.

I find the following singular incident

"After the fight near Drewry's bluff observed a man in a kneeling position, with his gun to his shoulder pointed to that her satisfaction at the doing left knee, he had taken sight at the

## His Exasperating Calmness.

"Laura," said Mr. Ferguson, the dinner having progressed thus far this as having actually happened: A Nevada Justice as It Was Dispensed without any comment on his part, "where did you get this steak?"

"At the usual place," his wife replied. "What's wrong with it?" Nothing. It's the best we have tures?"

inquired. Did you think I was finding fault with it? "How was I to know?" said Mrs.

Ferguson, slightly irritated. "You always do your grumbling and your praising in exactly the same tone Ledger

#### Tom Reed's Comment.

Thomas B. Reed's portrait was asked the foreign tourist. painted by Sargent during the last year of his services in congress. When it was brought to Mr. Reed production of his florid complexion, of his flabby cheeks, of his ponder- before!" ous neck. His eyes narrowed between the lids and there came a bad as that. I was only joking." cold glint in them. Then, pursing his lips as was his wont, he is said to have remarked, "I hope that my dearest enemy is satisfied now."

#### Altogether Too Inquisitive.

Burgess-What a humbug Dolver is! thing he had seen for years, but when is imposed on you? came to question him I found he didn't know the first thing about the me as big a sentence in jail as you article. What do you think of that? Yerrow-1 think it should be a lesson to you to let well enough alone next

time.-Boston Transcript.

#### Only Half the Truth.

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City.

Wife (during the quarrel)-Yes, and people say you only married me for my money

Husband-People are wrong, my dear. They overlook the fact that you also had considerable real estate.-Chicago

Not Ready Yet. A Philadelphia photographer tells woman entered his studio.

"Are you the photographer?" "Yes, madam."

"Do you take children's pic-"Yes, certainly."

"How much do you charge?" "Three dollars a dozen." "Well," said the woman sorrow-

I've only got eleven."---Philadelphia would 'a' cared a bit about that, ex-

## Finding More Material.

"Nobody knows exactly," said the native. "It's so large, though, and people get lost in it so easily, that when a man is about to explore it he makes his this cussedness on the part of Slide he looked at it critically. He noted will and wishes his weeping friends mountain brought up was, Who own-

"Oh, well, of course, it isn't quite so [Entry in foreign tourist's notebook: "Another curious custom among Americans is that when they tell an amazing lie they call it a joke."]--Chicago erty to the middle of the earth. So Tribune.

#### True Mercy.

When I asked him if he had read my convicted of bigamy, of having married article about "The Epochal Era," he two wives. Have you any plea for said he had and that it was the finest mercy before the sentence of the court "Yes, judge," said the prisoner. "Give

"What?" long jail sentence will be true mercy." -Baltimore Herald.

## An Undesirable Place.

Weary Wraggles-Hey! You won't git nothin' decent in dere. Dem people is vegetarians. Hungry Hank-Is dat right?

dog w'at ain't.-Philadelphia Press.

LAW ON SLIDE MOUNTAIN.

## In the Old Days.

"One night several years ago," said the old timer from Nevada who is ending his days on the Pacific slope, "when everything, from the faro banks to the real estate, was running sorter loose in Nevada, half of Slide mountain forsook the rest and came tearing down into the valfully, "I'll have to see you again. ley back of Washoe City. Nobody cept that it was going at sech a rate that when it hit the valley it picked up Joe Frey's ranch and boosted it "How large is your Mammoth cave?" over on top of Tule Frank's ranch and then settled down in the hole

Joe Frey's ranch used to occupy. "The perplexing question of law ed the ranch that landed on top? "Most astonishing! I never heard that Joe Frey claimed the ranch because his was on top, and he said every man owned his property under the law clear up to the blue heaven. Tule Frank said the ranch was his'n because every man owned his propthe litigation began.

"They got a jury together in back

of the old postoffice at Washoe be-"Prisoner," said the judge, "you are fore the county jedge, and some robber?" young fellers from the states turned loose more law in the six days of the thing. I'm waitin' for cook, an' when trial than the jedge's cranium could take in in seventeen years.

