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Council Proceedings.

Genoa, April 25, 1894.

An adjourned meeting of the village council was held last Wednesday evening, President Stott presiding. Trustees Abraham, Downing, Stiles, Burton, Riddle and Wyld being present.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Abraham, seconded by Stiles, the bill of Geo. E. Sisley & Co., was laid over until the next meeting.

Wm. B. Loyd withdrew his application to remove his building onto the street.

The applications of Wm. B. Loyd and Ed L. Richardson to run saloons in the village of Genoa, were read. A motion was made by Stiles, seconded by Downing that Wm. Loyd be granted a dram shop license. Yeas, Stiles, Wyld, Riddle, Burton and Downing; Naes, Abraham. Petition was granted.

A motion was made by Downing and seconded by Wyld that Ed L. Richardson be granted a dram shop license. Yeas, Downing, Wyld, Stiles and Riddle; Naes, Burton and Abraham. Petition was granted.

On motion by Downing, seconded by Stiles, the license fee was placed at \$600.

On motion of Abraham seconded by Downing the license fee was order payable quarterly in advance.

On motion of Stiles, the bond of Ed L. Richardson, signed by Jas. Branan and Eli Adams as surties, was accepted.

On motion by Riddle seconded by Wyld, the bond of Wm. P. Loyd was accepted.

The board of trustees hereby forbid all dice shaking and gaming of all kinds in the village of Genoa.

The board was presented a receipt in full from Mrs. Flint for \$50.00 and from Dr. A. M. Hill for \$5.00.

Wm. P. Loyd's petition to move his building onto the street and occupy same as a saloon during construction of his new building was granted.

The bonds of village clerk A. U. Schneider, street commissioner and police H. B. Downing were accepted.

On motion of Abraham, seconded by Riddle Ed Lane's proposition to furnish the material if the village would do the labor in improving the streets in front of his residence was laid on the table.

There being no further business the board adjourned.

A. U. SCHNEIDER, Clerk.

Farms for the Millions.

The marvelous development of the States of Minnesota, South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska and Wyoming, within the last few years has attracted attention in all parts of the world. It is not necessary, however, to search for the causes of this wonderful growth, for this entire region, which is penetrated by the North Western Line, teems with golden opportunities for enterprising farmers, mechanics and laborers who desire to better their condition. Here are lands which combine all varieties of soil, climate and physical feature that render them most desirable for agriculture or commerce. Rich rolling prairies, capable of raising the finest quality of farm products in luxurious abundance, can still be secured at low prices and upon most liberal terms, and in many cases good productive farms can be purchased for scarcely more than the yearly rental many eastern farmers are compelled to pay. Reaching the principal cities and towns and the richest and most productive farming districts of this favored region The North Western Line (Chicago & North Western R'y) offers its patrons the advantages of ready markets, unexcelled train service, perfect equipments and all the comforts and conveniences known to strictly first-class railway travel. Maps, time tables and general information can be obtained of ticket agents of connecting lines, or by addressing W. A. Thrall, General Passenger and Ticket agent Chicago & North Western R'y, Chicago, Ill.

That Terrible Drop.

In flour has caused a great demand for Pillsbury's flour at Coboons'. He has been compelled to put in another carload which arrived Tuesday, and he is selling it at that same "awful drop" price.

The Hatchet Social.

It rained, it blowed, and threatened to do it some more, but nevertheless the May Day Washingtonians with their little hatchets, hewed their way to success at Crawford's hall Tuesday night.

George was there in full dress. So was Martha. So were several near of kin. The brass quartette made music on their horns; the Pierce sisters sang duets; Eva Jackman recited a poem prepared especially for the occasion; Temperance Baldwin read a piece characteristic of Young America; "Wizard" Meiklejohn, of Rockford, performed tricks in magic, wherein coin floated in the hardtimes air, and spirit hands were materialized so as to be decidedly felt and seen.

Floyd Rowen and John Pierce sold lemonade like there used to be before celluloid floats and citric acid got mixed up with it. Gerry Whitright did the honors of the occasion famously, well supported by Sadie Brown, Ava Clefford, Fred Abraham, and Ben Hains—yes, he was there too. And then the baskets! and the "Cherry tree," prepared expressly by the artist of the class, how they did pin hatchets on it (and off of it) until all were tired. Thus the class gave a splendid sociable; took in a little money for the new church, and all unwittingly celebrated an important anniversary in their teacher's life.

I wish to announce to the public that I am now in my new shop and ready for business. All kinds of blacksmithing and wagon work done promptly. Horse shoeing a specialty and special attention given to bad feet and interfering horses. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. Thanking you for your past favors I remain Yours, W. D. WYLLYS.

Our better halves say they could not keep house without Chamberlaine's Cough Remedy. It is used in more than half the homes in Leeds. Sims Bros., Leeds, Iowa. This shows the esteem in which that remedy is held where it has been sold for years and is well known. Mothers have learned that there's nothing so good for colds, croup and whooping cough, that it cures these ailments quickly and permanently, and that it is pleasant and safe for children to take. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by F. F. Robinson druggist.

Lippincott's For May.

The complete novel in the May number of Lippincott's is "The Autobiography of a Professional Beauty," by Elizabeth Phipps Train, whose hand is light but firm and sure. This work from a little-known writer is remarkable for the freshness and brightness of its style; the heroine is conducted through manifold social and moral danger to a safe haven.

Gilbert Parker's serial story, "The Trespasser," reaches its fifteenth chapter, and will be concluded in another number. Besides interesting topics thoroughly discussed by well known writers. This number is of unusual interest.

Cheap Excursions.

On May 8th and 29th the North-Western Line will sell home seeker's excursion tickets to points in north-western Iowa, western Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Manitoba, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho, and Montana, at exceedingly low rates for the round trip. These tickets will be good for return passage within thirty days from date of sale and will allow stop-over privileges on going trip in territory to which tickets are sold. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

For the Prohibition State Convention which is to be held at Bloomington, Illinois, May 3rd. and 4th., the Illinois Central R. R. will sell excursion tickets for the occasion at one and one third fair the round trip. Tickets will be on sale May 2nd. and 4th. and will return until and including May 5th. E. Sisson, Agt

The Doty Company that will play here Thursday, Friday and Saturday, will play the romantic play, Faust and Marguerite, Saturday night, with special scenery and electrical effects. Mr. Doty who appears as Mephisto is credited with giving one of the best performances of the devil on the stage.

Visiting and wedding cards at this office.

Factory Peglets.

Factoryites are pleased to learn of the improvement Grant Smith, that he may speedily recover is the wish of all.

Miss Ada Pierce has cast her fortunes with us. She is cordially welcome.

A new laster has been put on.

Mr. Meiklejohn, of Rockford began work as a stitcher yesterday. As he is quite a student of the "black art" we advise factoryites to be on the lookout. He is an excellent sleight-of-hand manipulator.

Owing to a cave in of the furnace nearly all of the hands but the cutters were laid off Wednesday.

Miss Merrick was called to her home in Elgin on account of an accident happening to her mother.

Any contributions in the shape of factory news will be kindly received by the publisher. Drop us a postal, call at the office or leave with the assistant postmaster.

The Misses Winchester, of Kingston are recent arrivals.

Mr. Bagley has severed connections with the factory.

Miss Maggie Harding, of Rockford, is one of the many beginners.

Forelady Graves has resigned and Miss Lawrence was assigned to the vacancy.

"Lady Windermere's Fan."

Last Sunday evening witnessed a crowded house at the Schiller Theatre to see the Gustave Frohman Company in Oscar Wilde's celebrated society comedy, "Lady Windermere's Fan." This brilliant and witty satire upon fashionable and aristocratic London life was presented by the same company at the Schiller last October and made an immense hit. The large and handsome theatre being taxed to its utmost capacity to accommodate the crowds eager to see this great London sensation. Judged by the attendance this week the piece has lost nothing of its great popularity, and it is already evident that the present engagement, which is for two weeks, will result in a similarly popular run. "Lady Windermere's Fan" is a play that one really ought to see, of course, curiosity in a large measure creates this want, but there is underlying the strong situations and brilliant dialogue of this celebrated society sensation an intense human interest. Nor is it particularly cynical in its lessons. There are few hearts that are not stirred when the mother pleads with her daughter in the third act, and few eyes completely dry in the touching scenes in which Mrs. Erlynne makes her final exit in the last act. The piece full of strongly delineated character is presented at the Schiller with a splendid cast from a carefully selected company of public favorites, all of whom are experienced and talented artists. It is superbly staged, the mounting and scenic accessories being created expressly for the present tour of the Gustave Frohman Company, while the costuming of the ladies is exceptionally rich and striking, such beautiful dressing rarely equalled even upon the fashionable comedy stage.

The Vale of Minnekahta

Is the title of a beautifully illustrated booklet recently issued, descriptive of the Hot Springs, South Dakota, and the efficacy of their waters for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia and kindred diseases. Copy of this pamphlet will be mailed free by W. A. Thrall, General Passenger Agent Chicago & Northwestern Railway, Chicago, Ill., upon receipt of request, enclosing two cent stamp. **

Politicians would have it that farmers want the earth, but this impression is erroneous. It is a fact however, that when they want a thing they want it badly, and generally get it. This accounts for the great popularity of the Hayes Corn Planter sold by Jas. Kiernan

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TALMAGE'S SERMON.

The Struggles of Life Are Often Angels in Disguise.

Like Jacob's Wrestle with the Celestial Visitor, When the Light Breaks the Futility of Our Contentions Becomes Manifest.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage delivered the following sermon on "The Spiritual Conflicts of Life" in the Brooklyn tabernacle, taking for his text.

And Jacob was left alone; and there wrestled a man with him until the breaking of the day. And when he saw that he prevailed not against him, he touched the hollow of his thigh; and the hollow of Jacob's thigh was out of joint as he wrestled with him. And he said, let me go, for the day breaketh. And he said, I will not let thee go except thou bless me.—Genesis xxxii. 24-28.

The dust arose from a traveling herd of cattle, and sheep, and goats, and camels. They are the present that Jacob sends to gain the good will of his offended brother. That night Jacob halts by the brook Jabbok. But there is no rest for the weary man. No shining ladder to let the angels down into his dream; but a fierce combat that lasts until the morning, with an unknown visitor. They each try to throw the other. The unknown visitor, to reveal his superior power, by a touch wrenches Jacob's thigh bone from its socket, perhaps maiming him for life. As on the morning sky the clusters of purple cloud begin to ripen. Jacob sees it is an angel with whom he has been contending, and not one of his brother's coadjutors. "Let me go," cries the angel, lifting himself up into increasing light, "the day breaketh."

You see, in the first place, that God allows good people sometimes to get into a terrible struggle. Jacob was a good man; but here he is left alone in the midnight to wrestle with a tremendous influence by the brook Jabbok. For Joseph, a pit; for Daniel, a wild beast den; for David, dethronement and exile; for John the Baptist, a wilderness diet and the executioner's ax; for Peter, a prison; for Paul, shipwreck; for John desolate Patmos; for Vashti, most insulting cruelty; for Josephine, banishment; for Mrs. Sigourney, the agony of a drunkard's wife; for John Wesley, stones hurled by an infuriated mob; for Catherine, the Scotch girl, the drowning surges of the sea; for Mr. Burns, the buffeting of the Montreal populace; for John Brown, of Edinburgh, the pistol-shot of Lord Claverhouse; for Hugh McKall, the scaffold; for Latimer, the stake; for Christ, the cross. For whom the rocks, the gibbets, the guillotines, the thumb-screws? For the sons and daughters of the Lord God Almighty. Some one said to a Christian reformer: "The world is against you." "Then," he replied, "I am against the world."

