

OF GENERAL INTEREST

ITEMS STOLEN FROM COLUMNS OF EXCHANGES

ODD FELLOW ANNUAL PICNIC

Annual Kane County Odd Fellows' Picnic to be Held at Lord's Park, Elgin, June 12

Evie is the only woman on record who never turned around to see what another woman had on. Friday, the fourteenth of June, will be the one hundred thirtieth anniversary of the birth of the flag of the United States.

This is the year for the "thirteen year" locust, and the southern and western states are likely to be overrun with the insect, according to the department of agriculture.

A southern Illinois woman got a judgement for one cent against a man who kissed her, and this leads us to consider what a heap of fun one can have for a dollar and forty-eight cents.

The Chicago Chronicle Wednesday says former Congressman Walter Reeves of La Salle county, will in all probability be in the field as a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor.

The annual Kane County Odd Fellows' picnic will be held at Lord's park, Elgin, June 12. Unusual preparation has been made this year, and the entertainment will make the event one of the most successful ever given by the society.

Kirkland is again to be favored with a band which will seem good after so long a time without one. One evening last week those interested met and organized a band of 21 pieces. C. G. Chellgreen of Kingston will be the leader. The instruments have been ordered and soon the practice will begin.—Advertiser.

A Scotch farmer bought a horse. Going home he thought a drink would refresh it, so he got a pail of water, but the animal would not take it. On reaching home he gave it a feed of corn, but it would not touch that either. "Ye're the vera horse for me if ye only work!" the farmer was heard to say.—Dundee Advertiser.

A corporation is being formed to re-establish a regular line of freight and merchandise boats on the Illinois & Michigan canal. A fast boat is to leave Chicago every night for St. Louis with merchandise and express matter. Slower boats will carry grain, coal, lumber and stone. The stopping of the paying of rebates by railroad companies has led to the move to re-establish the former business along the canal and river.

While plowing several weeks ago, Andrew O. Brewer, 316 North Independence avenue, discovered a nest of quail eggs on the ground he was to plow, and not desiring to destroy them he took them home and set them under a bantam hen. There were eight of the quail eggs and yesterday from seven were hatched little quails. The little birds are very pretty and Mr. Brewer invites anyone who wishes to see the birds to call at his home.—Rockford Star.

With the ending of this school year, on June 13, Miss Augusta Haseltine completes her forty-first continuous year as primary teacher in the St. Charles public schools. For forty-one continuous years she has taught the same grade in the same building. She has, moreover, been retained for next year as one of the most valued instructors in one of the best public schools in the country. Seldom, if ever, has such a record been equaled in any educational institution.

CLOSE YEAR'S STUDY

Fortnightly Club Entertains at Its Last Meeting

A very interesting and instructive year of study by the Fortnightly Club closed last Friday evening, May 31, with a lecture delivered by Miss Hofer of Chicago Commons.

Miss Hofer, a graduate of several institutions who has had great experience along educational lines, recently returned from Europe where she spent a year in study and travel. The lecture entitled "Educational Rambles" described places visited, beauties of southern Italy and surrounding places, peculiarities of people, manner of travel, etc., in a most interesting and entertaining manner.

Mrs. Ada Brown, the president of the club and hostess of the occasion is to be congratulated on the successful work completed in literature and ancient history by the club in the past year.

KILLED BY FLYER

Elgin Man is Struck by Train on C. M. & St. Paul Road

Isaac Franklin, 76 years old, one of the most prominent citizens of Elgin, Ill., was instantly killed there last Thursday, when a horse, over which he had lost control, plunged in front of the "Omaha Flyer" of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad at the National street crossing.

The train was going at a rate of fifty miles an hour. The wagon was demolished, the horse crushed to death, and Franklin was hurled almost 100 feet. Chas. Young, his grandson, who was with him in the wagon, escaped death in a miraculous manner.

"Billy" Nails a Lie

Billy Sunday is now holding revivals at Fairfield, Iowa. The other day he grew angry at some reports which he said had been circulated against him, and he paused in one of his sermons and cut loose as follows:

"I understand that a young woman is going about this town into your homes and business places peddling that low down, infamous, premeditated, malicious, damnable, dirty, blackhearted lie that at a town at which I was holding a meeting I noticed two young ladies in the audience who were wearing red hats and that I shouted that if there was a cowboy in the audience I would like to have him lasso those two red heifers. If I ever said such a thing I deserve to be tarred and feathered. I will willingly give \$1000 to any man or woman who can prove that I ever did any such a thing as that. It is a damnable lie—a lie, a lie. If that's not plain come to me. I don't often pay any attention to stories about me, but when any one tries to blacken my character I'll fight with every drop of blood in my body and won't allow any hatchet-faced old hussy to ruin my reputation. I don't want to carry any malice, but will stand up for my good name. If you see her to-morrow, give her my love."

They Want a Monument

The old soldiers and their friends have been somewhat ashamed for several years past of the old wood shaft which answers for a monument to the unknown dead at the Genoa cemetery. A movement is now on foot to procure a substantial, not too elaborate, marble or granite monument to which we may point with pride on Decoration day. A paper is being circulated and the solicitors are meeting with some success, altho the sum subscribed is still far short of the desired sum.

WOODMEN TURN OUT

Nearly One Hundred in Line on Memorial Sunday

Nearly one hundred members of Genoa Camp No. 163, M. W. A. attended the annual memorial services at the M. E. church last Sunday. The Woodmen left their hall at 10:15 and marched to the church where they nearly filled the center section in the auditorium. Rev. Ream, who is also a Woodman, preached from the text "The Lord be between Thee and Me," dwelling particularly on the blessings of friendship as taught and should be practiced by fraternal societies. The choir, led by Miss Alice Davis, rendered a beautiful selection. Miss Davis also favored the audience with a vocal solo in her usual pleasing manner.

After services the Woodmen marched to the cemetery where the graves of sixteen departed members of the order and of the Rebekahs were decorated with flowers.

MARE HAS HYDROPHOBIA

Animal Owned by Chas. Snow is Shot to End Suffering

The family mare, Daisy, which Charles Snow has owned for several years, developed symptoms of hydrophobia Wednesday morning and as a precaution and to prevent further suffering the animal was shot.

The condition of the animal was discovered early in the morning by Mr. Snow. It was down in the box stall and unable to arise. It would snap at and bite anything within its reach. Under the conditions it would have been foolhardy to enter the stall and treat the beast, even had there been any chance of its recovery. There being no change for the better at noon it was shot.

It was a valuable mare, especially for family use.

LAYING STEEL

Illinois Central Side Track Will Soon be Completed

The steel for the Illinois Central side track, leading to the piano factory site, arrived this week and at this time has nearly all been laid and spiked to the ties. There is yet some filling to do and it will require some time to ballast the track, but it should be in condition to receive cars inside of a week unless the work is again held up.

A Queer Baccalaureate

Dr. Richard D. Harlan, formerly president of Lake Forest University, preached a sensational sermon to the graduating class of George Washington University. It was really a discussion of the question of truth and interpretation. He said the Bible was not infallible, except as it revealed Christ to the world. That it must take second place when it is brought face to face with some questions of geology, history and ethics. He designated as brigandage the "take-this-or-take-nothing" method of teaching Christianity.

Children's Day

Next Sunday evening at the M. E. church the Sunday school will give a very beautiful and interesting Children's Day program. The church will be beautifully decorated for the annual service and the children and young people of the Sunday school will give the entire program. Committees have been appointed to carry out the plans and it is hoped to make this service the best ever held here. The public is cordially invited.

DRINK RESPONSIBLE

YOUTH SHOOTS A YOUNG MOTHER AT FREEPORT

WAS CRAZY DRUNK AT TIME

Babe Sleeps in Crib While Stranger Shoots Mother to Death—No Provocation

Crazed by drink and on the verge of delirium tremens Herbert Spring of Rockford murdered Mrs. Edna Rumelhagen of Freeport on Saturday afternoon, shooting her down on the main business street as she was wheeling her baby along the sidewalk. The crime was committed in view of hundreds of people.

Mrs. Rumelhagen and Spring were not acquainted. Spring said later while in jail that he thought the woman was a Mrs. Fisher of Rockford who had thrown him over and would have nothing further to do with him. Spring is said to be about nineteen years of age.

The crime in some respects is the worst that was ever committed in this section. Mrs. Rumelhagen was a girl wife, nineteen years of age and a bride of a year and a half. She had taken her baby out to give it an airing and was shot to death by a youth who probably had never seen her before and who had nothing whatever against her.

Mrs. Rumelhagen's first warning of danger was when Spring rushed up the sidewalk and discharged his revolver at her. The bullet struck her but was deflected by her corset steels. She started to run and he fired twice more, the third bullet entering her back and passing entirely through her lungs, touching her heart as it passed. She fell forward into the arms of a grocer named Eaton who had run toward her. The fellow tried to fire a fourth time, but the weapon misfired and at the same instant Samuel Markle leaped upon him and bore him to the ground, holding him until the arrival of the police.

It was found that spring was drunk and in a condition approaching delirium tremens.

Buy Mules by Pound

Increased difficulty is experienced in obtaining horses and mules for the army. Bids which have just been opened show that prices generally have increased. For the cavalry 725 horses are to be bought at an average of \$175 each. The artillery corps is to take nearly 350, for which \$211 is the average price. Army mules heavy enough to do draft work bring \$188 each, and nearly 300 of these have been ordered. Lead mules somewhat lighter in weight bring \$168, and pack mules, still lighter, \$131. Officials in the quartermaster's department say that army mules are bought practically by the pound.

An experiment is being made at Fort Riley, Kansas, in buying yearly a small number of pedigreed colts and putting them through a course of training for the cavalry service. This experiment has proved advantageous and thirty-six of these blooded horses have just been purchased.

Ball Game Saturday

The Genoa White Sox will meet the toughest proposition of the season next Saturday unless the Drexels of Rockford have taken a fall from pinnacle of fame reached by them of late years. During the past three years the Drexels have won the amateur championship of Rockford. Don't miss this game. The fun will begin at 2:30.

AUTO LAW STRINGENT

All Machines Must be Numbered and Speed Limit is Fixed

According to dispatches from Springfield Governor Deneen permitted the automobile bill to become a law without his signature. The new law provides for a state license for all automobiles after July 1st.

Each auto must be provided with an Illinois number which must be exhibited in front and rear of machine and so arranged as to show on lights at night.

A number issued by the Secretary of State will be good all over Illinois. A speed limit of six miles an hour at corners and in congested business districts and ten miles an hour in residence districts is fixed. The limit on country roads is 20 miles an hour. When teams are met an autoist must stop if he is given a signal so to do, while on the other hand a team must let an autoist coming up behind pass on the road by giving part of the road on signal. This is copied after the Wisconsin law which has given general satisfaction.

PUTS PEPPER ON FIGS

How One Grocer Cured a Bad Case of Sampling

Here is a good story related by the Aurora Beacon:

A grocer tells how he got the best of "samplers" Friday. He had been bothered much of late by people who entered the store and took a sample of the dainties which were handy. Mr. Grocer loaded some figs with cayenne pepper and purposely placed them in a very conspicuous place and later one of the persons who had been in the habit of doing the sample work, took some of the figs. The effect was all that could be wished for and one thing is sure, that the person who was bested in the deal will be more careful in the future. The bait worked well and a dozen person got a hot mouthful during the afternoon.