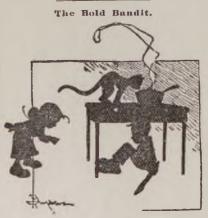
"Then the jury went out to decide who nature intended to own these ranches. It hung out four days. "I want to keep out of the clutches of But, finally, when the jury reached teur hunters lost in the woods," those two wives as long as I can. and a a jedgement we all filed in to hear said Jenkins, "if they'd only carry the doom of the defeated litigant pocket compasses and git drunk with the winner.

Well, that jury found that Tule good is a compass?" Frank was the owner of that ranch, feck that before Tule Frank could to the north, and"use the ranch he'd have to throw

nia Call



Against the Regulations.



"Hello, Freddie! Are you playin'

"Playin' nuthin'. This is the real she comes she'll tell where she hides the pies or I'll know the reason why." -New York Evening Journal.

## Bright Man.

"There wouldn't be so many ama-

"Why?" asked Dumley. "What

"You can't get lost when you; but stuck in the proviso to the ef- have one. The needle always points

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"But suppose you want to go to Weary Wraggles-Yeh, an' dey got a Joe Frey's ranch off'n it."-Califor- the east, south or west ?"--Philadelphia Ledger.



aloud, "for it is an unholy thing to rigid was the corpse, some force was boast over slain men." Ulysses and required to remove the gun from his Philip each knew that he was an instrument in the execution of a righteous purpase but when the righteous purpose, but when the work was done each was saddened by the thought that death had come through his acts, and each was trans- examination questions are fairly comformed from an avenging agent into mon in graded public schools everya compassionate man. - Youth's where, I suppose," said a teacher at a Companion.

#### A Suggestive Silence.

Perhaps the greatest practical drawback of much swearing is that oaths, however good and round they 'tithe' and compose a sentence showbe, lose their effectiveness through ing its use, her paper read: 'Tithe, frequent use. On the famous occa- something that binds, love, friendship. sion when Washington swore he was "Blest be the tithe that binds." terrifying to hear. The Boston Transcript thinks an honest curse given by another pupil: better than "ingrowing profanity." prelate who was once playing golf with their bayonets.' with Mr. Choate and after foozling a tee shot egregiously stood looking at the ball for several moments. After waiting for the bishop to say something Mr. Choate remarked, "Bishop, that was the profanest si- animals) so small that millions of them ience i ever heard."

Anxious For Questions.

ed out to dinner with his mother, was commanded not to speak at the table or an elepted. In a single table except he was asked a ques- ounce of such matter there are more tion and promised to obey the com- living creatures than there are human mand. At the table no attention beings on the face of the globe! was paid to Johnny for a long time. He grew very restless, and his mother could see that he was having a "Do you mean to say. She must a indignantly. "that there never was a hard time to "hold in." By and by he could stand it no longer. "Mam-""Oh, not at all " he protested earn ma," he called out, "when are they 1y. "To the contrary, there was Lot's going to begin asking me ques-tions?"-Puck.

Twice, Not Two.

A young lady was sitting with a Herald. gallant captain in a charmingly decorated recess. On her knee was a Bigg-Yes, sir. Sad case. Man who sake. In the adjoining room, with ished when he died. the door open, were the rest of the Wigg -Well. it might have been company.

Says the little niece in a jealous it.-Town and Country. and very audible voice:

"Auntie, kiss me too." the immediate rejoinder.

of justice must not be expressed foe. It is very remarkable that, so

#### Odd Definitions.

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"A scarcely less amusing answer was

"'Upbraid, to braid up. She upbraided her hair. To lift up. They In this connection it tells of a noted upbraided their hero who was dead

#### Small, but Perfect.

In sour paste, vinegar, the melt of a codfish, or even in water in which decayed vegetables have been infused, the microscope reveals animalcules (little would not equal a common grain of wheat in bulk. And yet nature with Little Johnny, having been invit- singular prodigality has supplied many

#### There Are Exceptions.

"Oh, not at all," he protested earnest-

stopped to take a farewell glance at the town she was leaving."-Syracuse

#### Some Comfort.

diminutive niece for appearance's built this house of mine just got it fin-

worse. He might have had to live in

No fewer than thirty languages are "You should say twice, Ethel, ants are Russians. Armerians, Tartars, dear. "Two is not grammar," was Georgians and divers Mohammedan tribes.