I will go further, and say that every Christian has his struggle. This man had his combat in wall street; this one on Broad street; this one on Fulton street; this one on Chestnut street; this one on State street, this one on Lombard street; this one on the bourse. With financial misfortune you have had the midnight wrestle. Red-hot disasters have dropped into your store from loft to cellar. What you bought you could not sell. Whom you trusted fled. The help you expected would not come. Some giant panic, with long arms and grip like death, took hold of you in an awful wrestle, from which you have not yet escaped, and it is uncertain whether it will throw you or you will throw it. Here is another soul, in struggle with some bad appetite. He knew not how stealthily it was growing upon him. One hour he woke up. He said: "For the sake of my soul, of my family, and my children, and of my God I must stop this!" And behold he found himself alone by the brook of Jabbok; and it was mid-night. That evil appetite seized upon him, and he seized upon it, and oh, the horror of the conflict! When once a bad habit has aroused itself up to destroy a man, and the man has sworn that, by the help of the eternal God, he will destroy it, all heaven draws itself out in a long line of light, to look from above, and hell stretches itself in myriads of spite to look up from beneath. I have seen men rally themselves for such a struggle; and they have bitten their lip, and clenched their fists, and cried with a blood-red earnestness and a rain of scalding tears: "God help me!"

From a wrestle with habit I have seen men fall back defeated. Calling for no help, but relying on their own resolutions, they have come into the struggle; and for a time it seemed as if they were getting the upper hand of their habit; but that habit rallied again its infernal power, and lifted a soul from its standing, and with a force borrowed from the pit, hurled it into utter darkness. First, I saw the auctioneer's mallet fall on the pictures and musical instruments, and the rich upholstery of his family parlor. After awhile I saw him fall into the ditch. Then, in the midnight, when the children were dreaming their sweetest dreams, and Christian households are silent with slumber, angel-watched, I heard him give the sharp shriek that followed the stab of his own poniard. He fell from an honored social position; he fell from a family circle of which one he was the grandest attraction; he fell from the house

of God, at whose altars he had been consecrated; he fell—forever! But, thank God, I have often seen a better termination than that. I have seen men prepare themselves for such a wrestling. They laid hold of God's help as they went into combat. The giant habit, reared by the cup of many temptations, came out strong and defiant. They clenched. There were the writhings and distortions of a fearful struggle. But the old giant began to waver; and at last, in the midnight, alone, with none but God to witness, by the brook Jabbok, the old giant fell; and the triumphant wrestler broke the darkness with the cry, "Thanks be unto God, who giveth us the victory, through our Lord Jesus Christ." There is a widow's heart, that first was desolated by bereavement, and since, by the anxieties and trials that came in the support of a family. It is a sad thing to see a man contending for a livelihood under disadvantages; but to see a delicate woman, with helpless little ones at her back, fighting the giants of poverty and sorrow is more affecting. It was a humble home, and passers-by knew not that within those four walls were displays of courage more admirable than that of Hannibal crossing the Alps, or the Pass of Thermopylae, or Balaklava, where "into the jaws of death rode the six hundred." These heroes had the whole world to cheer them on, but there were none to applaud the struggle in the humble home. She fought for bread, for clothing, for fire, for shelter, with aching head and weak side and exhausted strength, through the long night by the brook of Jabbok. Could it be that none would give her help? Had God forgotten to be gracious? No! contending soul. The midnight air is full of wings, coming to the rescue. She hears it now, in the sigh of the night wind, in the ripple of the brook Jabbok—the promise made so long ago ringing down the sky: "Thy fatherless children, I will preserve them alive; and let the widows trust in me!" Some one said to a very poor woman: "How is it that in such distress you keep cheerful?" She said: "I do it by what I call cross prayers. When I had my rent to pay and nothing to pay it with, and bread to buy and nothing to buy it with, I used to sit down and cry. But now I do not get discouraged. If I go along the street, when I come to the corner of the street I say: 'The Lord help me; I then go on until I come to another crossing of the street, and again I say: 'The Lord help me!' And so I utter a prayer at every crossing; and since I have got into the habit of saying these 'cross prayers' I have been able to keep up my courage."

Learn again from this subject that people sometimes are surprised to find out that what they have been struggling with in the darkness is really an "angel of blessing." Jacob found in the morning that this strange personage was not an enemy, but a God-dispatched messenger to promise prosperity for him and his children. And so many a man, at the close of his trial, has found out that he has been trying to throw down his own blessing. If you are a Christian man, I will go back in your history and find that the grandest things that have ever happened to you have been your trials. Nothing short of scourging, imprisonment and shipwreck could have made Paul what he was. When David was through the wilderness, pursued by his own son, he was being prepared to become the sweet singer of Israel. The pit and the dungeon were the best schools at Joseph ever graduated. The hurricane that upset the tent and killed Job's children prepared the man of Uz to write the magnificent poem that has astounded the ages. There is no way to get the wheat out of the straw but to thresh it. There is no way to purify the gold but to burn it. Look at the people who have always had it their own way. They are proud, discontented, useless and unhappy. If you want to find cheerful folks, go among those who have been purified by the fire. After Rossini had rendered "William Tell" the five hundredth time a company of musicians came under his window in Paris and serenaded him. They put upon his brow a golden crown of laurel leaves. But, amid all the applause and enthusiasm, Rossini turned to a friend and said: "I would give all this brilliant scene for a few days of youth and love." Contrast the melancholy feeling of Rossini, who had everything that this world could give him, to the joyful experience of Isaac Watts, whose misfortunes were innumerable, when he says:

The Hill of Zion yields
A thousand sacred sweets,
Before we reach the Heavenly fields,
Or walk the golden streets.
Then let our songs abound,
And every tear be dry,
We are marching through Immanuel's ground,
To fairer worlds on high.

It is prosperity that kills, and trouble that saves. While the Israelites were on the march, amid great privation and hardships, they behaved well. After awhile they prayed for meat; and the sky darkened with a great flock of quails, and these quails fell in large multitudes all about them; and the Israelites ate and ate, and stuffed themselves until they died. Oh, my friends, it is not hardship, or trial, or starvation that injures the soul, but abundant supply. It is not the vulture of trouble that eats up the Christian life; it is the quails! You will yet find

out that your midnight wrestle by the brook Jabbok is with an angel of God, come down to bless and save.

Learn again that, while our wrestling with trouble may be triumphant, we must expect that it will leave its mark upon us. Jacob prevailed, but the angel touched him and his thigh bone sprang from its socket, and the good man went limping on his way. We must carry through this world the mark of the combat. What plowed those premature wrinkles in your face? What whitened your hair before it was time for frost? What silenced forever so much of the hilarity of your household? Ah! it is because the angel of trouble hath touched you that you go limping on your way. You need not be surprised that those who have passed through the fire do not feel as gay as once they did.

Do not be out of patience with those who come not out of their despondency. They may triumph over their loss, and yet their gait shall tell you that they have been trouble-touched. Are we stoics, that we can, unmoved, see our cradle rifled of the bright eyes and sweet lips? Can we stand unmoved and see our gardens of earthly delight uprooted? Will Jesus, who wept Himself, be angry with us if we pour our tears into the graves that open and swallow down what we love best? Was Lazarus more dear to Him than our beloved dead to us? No. We have a right to weep. Our tears must come. You shall not drive them back to scald the heart. They fall into God's bottle. Afflicted ones have died because they could not weep. Thank God for the sweet, the mysterious relief that comes to us in tears! Under this gentle rain the flowers of corn put forth their bloom. God pity that dry, withered, parched, all-consuming grief that wrings its hands, and grinds its teeth, and bites its nails unto the quick, but can not weep! We may have found the comfort of the Cross, and yet ever after show that in the dark night, and by the brook Jabbok, we were trouble-touched.

Again, we may take the idea of the text and announce the approach of the day-dawn. No one was ever more glad to see the morning than was Jacob after that night of struggle. It is appropriate for philanthropists and Christians to cry out with this angel of the text: "The day breaketh." The world's prospects are brightening. The Church of Christ is rising up in its strength to go forth "fair as the moon, clear as the sun and terrible as an army with banners." Clap your hands, all ye people, the day breaketh. The bigotries of the earth are perishing. The time was when we were told that if we wanted to get to Heaven we must be immersed or sprinkled; or we must believe in the perseverance of the saints, or in falling away from grace, or a liturgy or no liturgy; or they must be Calvinists, or Arminians, in order to reach Heaven. We have all come to confess now that these are non-essentials in religion.

During my vacation, one summer, I was in a Presbyterian audience, and it was sacramental day, and with grateful heart I received the holy communion. On the next Sabbath I was in a Methodist church, and sat at a love feast. On the following Sabbath I was in an Episcopal church, and knelt at the altar and received the consecrated bread. I do not know which service I enjoyed the most. "I believe in the communion of saints and in life everlasting." "The day breaketh."

Death to many, nay to all, is a struggle and a wrestle. We have many friends that it will be hard to leave. I care not how bright our future hope is. It is a bitter thing to look upon this fair world and know that we shall never again see its blossoming spring, its falling fruits, its sparkling streams, and to say farewell to those with whom we played in childhood or counseled in manhood. In that night, like Jacob, we may have to wrestle, but God will not leave us unblessed. It shall not be told in Heaven that a dying soul cried unto God for help, but was not delivered. The lattice may be turned to keep out the sun, or a book set to dim the light of the midnight taper; or the room may be filled with the cries of orphanage and widowhood; or the church of Christ may mourn over our going; but if Jesus calls, all is well. The strong wrestling by the brook will cease; the hour of death's night will pass along; one o'clock in the morning; two o'clock in the morning; four o'clock in the morning; the day breaketh.

So I would have it when I die. I am in no haste to be gone. I have no grudge against this world. The only fault I have to find with the world is that it treats me too well, but when the time comes to go I trust to be ready, my worldly affairs all settled. If I have wronged others I want, then, to be sure of their forgiveness. In that last wrestling, my arm enfeebled with sickness, and my head faint, I want Jesus beside me. If there be hands on this side of the flood stretched out to hold me back, I want the Heavenly hands stretched out to draw me forward. Then, O Jesus, help me on and help me up. Unfearing, undoubting, may I step right out into the light, and be able to look back to my kindred and friends who would detain me here, exclaiming: Let me go—let me go! the day breaketh.

MADAM RUMOR seems to have no trouble in getting currency.



From away up in British North America comes the following greeting to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Chief Consulting Physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. Mrs. Allen Sharrard, of Hartney, Selkirk Co., Manitoba, whose portrait, with that of her little boy, heads this article, writes as follows: "I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for 'falling of the womb.' I was troubled with bearing down pains and pains in my back whenever I would be on my feet any length of time. I was recommended to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which I did with happy results. I feel like a new person after taking three bottles of it."

As we have just heard from the frigid North, we will now introduce a letter received from the Sunny South. The following is from Mrs. J. T. Smith, of Oakfuskee, Cleburne Co., Ala. She writes: "I was afflicted and suffered untold pains and misery, such as no pen can describe, for six years. I was confined to bed most of the time. I expected the cold hand of death every day. I was afflicted with leucorrhoea—with excessive flowing—falling of the womb—bearing down sensation—pain in the small of my back—my bowels costive—smarting, itching and burning in the vagina, also palpitation of the heart. When I began taking your medicine I could not sit up, only a few minutes at a time, I was so weak. I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription three times per day, I also took his 'Golden Medical Discovery' three times per day and one of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets every night. I have taken seven bottles of the 'Discovery,' seven bottles of the 'Prescription' and five bottles of the 'Pellets.' I took these medicines seven months, regularly, never missed a day. These medicines cured me. I feel as well as I ever did in my life. Four of the best doctors in the land treated my case four years. They all gave me up as hopeless—they said I could not be cured, and could not live. Through the will of God, and your medicines, I have been restored to the best of health." Yours truly,

Mrs. J. T. Smith

Mrs. W. O. Gunekel, of No. 1461 South Seventh Street, Terra Haute, Indiana, writes: "I had been suffering from womb trouble for eight years having doctored with the most skillful physicians, but finding only temporary relief from medicines prescribed by them. I was advised by a friend to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which I did, and found, in taking six bottles of the 'Prescription' and two of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' that it has effected a positive cure, for which words cannot express my gratitude for the relief from the great suffering that I so long endured." Yours truly,

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MARCH INTO WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—When the commonweal army marched into Rockville Saturday night it was greeted with three cheers by the Jones contingent, which had just completed its long march from Philadelphia. At 7 a. m. Sunday the march to the city began. At the District of Columbia line a great concourse of people was waiting to welcome the army. Among others were a score of cavalrymen and several mounted patrolmen, who swung into the line as an advance guard.

It was shortly after 1 o'clock when the army marched into Brightwood park. A man was stationed at once at the gate and a placard was posted up saying that while no admission was charged those who could afford it were expected to contribute. Fully 8,000 persons must have visited the army in its quarters during the day, and total receipts for the day amounted to more than \$300. Mrs. Coxey and Legal Tender, the general's youngest child, reached Washington Sunday afternoon.