This sampling is a great loss to the grocer, as the habit has grown so common that nine out of ten persons who enter the store help themselves to some choice dainty which is within their reach. The grocer states that it would not be so bad if only one person a day sampled the goods, but when taken into consideration that a score of them were on the list, that in many cases the profits on these goods were eaten up. This is not the only loss to the grocery man as he loses a great deal by trusting people who are not able to pay for their purchases.

A Chicago Daily Fails

The Chicago Chronicle has suspended publication and it is doubtful if it is ever revived. In many respects it is to be regretted, for it was a high-toned, clean newspaper. Typographically it was the neatest and editorially it was the strongest of the Chicago dailies, but it has been a losing venture from its first issue, thirteen years ago.

One need not look far to find the cause of its non-support.

Started as a Democratic sheet by John R. Walsh, the banker, it had no sympathy with Bryanism and so fell into disfavor with the party, lost patronage and prestige, which it has never been able to regain. Of late it has been conducted as a Republican journal, but the field was so thoroughly occupied that it was impossible to gain a foothold.

Unsuccessful papers are expensive luxuries these days, and it is asserted that the average weekly loss was about two thousand dollars.

GAME LAWS NEW TO PEOPLE

Rabbits Are Now Recognized as Game and Closed Season Made

The bill drafted by Dr. J. A. Wheeler, state game commissioner, revising the game laws of the state, was approved by Governor Deneen. Prominent among the changes is the recognition of rabbits as game and establishing a close season upon them from February 29 to August 1.

The open season for the killing of quail hereafter will be from November 10 to December 10. The open season on doves is extended from August 1 to November 30 and the squirrel season is from July 15 to November 15.

The killing of prairie chickens and Mexican, California or German quail is prohibited for four years and of wild turkeys and pheasants for six years.

The daily limit permissible to be killed during the open season is fixed at twenty ducks or other water fowl, fifteen quail or other small birds, fifteen squirrels and thirty-five rabbits.

I. O. F. MEMORIAL

Lodge Will Attend Services at M. E. Church Next Sunday

The annual memorial services of Genoa Lodge No. 768, I. O. O. F. will be held at the M. E. church next Sunday morning. Rev. T. E. Ream will conduct the services and preach a special sermon for the occasion.

All Odd Fellows in Genoa, whether members of the Genoa lodge or not, are requested to meet at the hall at 10:00 a. m. and be supplied with a bouquet of flowers.

The members and officers will appear in regalia, the procession to be led with muffled drum.

BEAUTY CONTEST

Closes on Thursday Evening, June 13—Get Busy

During the past week many baby photos have been taken at the Buss studio for entering the beauty contest. Don't forget, no sittings for this contest after June 13. After that date the ballot box will be prepared. Bring the little ones and have their pictures taken.

Remember also that we are giving one dozen postals with every order for one dozen cabinets. This offer is open to all.

Wants the Convention

Chicago is moving to secure the Republican National convention next year. It seems that it is assured, provided the parties immediately interested will put up \$100,000 to meet necessary expenses, which they will undertake to do. If the convention comes west, Chicago is the proper city in which to hold it. All in attendance can be housed properly with comfort.

A. L. Hale of Marengo has for some time had in operation a machine for cleaning horses, which eclipses the old fashion curry comb or brushes. He has sold many of them for use in large stables in various cities. He has also constructed one not so large, which will meet the demands of small stables or private barns. Those who have seen it in operation predict that it will come into general use and that Mr. Hale will eventually reap a harvest of shekles for his invention.

For delivery during month of June our price for hard coal will be \$8.25. This price will not hold good after July 1. Jackman & Son. 38-51

BOY LOSES A FOOT

CRUSHED UNDER CAR WHEEL SUNDAY AFTERNOON

RESULT OF BOYISH DARING

Archie, Son of L. E. Gleason, the Victim—Foot Amputated by Dr. E. A. Robinson

Archie, the nine year old son of L. E. Gleason, the painter, lost his left foot Sunday as the result of a crushing the member received under a car wheel on the C. M. & St. Paul tracks at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Just how the accident occurred will never be known as there were no witnesses and the boy's story is rather vague. His story is that while the freight train was passing he, in the spirit of daring, stood as close to the train as possible. He was in a crouching position with his body leaning away from the train while his left foot was just as close to the rail as he dared place it and it was braced against a stone. While in this position the stone gave way and the foot having no support flew to the rail. The wheel did not pass over the member, but it was caught in such a manner that nearly all the flesh was pinched from the bones. The boy was removed to his home at once and Dr. Robinson called. He found it would be absolutely impossible to save the foot, there being no meat or tendons left to build on, amputation being the only resort. The foot was removed just above the ankle.

The boy is getting on nicely at this time.

ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

Values Declared Firm at 23 Cents on Board of Trade

Butter was declared firm at 23 cents on the Elgin board of trade this afternoon. There were no offerings nor sales. The New York market is steady at 24 cents. The week's output was 781,700 pounds.

Sox Defeated at St. Charles

The White Sox went to St. Charles last Saturday and met defeat, the score being 11 to 7. They had the game nearly won at one time when a streak of hard luck put them to the bad.

To San Francisco or Los Angeles and Return Via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. Via Omaha or Kansas City. \$60.80 via St. Paul and Minneapolis. Tickets on sale June 22 to July 5. Return limit September 15. Choice of routes; liberal stopovers. Further information from agent. 39-3t

Low Rates to Pacific Northwest Via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. \$49.65 to Spokane and return. \$57.15 to Seattle, Tacoma, Victoria, Vancouver and other North Pacific Coast points and return, June 20 to July 12. Return limit September 15. Choice of routes; liberal stopovers. Further information from agent. 39-3t

Base Ball Saturday June 8

Genoa White Sox vs. Rockford Drexels

Game called 2:30

BEGIN ST. PAUL CATHEDRAL

CORNER STONE FOR MAGNIFICENT BUILDING LAID.

Prominent Clerics of the West Present at the Ceremony—President Sends Congratulations.

The Diplomatist. It used to be said that a diplomatist was a man who was sent abroad to lie for his country. To-day it would be much nearer the truth to say that a diplomatist is a man who is sent abroad to tell the truth for his country.

Science Vs. Charlatanism. Nothing in years has made the chemists rage together so furiously as the exploited "discovery" of a compound which will make ashes burn better than coal.

Naming the Spanish baby the prince of the Asturias is just a temporary arrangement until the geographers and the philologists can get together and, with the aid of relays of stenographers, fix up a permanent name for the helpless infant.

One of the modern improvements in mail service which the United States government has been foremost in adopting is the establishment of "sea post offices."

The German press is strongly opposed to the Kaiser's fifth son making a tour of America, saying that "only evil can come to him in that land of dollars and machines."

A man out in Montana predicts that the world will end in ten days, and is selling off his property in anticipation of the coming finale.

St. Paul, Minn., June 3.—The corner stone of the fourth cathedral of St. Paul, which, when completed four years hence, will probably surpass any other American church in architectural distinction and beauty, was laid Sunday afternoon.

The cathedral will be completed in about four years. It will cost upwards of \$3,000,000, of which \$700,000 has already been subscribed.

White House, Washington, June 1.—Archbishop Ireland, St. Paul: In this fortunate country of ours liberty and religion are natural allies and so forward hand in hand.

Important Decision Made by Minnesota Supreme Court.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 1.—The supreme court has decided that the Northwestern Elevator company of Minneapolis need not pay the personal property assessment on 29,000 bushels of grain stored in its elevators at the Minnesota transfer.

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Denver, Col., June 4.—In an unanimous opinion the supreme court justices Monday affirmed the decision of the district court in the case of Leonard Imboden and James A. Hill, who were convicted on December 19, 1905, of irregularities in banking which caused the failure of the Denver Savings bank, and were sentenced to the state penitentiary for nine years each.

El Paso, Tex., June 4.—Acting Gov. Sanchez, of Chihuahua, Monday telegraphed President Diaz offering troops from Chihuahua to protect the national honor against Guatemala.

Washington, June 4.—The census bureau Monday issued a preliminary report showing that Wisconsin during the calendar year 1906 produced 2,311,305,000 feet of lumber, 457,880,000 laths and 302,876,000 shingles.

Elyria, O., June 1.—Seven persons died of injuries received in the wreck of a Cleveland & Southwestern trolley car Thursday, when the car was struck by another car.

THAT POPULAR TWO-CENT TRAIN.



Uncle Sam—Well, There's a Good-Sized Excursion Getting Aboard.

MONUMENT TO JEFF DAVIS IS UNVEILED

Richmond, Va., June 4.—A memorial to Jefferson Davis, only president of the Confederacy, was unveiled Monday as the crowning feature of the annual reunion of the confederate veterans.

Great Military Parade Precedes the Ceremonies—Daughter of Leader of "The Lost Cause" Pulls Cord Releasing Covering.

The streets were brilliantly decorated. There was scarcely a house or business building in the city that was not profusely draped with confederate colors and bunting.

Thousands Cheer the Parade.

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WANT MORE LIBERAL LAWS

OBJECT OF CALL FOR PUBLIC LANDS CONVENTION.

Gov. Buchtel of Colorado Says There Will Be No Politics in Gathering at Denver.

Denver, Col., June 3.—Gov. Buchtel, who issued the call, in accordance with resolutions adopted by the general assembly of Colorado for public lands convention to be held in Denver June 18, 19 and 20, has declared that there shall be no politics injected into the gathering if he can prevent it.

The American National Stock Growers' association, whose last convention endorsed the grazing and forestry policies of the administration, will be a factor in the coming convention.

Federal Grand Jury to Hear Case Against Rev. J. R. Kaye.

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PRESIDENT IS GIVEN OVATION AT LANSING

MAKES THREE ADDRESSES FRIDAY AFTERNOON IN THE MICHIGAN CAPITAL.

Occasion is Semicentennial of Founding of State Agricultural College—Speaks of Importance of Country's Rural Interests.

Lansing, Mich., June 1.—President Roosevelt, whose address Friday afternoon on the campus of the Michigan Agricultural college was the climax of the semicentennial celebration of the founding of that famous institution, arrived in Lansing at ten o'clock in the morning over the Lake Shore railroad in his special car.

Twelve companies of the Michigan national guard had been brought into the city to escort and guard the president, together with a troop of cavalry from South Haven, Mich., and two divisions of the Michigan naval reserve.

The president was given an ovation as he concluded his balcony speech and went into representative hall to address the members of the legislature. He spoke there about ten minutes. He said that the railroad problem in this country must be dealt with unflinchingly, but with sanity and with reason.

After the second address the president and his party entered automobiles and were driven to the residence of President J. L. Snyder, of the agricultural college, where luncheon was served.

That there is no relaxation in President Roosevelt's vigorous views regarding the importance of the country's rural interests was evidenced by his speech.

The crop of children is the best crop of the nation," said the president. He also paid tribute to the work of the farmer's wife, who, he declared, should neither be an idle nor a drudge.

Hereafter, according to the president, one of the most important tasks before the department of agriculture will be to improve the social life of the farmer and of his family.

"Workers should get over the idea that to earn \$12 a week and call it 'salary' is better than to earn \$25 a week and call it 'wages.'"

"I have not the slightest sympathy with those hysterical and foolish creatures who wish women to attain easy lives by shirking their duties."

TO INSPECT WESTERN POSTS. Maj. Gen. Bell Will Make an Extended Tour.

Washington, June 4.—Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell, chief of staff of the army, has arranged to make a thorough personal inspection of the principal army posts in the west, with a view to increasing the efficiency of the service. He will leave here Tuesday afternoon and expects to be engaged in his mission for about two months.

