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## INTERESTING HEALTH MEET

### Held at Teachers' College in DeKalb Last Saturday

## STARTLING FIGURES ARE SHOWN

### Over 75% of School Children Are Defective in Some Manner—Eyes and Teeth Lead

The meeting of school directors, teachers and others interested in our public schools, held in the Auditorium of the State Teachers College at DeKalb last Saturday was widely attended, the registration indicating attendance from as far as Somonauk, Kingston, Hincley, Esmond, Clare, Sycamore, and Genoa. A very interesting program was carried out and the "surprise" part of it was the entertaining half hour playlet given by Miss Harriet Overocker's pupils of the fourth and fifth grades in the South School at Sycamore. This splendid little playlet was faultlessly given and Miss Overocker is to be commended for the "hit" it made. The 35 children of these grades first appeared and sang a group of songs entitled "Drink your Milk," "Chore," "Tooth Brush Drill" and "My Bed Room," all of them set to the rhythm of old fashioned songs. Then came a playlet entitled "Little Don't Care Didn't Think" in which Miss Frances Lawler enacted the part of "Little Don't Care" in trying to take care of the baby until her friends rescued it from foul air, poor milk, dirty toys, etc. After another group of health songs came a playlet entitled "Health and his Enemies" in which William Faissler very nicely played the role of "Health." The lessons demonstrated by the children taking the parts of "Foul Air," "Tuberculosis Germ" and other things detrimental to health will not only leave a lasting impression upon the children who so ably rendered the plays but it also brought home to all present in a very forcible manner the true meaning of better health.

Dr. J. Stanley Brown, president of the Teachers' College, also president of the Tuberculosis Association and the Public Health League, presented to Barbara Hemenway, George Dooley and Edgar Harney representing the fifth grade of the West School at Sycamore a ten dollar gold piece given to the grade or school selling the greatest amount of Christmas Seals. Miss Jennie Walrod is the teacher at this school and she accompanied the winners. Immediately thereafter Dr. Brown presented to Miss Helen Mosher of Afton Township the five dollar gold piece awarded for the best individual effort in selling the Christmas Seals. Dr. Brown then gave a brief history of the public movement in this county and introduced Dr. Rodney Wright, district health superintendent, who delivered a very interesting talk on public health work especially on contagious diseases and quarantine. From his remarks it would appear that the old time method of fumigation is giving way to searching out carriers of contagious diseases and quarantining them, except in typhoid fever where other measures are necessary. He quoted the constitution which quarantines to us life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness as the mandate that means more effective quarantine for we are all entitled to be protected from the dangers to life due to the spread of contagious diseases. Those of us who may be quarantined must take notice that the quarantine rules and regulations are being more rigidly enforced than ever before and that infractions from these rules subjects the person to heavy penalties.

Mrs. W. A. Kilmer, who was in command of the Christmas Seal Drive last December, then gave a brief history of the Christmas seal drives to stamp out tuberculosis. Beginning in 1913 the funds have accumulated until last year it was decided to engage a nurse and secure an auto for her use and the funds are now being employed for that purpose. The work done is identical with that done by the other school nurses only that the reports on suspected tubercular cases from the other nurses are given to her for further investigation. Because of the fact that the county will be entirely covered by the school nurses this school year it will enable

## M. E. CHURCH NOTES

### Evangelistic Service Attendance Shows Marked Increase

The evangelistic services at the M. E. church continue with a very marked increase, both in attendance and interest. There is nothing sensational or cheap in these meetings; but every service is helpful and conducive to better living. Large crowds are attending every night and the interest grows. Thursday night is school night. A special invitation is extended to the school boards, the teachers and pupils. Friday night is town night and it will be a big booster night. Boost the church and you boost the town. Sunday will be red letter day in the history of Genoa M. E. church. We observe decision day in the Sunday school and we urge every teacher to be present. The meetings will be continued next week.

Rev. Robeson, Pastor

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the nurse in tubercular investigations to locate all suspected cases without having to personally make the entire county herself.

W. H. Hay, Secretary of the Public Health League, then presented some interesting figures showing that out of all taxes collected this year in DeKalb County amounting to \$1,305,000, the sum of \$687,000 was expended for schools and education, or over half of the entire amount. The next largest item was roads with about \$260,000 of the balance of twenty per cent of the total tax. The total enrollment in all of the schools this year is 6313 divided 1513 in the rural schools, 3424 in the grades, and 1376 in the high schools. This then means that if the total school money were divided into 6313 parts each part would represent \$109 which is the average amount per pupil that will be expended this year and all devoted to educating the intellect and bringing the child from ignorance into intelligence but hardly a penny so far devoted to the making of a healthier child body in which to store all of this expensive intelligence. Two dollars out of the \$109 would be amply sufficient to provide for school nursing service. Why not make it a business proposition and like the merchant put our educational and learning in sound, healthful packages by an attempt to remedy the ills of child life while the opportunity is present.

Senator Harry G. Wright in presenting his remarks dwelt chiefly upon the seriousness of tuberculosis and of the importance of early care in arresting incipient cases. He said it was easy to teach a child health habits; but what he said about teaching the old folks such habits is considerably omitted here because of the fact that the senator may need the votes of some of the older folks later in the year. Education of the child to a serious realization of what tuberculosis means if allowed to develop will help go along way towards stamping out this plague. Twenty-three died of tuberculosis last year in DeKalb County and there are over 100 cases to-day in this county in a more or less advanced stage and here we are with a fully equipped sanitarium for just such cases and only eight patients.

County Superintendent of Schools Warren Hubbard brought the meeting to its climax with the following startling figures: Out of 22,000,000 school children in the United States, 1% are mentally defective, 1% or more have organic heart disease, 5% have now or have had tuberculosis, 5% have defective hearing, 25% have defective eyes, 15 to 25% suffer from mal nutrition, 15 to 25% have adenoids or diseased tonsils or other glandular defects, 10 to 20% have weak foot arches, weak spines or other joint defects, 50 to 75% have defective teeth, and about 75% have defects potentially detrimental to health; most of which can be cured. Startling as these figures are they appear to be substantiated by the work done so far in this county by the public health nurses. With these facts before us, can DeKalb county hesitate to go ahead with so humane an undertaking that will give to the 75% of the population that need it the careful inspection of a trained nurse to aid in rectifying their defects while they are young and susceptible of cure by proper treatment?

## GENOA ORGANIZES BALL TEAM

### Will Sponsor a Benefit Dance to Raise Necessary Funds

## EVERYBODY HELP BY BOOSTING

### Will Put a Team of Local Players on the Field this Year—No Profs. Is the Slogan

The foundation of Genoa's base ball team for 1922 was laid the other night and R. B. Field was elected secretary and treasurer and LeBeaux was appointed manager.

It is the aim of the boys to put an entirely local team in the field this year and with enough practice we are sure they can best any team in this section.

On Thursday evening, March 30, a benefit dance will be given by the ball club for the purpose of procuring necessary equipment. Dancing will start at 8:30 at the opera house and continue until 12:00 p. m. Music by Dahlstrom's orchestra. Spectator's tickets are on sale also and, if you do not dance, just give the boys a half a dollar for the ticket and boost. They are trying hard to make a go of things and it is much easier to help a good cause along than to knock it.

Because of the fact that it is their desire to play only home talent, it is reasonably sure that the whole town will extend a hearty welcome to the team of 1922.

## MARENGO PROTESTS

### Supervisors Go on Record as Protesting Any Change in Original Plans

At a meeting of supervisors at Woodstock last Tuesday, a resolution was unanimously passed protesting against any change in routing of the hard road, known as Route 23. As originally planned, this road runs from Sycamore to Harvard and to the Wisconsin state line.

Genoa people are working to have this route changed to pass through that city, thence north to the county line road, one mile east of Garden Prairie, connecting with Grant Highway running east and west. Some are advocating the feasibility of continuing the road north on county line to the diagonal road running into Harvard.

Marengo people are against any change in the original plans, whereby that city would be left off the route, and in this attitude they are backed up by the county supervisors who have gone on record in opposition to the proposed change.—Marengo Republican.

It would seem from the foregoing article that the citizens of our neighboring city need little enlightenment upon the proposed routing of road No. 23. An official road rout has not as yet been picked; it has not been even named. Several routes have been looked over but nothing definite has ever been said. So we must eliminate the word "change" altogether.

Of course we appreciate Marengo's position and would like to have two main trunk lines of cement highway passing thru this town also, just for the sake of "having it pass thru town". On the other hand a routing of the road thru Genoa would eliminate a grade crossing, further the interests of more farmers and townsmen and be in keeping with the general trend of traffic, which is from the south and south-east to the north-west to the cities of Rockford, Belvidere, Beloit, Madison and into the northern states.

The towns and cities benefited by road No. 23 in DeKalb county are heartily in favor of a routing thru Genoa as well as the cities of Belvidere, Rockford and the town of Garden Prairie.

## SURPRISE PARTY

Mrs. Will Jeffery was the victim of a surprise party Tuesday evening when the H. G. L. club and their husbands came to her home to remind her that it was her birth anniversary. 500 was enjoyed for several hours, after which an appetizing luncheon was served. Favors for high score were awarded Mrs. A. J. Johnson and F. Eiklor.

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## FARM SANITATION MEETING

### Discussion of this Important Subject at Elk's Club, Sycamore, Saturday

Dr. E. F. Lowry, president of the Hawkeye Veterinary Medical Association, will speak on "Prevention of Diseases in Animals", especially hogs at the Elk's club rooms, Sycamore, Saturday, March 25, at 1:30 p. m.

Dr. Lowry has long contended that with proper farm sanitation, most of our troubles with animal diseases would be eliminated. His discussion will take up this point.

Annually, thousands of dollars have been lost by farmers of DeKalb county with scourges of hog cholera, hemorrhagic septicaemia, mixed infection and other hog diseases. Much of this loss could be prevented by proper handling of our hogs and a few precautions in care and feeding.

The DeKalb County Soil Improvement Association is trying to get this information before farmers, believing it will save them much money. Bovine tuberculosis in cattle is responsible for tremendous losses.

This disease is not confined to cattle alone, but is often transmitted to hogs, causing, rusty, stunted hogs which make slow expensive gains. Every farmer should attend this meeting for it will be time well invested.

## CRAWFORD'S GOOD IMPRESSION

### Candidate for Sheriff Is Received Well by the Whole County

E. E. Crawford, candidate for the office of sheriff of DeKalb county, has traveled over the whole county several times during his campaign and the reports that reach this office from the various newspapers in the towns in which he has visited are of the highest complimentary type. Not only is he a man of affable manner and pleasing personality, but the background of his whole campaign is built on the platform of justice and a square deal to everyone.

Every person he meets readily becomes a friend and this item is born out in all the newspapers with which he comes in contact.

## KIRKLAND VOTES FOR SCHOOL

### Community High District Includes Part of South Grove

Kirkland and a part of South Grove voted a community high school on Thursday, last. The vote resulted 257 for and 134 against.

This district includes the east 24 sections of Franklin township and eight northwest sections in South Grove Township. The next step will be the election of a board of education for the newly organized district. James Benham is the present superintendent of schools there.

Fairdale also in Franklin township will vote on March 25.

## ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the citizen's, legal voters of the town of Genoa in the county of DeKalb and state of Illinois, that the annual town meeting for said town will be held on Tuesday, the 4th day of April next, being the first Tuesday of the month for the following purposes, viz: To elect 1 commissioner of highways, 1 trustee of schools, 1 assessor, 1 town clerk, 1 trustee of schools, 1 justice of the peace, 1 Thistle commissioner and three trustees of Cemetery and to transact the miscellaneous business of the town, and to act upon any additional subjects which may in pursuance of law, come before said meeting when convened.

Polls will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon and closed at five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

Given under my hand at Genoa, this 24th day of March, A. D. 1922.