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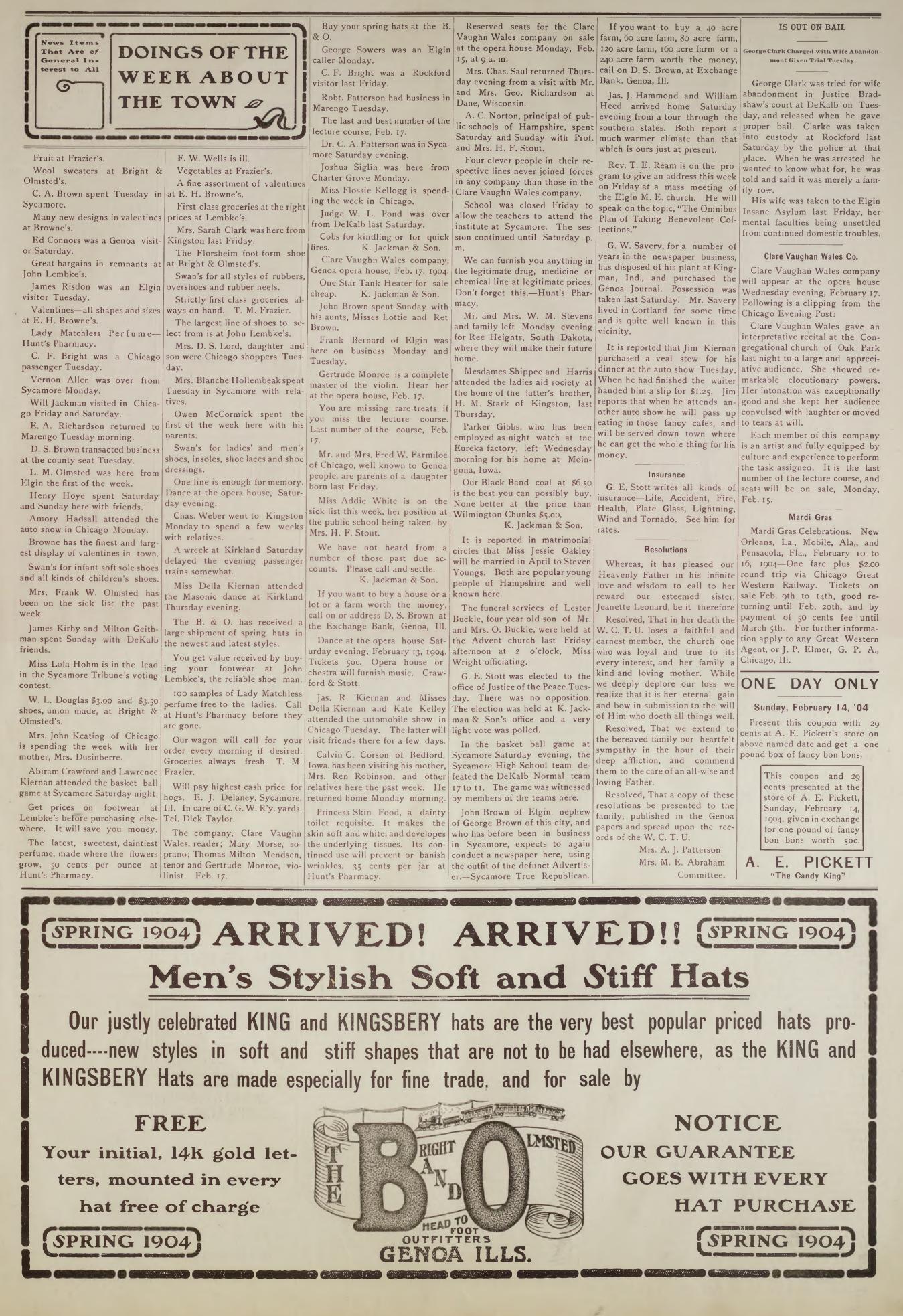
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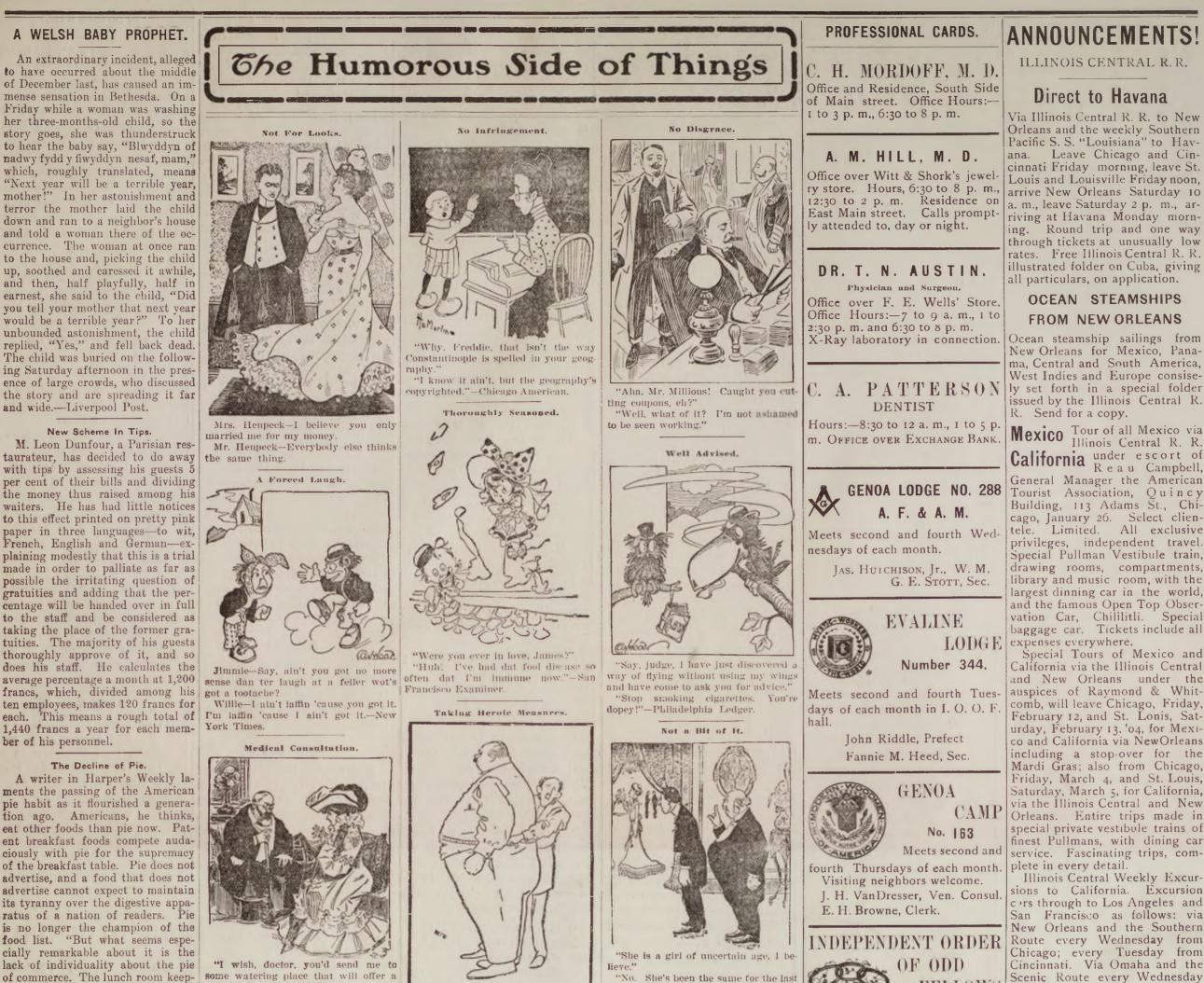
An extraordinary incident, alleged to have occurred about the middle of December last, has caused an immense sensation in Bethesda. On a Friday while a woman was washing her three-months-old child, so the story goes, she was thunderstruck to hear the baby say, "Blwyddyn of nadwy fydd y fiwyddyn nesaf, mam," which, roughly translated, means "Next year will be a terrible year, mother!" In her astonishment and terror the mother laid the child down and ran to a neighbor's house and told a woman there of the occurrence. The woman at once ran to the house and, picking the child up, soothed and caressed it awhile, and then, half playfully, half in earnest, she said to the child, "Did you tell your mother that next year would be a terrible year?" To her unbounded astonishment, the child replied, "Yes," and fell back dead. The child was buried on the following Saturday afternoon in the presence of large crowds, who discussed the story and are spreading it far and wide.-Liverpool Post.

