

E. E. CRAWFORD OUT FOR SHERIFF

Genoa Man Announces Candidacy for Nomination to the County Office

FRIENDS BOOMING HIS CAMPAIGN

Candidate is Now Calling on Voters Throughout the County —A Good Record

Edwin E. Crawford of Genoa is a candidate for sheriff of DeKalb county, and will enter the primaries in the spring as a Republican candidate for that office. He has been quietly canvassing for over three weeks, but only within the last week has he made formal announcement. Numerous friends in this part of the county are booming his campaign, and he intends to make his campaign on his record as a police officer, which is enviable.

Mr. Crawford was appointed chief of police of Genoa nearly seven years ago and has held that position continuously since that time. He has the reputation of being one of the best in the country, a reputation that has been well earned. He counts everyone his friend and yet he has no favorites when it comes to duty. All law breakers look alike to him and he enforces the law without fear or favor. He has never displayed the characteristics of a "bull" policeman, but handles every case with rare discretion. In obtaining confessions from his prisoners he is a past master, and not long since the chief of police of Rockford publicly complimented Mr. Crawford on his ability along that line. While handling each case with firmness and fairness, never displaying brute force unless absolutely necessary, he is fearless physically when occasion demands extreme methods of handling criminals. He is every inch sheriff, standing six feet in height and powerfully built. Some call him handsome but The Republican will not go that far, for the candidate might forget the seriousness of the work before him.

Edwin Crawford was born in Genoa in 1891 and has resided in this city continuously, with the exception of time spent at the military school in Alton, Ill.

He married Miss Alta Lovell of DeKalb in 1910, has four children and home in which he takes great pride.

Mr. Crawford intends to submit his candidacy to the voters on his record and asks voters to look up that record also pointing out the fact that Genoa has never been honored with a county office and it would be only fair to recognize the worth part of the county at this time.

JOHN WESTFIELD PASSES AWAY

Born in Lincolnshire, England, June 23, 1854, Came to America in 1888

John Westfield, well known here for a number of years, passed away at his home on the Sycamore road south of Genoa last Friday, October 14.

A friend says: "Life is a great school; and we who survive can learn from the lessons taught, by example, to do our duty unflinchingly, endure our suffering uncomplainingly and bear pain as cheerfully as did he for the last five months."

John Westfield was born in South Carlton, Lincolnshire, England, on June 23, 1854; there he resided until he grew to manhood and was married to Miss Lucy Green. They resided on a portion of Lord Munson's estate which had been rented by his ancestors for over three centuries. He had a number of relatives and acquaintances who came to America, and he followed them in 1888. He worked on a farm near Wasco for a few years and then leased a farm. He continued in that occupation until nine years ago, when not feeling as rugged as he considered necessary to conduct a farm, he purchased the premises on which he had since resided.

Mr. Westfield leaves surviving the wife, six children and six grandchildren. The children are George of Chicago, John E. of Charter Grove, Mrs. Alice Parsons of Wasco, Mrs. Minnie Hall of Sycamore and Charles of Genoa. The youngest child, a son, died in infancy. The grandchildren are Thomas and Mary Westfield, Dorothy and Grace Westfield and Nellie and Kenneth Hall.

The funeral services were held on Sunday at 1 o'clock p. m. at the home and the interment was in the Wasco cemetery.

Read the Want Ads.

FIRST SECTION PATROLED

Frank Klein of Pierce Township Starts Patrolling System in County

The first road patrolman to work on the state aid system under the new plan of the state aid roads by the county, starting work last week.

His section is about 11 miles long running in that township and the eastern part of Afton.

His section begins at the point where the south cement road turns west toward Afton Center, and runs easterly past Pierce town hall to the DeKalb county line, a distance of eight miles. He also has a three mile stretch on the road that runs into the first-mentioned road on a line south of Cortland. This road he will maintain from the end to the north line of Pierce township.

Mr. Klein is enthusiastic about the work. Superintendent Russell going down to start him off. The east and west road is practically all gravel but is rather narrow. The south mile of the north and south road is dirt but the north two miles is of gravel.

Mr. Klein will make a fine patrolman as he is hard working and conscientious and stood all the investigation that the superintendent gave him in good shape.

Mr. Russell already has eight applicants for patrol positions and a number of inquiries, so that he anticipates no trouble in finding the material to build up a good personnel organization.

Mr. Russell states that the first patrol grader has arrived, is set up and will be started working almost at once.

This first machine will be given a thorough test as to the requirements in this vicinity and it is probable that within the next month or two there will be others purchased by the county to keep the roads in the best condition possible.

Russell said that the unemployment situation around here was nothing serious as he was compelled to hunt for two or three hours recently to find a helper for the man setting up the machine.—DeKalb Chronicle.

ILLINOIS RANKS FIRST

Greatest Egg and Poultry Producing State in the Union

That Illinois is one of the five great egg producing states of the country, is shown in the report of a survey of the egg and poultry situation being carried on by the Illinois Agricultural Association.

Excluding home use, the value of eggs and poultry in Illinois in 1919, was \$67,690,086, according to the survey, as compared to \$71,992,333 for dairy products, \$31,557,407 for vegetables, including potatoes, and \$7,946,064 for sheep.

The survey shows that Ill., Iowa, Indiana, Ohio and Missouri are the five greatest egg producing states of the country. California, generally regarded as a large egg producing state, produces but little more than half the Illinois production.

The five corn belt states have increased their production 3.8 per cent in the last ten years, while production in the principal eastern states has declined 29.5 per cent. The Illinois production is 6.7 per cent.

The reason for the prominence of the Pacific coast in the egg industry is the superior facilities of handling and marketing used there.

New York state, it was found, produces only ten per cent of the eggs used in the Metropolis, the rest coming from other states.

GENOA TAKEN INTO CAMP

Sycamore Pitcher Allows Two Hits; Score 11 to 0

Sunday's ball game between Sycamore and Genoa concluded the baseball of the local players. Although Genoa had the makings of a good team several times the bunch never really "got together" to know the other fellow and consequently a sure fire ball club was impossible. Next year however it is hoped that we will have a team that will take them all into camp. It can be done, it must be done, let's start now fellows by training all winter in the H. S. gym. The dope will come out later about practice, both indoor baseball, basket ball and the shower and everything.

ANNUAL FALL SALE

Annual Fall sale of 30 head Duroc Jersey Boars and Gilts.

Sired by Pathfinder's Model Orion and G. H.'s Orion King. Sale to be held on farm two miles east of Sycamore, on State Road, 1:30 p. m., Tuesday, October 25, 1921.

Carlson & Bodden, Props.

HAPPENINGS AT THE COURT HOUSE

Grover Ashelford and Mabel Cleary file Bill for Partition

MORE BILLS FOR DIVORCE FILED

New York Central R. R. Brought Suit Against Smith Hardware Co. of DeKalb

Joseph Dumas of the City of Sycamore brought suit for divorce against his wife Clara Dumas. The complainant said that he was married on December 30, 1902 at Knoxville, Tennessee, to the defendant, and continued to live with his wife until September 1, 1919, when his wife without any reasonable cause willfully deserted him at Sycamore, and has remained away for the period of two years. On July 1, 1907 the complainant came to Sycamore with his children who are now of age. The grounds for divorce are desertion. T. M. Cliffe of Sycamore represents the complainant.

Another bill for divorce was filed in the Circuit Court on Wednesday by May Szarfartlewitz of the city of DeKalb against John Szarfartlewitz her husband. The bill sets forth toxicated and used abusive language and became on numerous times in toward her. The complainant further states that there was born a child named Le Roy on May 18, 1918 and requests in her bill that she be allowed to continue and care for and have custody of the child.

She asks that the marriage be dissolved, for alimony and that she be restored to the rights of an unmarried person. H. W. Prentice of DeKalb represents the complainant.

Grover Ashelford and Mabel Cleary of Sycamore filed a bill for partition against Francis Ashelford, Alta Logan, Alida Da May, Harold Ashelford, Frederick W. Miller, and Harold Asselford a minor, in the Circuit Court. The bill sets forth that Francis Ashelford, Alta Logan and Alida Da May as devisees under the will of their father now deceased are owners in common of certain property located in DeKalb County. In accordance with clause in the will and by reason of the death of Anna Ashelford, the mother, who died on Oct. 5, 1921, they are now entitled to a division of the property and partition should be made.

Wilbur E. Couter and Mary Couter brought in assumpsit in the Circuit Court against J. E. Brownman of DeKalb claiming \$1000 damages. The praecipe has only been filed and further details of the action will be set forth in the declaration which is to be filed later.

Judge Irwin convened the Circuit Court on Wednesday and among others, the following proceedings were had. In the injunction proceedings brought by W. B. Wallace I. C. Converse and John L. Warner as citizens and taxpayers against Warren Hubbard, Supt. of School S. M. Henderson County Clerk, in which a preliminary injunction had been granted a few days ago, leave was given School District 408 to file petition and intervene. Leave was given to amend the bill instantly and the demurrer filed to the bill was then argued. The complainants' contention being that the value of the property is \$1000 and that from district 408 and annexing them to district 408 was validated, is unconstitutional. The defendants on the other hand contend that relief cannot be had by injunction proceedings and that the proper remedy if any is by quo warranto. E. N. Burst of Sycamore represents the complainant and Olmstead and Darnell of Somanok the defendants.

In the matter of the action of assumpsit brought by the Rock Island Plow Co. a corporation against Aaron J. Plapp formerly of Hinckley, the demurrer filed by the defendant was sustained and leave was given the

HEMENWAY A CANDIDATE

Will Enter Primaries in the Spring as Candidate for Sheriff

W. F. Hemeway of Sycamore is a candidate for sheriff, his announcement appearing in this issue of The Republican.

He was born at West Chicago on March 26, 1884 and educated in the public schools and Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill. He is married and has two children.

He served in all grades from private to present rank of Lt. Col., in Ill. Nat. Guard. First entered military service in 1908, gradually worked up to position of Capt. Co. A 3rd Ill. Inf., stationed at DeKalb, this County. Served on Mexican Border in 1916. During the World War this Illinois regiment was known as the 129th U. S. Inf.; was with it every day of its Federal service. During the training period at Camp Logan, Texas, was promoted to Major.

He was through the Somme, St. Mihiel and Meuse Argonne offenses in France. Since mustered out in 1919 he has been in the civil service as a parole agent for the State, looking after the paroled men from the various penal institutions.

plaintiff to amend his declaration by the first day of the next term.

The action of trespass brought some time ago by John Colbe against R. W. Cook and H. C. Hupp all of Somanok, was dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

In the case of Chas. W. Watson, Willard W. Spencer and Harvey E. Spencer against Martha J. Wilson and others, brought to set aside the last will and codicil of John Watson deceased, and which said Will and codicil were therefore found invalid to be genuine and executed without any undue influence by a jury in the Circuit Court, on June 21, 1921 the complainant's solicitors fees under the stipulation were fixed at \$1500.

Some time ago the New York Central R. R. brought suit for the sum of \$56.13 against Smith Hardware Mfg. Co. before Justice Peace Mitchell and on October 3, 1921 a hearing was had and judgment rendered in favor of the defendant and against the plaintiff for costs amounting to \$7.15. On Wednesday an appeal from this judgment was filed in the Circuit Court.