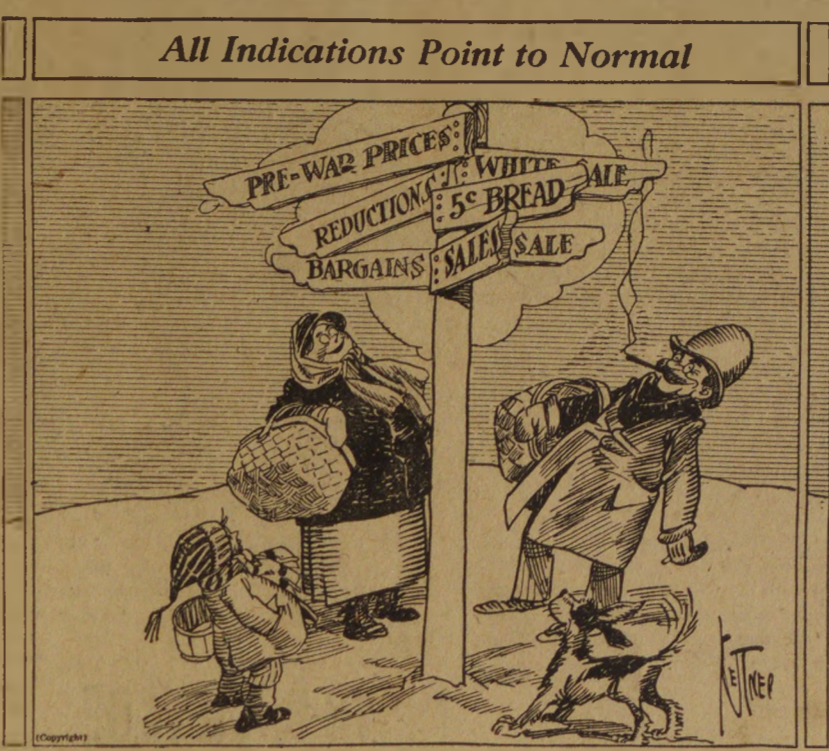
W. W. BUCK,

Town Clerk

## BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Karl Holtgren was completely surprised Monday evening when a number of friends called to play cards, eat a light lunch, assembled before hand and pay the due respects to Mrs. Holtgren on her birthday anniversary.

Fog Cause Loss in England. City fogs are said to cause England more loss in a year than does unemployment.



## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Contributed by Students of the G. T. H. S.—Iolene Gallagher, Editor

### U. A. D. Club's St. Patrick's Party

In spite of wet sidewalks and bad roads, the entire U. A. D. club was present to enjoy the St. Patrick's party at the home of Earle O'Bright. It will be a memorable evening in the records of the club, as it was the first initiation ever held. The new members, Hilda Benson, Slorenc Brown, Vera Sowers and Stiles Henderson, all agreed that it was the easiest initiation they had ever experienced.

The greater part of the evening was spent in romping with the "goat" and this was followed by several interesting games played to test the members' musical and mental abilities. A two course dinner was served later in the evening and everyone felt that St. Patrick's Day had been royally celebrated.

## Freshman Assembly

Last Friday afternoon the freshmen entertained the high school with a St. Patrick's day assembly. Dorothy Adler opened the program with an Irish Medley and accompanied Oliver Patterson on the second number, "Because I am Irish." Three readings, the first by Harold Corson, "The Origin of St. Patrick's Day," second, a personal interview with Ireland's representative "Jim" McLean entitled "St. Patrick's Day as Celebrated in Ireland," and the last by Ray Maderer. James Giblin favored the school with two violin solos.

Kingston Hands G. T. H. S. a Job. A pick-up team of G. T. H. S. boys met defeat at the hands of the Kingston foissers on March 15. The Kingston foissers on March 15. The Kingston boys couldn't even get going. The game was a slow one, with the ball dropping thru the ring occasionally. The final gun found the score 14 all in a five minute overtime period a point was edged in for Kingston.

Bulletin Board Completed. The hall bulletin board has at last been completed and is immediately decorated with a notice of a junior class meeting, followed by several other notices. The feature of the week was a journal published by our ambitious little seventh graders.

## MISSIONARY PARTY

The members of the Missionary societies and invited guests were delightfully entertained at a St. Patrick party at the M. E. church parlors last Friday afternoon. After several amusing contests a short program was enjoyed: Vocal solo, "The Last Rose of Summer", Mrs. Arthur Eiklor; "Talk on the Life and Missionary Work of St. Patrick" by Rev. J. E. Robson; Humorous reading Mrs. A. F. Wallace; piano solo, "Irish Melodies," Mrs. E. W. Brown. Luncheon was served cafeteria style. St. Patrick's decorations were used throughout the rooms and on the tables.

## Can Draw Salary, Anyway.

The office of British prime minister pays no salary, but the man who holds that office can make himself any sort of minister he wishes, such as chairman of the exchequer, which pays \$25,000.

## Poetry at the Graveside.

A new style of professional mourner has appeared in Paris where at the end of the ceremony at the grave he steps up and asks permission to say a last word. No objection being made he recites a piece of suitable poetry with suppressed emotion and when the party is leaving the cemetery he is found waiting at the gate and intimates that a last word is acceptable, which is generally forthcoming.

## And They All Disappear.

The output of the pin factories of Britain amounts to over a million millions of pins a year—a figure which would in ten years cover every town in the kingdom with a layer of pins several inches deep.

## NOTES FROM THE COURT HOUSE

### Three Suits Brought Against C. M. & St. P. R. R.

## MRS. DE MAY IS GIVEN DIVORCE

### Payment of an \$800 Note Causes a Great Controversy—Twelve Lawyers Engaged

(By Special Correspondent)

The circuit court is still busily at work, with Judge Cliffe presiding. The assumpsit case of Dan J. Fry vs. C. E. Firkins was dismissed, costs paid. The trespass on the case suit of N. B. Westlake et al vs. C. M. & St. Paul road was set for trial March 27th. Following the trial of this important case the trover suit of George L. Eddy vs. the same railroad company will be tried so that considerable work is promised for the future. To follow the Eddy case the trespass on the case suit of Henry E. Luhman vs. the same railroad company, has been set. Three in a row against the St. Paul. Just after the Luhman case the trespass suit of Albert Stoke vs. Clyde Spohn et al will be tried. The appeal case of L. C. Gramp vs. Abraham Levin has been dismissed. So has the assumpsit case of John Farley vs. E. F. Shellabarger which promised a fight of the first magnitude.

The divorce case of Mary Klein vs. Victor Klein came on for a hearing before the court and the judge ordered temporary injunction to issue against the defendant restraining him from selling, assigning, encumbering or otherwise disposing of any of his real estate and personal property until the further order of the court and the DeKalb Trust & Savings banks is also enjoined from turning over to said Victor Klein any money on deposit in its bank or paying the same out or turning over or delivering up the possession of any personal property in its possession until the further order of this court. No bond was required of the complainant.

A letter from Judge Irwin to L. B. Smith stated that the judge was in Hollywood, Calif., where he had mended in health so nicely and so rapidly that he expected to be back home the last of April. He found himself able to walk out every day and take other foms of invigorating exercise.

The divorce suit brought by Mary Hamsmith, solicitor for Mrs. DeMay, vs. Edward DaMay, was heard by the court Thursday and from the evidence produced the court ordered a decree to be granted.

The assumpsit case of Lawrence Roush vs. G. A. Dayton was continued.

The biggest case of the term so far was the case of J. E. Hardy vs. I. W. George to recover on an \$800 note. Defendant pleaded that the note was given to cover a gambling deal on the board of trade or a bucket shop operated by the son of plaintiff in Shabbona. In a former suit between the son and the defendant, the gambling feature was pleaded but the jury found for the plaintiff. The case was appealed to the appellate court which held that the note was given for a gambling debt in a bucket. This case, however, is said by plaintiff to be entirely different. The defendant had a lot of money in his bucket shop deals and needing the sum of \$800 he applied to plaintiff for a loan of the amount. Plaintiff says he went to the bank and got the money and gave it to defendant; that he, plaintiff, had no knowledge of any so called gambling debts. The trip to the bank and the loan of the money were proved by plaintiff. The case started last Tuesday and ran all day Wednesday and Thursday. The jury in the case are: Carl Armstrong, Dan Kenedy, Charles Benson, Bert Byro, Albert Larson, Amos Almborg, J. Lockwood Barson, Ray Blair, B. B. Brigham, Emery Hardsell, H. J. Stronc and William Lanzo.

On Wednesday the defendant asked the court to take the case from the jury and direct a verdict for the defendant. This the court declined to do.

Carrie Kell of the city of Sandwich, filed a bill for separate maintenance against her husband, John William Kell, also of Sandwich, in the Circuit Court.

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## JUDGE CLIFFE IN LINE

### Probable Successor to Judge Landis On Federal Bench

The Chicago Journal of Thursday said: "Word today was passed along the line of many Republican applicants for the vacancy in the United States District court caused by the resignation of Judge Landis that Judge Adam C. Cliffe of the circuit court of DeKalb county has been practically agreed upon for the place.

President Harding will make the appointment shortly after his return from the south, on the endorsements of Senators McCormick and McKinley. It has been known for some time that Judge Cliffe was under favorable consideration. He was practically assured that he would be named to fill the new judgeship provided for in a bill in congress before the resignation of Judge Landis.

## Is Influential Republican

Judge Cliffe is one of the most influential Republicans in northern Illinois. He has enjoyed a large personal following and a host of friends who have stuck to him despite factional differences in the party. He has been identified with the Lowden-McCormick groups, but as a member of the state central committee in 1920 took an active part in the campaign to elect the whole Republican ticket. He was chairman of the speaker's committee. Many of the circuit judges of the state are among those who have endorsed Judge Cliffe.

The dispatches from Chicago also state that Judge Edward D. Shurtleff of Marengo would be named to the federal judgeship provided for in a bill laid before congress before Judge Landis retired.

## A BIT O'TRUTH

The disqualification of eight Notre Dame athletic stars follows closely similar action taken by the University of Illinois against nine of its best athletes.

Small town rivalry is the thing that has brought about the predicament to these college men. One town, to gain ascendancy over another imports a lot of college or professional stars; its rival hears of it and does likewise. And what is gained? Not a thing anyone can think of. No glory, no prestige, no credit can come of such a contest. The athletic prowess of a town's own young men is not a decisive factor in either victory or defeat. And all the "home folks" know it. You can't pull the wool over their eyes. You can't import a lot of "ring-rs" without everybody getting wise" to the fact.

Only when small town rivalry maintains a purely amateur basis in athletics is there genuine, enduring public interest in local contests. People everywhere should insist on keeping amateur sports purely amateur. No amount of camouflage can last. There is no lasting glory or credit in it for anybody.—Houghton Gazette.

## Happenings of the World Tersely Told

### Washington

Representatives Kahn and Dallinger condemned efforts in the house at Washington to reduce the army below safety proportions and to usurp the power of President for army distribution.

The government's operating expenses were reduced \$40,041,000 in February, in economies effected by the budget, the Treasury department announced at Washington.

Oscar L. Cain, former United States district attorney for the eastern district of Washington, was found dead in the bathroom of his residence at Spokane, Wash., with his throat slashed.

The government's policy toward wage controversies in the anthracite and bituminous coal industries is and will continue to be that of "hands off," it was said by Secretary of Labor Davis at Washington.

The much-contested soldier bonus bill was formally presented to the house of representatives at Washington by Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee.

This government has taken its fight for reimbursement for maintenance of the American army on the Rhine direct to London, Paris and Rome, it was learned at Washington.

Twenty-five bids were received by the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet corporation at Washington for the 1,400 vessels comprising the merchant marine fleet, it was announced there.

An extension of 25 years for payment of \$50,000,000 grain debt owed the United States was granted Austria in a resolution adopted by the senate at Washington.

### Domestic

Operation of a nation-wide baseball lottery with headquarters in Cleveland is indicated, police announced, as the result of the arrest of a man at St. Louis believed to be the local agent.

Attorneys lost their fight to get John Duval Dodge, young millionaire, out of the house of correction at Detroit, Mich., where he was sentenced for five days on a speeding charge.