Will Wreck the Train.

ADAIR, Ia., April 28.—The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad officials declared Thursday evening that they would ditch any train which Kelly or his men might steal on their road. Yardmaster Hamilton, with due authority, distributed an armful of papers in the Kelly camp. They were notices to the effect that the railway company had received information that an attempt would be made to steal a train

utterly played out, but a good supper brought back strength and spirits.

STOPPED BY TROOPS.

The Entire Hogan Army Under Arrest at Forsythe, Mont.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 27.—Word was received by the Northerners Pacific at 1 o'clock yesterday morning that troops from Fort Keogh took a special train and went to Forsythe, where Hogan's men on board the stolen Northern Pacific train had stopped for the night, and placed the entire army under arrest and secured possession of the train. No mention is made of a fight and it is supposed that no blood was shed.

BILLINGS, Mont., April 27.—A few minutes before noon the stolen train of box cars ran slowly into town. The Coxeyites were overtaken by the special train of the marshals just as they entered the limits of the city. After their arrival it was learned that the marshals' train overtook the Hogan contingent just as they were pulling away from Columbus (formerly known as Stillwater), and attempted to arrest the progress of the train bearing the 500 unemployed men who are in possession of the train. The leaders in charge of the unemployed would not yield to the demands of the marshals to give up the train and instructed their men to go ahead, which was done. The two trains came on slowly during the forenoon until this city was reached, when a stop was ordered, and the conflict between the two bodies was the result.

IN UNCLE SAM'S HANDS.

Train Stealers Must Face Most Serious Charges.

FORSYTH, Mont., April 28.—Seventy-five deputy United States marshals arrived Thursday afternoon and the Hogan contingent was turned over to them. The train, escorted by troops, started for Helena that evening. The prisoners will be arraigned in the United States district court with-

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GENUINE NERVE.—Tailor—"When are you going to pay for that overcoat?" Dude—"Really, my—?" Tailor—"Now, look here, if you don't pay, I'll bring suit within thirty days." Dude—"Make it a spring suit, old man, and you can bring it right away."—Detroit Free Press.

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"Were you a bull or a bear?" asked an acquaintance of a speculator. "Neither," he replied; "I was an ass."—Tit-Bits.

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 1.	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle.....	44 05 @ 45 00
Sheep.....	3 50 @ 3 75
Hogs.....	5 45 @ 5 50
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents.....	3 40 @ 3 50
City Mill Patents.....	4 05 @ 4 30
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	61 @ 62
Ungraded Red.....	58 @ 59
CORN—No. 2.....	43 1/2 @ 44 1/2
Ungraded Mixed.....	44 @ 45 1/2
OATS—Track Mixed Western.....	41 @ 42 1/2
RYE—Ungraded Western.....	60 @ 61
PORK—Mess. New.....	14 00 @ 14 25
LARD—Western.....	8 00 @ 8 05
BUTTER—Western Creamery.....	15 @ 20
Western Dairy.....	10 @ 14
CHICAGO.	
BEEVES—Shipping Steers.....	83 00 @ 4 90
Cows.....	1 90 @ 3 40
Stockers.....	2 80 @ 3 10
Feeders.....	3 30 @ 3 80
Butcher's Steers.....	3 10 @ 3 30
Bulls.....	2 00 @ 3 50
HOGS.....	5 00 @ 5 35
SHEEP.....	2 90 @ 4 75
BUTTER—Creamery.....	9 @ 18
Dairy.....	12 @ 17
EGGS—Fresh.....	11 1/2 @ 10 1/2
BROOM CORN.....	
Western (per ton).....	30 00 @ 25 00
Western Dwarf.....	50 00 @ 70 00
Illino's Good to Choice.....	45 00 @ 70 00
POTATOES (per bu.).....	66 @ 90
PORK—Mess.....	12 27 1/2 @ 12 87 1/2
LARD—Steam.....	7 50 @ 7 57 1/2
FLOUR—Spring Patents.....	3 20 @ 3 50
Spring Straights.....	2 20 @ 2 60
Winter Patents.....	2 80 @ 3 00
Winter Straights.....	2 80 @ 2 75
GRAIN—Wheat, Cash.....	57 1/2 @ 58
Corn, No. 2.....	37 1/2 @ 38
Oats, No. 3.....	32 1/2 @ 33
Rye, No. 2.....	47 @ 48
Barley, Good to Choice.....	51 @ 58
KANSAS CITY.	
CATTLE—Shipping Steers.....	83 25 @ 4 45
Stockers and Feeders.....	3 10 @ 3 80
HOGS.....	5 00 @ 5 15
SHEEP.....	3 50 @ 3 65
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	83 40 @ 4 25
Feeders.....	2 90 @ 3 80
HOGS.....	5 05 @ 5 12 1/2
SHEEP.....	3 00 @ 4 25



THE COXEY CRUSADE.

Carl Browne, adjutant-general of the Army of the Commonweal and a notorious agitator, is represented in the first picture. The second illustrates the army on its march with the colored standard bearer in the van.

and warning them that in case of any such attempt they must bear the consequences.

Gen. Kelly, receiving one, said that the railroad need not worry about him or his men, for, though a few men might try to steal rides, tramp fashion, the army would not board a train unless the train was donated or paid for.

KELLY AT DES MOINES.

Haggard and Footsore Men March into the City Under Heavy Escort.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 1.—This city was greatly excited by the arrival of Kelly's industrial army and there were fears of an outbreak of some sort. The men had marched 27 miles Saturday night without food and were held by the police 5 miles out of the city in a driving rainstorm all day with no provisions or shelter. The action of the authorities aroused much indignation among the laboring people, and when at 5 o'clock the army finally marched up Grand avenue to the camp on the east side of the town, wet, haggard and weary, their pitiable condition aroused sympathy almost as great as that which was theirs in Council Bluffs.

The city officials rented a big building 1 1/2 miles northeast of the capital, which had been built for stove-works, and officially decided to contribute the building as barracks and one day's rations as the city's portion. The chief of police was instructed to put on a force of extra policemen and cooperate with the sheriff's deputies in preserving the peace.

Several carloads of policemen and deputies assembled at Valley Junction, just outside of the city limits, to halt the army and bring it through Des Moines under guard. As fast as the marchers walked into Valley Junction they were halted and corralled, and then moved to Walnut creek east of the junction.

The food given by the city had been taken to the stove works, 7 miles away, and not a mouthful was given to the hungry, weary men until the afternoon, when enough food for one company was sent down by the citizens' committee in charge of Gen. J. B. Weaver.

The men were halted twice for rest on the march across the city, and it was after 7:30 o'clock when they marched into the stove works. Many of them threw themselves on the floor

out delay on the charge of the theft of the train and disobedience of an injunction.

Shipping Rifles to Washington.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 28.—The United States armory in this city has just made a shipment of guns to Washington with which to fight Coxey's army in the event of an attack. The chief of ordnance at the capital ordered 100 Springfield rifles of the 45 caliber and sixty-five carbines dispatched at once. Maj. Rexford, in charge of the ordnance at the armory, sent the carbines by express and the rifles by fast freight.

SEVEN HORSE THIEVES KILLED.

Swift Justice Meted Out by Vigilants of Oklahoma Territory.

HENNESSY, O. T., April 30.—Farmers residing near Independence and Arapahoe, little country post offices in the Cheyenne country, have been bothered considerably of late by an organized band of horse thieves, who have stolen over fifty head of valuable horses. Vigilance committees were organized and last Tuesday found the trail of thieves leading to the direction of Greer county, in the Panhandle of Texas. They overtook the thieves 20 miles from the Texas line with ten horses. Seven outlaws were in the band. The vigilants surrounded them in a bunch of cedar and killed five of the party and the others surrendered. They led them to a neighboring tree, put them on two horses, with their hands tied behind them. The horses walked from under them, and they swung into space. The vigilants then riddled their bodies with bullets and left the dead men in the forest, food for vultures and mountain lions.

Motion for New Trial Overruled.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—The motion for a new trial in the Pollard-Breckinridge case was overruled by Justice Bradley, and thirty days given the defendant in which to file a bill of exceptions. Bond was fixed at \$100 for an appeal which Breckinridge's counsel gave notice would be taken to the court of appeals.

His Head Will Drop.

PARIS, April 30.—The trial of Emile Henri for committing the bomb outrages in the Cafe Terminus and in the Rue des Enfants, has been concluded. The prisoner was found guilty and was sentenced to death.

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"AMERICA," Kiralfy's grand ballet spectacle, begins Monday, April 30, at McVicker's, Chicago. Let everybody go. Seats secured by mail.

"PATTI seems to me to give an awful pile of farewells." "Yes, but it isn't her fault if she's encored."—Harper's Bazar.

LEARNING hath gained most by those books by which the printers have lost.—Thomas Fuller.

ACTORS, Vocalists, Public Speakers praise Hale's Honey of Horchound and Tar. Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

TIME is infinitely long, and each day is a vessel into which a great deal may be poured, if we actually fill it up.—Goethe.

"WILLIE, do you and your brother ever fight?" "Yes, sir." "Who whips?" "Pa."—Toronto Empire.

"I ALWAYS stand by the under dog in a fight," said Hawkins. "He is much less likely to bite."—Harper's Bazar.

"HALF the world doesn't know how the other half lives." Neither does the other half.—Life.

SHE—"Would you go through fire for me, Algernon?" He—"Ya-as, if I was dressed for it."—Harper's Bazar.

WHEN the boss of Russia orders a thing to be done the slave says: "Yes, czar," and goes and does it.—Pkayune.

SUFFERERS from Coughs, Sore Throat, etc., should try "Brown's Bronchial Trovace."

The widower about to marry is the most selfish of mortals. He seldom thinks of Number One.—Life.

AS LONG as a woman retains her maiden name it is her maiden aim to change it.—Philadelphia Record.

PRY thy faith to no man's sleeve; hast thou not two eyes of thy own?—Carlyle.

BENEVOLENCE without love has no more heart in it than a grindstone.—Rum's Horn.



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Republican Congressional Convention, Eighth District.

The Republicans of the counties composing the Eighth Congressional District, state of Illinois, are requested to send delegates to a convention to be held in the City Hall, in the city of Aurora, Kane County, Illinois, on Tuesday, June 7th, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for Representative in Congress and to transact such other business as will properly come before said convention. The several counties of the district will be entitled to delegates as follows:

- DeKalb.....19 Kane.....40
 - DuPage.....12 Kendall.....8
 - Grundy.....11 McHenry.....16
- ABRAHAM ELLWOOD, DeKalb,
T. S. ROGERS, DuPage,
FRANK CLARK, Grundy,
H. T. ROCKWELL, Kane,
I. E. TURNER, Kendall,
G. W. ELDREDGE, McHenry,
Congressional Committee.

CONGRESSMAN HOPKINS is receiving many complimentary notices on his fitness as a gubernatorial candidate. As an exchange remarks, "What a jump, from Altgeld to Hopkins."

FRANK HATTON, the well known Washington editor, died at the national capitol Monday afternoon. A brilliant man cut down in the prime of his great ability.

SENATOR HUNT's record at Springfield entitles him to a re-nomination at the hands of his party. He has well represented this district and deserves a return.

GEO. R. BEERS is meeting with gratifying encouragement in this part of the county. He will go into the convention with a goodly number of delegates and his chances for the nomination are good.

DESPITE the fact that Hon. D. D. Hunt has a clear field for the DeKalb county delegation, he is still making himself more popular with his constituents by making visits through the county.

THE DeKalb review says that Geo. R. Beers has many friends in the northern part of the county and will make if nominated and elected, an excellent officer.

BOURKE COCHRAN, Tammany's most brilliant orator and statesman, lectured in the Auditorium theatre, Chicago, Monday on "True American Patriotism." The oration is said to be the most brilliant ever delivered in America.

That DeKalb county is entirely satisfied with the services of County Superintendent of Schools Gross is evidenced by the fact that there is not the slightest opposition in the county to him. This can but result in the betterment of the public schools of the county and the advancement of education in general.