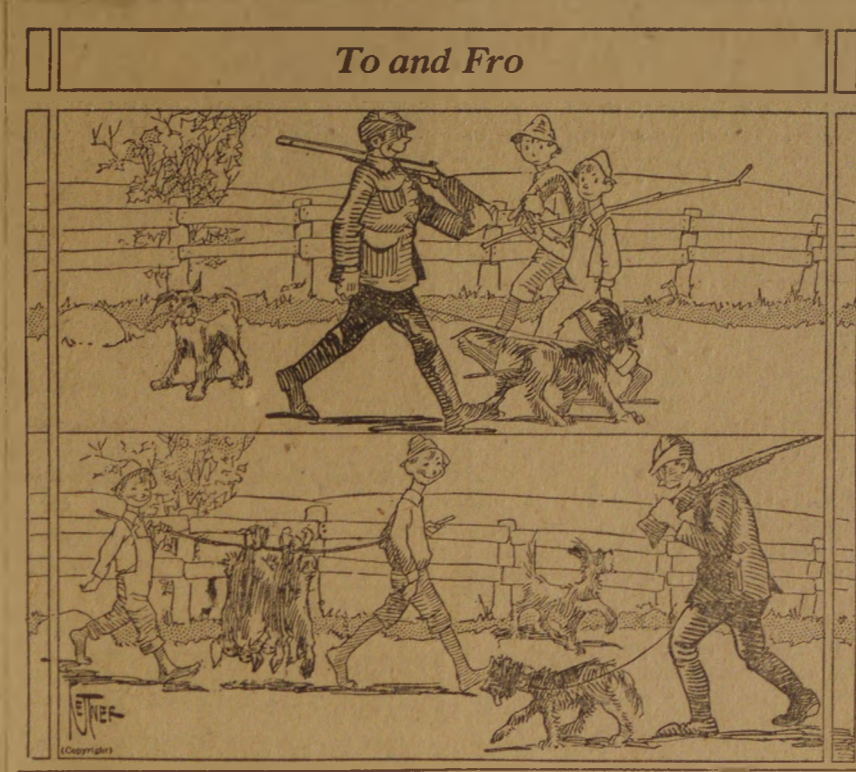
Charles E. Rhee age 42, a resident of Sycamore was found dead last Wednesday afternoon in his home. He complained of being sick last Saturday but passed it off as just a little attack of stomach trouble. On Wednesday afternoon he had his dinner and was apparently in good health. After dinner he retired to his room for a nap and shortly after he retired his wife heard pounding on the floor. The daughter arrived home from school at this time and they went up to see what was the matter. They found him lying on the floor dead. An inquest was held on Thursday to determine the cause of the death and from the testimony heard at the inquest the jury returned a verdict of death on account of acute indigestion.

George L. Eddy of Sycamore brought suit in trover against the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul R. R. for the sum of \$1000 damages. The suit is the result of conversion of some hay which the plaintiff purchased some time ago from Mr. Stark of Kingston, which it is claimed was shipped erroneously by the railroad without authority of the plaintiff.

George Shrader of Shabbona brought suit in assumpsit in the Circuit Court against the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy R. R. The suit is for work of teams and men in cutting down the embankments and grading upon a certain crossing commonly known as Burke's Crossing, where the tracks intersect the highway in the Township of Shabbona, and that there is due him \$864 for the work.

The Pisk Motor Company of DeKalb filed suit in the Circuit Court against Owen E. Lucas and Milton Shandelmair claiming \$1000 damages. The action is in assumpsit and only the praecipe has been filed.

A praecipe has also been filed in the Circuit Court in an action commonly known as trespass on the case on promises, by Paul Disch and Fanicle Disch of DeKalb against Owen E. Lucas and William Davis. The amount claimed is \$1000. Further information will be available when the declaration is filed.



CATTLE SWINDLER LOCATED

Man Who Tended a Worthless Check at Dixon Sale, Arrested

J. W. Larabee, of Earlville, secretary of the Red Polled Breeders Association of Illinois has caused the arrest of a man believed to be J. Brown, who is wanted for tending a worthless check in payment for thoroughbred cattle, which he bought at Dixon last winter.

The mysterious J. Brown came to Dixon and was present at the annual sale of pure bred stock offered by the Red Polled Breeders' Association of Illinois, which was held at the Rock River Sales pavilion there Jan. 12. After spending a few days there, during which time he became acquainted and quite popular with breeders having cattle for sale, he purchased \$3620 worth of pure bred stock, shipped it to Chicago where the cattle was sold, giving a worthless check in payment. He had represented himself to be a partner and buyer of pure bred stock for an official of the Santa Fe Railroad company.

When investigation was started in an effort to trace the man and the stock, the carcasses were found hanging in cold storage in a Chicago packing house, where they were said to have been sold to a Chicago hotel company. The state association immediately started a search for J. Brown, employing the service of a nationally known detective agency. Several suspects had been followed up and the detectives are said to have brought about the apprehension of other men who were operating similar games in the middle west and eastern states.

Mr. Larabee's son was in charge of a car load of pure bred Red Polled cattle exhibited in Memphis last week and recognized the stranger who he said to have a large farm in Mississippi. The son immediately telegraphed word of his suspicions to his father and the elder Larabee went to the southern city at once.

The Lee county sheriff has gone to Memphis with officials of the Red Polled association, and if the man is properly identified, he will be brought to Dixon for trial.—Somanok Review.

PUBLIC RECEPTION

Adult Bible Class of M. E. Sunday School Will Sponsor Event

The Adult Bible Class of the M. E. Sunday school will hold a public meeting or reception next Tuesday evening, October 25 at the church in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Robeson who have been returned to Genoa for another year. A cordial invitation is extended to young and old to attend.

MICHAEL LUDWIG PASSES AWAY

Well Known and Respected Citizen of Kingston Township

Michael Ludwig passed away at the Wesley Memorial hospital in Chicago last Thursday at 2:10 p. m. following an operation on Wednesday for a cancered tumor on the spine. He was taken sick on Labor Day and was in the hospital thirteen days. Funeral services were held Sunday at 2 p. m. at the home of his sister, Mrs. Emma Lamont. Burial took place at Lamont which was his old home. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arner, Mrs. Mary Harris and son, Jeff, Mrs. Susan Stark, Mr. Andrew Johnson and son Emerick of Kingston, Otto Peterson of Charter Grove, Hazel Ludwig of Rockford and many relatives and friends of Glenn Ellyn and Chicago attended the funeral.

SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, 4 Miles North of Belvidere, Celebrate

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary October 14 at their home four miles north of Belvidere, on the Poplar Grove road, by entertaining at dinner fifty-five relatives.

Following a bounteous caroo course dinner a program of musical selections and readings was given. Miss Haze C. and Mrs. Arthur Baker gave piano selections. This with victrola selections made a pleasing musical program.

Mrs. Jane Wrate Greenslit of Rockford gave several readings, much to the pleasure and delight of the entire company assembled. Those in attendance were: Mrs. Thos. Fisher of Hawkins, Wis., Mrs. Jessie Feldt of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cole, Miss Hazel Cole and Mrs. Greenslit of Rockford, Messrs. and Mesdames, Lor'n Warner, Fred Miller and W. J. Brown of Marengo, G. H. Brown and Floyd H. Brown of Garden Prairie, Bert Fenton, Mrs. Carrie K. and daughter of Belvidere, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Banks of Irene, Messrs. and Mesdames Lloyd and Raymond Banks and families of Irene, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Scott and Children of Bonus, Messrs. and Mesdames D. S. Brown, C. A. Brown, A. B. Brown, Fred Holroyd, Arthur Baker and Miss Florence Brown of Genoa.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller were the recipients of many handsome gifts. Base-ball was the center of attraction following the program.

Mr. Warner and G. H. Brown chose sides. They had good material to choose from and were evenly matched.

Wm. Miller the star twirler for the Brown's team will Will Brown made a wonderful catcher. Geo. Banks acted as umpire but the game seemed slow at the start so he stepped into the batting line and they say Babe Ruth has nothing on him for action. Arth Brown acted as score keeper and umpire. He was suffering from a sprained wrist. He made a throw that caused some to think he was injured in a crap game.

Floyd Brown insinuated that Arth showed favoritism and chatted up four counts on a home run for the opposing team. However everyone who knows Arth will deny these accusations. Harvey Brown had a little trouble in locating the ball with his bat but showed them all in running bases. (It has been observed that he favors his knees since.) Scotty was enthusiastic as usual and in his excitement carried the bat to first base. He starred on second base but had a little ill luck in catching some of the outfielder's wild balls. Art Baker thinks tearing down the rear axle of an auto a snap compared with a game of fast ball. The final score was 21 to 23 in favor of Brown's team.

In the evening the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs gave Mr. and Mrs. Miller a complete surprise. They came laden with well filled baskets and a fine supper was duly served. A number of afternoon guests had remained and the company numbered one hundred. Cards and music furnished amusement.—Mr. Geo. Newell in behalf of the fraternities presented Mr. and Mrs. Miller with a beautiful silver bread tray. The entire occasion was greatly enjoyed by those privileged to attend.

Islanders Bless Donkeys.

In the Balearic islands donkeys and horses are blessed on St. Anthony's day.

FIND SKELETON ON PARK FARM

Henry Park, Digging Gravel, on Farm Finds Bones

THOUGHT TO BE A PIONEER

Buried only Two and One-half Feet Below Surface—Not Remains of Old Indian

While excavating last Saturday in the gravel pit on the Henry Parke farm north of Genoa, Henry Welande had a mystery of considerable proportions literally thrown into his arms. His shovel was making a stab for a good sized chunk of gravel when down from towards the top of the pit there came tumbling a human skull and the leg bone of a human skeleton. Welande is a man of good nerve and instead of taking fright at the gressome revelation, he climbed to the grave of the skeleton and fished out the rest of the bones, put them in a box and took home.

In a short time after the story had circulated over the township and Louis E. Lloyd, Henry Parke and others took a look at the find and naturally their curiosity was excited to learn the cause of the death.

Mr. Lloyd's people had lived in this vicinity from the beginning of things and Ephraim Hall, grandfather of Henry Parke, had lived on that farm almost from the very first year of our settlement, and if a murder had been committed at least the tradition would have been handed down. But no murder theory could lodge near the mystery.

Others thought the body might have been that of a soldier in Scott's army who had strayed away and died of cholera in 1832 as so many did just a little further north while the army was marching for Galena during the Black Hawk war. That theory was possible but not probable as the others had died further up near Genoa while on the trail which is said to have been thru Genoa, Kingston and Belvidere.

But John Faisler gave the most reasonable solution of it. About 1835 great streams of emigrants, pioneers passed thru this section for Iowa points and while on such a trip the man or woman must have died and received primitive burial in that spot which happens to be a gravel pit now. The old Oregon trail of about the forties is lined on both sides with the graves of emigrants who died while en route.

This grave is two and a half feet below the surface which precludes the possibility of it being the grave of an Indian, because when Indians buried their dead below ground, they simply scratched a depression in the ground, scratched the dirt back again, or else placed the body in a sitting posture on the ground with poles peaked above it and let it go at that, after the fashion of the burial of our Chief Knapas at Coltonville and of Black Hawk in Iowa.

DEPUTY REVENUE COLLECTORS

John C. Cannon, United States collector of internal revenue, issued a statement a few days ago warning the public not to pay money to men wearing stars and representing themselves to be deputy collectors, unless they show credential cards of authority and identification signed by him.

In order that the public may be safeguarded against fraudulent collectors the deputies and their place of headquarters is published below: Earl T. Weeks, division chief, Aurora; A. C. Weingartner, assistant division chief, Aurora; deputies, Frank M. Bardon, Wheaton; Hugh T. McGrath, Elgin; Edwin C. Althen, Elgin; Hugh R. Marshall, Yorkville; and C. D. Schoonmaker, DeKalb.

M. E. CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Dr. Satterfield, secretary of Wesley Memorial Hospital, Chicago, a former Pastor of Genoa, M. E. Church, will be the speaker Sunday morning.

The Pastor will preach at the evening service, Subject: "The Devil's Toboggan Slide."

The Epworth League service at 6:20 p. m. We extend a cordial invitation to the young people to attend our Epworth League.

The Rockford District W. F. M. S. hold their annual convention in the Centennial M. E. Church, Rockford, Thursday and Friday of this week. We hope there will be a good attendance from Genoa.

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Washington

Funds making possible the employment of from 300,000 to 350,000 men for one road building season are appropriated by the federal highway bill, at present in conference and expected to pass congress at Washington within the next few days.

A bronze memorial tablet to commemorate the horses and mules that died during the World war was erected in the State, War and Navy department building at Washington by the American Red Star Animal Relief.

The government is prepared to man and run the railroads if the nationwide strike set for October 30 ties up the country's transportation system. This information was contained in a statement from a source close to the administration at Washington.

The senate at Washington called upon the federal reserve board for information as to excessive salaries alleged to be paid in the Federal Reserve bank in New York and in reserve banks in Chicago and other cities.

President Harding told a committee of Shriners that he hoped to accept their invitation to attend the meeting of the imperial council of the order in San Francisco next June.

The United States Court of Claims has reconvened at Washington, with cases involving \$300,000,000 arising out of the country's activities during the World war on the docket.

Governmental affairs of the nation halted while its leaders, headed by President Harding, attended funeral services for Senator Knox of Pennsylvania at Washington.

Neither commodity prices nor wage rates can be maintained above the natural economic level, according to a statement issued by the employer members of President Harding's conference on unemployment at Washington, which adjourned. Labor members' minority report flatly opposes any general policy of wage reduction.

Prohibition Director Haynes at Washington, in a new order, forbids the sale of the makings of home brew throughout the United States.