Dry raiders found liquor in the fifth leg of a dining table, in a rooming house, at Breckenridge, Tex. The leg had been hollowed. The woman who owns the table paid \$100 and costs.

Benjamin F. Austine, president of the Augustine Automatic Rotary Engine company, Buffalo, N. Y., was held for trial at Charlotte, Mich., on a charge of violating the state "blue sky" laws.

One hundred and fifty Chicago druggists lost their licenses by order of Charles A. Gregory, prohibition director, for selling liquor on fraudulent prescriptions.

Five masked men at night stripped, glued and feathered a man on the public square at Sulphur Springs, Tex., and then told him to go home to his family and behave properly hereafter.

Traffic Policeman W. H. Garratt appeared on the police court records at Oakland, Cal., as the complaining witness against his wife for cutting a corner at the crossing where he was on duty.

John D. Dodge, son of the late John Dodge, millionaire automobile manufacturer, was given a five-day jail sentence when he appeared in speeders' court and pleaded guilty to reckless driving at Detroit, Mich.

Counsel for Mrs. Edith Kelly Gould, divorced wife of Frank Gould, told Justice Newburger of the Supreme court at New York that his client needed \$45,000 annually for living expenses.

E. H. Ives, superintendent of the Detroit United railway, his wife, three children and a guest were killed when an interurban car struck their automobile near Detroit, Mich.

Marcella Matthews, seventeen-year-old school girl, who killed her alleged betrayer in a courtroom at Waco, Tex., on February 24, was freed of all charges brought against her.

Pope Plus at Rome appointed Rev. Patrick J. Keane, titular bishop of Samaria, as bishop of the diocese of Sacramento, Cal.

A straight drop of 20 cents a hundred pounds on flour from Portland, Ore., to Atlantic coast ports is announced. The new rate is 35 cents a hundred.

For the first time in the history of Bakersfield, Cal., people there awakened to see the city covered with a blanket of snow.

Six hundred thousand union miners in the anthracite and bituminous fields will quit work April 1, unless some unforeseen solution of the present wage controversy is offered in the meantime, John L. Lewis, president of the International organization of United Mine Workers, announced at New York.

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Hopelessly deadlocked after almost 53 hours of deliberation, the jury of three women and nine men trying Mrs. Madelynn Obenchain at Los Angeles, Cal., for the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, was dismissed by Superior Judge Reeve.

Irene Reichert, ten years of age, was burned to death, and her mother, Mrs. Bernice Reichert, and her seven-year-old brother, Berent, were seriously burned when fire destroyed their home at Detroit, Mich.

Mary Seattle, niece of Chief Seattle, for whom the city of Seattle was named, and one of the best-known Indian women of the section, died at her cabin on the banks of Green river, near Auburn, Wash.

### Personal

Mrs. Henrietta A. Hepburn, eighty-nine, widow of A. D. Hepburn, former president of Miami university, died at Oxford, O. She was the daughter of William Holmes McGuffey, author of the McGuffey reader.

Rev. Charles Eugene Betticher, Episcopal clergyman and editor of "The Spirit of the Missions," died at Cos Cob, Conn., friends at New York were advised.

A son was born to Alice Brady, the actress, last Friday, it was learned from a birth certificate filed at Mount Vernon, N. Y. Miss Brady recently was divorced from James L. Crane, actor.

### Sporting

Johnny Dundee of New York won the decision over Charlie White of Chicago in a slashing 15-round bout at the Madison Square Garden at New York.

### Foreign

Baron Manton of Compton Verney was thrown from his horse and killed while fox hunting near Stratford-on-Avon. Lord Manton formerly was Joseph Watson, head of a big soap firm.

Four men in disguise entered the St. Bride's home at Galway, Ireland, and shot and killed Sergeants Gibbons and Gilmartin and seriously wounded a constable. Just previously three masked men entered the workhouse hospital and killed Patrick Cassidy of Mayo.

Mustapha Kemal Pasha has gone from Angora to the general headquarters of the Turkish nationalist army, and will inspect the Turkish advance divisions, preparatory to the coming offensive.

Twenty natives were killed and thirty wounded at Nairobi, British East Africa, in fighting which followed demonstrations over the arrest of the Indian agitator Thuku, says a London dispatch.

A serious epidemic of smallpox is sweeping Costa Rica. A dispatch from San Jose says 2,000 persons have the disease.

A rescript issued at Cairo, Egypt, by Sultan Ahmed Fuad announces that Egypt has become an independent and sovereign state and he takes title of king of Egypt.

Complaint that Germany is resisting the disarmament clause of the Versailles treaty is contained in a note received by the German government at Berlin from the allied commission.

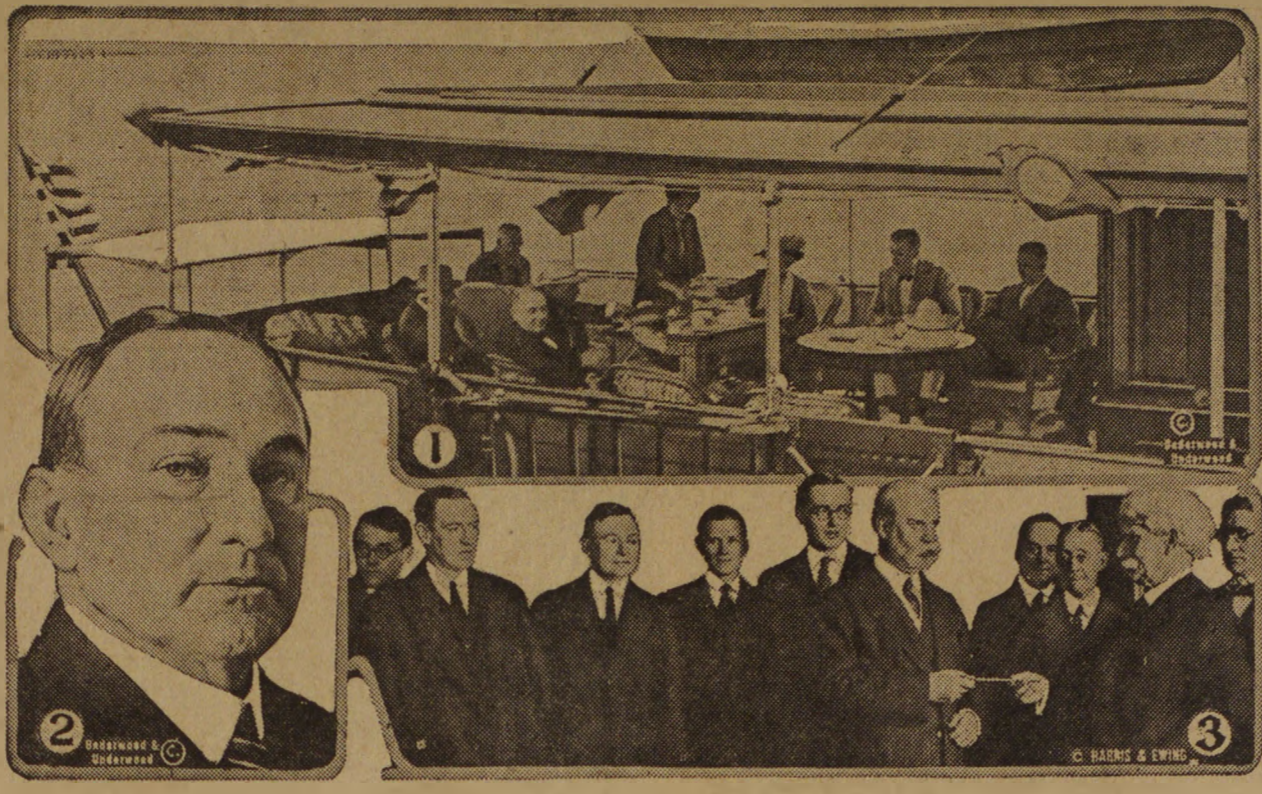
For the first time in six years there were public parades in Dublin and throughout Ireland on St. Patrick's day. There were masses in all the churches honoring Irishmen who fell in the war.

Mokandas K. Gandhi, the Indian non-co-operative leader, who was arrested recently on charges of sedition, was sentenced to six years' imprisonment without hard labor at Ahmedabad, India.

Viscount Peel, former under-secretary of the war and air ministry and chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster in the present government at London, has been appointed secretary of state for India.

Artillery, tanks and airplanes were used in the capture of Fordsburg, near Johannesburg, from the revolutionists. They disregarded notices dropped from airplanes, giving them until 11 a. m. to surrender, but capitulated after 75 minutes of bombardment.

The dollar has reached its highest quotation for this year at Berlin, bringing 283 marks to the dollar. Persistent rumors were circulated on the bourse that the reichstag has reached the bottom of its gold purse.



1. President Harding and party on houseboat Nameoka at the start of a voyage down the east coast of Florida from New Smyrna; his plans then were to leave Florida for Washington Friday. 2. Senator J. T. Robinson of Arkansas, whose amendment to the four-power treaty was voted down, 55 to 30. 3. Matthew F. Tighe presenting Secretary Hughes with gold shears on behalf of the newspaper men covering the State department.

## NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

### Four-Power Pacific Treaty to Be Ratified by Senate Unless All Signs Fail.

### MARGIN AT LEAST FIVE VOTES

### Allied Reparations Commission Declines to Pay Bill for American Expenses on Rhine—Fighting in South Africa in Ferment.

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN.

THE four-power Pacific treaty, it was asserted last week, would be ratified by the senate, unless all signs should fail. A margin of at least five votes was predicted. It follows that the other six pacts of the armament conference will be approved as a matter of course, if the treaty is ratified.

An agreement to vote was reached Wednesday. It was further agreed to take no more votes on amendments or reservations before the final vote, and to limit debate. It looked last week as if Senator Underwood, minority leader, would come across with at least eleven votes, instead of the eight he was expected to deliver.

Early in the assault on the treaty came the charges that the treaty had been framed by the British and Japanese; that secret negotiations had been concealed, and that the American delegates had been imposed upon.

Secretary of State Hughes thereupon stated that he wrote the treaty, that there was no mystery about the treaty and that it was a good treaty. He was modest about it and he was plain-spoken. His statement was made in the form of a letter to Senator Underwood of Alabama, one of the four American delegates, who as minority senate leader is charged with the onerous job of delivering enough Democratic votes to assure the ratification of the treaty.

Secretary Hughes said, among other things: "The treaty itself is very short and simple, and is perfectly clear. It requires no commentary. Its engagements are easily understood, and no ingenuity in argument or hostile criticism can add to them or make them other or greater than its unequivocal language sets forth. There are no secret notes or understandings."

"In view of this, the question of authorship is unimportant. It was signed by four powers, whose delegates, respectively, adopted it, all having made various suggestions. I may say, however, with respect to the general course of negotiations that after assent had been given by Great Britain and Japan that France should be a party to the agreement, I prepared a draft of the treaty based upon the various suggestions which had been exchanged between the delegates. . . . I should add that, in order to avoid any misunderstanding I prepared a memorandum to accompany the treaty with respect to its effect in relation to the mandated islands and reserving domestic questions."

"At this stage, while it was not strictly a conference matter, in order to insure publicity at the earliest possible moment, the treaty, as thus agreed upon, and before it had been signed, was presented by Senator Lodge to the conference in plenary session and its import and limitations stated. His statement met with the acquiescence of all."

"There is not the slightest mystery about the treaty or basis for suspicion regarding it. It is a straightforward document which attains one of the most important objects the American government has had in view, and is of the highest importance to the maintenance of friendly relations in the Far East upon a sound basis. As the President recently said, in his communication to the senate, it is an essential part of the plan to create conditions in the Far East at once favorable to the maintenance of the policies we have long advocated and to an en-

during peace. In view of this, and in view of the relation of the treaty to the results of the conference, its failure would be nothing short of a national calamity."