AN exchange says that Illinois has reason to be proud over the fact that she stands first among the big states in the extent of her manufacture of agricultural implements and last in the manufacture of cigarettes. Yes, and we might add, we have John Gardon Altgeld. But shades of the immortal Lincoln, where is our pride when we think of him. Groveling in the dust of humiliation.

We have had the glorious corn palace, the dazzling ice palace and the luscious orange palace, and now comes the gin palace fostered by the people of Hinckley. It has caused us much wonderment regarding the construction of this palace. If it has been built after the style of the other palaces what a "jaggy" old time is the prospectus of the average Hinckleyite. The defunct Columbian guard or a detachment of Coxey's army of the counters should have the exclusive charge of the palace material and their remuneration would be sufficient in over charged "material." The "opening" is looked forward to with popping anticipation.

To the Voter,

SYCAMORE, Ill., Apr. 14, 1894.

DEAR SIR: My term as County Clerk is fast nearing its close and the choice of my successor by the people will become necessary. A desire to be my own successor prompts me to advise you that I shall again be a candidate. I hope for a nomination by the Republican County Convention and respectfully request your assistance in bringing about that result. The custom of a personal visit to the several towns will be observed to such extent as a proper discharge of the duties of my position will permit. I cannot of course see all but assure you nothing would be more in keeping with my wishes than to do so. Thanking all who have kindly favored me with support in the past, I am, sir, Your obedient servant,
A. S. KINSLOE.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of DeKalb county, and would respectfully solicit the support of the voters.

JAMES N. SHAFER.

For County Judge.

I will be a candidate before the Republican county convention for renomination to the office of County Judge and hope that my administration of the duties of that office has been such as will meet with the endorsement of the people.

CHARLES A. BISHOP.

For County Treasurer.

To the voters of DeKalb County: I will be a candidate before the DeKalb County Republican Convention for the office of County Treasurer and respectfully solicit your support.

A. L. WELLS.

For Sheriff.

To the voters of DeKalb county. I will be a candidate before the Republican convention for the office of Sheriff and respectfully solicit your support.

JOHN T. BECKER.

For Sheriff.

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Passenger.....	2 05 P. M.
Passenger.....	5 43 P. M.
Milwaukee Freight.....	9 22 A. M.
Stock Freight.....	10 25 P. M.

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No. 92, frt.....	8:35 A. M.	Elgin 11:30 A. M.	
No. 34.....	8:53 A. M.	10:30 A. M.	
No. 25.....	12:04 P. M.	2:00 P. M.	
No. 22.....	3:46 P. M.	6:05 P. M.	

TRAINS GOING WEST.

LVE. CHICAGO		LVE. GENOA.	
No. 3.....	11:00 P. M.	1:02 A. M.	
No. 21.....	8:30 A. M.	10:34 A. M.	
No. 25.....	2:10 P. M.	4:25 P. M.	
No. 35.....	4:30 P. M.	6:05 P. M.	
No. 2.....	6:20 P. M.	8:05 P. M.	

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No. 32, Express.....	5:20 P. M.	7:30 P. M.			
No. 34, Express.....	8:41 A. M.	10:30 A. M.			
No. 36 Milk Train.....	7:35 A. M.	10:25 A. M.			
No. 92, Way Freight.....	12:15 P. M.	7:05 P. M.			

PASSENGERS WEST.	
No. 1, Vestibule.....	3:48 P. M. 2:00 P. M.
No. 3, Express.....	2:02 A. M. 11:35 P. M.
No. 31, Express.....	10:57 A. M. 8:30 A. M.
No. 33 Express.....	2:50 P. M. 5:00 P. M.
No. 35, Milk Train.....	5:54 P. M. 3:00 P. M.
No. 91, Way Freight.....	4:03 P. M. 9:30 A. M.

No. 2 stops for Chicago passengers and leaves passengers getting on at or west of Rockford.

No. 32 stops only to take passengers for Chicago, and to leave passengers from Rockford, and beyond.

Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 daily through trains from Chicago to South City. No. 31, Chicago to Freeport. No. 32, Waterloo to Chicago, and Nos. 33 and 34 between Chicago and Freeport and are daily except Sunday.

Nos. 35 and 36 daily milk Chicago and Rockford. No. 1 stops only to leave passengers from Chicago and take on those for Rockford, Freeport and beyond. Nos. 91 and 92, way freights, carry passengers daily except Sunday.

For all information about connections and through tickets apply to E. SISSON, Agent

JUST A FEW POINTERS.

I would like to call your attention to a few of the many good points possessed by the Hayes Corn Planters and the Tiger Riding Cultivator. Drop in when in town and I will be pleased to show them to you.

THE HAYES CORN PLANTER.

Being made of malleable iron with steel wheels, it has a very neat and light appearance. Although much lighter than other planters, it is much stronger and more durable. The arrangement is such that the fine adjustment common to all other rowers is overcome. One half throw of the forks will rotate the plate, so it is impossible to miss dropping the corn. The Hayes Corn Planter has many points superior to other planters which I will be pleased to explain if you will call on me.

TIGER RIDING CULTIVATORS

The Tiger Riding Cultivators have many advantages and improve merits over other makes. Its doubletree and neckyoke are wide, and keep the horses off the corn. It is constructed mostly of wrought iron, is much lighter in weight, and consequently lighter draft, and much more durable than any other in the market. It is easily operated, the shovels being easily guided by the feet. It is easily arranged for marking out corn, and potato ground; works well for covering potatoes when planted in rows; is a complete cultivator for plowing in grain and for cultivating fallow ground. IT HAS NO EQUAL IN THE MARKET.

Remember that I keep a Large Stock of Pumps and Repairs.

JAS. KIERNAN.

LIVE WHILE YOU CAN'

Father Time, be it said, is good to the man who is good to himself. Those who live well must dress well. In order to dress well one must know where to get the necessary requisites that make you look well. In the line of

Ready-Made

CLOTHING

F. O. Holtgren.

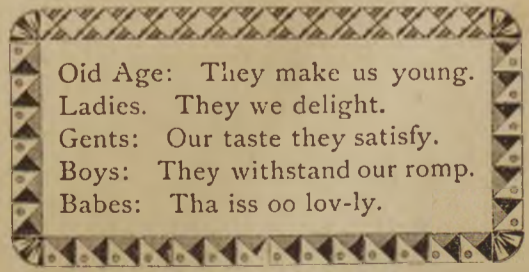
Can show you an elegant stock and can furnish fits that would satisfy a Globe trotter. In MEN'S BOYS' and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING he can show you SOME RARE BARGAINS. CALL.

The Finishing Touch,

In putting the Finishing Touches to your Toilet, do you always see that your Shoes are in keeping with the rest of your "make-up"? The Shoes may be better than the other garments and still be appropriate, but if they are not up to the raiment in style and quality the effect is unpleasant. What you want to do in this case is to call on

A. CRAWFORD & SON,

They will show you a line of shoes, for both sex, that will stand on their merit. But the price is what'll catch you.



Old Age: They make us young.
Ladies: They we delight.
Gents: Our taste they satisfy.
Boys: They withstand our romp.
Babes: Tha iss oo lo-ly.

DON'T FORGET CRAWFORD'S FOR SHOES.

Get Your Printing At This Office



Geo. E. SMITH, Dentist, will visit Genoa every Wednesday. Will come prepared to do plate work or filling. Office hours twelve o'clock, a. m. to 5 p. m. Office second door 1st of S. S. Slater's furniture parlors, Main Street. Terms, cash.

Narcotized Air Administered.

A. M. HILL, M. D.
Office over Lane's jewelry store. Hours, 6:30 to 8 p. m., 12:30 to 2 p. m. Residence on State st. Calls promptly attended day or night.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS.

Personal Notes, Happenings, Etc., Pertaining to Genoa.

Theatre to night.
Cynie Farmiloe is in town.
Buy your cigars at the Genoa store.
Norma Kelly was in Chicago Friday.
Frank Stott was in Elgin over Sunday.
A. Clefford was in Chicago last Friday.
C. B. Milard was a Chicago visitor Monday.
Devise Dean was at Charter Grove Monday.
Potatoes three bushel for one dollar at J. E. Stott's.
J. L. Brown, Jr., visited the windy city last Friday.
Go see the Doty Comedy Co to-night at Crawford's hall.
D. S. Brown was in Freeport Wednesday on business.
Business called Ed Richardson to Chicago Friday last.
Stock taken to pasture. W. S. Strong, Genoa, Ill.
H. H. Slater transacted business in Chicago last Friday.
Jas. Hutchinson transacted business in the city yesterday.
Mc. and Mrs. J. D. Page were visitors in the city last week.
Harry Schutts returned Sunday from a trip to Missouri.
B. Goldman was in Chicago last Friday in the interest of the factory.
Big Jo \$1.00 per sack. No extra charge for sacks. K. Jackman & Son.
Don't forget the Republican meeting at Crawford's hall next Monday night.
Smoke the Belle of Sycamore, the best 5 cent cigar in town at the Genoa cigar store.
Songs, dances and specialties will reign supreme at Crawford's hall this week.
Have you examined the Hayes corn planter at Kiernan's. Don't fail to see it.
Miss Maude Schoonmaker, of Hampshire, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. E. Sisley.
Call and see the new millinery goods at Mrs. Bagley's. Latest styles in hats and trimmings.
H. L. Renn, the Genoa cigar store, carries a complete line of cigars, tobaccos and pipes.
Chas. McAllister, of Kingston, was the guest last Thursday of his brother Dr. McAllister.
Elder Henry Pollard, of Mendota, Ill., will occupy the pulpit at the A. C. church next Sunday.
Prayer meeting will be held tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 at K. B. Clefford's. A cordial invitation to all.
We have turned out a large amount of transient printing this week. Our work gives satisfaction to all.
There was no preaching at Ney last Sunday, on account of repairs. Everything will be ready by next Sunday.
The Champion corn planter sold by Jas. Kiernan is a machine every farmer should have, simple, durable and cheap.
Thursday night, ladies will be admitted free to Crawford's hall to the opening performance of the Doty Comedy Co.
The Godfrey Stock Co. were here again trying to secure an open date at the opera house but failed to do so for the present.
Dr. Albert Clarke and a corps of competent assistants, of Chicago, were at the City hotel a couple days this week doing dental work.
Church services in the hall are well attended especially at night. Rev. Howard proposes to begin a series of sermons on "Methodism" before long.
T. J. Stilwell, of Chicago was in town Tuesday, looking up the milk business. He controls a new process for preparing milk for hospitals and infants and is talking of locating a factory on the I. C. line.

Gus Schneider is on the sick list.
Dr. Robinson went to Chicago Monday.
An air of improvement invades the town.
Mayor James Stott was in Chicago Tuesday.
Mrs. F. O. Swan visited in Chicago the first of the week.
Printed stationery at the price you pay for blank paper. At this office.
E. C. Sisson, of Chicago, was the guest last Sunday of his brother Ernest.
Hampshire press brick will be used in the construction of Wm. Loyd's new building.
Big Jo Flour is booming. Just received 84 sacks. Come early. K. Jackman & Son.
Merritt & Hadsall received the contract and will furnish the lumber for the new church.
Eleven carloads of material for the new M. E. church arrived this week over the I. C. road.
Loans made on farm lands. Address JOHN BROWN, agent Room 17 Town's Block Elgin, Illinois.
Ladies' kid and lisle thread gloves, silk mits, hose, gauze underwear and lace at Mrs. Bagley's.
When plowing take things as easy as possible, wear those plow shoes that F. E. Wells' is selling.
Elder George French is visiting relatives in Michigan and looking after business interests there.
Dr. G. W. Nesbit mayor of Sycamore, who died last Friday, was a teacher in Genoa in 1857.
Largest stock of harness ever unloaded in this section. Strictly hand made and machine made. H. A. Kellogg.
Mrs. Wilson was in Chicago last week and in consequence shows a new stock of exquisite new flowers and hat furnishings.
James C. Brown, of Elgin, ex-sheriff of Kane county, was the guest of his son, Ira J. Brown and family the first of the week.
Main St. has the appearance of frontierism. Billy Lloyd's saloon is located on the street during the erection of his new brick building.
The Genoa Brass Band will hold a meeting in Crawford's hall next Thursday evening. All the old members are requested to be present.
H. H. Slater has built new enclosed stairway to lodge hall. The golden stairs will offer a firmer support to weak knees (secret) society debutants, than the old one.
Five carloads of brick and lumber arrived over the C. M. & St. P. railroad this week for Wm. P. Loyd's building. The same was consigned to Merritt & Hadsall.
Ladies, do not neglect your personal interests. Your interest must be in those new hats at Mrs. Wilson's. You will find there the most beautiful creation of the milliner's art.
The shoes which are offered at a grand bargain by John Lembke are moving pretty lively. If you need a pair of shoes don't miss your chance. Call early before they are gone.
Jas. N. Shafter, of Sandwich, was in town yesterday, looking into matters political. He is a candidate for sheriff and will in all probability have the solid support of the south end of the county.
A sub-district Epworth League Convention will be held in Hampshire Friday night and Saturday of this week. All interested are privileged to attend. A goodly number should go from Genoa.
"Just lovely!" is but mildly expressing the rare and exquisite beauty of those new flowers at Mrs. Wilson's. They are perfect dreams in millinery creation. See them.
The soliciting committee for the new church will begin their second round of collecting about May tenth. The work is booming, and the foundation will likely be ready for the structure before that time.
Genoa people certainly ought to be pleased with the chance for employment contractor McAlpine has thus far given. In all of the excavating labor, the foreman, was the only man from out of town.
The amount of building and repairing in town is more than usual. Messrs. Lane, Clefford, Stiles, Hollenbeck and City Hotel are making extensive improvements, while at least four new houses are already begun, aside from the new church.