Gen. Thomas H. Ruger Dead. Stamford, Conn., June 4.—Gen. Thomas H. Ruger, U. S. A. (retired), died at his home here Monday.

Professional Cards

C. H. MORDOFF M. D. Office and residence, south side of Main street. Office hours: 1 to 3 p. m., 6:30 to 8 p. m.

A. M. HILL, M. D. Office over Witt and Shock's jewelry store. Hours: 6:30 to 8 p. m., 12:30 to 2 p. m. Residence on East Main street. Calls promptly attended to day or night.

DR. T. N. AUSTIN Physician and Surgeon. Office over J. Lembke's store. Office hours: 7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 2:30 p. m., 6:30 to 8 p. m. X-ray laboratory in connection.

DR. E. A. ROBINSON Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence, corner Main and First Sts. Hours: 10:55 to 12:00 a. m. and 1:00 to 3:00 p. m. Calls promptly attended.

C. A. PATTERSON DENTIST. Office over Exchange Bank. Office hours: 8:30 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m.

G. W. MARKLEY, M. D. KINGSTON, ILL. OFFICE HOURS: 12 to 3 p. m., 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. Calls promptly attended to night and day.

Genoa Lodge No. 288 A. F. & A. M.

Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Geo. J. Patterson, W. M. W. M. Adams, Sec.

EVALINE LODGE NUMBER 344

Meets second Tuesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. hall. Martin Malana, Perfect. Fannie M. Heed, Sec.

Genoa Lodge No. 163 M. W. A.

Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Visiting neighbors welcome. J. H. VanDresser, Ven. Consul E. H. Browne, Clerk.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS

Meets every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. hall. JAS. SPENCE, N. G. J. W. SOWERS, Sec.

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RAILWAY TIME CARD

Table with columns for Leave Genoa and Arrive Chicago, listing times for various routes and days.

NEW LIVERY

Having taken possession of the old Kellogg & Adams stand, I have put in a complete new livery outfit, consisting of new harness, good buggies of all kinds and reliable, trusty horses which will be let at reasonable rates, with or without drivers. Try one of our turnouts. We can please you.

10 CENT FEED BARN

Your horse is your best friend. When you drive to Genoa put the horse up at our barn where it will be out of the cold and cared for. It only costs ten cents to drive in and hitch.

THE SYCAMORE BUS LINE

Bus leaves Genoa every week day at nine o'clock, returning leave Sycamore at 4 p. m. Leave orders at the stable.

L. ROBINSON PHONE 23

DELINQUENT TAXES

Office of the County Treasurer and Ex-Officio County Collector of De Kalb County, State of Illinois.

The following is a list of Delinquent Lands and Lots in the County of De Kalb, State of Illinois, upon which remains due and unpaid taxes levied and assessed for the year 1906, with the warrants issued thereon for the year 1906, which remains due and unpaid, and for the amount due and unpaid on each tract or lot.

And the taxes for the year 1906 due and unpaid here interest after the 1st day of May, 1907, at the rate of one per cent per month until paid, or for each part or fraction of a month being reckoned as a month. Explanatory: In this list in all cases where no other mention is made the figures in the column headed "Amt." (meaning dollars and cents) represent the taxes due and unpaid for the year 1906.

The following described tracts and lots in Township 38 North, Range 3, East of the 3d P. M.:

Table listing delinquent taxes for Township 38 North, Range 3, East of the 3d P. M. with columns for owner name, address, and amount.

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Sandwich.

Subdivision of Lands. Sec. Accs. Amt.

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TWELVE MEN SWORN TO TRY HAYWOOD

JURY COMPLETED AND STATE READY TO OPEN THE CASE AT BOISE.

Summary of the Charge—Harry Orchard, Who Confessed, to Be an Important Witness—Prosecution Pleaded with the Jurors.

Boise, Idaho, June 4.—After weeks of tiresome questioning, the jury in the trial of William D. Haywood, the secretary and treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners, charged with the murder of former Gov. Steunenberg, was completed at 12:30 Monday with the acceptance of O. V. Sebern, a farmer.

The Haywood jury, complete, is as follows: Thomas B. Gess, real estate; Finley McBean, rancher; Samuel D. Gilman, farmer; Daniel Clark, farmer; George Powell, rancher; O. V. Sebern, farmer; H. F. Messacer, farmer; Leo Scribner, farmer; J. A. Robertson, farmer; Levi Smith, carpenter; A. P. Burns, retired rancher, and Samuel F. Russell, farmer.

Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock James H. Hawley for the state will address the court with the state's opening statement. He has prepared no manuscript, and said that he would be very brief.

What the State Will Charge. Broadly speaking, the state will charge that Haywood, conspiring with Moyer, Pettibone and Simpkins and others of the alleged "inner circle" of the Western Federation of Miners, plotted a campaign of terrorism that had for its purpose the removal by assassination of those opposed to the organization, and the retention and increase of control and power within the organization. It will allege that the explosion at the Victor mine, the blowing up of the Independence depot, the murder of Light Gregory, a detective of Denver, the murder of Arthur Collins, of Telluride, the alleged blowing up of Fred Bradley, of San Francisco, and the alleged attempts on the lives of former Gov. Peabody and Judges Gabbert and Goddard, of Colorado, were all acts in a single great conspiracy to which the murder of Gov. Steunenberg was incidental. It will be charged that Haywood was the genius of and the strength behind the great plot, and that Steunenberg was added to the list because of his part during the labor troubles in north Idaho.

It will be alleged that Haywood and his associates, standing and working in the background, planned the long list of crimes and sent Harry Orchard and Steve Adams as hired executioners.

Orchard to Testify. The state's testimony will begin with a rehearsal of the Caldwell tragedy in which Frank Steunenberg was blown to death by a bomb on the night of December 30, 1905, and then the presence at Caldwell of Harry Orchard and John L. Simpkins, a member of the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners, will be shown. After that Harry Orchard, who actually murdered Steunenberg, will be connected with the scene and crime, and then Orchard will be called to the stand to retell the confession which it is alleged he made to Detective McParland. After that will come the state's effort to clinch by other testimony general part of the Western Federation of Miners and the particular part of William D. Haywood alleged in connection with the murder of Frank Steunenberg.

Attorneys for the prosecution express satisfaction with the jury, but counsel for Haywood, while believing the jurors honest of purpose, call attention to the fact that none of them has any natural kinship to labor organizations.

KILLED IN AUTO SMASH. Harry Hamlin, Rich Buffalo Man, Meets Instant Death.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 4.—Harry Hamlin, one of the best known and wealthiest citizens of Buffalo, was killed in an automobile accident on the Williamsville road a mile north of the city line late Monday afternoon. Mr. Hamlin's automobile collided with a light wagon driven by Jacob Schaller, a retired butcher of Buffalo. Hamlin was hurled to the roadside and instantly killed.

Schaller was badly hurt, but will recover. John Hecker, a 12-year-old boy, who was in Schaller's rig, was fatally injured. Both his legs were broken and his skull fractured.

Mr. Hamlin was 50 years old and lived at 1014 Delaware avenue. He was a son of the late Cleo J. Hamlin, famous as a breeder of trotting horses. He is survived by a widow and one son, Chauncey J. Hamlin.

Shoots Two, Kills Himself. Pitsburg, Pa., June 4.—Because they could not tell him the address of a young woman, Patrick Reardon, aged 23 years, shot Thomas Morton and M. M. Moorhead and then committed suicide, Monday afternoon. Moorhead and Morton are at a hospital in a critical condition.

Secretaries to Visit Oklahoma. Guthrie, Okla., June 3.—Secretary of War Taft and Secretary of the Interior Garfield have promised to visit Oklahoma in August and make public speeches.

Given under my hand and seal, this 6th day of June, A. D. 1907. C. D. SCHOONMAKER, (Seal).

The Republican-Journal

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JOHN BRICK and Minnie Batt were married recently in New York. No, that does not signify that the outcome will be a brick-bat.

THE \$1,000 gold certificate is as artistic as a steel engraving. It is doubtful, however, if many of our readers have ever noticed this.

THE deplorable accident which happened last Sunday, whereby a boy lost his foot, should be a further caution to parents regarding their children. We realize that it is not easy to keep our eyes on the boys of that age at all times. They are bound to break away occasionally when mother is not looking, and, of course nothing suits them better than doing something that is just a little dangerous. There are two things, however, that should be instilled into the minds of the boys at every opportunity. Teach them to keep away from the railway tracks absolutely, and not to get in front of the business end of a gun, even if there is nothing left but the stock.

THE arrest in Rockford Sunday of a boy 18 years old, suffering from an attack of delirium tremens, carries its own commentary, says the Star. This lad's fall is due not more to his appetite for liquor than to the persons who sold him intoxicants. They can have the satisfaction of knowing they have crushed a young man, that they have ruined one who might have become a useful citizen. Think of a boy just stepping into manhood and then realize that he is an habitual drunkard. What a curse to visit upon a mere youth? Someone is to blame for this and it behooves the authorities to trace the parties who sold liquor to a boy and made him a common drunkard, wrecked his life and probably drove him to an early grave. The wretches who darkened this boy's life should be run down and an example made of them.

Unknown Friends

There are many people who have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with splendid results, but who are unknown because they have hesitated about giving a testimonial of their experience for publication. These people, however, are none the less friends of this remedy. They have done much toward making it a household word by their personal recommendations to friends and neighbors. It is a good medicine to have in the home and is widely known for its cures of diarrhoea and all forms of bowel trouble. For sale by G. H. Hunt.

A Week's Carnival at Elgin.

Imagine a realm of white, that literally extends to every corner of our store and away, of white goods more stupendous in size than has ever occurred before in our experience.

Such is the magnitude of this great sale of white that we call the White Carnival.

We have fairly outdone ourselves in providing this merchandising event, which will live long in your memories, such splendid showings, such remarkable values and such ridiculously low prices.

In the White Carnival you will find a surfeit of plenty so much to see and such a wide range of choice, that if you have ideas of prudence and thrift, you cannot fail to buy. The White Carnival opens at our store in Elgin on Saturday June 8th, and continues until Saturday June 15th.

THEO. F. SWAN,
 Elgin, Ill.

BURLINGTON

Miss Marie Wright is the Republican Journal's representative in Burlington. She is authorized to receive money for subscriptions and job work and issue receipts therefor. Any item of news will be gladly accepted by her.

Frank Smith called on his mother Monday.

F. E. Lamboley was shaking hands with old friends Saturday and Sunday.

J. Conners and Will Drymiller were Elgin business callers Tuesday.

Mrs. Ada E. Smith and daughter, Pearl, and Marie Wright were Sycamore callers Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Roach were Elgin callers the first of the week.

No charge for cashing checks on Marengo, Sycamore or Belvidere at Farmers' State Bank, Genoa. Also interest on deposits. No charge for issuing drafts.

C. C. Godfrey was at Geneva Monday.

W. C. Lovell has again resumed his duties in our village as a teacher of music.

R. Blair of Aurora was a business caller in our burg Saturday.

T. A. Casey of Genoa was a business caller last Friday.

Mrs. Paul Feustal spent Monday in Chicago.

Miss Agnes Powers of Charter Grove spent Monday and Tuesday with her sister, Miss Mamie Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cripps of Hampshire spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cripps.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hutchison Jr. spent Sunday evening with O. L. Koch and family at Hampshire.

Miss Marie Wright visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mattoon at Hampshire Sunday evening.

Mrs. Jas. Hutchison, Jr. was a Genoa caller Wednesday.