The senate debate over ratification confirms the wisdom of the President's choice of Senator Underwood as a conference delegate. There are those who consider the senator from Alabama one of the ablest men in public life. He certainly had a large opportunity for his skill as a debater when he attempted to round up his recalcitrant followers for ratification. The first day he stood for three hours before the Democrats he has led in so many partisan battles, arguing that they should forget party lines and join with the administration forces for ratification. It was almost exclusively a Democratic show, with the Republicans sitting on the sidelines and watching the astute minority leader fight it out with his unruly followers. The anti-treaty Democrats were trying to trap him into an admission that the treaty in effect constituted an entangling alliance. But he insisted on "conference agreement." Some of them "heckled" their leader. Only the unflinching good nature of the Alabamian staved off a stormy session. It was a situation that only an experienced and able man could meet.

Next came an assault on the treaty by Senator Rorah of Idaho and Senator Johnson of California, Republican irreconcilables. They questioned the authorship of the treaty, despite the letter from Secretary Hughes. Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, majority leader, made them admit they had not meant to reflect on the veracity of Secretary Hughes. In effect the two senators assailed the treaty as a "quadruple alliance." Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin answered them.

The pro-treaty forces scored a victory Tuesday when they voted down an amendment by Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas designed to wreck the treaty. The Robinson amendment would have had the effect of converting the four-power pact into a league of nations. It pledged all the signatories to respect each other's territorial integrity and to commit no act of aggression against any nation outside the pact. Furthermore, it provided, in case of disputes, that outside nations interested should be invited to participate in conferences held under the terms of the four-power pact.

The vote was 55 to 30. Eleven members were absent. Six were paired. The five unpaired absentees are all counted for ratification. Four Republicans, committed against ratification, voted for the amendment: Borah of Idaho, Johnson of California, La Follette of Wisconsin and France of Maryland. Four Democrats voted against it: Underwood of Alabama, Pomerene of Ohio, Ransdell of Louisiana and Williams of Mississippi. Later similar amendments by Senators Walsh of Montana and Pittman of Nevada, both Democrats, were voted down by substantially the same vote. Then a series of amendments and reservations was dumped into the hamper to be ready for presentation before the final roll call.

LIFE to Uncle Sam just now must seem just one treaty after another. Anyway, he presented last week to the allied reparations commission in Paris a bill for \$241,000,000 for the expenses of the American army of occupation on the Rhine up to May 1, 1921. The allied commissioners registered frozen horror, but thawed sufficiently to stick the bill on a spindle. You see, they were engaged in dividing up among themselves a reparations payment of 1,000,000,000 gold marks by Germany and naturally regarded the presentation of the American claim—which to date is something like \$260,000,000—as very bad form. They therefore washed their hands of the matter and referred it to the allied governments.

The French press sets forth what is presumably the allied view: The United States declined to ratify the treaty of Versailles, hence it has no legal claim to payment under its terms. The United States made its own separate treaty with Germany; therefore it should do its own collecting from Germany. The British press—some of it—thinks that, while Uncle Sam has no legal claim, he may have a moral claim, but why didn't he speak up

sooner? All of which lends emphasis to the saying of the Man on the Street: "We have all the real money in the world and for that very reason not a single real friend." Evidently the new funding commission to see what can be done about the eleven billions of allied debts is in for an adventure.

### DO YOU remember London Punch's famous cartoon depicting a family council of the British Lion's restless brood during the World war? Well, the Union of South Africa is sure restless. Last week saw the climax and suppression of the strike of miners which has held South Africa in its grip for more than two months. It had all the hallmarks of an attempt at revolution. The strikers captured half a dozen towns and nearly got possession of Johannesburg. Gen. Jan Christian Smuts, the premier, proclaimed martial law, called out all the government troops and took command in person. Censored reports show the killing of more than 1,000 strikers, police and soldiers. Grenades, bombs, machine guns, airplanes and tanks figured in the fighting; cities were bombarded; thousands of strikers were captured. It was real war for a week. The South African Industrial federation then declared the strike off and denied complicity in the rebellion. This man Smuts is a strong man. He has risen from a Dutch general in the Boer war to one of the leading statesmen of the British commonwealth of nations, as he calls it. Many believe Smuts to be the logical successor to Lloyd George.

NEW tangles mark the complicated situation in India. The arrest of Gandhi, leader of the non-co-operationists, was followed by widespread protests from all the Moslem world. Then Britain was started by the unauthorized publication by E. S. Montagu, British secretary of state for India, of a telegram from the India government making demands for the restoration of Turkey. This constitutes an appeal to the world by a subordinate British government over the head of the imperial government. Lloyd George censured Mr. Montagu and demanded his resignation. Mr. Montagu resigned, but talked back, putting Lloyd George and Curzon on the defensive. Lord Derby was asked to take the secretaryship for India and declined. This, coming upon the failure of the unionists' meeting Tuesday to give Lloyd George a vote of confidence, has raised again the possibility of the resignation of the premier. His political enemies hold it impossible for him to retain the position. Nevertheless, it has been announced that Lloyd George and Curzon will attend the Genoa conference April 10.

REVISION of the Republican soldier bonus bill was finished Tuesday by the ways and means committee, which thereupon reported the measure to the house by a vote of 19 to 5. The program calls for prompt passage of the bill by the house. Report is that the senate will not accept the bill as it comes from the house and that a long delay in the senate finance committee is inevitable. The bill provides cash bonuses only for veterans entitled to less than \$50. Four options are given to others: an adjusted service certificate, farm or home aid, land settlement aid, and vocational training.

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**Slim Missed Something.**  
The company clerk had been reprimanded by the first sergeant on several occasions, and he was beginning to have a chronic grouch. One evening he came into the company quarters looking gloomier than ever.

"Whatta matter, Slim?" asked his buddy. "You musta been havin' some more hard luck!"

"Hard luck?" said Slim. "Till say I had hard luck. The company commander came around this morning and bawled out the top, and I wasn't there to hear it."—The Leatherneck.

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14-1f. Charles H. Talbot

**FOR SHERRIFF OF DEKALB COUNTY**

I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of Sheriff of DeKalb County before the Republican primaries April 11, 1922. If you are satisfied with the service I gave during my previous term as sheriff I would appreciate your vote.

JAMES SCOTT

**TO THE VOTERS OF DEKALB COUNTY**

I am a candidate for sheriff of DeKalb County, subject to the Republican Primary in April, 1922. I believe in an impartial enforcement of the laws and that my experience in life fit me for the office. I respectfully solicit the support of all the voters.

William F. Hemenway  
Oct. 17, 1921 .51-1f

**NEW LEBANON**

Martha Botcher is on the sick list. S. Bowers called at E. P. Zerby's Friday.

L. Gray and family motored to Elgin Saturday.

L. Irving called at Chas. Coon's Saturday.

S. Ford and family spent Sunday at E. Kiner's.

S. Ford is the owner of a Mitchell automobile.

H. Keornor and family spent Sunday at H. Krueger's.

Chas. Coon and family spent Sunday at Wm. Engle's.

G. Ruth and family were Sunday guests at S. Bowers'.

Ben Awe and son, Delbert, called at Chas. Coon's Friday.

M. Primm and family spent Sunday at J. Botcher's home.

Wm. Drendell and family called at Wm. Dumolin's Monday.

Mrs. Elmer Colton spent last week at the home of T. B. Gray.

J. Botcher and family spent Monday evening at H. Keoner's.

J. Botcher and family called at H. Japp's Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Japp and son, Arlo, motored to Elgin Friday.

Wm. Botcher and family spent Sunday at J. Botcher's home.

Mrs. T. Reinken and daughter called at Mrs. M. Finley's Tuesday.

Bruce Bowers and wife of Elburn, spent Wednesday at S. Bowers'.

Frank Schell and Miss Lena Sester called at Wm. Botcher's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stofgren and children called at J. Botcher's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hackman and children motored to DeKalb Friday.

J. Botcher and family of Sycamore were Sunday callers at J. Botcher's.

Chas. Coon and family called at Wm. Botcher's home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Modeen and daughter, Myrtle, called at J. Japp's Sunday.

H. Klock and family and J. Maynard and family spent Sunday at W. Dumolin's.

Miss Mary Drendell is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Grohmond at Burlington.

Miss Wilman Botcher spent a few days in Hampshire with her sister, Mrs. A. Hartman.

John Japp and family attended the school meeting held at J. Maynard's Saturday evening.

L. Gray and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gray and daughter, Deon, spent Sunday at D. Gray's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Keoner spent over Sunday at Chicago at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Carney.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gray, Mrs. E. Colton and Dick Galanor motored to Genoa Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Botcher and daughters, Martha and Lillia, called at H. Japp's Thursday evening.

Miss Martha Krueger was a week end visitor at the home of her parents, H. Krueger and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Krueger returned Friday from a three weeks' visit with their son, Arthur, and family of Greshman, Nebraska.

Mr. M. Primm and daughter, Arline, spent a few days last week visiting at G. Langdon's home at Congress Park, Chicago.

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The undersigned, having decided to quit farming, will sell at public auction on his farm 2 miles east of Genoa on

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

Announcement is hereby made that the Colors of the Primary Ballots to be used at a Primary Election to be held in DeKalb County, Illinois, on the 11th day of April A. D. 1922, by respective parties will be as follows:

Republican Party, White,  
Democratic Party, Green,  
Socialist Party, Cherry,  
Farm Labor Party, Yellow,  
Dated the 14th day of March, A. D. 1922. S. M. Henderson, County Clerk

**He Knew Her.**

To the husband of the novelist the publisher was extolling her manifold virtues. "She has wonderful powers of observation," he said, "combined with a remarkable descriptive faculty and an inexhaustible vocabulary." "You said it," agreed the husband. "She can look at another woman's gown for two seconds and describe it for two hours without repeating herself."

**Tribute and Tax.**  
Tribute is money, commodity of value or service rendered by one ruler or state to another in token of submission, while taxes are financial burdens imposed by a state upon its own subjects. In early times there was not this distinction, for, under the feudal system especially, taxation, tribute and rent were often identical.

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**NOTES FROM THE COURT HOUSE**

(Continued from Page 1)  
 Court of De Kalb County. It is alleged in the bill that the parties were married on February 22, 1894 and lived together until February 14, 1922. Four children were born out of the marriage, Tita Dannewitz, Vada Kell, Ernest Kell and Olive Kell. The complainant states that she always treated her husband with kindness, but that about five years ago he commenced a course of cruel and unkind treatment toward her which continued until she finally separated from him on February 14, 1922. That on February 13, 1922 he ordered her to depart from their common residence in Sandwich and in consequence of his conduct it became unsafe to live with him. She further states that he is possessed of property of the value of \$15,000 and has an income of about \$4,000 per year and asks the court to compel him to make suitable provision for her separate maintenance. The bill is filed to the June Term of court at which time no doubt the defendant will present his side of the matrimonial difficulties.

Pearl Kuntz of the city of DeKalb filed suit on Monday in the circuit court against Mary Klein, also of DeKalb for the sum of \$10,000 damages. The present suit grows out of the divorce action which Mary Klein brought on last Friday against her husband, Victor Klein. The complainant alleged statutory grounds for the divorce and named the plaintiff, Pearl Kuntz, as correspondent in the bill. The praecipe has been filed and further particulars will be available when the declaration is filed to the June term of court.

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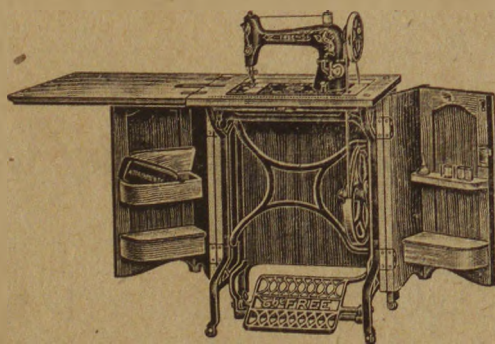
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**NOTICE**

Mystic Worker dues and assessments for March should be paid on or before the last of this month.  
Mrs. Fannie Heed, Secy.