New "Ads" This Week.
T. F. Swan—Department Store.
H. J. Wells, Evolution Grocer.

If you want to buy a house or a good residence lot call on D. S. Brown at the bank. Special bargains on two residences if taken at once.

An extra invoice of standard make single buggies, road carts, phaetons surreys, has just been received by Cohoon. Save money by calling on me. E. H. COHOON.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society will meet with Mrs. S. E. Olinstead on Wednesday afternoon May 9 at three p. m. Exercises will begin promptly. Tea will be served. No programme in the evening. All are invited.

Judge Bishop, of Sycamore, was a caller yesterday. He is a candidate for re-election as county judge. He has so ably and impartially administered county equity that he has no opposition to his reelection.

If you need anything in the line of footwear go to John Lembke and see what he can do for you. By so doing you will quickly convince yourself that his store is the place to buy boots and shoes in these hard times.

This week is a gala week at Mrs. Wilson's millinery parlors. Such an array of exquisite trimmed hats as yet editor beheld was enough to tempt the heart of even a pencil pusher. Rare and wonderfully natural flowers were there in wondrous beauty. Have you called yet?

We have been favored with some heavy thunder and rain storms the past week. The storm of Monday, in particular, was unusually heavy and did considerable damage to small buildings and window glass. Tuesday's rain was interspersed with goodly sized hail stones.

Monday evening is the time set for the meeting of the Republicans of Genoa, to fill vacancies on town committee, in order that a caucus can be called to select delegates to the county convention, which is to be held at Sycamore the 22d of this month. All Republicans are urged to be present. The meeting will be held at Crawford's hall.

The annual meeting of the Sunday school board of the M. E. church, to hear reports and elect officers will occur for Genoa next Monday night at Geo. H. Stanley's, and for Ney, at their church, next Tuesday night. Every teacher, officer and member of quarterly conference committee is urged to be present.
W. C. HOWARD, Chairman.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the Doty and Smith Comedy Co., will occupy Crawford's hall and present three plays during their engagement that will be well worth the low prices of admission. "Fireman's Ward," and "Faust" are two plays that have never been seen here. This company comes highly recommended as being above the average and their appearance should be well patronized.

We wish to impress upon the minds of all, the fact that we can print any thing you want. Many new series of type have been added to our outfit and we can turn you out as neat and as tasty a job as can be done by any office in the land. We carry a stock of stationery that is all right. In wedding, invitation, and commencement cards, we have a beautiful stock of samples to select from. Don't go out of town for any kind of printing.

Those who never read the advertisements in their paper miss more than they presume. Jonathan Kenison, of Bolan, Worth Co., Iowa, who had been troubled with rheumatism in his back arms and shoulders read an item in his paper about how a prominent German citizen of Ft. Madison had been cured. He procured the same medicine, and to use his own words: "It cured me right up." He also says: "A neighbor and his wife were both sick in bed with rheumatism. Their boy was over to my house and said they were so bad he had to do the cooking. I told him of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and how it had cured me, he got a bottle and it cured them in a week. 50 cent bottles for sale by F. F. Robinson druggist.

Four Big Successes
Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, Coughs and Colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfect a pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at F. T. Robinson's Drug Store.

Just Received.
A choice Stock of
plants,
CABBAGE—
TOMATO—
and HOUSE—
You Want
5 Gallons Gasoline 45c
1 pound good 25c Tea for . . . 15c
Bottle Good Lemon Extract . . 5c
Bottle Good Vanilla Extract . . 5c

Farmers Plant
Stowels Evergreen—
Fodder Sweet—
Corn Seed—

H. J. WELLS,
GENOA'S ONLY EXCLUSIVE GROCER. Burroughs Building
Goods Promptly Delivered.

Elegance and Durability!
That Counts
And when coupled with
Extremely Low Prices
That is what the careful buyer is looking for.
that's what
I claim for my line COMBINATION BOOKCASES.
They are elegant in design.
They are of superior finish.
They are all new goods and
They are sold at sure-to-suit prices.

Remember that I sell
Combination Book Cases At Styles & Prices.
DON'T FAIL TO SEE MY STOCK OF WALL PAPER AND WINDOW SHADES. Handsome Designs and Finish.

A. TEYLER, GENOA
BREAKING IN
Our Shoes are easy from the start. You need not hire any one to wear them for you a week or two.
WE HAVE PEGGED
away at prices, to, until we have brought them down to something remarkably low.
OXFORD TIES and a new stock of
the Latest Styles in **RUSSET GOODS.**
Shoes for Outing and Vacation
In wide variety as well as various widths.
Repairing neatly Done.
JOHN LEMBKE.

TIME is LIMITED.
There is a time in the affairs of every man when he should gird up his loins and
hustle
Seeking improvement in his general appearance. Now that Spring has quit cutting up capers with Winter and settled down to her proper atmospheric condition,
don't you know
that a nobby spring suit would be just the thing, the kind that is made by
J. D. PAGE,
THE TAILOR.
Guarantee Fit and Satisfaction.

The Genoa Issue.

G. E. SISLEY & CO., Publishers.

GENOA, ILLINOIS.

THE NEWS.

Compiled From Late Dispatches.

CONGRESSIONAL.

On the 24th Senator Mills, closed the general debate on the tariff bill in the senate. He earnestly advocated its passage, though it did not meet his views. In the house the post office appropriation bill was passed.

In the senate on the 25th debate on the tariff bill by paragraphs was begun. Messrs. Palmer, Aldrich and Platt taking part. In the house an amendment to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill requiring consuls at principal ports to turn all fees into the treasury was defeated. Mr. Meyer's seigniorage bill, said to have administration approval, was postponed for the session by the committee on coinage.

In the senate on the 26th Mr. Jarvis, recently appointed senator from North Carolina to succeed Senator Vance, was sworn in. Senator Allen's resolution censuring the district authorities for proclaiming against the admission of the Coxeyites to the District of Columbia was discussed and the tariff bill was further considered. In the house the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill (\$1,513,538) was passed.

There was no general business transacted in the senate on the 27th, the time being occupied in discussing the tariff bill. A proposition by Senator Aldrich (R. I.) to take an immediate vote on the bill was defeated. In the house twenty-one private pension bills were passed. The bill making appropriations of \$2,450,000 for the support of the department of agriculture for the fiscal year 1895 was reported.

In the senate on the 28th the tariff bill was further discussed and Senator Hale declared that a plan to reconstruct the measure was being secretly considered. In the house the army appropriation bill was taken up in committee of the whole, but an adjournment was forced owing to the lack of a quorum.

DOMESTIC.

ALBERT T. BECK, a noted Indianapolis lawyer and politician, was found dead in bed with a bullet in his brain, and opinion was divided as to whether he committed suicide or was murdered.

Mrs. EDWARD HOFACKER, a bride of a day, committed suicide at Kalamazoo, Mich., with poison. No cause was known.

HOGAN's industrial army, numbering 300 men, coming east on a stolen Northern Pacific train, was captured by federal troops at Forsyth, Mont. Deputy marshals who tried to stop the army at Billings were surrounded and disarmed.

OVER 5,000 cotton weavers went on a strike at New Bedford, Mass.

PREPARATIONS were being made in Washington to receive the commonwealers. Subsistence funds were being raised and extra guards placed.

The supervisors of Woodbury county, Ia., were charged with having misappropriated \$250,000 by a taxpayers' committee.

The business part of Floriston, Cal., a small town on the Central Pacific, was destroyed by fire.

A SIXTY-DAYS' drought in California was broken by showers and fruit prospects were good.

PHILIP BOLAND, a switchman, shot and killed his wife in Chicago because she pleaded with him to stop drinking.

UNION Pacific railway earnings in 1893 showed a deficit of \$2,595,841, compared with a surplus the previous year of \$2,069,757.

TWO NEGRO convicts, Henry Singleton and Horace Smith, were hung in the Jackson (Miss.) penitentiary for murdering another convict, Lula Payne.

The Union house at Cheboygan, Mich., was destroyed by fire and a man named Clune was asphyxiated.

FATHER DOMINICK O'GRADY shot and killed Mary Gilmartin in Cincinnati. He was in love with the girl, whom he had followed from Ireland.

ALL the business houses at Jacksonville, Ill., were closed because of revival services being conducted by Rev. Chapman.

REPORTS from all sections of the United States say that the seventy-fifth anniversary of the birth of odd fellowship was appropriately observed by over 1,000,000 members of the order.

The Colorado smelter at Butte, Mont., was burned, the loss being over \$100,000.

The commissioners of the District of Columbia say that members of Coxey's army will not be allowed to hold open-air meetings in Washington.

The McKinley Tariff league, with headquarters in Washington, issued a call for a convention of the colored republican clubs of the United States, to be held the first Monday in July.

EDWARD RYAN, JR., and his sister Nellie, of Boulder, Mont., were drowned on their way to the Crow reservation in search of a ranch they could take up.

COL SIDNEY I. WAILES, one of the best-known men in Maryland, was charged with forgery in Baltimore to the extent of \$30,000.

SEVEN horse thieves were killed by vigilants in Oklahoma near the Texas line.

REV. C. E. BUTLER, an Episcopal clergyman at Fort Meade, Fla., hung himself.

THREE children of Philip Schneider, who lives near Scranton, Pa., were burned to death during a fire which consumed their home.

COL J. A. WATROUS, of Milwaukee, was chosen commander of the Wisconsin department G. A. R. at the encampment in Janesville.

ALL overtures for a peaceful settlement of the Great Northern railroad strike were declared off.

NICK MARTIN, a member of the corner's jury investigating a murder at Omaha, was arrested for the crime.

REPORTS from twenty-three states and two territories give a total production of 11,507,607 long tons of iron ore in 1893, a decrease of 29 per cent. over 1892.

The officials of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church at Denver sued Father Malone for \$12,000, which he was charged with converting to his own use.

FLOYD RADBAUGH, a young farmer living near Big Springs, O., rendered desperate by domestic troubles, hanged himself and his two children.

DEPUTY marshals engaged a gang of desperadoes in battle near Coal Creek, I. T., and three of the bandits and one officer were killed.

GASPORT, a village in western New York, was practically destroyed by fire.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 27th aggregated \$858,568,059, against \$900,889,815 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 20.6.

SAMUEL VAUGHAN was hanged at Fayetteville, Ark., for the murder of John Gage in September, 1891.

THERE were 180 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 27th, against 219 the week previous and 216 in the corresponding time in 1893.

CITIZENS of Burlington, Ind., rid the town of an obnoxious saloon by burning the fixtures, wrecking the building and spilling out the stock of liquors.

FOURTEEN business houses were destroyed in Talequah, I. T., by an incendiary fire.

The premises of La Porte, Martin & Co., wholesale grocers at Montreal, were burned, the loss being \$150,000.

The general business situation throughout the United States was less favorable, as was shown by reports from more than fifty important distributing centers.