Ejection of tenants occupying the houses owned by the United States shipping board at Lorain, O., was ordered stopped by Chairman Lasker at Washington.

House Republicans at a caucus in Washington decided to support the Seigel bill to increase the size of the house from 435 to 460 members.

Without a dissenting vote, the senate at Washington struck from the tax revision bill the section imposing a tax of 1 cent for each 25 cents or fraction for the transportation of parcel post packages, the change to be effective next January 1.

Domestic

Practically every independent steel company in the Youngstown (O.) district followed the lead of the Brier Hill Steel company and increased sheet prices \$5 a ton.

One man was killed and two others mortally injured on the Dixie highway near Monroe, Mich., when their automobile struck a road repair marker and turned turtle.

Union leaders at Buffalo, N. Y., say that one railroad in the United States is exempt from the order for a nationwide strike. It is the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton, owned by Henry Ford.

Amerika, a daily morning German newspaper at St. Louis which was founded in 1872, will be "put to bed" for the last time on October 30. The semi-weekly issue of the paper will become weekly.

The Pittsburgh district conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which opened its ninety-eighth annual meeting at Pittsburgh, Pa., will consider plans for the construction of a \$1,600,000 church edifice.

Assets valued at \$7,000,000 were turned over to the Central Trust company at Chicago, receiver for the Co-operative Society of America, by Harrison Parker, head of the society and its 50 subsidiary companies.

Twelve Nobles county farmers were arrested and 3,200 gallons of mash, 300 gallons of moonshine and 20 stills and other paraphernalia were seized by federal agents in eight raids near Worthington, Minn.

Marion McArdle, twenty-year-old daughter of Mrs. Catherine Kaber, was found not guilty of complicity in the murder plot of Daniel Kaber, her stepfather, by a mixed jury at Cleveland, O.

The United States dry army, which cleaned up New York city, is now operating in Pennsylvania, and is going to mop up Chicago. The invading army is due there in two weeks.

Phineas Lind, sixty-five years old, and his daughter, Miss Nellie Lind, twenty-four, a school teacher, were found murdered at their home four miles from Madison, Ind.

The 5,000 employees of the "big five" packers at East St. Louis, Ill., favor a strike against the "American plan" of employment, recently made effective. The ballots were sent to Chicago.

A bond issue of \$475,000 for street improvement and construction of public baths has been floated by the city of Davenport, Ia. The unemployed have registered at the city hall for this work.

Damage estimated at more than \$1,500,000 was caused by a fire at the Charleston street terminals in Charleston, S. C.

Frank Groth killed his wife and himself with a revolver in their home, two miles from Michigan City, Ind., after a quarrel over a divorce petition filed by his wife.

Directors of the Standard Oil company of Indiana voted to increase the price of gasoline 1 cent a gallon in Chicago, making the tank wagon price 18 cents and the service station charge 20 cents.

The People's Sugar refinery at Rose Hill, La., was destroyed by fire, causing \$300,000 loss. A steamboat and several barges anchored at the refinery wharf also were destroyed.

Harrison M. Parker, head of the Co-operative Society of America, turned over \$2,233,222.86 in securities, the "missing" assets of the Great Western Securities company, fiscal agent for the society at Chicago.

A presentment urging that the state prohibition act be repealed immediately by the legislature was handed down by the Bronx county grand jury at New York.

Two enlisted men were killed and three seriously injured when a United States army truck, en route from Camp Jackson to Camp Eustis, Va., turned over an embankment near Roxborough, N. C.

A big dirigible from Langley field was wrecked in Hampton roads near Newport News, Va., and probably will be a total loss. Three men were aboard the airship when it left the flying station. All were saved.

Personal

Charles Haviland Meekel, noted philatelist, died at his home at Bethlehem, Pa.

In the brief sunlight of a calm autumn afternoon United States Senator Philander C. Knox was laid to rest in Valley Forge Memorial cemetery at Valley Forge, Pa.

Sporting

This year's world's baseball championship has gone to the Giants. They won it when they defeated the Yankees, 1 to 0, in the eighth game of the series at New York.

Foreign

Two advance representatives of the trade mission which the Far Eastern republic of Siberia intends to send to the United States left Peking Saturday for Washington.

A Manitoba government bond issue of \$1,000,000 was sold at 106.75, the highest price paid in Canada this year for government bonds. The bonds are for 25 years at 6 per cent, says a Winnipeg dispatch.

France has succeeded in securing an extension of two years of her loan of 50,000,000 yen from Japan. It is announced by the Journal de Paris. The loan would mature on November 15.

Many Persians have been killed and wounded by the Kurds, who are in revolt, according to advices received at Teheran. An American, Bachmont, a member of the United States mission, was reported assassinated.

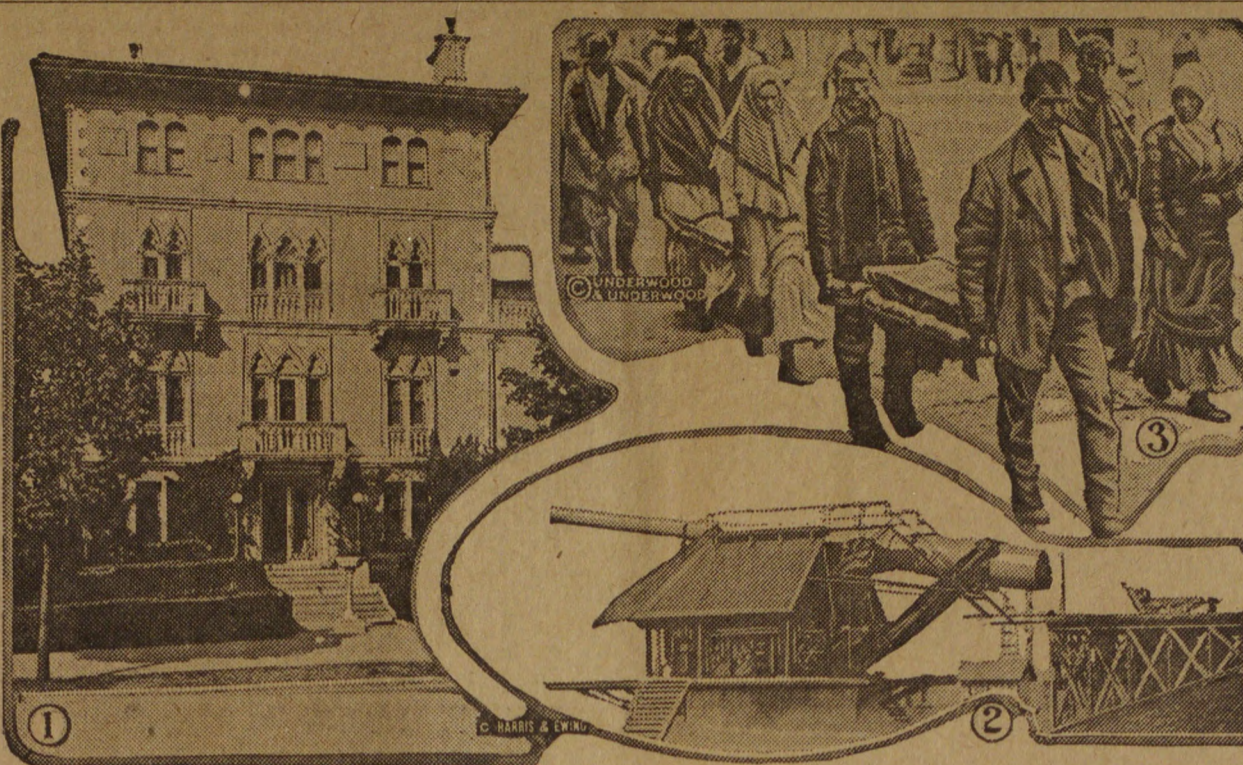
China will battle at the disarmament conference in Washington to shake off the domination of her economic system by other powers, it was announced by Feng Hun Huang, who is here to arrange details.

Many persons have been killed or injured in the wreck of a mail train near Merida, Spain. The train was derailed by a washout caused by heavy rains and a mail car and a passenger coach were telescoped.

Twenty men, who were taking part in a gigantic unemployment demonstration and two policemen were wounded in a pitched battle in Cambridge circus, at London. The police charged the crowd.

Albert, king of the Belgians, left Casablanca, Morocco, by airplane for Toulouse, France.

A Paris dispatch says King Alexander has given up the crown of Yugoslavia for the bright lights of Paris.



1—Marshall Field's house in Washington, leased by French Embassy for duration of arms conference. 2—Largest unit of ordnance ever built in America, 16-inch 50 caliber gun, demonstrated at Aberdeen (Md.) proving grounds. 3—Parents in the Volga district of Russia carrying to a cemetery the bodies of their starved children.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Passage of Canal Tolls Exemption Bill May Result in Serious Complications.

MIDDLE - WEST IN PROTEST

American Delegates to Arms Conference Formulating Policy—Sudden Death of Senator Knox—Germany Is Enraged by Reported Partition of Upper Silesia.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

When the senate last week passed the Borah bill exempting American coastwise vessels from payment of Panama canal tolls it started something, and that something may prove later rather embarrassing for the administration, provided the house also passes the measure. In the opinion of the opponents of the bill it is a violation of the treaty of 1914 with Great Britain assuring all nations equal treatment in the operation of the canal, and they are confident that the British not only will protest the bill if it is made law, but will demand arbitration of the matter. Some senators asserted that it was unwise to bring up the tolls issue at this time because it would add a new complication to the armament conference. This view was held by Senator Lodge, although he declared the United States had the right under the treaty to exempt its coastwise shipping from tolls payment. Senator Borah, however, intimating that he had consulted the President, said that "those who are primarily responsible for the successful outcome of the conference, so far as the United States is concerned, do not share the fears of embarrassment, which have been expressed on this floor today."

When it came to a vote, 35 Republicans and 12 Democrats were recorded in favor of the measure, and 17 Republicans and 20 Democrats in opposition. Free tolls was a plank in the Democratic platform of 1912, but it was repudiated by President Wilson, and at his insistence the free tolls clause in the canal act was repealed in 1914 after an exciting parliamentary battle. Last year the Republican platform advocated the exemption of American shipping and President Harding has urged the passage of the bill. In middle western states business and commercial organizations are strongly opposing the measure because they believe it is designed to benefit the Atlantic and Pacific coast states at the expense of the rest of the country. Many of the middle western senators who voted in favor of the bill are blamed for blindness to the interests of their sections of the country. The argument that the measure is in contravention of the treaty is weakened by the fact that coastwise traffic is restricted by law to vessels of American registry, and it is to these only that the proposed exemption will apply.

The real battle over the issue will come in the lower house, and it is predicted that the bill will be allowed to sleep there until after the conclusion of the conference on armaments.

While the foreign delegates to the arms conference are on their way to America, our own delegation is holding meetings to formulate the policy that will be followed by the United States. At its first session Secretary of State Hughes reported that not one of the participating powers had raised a single objection to any part of the tentative agenda he had submitted. Even Japan, which at first was a bit coy, has proposed no additions or eliminations. Mr. Hughes also said he had cabled to the powers, as an addition to the agenda, the proposition that the conference consider the question of electrical communication in the Pacific; which, of course, means that the controversy with Japan over the Yap cable and radio will come up, unless it is settled in the meantime.

The American delegation selected Basil Miles as its secretary, considered and approved the physical arrangements for the conference, and then took up the matter of publicity for the big meeting. The members explained to the anxious representatives of the press that this is a question for the conference to determine, but that they would place no obstacle in the way of the fullest publicity possible consistent with the expedition of the conference's business.

Hundreds of idealists have written to President Harding, under the impression that the conference is expected to accomplish the complete disarmament of the world. In a reply to one of them, the President has undertaken to dispel the illusion. In it he says, as he has said before, that it is erroneous even to suggest that the conference can go so far as to attempt universal disarmament, and that "if we can get a reasonable limitation we shall think that great things have been accomplished." Continuing, he says:

"By 'reasonable limitation' I mean something practicable that there is a chance to accomplish, rather than an ideal that there would be no chance to realize. It is necessary to deal with actualities; to do the best possible. Universal disarmament would be beyond hope of realization; even its desirability at this time might well be questioned. Thousands of years of history recording the wars and controversies of mankind suggest that human nature would require revolutionary reorganization to make universal disarmament possible. A consideration of the present state of the world, I think, enforces the conclusion that this is not a hopeful time to undertake that kind of revolution. . . . To undertake the impossible and fail might leave our last state worse than our first. The attitude of the nations warrants confidence that we will not fail, but rather that substantial results will be accomplished, calculated to lessen the armament burden and to reduce the danger of armed conflict."