J. G. Kirk of Genoa attended the memorial services here Sunday afternoon.

Memorial services were held at the M. E. church Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the *Eminent Ladies*. At two o'clock the garrison G. A. R. and W. R. C. of Hampshire and the Ladies' Aid society headed by the Marshal band of St Charles marched from the hall to the church, where an address was given by Rev. Ward, after which they proceeded to the cemetery where the G. A. R. and the W. R. C. took charge of the ceremonies. They then marched back to the hall where they disbanded. The church was beautifully decorated in the national colors. Singing was furnished by a quartet consisting of Misses Marie Wright, Edith Bishel and Messrs. F. E. and Ernest Sandle.

The Lady Macabees met at the home of Mrs. Gertie Bishel Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lydia Smith visited at the home of Ada Smith last week.

Mrs. E. R. Allen is on the sick list.

A bus load of young people from here attended the dance at Plato Center last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Blank and Miss Anna Blank attended memorial celebration at Sycamore.

Chas. Maderer of Genoa was here Monday taking pictures of the interior and exterior of the Ira J. Mix creamery.

Mrs. Ada E. Smith and daughter, Miss Pearl entertained at dinner Tuesday the following ladies, Misses Alice Mann, Mamie Powers, Francis McNulta, Marie Wright and Minnie Shefner.

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 Something new and different, a sale of white, without a parallel, a pleasant merry week of buying and selling the world's choicest and prettiest things of white undermuslins, lincens, white goods, bedding, laces, embroiders, in fact everything in our great and varied stocks, is offered at special quotations during the Great White Carnival.

You can spend hours every day in our store admiring and inspecting the white beauty that the Carnival provides; you can save dollars, dimes, and pennies, at the prices we offer; if you are prudent and thrifty, you'll be more than repaid for your trouble, if you visit this store at this time. The White Carnival, opens Saturday June 8th, and continues until Saturday June 15th. Come early and stay late. **THEO. F. SWAN,** Elgin, Ill.

You can't tell a woman's age after she takes Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Her complexion is fine. She is round, plump, and handsome; in fact she is young again. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Slater & Douglass and Hunt's Pharmacy.

Jefferson Stopped It.
 The custom of presidents of the United States reading their messages to congress prevailed up to the first term of Thomas Jefferson, who discontinued it. Various explanations for Jefferson's departure from the custom of Washington and John Adams have been advanced, the most popular being that Jefferson felt that the king of England went in person to parliament and read his address from the throne. Another explanation was that Jefferson's voice was notably weak. Jefferson himself said in making the change, "I have had principal regard to the convenience of the legislature, to the economy of time, to their relief from the embarrassment of immediate answers on subjects not yet fully before them and to the benefits thence resulting to the public affairs."

There is no case of indigestion, no matter how obstinate, that will not be speedily relieved by the use of Kodol. Kodol contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Conforms to the Pure Food and Drugs Law. Sold by Hunt's Pharmacy.

Cayenne Pepper For Mice.
 Cayenne pepper sprinkled freely in cupboards and shelves which mice are known to frequent will aid considerably in preventing them from spoiling garments, shoe leather, papers, etc. Lumps of camphor placed among clothes are also most useful as a means of scaring away mice, while books, especially when these are put away in shelves or boxes, should always be protected from possible depredations by interspersing the layers of books with small camphor bags.

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 \$3,600.00 will buy fine residence with 4 acres of land.
 All the above property is well located. **D. S. BROWN** at Exchange Bank, Genoa, Ill.

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D. S. BROWN at Exchange Bank Genoa, Ill.

The medicine that sets the whole world thinking, The remedy on which all doctors agree, The prescription all your friends are taking is **Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, Slater & Douglass and Hunt's Pharmacy.**

Satisfaction Guaranteed.
 A Baltimore man had until recently a darky in his employ, about as shiftless and worthless a darky, says he, as ever he came across. One day the employer, his patience exhausted, called Sam into his office and told him to look for another job.

"Will you give me a letter of recommendation?" asked Sam piteously.
 Although he felt that he could not conscientiously comply with this request, the Baltimore man's heart was touched by the appeal. So he sat down to his desk to write a non-committal letter of character for the negro. His effort resulted as follows: "This man, Sam Hawkins, has worked for me one week, and I am satisfied."—Harper's Weekly.

Almost Envious.
 In 1885 there was a great celebration in London in honor of Dr. Samuel Johnson, and among those in attendance was the Australian cricketer, Bonner, then at the height of his fame. As one of the guests, says the compiler of the "Letters" of the late Dr. George Birkbeck Hill, Bonner's health was proposed. His response was noteworthy.

"After seeing the way in which Dr. Johnson's memory is revered," he said, with great simplicity, "I am not sure that I would not rather have been such a man than have gained my own greatest triumph in cricket."

A Brilliant Pair.
 The Count St. Germain, who appeared in Paris in the reign of Louis XV, and pretended to be possessed of the elixir of life, had a valet who was almost as great as his master in the art of lying. Once when the count was describing at a dinner party a circumstance which occurred at the court of "his friend King Richard I of England" he appealed to his servant for the confirmation of his story, who with the greatest composure replied, "You forget, sir, I have only been 500 years in your service." "True," said his master musingly. "It was a little before your time."

No Cause For Alarm.
 The honeymoon had bumped the bumps.

"You know, John," said the young wife, "that I used to be your typewriter."

"Um—yes," granted John.
 "Well," she continued, "I wish you would discharge the girl you have now and hire a man in her place."

"Huh!" rejoined hubby. "I hope you don't think I would make a fool of myself twice in the same way."—Chicago News.

AN INNOCENT HOAX.

Canon MacColl's Letters, For Which Gladstone Got Credit.
 The late Canon MacColl was a tiny man with a tiny voice, yet he was regarded as a giant among controversialists, and his voice reached to Europe. His voice proceeded from behind a mask, which men thought concealed the features of a greater man. His letters to the Times denouncing Germany in general and Bismarck in particular over the Franco-Prussian war were signed Scrutator. They were read with the closest attention, for everybody outside Printing House square seems to have believed that they were the letters of Gladstone. In this belief European statesmen poured missives upon the author of the letters, letting light into the strangest official secrets and treating him with the profoundest deference. The letters were sent to the office of the Times, and great was the enjoyment of the canon as he read them.

Possibly Gladstone did not know that he was regarded as the author of the letters. Be that as it may, he was as much in the dark as the rest of the world. Max Muller was among those most deceived and in one of his letters during the controversy quaintly apologized for any seeming deficiency in his argument, pleading that, while he used "only a wooden sword," he was called upon to withstand in argument "one of the most powerful athletes of our time," one who "wielded the very brand Excalibur." The "most powerful athlete" whom Muller had in mind was, of course, Gladstone. The German emperor was as effectively puzzled and caused a letter to be written suggesting that the time had come when the writer might raise his visor and reveal his identity. The canon still lay low, enjoying the fun. Bismarck had contemplated suing the author of the letters for libel, but when he was eventually let into the secret anger had disappeared, and he sent him a cordial invitation to Friedrichsruh. —St. James' Gazette.

Just a Difference in Sound.
 The difference between English and American methods of pronunciation often produces misunderstanding. The other day an Englishman who had just arrived here went to the Waldorf-Astoria. He was a bit lost for a minute just where to find the register book, the Waldorf office being divided into several departments, one for the "information bureau," another for "letters" and so on. The Englishman finally stopped at one of the departments and inquired whether it was the desk of the hotel "clerk." "No," was the reply; "this is the Waldorf-Astoria hotel." Through saying "clerk" instead of "clerk" the young man at the desk had taken the Englishman to mean Hotel Clark.—New York Times.

Common Spiders.
 Spiders are more varied and plentiful than is commonly supposed. In almost every locality in the country at least 300 or 400 species may be collected. In summer spiders abound on all kinds of plants, from grass to trees. It is only when the webs are covered with dew that they become especially conspicuous. The webs are then no more plentiful, but I often hear the question asked on dewy mornings or foggy days, "What makes so many more cobwebs than usual today?" The collecting moisture makes especially noticeable the flat webs on the grass. These are made by members of the agelenidae family of spiders. Each has a noticeable tube at one side in which the spider lives. —St. Nicholas.

Neal's Carriage Paints



"The Old Original"
 You don't have to be a painter or a "handy man" to make your buggies, sleighs and carriages look like new if you use Neal's Carriage Paints. No practical skill is required with Neal's Carriage Paints, because no varnishing is necessary; whole job done at one operation. Dries hard in a short time with a brilliant, glossy finish and rich color. Good for many things besides carriages.

Made by **Acme White Lead & Color Works, Detroit, Mich.**

HUNT'S PHARMACY
 GENOA, ILL. TELEPHONE NO. 83

My Hair Ran Away

Don't have a falling out with your hair. It might leave you! Then what? That would mean thin, scraggly, uneven, rough hair. Keep your hair at home! Fasten it tightly to your scalp! You can easily do it with **Ayer's Hair Vigor**. It is something more than a simple hair dressing. It is a hair medicine, a hair tonic, a hair food.

The best kind of a testimonial—
 "Sold for over sixty years."
 Made by **J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.**
 Also manufactured by **SARSAPARILLA PILLS, CHERRY PECTORAL.**

Innocent, but Infectious.
 A man running toward the Reading railway station in Germantown the other day as if in great haste to make the train was the cause of enlivening the gait of a number of other pedestrians bent on that purpose, among whom were several women who fancied they were late for the train. As the latter wore shoes none too roomy, their discomfort in running may be imagined. When, breathless, they reached the station, they found the first runner sitting comfortably and reading a paper, with ten minutes' margin before train time. One of the women, made bold by indignation, advanced upon the cause of her anger with the query, "What were you running for?" The answer was, "For my health."—Philadelphia Record.

She Couldn't Help It.
 One of the brightest and nicest little patients in the surgical ward of one of the city hospitals lay on her bed moaning with pain, says the Boston Post. She had just come to consciousness after a slight operation and, though only five years old, was exhibiting heroic nerve. Yet she couldn't keep from occasional low cries escaping her. She was the sort of child who hates above all things to give trouble, and when one of the nurses stopped before her and, as she thought, looked a bit reproachfully down at her she explained between the paroxysms, with a pitiful little smile: "Oh, Miss Smith, I can't help it, I can't help it! I'm not used to operations."

PICKLE SEED

FREE

Call on Wm. Nulle or at John Lembke's store.

60 Cents per Bushel

will be paid for cucumbers. This is an extra good price, making it well worth the work of planting and picking.

SQUIRE DINGEE CO.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are unequalled for Backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and all urinary troubles. A week's treatment for 25 cents. Sold by Hunt's pharmacy.

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 CASH DEPARTMENT STORE
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Shoe Bargains
 Comfort and wear are the two points in a shoe. When you add style and low price you have all anybody asks.

We want your shoe business. Comfort, wearing quality, style and price should interest you to the extent of seeing what we offer.

One year will either spoil or increase a shoe business. In five years our shoe business has more than doubled; meaning that customers who have bought once have been satisfied and have kept coming.

Children's strictly all solid kid shoes, patent or plain style, sizes 8 to 2.....**98c**

Women's Patent Colt Skin Dress Shoe, dull kid uppers.....**\$1.98**

Boys' best Box Calf, blucher cut, dress shoes, 8 1/2 to 11 1/2.....**\$1.29**

Same style, sizes 12 to 2 for.....**\$1.49**

Misses' fine patent Colt Skin Dress shoes, dull kid tops, sizes 11 1/2 to 2.....**\$1.49**

Ladies' \$3.00 Rochester made shoes, both kid and patent leathers, in a large variety of styles, for.....**\$2.00**

Children's Specials. Kid oxfords, slippers which we cannot sell again at these prices, sizes 8 1/2 to 2, in all solid shoes, for

89c 98c

Values, Special Sales, Etc.

