

THIS WAS NEWS IN THE YEAR 1895

Some Villian Cuts a Lock "Dan Cody's"—Then Fireworks

THE AUTHUR OF AMERICA DIES

Horseless Wagon Starts on Trip from New York to Chicago—Irish Question

The following items of "news" were taken from columns of the Genoa Issue, published twenty-five years ago.

A bounding boy is a new arrival at the home of Joseph Gray. Miss Nellie Johnson has gone to work in the notion department of the Fair in Chicago.

Charlie Gleason and Ira Westover have again set forth with steel traps and guns to hunt in the wild, wild west.

The long haired individual who is often seen promenading our streets, and who is under the impression that his name is "Bill Cody," got outside so much "fire water" the other day that he became much tangled up. Before he could straighten himself out, some relentless villian cut off a lock of his hair. And when he discovered his loss—! The remarks would have made Sitting Bull turn pale. (A few of the old "stone rollers" can tell the story.)

Last week Messrs. Hintz of Elgin and Jas. Hutehison of Genoa became owners of the Colvin Park and South Riley creameries.

Miss Marguerite Cliffe was surprised by a number of friends after choir practice Friday evening. Miss Cliffe was presented with a ring, set with emeralds and pearls.

Theodore Hansow, formerly of Colvin Park, was married at Belvidere last week.

The market top November 12: cat fle \$4.85, hogs \$3.70, butter 22c, eggs 20c, potatoes 24c, lard \$5.55 cwt, flour \$3.50 bbl, wheat 57c, corn 28c, oats 18c.

A horseless wagon was started from New York to Chicago. This is said to be the longest trip ever undertaken by a road vehicle propelled by a motor. It did not arrive in Chicago.

The Irish parliamentary party in session at Dublin decided to summon a convention of representatives of the Irish throughout the world.

It was announcing that the rebellion in Cuba is costing Spain \$150,000 a day. (That sum would not keep the United States army in saddles and branding irons today.)

Advices from Turkey say that fully 20,000 Armenians were killed during the recent massacre.

Dr. S. F. Smith of Newton, Mass., the venerable author of the national hymn, "America," died in Boston November 16, at the age of 87 years.

EX-SERVICE MAN

Youngest Member of Illinois House of Representatives
John P. Hart, a Batavia lawyer who was elected to the legislature from the Fourteenth Senatorial district, is said to be the youngest man chosen for the assembly. He is just 22 years old. He enlisted in the army during the war and won a commission as a lieutenant of artillery. He was admitted to the bar in July.

FINDS WIFE DEAD

Mrs. Will Dumolin, Jr. of New Lebanon Died Sunday Night

Mrs. Will Dumolin, Jr. passed away at her home east of New Lebanon Sunday night. When Mr. Dumolin awoke Monday morning he attempted to arouse his wife and was horrified to find her cold in death. Physicians stated that she must have been dead at least six hours before Mr. Dumolin awoke.

The deceased is a daughter of Carl Schiessel of Hampshire. She leaves a daughter about one year old.

ANOTHER CHURCH CLOSED

Many will regret says the Sycamore Tribune, that the Lovell's crossing church, three miles east of Sycamore, that has for many years been the center of religious and social activities of that neighborhood, will be abandoned. So many members of the church have moved away, and so few have come to take their places, that the trustees of the Presbytery of Ottawa, who have control of the property, have decided to disband the church.

HOLSTEIN BREEDERS

Will Meet to Discuss Breeding and Feeding Problems

Breeders of pure bred and grade Holstein cattle in the Northern Illinois Dairy district will have the opportunity of attending a series of fourteen meetings to discuss breeding, feeding and selling their surplus stock. One of the meetings will be held in the Y. M. C. A. building in Belvidere, Friday, November 19, at 2:00 p. m.

These meetings are part of a series of thirty-one held in all parts of the State by the Illinois Holstein-Friesian Association in an effort to get every breeder of black and white cattle into the organization.

Illinois has 17,000 pure bred Holsteins owned by 1200 breeders and grade Holstein breeders. The main idea of the Association is to improve and set a standard for Illinois Holsteins and to attract the attention of out of State cattle buyers.

Leaders of the Holstein America will speak at these meetings. Three men from the following list will be present at each of the meetings:

D. D. Altin, President, and R. C. Pollock, Extension Service, Holstein-Friesian Association of America, F. H. Everson, of Lake Mills, Wisconsin, Geo. A. Fox, President of the Illinois Association, J. T. Williams, breeder of Sterling, Illinois, R. E. Caldwell, former head of Indiana Dairy Department and H. C. Barker, Secretary of the Ohio Holstein Association.

PEJERSON IS RIGHT

Sycamore School Man Objects to Joining Federation of Labor

Aurora Beacon-News: This was a day of debate for teachers. They came from all over northern Illinois to hear orators propose and oppose their joining the Federation of Labor in a debate at East High school of Aurora. The president of the teachers' federation, Charles B. Stillman, led the fight for those who favored "going in." O. E. Peterson, superintendent of schools at Sycamore, championed the cause of those who were for "staying out." The teachers listened, as they were to pass judgment, not in fromal vote but in applause.

Mr. Stillman maintained that the Federation of Labor would protect teachers in their jobs and that it would win them higher wages. Mr. Peterson insisted that the teachers had no right as public servants to join a "class" organization. He maintained that teachers should have their own organization until such time as there was a federation of labor which took in every person who works for a living.

ZION OVERSEER

Again Shows He is Faithful Follower of Dowie

Wilbur Glenn Voliva, overseer of Zion, Thursday was indicted by the Lake county grand jury at Waukegan on three counts, on charges of criminal libel, brought by the Rev. Thomas H. Nelson, leader of Grace Methodist church, and his followers.