One of America's most astute statesmen and lawmakers, Philander Chase Knox, died suddenly in his home in Washington last Wednesday. As attorney general, secretary of state and senator from Pennsylvania, and for many years as one of the leaders of the Republican party, Mr. Knox won high consideration and fame. He was a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency in 1908, and in recent years was especially prominent as an unwavering opponent of the Versailles treaty, and the author of the resolution declaring the state of war with Germany and Austria at an end. When he was attorney general, under President Roosevelt, he directed the suit that smashed the Northern Securities railway merger; as secretary of state, in President Taft's cabinet, he did much to extend American business in foreign lands, developing the principle of "dollar diplomacy," especially in the Far East. Mr. Knox often aroused the antagonism of others by his downright policies, but his unadulterated Americanism was never questioned, and his services to his country were numerous and important.

It was expected in Washington that the death of Senator Knox would result in brief delay in bringing the peace treaties to a final vote in the senate.

In response to many demands from all over the country, the house rules committee has been conducting preliminary hearings to determine whether or not there shall be a congressional investigation of the Ku Klux Klan. From a postal inspector the most interesting information was obtained. He said the Klan's membership is between 85,000 and 125,000, instead of 800,000, as has been often declared, and that in the North it is strongest in Chicago. He found the organization has collected \$1,148,000 in dues, and could not discover anything to substantiate certain charges of fraud made against it. Neither could he find that it had contributed any money for charitable purposes. He said Imperial Wizard Simmons had a salary of \$1,000 a week. Many other witnesses told what they knew, or thought they knew, against the

Klan, and then Colonel Simmons himself took the stand. He declared the Klan is not anti-Catholic, anti-Jew or anti-negro; that it was not organized for personal profit, and has no lawless creed, and never has taken the law into its own hands. In six years, he asserted, he has received only \$12,000 from the organization. He told the committee he hoped it would make the most thorough investigation of the Klan, and promised that if one one-thousandth part of the charges against it were proved, he would call the grand council together for the purpose of disbanding the organization.

Colonel Simmons declared the attack on the Klan was started by a Democratic paper of New York, to increase its circulation, and as a political scheme to put the proposition for an investigation up to the Republican congress, and that certain other metropolitan papers had to fall into line to save their circulation.

If the council of the League of Nations has decided on the division of Upper Silesia between Germany and Poland on the lines reported in dispatches from Europe, the reactionary elements in Germany will be given a fine chance to regain some of their lost power. Though the reported solution of the problem is a compromise, and gives Germany a considerable share of the manufacturing region of Upper Silesia, including the districts of Gletwitz, Hindenburg and part of Beuthen, the Germans are highly displeased with the decision. The monarchic press is howling for revenge, and the radicals and conservatives unite in denouncing the partition as a "crime in fact." The almost immediate result is likely to be the resignation of the cabinet, and if Chancellor Wirth is thus forced out, it is most probable that Doctor Stresemann will come into power as his successor. He, as has been said before in these columns, is at heart a reactionary, and is bitter against the entente allies and the United States. Meanwhile, according to rumors, certain of the Silesian cities awarded to Poland are preparing to fight to stay in Germany. The old German military bodies that were disbanded when the league troops took charge in the district, are getting together again, and arms that were buried instead of surrendered, are being dug up. The prospect is from peaceful.

King Alexander of Serbia is the subject of a lot of international gossip these days. For weeks, since the death of old King Peter, he has delayed his going to Belgrade to assume the crown of Jugo-Slavia, and the explanations of this delay have not been at all satisfactory. One day last week it was reported in Paris, where Alexander is sojourning, that he had renounced the throne, preferring the pleasures of the French capital to the perils of being a king in his own land. Next day this story was flatly denied by the Jugo-Slav legation in Paris. One of the rumors afloat is that the young monarch is enamored of a French girl who would not be acceptable as queen.

Ireland's peace delegates, after receiving a noisy welcome from their fellow countrymen in London, went into conference with Premier Lloyd George and several other members of the British cabinet. The sessions are likely to continue, with brief interruptions, for many weeks, and if the Sinn Feiners have their way, the public will know little of what is going on until the whole affair is ended. Apparently both sides are showing tact and good will, and the feeling in London is becoming distinctly optimistic.

The conference on unemployment adjourned sine die on Thursday, after approving a general program of permanent measures designed to cure involuntary idleness and restore the nation's business and commerce to a normal condition. These are in addition to the steps for immediate relief of the situation already taken, including the enlistment of commercial and employers' associations and municipalities and states in the solving of the problem and the setting up in Washington of a centralizing agency under Col. Arthur Woods,

RAILROADS DEFEY LABOR UNIONS

Erie and Rock Island Order New Slashes in Workers' Pay.

REPORT OF FRICTION DENIED

Big Four Brotherhoods Expect A. F. of L. Unions to Walk Out—American Legion's Plea for a Week's Delay Fails.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Headed by the Erie and Rock Island systems, the railroads opened a wage-cutting campaign in open defiance of the strike threat.

This action came as the first test of union strength at a time when President Harding and others were trying to avert the strike set for October 30.

The Erie order reduces the wages of laborers along the right of way from 37½ cents an hour to 30 cents an hour. As soon as this order was given out the maintenance of way brotherhood officers called a meeting.

Vice President J. L. Smock of the maintenance brotherhood denied reports of friction between the "Big Four" brotherhoods and the other railroad labor organizations.

Following close on the heels of the Erie wage-cut order the Rock Island system slashed the pay of women employed as matrons in the stations. One woman, employed at the Sixty-third street station, said her pay had been cut from \$100 a month to less than \$70. She said those who were not satisfied were being discharged.

The action of the railroads was said by union officials to have removed all doubt as to whether the other brotherhoods would join the so-called "Big Four" in the strike. The pay cuts instituted were termed by brotherhood officials as inviting the walkout.

"The railroads apparently feel that they can squirm out of this situation and have determined to play 'whole hog or none,'" said one of the union officials. "There is no longer any doubt but that the trainmen, numbering 300,000, will be joined to a man by the 1,500,000 shoppmen, maintenance of way men and other workers."

John Grenau, president of the United Association of Rail Employees of North America, said the unions have a strike fund of \$2,000,000 and will be able to withstand a strike of any length. He denied reports that his organization will step in and act as strikebreakers.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 19.—"Nothing but a miracle can stop the strike from starting October 20," said W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, when told the American Legion had requested delay for a week to permit them to hold their convention.

"The strike can't be put off," Lee went on. "I have no authority to do so, and no one has, so far as I know. If President Harding calls for a conference of union and railroad heads, I'll be glad to attend, but all our cards are on the table."

Melville Stone, president of the Locomotive Engineers, laughed at the proposal to apply the cut in wages to a decrease in rail rates.

"That's joke No. 1," he said. "By the time the middlemen got through with the wage cut freight rates would not have half of 1 per cent left."

"Leaders of the union will be in constant daily conference until the strike issue is finally settled."

"We have taken this step with our eyes open and the next move is not up to us. As far as possible, however, we will safeguard the rights of the public."

RAIL BOARD CUTS WAGES

Reduces Pay on Minnesota Road 20 Per Cent to Avert Bankruptcy.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—In authorizing a 20 per cent wage cut for engineers, motormen, firemen, conductors and brakemen on the Electric Short Lines railroad running between Minneapolis and Hutchinson, Minn., the United States railroad labor board set a precedent.

The decision stated "the road would go bankrupt without the reduction."

SOLDIER KILLED AT CAMP

Private John Lemieau of Minnesota Accidentally Shot to Death When Gun Is Discharged.

Rockford, Ill., Oct. 19.—Private John Lemieau, twenty-three, Cloquet, Minn., was killed when a rifle in the hands of Private Charles E. Fowler of Topeka, Kan., was accidentally discharged as they were being relieved from guard duty at Camp Grant.

Riot for More Aid. Manchester, England, Oct. 19.—Dissatisfied with the reply of the city guardians to their demands for increased relief, a crowd of unemployed besieged the offices. The guardians got out by the back way.

Killed as Auto Overturms. Davenport, Ia., Oct. 19.—Emory Earle of Rock Island, Ill., was instantly killed and his wife and three children were injured when his automobile stalled on a high grade and backed over a steep embankment.

Sure Relief



The Ruling Passion. A number of darkies were unloading a boat with a cargo of anvils, for which they received 2 cents for each anvil carried ashore. Jose—Cap'n, if I carry two anvils at a time, how much do I get? Captain—Two cents each, boy. As Jose started down the plank, it broke and he fell into the river with the two heavy anvils. When he came to the surface he cried: "Captain, if you-all don't throw me a rope I see gwinn' t' drop these here anvils an' lose mah fo' cents!"—Judge.

Knocking the Doctors. There is an official in Washington who likes nothing better than a fling at the medical profession. He was afforded an opportunity not long ago at a public dinner to chaff the medics and he did it in this wise: "Physicians may be divided into two classes—the radicals, who kill you, and the conservatives, who let you die."

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SCHOOL NOTES

Items Gleaned From Doings at the Genoa Township High

On the ninth day of October 1871, the great Chicago fire occurred. The old story that Mrs. O'Leary's cow kicked the lantern over and started the fire has been refuted many times. In an interview with Mr. D. S. Brown he stated that the story was well authenticated, and as the real truth would never be known, we might as well believe that story as any.

While in school at Champaign, Illinois, Mr. Brown belonged to the Illinois State Militia and was called to Chicago on guard duty the day after the fire. Before they started they were given no food to last them during their journey. After twenty-four hours on the train and a seven mile march after they reached Chicago, the troops were nearly famished. Their destination was a skating rink on Twenty Second street, which was used as a storehouse for the food and clothing sent to the homeless refugees of the fire ruined city. The boys entered the rink hoping to find something to eat and they did find something, which enlivened their spirits and brought

them all into action. It was a box from Genoa, containing chicken, beans, bread, cake and numerous other things. The box had been packed at the old Perkins store and Mr. Brown said that no word could describe how good the contents tasted to those famished men.

Every thing in the town was destroyed. There was no rich or poor class; fire had made them all one. Wagon loads of bread were thrown out among the crowds and all scrambled for it alike. The hungry mobs even went as far as to overcome the Rhode Island guards in attempting to reach the stores of food.

The militia was finally recalled to Champaign. In returning to the depot, Mr. Brown said they covered pavements which were still smoldering and so hot they could hardly walk on them. But the most remarkable thing that he observed, was that little shacks were erected on the street corners and people had again taken up their business. This, he said, was a display of American spirit viz; if they have nothing, they'll find something, and struggle for the top round of the ladder, regardless of their surroundings.

From one point of view Chicago benefited by the fire. For an example

Clark street was one of the worst streets in the world and it was purified by fire. In the spring, when returning home, Mr. Brown said that Chicago seemed to have been rebuilt by magic.

The militia men of that time received the paltry sum of thirty cents a day. Mr. Brown agrees that the thirty cents earned while on guard duty during the fire, was the hardest earned, but the most valuable, he ever received. — Iolene Gallagher.

The above theme was written in regard to the written proclamation issued by Governor Small setting aside the week beginning October ninth as "Fire Prevention Week" in memory of the Chicago fire.

THE U. A. D. CLUB

The U. A. D. Club, formerly known as the Literary club, held a meeting Friday evening at the home of the president, John Dyer.

A long business meeting was held, during which the constitution was read by Irving Peterson, chairman of the constitutional committee, and adopted by the club. Membership fees were collected, and committees were appointed for the Halloween party to be given October twenty-ninth. The meeting was adjourned for a social hour and refreshments were served.

Sophomore Class Officers

A meeting of the Sophomore class was held Wednesday, October 11, for the purpose of electing class officers.

Vera Sowers was elected president, Clarence Russell, vice president, Ruth White, secretary, Claude Bartle, treasurer and Griffith Harshman, sergeant-at-arms. A choice of class colors was left to a committee of four, and it was also decided that they ask Miss Cook to present a suitable class motto.

Freshman Class Officers

At a recent election of class officers for the Freshman class, Jeannette Shierk was elected president, Elmer Siebens, vice president, Harold Corson, secretary, and Arthur Geithman treasurer.

Doings of the Freshmen

A Freshmen class meeting was held Friday night at the home of Lois Cooper. Plans were made for dramatic work later on in the year. All voted the evening a very enjoyable one.