## New Scheme In Tips.

M. Leon Dunfour, a Parisian restaurateur, has decided to do away the same thing. with tips by assessing his guests 5 per cent of their bills and dividing the money thus raised among his waiters. He has had little notices to this effect printed on pretty pink paper in three languages-to wit, French, English and German-explaining modestly that this is a trial made in order to palliate as far as possible the irritating question of gratuities and adding that the percentage will be handed over in full to the staff and be considered as taking the place of the former gratuities. The majority of his guests thoroughly approve of it, and so does his staff. He calculates the average percentage a month at 1,200 francs, which, divided among his got a tootache? ten employees, makes 120 francs for 1,440 francs a year for each mem- York Times. ber of his personnel.

## The Decline of Pie.

A writer in Harper's Weekly laments the passing of the American pie habit as it flourished a generation ago. Americans, he thinks, eat other foods than pie now. Patent breakfast foods compete audaciously with pie for the supremacy of the breakfast table. Pie does not advertise, and a food that does not advertise cannot expect to maintain its tyranny over the digestive apparatus of a nation of readers. Pie is no longer the champion of the food list. "But what seems especially remarkable about it is the lack of individuality about the pie of commerce. The lunch room keep- some watering place that will offer a er recognizes only two kinds of pie suitable background for this costume."



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-good pie and spoiled pie. Consumers must be equally undiscriminating. In the age when pie was king it was not so. Then there were pies and pies."

#### Making Good.

says the St. Louis Republic. Whether it be an appeal to public support, sense of utter desolation. At one half a century. whether it be in the smaller relation time he exclaims: "I can hardly of services rendered to an employer, the American judgment is becoming unusually keen in deciding whether, on the whole, a man "makes good." It is not precisely a question of this the nights! When the cold freezes a question of a spontaneous judg- mountain ranges shut you in and undisturbed. I generally scribble is turned. It will flush then, and ment. There are no ifs or buts con- menace you with all sorts of imagnected with the matter. The man inable evils! I was surrounded by "makes good" or he doesn't "make everything I needed-servants, a good," and that's an end to discus- bodyguard of Cossacks, night watchsion. Anybody can see whether he men and watchdogs-and yet when only because 1 like a neat manu- open, it will be found-if it is found does or not. Excuses don't go.

#### Ancient Bald Heads.

A discovery in the land of the utter loneliness steal over me." pharaohs will interest those whose heads time has ravaged. A French Egyptologist has recently unearthed a papyrus giving a recipe for what must in those times have been a tion when it comes to classifying exroyal remedy against baldness, since traordinary goods shipped from it was concocted for no less a personage than King Chata, the second delphia, who spends much of his sovereign of the first dynasty, about time in biological collecting, had a 4000 B. C. The remedy was employed by the king's mother. It consisted of a salve of dogs' paws, dates and asses' hoofs pounded up and then boiled in oil. With this determine what duty to charge on jury, while in appearance as natsalve the royal head was anointed. As to the result the papyrus is regrettably silent.

#### Shabby, but Noble.

Not long ago John Burns, M. P., was seen by a Battersea elector walking arm in arm with a shabbily dressed man, whom the Battersea ther difficulty .-- Philadelphia Teleresident took to be a tramp. Drawing Burns aside, he said to him: "Look 'ere, John, dee-mocracy's all very fine, but don't you reckernize what's doo to your position as a member of the 'ouse?' Fancy walkin' about harm in harm in broad Indian nation, is a sufferer from

## DREARY TIBET.

conceive a more dreary country to be alone in than northern Tibet. The desert could not be worse. One might get through the days-but you to the marrow and the dark until 2 in the afternoon, alone and cent in frightful fear until his back the snowstorms raged around my script, but because I think everyyurt and the wolves howled in the mountains I often felt a sense of worth doing well. I find, too, that brown tree, against which its feath-