**NOTICE**

Attention is called to the fact that the auxiliary meeting of Friday night with the Legion boys is postponed until further notice.

**NOTICE**

I am a candidate for re-election as county superintendent of schools and respectfully solicit the support of the voters at the primaries of April 11, 1922. WARREN HUBBARD, 21-3t

**Mothers—Important**

Mothers should see that the whole family take a thoro, purifying system cleansing laxative this Spring. NOW IS THE TIME. The family will be healthier, happier, and get along better if the blood is given a thoro purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter accumulated in the system, driven away. HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGGET TABLETS—is one of the very best and surest spring medicines to take. Get them and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll eat better, sleep better, and be well and happy.—Baldwin's Pharmacy.

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"We have sold 97,000 bottles of Tanlac and have never had a single complaint."—Jacob's Pharmacy, Atlanta, Ga.—Sold by Baldwin's Pharmacy.

Mrs. F. E. Sandall of Elgin visited the home of her son, E. E. Sandall, last week.

Dress Shirts for a dollar. Hughes Clothing Co.

Miss Mary Prain is quite ill at the present writing.

Jas. Brown is still confined to his home by illness.

Milburn Duval of Elgin spent the week end here.

Mrs. Howard King of Chicago spent the week end here.

Mrs. F. O. Swan and daughter, Helen, spent the week end with Rockford friends.

Mrs. Stinger will show up-to-date line of hats at Olmsted's store on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Lembke and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt spent Monday with Mrs. Lee Smith at Kingston.

Call at Olmsted's Saturday afternoon and see Mrs. Stinger's new line of Millinery goods.

Mrs. Frank Russell and daughter, Ruby, spent the week end in Chicago.

J. A. Patterson left for Indiana Monday morning on a business trip. While there he will visit his sons, Dillon and Allen at South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Johnson moved here from Elgin Monday and will live in the August Rosenke house in the east part of town. Mr. Johnson is employed in the piano factory.

Buy your new spring hat of Mrs. Stinger at Olmsted's.

Mrs. E. H. Crandall of Roselle was here Friday calling on old friends.

J. L. Patterson transacted business in Woodstock Tuesday.

Lion Brand Work Shoes, all leather, Hughes Clothing Co.

Men's and young men's suits, \$15 to \$30. Hughes Clothing Co.

Mass will be said at St. Catherine's catholic church next Sunday morning at 9:15.

Miss Mildred Hewitt of Belvidere spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Margaret Prazier.

Harry Wahl, employee at the B. & G. garage broke his wrist Wednesday morning cranking a Ford.

Mrs. Etta Anderson returned home Tuesday after a two weeks' visit with relatives at Elgin and Franklin Park.

Mrs. Emma Kohn has been absent from her duties at the Selz Schwab Co. for sometime because of illness.

At the Grand theatre on Friday and Saturday night, Doris May and Douglas McLean will be seen in "Mary's Ankle", a hurricane of fun from start to finish.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Evans of Rockford were here to attend the Booster's dance Friday evening and spent the week end with the former's mother, Mrs. J. P. Evans.

Ruth Austin is home from DeKalb Normal for a week's vacation.

Mrs. Lizzie Pauline spent the week end with her husband at Elgin.

We will make you a suit, coat, vest and pants from The Royal Tailor line guaranteed all wool for \$25. Hughes Clothing Co.

Mrs. Roe Bennett entertained the H. B. girls this (Thursday) afternoon. Time was spent in fancy work, followed by a luncheon.

Mrs. Chas. Briggs and little daughter of Freeport were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. R. B. Field, from Friday until Monday.

"Black is White" featuring Dorothy Dalton at the Grand theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, March 28 and 29. Just think, she married her own husband! He, thinking her dead, believed her another woman! Then the revenge she had planned through bitter years—see the picture.

Byer's experience in legislative matters in both Washington and Springfield, his experience on the platform, and his good record in the last general assembly should be worth something.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wylde of Genoa, who are spending the winter in Los Angeles, Calif., announce the birth of a daughter, born March 13.

Rev. Kahl of Kirkland preached at the M. E. church Tuesday evening.

John Geithman was on the Chicago market with stock last Thursday.

The DeKalb County friends, and evidently they are many, of John H. Byers, of Dixon, appear to be getting busy in the interest of John's return to the state legislature as state representative from this district. He is up for re-election on the Republican ticket at the April 11th primary.

A most pleasant evening was enjoyed by all who attended the St. Patrick's dancing party given by the Booster Club at Slater's hall last Friday evening. The "Music Spillers" of Rockford furnished splendid music and the hall was elaborately decorated in keeping with the day and a goodly crowd attended despite the inclement weather.

Miss Martha Schert was the guest of honor at a shower given for her at the home of Mrs. Will Clausen Monday evening, the guests being seventeen co-workers of the Selz Schwab Shoe Co. The evening was spent in a social way and a delightful luncheon was served. Miss Schert was the

recipient of a number of beautiful pieces of cut glass and linen. She will soon become the bride of Frank Blundy.

The roads in this part of the country have not been as bad in years. It is well nigh impossible to get a car thru some of the spots. Over 50 autos have been stuck in the mud around Genoa within the past week.

Al Sickles of Chicago was calling on friends in Genoa Thursday of this week.

Martin has the most up-to-date line of jewelry, cut glass and silver in the northern part of the county. Just drop in and look around, you'll soon be convinced.

The P. E. O. Sisterhood met at the home of Mrs. C. D. Schoonmaker Wednesday evening of this week. After a short business meeting and program a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.

Dr. A. M. Hill is tearing down his barn on Locust street and will build a house in the east section of the city.

Read and Use the Want Ad Coinma

## Want Ads

25c 5 lines or less

**For Sale**

**FOR SALE**—Second hand dining table. Inquire at Cooper's Furniture Store. 20-3t.

**FOR SALE**—Lots No. 7 and 8 block 1 Nichols addition, also No. 17 double flat block No. 2 Travers addition, to village of Genoa. Wm., Ohlendorf, Freeport, Illinois. 13-tf.

**FOR SALE**—A few loads of choice timothy hay for sale. Inquire of Martin Anderson, Genoa. Tel. 907-11.

**FOR SALE**—A few hundred bushels of yellow seal oats raised in 1920, free of foul weeds. G. C. Kitchen, Genoa.

**FOR SALE**—Edison Graphophone and four dozen records. Price \$30. Call 931-2-3 Mrs. Candace Johnson. 21-tf

**FOR SALE**—Early Yellow Dent seed corn, 98 per cent germination. Luman W. Colton 21-tf

**FOR SALE**—Two year old yellow seed oats free from foul seed. 50c per bushel. Max Burroughs, Jr, 914-31 21-1t.

**FOR SALE**—Sandwich steel hay press and 8 H. P. Sandwiche engine. Inquire of E. W. Lindgrgen, Genoa 21-2t

**Wanted**

**INSURANCE**—Call on C. A. Brown or Lorene Brown, Genoa, Ill., or insurance. Any kind, anywhere.

**WANTED TO SELL**—one lumber wagon and gravel boards. Raymond Lange. Box 109, Genoa Illinois. 21-1t

**WANTED**—I would like to take a few washings. Will call for and deliver. Mrs. Raymond Lange. 21-1t.

The Yeoman will meet regularly on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month. Geo. Siebens, deputy. Phone 914-04 21-3t\*

**NOTICE**

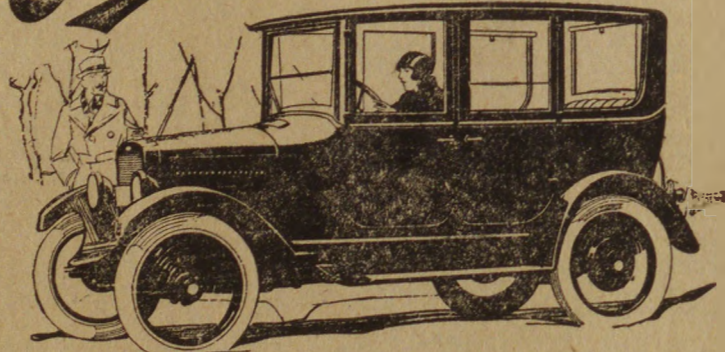
The Prairie View Stock Farm will not have their sale this year but will sell their stock at private sale at any time. Hartman & Muhr. 10-tf

**Lands and City Property**

**FOR SALE**—Two houses. One in Eu rekka Park addition is 6 room house with a garage and chicken house 1 in citizen's addition is 8 room house large barn and chicken house. Modern improvements. Also 2 lots in Park addition. Peter Rosenke. 15-2t\* There are adjacent lots to the above houses that may be purchased also.

**FOR SALE**—Eight residence properties at anywhere from \$600.00 to \$8,000.00, according to location and improvements. Some of these ought to fit and suit you if you want any. 85-tf D. S. Brown.

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Good-looking with its blue and black finish, its four doors, its tan velours interior.

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A well known business man almost failed some time ago. His credit should have been first class but it was not. He did not keep his promises strictly. His notes at the bank were allowed to become past due.

When the bank examiners came to look over the loans made by the bank they found this man's record and advised the banker to "go slow" with that man in the future.

It pays to take care of your notes promptly when they fall due—either paying them or renewing them if that is the plan agreed upon.

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A Mistake.

There was a commotion in the theater and the usher was seen ejecting a man. The man was sputtering angrily when the manager came into the lobby.

"Why did you eject this man?" asked the manager.

"He was hissing the performance," replied the usher.

"Why did you hiss the performance?" asked the manager.

"I d-d-didn't h-h-hiss," stammered the man. "I m-m-erely s-s-said t-t-to m-my friend beside me: 'S-S-Sammy, is-s-s-n't it s-s-s-superb?'"—Pittsburgh Press.

Improvements.

"I'm glad to note that father's musical sense is improving," exclaimed Miss Curox.

"But," protested her mother, "he slept through the entire concert."

"That's what shows the improvement. He now sleeps serenely instead of making disagreeable remarks throughout the performance."

Proof.

"I am a philosopher," admitted the gentleman whose frontpiece was so elongated and so solemn as that of a rare old fiddle.

"What makes you think so?" he skeptically inquired.

"Because," he answered, "although I am aware that I am not appreciated it does not hurt my feelings in the least."—Kansas City Star.

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# Ramsey Milholland



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**THE FIGHT.**

Synopsis.—With his grandfather, small Ramsey Milholland is watching the "Decoration Day Parade" in the home town. The old gentleman, a veteran of the Civil war, endeavors to impress the youngster with the significance of the great conflict, and many years afterward, Ramsey is not distinguished for remarkable ability, though his pronounced dislikes are arithmetic, "Recitations" and German. In sharp contrast to Ramsey's backwardness is the precocity of little Dora Yocum, a young lady whom in his bitterness he denominates "Teacher's Pet."

**CHAPTER III.—Continued.**

Here was a serious affront, at least to Ramsey Milholland's way of thinking; for Ramsey, also now proved sensitive. He quieted his friends—"Shut up!"—and advanced toward Wesley. "You look here! Who you callin' 'pups?'"

"Everybody!" Wesley hotly returned. "Everybody that goes around mentioning ladies' names on the public streets are pups!"

"They are, are they?" Ramsey as hotly demanded. "Well, you just look here a minute; my own father mentions my mother's name on the public streets whenever he wants to, and you just try callin' my father a pup, and you won't know what happened to you!"

"What'll you do about it?"

"I'll put a new head on you," said Ramsey. "That's what I'll do, because anybody that calls my father or mother a pup—"

"Oh, shut up! I wasn't talkin' about your ole father and mother. I said everybody that mentioned Dora Yocum's name on the public streets was a pup, and I mean it! Everybody that mentions Dora Yocum's name on the pub—"

"Dora Yocum!" said Ramsey. "I got a perfect right to say it anywhere I want to. Dora Yocum, Dora Yocum, Dora Yocum!"

"All right then, you're a pup!"