150 lap robes and dust robes slightly damaged by water

38c 69c 49c

Cushions, stuffed with best imported floss

49c 37c 25c

Embroidery sale. A 40 per cent advance has been announced by all factories. Goods we offer were bought before the advance and cannot be duplicated at these prices. Per yd.

8c 10c 11c 12 1/2c

Large size, fancy decorated china plates.....**10c**

Rockford Clothing Company Shirt Sale. This company has quit the shirt business, closing out all their \$1.25 goods at a price which enables us to offer these fine shirts at, each.....**75c**

Towels, linen and size 23x46 in. for only.....**25c**

Children's knit vests, fine quality for.....**10c**

Ladies' Summer Suits

Sale of over 400 Gingham, Lawn and fancy Cotton suits, at less than the price of the material required to make a dress. Prices

\$1.13 \$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.00

for an entire suit, skirt and waist separate.

Cloaks and Jackets

All wool, full length, fancy cloaks, ladies' sizes,

\$6.00 \$6.50

Stylish, fancy wool, Eton jackets, only.....**\$3.69**

All styles of elegant silk coats and cloaks

\$4.95 Men's 2-Piece Suits \$7.95

At no time have we ever been able to offer such values in men's suits. Just at the opening of summer, these stylish, cool, dressy wool suits.....**\$7.95 \$4.95**

Trade \$10.00 and show round trip ticket and we refund your car fare.

Dinner Tickets, Horse Tickets or Introduction Tickets given if you drive.

DOINGS OF THE WEEK

THE assistance of all subscribers is invited and solicited in making this department interesting. Any item of news left at the office, in the box at the east corner of the Exchange Bank building or given the editor on the street will be greatly appreciated. If you have visitors or have been away yourself or if you know anything good about your neighbors tell us about it.

Opera house, Wednesday evening, June 12.
Lew Duval was a Chicago visitor Sunday and Monday.

Miss Julia Bowers is visiting Rockford friends this week.

Elmer Harvey visited his parents here a few days this week.

Chas. Craft of Lily Lake is visiting at the home of L. Robinson.

The Rochelle high school baseball team failed to appear last Saturday.

Mrs. Jessie Briggs of Blaine is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hutchison.

"The Private Secretary" at Genoa opera house, Wednesday evening, June 12.

Miss Ruby Stiles has returned from Mendota where she has been attending school.

Karl Holtgren, Bayard Brown and Frederick Foote visited in Chicago Decoration day.

Clarence Thompson has found employment in the Oliver typewriter factory at Woodstock.

B. P. S. paint is not made by the trust, but you can trust it to give entire satisfaction. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Let us tell you about B. P. S. paint before you invest in something styled "just as good." Perkins & Rosenfeld.

J. A. Patterson went to Des Moines, Ia., Wednesday evening to attend a meeting of the directors of the Gold Queen mine.

There are two kinds of gasoline

stoves made—the good and the bad. We guarantee to sell the former kind. Perkins & Rosenfeld.

Alva Sowers who has been attending Northwestern University, where he is studying medicine, is at home for the summer vacation.

Christian Science services are held at 10:30 a. m. Subject for next Sunday is "God, the Preserver of Man." Everyone is welcome.

Miss Josephine V. Sowers, daughter of Geo. W. Sowers of this city, will graduate from the high school at Wauconda, Ill., next Wednesday.

Geo. Donohue sold his residence at the corner of Genoa and Jackson streets last week to Howard Crawford, possession to be given on the first of September. The sale price was \$3,700.

The annual Corson picnic will be held at the farm home of J. L. Corson north of Genoa on Thursday, June 20. Preparations are being made for a record breaker this year.

Mrs. W. S. Brown and son, Preston, of Elgin were guests several days last week at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. C. A. Patterson, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Patterson and sons spent Sunday at the home of A. V. Pierce.

Lloyd Taylor and family left on Monday for the state of Washington where they will make their

home. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have resided in this vicinity for many years and it was with regret that their friends saw them depart.

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Amory Hadsall transacted business in the windy city Saturday.

A cement floor will soon be laid in R. Gallagher's large stable.

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H. P. Edsall went to Chicago Saturday to visit his daughter, Mrs. O. F. Schneider.

For sale—barn in good condition, 26x36 feet, on Genoa street. Inquire of Freeman Nutt. 33-1f

Jas. J. Hammond sold his house in the east end Monday to Mrs. Josephine Lowry, the consideration being \$1,700.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED — to take charge of household on farm. Suitable wages. Address or call on Henry Adams, Genoa, Ill.

J. H. Carpenter, D. D., and wife of Marne, Iowa, spent a few days the latter part of the week with the former's brother, N. A., and family.

Why don't you deposit your money in the Farmers' State Bank and get interest for six months at the rate of 3 per cent per annum? Try it.

All persons indebted to me are requested to call at the Exchange Bank of Brown & Brown and settle accounts as soon as possible. Carl Thorwarth. 32-1f

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pierce came out from Elgin Saturday. The former returned Monday morning, but Mrs. Pierce will remain here for a two weeks' visit.

Old, mellow and thoroughly matured—it possesses every essential of a genuinely fine, Kentucky liquor—that's why I. W. Harper whiskey is the most popular. Sold by C. A. Godong. Mrs. D. S. Brown and Mrs. Jas. Hutchison, Sr. went to Elgin Saturday where they were guests of Mrs. Estella Brown. In the evening they attended an Eastern Star meeting at which the state officers were present.

For sale—Two houses on Genoa street, one on East Main street and vacant lot in Oak Park addition on Main street. Houses all new and modern. Will be sold cheap for cash or on easy payments. JAS. J. HAMMOND 37-1f

Anyone desiring anything in the way of a horse, from a genuine, well-broken family animal to a heavy draft, would do well to see W. H. Graham, as he is in a position to supply anything in that line at reasonable prices. R. 3, Sycamore, Ill. County Phone. 33-1f

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Farm of 200 acres 2½ miles from town; good new house, good new granary, splendid tubular well, new barn capable of sheltering 200 head of stock. This is a real bargain. Possession given in the fall. Write or see W. H. Graham, R. 3, Sycamore, Ill. County Phone. 33-1f

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The performers did well as far as they went, but they all stopped short of anything that can not be seen in any high school gymnasium.

There will be Children's Day exercises at the Advent church Sunday evening.

The Genoa band will hereafter give an open air concert on Main street every Wednesday evening.

Fire company No. 2 was out for practice Wednesday evening, making the connection within 3½ minutes after leaving the hose house.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Abbie Patterson Thursday afternoon, June 13. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Buedefeldt and daughter, Miss Grace, of Chicago were out to attend decoration exercises. Mrs. Buedefeldt and Grace remaining over till the last of the week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schwind.

Mrs. W. H. Allen of DeKalb and Mrs. Mary Adams of Minneapolis have been visiting relatives in Genoa during the past week.

Mrs. Allen is a sister of Henry Patterson and Mrs. Adams a cousin.

Miss Flora Buck spent Sunday with friends in Englewood returning Monday with her sister, Cora, who was on her return from a three months visit with friends and relatives in the East. She also attended the Jamestown Exposition.

John Renn made a sale of spring chickens this week that beats ordinary records. His stock is a mixture of buff cochin and light brahma, the chicks growing rapidly. His sale this week consisted of three dozen ten weeks old chicks which brought \$6.50 per dozen.

Fred Raymond's company of Sycamore appeared at the Genoa opera house Saturday evening before a fair sized audience. The play was well presented and all in the audience were pleased. Mr. Raymond intends to appear in Genoa every other week and merits liberal patronage.

The following enjoyed a picnic on the bank of the river Wednesday afternoon: Misses Marjorie Rowen, Louise Stewart, Margaret Hutchison, Francis Graves, Anna Kiernan; Messrs. Lawrence Kiernan, Fred Brown, Elmer Harvey, Harvey King, John Corson. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Martha Evans of Denver, Colo., is here visiting her son, J. P. This is the first meeting of mother and son for twenty years. Mrs. Evans appeared at her son's place of business unexpected Wednesday giving him a most agreeable surprise. She was accompanied by Leroy Stanley of Tilden, Nebr.

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Making a Front
"Why did you hire that offensive little cad, Jones, and let Stafford go?" asked a department manager of an employer in a great metropolitan business establishment. "Stafford is doubly Jones's equal in ability."

"Because," said the employer, and there was a world of wisdom in his words, "Jones looks the gentleman, even though he isn't. Stafford looks the tramp."

It was only a little lesson in cleanliness. Jones had a brain like a mess of scrambled eggs. Jones was weak, vacillating, unstable.

Stafford was clever, able, strong as an executive and keen of mentality.

But Stafford had sloe-edge finger nails. Jones' were carefully manicured.

Stafford wore his hair like a maddened hedgehog. Jones' locks were barbed and always in part.

Stafford's teeth resembled grave-stones in an old churchyard. Jones didn't merely keep a toothbrush, he used it.

Stafford wore an extensive collection of table drippings on his vest. Jones used a napkin.

Stafford's neckwear was edged with black. Jones spent twenty-one cents a week for collar laundry.

The employer knew that customers are forced to accept first impressions. The employer realized that the man with a front can wend his way where beggars may not even look.

The \$1 or more a week that Stafford might have expended on his personal appearance would have doubled his value in the eyes of the employer. But Stafford, in his egotism, told himself: "Abe Lincoln was a success, yet he didn't dress. Why should I?"

Perhaps Abe Lincoln did not dress, but he was clean.

Clothes and cleanliness may not make the man, but they go a long way toward making the successful man.—Ex.

A Carnival at Elgin

The White Carnival opens Saturday June 8th at our store in Elgin; it takes the place of our annual June sale of white, a very important event in the past. The White Carnival will be the Queen of White Sales, a pleasant, merry week, where the immaculate products of the world's best workmen and workwomen, are offered at the tiniest of prices, where undermuslins, linens, white dress goods, laces, embroideries, even millinery and gloves, in fact all seasonal articles are dropped in price until they may be freely purchased by the most economical; a sale where thin purses will accomplish great things, the summer season is but beginning, you can find many things you want at this great money saving Carnival. THEO. F. SWAN, Elgin, Ill.

For scratches, burns, cuts, insect bites and the many little hurts common to every family, use DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by Hunt's pharmacy.

Attend the Carnival at Elgin

For one whole pleasant merry week, the attractions are the choicest, prettiest, most immaculate white offerings the markets of the world could produce; besides a week of pleasure, it will be a week of profit too, profitable to you, to every woman and housewife; for undermuslins, linens, laces, embroideries, ribbons, silks, dress goods, handkerchiefs, in fact everything seasonable, and white is offered at special prices, that we or no other store can duplicate when the event is over. Its an annual affair with us, we prepare months ahead, and if you would be astonished and pleased, come and see for yourself. Attend the White Carnival, it opens Saturday June 8th, and continues until Saturday June 15th.

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Long Distance Views.
A young man whose eyes had been troubling him consulted an oculist. "What you want to do," said the specialist, "is to take a trip every day on the ferry or in New Jersey, Long Island—any place where you can see long distances. Look up and down the river, across fields or if the worst comes to the worst go to the top of a skyscraper and scan the horizon from that point. The idea is to get distance. You use your eyes a great deal and always at close range. You can't use them any other way in town. Even when not reading or writing the vision is limited by small rooms and narrow streets. No matter in what direction you look there is a blank wall not far away to shut off sight."—New York Sun.