#### Wild Animals.

Custom house officers are often and enlarged." confronted with a serious proposiabroad. Dr. Lester Cox of Philacase of rare snails sent to him from Italy recently. The case was stored ess could be molded into faces caaway for a long time in the custom house because the officers could not amount of rough usage without inthis unusual cargo. Snails are not ural and attractive as the best wax when snow would betray its tracks. posted on the list of import goods, and it seemed unreasonable to let have the faces of distinguished perthem in free of charge. Finally one sonages. Within a few years in conof the officers lit on a bright idea. sequence dollmaking has become an He suggested that the mollusks be Irish industry. passed as wild animals, and the doc-

tor was given the case without furgraph.

## Civilized and Gouty.

The Indians are getting thoroughly civilized. General Pleasant Porter, the last chief of the Creek daylight with a workin'man." that highly civilized disease known "S-sh," whispered Burns. "That's as gout. "If I had stuck to the life it must not be talked about." the Duke of Norfolk." And it was. of my youth." he says, "I should not it must not be talked about."

be a sufferer from any such trouble. I used to live out of doors, sleep on Dr. Sven Hedin in "Central Asia the ground and eat plain food. and Tibet" brings small comfort to Then I was healthy. Oh, but this those who would aspire to wrest the gout hurts! It just compels you to The expression "make good," country from the untutored natives swear. A religious friend told me product of the American habit of who have so long possessed it in I ought to pray for relief. Maybe creating short and telling idioms, is gloomy isolation. He declares that so, but it's easier to swear and seems beginning to comprise the whole he would rather cross the dread des- to be more natural." Chief Porter, story of success in any endeavor, ert of Gobi a dozen times than cross who is over seventy years old, has Tibet once. There is about it a been leader of his nation for over

### Marie Corelli.

Of her habits of work, her biographers record that she is most methodical. Miss Corelli says: "I write every day from 10 in the morning approaching, it will remain quiesoff the first rough draft of a story very rapidly in pencil; then I copy it out in pen and ink, chapter by glimpse of a broad brown wing far thing that is worth doing at all is in the gradual process of copying by hand the original draft, like the black ruff about the neck of the painter's first sketch, gets improved male will be laid against the dark-

### Irish Doll Industry.

Mrs. Florence Eaton, an Irishwoman, happened to discover a substance-not india rubber, but something similar to it-which when treated according to a certain procpable of standing an immense faces. These Irish dolls sometimes

### Not to Be Mentioned.

## FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

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How a Clever Bird Attempts to Protect Itself From Its Enemies.

The grouse has a hundred tricks of defense. It will sometimes lie still until the hunter is within a yard of it, then soar straight upward in his front, towering like a woodcock. Again it will rise forty yards away, and the sound of its wings is his only notice of its presence.

will cower upon a branch under which he passes, and his cap will not be more than a foot below it as he goes, and, though it has seen him

ly around he will eatch only a

its breast against the trunk of some ers are indistinguishable, and the

It

est part of the bark. Often it will double like a fox. Often as man draws near it will spring noiselessly into some spruce and hide until he passes, dropping then to the ground and continuing its feeding. Often, too, it will decline to take wing, -----though unhurt, and will run fast for a half mile-so fast that the most expert woodsman will be unable to

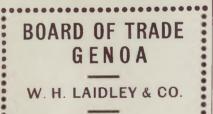
keep pace with it. This it will do only on leafy ground and never \_Onling

### The President Was De-light-ed.

President Roosevelt has the reputation of telling every visitor who is admitted to his presence that he is "de-light-ed" to see him. A New York literary man while waiting for One day the children were having an audience with the president an object lesson on the guinea pig. scornfully expressed his disbelief of The teacher called attention to its this habit. He looked chagrined ward she asked the scholars to write whether President Roosevelt had exa description of the animal, and a pressed himself as "de-light-ed" he little German girl wound up by say- replied in disgust, "Yes; he said it with him."-Argonaut.

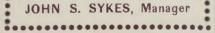
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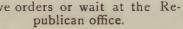
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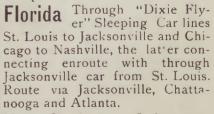
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