JIM ROBINSON and Benjamin White were hanged at Manassas, Va.

TWENTY-FIVE business buildings and twelve dwellings were destroyed by fire at Cadiz, Ind.

The New York legislature adjourned sine die.

FRED GRUBER, under arrest at Creston, Ia., for mailing obscene letters, hanged himself in his cell.

CITIZEN GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN was arrested in Washington for lecturing without a license and left the city in disgust.

FAILING to come to an agreement the Great Northern road was tied up by a strike from St. Paul to the coast.

HENRY NEWMAN & Co., importers of clothing supplies in New York, failed for \$1,500,000.

It was said that hundreds of people in Iron Mountain, Mich., were on the verge of starvation, and Gov. Rich had been appealed to for aid.

SEVENTY-FOUR valuable horses were burned in a fire in the stable of Richard Fitzpatrick in New York city.

The 72d anniversary of the birth of Gen. Grant was appropriately observed in many places throughout the country.

A LATE census report shows that there were 2,154,615 widows in the United States.

SHELL CLAXTON, Comp Claxton, Scott Harvey and Jerry McCly, negroes accused of the murder of A. G. Boyce, were hanged by a mob at Tallulah, La.

HUNDREDS of elk were found in the vicinity of Lander, Wyo., that had died from starvation.

Mrs. MARY FINNIGAN, of Buffalo committed suicide at Niagara Falls by jumping into the American rapids from Willow island.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the national league for the week ended on the 28th ult. were: St. Louis, .857; Philadelphia, .750; Boston, .714; Cleveland, .714; Baltimore, .571; Cincinnati, .571; Pittsburgh, .429; New York, .429; Brooklyn, .286; Louisville, .286; Washington, .250; Chicago, .125.

The famous St. Charles hotel in New Orleans was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$400,000, and four persons were said to have perished in the flames.

TEN THOUSAND people turned out to witness the arrival of Coxey's army at Brightwood Driving park, near Washington, where the commonwealers went into camp.

JAY SEYMOUR, aged 48, of Sturgis, Mich., while drunk beat his son, aged 16, and was killed by the latter in self-defense.

FIFTY of the Coxey recruits who stole a Union Pacific train at Troutdale, Ore., were in jail at Portland, and the rest were imprisoned in box cars.

CITY MARSHAL WHITNEY, of Missouri Valley, Ia., was killed while trying to effect the arrest of two burglars.

WINCHESTER, Va., suffered a loss of \$100,000 by an incendiary fire, the second within a month.

REPRESENTATIVE trade unionists met at Philadelphia to form a new national labor organization which it is intended shall absorb all others.

JOHN SLATE and Frank Storer were crushed to death in an elevator shaft at Warsaw, Ind., and William Shiinn was fatally injured.

A PERMANENT commercial museum where manufacturers can show goods suitable for export will shortly be opened in New York.

A NEW trial of the Breckinridge-Pollard suit was refused by Judge Bradley in Washington.

The entire division of the industrial army marching under Col. Galvin, who stole a train, surrendered at Mount Sterling, O., to the sheriff.

The Vaughn library building and contents and other buildings were burned at Ashland, Wis., the total loss being \$175,000.

Mrs. HENRY WARD BEECHER was said to be very poor and a benefit would be tendered her in Brooklyn.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL CRONAN was given command of 200 regular soldiers in order to effect the arrest of Great Northern strikers in North Dakota.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Mrs. CLAUDIA HERRERA, a Mexican woman, died in San Francisco at the age of 120.

H. W. OGDEN (dem.) was elected to congress at Shreveport, La., to fill the unexpired term of N. S. Blanchard.

GEORGE W. FITHIAN was renominated for congress by the democrats of the Nineteenth Illinois district.

GEN. R. S. GRANGER, U. S. A., (retired), died in Washington, aged 83.

REV. NATHANIEL BUTLER died at his home in Burlington, Wis., aged 69. For fifty years he had been a minister of the Baptist church.

Ex-Gov. N. S. BERRY, the oldest ex-governor in the United States, died in Bristol, N. H., of pneumonia, aged 93 years.

"INDIAN JOHN," one of the few Cherokees who refused to leave with his tribe for the west fifty years ago, died at Dahlongo, Ga., age 95.

EDWIN TURNER (colored) died at Clinton, Ia., aged 105 years. His wife, 90 years old, survives him.

MAJ. JOSEPH KIRKLAND, a well-known soldier and author, died in Chicago, aged 64.

The Ohio republicans will hold their state convention in Columbus on June 5.

FOREIGN.

The Wellman American arctic expedition sailed from Aalesund, Norway, for Spitzbergen on the steamer Ragnvald Jarl.

Of the 213 persons arrested in Warsaw for taking part in the Kilinski centennial celebration 209 have been sent to Siberia.

THOUSANDS of artisans were affected by the failure of the Discount corporation of Ireland, with liabilities of \$2,500,000.

GRAT damage was done by a storm on the Irish coast. Forty-five vessels of the Manx fleet were missing and over fifty persons were drowned.

RETURNS from all Grecian districts affected by the recent earthquake show 250 persons killed and 150 injured.

GREAT BRITAIN, Germany and the United States were corresponding on the subject of the annexation of Samoa to New Zealand.

ANOTHER earthquake destroyed many villages in Greece, and it was feared the loss of life was heavy. Among the cities totally wiped out of existence were Thebes and Atalanta.

A FIRE at Shanghai, China, destroyed 500 houses.

The bodies of 233 persons killed by the last earthquakes in Greece had been recovered. It was feared many more perished in sea coast towns.

BRITISH papers see danger to the American republic in the commonwealth movement. A war between capital and labor is prophesied.

LATER.

The time in the United States senate on the 30th ult. was occupied in discussing the tariff bill. In the house the army appropriation bill was passed after adopting an amendment limiting the number of assistant adjutant generals to four.

TWELVE lives were lost and property worth \$500,000 destroyed by a landslide and flood at St. Albans, Can.

WHILE the pier at Brailov, Roumania, was crowded with people in holiday attire, bound for Gaitz, on the Danube, the structure gave way and 200 persons were drowned.

NEAR Abilene, Tex., a cyclone swept trees, fences and outbuildings from the face of the earth.

An anonymous letter was received by the postmaster at Paris, Ky., giving warning of an alleged plot against the life of Congressman Breckinridge if he attempted to speak in that town.

The business portion of the village of Davidson, Mich., was practically wiped out by fire.

ONE of the most important business blocks in the city of Winchester, Va., was destroyed by fire, the losses aggregating \$100,000.

FIRE destroyed a block of business buildings at Hot Springs, Ark., the loss being \$100,000.

The Scandinavian and Finland Emigrant company of New York, which did an annual business of \$4,000,000, has failed.

JOHNSON, the burglar who shot Town Marshal Whitney at Missouri Valley, Ia., was lynched by a mob.

FRANK HATTON, editor of the Washington Post, and postmaster general in President Arthur's cabinet, died in Washington from a stroke of paralysis, aged 48 years.

The North Dakota democrats will hold their state convention at Grand Forks on June 20.

LATEST advices say that the loss of life by the earthquakes in Greece was placed at 400, and there were 30,000 persons homeless from the same cause.

GEORGE HANSON and wife, of Ellsworth, Ia., while out driving were struck by a train at a crossing and both were killed.

A CYCLONE swept over Kansas City, Mo., doing great damage to property and causing some loss of life.

FRANCIS B. STOCKBRIDGE, of Kalamazoo, Mich., died at the home of his nephew in Chicago, aged 68 years. He was elected United States senator in 1887, and was reelected in 1893, and his term of service would have expired March 3, 1899.

FRANK HATTON DEAD.

The Well-Known Journalist Succumbs to Paralysis.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Frank Hatton, editor of the Washington Post, who was stricken with paralysis last Tuesday in his office, died Monday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock. Ever since he was prostrated his family and friends had hoped that he might recover; but on Friday an acute attack of Bright's disease occurred. By Saturday morning one of his kidneys was entirely useless, and Monday morning the other ceased to perform its functions. At 9 o'clock Monday ureal poisoning in its worst form set in, and all hope was abandoned. Very few people knew of his dangerous



FRANK HATTON.

condition. Every one was told of his encouraging symptoms. Therefore the announcement of his death was quite as great a shock as the announcement of his illness.

Mrs. Hatton and her son Richard were at the bedside of the husband and father when the dread messenger came.

[Frank Hatton was born in Cambridge, O., April 28, 1846, and went with his family to the neighboring town of Cadiz, where his father published the Republican. Young Hatton grew up in the office of that paper, knowing scarcely any other school. At 14 years of age he could set type, at 14 he was foreman of the office and a year later was local editor. At 16 he entered the army as a private in the Ninety-eighth Ohio infantry and served through the war, bringing home with him a commission as first lieutenant. Shortly after the war his family removed to Mount Pleasant, Ia., where in 1869 he became the editor of the Journal. In 1874 he went to Burlington, where he purchased an interest in the Hawkeye and became its editor. President Hayes made him postmaster at Burlington, and he was still in that office when President Arthur called him to Washington and made him first assistant postmaster general, a position he held for three years, until he was promoted to the head of the department after the resignation of Judge Gresham. He continued in the cabinet until the end of President Arthur's term, and was younger than any man in this country, except Alexander Hamilton, who ever held so high an office. At the close of his official life he became the editor of the National Republican in Washington, and in 1885 went to Chicago where, with Clinton A. Snowden, he purchased the Chicago Mail. In 1888 he returned to Washington and with Mr. Beriah Wilkins, then a member of congress from Ohio, purchased the Washington Post and became its editor in chief.]

TWELVE PERISHED.

Loss of Life and Property by a Landslide in Canada.

QUEBEC, Can., May 1.—The inhabitants of St. Albans, an isolated village, Friday night heard a terrific noise resembling the roll of thunder in the distance. The soil vibrated and a panic ensued. Near the parish church is a curve in the River St. Anne which makes a waterfall. The ground which stays the formation on the right side gave way and the earth and rocks filled a deep gap of the falls, burying a wood-pulp mill and blocking up the natural channel of the river for 5 miles to a depth of 17 feet, making the water rise above the earth walls. The water rushed down upon the village, carrying away three bridges and all the lumber booms. The house of Farmer Gauthier, at St. Albans, is buried, and the four persons who occupied it are supposed to be buried in the house, which is evidently burning. Hundreds of cattle, horses, sheep and pigs have perished, and in the wreckage that floats past the poor brutes can be seen struggling. The piece of land which slid into the river is about 1 mile long and 4 miles wide. The latest information received is to the effect that \$500,000 worth of property was destroyed and twelve persons were killed.

GEN. FRYE SCENTS TROUBLE.

He Fears Uncle Sam's Soldiers May Try to Scatter the Armies.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 1.—Gen. Frye fears that the war department is about to take steps to cause the disbandment of the various branches of the industrial army. He has been led to this by the receipt of an official communication from Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, commanding the department of the east, asking for information regarding the object of his (Frye's) march to Washington, and reminding him that his branch of the army would soon be within the jurisdiction of Howard's department. Gen. Frye replied by forwarding a copy of the preamble and constitution of the industrial army.

Frye's army is still in the department of Missouri, commanded by Gen. Miles, of Chicago, but will come under Gen. Howard's supervision as soon as it crosses the line into Ohio. The Los Angeles leader believes a similar request has been sent to Coxey, Kelly and all the others in command of divisions moving to Washington. He believes their replies will be filed with the war department, whose purpose it is to fortify itself for the proclamation, calling the movement a treasonable enterprise.



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HOUSE AND HOME.

Where is the house, the house we love?
By field or river, square or street,
The house our hearts go dreaming of,
That lonely waits our hurrying feet?
The house to which we come, we come,
To make that happy house our home.

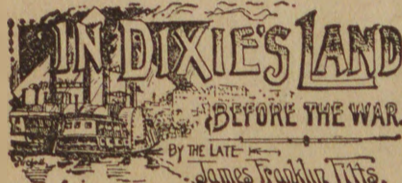
Oh dear dream house! for you I store
A melody of such curious things,
As a wise thrush goes counting o'er,
Ere the glad morn of songs and wings,
When a small nest makes all her heaven,
And a true mate that sings at even.