A special grand jury had been called by Judge R. K. Welsh of Rockford after a recent grand jury had returned "no true bills" against the overseer.

This action caused Rev. Nelson to file a new petition charging that the grand jury had been packed with Voliva followers.

The indictments for alleged criminal libel were returned upon statements in pamphlets alleged to have been written and circulated by Voliva and his followers and attacked the character and reputation of Rev. Nelson and his family and accused him of having obtained a large sum of money under false pretense.

RED CROSS CALL

The Annual Business Meeting of the DeKalb County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be held in the Court House in Sycamore, Monday afternoon, November 15, at 2:30 o'clock. All members of every Branch belonging to the chapter are invited to attend.

Jessie L. Irish, Secy.

DIED FROM EXPOSURE

Following an attack of what was thought to be mental illness that prompted her to rise from her bed in the night and wander about town, to be found sitting in the water on the edge of the lake early in the morning Mrs. William Schwartz of Crystal Lake died Saturday afternoon as a result of exposure to the elements.

FOR BENEFIT ST. CATHERINES

Bazaar, Lecture, Concert and Dance Next Thursday

A CHICKEN DINNER AT NOON

Rev. T. O'Brien Will Tell of His Recent Visit in the Emerald Isle

The people of St. Catherine's parish will hold their annual bazaar, concert, and dance next Thursday, Nov. 18, at the Genoa opera house.

One of the chief attractions of the program in the evening will be a lecture by Rev. T. O'Brien. His subject is announced as "My two months' experience under the reign of the Black and Tans in Ireland."

At the bazaar many articles will be on display and for sale. A chicken dinner will be served at noon and it promises to be some dinner.

Miss Bollinger of Sycamore, Evelyn Patterson and Klea Schoonmaker of Genoa will sing in the evening during the program.

Dahlstrand's orchestra will furnish the music in the evening.

FARMERS FACE PROSECUTION

Members of McHenry County Soil Improvement Association

Forty-two farmers of McHenry county face prosecution by the McHenry County Soil Improvement association for non-payment of dues and have retained Attorney V. E. Lumley of Woodstock to represent them says the Elgin News.

The first case to be started against the members of the soil improvement association was started today in the court of Magistrate Brown of Woodstock and was against S. J. Palmer, a farmer residing north of Harvard.

Palmer, it is charged, is one of forty-two farmers who joined the soil improvement association over a year ago and have failed to pay dues since their admittance. The dues of the association are \$15 annually for five years.

State's Attorney Lumley, who has been retained as attorney for Palmer, will ask that all forty-two cases be tried at the same time, instead of singly. If this is refused a test case will be made of Palmer's case.

"We have never derived any benefit from the soil improvement association," said Palmer today. "A chosen few seem to have profited by the association's work rather than all of the membership. There has been too much favoritism."

JAIL DELIVERY

Five Men Escape from Geneva Jail Saturday

Five desperadoes overpowered the guards at the Kane county jail in Geneva Saturday and escaped. A posse sent out on their trail, traced them part way to Chicago and then lost them.

No one was wounded in the jail break, according to dispatches from Geneva. The five prisoners worked so quickly that their guards were taken by surprise and overpowered before they could offer resistance.

All the escaped men are desperate criminals, Sheriff Poole said. Their names were given as Gerald Dean Benton, Slack Johnson, a negro; Robert Gordon, Chester Kerner and Paul Turner, alias Birch.

POULTRY

We are buying poultry as follows: Mondays at Hampshire, Tuesdays at Kingston, Thursdays at Genoa, Fridays at Kirkland, Saturdays at Burlington. We have made the necessary arrangements to handle all the poultry offered this season at highest market prices. R. E. Brown, Cortland, Ill. Phone DeKalb 990-5, U. S. Food Administration License No. O 03253. 3-ft.

AND NONE APPLY

Of the thirty-one schools of the state which failed to open for one reason or another, one is located in Fremont Center, Lake county. The offer of \$100 per month as made by the board of directors of that district seems to have failed to attract a teacher.

ROBBERY AT GREENWOOD

Groceries and dry goods valued at \$200 and \$100 in currency were taken by robbers who entered the Frank Rossen store at Greenwood during last Friday night.

KEEP 'ER IN HIGH IF OUT AT NIGHT

Autotois Find it Dangerous to Loaf or Stop on Highway

Regular meeting of the city council called to order by Jas. J. Hutchison, mayor protem. Members present: Patterson, Crawford, Zeller, Hutchison, Shipman. Absent: Mayor Hammond.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were read and approved by the finance committee and allowed:

E. E. Crawford	\$ 110.00
E. H. Browne	10.00
Ill. N. Utilities Co.	499.09
DeKalb Co. Tel. Co.	17.00
H. Nutt, Fire	25.00
New York Belling & P. Co.	10.00
Zeller & Son	63.30
Kiernan & Son	36.91
Republican	9.25
C. M. & St. P. R. R.	12.95
Chicago Gravel Co.	65.22
W. H. Heed	95.00
W. H. Heed	78.37
Elmore Oil Co.	57.00
Thibits Cameron L. Co.	6.45
B & G Garage	1.50
Perkins & Rosenfeld	40.10
Holcomb Dutton L. Co.	6.30
H. B. Downing	7.50
Oley Seaburg	40.50
L. Morehart	18.00
C. Holroyd	9.00
Genoa Elec. Shop	2.00

\$1220.94

Communications from Mrs. Margaret Frazier and Genoa community club were read and placed on file.

Motion made by Zeller, seconded by Shipman that three incandescent street lights be placed as follows. One at Piano factory, one at Jackson and State and one at R. R. Ave and Locust St. Motion carried.