A Cold Spot.
There is a small town in the valley of the Lena, in Siberia, called Werchajansk, which is believed to be one of the coldest places on the earth. Hundreds of people have lived there to a ripe old age, and yet the thermometer has been known to descend to 98.4 degrees below zero. The average temperature in Werchajansk during the winter months is 74.8 degrees below zero. The Werchajansk soil is permanently frozen to a depth of 380 feet, and yet during the month of July the temperature of Werchajansk is on the average 69 degrees above zero.

Women of Yezo.
The women of the island of Yezo, whence it is supposed came the original inhabitants of Japan, have a very peculiar custom of making up their faces to look as though they have mustaches. These women are called Ainus, and upon the upper lip of each Ainu belle is tattooed something that resembles a long, flowing mustache. To possess an artistically tattooed ornament of this kind marks a woman as especially attractive, and her chances of making a good matrimonial alliance are very small if she is not thus adorned. As a matter of fact, the men of the island choose their spouses more for the beauty of this tattooed design than the grace of form or charm of feature.

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Modified His Remark.
From the Georgia legislature of the days before the war comes a story of the effect of parliamentary procedure. James Hamilton Cooper was speaking and made a modest statement of fact. A modest legislator exclaimed half under his breath, "Whew, what a thundering lie!" Cooper suspended his speech, having overheard the remark, and challenged the offender to a duel. A court of honor was arranged, which resulted in Cooper giving permission to the luckless wight to modify his remark. The correction was made in this manner: "Mr. Speaker, in an inadvertent moment I referred to a remark made by the honorable gentleman as 'a thundering lie.' I desire to withdraw that statement and in lieu thereof will say, 'It is a fulminating enlargement of elongated veracity.'" Thus sugar coated the speech gave no occasion for a duel.

Why It Is That Animals Are Not Capable of Laughter.
Probably every one has wondered, says Professor Kranberger of Vienna, why animals always have a serious aspect, even when they are evidently pleased. When a dog wags his tail with pleasure, he comes as near laughing as it is possible for him to come, but his countenance, except for the gleam of joy in his eyes, is no more suggestive of laughter than if he were suffering an agony of pain. Neither are his quick, sharp barks, which usually accompany the wagging of the tail, even remotely analogous to laughter. And as for the so called "laugh" of the hyena—that, of course, is purely metaphorical.

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To understand the reason for this it will be necessary first to understand what causes laughter.

"The sudden perception of an unexpected incongruity," says Herbert Spencer.

But this does not go far enough. Brutes are capable of perceiving incongruities. The incongruity must be between an object or event and the idea which we have formed of it.

So, for instance, what can be more mirth provoking to a boy than to see the wind blow the hat from the head of a dignified man and the latter go scurrying after, making frantic but vain attempts to recapture it?

A million horses or dogs or monkeys might look on and never feel amused, whereas there is probably not a lad in all creation that would not laugh with glee—not, forsooth, because the horses, dogs and apes are wiser, but because the boy sees the double incongruity between the runaway hat and the idea of the proper use of hats and between the idea of what is becoming to dignity and the sudden lapse from that standard by the dignified man.

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What, it may be asked, is to prevent any of the other animals from seeing the incongruities?

Simply this—that man is the only animal that has ideas. Ideas are formed by reason and can be grasped only by reason, and as it is only by comparison with ideas that the incongruity in question arises, lack of reason forever precludes animals from enjoying a laugh.—New York World.

A Raw Egg.
A raw egg is one of the most nutritious of foods and may be taken very easily if the yolk is not broken. A little nutmeg grated upon the egg, a few drops of lemon juice added, some chopped parsley sprinkled over it or some salt and a dash of cayenne pepper vary the flavor and tend to make it more palatable when not taken as a medicine.

The white of a raw egg turned over a burn or scald is most soothing and cooling. It can be applied quickly and will prevent inflammation, besides relieving the stinging pain.

One of the best remedies in case of bowel troubles is a partly beaten raw egg taken at one swallow. It is healing to the inflamed stomach and intestines and will relieve the feeling of distress. Four eggs taken in this manner in twenty-four hours will form the best kind of nourishment as well as medicine for the patient.

The Contradicting Habit.
A natural habit of every child is to contradict, and this should be overcome as soon as a boy or a girl develops it, for of all disagreeable and overbearing persons those who aggressively contradict are among the worst. Parents cannot be too particular in teaching their sons and daughters to disagree courteously, which is not at all incompatible with doing it positively. "I beg your pardon, but you are mistaken," is quite as much of a contradiction as saying, "It isn't," and it is far better manners. "I think you are mistaken," is another way of expressing the opinion. A mother need not be afraid of making her child a prig by teaching him such little things. They are as important to him as a knowledge of how to speak grammatically.—Exchange.

Long Distance Views.
A young man whose eyes had been troubling him consulted an oculist. "What you want to do," said the specialist, "is to take a trip every day on the ferry or in New Jersey, Long Island—any place where you can see long distances. Look up and down the river, across fields or if the worst comes to the worst go to the top of a skyscraper and scan the horizon from that point. The idea is to get distance. You use your eyes a great deal and always at close range. You can't use them any other way in town. Even when not reading or writing the vision is limited by small rooms and narrow streets. No matter in what direction you look there is a blank wall not far away to shut off sight."—New York Sun.

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST
BY HARRY LEON WILSON

CHAPTER XXXIV.—Continued.

But Prudence was not there, and he wondered with dismay if she had joined the rest of the village and gone out to meet the prophet. He had seen the last of them going along the dusty road to the north, men and women and little children, hot, excited, and eager. It did not seem like her to be among them, and yet except for those before him working about the bowery, and a few mothers with children in arms, the town was apparently deserted.

But even as he waited he heard the winding alarm of a bugle, and saw a scurrying of backs in the dusty haze far up the road. The Wild Ram of the Mountains gave a few hurried commands for the very final touches, called off his force from the now complete bowery, and a solitary Gentle was for the moment left to greet the oncoming procession.

Presently, however, from the dark interiors of the log houses came the mothers with babies, a few aged sires too feeble for the march, and such of the remaining housewives as could leave for a little time the dinners they were cooking. They made but a thin line along the little street, and folliet saw at once that Prudence was not among them. He must wait and see if she marched in the approaching procession.

Already the mounted escort was coming into view, four abreast, captained by Elder Wardle, who, with a sash of red and gold slanted across his breast, was riding nervously, as his seat could be kept only by the most skillful horsemanship, a white mule that he was known to treat with fearless disrespect on days that were not great. Behind the martial Wardle was Peter Peterson, Peter Long Peterson, and Peter Long Peter Peterson, the most martial looking men in Amalon after their leader; and then came a few more fours of proudly mounted Saints.

After this escort, separated by an interval that would let the dust settle a little, came the body of the procession. First a carriage containing the prophet, portly, strong-faced, easy of manner, as became a giant who felt kindly in his might. By his side was his wife, Amelia, the reigning favorite, who could play the piano and sing "Fair Blingon on the Rhine" with a dash that was said to be superb. Behind this float of honor came other carriages bearing the prophet's counselors, the apostles, chief bishop, bishops generally, elders, priests and deacons, each taking precedence near the prophet's carriage by seniority of rank or ordination. Along the line of carriages were outriders, bearing proudly aloft the banners upon which suitable devices were printed:

"God Bless Brigham Young!"

"Hall to Zion's Chief!"

"The Lion of the Lord."

"Welcome to our Mouthpiece of God!"

Behind the last carriage came the citizens in procession, each detachment with its banner. The elderly brethren stepped briskly under "Fathers in Israel"; the elderly sisters gazed proudly aloft to "Mothers in Israel." Then came a company of young men whose banner announced them as "Defenders of Zion." They were followed by a company of maidens led by Matilda Wright, striving to be not too much elated, and whose banner bore the inscription, "Daughters of Zion." At the last came the children, openly set up by the occasion, and big-eyed with importance, the boy who carried their banner, "The Hope of Israel," going with wonderful rigidity, casting not so much as an eye either to right or left.

But Prudence had not been in this triumphal column, nor was she among any of the women who stood with children in their arms, or who rushed to the doors with sleeves rolled up and a long spoon or fork in their hands.

Then all at once a great inspiration came to Follett. When the last dusty little white-dressed girl had trudged solemnly by, and the head of the procession was already winding down the lane that led to Elder Wardle's place, he called himself a fool and turned back. He walked like a man who has suddenly remembered that which he should not have forgotten. And yet he had only thought of a possibility, but one that became more plausible with every step; especially when he reached the Rae house and found it deserted. Whenever he thought of his stupidity, which was every score of steps, he would break into a little trot that made the willows along the creek on his left run into a yellowish green blur.

He was breathing hard by the time he had made the last ascent and stood in the cool shade of the comforting pines. He waited until his pulse became slower, wiping his forehead with the blue neckerchief which Prudence had suggested that he liked to see him wear in place of the one of scarlet. When he had cooled and calmed himself a little, he stepped lightly on.

Around the big rock he went, over the "down timber" beyond it, up over the rise down which the waters tumbled, and then sharply to the right where their nook was, a call to her already on his lips.

But she was not there. He could see the place at a glance. Nothing below met his eye but the straight red trunks of the pines and the brown carpet beneath them. A jay posed his deep shining blue on a cluster of scarlet of sumac, and, cocking his crested head, screamed at him mockingly. The canyon's cool breath fanned him and the pine-tops sighed and sang. At first he was disheartened; but then his eyes caught a gleam of white and red under the pine, touched to movement by a low-swinging breeze.

It was her hat swaying where she had hung it on a broken bough of the tree she liked to lean against. And there was her book; not the Book of Mormon, but a secular, frivolous thing called "Leaflets of Memory, an Illustrated Annual for the Year 1847." It



"I Never Would Have Given You Up— I'm Never Going To."

was lying on its face, open at the sentimental tale of "Anastasia." He put it down where she had left it. The canyon was narrow and she would hardly leave the waterside for the steep trail. She would be at the upper cascade or in the little park above it, or somewhere between. He crossed the stream, and there in the damp sand was the print of a small heel where she had made a long step from the last stone. He began to hurry again, clambering recklessly over boulders, or through the underbrush where the sides of the stream were steep. When the upper cascade came in sight his heart leaped, for there he caught the fleeting shimmer of a skirt and the gleam of a dark head.

He hurried on, and after a moment's climb had her in full view, standing on the ledge below which the big trout lay. There he saw her turn so that he would have sworn she looked at him. It seemed impossible that she had not seen him; but to his surprise she at once started up the stream, swiftly footing over the rough way, now a little step, now a free leap, grasping a willow to pull herself up an incline, then disappearing around a clump of cedars.

He redoubled his speed over the rocks. When she next came into view, still far ahead, he shouted long and loud. It was almost certain that she must hear; and yet she made no sign. She seemed even to speed ahead the faster for his hail.

Again he sprang forward to cover the distance between them, and again he shouted when the next view of her showed that he was gaining. This time he was sure she heard; but she did not look back, and she very plainly increased her speed.

For an instant he stood aghast at this discovery; then he laughed.

"Well if you want a race, you'll get it!"