Up those dim stairs my heart will steal,
And quietly through the listening rooms,
And long in prayerful love will kneel,
And in the sweet-aided twilight glooms,
Will set a curtain straight, or chair,
And dust and order and make fair.

Oh, tarrying time, hasten, until
You light our hearth fires, dear and warm,
Set pictures on these walls so chill,
And draw our curtains 'gainst the storm,
And shut us in together, time,
In a new world, a happier clime!

Whether our house be new or old
We care not; we will drive away
From last year's nest its memories cold,
And all be gold that once was gray.
Oh, dear dream house, for which we pray,
Our feet come slowly up your way!

—Katherine Tynan.



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CHAPTER XIII.—CONTINUED.

Coralie had heard the sound of voices and her entrance into the parlor. She came in with a lamp. The stranger was revealed. I had last seen him when he was put ashore by the captain of the Cotton Queen.

Le sat down on a sofa and stretched himself out. Nobody else was seated. His impudent eye ranged round over the luxurious furniture of the apartment and coolly examined each one of us. Then, to my astonishment and disgust, he took a cigar from his case and scratching a match on the finely-grained panel of the wall he lit it and began to smoke.

Le Fevre started forward.
"Say the word, Mr. Bostock, and I'll pitch the insolent blackguard out of here, neck and heels."

The planter sat down and groaned.
"No," was all he said.

The intruder laughed, threw his head back, and blew rings of smoke upward to the ceiling.

"You won't be so fast, my friend, when you hear how good a right I've got to be here. That's Coralie, I suppose?"

Mr. Bostock gave a gesture of assent.
"Fine girl. Who might you be, young fellow? I don't remember to have met you before."

This was addressed to me.
"I have seen you before, certainly."

"You have! Where?"
"Up the river, when you were put ashore from the steamer for cheating with cards."

I spoke from impulse, just as I often acted. It would have been wiser for me to keep the words back. A little reflection would have told me that this was a dangerous man, and that I ought not needlessly to incur his enmity. But I had spoken, and the shaft had gone home. The man's evil face flushed and paled, and he gave me a vindictive look.

He addressed himself to Mr. Bostock.
"My business is with you, sir. I want nothing with these people."

With a slight pause, he continued:
"I was at Boutellier's, in New Orleans, yesterday. For the first time, he refused to advance me anything. I only asked him for a hundred dollars. He said you had stopped the account."

"It has been so long since I heard anything of you—"

"That you thought I was dead—eh? You hoped so, no doubt. If you'd taken the trouble to send to Boutellier, he'd have told you that your money never stayed very long in his hands."

Le Fevre whispered excitedly in my ear:
"What the devil does this mean? Since I have been there, the old man has deposited thousands of dollars in that bank, and not a cent has he drawn from there. Who is this fellow?"

"Tell me what you want," said the planter. "You promised me years ago that you would not come near me again. Go, now, and trouble me no more."

"Give me two thousand dollars first."

Mr. Bostock turned to Le Fevre.
"Make a check on Jacob Barker, New Orleans, for the amount payable to bearer."

Nothing that had thus far happened had greatly surprised me. I knew about this man what was not known to Coralie or Le Fevre; and, while she stood in consternation by her father's chair, the overseer did not cease to regard the interloper with threatening looks, as if he only wanted a little more provocation to attack him with his fists. Amazed as he was by the direction about the check, he went into the other room, prepared it, and brought it back on a book with a pen.

Mr. Bostock signed it with trembling fingers.

"Give it to him."
The overseer took it and threw it upon the lounge. The man who lay there glanced at it and thrust it into his pocket.

"Go," said the planter.
"Pretty soon; don't hurry me. You must remember that we haven't met in many years. All your own fault; you would have it so. Now you have compelled me to come here to get money, you've got to acknowledge me."

"No—no!"
"You will! You're likely to die before I do; and where shall I come for money then? You know I was only a boy when we moved from here; I might find it hard to get myself recognized around here. It would be easier near Vicksburg; but I want the witnesses right here, in your own family. Tell these people who I am."

"You are one of the devils who has helped to make my life miserable," was the despairing cry of the planter.

"Will you tell them?"
"No."

"Very well. All La Fourche shall know the whole truth to-morrow. Mark me—the whole truth, I say!"

He turned to depart. Again he was recalled.

"Do you promise to keep that secret? Do you promise never to return here?"

"I will keep the secret. I will not return here in your lifetime—provided you keep my account good at Le Boutellier's. Now tell them!"

"Hold me up, Dorr—Le Fevre, stand back; this scoundrel must be satisfied and silenced. He wants me to tell you that he is my son, Conrad Bostock. That is true, I acknowledge it."

His head fell on his breast; his breath came hard and labored. His daughter placed her arm about his neck, and put her vinaigrette to his nostrils.

The gambler got up and looked with malignant triumph at the group.
"That's all, I believe," he drawled. "Coralie, I'm quite happy to have so fine a girl for a sister. You won't see your dear brother again for some time; that is, if your dutiful father behaves himself. Come and kiss me, my chicken!"

The girl gave a cry of disgust, and put out both hands to keep him off. I started toward him; but Le Fevre was too quick for me. The abundant wrath that he had been storing up for the last half hour could no longer be restrained. His powerful arm shot

out straight from the shoulder, and Conrad Bostock sprang his length on the carpet. He rose, confused and bleeding, caught one glance at the angry countenance of the overseer, snatched his hat and disappeared.

The planter seemed unconscious of what had just happened. He raised his eyes and looked around him.

"Is he gone?" he eagerly asked.
"Yes, father. What was it—?"

"Sh, child, don't ask me anything. He is gone; he won't come back. Did he say anything about you, Corry?"

"He wanted to kiss me—the odious beast!—and good Mr. Le Fevre struck him."

"I'm sorry for that; Conrad is revengeful. But he said nothing about you?"

"No, father."

The planter seemed greatly relieved at the answer.

"I'll go to bed, now, child. I am very weary with all this."

When Coralie had withdrawn with him, Le Fevre sat and stared blankly at me.

"What's all this?" he blurted out. I felt the shadows descending over this house. I knew now that they would involve me, for too plainly did I see by the anxious inquiries of Mr. Bostock that Coralie was concerned in the mystery—and Coralie was becoming all the world to me. The hard, rugged nature of the overseer was crossed with hearty human streaks; the events of the night had shown that he was a true friend to this old man and his child. So I told him all I knew of Pierce Bostock and his wayward son, and all that Mr. Dorion had told me of them. He listened attentively, and shook his shaggy head.

"This is all new to me," he said. "What in Satan's name it means, I don't know. But I do know that if I catch that scoundrel about here I'll duck him in the bayou."

"THIS SCOUNDREL MUST BE SATISFIED AND SILENCED."

and neither Coralie nor her father appeared at the breakfast or dinner-table.

"De ole massa powerful sick in de night," said one of the women who waited on me. "Pears like he done git no sleep, and Missy Coral up an' down wid him. Tell us what we do for yo', sah, an' we do um."

I strolled down to the bayou and strolled back. I tried to get interested in a book, and threw one after another aside. Was it the natural longing for her who had now become necessary to my existence?—or was it the restlessness provoked by the shadows of coming events?

Coralie—always Coralie. She had taken possession of me; I could think of nothing else. I have ventured upon no description of her face and form; I will not. She was all that Mr. Dorion had said of her, and more.

But who was it that thus thought of her and hoped for her? A poor adventurer, with a few paltry dollars in his pocket; a dependent at this moment upon her father's hospitality.

Aye, indeed!—was that my position? Be it so. The other side of the question quickly appeared. There was danger threatening—danger to Coralie. The very air was full of it, since the ill-omened visit of the previous night.

"Did he say anything about you, Corry?" was her father's anxious question. What might he have said?—what could he say?—what was it that he had threatened to tell all through La Fourche?—the threat of which had forced Mr. Bostock to the humiliating confession that this scoundrel was his son.

Evidently the mysterious terror that brooded at Pierce Bostock's heart largely concerned his daughter. The man who sought her must seek her under this cloud. He must take his risk. Was I prepared to do this?

Was I prepared? Yes! A thousand times yes. I would face anything, dare anything, for her. I exulted, with a fierce exultation, to know that there must be some sacrifice on my part. I wanted something to dare; something to suffer for her sake.

The parting words of Le Fevre on the previous night recurred to me.

"The old man couldn't live without her. I've sometimes thought that the love of her is all that keeps him alive. Many promising young fellows, the sons of the wealthiest planters about here, have tried to court her, but he's driven them all off. He has seemed to be in a perfect terror of her falling in love with anyone. But he needn't have troubled himself so far. She hasn't cared a straw for any of them."

Would it not be so with me, both as to the father and daughter? I could not tell. But I resolved to quickly find out. Events were fast shaping my course, and the startling occurrence of the evening before had emboldened me to speak out.

It was almost sunset when she came down from her father's chamber, wearied from loss of sleep, languidly beautiful in her white wrapper, with her black hair unbound and fastened back with a net. She came and sat by me on the sofa.

"He is asleep now," she said, anticipating my question. "I hope it will last long enough to rest his poor distracted mind and his weak body. It all comes from the shock of that bad man's visit last night. He will not talk with me about it—but in his sleep he cries out his name, and prays him not to speak of me—and O, *Mon Dieu*, it is horrible! Can it be that this hideous man is my brother?"

"I fear it is so. Mr. Dorion told me so. He said that he came to the plantation near Vicksburg when you were an infant, with your father; that he was always called a son; and that it was supposed, when he went away during your childhood, that on account of his evil course your father had hired him to leave."

"Ah, me! I have no memory of him. Why does papa fear him?"
"I wish I knew."

"These things are dreadful. What are we to do—what will become of us?"
"Do not despair. We may never hear of that man again."

"Ah, you do not know the condition that poor papa is in! It is pitiful to see him. He begs me not to leave him; he calls on Conrad not to betray him."

"He is delirious."

"No, no; it is in his sleep. Since last night, it has seemed to me as if I could never be light-hearted or happy again. It seems as though some dreadful calamity was threatening us."

"You want rest and sleep yourself. You must not be so sad."

"Am I sad? Well, think of it. Here is papa, sick with fright from that man; he will die suddenly, some time, the doctor says—and then there is nobody to protect me or care for me. Mr. Le Fevre, perhaps—but he is so rough, though his heart is good. I am troubled."

All this was merely the natural outpouring of the heart, by one whose life had always been sunny, who had not known what grief was. It was my opportunity; I could not neglect it. My heart beat fast as I took the plunge.

"There is one to protect you, Coralie; there is one who would die for you, but who hopes to live long for you. Have you not thought of me in this trouble?"

She looked down; her long black lashes lay on her fair face.

"I did think of you," she said. "But I did not know how you felt toward me."

"Not know!" I echoed. "Could I

have told you plainer than by my looks, my actions, my very silence? Shall I tell you now that I love you dearly, and will stand between you and all peril?"

She looked into my eyes; her head was on my shoulder; my arms were about her.

"O Dorr, is it true?" she whispered. "I have dreamed it, but never dared to think it. Is it really true?"

We sat and talked until the twilight. I do not know how long; I only know that the world was lost to both of us in that time. Why should I repeat here what we said, the vows we exchanged, the air castles we built? With lovers and first love the way has always been the same since the days of Eden before the serpent.

Coralie at length started up.
"Let me go," she said. "I have been too long away from papa. If he has waked he has missed me."

She looked to the door, and gave a start. My arm was still about her; my hand held hers. The figure of a man stood in the doorway. The blinds were open, the windows were up; the brilliant twilight illuminated the room. It was the bent and bowed figure of Pierce Bostock, leaning on his cane. He saw us; he saw our attitude. I had become used to his moods, to his stern and forbidding facial expressions; yet I must confess that nothing had I seen in him to equal the blank dismay, the consternation, with which he saw Coralie in my arms.

CHAPTER XV.
THE STUNNING TRUTH.

He tottered to a chair, and sank in it. "He, too!" he moaned. "Must he share in the punishment? Must everything I touch be destroyed? Just God, my punishment is greater than I can bear."

I was about to try to explain the situation in which he had found me. Before I could do so, he reached out to the bell cord and jerked it. A slave girl presently appeared.

"Close the blinds; shut the windows; bring a light," he commanded. She obeyed.

When she had gone, he told me to lock the door. I did it, wondering what was next to happen.