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Genoa, Illinois, at a meeting held at 8 o'clock p. m. October 17, 1921 at the City Hall in Genoa, Illinois did award the contract for the construction of the improvement consisting of the system of sanitary sewers and extension of water mains, as contemplated in Ordinance Chapter No. 129 to Charles E. Hughes of Rockford, Illinois on his proposal to do the work and furnish the material for said improvement for the sum of \$4545.60 Dated at Genoa, Illinois, October 17, 1921.

James Hutchison,
President of the Board of Local Improvements of Genoa, Illinois.

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE

The undersigned will sell at public auction on the farm 10 miles southeast of Belvidere and 4 miles northwest of Genoa on the Belvidere and Genoa road at the McDonald farm, beginning 1 2 p. m.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, the following described property to wit:

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Terms of Sale: All sums of \$10 and under cash, on sums over that amount 7 months' time will be given on approved notes bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.
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Just Like New York Murderers.
Even the weather can kill an innocent fruit crop and get away with it. —Atlanta Constitution.

Studying Smoke.

"Smoke" is perhaps the chief enemy of fire-fighters. It chokes and may kill. The United States bureau of standards has newly built what it calls a "smoke house," for experiments which are expected to be of practical usefulness to the fire departments of our cities. It will be used to determine exactly what is required to make "smoke masks" a safe and sure protection for men engaged in subduing fires.

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Wisdom.

Every man makes a fool of himself occasionally, but the wise ones are those who don't make mistakes as often as the others. —Atchison Globe.

The Conjunction of Planets in 1919.

The extraordinary grouping of the solar system the morning of December 17, 1919, which some prognosticators had gone so far as to predict would result in the world coming to an end, was an alignment in the heavens of Jupiter, Saturn and Neptune.

Domestic Economy.

Many a woman's idea of economy is to discover that her husband doesn't need any new clothes.

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ODD BELIEFS ONCE COMMON

Until Comparatively Recent Times Silly Superstitions Had a Great Hold on the People.

Superstitions in regard to the most familiar things, as well as the most unfamiliar, still linger, even in a scientific age like ours.

What man of middle age cannot remember as a boy firmly believing that if he should touch a toad warts would grow on his fingers; that if he should drop a hair from a horse's tail into water it would become a water snake that would stop the bleeding of a wound; that a stiff breast bow in a goose betokened a cold winter; Every countryman believes some of these and scores besides.

These superstitions are merely survivals of countless beliefs which seem to us mostly ridiculous, but which were once gravely accepted by everybody, even the most learned. How far back they go nobody knows. But Pliny, in his "Natural History," written in the first century of the Christian era, is full of them.

And all down the centuries, especially through the Fifteenth and Sixteenth centuries, there were scores of books which gathered and advanced such "wisdom," and they found a public way down into the Eighteenth century. They find their way—these beliefs—into literature, and Shakespeare's plays are dotted through with examples of them.

SHARKS IN DEADLY COMBAT

Sea Monsters' Duel to the Death Witnessed by Fishermen Off South Carolina Coast.

A combat between sharks is a rare sight, but a battle to the finish was witnessed in the sea off the South Carolina coast by some fishermen. A commotion in the water first attracted attention to the spot. The two monster fish were attacking each other with the utmost fury; and as the struggle took place at the surface of the water, the anglers had an excellent view of it. The sharks fought, not with their teeth, but with their long, powerful tails. They dashed furiously at each other, darting this way and that, each lashing at the other with his tail. At no time did the spectators see blood in the water, but the blows that were struck were evidently hard enough to do fatal damage, for after a while one of the combatants began to show signs of distress. It gradually weakened and presently turned sideways on the surface and then over on its back, in which position it floated, apparently dead. The men in the boat were about to attach a rope to the carcass when suddenly there was a mighty swirl in the water, and the other shark came swiftly to the surface, seized the defeated foe in his jaws and carried him down out of sight.

Quaint Garter Customs.

There are several quaint customs in connection with garters. A description of two, however, must suffice. The one is that prevalent in several mid-European countries, of taking off the bride's garter by the best man at the breakfast, and cutting it up, and distributing the pieces among the grooms-men and guests.

The second is, or rather was, the practice in the German imperial family of giving the bride thirteen pairs, one pair of which was kept as likely to bring her good luck. This pair is always made of pale blue silk (the maiden's color), and has diamond clasps. Another pair was sent to the museum of Berlin—where there are something like ninety most interesting specimens—and the remaining pairs were given as keepsakes to the young nobles and others who attended the bridegroom at the altar.

Judging from the modern specimens, garters are even nowadays scarcely less dainty, elaborate, or costly than of yore, though perhaps often worn more for ornament and sentiment than for use.—Kansas City Star.

Woman as Medal Designer.

Mme. Antle Mouroux, a French woman, is now on a visit to this country and has achieved a world wide reputation as a designer and maker of medals. She designed a number of war medals, for the French government, and has done other notable work. She was a winner of the Prix de Rome, which was established in 1666, and during all that time she was the only woman who contested for the honor. When she was selected the award narrowed itself down to a group of six.

No Divorce in Great Russia.

To the peasants of Great Russia marriage is a tie that death alone can sever, and divorce by the help of law courts is practically unknown to them. If the husband and wife cannot get along together they simply agree between themselves to live apart, the husband taking the boys and the wife the girls, in cases where there are any children. In spite of the fact that there is no recourse to the courts, however, husband and wife in Great Russia do not know each other before marriages except in rare instances. The selection is made by the parents or guardians, and it is unseemingly for the bridegroom to see the bride more than once before the nuptials.

Cultivate Distinct Speech.

Let us consider clear and distinct enunciation as contrasted with other kinds. Talking distinctly is one of the finest of human accomplishments. The Association of the Hard of Hearing, at a recent meeting, urged the cultivation of lip-reading by those inclined to deafness. Talking with the lips is as good for those who talk as it is for those who listen. The finest and clearest enunciation is by those who enunciate with the lower lip and the tongue, instead of by wagging their jaws and talking through their noses. Avoid masticating your spoken words, and that besetting Yankee sin—the nasal twang!—Boston Globe.

Quoits an Ancient Game.

The game of quoits was probably played in the streets of Jamestown, St. Mary's City, Port Tobacco, Dumfries and Piscataway, ancient towns in Tidewater Virginia and Maryland, by the early citizens of those places. It was no doubt played in the stable yard of the barnyard of southern or eastern homes more than a century before America began to think of a Declaration of Independence. White men in buckskin clothes and coonskin caps, and Indians nearly naked looked on as the players tossed the horse shoes and did or did not "ring" the "lob."

NEW LEBANON

Farmers in this vicinity are shredding corn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Strack motored to DeKalb Tuesday.

Martha Krueger called at Chas. Coon's Thursday.

Wm. Botcher and family called at L. Gray's Sunday.

Ben Awe and sons called at Chas. Coon's Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gray called at the Chas. Rice home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Nease Sr., spent Sunday with W. Dodson and family.

Lou Hackman of Paw Paw spent Tuesday at the Wm. Primm home.

Miss Martha Krueger spent Friday

at the home of Mrs. A. Teyler with Miss Esther.

Kenneth, oldest son of Martin Prim had his tonsils and adenoids taken out Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gray spent Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Warrington.

Chas. Coon and family motored to Itasca Sunday and spent the day at the home August Fredrick.

Mrs. Arthur Hartman spent Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Botcher.

Leona Roth of Hampshire spent the week end with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Botcher.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bowers spent the week end with Mrs. Bowers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rischel at Maple Park.

Rev. Meier and family of Hampshire, Mr. and Mrs. J. Krueger and son, Edwin, called at the H. Japp home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. M. Finley and sons, Richard and Wilford and daughter, Mrs. Theo. Reinken, and daughter, Evelyn, motored to Lyon's Iowa, and spent the day with Dorothy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Japp and son, Arlo, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Japp and daughter, Leona, were Sunday guests at the home of Fred Wettersing Jr.

Messrs and Mesdames Donnelly Gray, William Gray, Theron Roush, Albert Berkley, Tom Gray, Edgar Gray attended the funeral of Chas. Rice, held at Sycamore Friday afternoon. Mr. Rice is a brother-in-law of T. B. Gray.

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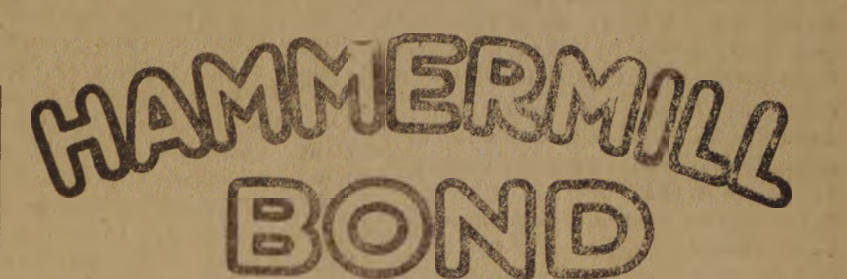
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THE SANDMAN STORY

BRAVE IKEY DUCK.

IKEY was a young duck, that his mother had a great deal of trouble with, because he ran away every time he found a chance, and as Madam Duck had many ducklings besides her son to look after, Ikey found many chances.

"Some day you will meet Mr. Fox," said his mother, "and then it will be too late to be a good duckling, for Mr. Fox carries off all runaway ducklings."

"But I am not afraid of Mr. Fox," said brave Ikey. "I am going to grow up to be a big, brave duck, like Grandpa Drake, so I cannot be afraid of anything."

"Grandpa Drake would not like to meet Mr. Fox," said Madam Duck. "for Mr. Fox carries off to his cave in the woods big and small ducks."

Ikey Duck did not answer, but waddled along after his sisters and his

himself, "I will show that fellow, he can't scare me."

Right up close to the bank went brave Ikey and began to quack at Teddy Bear, and, of course, Teddy did not move.

"He is afraid of me," said Ikey. "I wish mother could see me now. I am sure she would think I am quite able to take care of myself."

And then brave Ikey opened his bill, snapped at little Teddy Bear, and tugging at one foot, pulled him into the water. Away he went, with Teddy still held by his foot, skimming over the water.

"Madam Duck and her children were at the side of the pond when Ikey swam up by the barnyard.

"What have you found?" asked his mother, her eyes wide open with surprise, while the little ducklings ran up the bank in alarm.

"It is Mr. Fox," said Ikey, letting go of Teddy Bear's foot. "He is afraid of me, mother. I told you I was not afraid of him, and, you see, I am not."

Madam Duck did not know at first just what to do or say, and she stepped back to take a good look at a safe distance.

"It isn't Mr. Fox—I am sure of that," she said, "but what it is I do not know. I will get Mr. Dog. He is very wise and knows about everything."

"That is a toy," said Mr. Dog, when he saw Teddy Bear. "It belongs to the master's children." And with that Mr. Dog picked up Teddy and trotted off to the house.

"He is not afraid of Mr. Fox, either," said brave Ikey. "Mr. Dog and I are very brave fellows."

"I suppose he will have to learn by experience who Mr. Fox really is," quacked poor Madam Duck, shaking her head as Ikey waddled up the bank to tell all the farmyard animals that he had caught Mr. Fox, for, in spite of what Mr. Dog or his mother had said Ikey declared he had caught Mr. Fox.

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A.W. Volstorff of Elgin was here on business Monday.

At the Grand Theatre Saturday, The Notorious Mrs. Lysle.
Wallace Reid next Wednesday in the Valley of the Giants.
Walnut dining room furniture Cooper has a fine selection.

Mrs. M. M. Berwin and son Jack spent Sunday in Chicago.

Miss Alta Miller spent Sunday at Belvidere and Marengo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brungard motored to Rockford Sunday.

Harry Whipple was a Chicago visitor Monday and Tuesday.

You will be surprised to see the low price on blankets at Cooper's.

Mrs. John Scherf who, has been ill is able to be about the house.

Gloves, mittens; mittens, gloves, for husking at The Midway Store.

Miss Roberta Rosenfeld of Elgin spent Sunday with Genoa relatives.

Miss Ruth Austin was home from DeKalb Normal over the week end. Miss Anna Leonard spent Sunday in Chicago with her sister, Miss Emma.

Hooray: The County Fair, greased Pig and everything at the Grand Nov. 4 and 5.

Mrs. A. J. Kohn and Mrs. L. J. Kiernan were Rockford visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Herman Hermanson spent Sunday with the Tom Lawler family at Sycamore.

Mrs. E. O. Marshall of Sycamore was a guest of Mrs. Dave Devie Monday.

Mrs. Vern Geithman spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. Jay Evans at Rockford.