Motion by Shipman, seconded by Patterson that council adjourn. Motion carried.

R. F. Field City Clerk

KILLED AT MARENGO

Father and Son Struck by Train at Grade Crossing

One person was killed and another is in a critical condition as the result of an accident at Marengo Sunday morning in which an automobile was struck at a railroad crossing a short distance from the railroad station.

Elery Smith, ten year-old-boy, was killed almost instantly when the locomotive of the train hit the Ford coupe in which he was riding with his stepfather, Ernest Bartlett, Mr. Bartlett was in serious condition from the accident today, but is expected to recover. He has four ribs broken and his head cut.

The accident happened at 10 o'clock when a westbound train on the North Western railroad struck the machine. Witnesses say the two were looking while crossing the track to see if they could locate an air plane which had been seen earlier in the day.

AN ELOQUENT ADDRESS

Rev. Robeson Rekindles Fire of Patriotism Sunday

At the M. E. church last Sunday evening, before a large congregation, Rev. Robeson delivered a patriotic address, his subject being, "Lest We Forget."

It was an eloquent address and one that surely rekindled the fire of patriotism in the breast of everyone susceptible to patriotic enthusiasm if the memories of Armistice Day are as forcibly brought back every year in every part of the country as they were at the M. E. church Sunday evening, the American people will not forget.

M. E. CHURCH NOTES

"The Man Who said He Could, but Couldn't," Subject

Services 11:00 and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m.

The pastor will teach the young Woman's Bible class Sunday morning.

Subject for sermon next Sunday evening, "The Man Who Said He Could, but Couldn't"

Preaching services at Ney Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Herman Patterson.

"TAD" BABCOCK HONORED

F. D. E. ("Tad") Babcock, former Marengo newspaper man, has recently been elected secretary and treasurer of the National Commercial Secretaries' association at the national gathering just held in Chicago. For some time Mr. Babcock has been secretary of the Commercial association of Worcester, Mass., prior to accepting the position which he held at Rockford.

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DE KALB MAN HELD UP MONDAY

Thieves Take Truck and Get Away—Freight Train Held up at Malta

Traveling on the highways in DeKalb county at night has become as hazardous as driving a gold trail thru the bandit country of the western passes in the old days. Many stories of hold-up and near hold-ups are drifting into The Republican office daily. Most of these tales are fakes, but enough of them are true to cause apprehension on the part of all who travel at night. It is taking a chance to stop or slow up for any

The Coal Man's Dilemma



signal, and to stop to pick up a tire or any other article from the road at night is out of the question.

A recent hold up near DeKalb is pictured by the Sycamore True Republican as follows:

"Hands up!" commanded a man who leaped on the running board of an auto truck driven by Earl Kennedy of DeKalb, about a mile and a half west of Five Points at 8 o'clock on Monday night, and shoved a gun in his face. "All out" was the command of two companions of the bandit, Kennedy concluded that there was nothing to do but to obey, and stood in the road as the men disappeared with the machine. Kennedy walked the four miles to Sycamore before giving an alarm, and then sent a telephone message from the Butzow Brothers garage here to the proprietor of the Quinn garage at DeKalb who owned the truck.

Sheriff Decker and a posse were soon after the thieves.

The stolen machine was found by Howard Kennedy of the Butzow garage at about midnight. It was out of gasoline and stalled at Fair street in Sycamore. Owing to the long lapse of time before the officers were notified, the chance of capturing the bandits was slight. The driver could give but a meagre description of them.

Hold up Train at Malta

The hold-up of a freight train at Malta on Friday night could have only been done by clever and daring men. Although they were unsuccessful in getting away with the loot, they made good their escape.

At Malta when the signal at the east end of the city shows "blocked," the signal on the hill does the same. Instead of blocking one and not the other, the thieves took an ordinary stick, pried the contact wires apart which flashed "block" on both of the lights.

They they went up on the hill west of the town and waited for the big freight that comes through about 11 o'clock to come. When it came and the engineer saw the signals blocked he stopped. The robbers boarded one of the freight cars without the knowledge of the crew and picking out just the most valuable of woolen goods threw them out. After the engineer was satisfied that something was wrong with the signals and no more was wrong on the road he started up again.

FIRE AT MONROE

Destroys Several Buildings and Threatens Entire Village

A disastrous fire, which threatened to wipe out the business district and spread to residences, broke out at noon Friday in Monroe and left in its wake only heaps of ashes and smouldering debris where before had stood Wilson Bros' garage, the Baldwin blacksmith shop, the town building and John Lindman's residence.

A fire truck manned by soldiers arrived from Camp Grant just as the flames began licking at the wall of the bank and after a short time the fire was under control. The entire town turned out to fight the flames and bucket brigades were hastily formed. Fanned by a spanking breeze the flames continued to spread and it was only the timely arrival of the soldiers that prevented further losses.

John Horsp, member of the firm of Miller & Horsp, contractors and

DEKALB ROAD CLOSED

Dangerous Cement Highway Being Repaired by Commissioner

DeKalb Independent—Frank Fuller, DeKalb township commissioner has received the bill of two carloads of stone to be put on the shoulder on the cement road between DeKalb and Sycamore. It is the first shipment of 120 loads that will be needed to properly fix the road in this territory. If the material will come right along and Mr. Fuller can keep off traffic he will be able to finish the job this year. He has therefore made plans to close the road on Monday. This will do two things, make it possible to complete the job at once and to save accidents. Most of the traffic can go north on First street or go east on Lincoln Highway. It is hoped that the public will help in every way possible to get this job done.