"Now we are alone; we shall not be disturbed," he said. "Tell me what this means."

I still held the girl in my arms; she tried not to escape. Her compliance emboldened me; I spoke out, not only as I wished, but as I thought she would have me speak.

"Mr. Bostock, if I have presumed too much upon your friendship, and upon the kind treatment I have had in this house, I beg you to forgive me. I can only plead my love in excuse. I am poor, as you know, but for you and a very few others, I am friendless; but I love Coralie. It comes of itself; I did not seek it nor invite it; I could not help it. That is all."

I watched his face closely, and my heart sank as I saw that it was hard and cold.

"Indeed!" he said, with something almost like a sneer. "Perhaps I ought not to be surprised at this, but I take little heed of what passes around me. Corry, how is it with you? Speak the truth to me, as you always have. Is this merely an idle fancy—or do you love him?"

"I do love him." She raised her head, and looked steadily at her father.

He heard me; he heard her; and his harshness disappeared. He crossed his arms upon his breast, he bowed his head upon them; great sighs burst from him as he rocked himself to and fro.

"My crime—my crime!" he moaned. "Must they suffer for it?—they, the innocent ones whom I love!"

Coralie heard that cry from his despairing soul and was on her knees by him. She clasped his hands; she begged him to look upon her, to kiss her, to call her his darling. He looked at her, but it was with rueful, despairing face.

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The Day in Different Lands.

In different times and in different countries there have been at least four separate systems of regulating the civil day. The ancient Babylonians reckoned from sunrise to sunrise, and a great division of the Persians even to this day reckon the day as beginning at noon. The Romans finished one day and commenced another at midnight, and it was from them that we have inherited our time-reckoning custom.

The Athenians and the Jews (just prior to the crucifixion, at least), finished the day with sunset. The scientists have their "sidereal" and "solar" modes of keeping track of the flight of time, besides a variety of other systems.

Cheese for the Bride.

In Switzerland the orange and myrtle blossoms, those graceful symbols at weddings, find their substitute in Gruyere cheese. On the day of her marriage the bride receives a whole Gruyere cheese, which is religiously preserved in the family.

As time goes on various marks and notches are cut into it which serve to record the births, marriages, deaths, etc., occurring in the household and among the relatives. Anyhow it may always serve as provision for a rainy day.

Didn't All Speak at Once.

Elmore—Did you ever see a company of women perfectly silent?

Decker—Once. Some one had asked which was the oldest.—N. Y. Herald.

MICHIGAN MOURNS.

Her United States Senator, Francis B. Stockbridge, Is Dead.

He Passes Away Somewhat Unexpectedly in Chicago—Brief Sketch of His Career—Candidates for the Succession.

DEATH OF SENATOR STOCKBRIDGE.

CHICAGO, May 1.—United States Senator Francis B. Stockbridge, of Michigan, died at 7 o'clock Monday evening at the home of his nephew, James S. Houghteling, No. 27 Banks street, in this city. The end came unexpectedly while the senator was in his room with a nurse. Although he had been ill for several weeks his condition was not thought critical, and his death came as an unusually severe blow to his wife and friends.

Senator and Mrs. Stockbridge arrived in Chicago from Washington, D. C., April 3, on their way to visit the Midwinter fair at San Francisco. They had planned to stop for a few days with Mr. Houghteling and his family before continuing their journey west. When the senator arrived in Chicago he was worn out from the effects of his duties in Washington and was slightly troubled with an irritable



FRANCIS B. STOCKBRIDGE.

stomach. The day after his arrival in Chicago he suddenly became worse and was forced to take to his bed and place himself under the care of a physician. Besides his stomach trouble he was seized with severe pains in the region of the heart. A few days quiet mended matters to a considerable degree and during the last two weeks his condition was much improved. His illness prevented him gaining strength except very slowly. Two weeks ago the proposed California trip was abandoned and arrangements made to return as early as possible to Kalamazoo, the senator's home.

Monday the senator appeared as well as at any time during his visit here and he and Mrs. Stockbridge were talking of being at home in a few days. When dinner was announced he said he was feeling well and asked his wife and the other members of the family to go down to the meal, as he would be all right with the nurse.

After they left he sat in his chair looking over the paper and apparently suffering no pain. After a time he arose to walk across the room and was suddenly seized with pains about the heart. He uttered no cry, but with his hands clasped over his heart and his face gray with pain he staggered back to the chair he had just left. Alarmed at the sudden change the nurse notified the members of the family and Mrs. Stockbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Houghteling were quickly at his side. He was unconscious and apparently dying. Dr. Henry Harper was sent for and when he arrived did what he could, but the senator was beyond the reach of medical science. He sank rapidly and at 7 o'clock the end came.

LANSING, Mich., May 1.—Senator Stockbridge's death was a great shock to his numerous personal and political friends here, as none of them were aware that his illness was critical.

The governor will appoint a successor to fill the vacancy until the legislature convenes in January next, and the appointee will doubtless come from the western portion of the state. Numerous names are mentioned in connection with the appointment, the most prominent being that of ex-Gov. Luce, who was the only candidate against Stockbridge before the legislature of 1893.

[Francis B. Stockbridge was born in Bath, Me., April 9, 1828. Early in his life his parents moved to Chicago, where for some years he was engaged in the lumber business. This grew rapidly and in a comparatively short time he had acquired large lumber interests in Michigan. In 1851 he decided to move to Michigan and he took up his residence in St. Ignace, where he owned several lumber mills. While living in St. Ignace he also acquired a large mining property, which he retained up to the time of his death. He moved to Kalamazoo about twenty years ago and has lived there since. He was elected to the state legislature in 1869 and to the senate in 1871, and March 4, 1887, took his seat in the United States senate as a republican. He was reelected again in 1893 and his term of service would have expired March 3, 1899. The senator had large lumber interests on the Pacific slope, was the proprietor of a large spring factory at Kalamazoo and was well known throughout the state as a man of large means who freely spent his money for the benefit of the poor. He was largely interested in the Brown & Co. stock farm near Kalamazoo, and many of the products of his stable rank high in speed and circles.

Although he had had only a common school education in his early youth, he was a great reader, and had acquired a considerable knowledge of art, science and literature during his life. Probably there was no man in Michigan better known to rich and poor alike than was he. He had often said that, as he had no children of his own, he would in a measure adopt those of his neighbors, and his kindly spirit made him beloved wherever he was known. While still a young man he was married to Miss Elizabeth Arnold, who survives him.]

KINGSTON

Dr. A. Clark, dentist with his assistants were at the Hotel McCullom Wednesday and Thursday, attending to the wants of the people.

Hiram Birkeld has been having his house on Railroad street painted. By the way we notice that the people of Kingston are awakening to the fact, that a good coat of paint is just the thing in the way of improvement as several of our citizens have been decorating quite extensively of late.

Dr. Miller and family have been visiting with Elder Hester's people for a few days. They are from Turner Junction.

The night operator at our station at present, is Mr. Pratt, from Byron. He is a married man and expects to move his family here soon, and will occupy the rooms over the meat market.

Mrs. F. Olman, of Calvin Park, died last Friday. A husband and several children mourn her loss.

The suit between Len Aurer and Con Kniprath was decided in favor of Kniprath. He was awarded a judgment of \$34.

Jack Sturges was in Chicago last Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Gross commenced her second term of school at the Vanderberg school house Monday April 30th.

L. C. Shaffer and Dr. McLean were in Clare last week.

Mr. Fred Orton and family have moved to Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Joe Aurer is running the meat wagon this season for Chas. Uplinger. That is a job where a man has to "get up in the morning," but Joe says he can stand that part of it all right.

Mrs. Wm. Yonken has gone to California for a pleasure trip. She will visit with her two sons who reside in that state.

Mrs. Hattie Laudis will teach the Hix school the coming term which will begin next Monday.

Our post master is awaiting tidings from headquarters very anxiously. There is to be a circus in Belvidere next week and Mark thinks he will attend if there is any chance of being relieved by that time.

Chas. Uplinger was in Minnesota on business last week. He says that while crops are no further advanced than they are here, the prospect for a good year are splendid.

L. G. Merrill awoke one morning to find one of his windows broken out and the screen unhooked, evidently the work of some miscreant bent on plunder, however nothing was known to be missing.

Doctor McLean attended the commencement exercises of the Northwestern University Medical College last Tuesday at Central Music Hall, Chicago. There were several graduates, B. F. Ellis was one from the dental college. The exercises were very interesting and was followed by a stupendous banquet at the "Leland."

Report says that Tom Spencer a former resident of this place, shot a man last Wednesday at Ottawa, Ill. The victim is in a serious condition. The shooting was the outcome of some former difficulty between the two men.

SYCAMORE.

A barn on the farm of Mr Fred Townsend, near New Lebanon, was struck by lightning last week Saturday and burned together with 800 bushels of oats. Ten head of horses were standing in the barn but fortunately all were rescued.

Rumors are that one of our music dealers is soon to become a benedict.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aiden, have been out from the city on a visit to friends.

Capt. R. A. Smith, is here from Lake City, Iowa, visiting friends and neighbors.

The salary of the Sycamore postmaster will be increased \$100 July 1, the office justifying the same.

Mrs. John Black is visiting her son at Cherry Valley, Kansas.

Mrs. S. O. Pike has been entertaining her friend, Miss Mabel Allen, of Iowa, the past week. Miss Allen has recently graduated from the Chicago Training school and goes to China next month as a missionary.

At the home of the brides parents in Sycamore, Wednesday, May 2nd., Rev. A. D. Horn, of the M. E. church, united in marriage, Mr. Harry Gabel and Miss Lou Jones. Both young people are prominent in church work and have a large circle of friends who extend congratulations.

D. C. Dunlap has traded his Sycamore rolling mills for 1550 acres land in Oregon county, Mo. The new owners will soon take possession of the mills.

Col. Dan Munn will be orator of the day in Sycamore Decoration day.

Miss Loue Shirliff, who for the past nine months has been in Portland, Oregon, returned home Sunday morning last.

Mr. Alonzo Ellwood, visited the I. O. O. F. Orphan's Home, near the state capitol last week.

Mrs. Fred Roberts is visiting her brother, John Luther, at Spring Valley, this state.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Bouton, were here from DeKalb over Sunday visiting her parents, Elder Hewitt and wife.

Miss Timmerman, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. E. F. Dutton. Miss Timmerman is on her way to Minneapolis.

Dr. G. W. Nesbitt, died at his home in Sycamore Tuesday April 27, from uraemic fever after a brief illness of less than one week's duration. Dr. Nesbitt was born in Utica, N. Y. August 10, 1837, and when he reached manhood's estate he came to Genoa, in this county, and engaged in teaching school. He afterwards taught in Boone county. He then read law with Judge Kellum, of Sycamore, for a time and in 1860 he commenced the study of medicine in the office of Dr. Rice, of Randolph Co. Ill. In 1861 he returned to New York and completed his medical education at the Buffalo Medical College, graduating there in 1895. He located in Sycamore for the practice of his profession in 1866 where he has established a lucrative practice. In 1893 he was elected Mayor of Sycamore. Besides his widow, two sons, Dr. G. W. Nesbitt, Jr., and John B. Nesbitt survive him. The funeral was held from his late home on Monday afternoon and largely attended.

Mrs. Jennie Denmark and children are here visiting the family of Walter Walrod.

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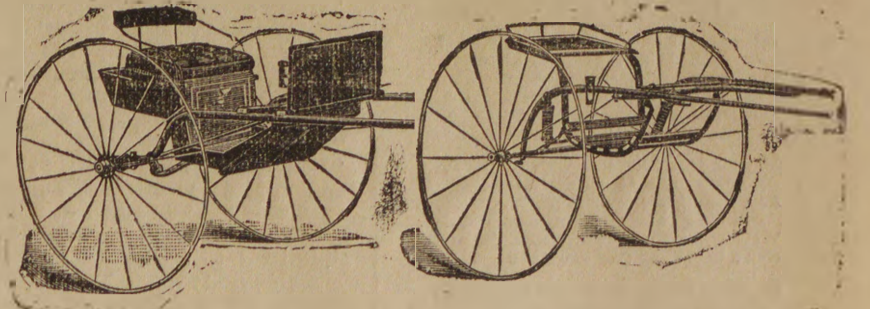
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