Kenneth Poulton of Cherry Valley was a week end guest in the Frank Russell home.

The talk of the town, that big bar of soap, Premium Family. Sold by The Midway Store.

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Mr. and Mrs. Grant Smith of Chicago were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson.

Miss Adel Hessel of Rockford was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Swan.

Mrs. Glenn Clark left this Thursday morning for a week's visit with Mrs. George Brady at Dixon.

Miss Osla Downing of Rockford spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Lovina Downing.

Walter Knoll spent from Friday until Sunday with his brother, Henry of Elgin.

Mrs. Lydia Perry of Bensenville and Miss Myrtle Portner of Chicago visited relatives here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Johnson attended the Pageant of Progress at Rockford Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Malissa Ainley of Pontiac, Mich., is visiting her son, Boyd Ainley and her brother Loyd Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Olmstead returned from a weeks visit with their brother John, at Allegan, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Johnson and the latter's mother, Mrs. Emma Lord motored to Kirkland Sunday.

Misses Madeline Larson and Margaret Hutchison were shopping in Rockford on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Floyd Stronberg of Sycamore spent the first of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Trautman.

The Womans' Auxiliary of the American Legion will meet in the Legion rooms Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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Rev. Peterson, former pastor of the Advent church, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Holtgren Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. E. Gnakow and Mrs. G. L. Couch motored to Sycamore Monday where they visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Larson.

Have you tried Grandma's Borax Powder soap? It counts toward a premium and costs only 25c at the Midway Store.

Mrs. Elmer Rose and daughter, Zaida of Sycamore, spent the week end with the former's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mansfield and Miss Mary Sox of Elgin spent Sunday with Mrs. Mansfield's sister, Mrs. Margaret Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Johnson of Elgin visited Saturday for a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, enroute to Sycamore.

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Vern Geithman, Edgar Baldwin, Walter Rosenfeld, Clive Watson and Walter Brendemuhl were hunting ducks at Grass Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cruikshank are representing the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Lodges at Springfield this week at the State Assembly.

Mrs. Henry Burroughs was hostess to the Jolly eight club Wednesday. 500 was the diversion of the afternoon and a dainty lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Burton and daughter, Alice Mae, of Kingston, spent Sunday with Mrs. Burton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Cummings.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gormley a baby daughter at the Sycamore hospital on Sunday, Oct. 16. Weight 8 1/2 pounds. They have named the little one Jean Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Holtgren entertained seven couples at cards last Thursday evening. After several hours at cards a delightful luncheon was served.

F. P. Keim went to Elgin Sunday to see his sister, Mrs. Mae Gowers, who with her daughter have been in Sherman hospital. They are both getting on nicely, and have returned to their home.

Remember the Pageant Vaudeville at the Opera House, Oct. 28. 125 people will participate in this novel entertainment. Watch for bills. Pearl Werthwein Reinken, Director.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knoll of Elgin were Sunday guests in Genoa. The latter's mother returned home with them for a couple of day's visit.

Miss Birdie Drake visited schools in Elgin Wednesday.

Mrs. F. W. Macpart of Valparaiso Indiana, who has been at the home of Mrs. R. B. Field for the past three weeks was operated upon Thursday morning of this week at the Sycamore hospital. Her many friends here will be glad to know she is doing nicely.

Wonder how a feller feels after going to the Big town, buys his new Fall suit or overcoat, then comes back to his home merchant and finds out he could have bought as good a one ten dollars less. Moral—Look at home first—Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Durham and daughter, Mrs. William Richards and George Olmstead motored to Shabbona Sunday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Olmstead.

Mesdames, Loyal Brown, Harvey Eichlor and Robert Geithman will give a luncheon for the Ladies' Aid Society of Ney, at the home of Mrs. Brown next Thursday at 1 o'clock.

H. G. L. CLUB
Mrs. Frank Ecklor's spacious country home, north of town was thrown open to the members of the H. G. L. Club on Tuesday afternoon. Five hundred was the diversion of the afternoon. In the early evening a two course menu, consisting of chicken and biscuit, mashed potatoes, jello and cake was served on the card tables. It was a good thing the guests could ride home for the eating did not betoken a long walk. The favors in the card game were awarded Mrs. Lee Smith of Kingston and Mrs. Arthur Eiklor.

H. B. CLUB
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Patterson were host and hostess to the members of the H. B. club on Thursday evening of last week. The club has just started after a discontinuation thru the summer months. Five hundred was enjoyed after which dainty refreshments were served.

BAZAAR AND DINNER
The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will sponsor a chicken dinner and a bazaar at the church on Saturday, Oct. 22.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY
Mrs. William Gnakow Sr., entertained Tuesday evening in compliment to her husband's birthday anniversary. The guests numbered fifteen and were old friends of Mr. Gnakow's and the surprise was complete. A delicious luncheon was served late in the evening.

FAMILY RE-UNION
Mr. and Mrs. William Whipple Sr. who live south of town on the Sycamore road entertained Sunday at a family re-union. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Whipple Jr., and baby, Mrs. James Whipple, Edward Whipple, Mr. and Mrs. King and children Mrs. Charles Whipple, Jennie Gordon, Mr. James Warren of Penna., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whipple and daughter, Harriet Jane.

CONCORDIA CLUB
The Concordia club of the Lutheran church held a Bunco party at the school house on Thursday evening of last week. The place was decorated in corn stocks, pumpkins and black cts suggesting the "spooky Hallo-

ween." Chicken sandwiches were served in the late evening.

MOTOR PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Shurtleff, Mr. and Mrs. Will Reid, Mrs. Will Watson, Mrs. A. C. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Reid, Mr. James Gray, Miss Catherine Burroughs, Mrs. Frank Russell, Pearl, Ruby and Earl, Mr. K. Poulton, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Morehouse and daughter, Miss Zella, made up a motor party and attended the Sunday school convention at Esmond on Sunday.

"Fraternity" Camps.
Ten little Indian girls from four Oklahoma schools play amicably with their white American sisters in a Y. W. C. A. camp at Tulsa, Okla. Organized into ten "Indian tribes," with a councilor for each, the campers govern themselves and hold many a pow-wow over the camp fires. A pretty ceremony took place recently when T. In Jones, a full-blooded Creek Indian girl, lighted the "friendship fire" as a token of friendship between the two races. Five hundred Indian girls are members of the Y. W. C. A., and conduct the activities of their several associations in ten Indian schools in Oklahoma and New Mexico. Summer camps form the meeting places for these daughters of our first families and the daughters of later comers to America. Miss Edith Dabb, who directs the Y. W. C. A. work for Indian girls, has lived for many years on the reservations. Partly because of the esteem and confidence with which she is regarded by the tribes, she ranks as an authority on all things Indian.

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The average concrete road has a perfectly shaped shoulder between the concrete and the drainage ditch and the road thus completed may be said to be in perfect condition.

But ordinary roads are not wide enough for two loads of hay or for two rows of speeding vehicles to pass without the wheels on one side of each car running along the dirt shoulder which protects the motorist from going into the ditch.

After every rain some of this shoulder dirt washes into the ditch. A big truck plows up a ridge and the next arrows this dirt which soon chokes the channel provided for carrying off the surplus water.

So it may be said that unless a line of tile is laid with suitable catch basins which may be cleaned from time to time, this primitive ditching soon becomes worthless or worse.

Ordinary maintenance will not save this trouble; the ruts may be filled, but in a half hour later the same thing may happen again.

Concrete is the popular road and the most serviceable, but concrete even when reinforced with steel will have to go down with the shoulder when the shoulder is undermined by water. Therefore the water must be disposed of at some distance from the road.

After the drainage problem has been solved, the solidity of the road bed must be considered. Many a fine-looking road has gone to pieces because the base has not been properly settled. Above all, every stretch of concrete road should be reinforced with steel. If a road cracks and splits for lack of reinforcing, it becomes very costly to keep in repair. It will break out worse and worse day after day.

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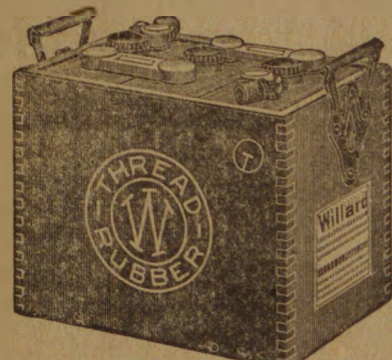
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CHAPTER XII—Continued.

"Look to the right! What is that?" It was a dull, red glow, a mere pink-prick in the black curtain, yet it seemed to change in brilliancy, like an evil eye winking at us out of the dark.

Could we slip by unheard? I doubted it, yet whatever happened, one of us, at least, must escape from the house before any alarm was sounded.

"It is a guard there smoking. Don't try to answer, but do exactly as I say. One of us, at least, must get out; you stand the better chance, with my remaining behind to hold these fellows back if there should be an alarm.

I felt the firm pressure of her fingers in quick response.

The fellow evidently hasn't heard anything yet—you better go." I felt her creep past me without a sound, her hand slipping from my grasp as her foot touched the level floor of the hall.

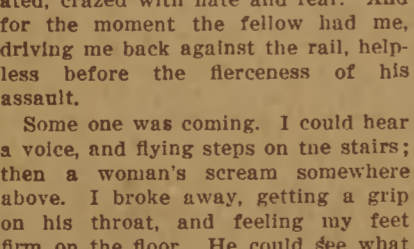
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The body lay at the bottom motionless, huddled in such fashion as to block the door. Without a doubt but that the man was dead. I thrust the form to one side, leaped through the opening, and crashed the door behind me.

I turned to the left, afraid of the bright lights, and the street-cars, and plunged into the depths of the alley. I may have gone a mile, twisting and turning before I came to what evidently was a small hotel. Here I encountered a cab, an old horse cab, the driver half asleep inside.

"No sir. I never heard you comin', sir. Bin a bit quiet about here tonight."

He stopped, as though just noticing my appearance under the dim street lights.

"They got yer one good 'un, anyhow," he remarked. "Feller whut struck yer must've hed a ring on ter make that gasp."

"There were two of them," I answered, spluttering through the water I was using liberally. "I may have hurt one of the fellows, so you keep still—will you?"

"Me! Shucks, I don't talk about my fares none. That ain't business. I picked one up right before last down by the west-side docks, who'd been in some kind of a fracas—anyhow, he was sure scared half ter death. Looked like a foreigner, an' was draggin' a grip 'long with him. Got off at Jersey ferry, I reckon."

"When was that?" I was using the towel by this time, eyeing the loquacious speaker over the edge.

"Night afore last, 'bout midnight; I'd hed a fare down that way, an' was drivin' back empty, when he feller tumbled to me to stop. Gosh, the feller tumbled in like there was a ghost after him, an' sed I was ter drive like h—!"

"Had a grip with him, did he?" "Yep; black, 'bout medium size. The fellow wasn't overly big himself, an' it was quite a lug for him; it bumped against his legs when he toted it. I wouldn't a thought nothin' more 'bout it, only I got 'ol' of a paper, an' read how there was a guy croaked that same night over in Jersey. It sorter made me think of this feller, just because he was so d—d scared. It was sorter funny where he had me set him down, too, after midnight that way."

"Where was that?" "Colmar buildin' on Broad street. Wa'n't a darn light from top to bottom. He didn't let me pull up there—not by a d—n sight. I had ter let him out a block away, around the corner. But somehow I sorter wanted ter know just where the bloke went, so I slipped off the box, an' took a peek. He turned in there, where it was blacker than a stack o' black cats, an' thet's the last I seen of him. S'pose he was the duck who did that job sir?"

"He might have been, of course. Did you report it to the police?" "Lord, no; if us fellers told the cops half we know they wouldn't get no sleep at all. I ain't sed nothin' to nobody. Ready to go now, sir?"

CHAPTER XIII.
In the Colmar Building
His horse was not a fast traveler, yet this afforded me time to think over my own situation, as well as this clew so unconsciously furnished me by the loquacious driver. The chances were that this mysterious passenger of two nights before had no connection with the Alva case; yet there remained a possibility. The hour, the place, his evident fear of pursuit, his eager desire to get out of sight, the heavy bag he carried, and his being a foreigner of some kind, all combined to stimulate my suspicion. Who the fellow could be beyond guess. The Colmar building! My recollection of the place was vague.

a huge pile on Broad near Wall, devoted largely to brokers' offices, absolutely deserted at night, except by scrubwomen and a watchman or two. A tenant might slip in at such an hour, yet he would be fortunate indeed to escape the observation of some one along the halls, or on the staircase. I felt confident a careful questioning among the night employees would give some line on the identity of the man, even if there should prove no other means of locating him.