JUST A PIG

But He Comes from a Family of Aristocrats

Arthur Hartman has recently purchased a Poland China boar and placed it on his farm near New Lebanon. Now this, in the mere announcement, is no news item of any particular interest. But listen, you lovers of pork chops, link sausages and lard fried sinkers, this is no ordinary hawg—its a real hog—an aristocrat by right of lineage, for his own sire was none other than "The Clausman," for which you gum chewers paid \$60,000.00. It is owned by Wm. Wrigley, Jr. the gum king.

CLARE SUFFERS FIRE LOSS

Entire Village Nearly Wiped Out Friday Night

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A want ad will find it for you.

THE KENILWORTH LADIES' GLEE CLUB

At the Opera House Monday Evening of Next Week

UNDER AUSPICES LOCAL POST

Third Number of the Century Festival Series—A Program of Music

The Kenilworth Ladies' Glee club will appear at the opera house next Monday evening, Nov. 15, under auspices of Bayard Brown Post of the American Legion. This is the third number of the Century Festival Series and promises to be equal if not better than the first two.

People who failed to attend these entertainments are missing something good, in fact far above the talent usually put out in courses of like nature. The American Legion assumed a big financial obligation in securing these attractions and it does not seem right that they should lose money through the deal. In many other places the Legion has been criticized for putting on stuff that was anything but decent. Give the Genoa boys credit for doing the right thing by patronizing them.

Whether you feel like helping the Legion or not, you will get full value for your money Monday night. The Kenilworth Ladies' Glee club not only sings but features special musical instruments, including the new and popular banjo-lay-lee.

Monday night, Nov. 15.

LEST WE FORGET

Lest we forget, What do these words recall? The host of valiant youth we here prepared, The sacrifices made, the sorrows shared, Nor is this all, For we are owing life and country fair.

To those who showed that rare And perfect giving-up to meet their call. Do we forget? Ah no! Too fresh and keen Are those dark days of doubt and agony, The longing for our lads across the sea, The thankfulness for all that might have been But they kept off, Guarding so well our sacred boundary, Keeping intact a home for you and me.

Can we forget? No while our flag up there Waves in the freedom-saturated air They helped perpetuate for our delight: For home and freedom, God and liberty, For our deliverance from tyranny We thank them, can we ever pay that debt? No, nor forget.

Lest we forget Those others who stood by To wait their turn, nor saw the other side We honor them, for All-wise Destiny Decreed that some should only stand and wait— They also served, and helped to stem the tide Of foul oppression, by preparedness To go, and so we honor them no less.

Lest we forget— Oh God, who sees it all We hereby for this armistice recall Their countless noble deeds, the lives they gave Our boys who crossed the wave And now are back among us—but not all— For some sleep over there, they toil-ed and sweat And died—can we forget? Luman W. Colton.

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 2 cups flour
 4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 2 tablespoons shortening
 1/2 cup milk or half milk and half water

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt, add shortening and rub in very lightly; add liquid slowly; roll or pat on floured board to about one inch in thickness (handle as little as possible); cut with biscuit cutter. Bake in hot oven 15 to 20 minutes.

Royal Cinnamon Buns
 1/2 cups flour
 1 teaspoon salt
 4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
 9 tablespoons shortening
 1 egg
 1/2 cup water
 1/2 cup sugar
 2 teaspoons cinnamon
 4 tablespoons seeded raisins

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The GREAT SHADOW

by **A. Conan Doyle**
 AUTHOR OF "THE ADVENTURES OF SHERLOCK HOLMES"

"I HAVE LIVED."

Synopsis.—Writing long after the events described, Jack Calder, Scot farmer of West Inch, tells how, in his childhood, the fear of invasion by Napoleon, at that time complete master of Europe, had gripped the British nation. Following a false alarm that the French had landed, Jim Horscroft, the doctor's son, a youth of fifteen, quarrels with his father over joining the army, and from that incident a lifelong friendship begins between the boys. They go together to school at Berwick, where Jim is cock boy from the first. After two years Jim goes to Edinburgh to study medicine. Jack stays five years more at school, becoming cock boy in his turn. When Jack is eighteen Cousin Edie of Eyemouth comes to live at West Inch. Jack falls in love at first sight with his handsome, romantic, selfish and autocratic cousin of seventeen. They watch from the cliffs the victory of an English merchantman over two French privateers. Reproached by Edie for staying at home, Jack starts to enlist. Edie tells him to stay. Jack says he will stay and marry her. She acquiesces. Jim comes home. Jack sees Jim kissing Edie. Jack and Jim compare notes and force Edie to choose between them. She chooses Jim. Jack gives up Edie to Jim. A half-dead shipwrecked foreigner drifts ashore at West Inch. He says he is Bonaventura de Lapp, a soldier of fortune. The Calders take him in.

CHAPTER VI—Continued.

"What think ye of that, Martha?" said he.
 "You've sold the two black tups after all!"
 "No, but it's a month's pay for board and lodging from Jock's friend and as much to come every four weeks."
 But my mother shook her head when she heard it. "Two pounds a week is overmuch," said she. "And it is not when the poor gentleman is in distress that we should put such a price on his bit of food."
 "Why, woman, he's turned your head w' his foreign trick of speech," cried my father.

"Aye, and it would be a good thing if Scottish men had a little more of that kindly way," she said, and that was the first time in all my life that I had ever heard her answer him back. Our visitor came down soon, and asked me to come out with him. When we were in the sunshine he held out a little cross made of red stones, one of the bonniest things that ever I had set eyes upon.

"These are rubies," said he, "and I got it at Tudela, in Spain. I pray that you will take this as a memory of your exceeding kindness to me yesterday. It will fashion into a pin for your cravat."
 I could but thank him for the present, which was of more value than anything I had ever owned in my life. "I am off to the upper mill to count the lambs," said I. "Maybe you would care to come up with me and see something of the country?"
 He hesitated for a moment, and then he shook his head.