Ramsey charged upon him and received a smacking blow full in the face, not from Mr. Bender's fist but from the solid bundle of books at the end of the strap. Ramsey saw eight or ten objectives instantly; there were Wesley Benders standing full length in the air on top of other Wesley Benders, and more Wesley Benders zigzagged out sidewise from still other Wesley Benders; nevertheless, he found one of these and it proved to be flesh. He engaged it wildly at fist-cuffs; pounded it upon the countenance and drove it away. Then he sat down upon the curbstone and, with his dizzy eyes shut, leaned forward for the better accommodation of his ensanguined nose.

Wesley had retreated to the other side of the street, holding a grimy handkerchief to the midmost parts of his pallid face. "There, you ole d-n pup!" he shouted, in a voice which threatened a sob. "I guess that'll teach you to be careful how you mention Dora Yocum's name on the public streets!"

At this, Ramsey made a motion as if to rise and pursue, whereupon Wesley fled, walling back over his shoulder as he ran. "You wait till I ketch you out alone on the public streets and I'll—"

His voice was lost in an outburst of hooting from his former friends, who sympathetically surrounded the wounded Ramsey. But in a measure, at least, the chivalrous fugitive had won his point. He was routed and outdone, yet what survived the day was a rumor, which became a sort of tenuous legend among those interested. There had been a fight over Dora Yocum, it appeared, and Ramsey Milholland had attempted to maintain something derogatory to the lady, while Wesley defended her as a knightly youth should.

The boys, unmindful of proper gallantry, supported Ramsey on account of the way he had persisted in lickin' the stuffin' out of Wesley Bender after receiving that preliminary wallop from Wesley's blackjacket bundle of books. The girls petted and championed Wesley; they talked outrageously of his conqueror; fiercely declaring that he ought to be arrested; and for weeks they maintained a new manner toward him. They kept their facial expressions hostile, but perhaps this was more for one another's benefit than for Ramsey's; and several of them went so far out of their way to find even private opportunities for reproving him that an alert observer might have suspected them to have been less indignant than they seemed—but not Ramsey. He thought they all hated him, and said he was glad of it.

Dora was a non-partisan. The little prig was so diligent at her books she

gave never the slightest sign of comprehending that there had been a fight about her. Having no real cognizance of Messrs. Bender and Milholland except as impediments to the advance of learning, she did not even look demure.

**CHAPTER IV.**

With Wesley Bender, Ramsey was again upon fair terms before the winter had run its course; the two were neighbors and, moreover, were drawn together by a community of interests which made their reconciliation a necessity. Ramsey played the guitar and Wesley played the mandolin.

All ill feeling between them died with the first duet of spring, yet the tinkling they made had no charm to soothe the savage breast of Ramsey whenever the Teacher's Pet came into his thoughts. He day-dreamed a thousand ways of putting her in her place, but was unable to carry out any of them, and had but a cobwebby satisfaction in imagining discomfitures for her which remained imaginary. "Just once!" he said to Fred Mitchell. "That's all I ask, just once. Just gimme one chance to show that girl what she really is. I guess if I ever get the chance she'll find out what's the matter with her, for once in her life, anyway." Thus it came to be talked about and understood and expected in Ramsey's circle, all male, that Dora Yocum's day was coming. "You'll see!" said Ramsey. "The time'll come when that ole girl'll wish she'd moved out o' this town before she ever got appointed monitor of our class! Just you wait!"

They waited, but conditions appeared to remain unfavorable indefinitely. Perhaps the great opportunity might have arrived if Ramsey had been able to achieve a startling importance in any of the "various divergent yet parallel lines of school endeavor"—one of the phrases by means of which teachers and principal clogged the minds of their unarmed auditors. But though he was far from being the dumb driven beast of misfortune that he seemed in the schoolroom, and, in fact, lived a double life, exhibiting in his out-of-school hours a remarkable example of "secondary personality"—a creature fearing nothing and capable of laughter; blue eyed, fairly robust, and anything but dumb—he was nevertheless without endowment or attainment great enough to get him distinction.

He "tried for" the high-school eleven, and "tried for" the nine, but the experts were not long in eliminating him from either of these competitions, and he had to content himself with cheering instead of getting cheered. He was by no manner of means athletic, or enough of anything else, to put Dora Yocum in her place, and so he and the great opportunity were still waiting in May, at the end of the second year of high school, when the class, now the "10 A," reverted to an old fashion and decided to entertain itself with a woodland picnic.

They gathered upon the sandy banks of a creek in the blue shade of big, patchy-barked sycamores, with a dancing sky on top of everything and gold dust atwinkle over the water. Either the napkin-covered baskets were brought from the wagons and assembled in the shade, where they appeared as an attractive little meadow of white napery, and gave both surprise and pleasure to communities of ants and to other original settlers of the neighborhood.

From this nucleus or headquarters of the picnic, various expeditions set forth up and down the creek and

through the woods that bordered it. Two envious boy fishermen established themselves upon a bank up-stream, with hooks and lines thoughtfully brought with them, and poles which they fashioned from young saplings. They took muscels from the shallows, for bait, and having gone to all this trouble, declined to share with friends less energetic and provident the perquisites and pleasures secured to themselves.

Albert Paxton was one person who proved his enterprise. Having visited the spot some days before, he had hired for his exclusive use throughout the duration of the picnic an old rowboat belonging to a shanty squatter; it was the only rowboat within a mile or two and Albert had his own uses for it. Albert was the class lover and, after first taking the three chaperon teachers "out for a row," an excursion concluded in about ten minutes, he disembarked them; Sadie Clews stepped into the boat, a pocket camera in one hand, a tennis racket in the other; and the two spent the rest of the day, except for the luncheon interval, solemnly drifting along the banks or grounded on a shoal. Now and then Albert would row a few strokes, and at almost any time when the populated shore glanced toward them, Sadie would be seen photographing Albert, or Albert would be seen photographing Sadie, but the tennis racket remained an enigma. They were sixteen, and had been "engaged" more than two years.

On the borders of the little meadow of baskets there had been deposited two black shapes, which remained undisturbed throughout the day, a closed guitar case and a closed mandolin case, no doubt containing each its proper instrument. So far as any use of these went they seemed to be of the same letsure class to which Sadie's tennis racket belonged, for when one of the teachers suggested music, the musicians proved shy. Wesley Bender said they hadn't learned to play anything much and, besides, he had a couple o' broken strings he didn't know as he could fix up; and Ramsey said he guessed it seemed kind o' too hot to play much. Joining friends, they organized a contest in marksmanship, the target being a floating can which they assailed with pebbles; and after that they "skipped" flat stones upon the surface of the water, then went to join a group gathered about Willis Parker and Heinie Krusemeyer.

No fish had been caught, a lack of luck grossly attributed by the fishermen to the noise made by constant advice on the part of their attendant gallery. Messrs. Milholland, Bender, and the other rock throwers came up shouting, and were ill received.

"For heaven's sakes," Heinie Krusemeyer demanded, "can't you shut up? Here we just first got the girls to keep their mouths shut a minute and I almost had a big pickerel or something on my hook, and here you got to up and yell so he chases himself away! Why can't nobody show a little sense sometimes when they'd ought to? A fish isn't goin' to bite when he can't even hear himself think! Anybody ought to know that much."

But the new arrivals hooted. "Fish!" Ramsey vociferated. "I'll bet a hundred dollars there hasn't been even a minny in this creek for the last sixty years!"

"There is, too!" said Heinie, bitterly. "But I wouldn't be surprised there wouldn't be no longer if you got to keep up this noise. If you'd shut up just a minute you could see yourself there's fish here."

Ramsey leaned forth over the edge of the overhanging bank, a dirt precipice five feet above the water, and peered into the indeterminate depths below. The pool had been stirred, partly by the ineffectual pokings of the fishermen and partly by small clouds and bits of dirt dislodged from above by the feet of the audience. The water, consequently, was but brownly translucent and revealed its secrets reluctantly; nevertheless certain dim little shapes had been observed to move within it, and were still there. Ramsey failed to see them at first.

"Where's any ole fish?" he inquired, scornfully.

"Look!" whispered the girl who stood nearest to Ramsey. She pointed. "There's one. Right down there by Willis' hook. Don't you see him?"

Ramsey was impressed enough to whisper. "Is there? I don't see him. I can't."

The girl came closer to him and, the better to show him, leaned over the edge of the bank and, for safety in maintaining her balance, rested her left hand upon his shoulder while she pointed with her right. Thereupon something happened to Ramsey. This touch upon his shoulder was almost nothing, and he had never taken the slightest interest in Milla Rust (to whom that small warm hand belonged), though she was the class beauty, and long established in the office. Now, all at once, a peculiar and heretofore entirely unfamiliar sensation suddenly became important in the upper part of his chest. For a moment he held his breath, an involuntary action—he seemed to be standing in a shower of flowers.

"Don't you see it, Ramsey?" Milla whispered. "It's a great big one. Why, it must be as long as—as your shoe! Look!"

Ramsey saw nothing but the thick round curl on Milla's shoulder. That curl was shot with dazzling fibers of sunshine. He seemed to be trembling.

"The old resentment rose—he'd 'show' that girl yet, some day."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Sorrow often blinds people together.

# U. S.-BRITISH PLOT CHARGED

Senator Borah Credits Such an Admission to Morgan Lawyer.

## SENATE DEBATE IS VITRIOLIC

Speech of Paul D. Cravath Is Said to Have Announced a "Secret Understanding" for the Control of the Pacific.

Washington, March 22.—A speech by Paul D. Cravath, attorney for J. P. Morgan and other international banking interests, was introduced in the senate as evidence of a "secret understanding" between the United States and Great Britain for control of the Pacific in connection with the four-power treaty.

Senator Borah of Idaho produced a stenographic transcript of the Cravath speech. In the opinion of the senate authorities the "secret agreement" mentioned by the Morgan attorney constituted not only an act of treachery to the other powers in the treaty, but would be undeniably provocation of war.

The Cravath speech was delivered at a private gathering of the Council of Foreign Relations, an association of New York bankers, held in New York city February 17. Although the meeting was not open to the public, Senator Borah obtained the reporter's transcript of what Cravath said in assuring his fellow bankers that the secret understanding had been formulated at the arms conference.

Opponents of the treaty saw it as an effective weapon by which to defeat ratification.

Lodge and Underwood, members of the American delegation, denied that such an agreement existed. Borah came back with the statement that, although he knew nothing about it, he refused to believe the story untrue.

Later in the day Borah was shown a statement issued by Cravath in his New York office denying the existence of such an agreement, to which Borah replied:

"I have the record. I am satisfied with it."

The most important development of the publication of Cravath's remarks was the inauguration of a movement to have the treaty sent back to the foreign relations committee and have Secretary Hughes, Ellhu Root and Cravath summoned as witnesses to tell what they know about it.

A motion to recommit the treaty will be made by Senator Shields of Tennessee. This will put Lodge and the rest of the Republican majority on record as to whether they want all the facts disclosed or will insist upon a vote to ratify without any more information than the senate now has.

Lodge visited the White House and discussed the treaty situation with President Harding, who expressed a desire to have it ratified without the Harding-Brandegee reservation now before the senate. Lodge told the President this could not be done; that unless the reservation is attached the treaty will be rejected.

Borah produced the Cravath document at the very beginning of the senate session. At once it plunged the senate into the most vitriolic and exciting debate which has been witnessed since the strife over the treaty started.

Lodge and Underwood lost their tempers in most righteous fashion in denying they ever discussed the treaty with Cravath or with any other representative of the international banking interests. Both admitted to a vague and hazy notion of who Cravath is, but declared they did not talk with him.

In bringing the Cravath statement before the senate Senator Borah said the interpretation given by Cravath constituted an alliance, adding:

"Without regard to what the four-power treaty does in the matter of forming an alliance, there is no question that the secret understanding does form an alliance. Coming as it does from a man who professes to know, the statement by Mr. Cravath becomes of considerable importance. It simply discloses that once we enter into the business of making a political alliance there is no limit to which we may not go in arriving at secret understandings that bind us to our future course of action."