He was off again along the rough bed of the stream. He shouted no more, but slowly increased the gain he had made upon her. Instead of losing time by climbing up over the bank, he splashed through the water at two places where the little stream was wide and shallow. Then at last he saw that he was closing in upon her. Soon he was near enough to see that she also knew it.

ed course of marveling at the ways of woman. For now she had reached the edge of the little open park, and was placidly seating herself on a fallen tree in the grove of quaking aspens. He could not understand this change of manner. And when he reached the opening she again astounded him by greeting him with every manifestation of surprise, from the first nervous start to the pushing up of her dark brows.

"Why," she began, "how did you ever think of coming here?"

But he had twice hurried fruitlessly this hot morning and he was not again to be baffled. As he advanced toward her, she regarded him with some apprehension until he stopped a safe six feet away. She had noted certain lines of determination in his face.

"Now what's the use of pretending?—what did you run for?"

"I?—run?"

Again the curving black brows went up in frank surprise.

"Yes,—you run!"

He took a threatening step forward, and the brows promptly fell to a serious intendment of his face.

"What did you do it for?"

She stood up. "What did I do it for?—what did I do it for?"

But his eyes were searching her and she had to lower her own. Then she looked up again, and laughed nervously.

"I—I don't know—I couldn't help it." Again she laughed. "And why did you run? how did you think of coming here?"

"I'll tell you how, now I've caught you." He started toward her, but she was quickly backing away into the opening of the little park, still laughing.

"Look out for that blow-down back of you!" he called. In the second that

from him to look upon her in the new light that enveloped them both, still holding her hands.

"There's one good thing about your marriages,—they marry you for eternity, don't they? That's for ever—only it isn't long enough, even so—not for me."

"I thought you were never coming." "But you said"—he saw the futility of it, however, and kissed her instead.

"I was afraid of you all this summer," he said.

"I was afraid of you, too." "You got over it yesterday all right."

"How?" "You kissed me."

"Never—what an awful thing to say!"

"But you did—twice—don't you remember?"

"Oh, well, it doesn't matter. If I did it wasn't at all like—like—"

"Like that—"

"No—I didn't think anything about it."

"And now you'll never leave me, and I'll never leave you."

They sat on the fallen tree.

"And to think of that old—"

"Oh, don't talk of it. That's why I ran off here—so I couldn't hear anything about it until he went away."

"Why didn't you tell me you were coming?"

"I didn't think you were so stupid."

"How was I to know where you were coming?"

But now she was reminded of something.

"Tell me one thing—did you ever know a little short, fat girl, a blonde that you liked very much?"

"Never!"

"Then what did you talk so much about her for yesterday if you didn't? You speak of her every time."

"I didn't think you were so stupid."

"Well, I can't see—"

"You don't need to—we'll call it even."

And so the talk went until the sun had fallen for an hour and they knew it was time to go below.

"We will go to the meeting together," she said, "and then father shall tell Brigham—tell him—"

"That you're going to marry me. Why don't you say it?"

"That I'm going to marry you, and be your only wife." She nestled under his arm again.

"For time and eternity—that's the way four church puts it."

Then, not knowing it, they took their last walk down the pine-hung glade. Many times he picked her lightly up to carry her over rough places and was loth to put her down,—having, in truth, to be bribed thereto.

CHAPTER XXXV.

The Rise and Fall of a Bent Little Prophet.

Down in the village the various dinners of ceremony to the visiting officials were over. An hour had followed of decent rest and informal chat between the visitors and their hosts, touching impartially on matters of general interest; on irrigation, the gift of tongues, the season's crop of peaches, the pouring out of the Spirit abroad, the best mixture of sheep-dip; on many matters not displeasing to the practical-minded Deity reigning over them.

Then the entire populace of Amalon, in its Sunday best of "valley tan" or store-goods, flocked to the little square and sat expectantly on the benches under the green roof of the bowery, ready to absorb the droppings of the sanctuary.

In due time came Brigham, strolling between Elder Wardle and Bishop Wright, bland, affable, and benignant. On the platform about him sat his Counselors, the more distinguished of his suite, and the local dignitaries of the Church.

Among these came the little bent man with an unwonted color in his face, coming in absorbed in thought, shaking hands even with Brigham with something of abstraction in his manner. Prudence and Follett came late, finding seats at the back next to a generous row of the Mrs. Seth Wright.

When they had settled into their seats, the Wild Ram of the Mountains arose and invoked a blessing on those present and upon those who had gone behind the veil; adding a petition that Brigham be increased in his basket and in his store, in wives, flocks, and herds, and in the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

They sang another hymn, and when that was done, the little bent man arose and came hesitatingly forward to the balze-covered table that served as a pulpit. As President of the Stake it was his office to welcome the visitors, and this he did.

There were whisperings in the audience when his appearance was noted. It was the first time he had been seen by many of them in weeks. They whispered that he was falling.

The words of official welcome spoken, he began his discourse; but in a timid, shuffling manner so unlike his old self that still others whispered of his evident illness. Inside he burned with his purpose, but, with all his resolves, the presence of Brigham left him unnerved. He began by referring to their many adversities since the day when they had first knelt to entreat the mercy of God upon the land. Then he spoke of revelations.

"You must all have had revelations, because they have come even to me. Perhaps you were deaf to the voice, as I have been. Perhaps you have trusted too readily in some revelation that came years ago, supposedly from God—in truth, from the Devil. Perhaps you have been deaf to later revelations meant to warn you of the other's falseness."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Illinois State News

Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities and Towns.

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Mrs. Brown, of Havana, Candidate for Presidency of Order.

Havana.—Mrs. Amanda M. Brown, of this city, is a candidate for the national presidency of the Woman's Relief corps. Having obtained the endorsement of the encampment at



Mrs. Amanda M. Brown.

Decatur, her candidacy is made good. Last year she secured the endorsement of the convention at Chicago. The election in which she is a candidate will be held at Saratoga, N. Y., next September. Mrs. Brown is the former state president of the Woman's Relief corps and is now a department chancellor, in which capacity she is acting in Decatur. Having served the several offices and been a prominent worker, she is well qualified for the office of national president.

ASK TRUE BILL FOR TATE.

Authorities in Peoria Will Put Charges Before the Grand Jury.

Peoria.—"Eddie" Tate, Peoria's gentleman burglar, who has been temporarily obscured from the limelight of publicity, is to be brought forth into the full glare once more. Within ten days he will be recommended for indictment in Peoria before the present grand jury. This action was decided upon and was agreed to by State's Attorney Scholes, former Chief of Police Charles Wilson and Henry Fuller, attorney for the school board.

At the same time it was announced that at the school board meeting Monday evening action would be taken looking to the prosecution of Tate and the possible uncovering of the school board safe-robbery mystery.

Was Murder and Suicide.

Springfield, Ill.—It is now accepted as a fact that Cora Lederbrand, the 17-year-old daughter of Joseph Lederbrand, a farmer residing ten miles east of this city, whose body, together with that of her sister, Carrie, aged seven, was found in the bottom of Sugar creek, near the Lederbrand home, with a 22-caliber revolver wound in the temple of each, killed her sister and then wading into the creek, shot herself. The revolver with which the deed was done was found on the bank of the creek by Thomas Brunk, one of the searchers.

Cora Lederbrand had been in a despondent mood, and it is supposed that she made up her mind to end both her own and her sister's life. The sister was deaf and dumb and had been an invalid since her birth.

Lederbrand is a widower and has one arm. He has an excellent reputation.

Sterling Mayor Throws Brick.

Sterling.—Mayor John L. Jansen held a car on the Sterling, Dixon & Eastern Electric railway while he personally threw two wagon loads of brick from the car to city wagons and had them carted to the city tool house. The company made repairs to its lnp here and the two wagon loads of brick were left. When the railway started to haul them out of town the mayor said the city needed them.

Shoots Landlady and Himself.

Danville.—Henry Mermir shot and instantly killed Mrs. Rosa Vurez, of Westville. He then turned the revolver on himself and inflicted a fatal wound. Mermir had roomed at the Vurez home and was told to hunt a new rooming place. This enraged Mermir, with the result that he killed the woman.

Rejoicing at Normal University.

Bloomington.—The State Normal university was a scene of an impromptu jubilee celebration, when it became known that Gov. Deneen had signed the bill appropriating \$100,000 for a new manual arts building.

John Mitchell Recovering.

Spring Valley.—For over a month John Mitchell has been confined to St. Margaret's hospital, following the operation performed on him. He is able to walk slowly about, but is still very weak.

\$1,000 BILLS CAUSE ARREST.

Fugitive Puts Three in Bank and Becomes Subtreasury Suspect.

Peoria.—Because he deposited three \$1,000 bills in a national bank at Davenport Frank P. Watson, former superintendent of the poor farm of Peoria county, was arrested by secret service men on suspicion of being connected with the subtreasury robbery in Chicago. Besides the money which he deposited Watson had \$5,000 in bills on his person.

He had just come from Chicago, where he has been in hiding from Peoria officers, who want him to appear before the grand jury. Watson was released after being held for a day.

He was searched and thoroughly questioned, and while he apparently proved that he had no connection with the mysterious Chicago robbery, sensational letters were found showing that he had been trying to buy off a Peoria county grand jury which is now in session and which recently indicted him for assault on an insane patient at the poorhouse while he was superintendent. He was released at Davenport before the indictment. The officers have been notified and are now looking for him.

In Watson's pocket was found a letter from Richard J. Cooney, a Chicago attorney, formerly of Peoria. Cooney seems to have been hired by Watson to help him in his Peoria case. He in turn apparently hired a Peoria attorney, who in the letter found in Watson's pocket says that the grand jury will return no indictment against him.

State's Attorney Scholes is investigating the charges of meddling with the grand jury and sensational developments will likely follow.

Watson's case was one of the most vicious in the history of Peoria county. While superintendent he is accused of debauching nearly a dozen of the patients. Many of them have already testified before the grand jury and the indictments followed.

The feeling was so strong against Watson that when the facts became public he resigned immediately and left the city. Nothing was heard of him for some time until he was finally located in Chicago. Then, it seems, he went to Iowa.

State's Attorney Scholes says that he has a clear case against him and that he will be given the full limit of the law.

Runaway Team Kills Woman.

Joliet.—Mrs. Robert Weightman, of Wheatland township, this county, was run over and almost instantly killed at her home by a team of frightened horses attached to a wagon. Sterling Patterson, a nephew, had a narrow escape from fatal injuries in the same accident. At the time Mrs. Weightman was directing the loading of a lot of waste paper which was to have been sold for the benefit of a church society to which Mrs. Weightman belonged. The horses suddenly took fright. The woman tried to stop them and was drawn under their hoofs and her skull crushed.

Eloped to Wed Circus Clown.

Freeport.—Won by his fine feathers, Miss Sophia Rhy, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Simon, of Pittsburg, eluded the police of Chicago and Freeport and was married here to Charles Savava, clown and trainer of roosters in a circus. Savava was incased in a big property rooster when the girl first saw him. They claim that their meeting was brought about by thought transference, she being attracted to him as he gazed at her through the eyes of the rooster.

End Suit for Priest's Estate.

Rock Island.—Relatives who have been fighting over the \$150,000 estate of the late Father Thomas Mackin have reached an agreement. The terms are unknown, but the beneficiaries under the will have paid the costs. The case, which occupied ten weeks in trial in the circuit court here, was decided in favor of the contestants, but the verdict was set aside by Judge Gest. Mrs. C. A. Plamondon, of Chicago, was one of the defendants.

Class Fight on High Roof.

Alton.—Class rivalry resulted in ten boys getting into a desperate fight on the roof of the high school building, 60 feet from the ground. During the struggle one of them, Earl Megoun, was struck on the head with a baseball bat and knocked over the low railing which surrounds the roof. Only the presence of mind of his young antagonist prevented the young man from plunging to the ground.