"I have some letters," he said "which I ought to write as soon as possible. I think that I will stay at quiet this morning and get them written."
 All forenoon I was wandering over the links, and when I got back he looked as though he had been born and bred in the steading. He sat in the big wooden-armed single chair, with the black cat on his knee. His arms were out, and he held a skein of worsted from hand to hand, which my mother was busily rolling into a ball. Cousin Edie was sitting near, and I could see by her eyes that she had been crying.

"Hullo! Edie," said I; "what's the trouble?"
 "Ah! mademoiselle, like all good and true women, has a soft heart," said he; "I didn't thought it would have moved her, or I should have been silent. I have been talking of the suffering of some troops of which I knew something, when they were crossing the Guadarama mountains in the winter of 1808. Ah, yes, it was very bad, for they were fine men and fine horses. It is strange to see men blown by the wind over the precipices, but the ground was so slippery, and there was nothing to which they could hold. So companies all linked arms, and they did better in that fashion; but one artilleryman's hand came off as I held it, for he had had the frost bite for three days."
 I stood staring, with my mouth open.

"And the old grenadiers, too, who were not so active as they used to be, they could not keep up; and yet if they lingered the peasants would catch them and crucify them to the barn doors with their feet up and a fire under their heads, which was a pity for these fine old soldiers. So when they could go no farther it was

interesting to see what they would do. For they would sit down and say their prayers, sitting on an old saddle, or their knapsacks, maybe, and then take off their boot and stocking, and lean their chin on the barrel of their musket. Then they would put their toe on the trigger, and pouf! it was all over, and there was no more marching for those fine old grenadiers. Oh! it was very rough work up there on the Guadarama mountains."
 "And what army was this?" I asked.
 "Oh! I have served in so many armies that I mix them up sometimes. Yes, I have seen much of war. But there is a man out yonder. Maybe he is the one who your father said would carry my letters to the post."

"Yes, he is farmer Whitehead's man. Shall I give them to him?"
 "Well, he would be more careful of them if he had them from your hand." He took them from his pocket, and gave them over to me. I hurried out with them, and as I did so my eyes fell upon the address of the topmost one. It was written very large and clear.

"A.S. Majeste
 "Le Roi du Suede
 "Stockholm."
 I did not know very much French, but I had enough to make that out. What sort of eagle was this which had flown into our humble nest?

CHAPTER VII.

The Corriemul Peel Tower.
 Well, it would weary me, and I am very sure that it would weary you also if I were to attempt to tell you how life went with us after this man came under our roof, or the way in which he gradually came to win the affections of everyone of us. With the women it was quick work enough, but soon he had thawed my father, too, which was no such easy matter, and had gained Jim Horscroft's good will as well as my own.

One of his first acts was to give my father the boat in which he had come, reserving only the right to have it back in case he should have need of it. The herring were down on the coast that autumn, and my uncle, before he died, had given us a fine set of nets to us. Sometimes De Lapp would go out in the boat alone, and I have seen him for a whole summer day rowing slowly along, and stopping every half-dozen strokes to throw over a stone at the end of a string. I could not think what he was doing until he told me of his own free will.

"I am fond of studying all that has to do with the military," said he, "and I never lose a chance. I was wondering if it would be a difficult matter for the commander of an army corps to throw his men ashore here."
 "If the wind were not from the east," said I.
 "Ah, quite so, if the wind were not from the east. Have you taken soundings here?"
 "No."
 "Your line-of-battleships would have to lie outside, but there is water enough for a forty-gun frigate right up within musket range. Cram your boats with trallieurs, deploy them behind these sand-hills, then back with the launches for more, and a stream of grape over their heads from the frigate. It could be done! It could be done!" His mustaches bristled out more like a cat's than ever, and I could see by the flash of his eyes that he was carried away by his dream.

"You forget that our soldiers would be upon the beach," said I indignantly.
 "Ta, ta, ta!" he cried. "Of course, it takes two sides to make a battle. Let us see now! Let us work it out! What could you get together? Shall we say twenty—thirty thousand? A few regiments of good troops. The rest, pouf!—conscripts, bourgeois with arms, how do you call them—volunteers."
 "Brave men!" I shouted.
 "Oh yes, very brave men, but imbecile; ah, mon Dieu, it is incredible how imbecile they would be. Not they alone, I mean, but all young troops. War must be learned, my young friend, just the same as the farming of sheep."

"Pooh!" said I, not to be outwitted by a foreigner. "If we had thirty thousand men on the line of the hill yonder you would come to be very glad that you had your boats behind you."
 Sometimes, when he talked, I thought he was joking; but at other times it was not quite so easy to say. I well remember one evening that summer when he was sitting in the kitchen with my father, Jim, and me, after the women had gone to bed, he began about Scotland and its relation to England.
 "You used to have your own king, and your own laws made at Edinburgh," said he; "does it not fill you with rage and despair when you think

that it all comes to you from London now?"
 Jim took his pipe out of his mouth. "It was we who put our king over the English, so if there's any rage it should have been over yonder," said he.

This was clearly news to the stranger, and it silenced him for the moment.

"Well, but your laws are made down there, and surely that is not good," he said at last.

"No; it would be well to have a parliament back in Edinburgh," said my father; "but I am kept so busy with the sheep that I have little enough time to think of such things."
 "It is for fine young men like you two to think of it," said De Lapp. "When a country is injured it is to its young men that it looks to avenge it."

"Aye, the English take too much upon themselves sometimes," said Jim. "Well, if there are many of that way of thinking about, why should we not form them into battalions and march them upon London?" cried De Lapp.