Taking the floor to deny having talked with Cravath, Underwood said: "I never made such a statement to Mr. Cravath, or to any one else. So far as I know there is no truth in it."

Then Lodge got up and said: "Mr. Cravath had no authority from me to make such a statement, as I have had no conversation at all with him, and, so far as I know, there is not a word of truth in it. I thought I knew something about the treaty, but I never heard of any such understanding having been made."

Republican Elected in Maine.

Augusta, Me., March 22.—John E. Nelson of Augusta, Republican, was elected to congress at a special election in the Third Maine district by a majority of 5,000 over his Democratic opponent, Ernest L. McLain.

Robbers Get \$75,000 in Gems.

Chicago, March 22.—Three armed men entered the pawnshop of Marcus Nierman at 3130 South State street and escaped with loot variously estimated at from \$75,000 to \$100,000 in diamonds and other jewelry.

Drawn from actual photograph of Daryl Wilson, son of Mrs. Margaret Wilson, 1110 Eighth Street, Milwaukee, Wis.

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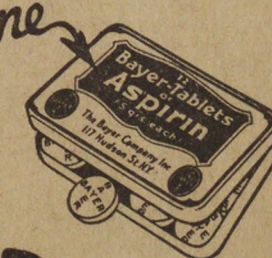
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Most women find plenty to do. If they are upset with some female ailment and troubled with such symptoms as Mrs. Galloway had, the smallest duty seems a mountain. If you find it hard to keep up, if you are nervous and irritable, without ambition and out of sorts generally, give the Vegetable Compound a fair trial. We believe it will help you greatly, for it has helped others.

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Of all wild beasts preserve me from a tyrant; and of all tame, from a flatterer.—Ben Jonson.

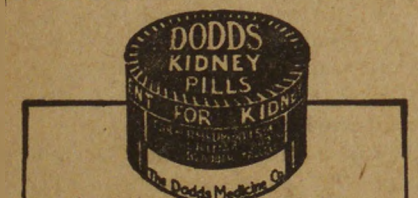
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## FARM CHEAP LAND

Why Western Canada Agriculturists Are Smiling.

Low Overhead Expense and Bountiful Crops Have Enabled Them to Overcome Agricultural Depression.

The recent agricultural depression brought to the eyes of the world the fact that one of its basic industries was likely to suffer a severe blow unless steps were taken to secure a remedy. Physicians after physician applied remedies, but even parliamentarians and newspaper: were unable to place their finger on the pulse that would respond. As it appears today, this was a spasmodic wave due to the ebb and flow of the tide of readjustment that was bound to follow a disturbance such as the Great War caused.

Psychologically it was bound to change; there was certain to be a reflex movement that would bring agricultural conditions back to the place where they normally and rightly belong.

Efficiency and sound business judgment are needed more in agriculture today than ever before and are as important to the farmer as to a railroad company, or to a great steel corporation.

The farmer must endeavor to secure an equal footing in the competition for a lower cost of production. In Western Canada the farmer has come through the dark era with that fortitude and determination so peculiar to a new country, and is meeting the changed situation with energy and a smile. In Western Canada the farmer is not hampered by an annual overhead expense of heavy interest on high-priced land. He is able to produce at a minimum, because his land value seldom exceeds \$50 an acre.

Owing to the fact that he is farming land the price of which is from \$25 to \$50 an acre, producing crops of wheat running from 20 to 40 bushels per acre, and other grains in proportion, he is able to produce at a low cost. In addition to this, a fact which should not be lost sight of, is the large area that he can farm at low cost, giving him an added advantage in reducing the cost of production.

The corn that the farmer fully expected to bring him over a dollar a bushel, he saw carried away to the market, and bring back a 30 or 40 cent check. Wheat for the whole of Canada averaged 86 cents a bushel in 1921 as compared with \$1.62 in 1920; oats 37 cents as against 53 cents; barley 47 cents as against 83 cents. Other grain prices similarly fell. While other parts of the continent, where grain-growing is carried on, have suffered in like manner by deflation in prices, they have had to face a much higher cost in production, such as high rents, high-priced farms, and high taxes. Farmers had calculated on receiving war or nearly war figures for their grain and therefore were amply justified in submitting to the tax that soaring land prices set upon them. Western Canada fortunately did not suffer from inflated land prices. Therefore, when grain prices fell, the losses sustained were not so great; they did not cut out the margin of profit, excepting in some cases where some climatic conditions caused it.

Why not take advantage of the Homeseekers' rate at any point in Western Canada, of return rate single fare plus \$2.00, and get information from the nearest Canadian Government agent?—Advertisement.

For Voters to Consider. It is a dangerous thing to give a bad man power, and a hundred times more to have him find out that he has it.—Exchange.

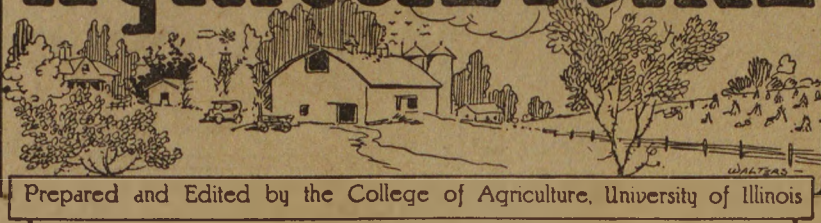
Not at All a Bad Idea. Just as tugboats and American Legion posts and suburban streets are named in memory of persons who have been associated with them, so wedding gifts are designated by the name of the giver. When the bride calls to hubby from the kitchen for the "company" silver, she asks for "Aunt Bertha's" soup ladle or "Jack's" tea strainer, or "Mother Jones'" ten-cup set. And hubby may inquire impatiently for the hand-worked towels "that Annie sent us." Of course, the system may also be used to flatter some old flame who happens to be calling.

Or Two Evils, Etc. The wife of a farmer had a tongue that cut like a knife. One day the minister passed the farmstead and noticed the farmer standing calmly in the midst of a heavy downpour of rain. "Why on earth don't you get indoors?" he queried. "Oh, sir, it's all right," replied the farmer; "I'm sheltering frue the storm. Man, I tell ye it's naething outside tae what it is inside."

Problem in Criticism. Criticism presents to the creator a problem which is never solved. Criticism is, to the artist, a perpetual presence; or perhaps a ghost which he will not succeed in laying. If he could satisfy his mind that criticism was a certain thing, a good thing or a bad, a proper presence or an irrelevant, he might psychologically dispose of it. But he cannot.—Waldo Frank.

Daily Thought. What a man has, so much he is sure of.—Cervantes.

# AGRICULTURE



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### Control of Insects

By W. P. Flint.

During the present period of low prices all manufacturers must be interested in producing their goods at the lowest possible cost. This is just as true of the man who is manufacturing his products in the outdoor laboratory of the farm as it is of the man making his goods in the city factory.

An agency that reduces the yield of a crop per acre without a corresponding reduction in the amount of labor required to grow an acre of that crop increases the cost of production. This is just what is done by the insect pests of the field crops. Insects annually take about 10 per cent of our field crops. In most cases the cost of growing the crop is not reduced.

Can you imagine the owner of a factory who, during the course of manufacture, is losing every tenth pair of shoes, every tenth watch or every tenth automobile, and is not giving the matter serious attention, providing he is still able to continue in business?

The number of our insect enemies is increasing each year, due to several causes. The two principal ones are: First, we are continually importing foreign insects, which find conditions in this country well suited to their needs, and with the natural checks to their increase removed are able to thrive and multiply amazingly. Second, some of our native insects are changing their food plants and finding the cultivated ones more to their liking, and are feeding upon them and becoming much more abundant.

In fighting the increasing destructive insect foes of our field crops it is necessary that we know something of their habits and life histories. It is not usually possible to kill this class of insects by the application of some poison and we have, in the main, to control them by so planting, cultivating or harvesting our crop that we make conditions unfavorable for them.

Each crop has its special insect enemies. A few insects attack a wide variety of crops, but may have to be controlled in a different manner on each.

Taking our principal field crops in the order of their importance, we find that corn is attacked by a very large number of insects, over two hundred different species being known to feed upon it. Only a comparatively few are capable of inflicting serious injury. Those most generally destructive in Illinois are, the corn root worms, the corn root aphid, with its attendant ant, cut worms, wire worms, white grubs, corn ear worms, chinchbug, flea, beetles, army worms and grasshoppers.

Oats are generally free from serious insect injuries, although sometimes attacked by army worms, cutworms or grasshoppers.

Wheat is injured by many pests, but mainly in Illinois by the Hessian fly, joint-worm, stem maggot and wheat head maggot.

The clover plant is injured by the clover leaf weevil, the clover stem weevil, clover root borer and the clover cutworm. The seed is destroyed in the field by the clover seed caterpillar, seed midge and chalcid.

Soy beans are a comparatively new crop and are not as yet greatly troubled by insects. Grasshoppers and a few of the clover insects have thus far been their most destructive pests in this state.

Alfalfa is attacked by many of the same pests as clover. Illinois has not as yet been invaded by the alfalfa weevil.

### Efficient Milk Skimming

In operating a cream separator, several factors control the amount of fat which is lost in the skim milk.

The richness of the milk is one. Milk containing 6 per cent fat cannot be skimmed as close as 3 to 4 1/2 per cent milk. This factor is practically out of the operator's control, in the case of a high testing herd.

Another factor is the position of the cream screw or milk screw. Generally speaking, the separator will skim efficiently if set to deliver cream testing between 18 per cent and 50 per cent. The rate of inflow regulates the skimming efficiency. With a normal inflow, the skim milk should test .02 per cent, while crowding the machine may increase the test .1 per cent or more.

The temperature of the milk and the speed of the bowl are the two factors which are more often neglected. With the speed recommended by the separator manufacturer, and a temperature of 85 degrees Fahrenheit to 90 degrees Fahrenheit, the ordinary separator may skim as close as .01 per cent to .02 per cent fat, while the loss may be as high as .25 per cent if either or both of these factors are lowered. Too high speed does not increase the skimming efficiency, but it is detrimental to the mechanism of the separator.

Separators with an unbalanced bowl will leave as high as .18 per cent fat in the skim milk. This can be lowered to .02 per cent by making the bowl run in perfect balance.

The following rules or conditions will result in efficient skimming, and are under the control of the operator:

1. Set the separator to deliver cream between 18 and 50 per cent, preferably 30 to 45 per cent.
2. Allow the float to regulate the inflow of milk. Never start the inflow until the machine is at its proper speed.
3. Milk should be 85 degrees Fahrenheit to 90 degrees Fahrenheit at the time of separation.
4. The machine should be turned at the speed which is recommended by the manufacturer (usually found on the separator handle).
5. Clean the machine after each separation.
6. The bowl should be in perfect balance.

### Spring Wheat for Illinois

During the World War Illinois farmers showed a keen interest in spring wheat. With the low price of corn and the tendency to decrease the acreage of the crop, spring wheat for northern and central Illinois is again attracting attention as a substitute for corn.

For its best development, spring wheat requires a cool climate. Roughly speaking, the 35 counties in northern Illinois can safely include spring wheat in their systems of farming. Counties north of a line drawn between the southern boundaries of Kankakee and Mercer counties, may be included in the primary spring wheat belt of Illinois. Counties north of a line drawn between the southern boundaries of Edgar and Pike counties and south of the line mentioned above have produced very satisfactory spring wheat for the last five years.

The cultural requirements of spring wheat are very much the same as for winter wheat. The preparation of fall-plowed land is the same for spring wheat as it would be for any other spring-sown small grain. If spring wheat is to be seeded on stalk land, it would be best to disk the land thoroughly and seed then, rather than to delay seeding for very long in order to plow.

For some time the University of Illinois has been making a study on the time of planting spring wheat. The first seeding was made about March 6, and every ten days thereafter until about the 10th of April. The average yield of Marquis for a period of years was 29 bushels for the first seeding, March 6, and 22 bushels for the last seeding of April 10th. The quality of the wheat was best for the first seeding with 59 pounds per bushel to 54 pounds per bushel for the last seeding. The seed found in the last seeding was seven times as great as for the first seeding.