One thing was settled; I must go back to the hotel. If I was to pay my bill and depart I would lose all connection with Marie Gessler; she would then possess no means of finding me. I could not seek her, but she possessed my address, and must surely endeavor to communicate with me before night. The only thing, then, was to remain and wait for her to call. Yet this surely exposed me to the danger of arrest, if Waldron named me to the police in connection with the death of Harris.

Yet by this time I was firmly convinced that the Russian would either lie outright in the affair—claiming that Harris' injuries had resulted wholly from a fall down stairs in the dark— or else would swear them upon some unknown invader who had escaped after knocking him senseless. Certainly he would never reveal the truth, unless compelled to do so. To do so would queer his whole game.

That is, it would if his game was anything as I had doped it out. If he, working alone, or with some accomplice, as now appeared more probable, had been concerned in the Alva murder, his main object at present would assuredly be to escape detection, and get a division of the spoils. His one desire would be to remain out of sight, and in order to do this he must shield me from arrest.

I awoke at eleven, rested and with a clear brain. Nothing had occurred to disturb me, and, as I looked at the watch and realized the hour, felt no longer a doubt but what Waldron had found some way in which to protect us both. Eager to look over the noon editions myself, I dressed rather hurriedly, and descended to the lobby. The paper secured was devoid of particulars, "Gentleman George" Harris, well known to the police, had been found dead in the hallway of a rooming-house on Le Compte street, operated by Mrs. Sarah Waldron. It is believed to have been a thieves' quarrel from the evidence of those in the house, who heard the sounds of a struggle, and saw a strange man escape through the front door. There were no arrests, although the police were searching for certain parties who might be implicated.

So far so good; but now what about the Russian? He had evidently escaped suspicion, yet would be far from easy in his own mind. The situation in which he found himself would only serve to increase his desire to secure the money, and get safely away while the going was good. If he actually knew where such money was to be had, he would scarcely delay seeking it. If he had personally hidden that bag of currency taken from Alva, he would be after the stuff within twenty-four hours; while if another held it, he would as surely seek the fellow out, and demand his share. This gave me two lines to follow; I might locate Waldron, and shadow him; or I might see what discoveries I could make in the Colmar building. The better chance seemed to me lay in Broad street. I ate a deliberate lunch, planning how best to proceed, and hoping some belboy would call me to the telephone. I finished the meal uninterrupted.

Both Wall and Broad streets were busy enough when I elbowed my passage through the shifting crowds of men hurrying in every direction, and reached the edge of the curb, gazed upward at the ornamental front of the Colmar building.

I took an elevator to the twelfth floor, and walked slowly from end to end of the marble corridor, reading the names on the glass doors as I passed. I met but few people and attracted no attention, passing down the stairway to the floor below. Growing more pessimistic as I proceeded, I had reached the fifth floor, when, as I turned at the front of the iron stairs, my glance rested on the letters stenciled along the frosted glass opposite—"Mutual Investment Company, Gasper Wine, Manager." I stopped still, my heart beating wildly, feeling that I had stumbled blindly on the very thing I had been seeking. Gasper Wine was the name of the man who, through accident, had opened to me the door leading into the Alva factory; the man who had left me alone in the entry while he disappeared to talk with Alva privately in the little side-room. Gasper Wine! For the first time I really believed the old hack driver was right—he had actually picked up just such a fare, lugging a bag with him, and driven the fellow to this place at midnight. I had never connected the crime with Wine before—yet why not? He was among those present; he had been alone with Alva; he doubtless knew of the transferring of the money; and he answered fully the description of the man the cabby had picked up near the Jersey docks.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)
Country Life Is Sweet.
The best and most hopeful feature in any people is undoubtedly the instinct that leads them to the country to take root there, and not that which sends them flocking to the town and its distractions. The lighter the snow the more it drifts; and the more frivolous the people the more they are blown, by one wind or another, into towns and cities.—John Burroughs.

Pretty Things
that are made
at Home



The fruits, which may be placed in any sort of basket or suitable dish, require wire, crepe paper and colored sealing wax for making them. Wads of cotton, wool batting or crepe paper, rolled into the right size and fastened to a wire stem, are covered with melted sealing wax, which is dripped over them as it melts. They are twirled about to round them, the shape controlled while the wax is pliable, and dipped in water to cool them. Stems are made by winding the wire with strips of green crepe paper or tissue paper. The grapes are made in green, red and purple bunches in the natural color tones. The small apples require two or three colors. After the apple is made in one color, and cooled, it is wiped dry and hits of other colors dropped on it and blended in over the small alcohol or other flame used for melting the wax.

Paper roses, shown in the basket at the right, are made in several ways. Those pictured of pink crepe paper are merely narrow strips, rolled at the edge and wound about the end of a wire stem. They are fastened to the stem with the wire and set in millinery foliage or in foliage bought with the paper.

Black lacquer is used for covering the tin powder and rouge box, and colored wax for simulating ribbon and flowers on them, and the telephone book is merely a length of black oilcloth folded and painted on one side. A black silk cord binds its leaves to the cover and serves to suspend it.

A SIMPLE ONE-PIECE FROCK



NOW that fashion's devotees insist upon the very simplest lines in frocks for daytime wear, the ingenuity of designers is put to the test. Their resourcefulness must save these frocks from becoming monotonous by making the most of their decoration, and they have called upon all sources for inspiration. This saving grace of decoration has been considerably overdone sometimes—one must know where to leave off—but this is the exception and not the rule. In the new models presented for winter wear.

Among them appears the handsome and faultless dress shown in the picture above, which may be taken as a representative of the best interpretations of the mode. Its lines could hardly be less simple or more becoming and its decoration is everything that could be wished. Beads and silk are used for a design which recalls the motifs used by American Indians in their wonderful bead work, but is carried out in only one color, beige, with steel beads. This combination on almost any of the fashionable colors or black will not fail to be approved by women of conservative and elegant taste. In this model the embroidery is not applied directly to the frock but in separate pieces of material which are set on. In the bodice they are loose at the bottom, allowing the narrow girdle of the fabric in the dress to slip through them, and in the skirt they form pockets as well as adornments. This dress is made of dark blue velours with satin vest to match, but it would be effective in any of the fashionable suitings or velvet.

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Because Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved Mrs. Haydock from an operation we cannot claim that all operations may be avoided by it, but many women have escaped operations by the timely use of this old-fashioned root and herb medicine.

Shingles for Trees.
The coniferous trees present much the same aspect in winter as in summer, says the American Forestry Magazine. The arrangement of the buds and branches of these trees is what we should note. Buds form in the axils of leaves and so their arrangement is the same as that of the leaves. Trees have a definite plan in the placing of the leaves—just as definite as the carpenter's plan in arranging the shingles on a house. The shingles are placed so they will catch all the rain. Leaves are placed so they will catch the sunbeams.

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Pete—The poker habit sure got Smith, didn't it?
Skeet—Yep; he even walks with a shuffle.

Touring.
"Why must they always have a third party along?"
"To decide on the route. He and his wife can never agree."

Oodles of Karats.
He—I want to get you the finest engagement ring in the world. What kind of stone would you like?
She—One like David in the Bible used.

He—Meaning?
She—The kind that'll knock 'em dead.—Wayside Tales.

Differences of Taste.
"Some of those summer boarders seemed to think they were superior in elegance and refinement," said Mrs. Cornstossel.

"Maybe they are more up-to-date than we are," answered her husband. "But just the same I'm glad they're gone, now we can put the jazz records up in the attic and listen to some classical music."

The ancient Babylonians used to wear breeches.

Papuan roll sago into a ball and roast it in a fire.

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MARKS CENTER OF THE EARTH BARBERS' NAMES ON MIRROR

Lofty Monument in Delhi, India, Erected After a Meteorite Fell Near the Spot.

The idea that the earth is not a flat disk, but a globe, does not seem to have "caught on" in India, for they still talk about a certain place being the "center of the world."

In Delhi stands a lofty monument that goes by name of Kutub Minor, a structure towering high above the temple of which it is a part.

The appearance of this curious piece of architecture is that of a number of tiers of columns, seemingly tied together in bundles. At big intervals there are balconies.

The Kutub Minor is of special interest and note in the world over which the religion of the teacher Buddha holds sway. Here, long ago, tradition has it a meteorite fell, sent by the ruling powers in the mystic world beyond this life to mark in the exact center of the world.

In commemoration of this miraculous event the Kutub Minor was erected on the spot, that mankind might never forget it.—London Answers.

Marble Palaces at \$10 a Month. Palatial marble palaces, erected in the sixteenth century by Dutch merchants on the all but forgotten islands of the South Seas, are for rent at £2 10s. a month, approximately \$10, according to letters from mariners and itinerant merchants.

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LEGION IN LOAN BUSINESS

Fargo, N. D. Post Adjutant Works Out Plan for the Benefit of His Buddies.

The first instance in which the American Legion has gone into the trust, savings and loan business is reported from Fargo, N. D.

To encourage thrift and to help the needy, the post, on January 1, 1921, instituted an American Legion Bonus Loan association from plans worked out by Arthur F. Colar, post adjutant. Four hundred of the post's 700 members already have deposited sums from \$5 to \$25 on which five per cent interest is paid. A Legion man wishing to borrow assigns his state compensation claim to the Legion—it will require eight years for North Dakota to pay all service men the bonus awarded them. The borrower may obtain up to 50 per cent of the amount to be awarded him by the state. He pays interest at 8 per cent.

Business is transacted through a Fargo bank. To date more than fifty loans have been made and more than \$20,000 has been paid into the savings fund. A dividend is paid semi-annually to depositors. Immediately upon being granted a loan, the person to whom it is made must open a savings account to insure proper expenditure of the money. Legion posts in many states have written the Fargo post for information upon which to base a similar system.

SEVERAL JOBS AS CHAPLAIN

Toledo (O.) Divine Is Much in Demand With Veterans' and Other Organizations.

Chaplain for six different organizations. Rev. H. F. MacLane, Toledo, O., is a dangerous contender for the champion "sky pilot" belt.

Every time another organization elects him chaplain, he says he feels like Bob Fitzsimmons, the former world's heavyweight, who, after receiving a telegram announcing the birth of a son, cried: "Hooryay, I'm another father!"

Chaplain MacLane was wounded while "sky piloting" the Thirty-seventh division in the Meuse-Argonne offensive. Returning to Toledo after the war he joined the Harry E. Kern post of the American Legion and they at once elected him chaplain. He also is chaplain of the Lucas County (Ohio) council of the Legion and of the following other organizations: Soldiers' class of the Toledo Scottish Rite; Thirty-seventh Division Veterans' association; Second regiment, Ohio National Guard, and Toledo chapter, Disabled Veterans of the World War.

PROBLEMS OF THE NAVY MEN

Conference of Legion Committee to Devise Ways for Benefit of Members of Branch.

Problems of the navy men who are members of the American Legion and policies affecting naval ex-service men generally will be discussed at a conference of the naval affairs committee of the Legion in Chicago this fall. The meeting has been called by Edward E. Spafford, New York, chairman of the committee, who will announce the date of the conference later.

"The fact that there were eight times as many men in the army as there were in the navy during the World War has tended to minimize the needs of the navy ex-service men," Mr. Spafford declared in announcing the conference. "Few persons know of the high percentage of tubercular cases developed by men in the submarine and submarine service, for instance."

The members of the committee, besides Mr. Spafford, are: Benjamin Briscoe, Michigan; Philander Briscoe, Maryland; Claudius G. Pendill, Wisconsin; Fred A. Tillman, California, and C. W. Neville, Jr., Louisiana. The members ranged in rank from lieutenant commander to petty officer.

Legionnaires Respond. When a post of the American Legion in Jackson, Miss., asked for volunteers to save the life of Weldon A. Crawford, overseas veteran, by blood transfusion, 12 legionnaires responded. Crawford, seriously injured in a street car accident, is recovering.

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Oyster Roast.—Put a pint of oysters in an omelet pan, after it is heated and well greased with a tablespoonful of butter, season with salt and pepper and cover to cook two minutes. Serve on buttered toast moistened with the oyster liquor.

Luncheon Dish.—A few cans of sardines on hand will help out in an emergency. For a quick luncheon dish put a can of sardines into a frying pan and heat until hot, then place on buttered toast. Serve with raw chopped onion for a sauce.

To change the seasoning of French dressing add a teaspoonful each of catsup and Worcestershire sauce. Serve with the French dressing on lettuce.