"That would be a rare little picnic," said I, laughing; "and who would lead us?"
 He jumped up, bowing with his hand on his heart in his queer fashion. "If you would allow me to have the honor!" he cried and then, seeing that we were all laughing, he began to laugh also, but I am sure that there was really no thought of a joke in his mind.

I could never make out what his age could be, nor could Jim Horscroft either. Sometimes we thought that he was an oldish man that looked young, and at others that he was a youngish man who looked old. On the whole, we thought that he might be about forty or forty-five, though it was hard to see how he could have seen so much of life in the time. But one day we got talking of ages, and then he surprised us.

I had been saying that I was just twenty-seven, and Jim said that he was twenty-seven.
 "Then I am the most old of the three," said De Lapp.
 We laughed at this, for by our reckoning he might almost have been our father.

"But not so much," said he, arching his brows. "I was nine-and-twenty in December."
 And it was this even more than his talk which made us understand what an extraordinary life it must have been that he had led. He saw our astonishment, and laughed at it.

"I have lived, I have lived," he cried. "I have spent my days and my nights. I led a company in a battle where five nations were engaged when I was but fourteen. I made a king turn pale at the words I whispered in his ear when I was twenty. I had a hand in remaking a kingdom and putting a fresh king upon a fresh throne the very year that I came of age. Mon Dieu! I have lived my life."

"That was the most that I ever heard him confess of his past life, and he only shook his head and laughed when we tried to get something more out of him. There were times when we thought that he was but a clever impostor—for what could a man of such influence and talents be loitering here in Berwickshire for?—but one day there came an incident which showed us that he had, indeed, a history in the past.

You will remember that there was an old officer of the Peninsular war, who lived no great way from us, the same who danced round the bonfire with his sister and the two maids. He had gone up to London on some business about his pension and his wound money and the choice of having some work given him, so that he did not come back until late in the autumn. One of the first days after his return he came down to see us, and there for the first time he clapped eyes on De Lapp. Never in my life did I look upon so astonished a face, and he stared at our friend for a long minute without so much as a word. De Lapp looked back at him equally hard, but there was no recognition in his eyes.

"I do not know who you are, sir," he said at last, "but you look at me as if you had seen me before."
 "So I have," answered the major. "Never to my knowledge."
 "But I'll swear it!"
 "Where, then?"
 "At the village of Astorga, in the year '38."

De Lapp started, and stared again at our neighbor. "Mon Dieu! what a chance!" he cried; "and you were the English parlementaire! I remember you very well indeed, sir. Let me have a whisper in your ear." He took him aside, and talked very earnestly with him in French for a quarter of an hour, gesticulating with his hands, and explaining something, while the major nodded his old grizzled head from time to time. At last they seemed to come to some agreement, and I heard the major say "parole d'honneur" several times, and afterwards "fortune de la guerre." But after that I always noticed that the major never used the same free fashion of speech that we did toward our lodger, but bowed when he addressed him, and treated him with a wonderful deal of respect.

Jim goes back to his studios in Edinburgh.
 (TO BE CONTINUED.)
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 According to the Postal Guide, there are 21 cities and towns in the United States by this name.
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 "Why do you call this fire a 'conflagration'?" asked the crusty city editor. "According to your story the damage done didn't amount to \$1,000."
 "There were fully 10,000 people present to watch it," said the facetious reporter.
 "Well?"
 "I didn't want to make it appear that they were wasting their valuable time."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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 Examine carefully every bottle of **CASTORIA**, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of **Dr. J. C. Watson** In Use for Over 30 Years. **Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.**

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GREETINGS THAT TELL MUCH

All Have a Character and to the Intelligent Are Like an Open Book.
 "Chawmed"—One dance with this type. They always talk about the thatness of the that or G. B. Pshaw's latest.
 "How do you do?"—Not a question—a statement. Probably accompanied by a smile. This class works slowly, but is sure to get you in the end.
 "Deelighted"—With giggle and invitation from baby-blue eyes. Must never be trusted.
 "Very glad to know you, I'm suah"—She is not sure, but it seems best to say so. Last season's deb. Expects to be bored and it is best to live up to expectations.
 "Oh, Mr. Stover, I'm so glad to know you. I've heard," etc.—Football hero stuff. Must use skill and ingenuity to escape this type.
 Mere nod—Possibilities, but, oh, man, you'll have to work.—Yale Record.

Its Style.
 "It certainly is a funny tale Ned tells about the time they had using signal guns in the fog."
 "I should think they would have threaded their way better with a needle gun."
Not Alike.
 Lawyer—So you want a divorce from your wife. Aren't your relations pleasant?
 Client—Mine are, but hers are the most unpleasant lot I ever met.—Boston Transcript.

The Fitting Way.
 "How do the Irish meet the 'black-and-tans'?" "I guess it is with dogged determination."

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BEADS PREFERRED TO BREAD

People of the Levant Set Great Stock on Colored Glass of Every Description.
 Beads are more necessary than bread to the Levant. Men, women and children wear and carry beads to ward off ill luck. Even the horses and donkeys have strands of beads about their necks "to battle the evil eye," and the long horns of the work oxen are decorated with blue-and-white beads to keep them from falling prey to diseases.
 In Athens, Constantinople, Tiflis, Smyrna and other cities of the Levant men of all classes carry short strands of fidget beads, which they play with while walking in the street, riding in street cars and trains just as nervous men in the West finger their watch-chains. Bead shops abound everywhere in the larger cities and general stores and market stalls sell them in the smaller places. Peddlers hawk them in the streets everywhere.
 Light-colored amber beads of large size are the latest thing in beads for women. Meerschaum beads are also popular, and for the moment plain beads of all sorts have displaced highly ornate carved beads of the type which Syrians produce in great quantities for exportation.—Washington Post.