Variety trials have been conducted at DeKalb, in northern Illinois, and on the university farm at Urbana, in central Illinois. As a two-year average Marquis has yielded 37 bushels, Blue Stem 29 bushels, Durum, 30 bushels, and Illinois No. 1, 29 bushels at DeKalb. For the northern section of the state Marquis was a very satisfactory variety. This is a smooth wheat. At Urbana an average of four years, Illinois No. 1 has yielded 29 bushels, Durum 24 bushels, Marquis 24 bushels, Red Pife 21 bushels. The amount of wheat seed required is about one and one-half bushels per acre.

One point should be emphasized particularly in the production of spring wheat. Seed just as early as possible after all danger of severe freezing weather is over.

### Strawberry Campaign Planned

Would you be interested in a proposition which will appeal to every farm family, especially to mother and the young folks, and one that will even make dad's mouth water when he hears about it?

It has to do with growing strawberries. Such a campaign is now being planned by the junior extension service in co-operation with the department of horticulture of the University of Illinois. The plan outlined will be of especial interest to counties where no previous horticultural work has been done. In such counties it should serve as an entering wedge for future horticultural development.

This proposition will enable the young folks to supply the family with fresh fruit and at the same time develop a profitable side line in which they can make their spare moments pay big dividends. Surplus fresh fruit is always in demand at a good price. Another important feature of this plan is that it requires only a small piece of ground and an initial investment of not to exceed \$1. If you are interested in putting across a real horticultural program through your young folks and in doing a service in your county, ask the farm adviser of your county about it.

## DYED HER SKIRT, DRESS, SWEATER AND DRAPERIES WITH "DIAMOND DYES"

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint her worn, shabby dresses, skirts, waists, coats, stockings, sweaters, coverings, draperies, hangings, everything, even if she has never dyed before. Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other kind—then perfect home dyeing is sure because Diamond Dyes are guaranteed not to spot, fade, streak or run. Tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton or mixed goods.—advertisement.

## WHY SOME MEN LEAVE HOME

This Kind of Thing, Served Up Daily, Would Drive Almost Anyone From His Loved Fireside.

"George, dear," cried wife from the bedroom, "have you shut the dining room window?"

"Yes, love."

"Put the plate basket behind the bookcase?"

"Um!"

"Have you put the dog out?"

"Yes."

"Sure you bolted the scullery door?"

"Sure."

"Turned off the gas in the cellar?"

"Yes, precious."

"Wound the clock?"

"Yes, darling."

"Brought in the mat from the porch?"

"I have, my ownest."

"Have you locked up the wine?"

"Yes, yes, my sweetheart. I have done even that."

"Well, there's no need to get wild about it. Why can't you come to bed at some decent hour? What on earth have you been doing down there all this time?"—London Tit-Bits.

## DOGS GIVEN VICTORIA CROSS

Three Have Been Awarded Highest British Decoration for Bravery In Face of the Enemy.

The English in asking that the Victoria Cross be awarded to the cat which so heroically saved her young during the fire of the Printemps only follow an example given by the queen of England herself. To appreciate the value of this reward we must remember that the Victoria Cross is for a soldier, general or private, the highest military order.

In the last war at the utmost 50 have been awarded. However, several dogs belonging to the British army have received this honor. These were: Bob of the Royal Berkshire, which in the Afghanistan war saved the life of several soldiers; Jack, which accomplished the same feats at the battle of the Alma, and Jerry, the hero of the Crimean war, which received from the city of Dublin a medal and a dinner. The odds are that the mess made the dog happier than the medal.—New York Tribune.

Deaf to Entreaty. "Are our girls ashamed of their ears?" asks Rev. A. M. Mitchell, vicar of Burtonwood, Lanshire, England, in the Excelsior, the Burtonwood parish magazine. "Why do they hide them? The fashion of 'bobbed hair' (why not matted?) stands in need of some explanation.

"The ear, even the feminine ear, is not always pretty. But if not always as ornamental as could be wished, it should always be useful. Will 'bobbed hair' interfere with the ear's intended service and usefulness?"

"If it does, this half fashion is a sin against the body, a crime against society."

Somewhat Contradictory. She—(tenderly)—"And are mine the only lips you have kissed?" He—"Yes, and they are the sweetest of all."

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## HAD NO "COMEBACK" TO THAT

Reform Urgently Needed. Imagine living on a street without a name and in a house without a number! If you are a writer, imagine waiting for a check from a magazine in such a residence! That is the predicament that certain Parisians are in who live in such a street near the Ourcq canal. The city government forgot to give it a name, and the only numbers on the houses are those put up by residents who sometimes duplicate each other's numbers. Now the natives are becoming aroused about it. The lot of the poor postman must be a difficult one as he gazes at a letter addressed to "Monsieur Pierre Bergeret, the third right-hand house in the little street two blocks to the right of the Ourcq as you walk south."

The marine's three uniforms hung side by side underneath his clothing shelf: one winterfield, one blue and one khaki. Suddenly the khaki uniform grew critical.

"You look pretty green," it said to the winterfield.

The winterfield uniform made no reply.

"And that outfit right next to you must be downhearted—it looks so blue," the khaki uniform went on.

The winterfield then spoke up: "I might be green," it said, "and that outfit right next to me might have the 'blues,' but doggone your hide—you're yellow!"

The khaki uniform piped down.—The Leatherneck.

Honest. "Yes, I can give you a job. You may gather eggs for me if you are sure you won't steal any." "You could trust me with anything, lady. I wuz manager of a bathhouse for fifteen years and never took a bath."—Judge.

In Tahiti serious crimes are punished by tattooing a mark upon the forehead of the delinquent.

New Employee. "Pat," warned the contractor, "today you became a new employee in this corporation and I want to tell you that all such employees must work quickly and quietly."

"Yes, sor."

"And when I give an order I want it obeyed on the instant."

"Yes, sor."

"And furthermore, I will brook no argument and no back talk."

"Well, don't ye start it then!"

We never knew a man to marry a woman to reform her.

## Wishing for sleep is a poor way to get it

A LITTLE wisdom in the daytime is a better assurance of rest than any amount of anxious wishing when nerves are a-jangle at night.

What you do at noon often has more influence on sleep than what you want and hope for, at midnight.

Coffee's drug element, caffeine, whips up the nerves, and when its use is continued there's usually a penalty which no amount of mental effort can avoid.

The part of wisdom, as so many thousands have found, is to turn away from nerve-stimulation and adopt rich, delicious Postum as the mealtime drink. Postum delights the taste, but brings no disturbance to nerves or digestion. Even the little children can share in the enjoyment of Postum at any meal.

It's better to anticipate warnings than to be driven by them.

It's better to encourage and preserve sound nerves and complete health than to listen to the clock ticks at night and say, "I wish!"

You can get Postum wherever good food or drink is sold and served. An order today may be the beginning, for you, of the great satisfaction and comfort which so many others have found in Postum.

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#### KINGSTON NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Stuart Sherman visited in Sycamore Thursday.

Mrs. S. Witter is in Kirkland caring for Mrs. Lucas. Oscar Pankson spent the week end with friends in Beloit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Tower motored to De Kalb Saturday.

Ralph White left Sunday night on a business trip to Wisconsin.

Miss Elsie Anderson spent the week end with her parents in De Kalb.

Mrs. Mary Clark of Fairdale is visiting her sister, Mrs. Susan Stark.

Mrs. Benjamin Knappenberger visited relatives in Kirkland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Weber are entertaining Julia Bruckener of Chicago.

Miss Kitty Jones of Rockford spent the week end at the Alfred Deverill home.

Miss Eckhart of De Kalb was a week end guest at the H. A. Lanen home.

Mrs. John Helsdon is visiting her son, Raymond, and family at Bensonville.

Mrs. Frank Scott and son, Junior, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ort.

John Burns left Thursday for Beverly, Ohio, where he will work on a farm this summer.

In the basket ball game at Malta Saturday night the Kingston high school was defeated.

Mrs. Gustavison from near Sycamore spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Bastian.

Ralph Hansaw of Evanston spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hansaw.

Mr. Winfield Ohlmacher of Ottawa spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas.

Mrs. Fred Rote and daughters, Vesta and Kathrine, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McDonald spent Saturday with the former's sister, Miss Sue McDonald.

"Deep Waters" and a two reel comedy "Salome" will be shown at the movies Friday evening.

Mrs. Nina A. Moore is at Elgin caring for her daughter, Mrs. Fred Hanson who has the grippe.

Malta high school basket ball team will play the Kingston High School team her Thursday night.

Miss Agnes Robinson of Elgin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Robinson.

Mrs. Chas. Arbuckle of Genoa spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Arbuckle.

Miss Eleanor Uplinger of Elgin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Uplinger.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Koch spent Sunday in Hampshire with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Koch.

D. W. Ball spent a few days last week with his son, James, at Huntley.

Miss Josephine Burke of Dixon is visiting at her uncle's, John Sullivan.

H. W. Witter and family are moving into the Mrs. Bacon house on Main street recently vacated by G. E. Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson of Belvidere spent Friday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Vosburg.

Mr. E. A. Thompson visited his son Arthur and wife at Marengo, Friday. Mrs. Arthur Thompson is seriously ill.

Mrs. Grace Burbanks returned home Sunday from the Sycamore Hospital where she had a minor operation.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Smith entertained Mrs. Walter and Mrs. F. Johnson of Kirkland and Miss Johnson of Chicago last Thursday.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe Monday evening in honor of their son James, eighteenth birthday.

A few friends of Mrs. H. Branch surprised her last Thursday afternoon at her home to help celebrate her birthday. They presented her with some pyrex. Refreshments were served.

F. P. Fanning presented to James in behalf of the high pupils and teachers, a brown leather traveling bag. The evening was pleasantly spent playing cards and bunco. Refreshments of ice-cream, cake and cocoa were served.

Township caucus was held on Saturday. The following are up for office: H. T. Campbell, road commissioner; Ira Bicksler, assessor; Ed. Dibble and Frank Arbuckle, school trustees; F. P. Smith, clerk; and William Aves, park commissioner.

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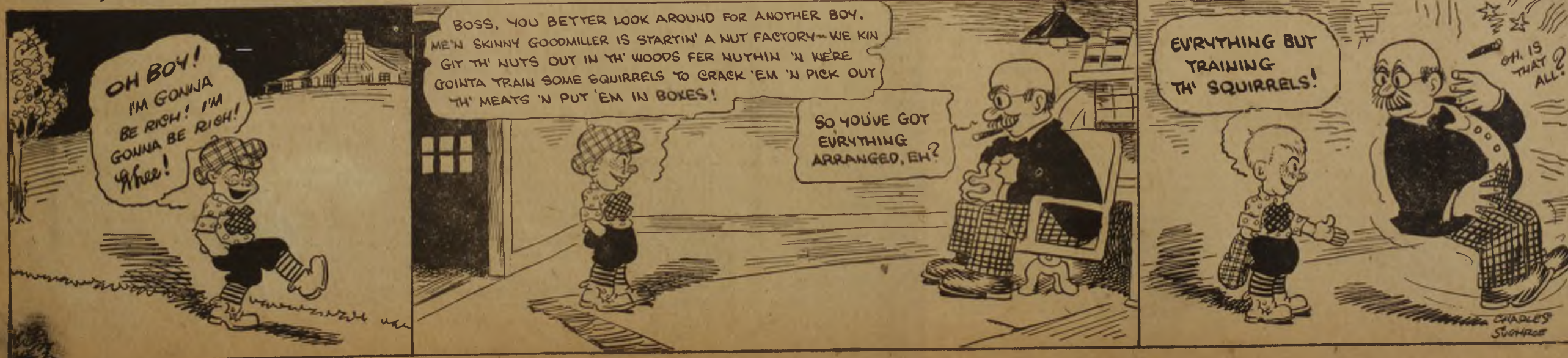
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