Millikin Professor Resigns.

Decatur.—Dr. C. A. Meserve, the instructor in chemistry at Millikin university, has recently received an appointment as food inspector under the national pure food commission. He has accepted the appointment, which offers more lucrative returns as well as greater opportunities for advancement and for work along lines in which Dr. Meserve always has been especially interested. The new work will begin on June 1, and therefore Doctor Meserve's resignation will take effect shortly before that date.

EACH HAD WEDDING PRESENT.

Mutual Surprise in Confidences Following Marriage.

Last Christmas a middle-aged tin-plate worker married a widow whose acquaintance he had made but a few weeks before while working some little distance away from home.

"Sarrah," he said, nervously, after the guests had departed, "I have a wedding present for ye."

"What is it, John?" said Sarrah with a smirk.

"I 'ope ye won't be fended, Sarrah," said John, more agitated than ever, "but it is—er—er—it is five of 'em."

"Five of what?" asked Sarrah.

"Five children!" blurted out John, desperately, anticipating a scene. "I didn't tell ye I 'ad children—five of 'em."

Sarrah took the news calmly; in fact she appeared relieved.

"Oh, well, John," she said, "that do make it easier for me to tell ye. Five is not so bad as me, whatever. Seven I 'ave got!"

"Seven," repeated Sarrah, composedly. "That is my weddin' present to ye, John."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

Plety.

In a recent number of a German magazine a writer offers a variant of the tale lately published in a book of children's true sayings, which relates how two small girls tried to sit on one stool, and one of them remarked: "If one of us was to get off the stool there would be more room for me." The Teutonic version tells how a German sat by the bedside of his dying wife and murmured piously: "If it pleases the good God to take one of us, I shall go to Berlin."

Will Live in Paris.

The widow of Collis P. Huntington has informed friends in Washington of her purpose to reside permanently in Paris. With this object in view she is preparing to close her house in New York and go to the French capital, where there will soon be completed a mansion for her costing nearly \$1,000,000. Mrs. Huntington was many years younger than her great husband, who left her the bulk of his millions to do with as she might see fit.

Fine-Looking Royal Couple.

The king and queen of Denmark are indeed a regal-looking couple. King Frederick is a giant in stature, while his consort is the tallest royal woman in Europe. She is also the richest, having inherited a great deal of property from her father, the late King Charles of Sweden, besides the immense fortune of her mother, who was one of the richest heiresses of the nineteenth century. Her majesty is deeply religious.

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

Stolen Naps.

"How do you like that office boy I sent around?" asked the banker.

"Don't think much of him," replied the broker. "He isn't wide awake."

"But you told me the last office boy you engaged was too forward and you wanted one who was retiring."

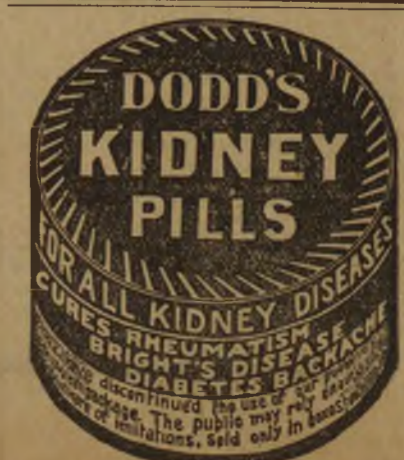
"Yes, but this one is too retiring. Every time I slip out for a few hours I find that he retires on top of the big safe and snores until I return."

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KINGSTON NEWS

FRED P. SMITH, CORRESPONDENT

Fancy box chocolates at H. W. Witter's. Excellent goods, 2t
R. C. Benson is having the exterior of his home improved by paint.

A number from here went to the M. W. A. picnic at Rockford Thursday.

E. A. Lutter returned last Friday evening from a visit at Nora and Chicago.

Miss Edna Tazewell of DeKalb spent Saturday with her brother, Roy, and his wife.

Misses Maud and Ruth Benson and Blanche Pratt drove to Sycamore last Saturday.

Miss Gladys Burgess entertained a few friends at her home last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hollembeak of Sycamore renewed old acquaintances here last Thursday.

Try one of Witter's ice cream sundaes. 2t

Jay Maltby spent Saturday evening and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Otto Swanson, at Fairdale.

Mrs. Emma Vergie of West Chicago and Mrs. Carrie Cole of Belvidere called on friends last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Chellgreen entertained Misses Kate Sundell and Hilda Carlson of Chicago Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Maggie Keys of Rockford was in town last Wednesday looking after her lot in the cemetery before Decoration day.

Mrs. King of Lake City, Iowa, came last Friday to see her brother, H. G. Vandeburg, and other relatives in this vicinity.

Rev. Samuel Earngey of Rockford presided over the third quar-

terly conference held at the M. E. church last Friday afternoon.

Edison phonographs and records at H. W. Witter's. 2t

Miss Jessie Parker attended the commencement exercises at Kirkland Tuesday evening.

Jesse Burton came from Chicago last Thursday for a week's vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton.

Mrs. A. J. Lettow went to Madison, Wis., Tuesday afternoon to be present at her son, John's, graduation at the Wisconsin Academy.

The Lyons Brothers' dog, pony and monkey circus did not give any performance Saturday afternoon but in the evening the tent was well filled.

Misses Ruby and Cassie Sergeant were guests of Miss Alyce Clark and attended the commencement exercises at Fairdale last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mowers have moved here from Iowa and are occupying a house on East street. Mrs. Mowers is a daughter of Mrs. Chas McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackledge and children attended the funeral of her father, George Meyers, Sr., held at his late home, near Herbert, last Saturday afternoon.

Great variety of beautiful souvenir postals at H. W. Witter's. 2t

Mrs. M. K. Swartz and son, Earl, returned to their home in Brainard, Minn., on Thursday of last week after a month's stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hunt.

Misses Nellie and Mary Sullivan went to Sterling for Decora-

tion day, remaining until Tuesday evening. They were accompanied home by their cousin, Miss Lizzie Foley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Granger attended the funeral of her brother, Frank Wiseman, held in Sycamore Sunday. They are entertaining her niece, Miss Ila Paxton, this week.

J. N. Bicksler who has taught school near Orangeville the past year, while enroute to his home in Eshcol, Penn., remained over Friday night with his friend, Frank Wilson.

Miss Ura M. Shaw, aged 12 years, of Nunda, Ill., accompanied by her mother, gave an entertainment in the M. E. church Tuesday evening. A part of the proceeds was given to the Epworth League.

Kingston was well represented at the memorial services at Blood's Point last Sunday afternoon. The male quartette composed of Earl Pratt, Revs. Tuttle and Myers and John O'Brien sang several selections.

The Hampshire orchestra furnished the music at the invitation dance on Wednesday evening of last week. Supper was served at the Moore restaurant. Lanan's hall was prettily decorated for the occasion.

Henry Tittle died at the county poor farm early last Friday morning. He was about eighty years of age and unmarried. Undertaker Landis and J. P. Miller went after his remains in the afternoon of the same day and on Saturday the interment was made in the Vandeburg cemetery.

South Riley

Mabelle Corson was home Saturday.

Floyd Stevens was in Genoa Saturday.

Several farmers are replanting their corn.

Children's day at Ney Sunday 2:00 p. m.

Miss Ida Silvius visited at home over Sunday.

Amber Durham visited at Glen Buck's Sunday.

"Shorty" Geithman shelled his corn last week.

Byron Babbitt is shearing sheep here this week.

J. C. Potts and family were on our streets Sunday.

Aunt Sallie Buck is visiting at Peter Reed's this week.

Several attended the dance at Genoa last Thursday evening.

Remember the South Riley school picnic at Glen Buck's this Friday.

Miss Florence Eichlor assisted in the Riley program last Friday evening.

Misses Hazel Brown and Oma Gray were in this vicinity Friday evening.

Miss Mabel Wallace returned home Sunday after an extended visit in Genoa and South Riley.

During the entertainment at Riley church last Friday evening, Cole Kitchen's team broke loose and caused considerable wonderment for a while. The team was found about two o'clock and nothing but the hitch ropes were broken.

The annual co-operative entertainment of the Riley district schools was held in the Riley Congregational church last Friday evening. The teachers are to be congratulated for presenting such a high class entertainment. A large crowd was present to enjoy the evening and everybody seemed to appreciate the fact that there is something doing nowadays in most of our districts.

Carl Schackles of Summerfield, Noble county died Sunday after a brief illness from heart disease. Only 16-years-old-old, he was six feet and six inches tall and weighed 550 pounds. Until five years ago he was just an ordinary boy physically normal and intellectually brilliant. At that age he began to expand and lengthen out and it is believed that he had not yet attained his full growth.

When you feel the need of a pill take a DeWitt's Little Early Riser. Sold by Hunt's pharmacy.

IN CIRCUIT COURT

Several Criminal Cases now Being Considered by Grand Jury

(Sycamore True Republican)

The June term of circuit court, Judge Bishop presiding, opened on Monday.

The grand jury was called. Martin Lantz was appointed talesman and F. S. Mosher sworn as foreman. The jury were instructed by E. M. Burst, state's attorney, and retired to consider a number of important criminal cases.

It was ordered that the clerk open and file all depositions returned and to be returned during the present term.

Henry Trigg larceny, and Edward Carter, horse stealing. Defendants reported and cases continued to the first day of next term.

B. F. Bronder, embezzlement Nol prosced.

Thomas Bly, grand larceny. Plevries capias.

John Carlson, wife and child abandonment. Continu'd.

Alida Rahn vs. Effie Merrill, partition Master's report and findings filed and approved.

Paul Ernest Julius Block, divorce. Defendant defaulted for want of answer. Decree of divorce for complainant as per draft.

Mitchell Lafund, assumpsit. Time to plead extended to Monday next.

Benjamin F. Decker et al vs. James W. Decker et al, partition. Master's report and final distribution filed and approved and case stricken off.

Court adjourned until the next day, Tuesday, at 2 p. m.

Petit jurors had been summoned to appear on Monday of this week, but notices were sent to them later to appear instead on Monday of next week.

There will be few jury trials, however, as the June term of court in this agricultural county where everybody is busy at this time, is such a hardship on jurors and witnesses, as well as litigants, and it is so difficult to get them together, that it has been the policy of the courts in this circuit to hear in June few cases but criminal ones or others that require immediate hearing. There will, therefore, be few, if any, jury trials at this term besides criminal, and the number of these depends largely on the number of indictments returned by the grand jury, which is now out.

The case against James Burke, rape, an appeal from Kane county, is expected to be tried next week, and this will attract the usual large number of spectators that cases of this character attract. It is expected to be the only jury trial of length at this term.

It is likely that court will be able to adjourn next week for the term.

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M. E. Church Notes

Choir rehearsal will be held Saturday evening at 7:45.

The services at the M. E. church next Sunday will be held at the usual time. In the morning Rev. Ream will preach the memorial sermon to the Genoa Odd Fellows. In the evening a beautiful Children's Day program will be rendered by the Sunday school.

"Becoming Skilled Workmen" is the topic of the Epworth League devotional meeting for Sunday evening. Wm. M. McCoy, leader. This will be a very interesting meeting. The public is cordially invited.

There will be a very interesting Children's Day program at the Charter Grove church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet in the church parlors on Friday afternoon at the usual hour.

The Sunday School of Ney will give a splendid Children's Day program next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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