Matter of Geography.
 A Minnesota man who had been introduced to a fellow citizen by his congressman, asked the latter with reference to his acquaintance:
 "Is he rich?"
 "Well," replied the congressman, "that depends on geography. Out here we consider him very rich; he's worth about a million dollars. If he lived in New Jersey, I suppose he would be considered fairly well to do; while if he lived in New York folks would be dropping dollars in his hat."—Boston Transcript.

Bamboo Has Fast Growth.
 The growth of the bamboo is swift. In the morning a shoot appears above the ground, and by nightfall the shoot is waist high. On the second day it is as tall as a man, and in less than three weeks the bamboo rods are from 18 to 19 inches in circumference and tower to a height of 60 or 70 feet. There is one place in Abbeville, La., where McIneheny has grown a grove that towered to 70 feet in 19 days. There is a variety of bamboo that is edible, and is highly prized by orientals, who cut off the young shoots and use them for food.

The Sporting Instinct.
 "You made your husband promise never again to bet on anything?"
 "Yes," replied young Mrs. Torkins. "But I'm willing to bet he won't keep his promise."

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 And double your razor efficiency as well as promote skin purity, skin comfort and skin health. No mug, no slimy soap, no germs, no waste, no irritation even when shaved twice daily. One soap for all uses—shaving, bathing and shampooing.—Adv.

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 In France noted criminals are made to speak and sing into a phonograph before their discharge from prison, that in future their voices may be identified in case of need.

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 Wherever there is contagious disease among horses SPOHN'S is the solution of all trouble. SPOHN'S is invaluable in all cases of DISTEMPER, PINK-EYE, INFLUENZA, COUGHS and COLDS. A few drops a day will protect your horse exposed to disease. Regular doses three times a day will act marvelously on your horse actually sick. 40 cents and \$1.20 per bottle at drug stores. **Spohn Medical Co., Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.**

EMPEROR FRIEND OF LOWLY

Napoleon III Declared to Have Had Genuine Regard for the Humbler of His Subjects.

The friendly feeling of Napoleon III for the toilers is duly upon by Ames Carey in her "An Empress in Exile," in the Century magazine, and she gives as her authority Empress Eugenie, wife of the last of the emperors. "Whatever his feelings toward her had been," the author says, "she professed a warm admiration of his love of hard work, his pluck and his great kindness of heart and thoughtfulness for every one. The emperor genuinely loved the poor and humble among his subjects, with no thought of policy. He was too good and generous for his people's understanding. Had he been tyrannical and made use of them and trampled them down like some other sovereigns, they would have behaved better toward him, she (Eugenie) said.
 "Napoleon was a dreamer and spent much of his time to the serious thinking out of schemes for the benefit of his people, and all mankind. His life's ambition was to better their lot. He had great magnetism, especially with the working classes. The empress charmed every stranger, but the emperor was really more personally and deeply loved by his entourage than was his consort."

GOT REPORT THAT COUNTED

Coffee Dealer a Little Too Enthusiastic in His Praise of Goods He Had Condemned.

"Have you any of Blank & Co.'s coffee?" the stranger asked.
 "Plenty of it, sir! How much would you like?" the dealer responded briskly.
 "Do your customers generally like this coffee—I would want only something really good," the customer observed cautiously.
 "Never had a more popular brand—it is fine—use it regularly on my own table," the dealer assured him.
 "Well, I am glad to hear you speak so well of it now. You wrote me a while back that the goods were so unsatisfactory that you would have to return them unless you were given a further special discount. I'm Blank, you know. Good day!"

The Boob.
 "How did Archie happen to lose out with Miss Goldrox?"
 "Why, she told him she really disliked flattery."
 "And Archie persisted in paying her extravagant compliments?"
 "No; he didn't."
 In saving money the real secret is not to lose it through the hole at the top of your pocket.

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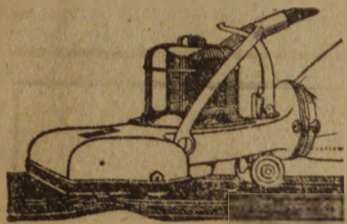
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Help for Ironing Day.
Do not discard old mats and carpets. Cover the mats with the best part of the carpet, and make into a pad to stand on while ironing. This will be found very restful to the feet. One of these pads placed at the bottom of the cellar steps, on which to wipe the shoes, will help to keep the steps clean and thus save much labor.

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Waterspout in the Pacific.
A waterspout formed Sunday afternoon off the Halku coast. The surface of the ocean was agitated until spray and mist formed into a cuplike smoke. Then a fingerlike extension gradually reached down from the cloud, until the two connected in midair. For several minutes the spout must have been from 10 to 15 feet in diameter. It swayed irregularly back and forth, as though unable to support its own weight fully. Also, it was not solid, but a tube of mist and spray, whirling rapidly. Next to the water it was like smoke or dark spray, at the top dark and less transparent, while most of the length was glassy and plainly showed the hollow center. It formed quite slowly and disappeared the same way. This scene was much the same as the dust whirlwinds on the land, only much higher and made of water. —Wahuku Times.

Beliefs Concerning Friday.
Americans haven't got around to the point of view of the ancient Scandinavians, who called "Frigid deng" the day of the Goddess Frigga, or Freyja, the luckiest day of the week; but they are getting more like the Moslems, whose conviction that the sixth day of the week is a pretty average day, after all, is expressed in their belief that it was on Friday that Adam was created, entered paradise, was expelled, repented and died, and that on Friday will come the day of resurrection.

To Rescue Drowning Person.
As soon as a drowning man begins to lose his recollection he gradually slackens his hold until he quits altogether. A rescuer should be careful to avoid being grasped, however. The safest method of approach is at the head. Grasp the struggler by the hair, turning him on his back. Then throw yourself on your back and swim, holding the man by his hair, his back to your stomach.