Chicken a la Reine.—Cream two tablespoonfuls of butter, add the yolks of three hard cooked eggs, rubbed to a paste. Soak one-fourth of a cupful of cracker crumbs in the same amount of milk and add the egg mixture. Pour on gradually one cupful of chicken stock. Then add one cupful of finely minced chicken. Season with salt, paprika and celery salt. Serve on toast.

Date Cake.—Cream one cupful of butter, add one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, two eggs, one cupful of sour milk, one cupful of dates, stoned and chopped fine, one cupful of nuts, one teaspoonful of vanilla, two and one-fourth cupfuls of flour. Bake in a sheet and cover with frosting. Cut in strips before it is cold.

Nellie Maxwell

LEGION MAN HOLDS RECORD

Former Lumber Jack Who Put College Professors to Flight in Intelligence Test.

Positions as instructor in philosophy, bacteriology and English have been offered by several large universities of the west to Michael J. Nolan, Seattle Wash., before the war a lumberjack, during it a sapper in the Royal Engineers and after it a patient in army hospitals for 49 weary weeks.

Shortly after American opened hostilities with Germany, Nolan, 38 years old, tried to enlist. He was refused enlistment because of his age, but he went to Canada and took on with the Dominion forces. Following severe service in France, he was invalided to a hospital at Folkestone, England, where he suffered from shellshock, influenza and jaundice all at the same time. He was held there for almost a year.

When he reached Seattle in 1919 he was so weak that he could not lift his hand to shave himself. He entered the University of Washington for vocational education in December, 1919.

Nolan's remarkable accomplishments in collegiate intelligence tests have been announced to the country. Competing with four professors, he answered without error 60 questions in 92 seconds while the brightest of the professors answered but 54 in 30 minutes. Due to his ability, Nolan is finishing a four year complete course in 18 months.

The intellectual giant, below the average physically, is a native of Wexford, Ireland. He is a member of Taftler-Noble post, the American Legion, in Seattle.

SHE'S DRY LAND SAILOR ACE

Michigan-Girl Prize Winner in Canoe Carnival Served as Yeoman F, First Class.

The standing joke that the war-time Yeomanette could not tell the difference between a schooner and a scow loses its tang when one considers Miss Ethelyn Meter, a so-called dry-land sailor, who won a prize in the recent canoe carnival at Belle Isle, Detroit, Mich.

Miss Meter of Benton Harbor served as a yeoman F, first class in the bureau of navigation at Washington, where she knew all about salt water craft, at least from the pictures and records. It may have been there that she learned the fine points of driving the rocky skiffs through the water fast enough to shame the best of the gobs who competed against her in the water carnival.

"I believe that a girl can paddle her own canoe, too, literally and figuratively," Miss Meter says. She was one of the organizers of the Benton Harbor post of the American Legion and in the race the Legion colors flew from her winning craft.

To Honor General Ward. Americans in China will make pilgrimages to the grave of Gen. Frederick Ward, the American, on Memorial day hereafter, the custom being instituted this year by the American Legion post of Shanghai. While the Civil war was being fought in America, General Ward, under commission of the Chinese government, organized what afterwards was known to the Chinese as the "Ever Victorious Army" and suppressed the great Taiping rebellion. While directing his attack on the town of Tsz Kij, the American, formerly an officer on a Chinese gunboat, was killed at the head of his troops. The Chinese erected a monument to him at Sungkiang, where he fell.

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Oyster Roast.—Put a pint of oysters in an omelet pan, after it is heated and well greased with a tablespoonful of butter, season with salt and pepper and cover to cook two minutes. Serve on buttered toast moistened with the oyster liquor.

Luncheon Dish.—A few cans of sardines on hand will help out in an emergency. For a quick luncheon dish put a can of sardines into a frying pan and heat until hot, then place on buttered toast. Serve with raw chopped onion for a sauce.

To change the seasoning of French dressing add a teaspoonful each of catsup and Worcestershire sauce. Serve with the French dressing on lettuce.

Chicken a la Reine.—Cream two tablespoonfuls of butter, add the yolks of three hard cooked eggs, rubbed to a paste. Soak one-fourth of a cupful of cracker crumbs in the same amount of milk and add the egg mixture. Pour on gradually one cupful of chicken stock. Then add one cupful of finely minced chicken. Season with salt, paprika and celery salt. Serve on toast.

Date Cake.—Cream one cupful of butter, add one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, two eggs, one cupful of sour milk, one cupful of dates, stoned and chopped fine, one cupful of nuts, one teaspoonful of vanilla, two and one-fourth cupfuls of flour. Bake in a sheet and cover with frosting. Cut in strips before it is cold.

Nellie Maxwell

GIRL OF TODAY INDEPENDENT

Modern Young Woman Has No Need of Chaperon, Says Kathleen Norris, the Novelist.

"Even in my memory girls never were allowed to enter restaurants without a male escort of their own family or a maid, nor did one dream of the theater unless similarly guarded; on boats and trains the watchful elder woman was never absent. And still, in Latin countries, school-girls are accompanied to and fro with scrupulous care.

"But our young women go their enormously varied and constantly increasing ways in casual freedom and solitude," writes Kathleen Norris in McCall's. "Only a few weeks ago I noticed, in the colossal dining room of a big department store that the bills of fare were actually planned to please the delicate sex.

"Everywhere the world is changing to meet her, as she changes to meet the world, and as it would be palpably absurd to have her traveling downtown in the public cars, earning her living in some biz office, lunching alone amid a thousand men and then requiring the services of a chaperon for any other occasion—she is beginning to dispense with the chaperon altogether. The present state of affairs would not shock the retiring guardian of maidenly modesty and morals, because she would be simply and utterly unable to grasp it."

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"Eh?"

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Arnold Woods is visiting his Uncle Chas. Anderson.

The Ladies of the M. E. church will hold their bazaar No. 10.

Mrs. George Helsdon of Belvidere visited relatives here Friday.

L. H. Branch arrived home Thursday from the Sycamore hospital.

Mrs. Cynthia Meyers spent the latter part of last week in Sycamore.

Mr. Jay Ball motored to Elgin Sunday to see his sister, Mrs. Ed. Thiede.

Mrs. Clorind Cooper of Genoa visited Mrs. John Malay one day last week.

Wm. Smith of Pasadena, Calif., visited relatives and friends here last week.

Knappenberger & Son are installing a furnace in the home of Reed Birchfield.

Marion Marshall and Zada Knappenberger were in Genoa Saturday afternoon.

Burnell Bell visited school here Thursday as there was no school in Elgin that day.

Mrs. Ben Moyer from west of Herbert visited her sister, Mrs. John Malay Thursday.

Miss Agnes Holroyd of Genoa is caring for Mrs. Harry Medine. She is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Tower motored to Grays Lake Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Hildebrandt's.

Mrs. Olive Ort came home Friday from Sycamore where she has been the last few weeks.

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

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. William Blake and children of Belvidere called on friends here last week.

Mrs. Minnie Weaver and son, Robert of San Rafael, Cal., are visiting her father, Frank Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ohlmacher of Ottawa visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thomas Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, Mrs. Ida Breed and Miss Sina McClelland motored to Belvidere Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cole spent last week with their son, Charles and family on the farm north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burbank and children of Cortland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tazewell.

Herman Stuerer, son-in-law of Ed. Burke was operated on last week for appendicitis at Belvidere hospital.

Mrs. Arthur Brittain of Garden Prairie spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Anna Baar.

Saturday evening the high school had a dance in Knappenberger's hall. The Belko Orchestra furnished the music.

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

Mrs. J. H. Uplinger, daughter, Eleanor, Mrs. Ida Moore and Mrs. Frank Bastian motored to Belvidere Saturday.

Jay Miller of South Dakota is visiting his brother, J. P. Miller and his sisters, Mrs. Olive Ort and Miss Maggie Miller.

Mrs. Ray Helsdon and daughter, Mildred of Bensenville spent Thursday night and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Helsdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, Stuart Sherman and Mrs. John Judkins and son, Ivan, motored to DeKalb last week Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Campbell and George McClelland attended the Sunday school convention at Esmond Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ball entertained their son, Ed. Ball and family of Poplar Grove Sunday. Leslie remained until Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Goff visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dibble last week as they were returning from their summer home at Lake Delevan.

Mr. R. Sternberg and family have moved from the rooms over the market to the John Helsdon home recently vacated by O. Bergren and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis and daughter, Mrs. Fred Cook, of Kirkland, called on Mrs. Nina Moore Monday afternoon.

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OBITUARY

Mr. Michael Ludwig was born, March 30, 1868 and passed away Oct. 13, 1921 being at the time of his death 53 years, 6 months, 13 days old. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ludwig. On October 1, 1900, he was united in marriage to Miss Linda Kadow of Michigan, who lives to mourn his loss. He also leaves Hazel Ludwig a niece of Mrs. Ludwig who has always made her home with them, also six brothers, Alec, Peter, Matt, Dr. J. D., Thomas and Cass and one sister, Mrs. Emma Lech, all of Lamont, besides a host of friends. Mr. Ludwig was a farmer around here for twenty-one years and road commissioner for eight years which office he held at the time of his death. He was a very good natured man and will be missed in the community by all who knew him.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the M. E. Aid for flowers and fruit sent to our husband and uncle when he was at the hospital and also to thank our friends for their kindness and sympathy to us during his sickness and our great sorrow.

Mrs. Michael Ludwig
Miss Hazel Ludwig

TOOMEY, AUTO BANDIT, INSANE

Michael Leonard, a guard at the Joliet penitentiary, was calling on Somanauk friends Monday. He states that Toomey, one of the four auto bandits who robbed the garage at Somanauk a year ago is insane. He is now at the prison hospital where physicians are watching developments. If he does not show signs of improvement within a reasonable time he will be transferred to the prison for criminal insane at Chester. —Somanauk Reveille.

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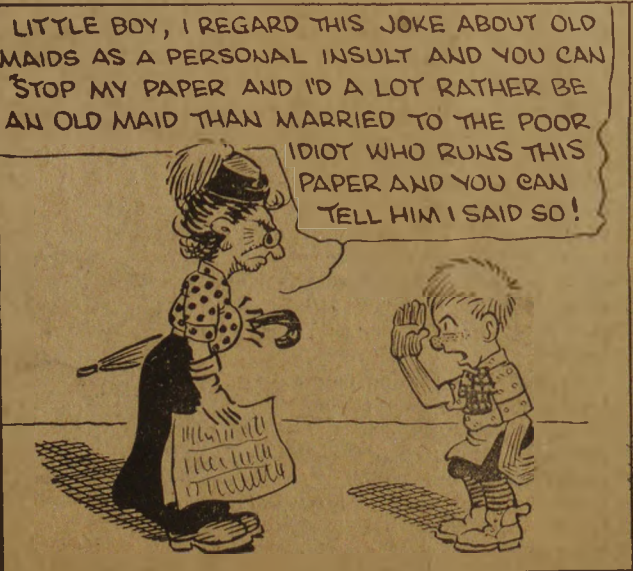
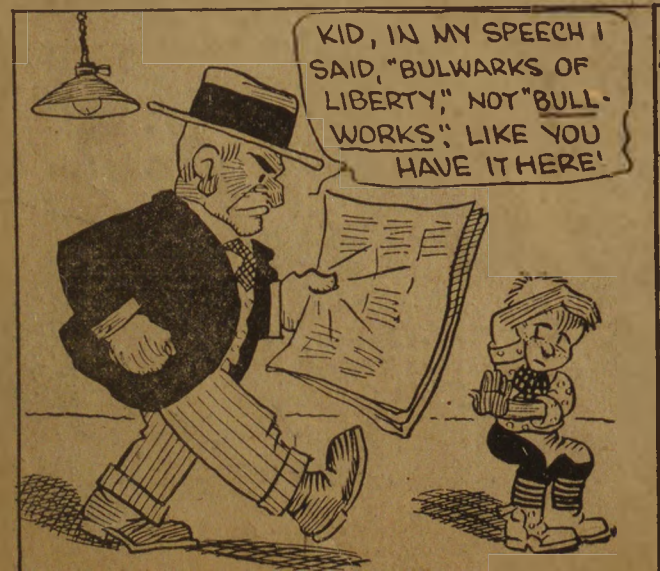
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Call for Much Shelf Room. Five miles of shelving will be erected in a new building being constructed by the French government, for the filing of more than 100,000 volumes and almost as many pamphlets, etc., which they have collected. The collection of manuscripts, photographs and war records is appalling as to numbers, and there seems to be no limit to the gifts of collectors.