"The Vicious Circle."
Most people conclude that this phrase, which we hear so often nowadays, is of recent origin, but Amiel, the Swiss philosopher, who died in 1881, said, "I turn in a vicious circle." There is also evidence that the phrase was in use as long ago as 1792, so we have not even the comfort of a new discovery.

Eye of the Ostrich.
The ostrich's eye is as large as an ordinary marble. He has microscopic vision and can see the most minute particle. The eyelid does not move over the eye. Instead there is a film which flashes across it from time to time, somewhat like the shutter of a camera.

Gasoline Vs. the Rod.
The old-fashioned father who used to whip his son for a violation of the rules of the house has a new method of punishment. He locks the garage. —Los Angeles Times.

This Season's Tasteful Coats



TAKING the coats of this season altogether, they are tastefully designed and it is not a hard matter to make a good selection among them. One might almost pick at random and still be reasonably sure of getting a long, full, straight-hanging garment, that it is easy to wear becomingly. The points to keep in mind in order to make a successful choice, are—the sort of wear required, and the suitability of the coat to these requirements. Having settled these matters the choice is narrowed to a certain character of garment. Then it remains to pick out one that suits the individual taste and it will prove a joy as long as it lasts.

One of the coats pictured here is a very handsome, long, full, straight model. It has a very wide shawl collar and deep shaped cuffs of Hudson seal and for further ornament, large barrel-shaped buttons that are placed at the end of double rows of cord set in the material. A very low waistline is defined at the sides by rows of machine stitching, finished with arrow heads. These details of finishing, with the luxurious collar and cuffs, place

this coat in the class of rich and distinctive garments. Its wearers will feel well dressed in it, which is the first essential toward looking well dressed in it.

Another elegant model relies on fine tailoring and embroidery to give it tone; for good material is taken for granted in coats. This coat has a deep cape-collared gathered about the neck, large coat sleeves provided with cuffs and deep inverted plaits at the sides. Two more plaits at the back form a center panel which is enriched by embroidery and embroidery is placed to the very best advantage on the collar.

Either of these coats is as handsome a garment as any one could wish and they are altogether different. In making a selection the thing is to suit the coat to the wearer.

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High School Notes

Contributed by 7th and 8th Grades

This week is better speech week. Last Thursday morning the periods were shortened and the three lower grades were excused at 11:30 while Mrs. Shesler talked to the higher grades on better speech which was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present. She made her speech very vivid by reciting a poem. The periods were also shortened in the afternoon and the three higher grades were excused while Mrs. Holtgren talked to the 7th, 8th and 9th grades on the same subject which also proved to be very interesting and was enjoyed by all the pupils. They passed tags that said, "Watch Your Speech," a reminder and everyone in the school had one of these. They also asked the teachers who taught English class to have each pupil write a theme on "Why do we need Good English?"; "Good English as a Business Asset"; "Speech in our Nation"; and "Language in America." The teachers were to select the three best one and then that person will receive a certificate. In the 7th grade they were Rosa Gordon, Kenneth Tilly and James Reed. In the 8th grade there were Marie Bright, Dorothy Adler and Jennette Shier. In the 9th there were Vila Nakei, Clarence Russell and Frieda Montgomery and Griffith Harshman. In the tenth, John Dyer, Lyle Vosberg and Bertha Peterson, in the eleventh Eunice Berkley, Harriet Doty and Evelyn Patterson. In the twelfth grade the three best papers were written by Myrtle Van Wee, Klea Schoonmaker and Mabel Montgomery.

Vera Sowers was chairman of the Junior assembly last week and Claud Bartle was secretary. The program opened with the song, "Smile, Smile, Smile." Readings were given by Ralph Atlee, Albert Westling, Clarence Pratt, Valentine Cummings and Harold Durham. A dialogue was presented by Zella Fisher and Dorothy Adler. Oliver Patterson gave a vocal solo and the assembly closed by singing "The Loyalty Song."

Mabel Montgomery served as chairman of the Senior assembly. The opening number was "Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag." The program consisted of reports by Rhea Saul, Charlie Kellogg and Carroll Swanson and a piano solo by Frieda Kohn. Assembly closed by singing "On the Road to Home Sweet Home."

Mr. Hood, the teacher of manual training, has his room in Zeller's garage north of the high school. The first down to the manual training room are Donald Fulcher and Clarence Pratt. Oliver Patterson is the last one. Some of the boys lost their boards at Manual training. Donald Rankin put his name on his and said, "Do not take." Oliver Patterson is making a tabouret and is making slow progress without Mr. Hood's assistance. Oliver's tabouret looks so good to the other boys that they are making one themselves.

Junior: "Where did you get that tie pin?"

Freshie: "Chicago."
Junior: "Is it a real diamond?"
Freshie: "If it isn't, I'm out \$10."

What! We heard it was against the Sophomore's religion to give parties.

A fire was discovered in the furnace last Thursday and the alarm was given. The pupils were soon out. Mr. Moore believes he could throw

them out as fast as they went out. Let him throw out Pete, Bus and Corsie.

I hear the Freshy Algebra class is shierking but Kenneth really is.

Did you ever lose your storage battery in the middle of the road. Ask Lyle Vosberg to tell about his.

Rhea Saul is very popular in school. At least Harry thinks so.

Miss Skinner seems to think it impossible for Harriet to ever learn to sew anything without ripping ¾ of it.

Lois figured out in Algebra that if a boy was 28 years old, his father was 29 years old. "Well, he could be his step-father, couldn't he?" she asked in self-defense.

Miss Skinner has a new occupation. Anyone going down in the basement this week would find her busy fixing sewing machines with a hammer large enough to batter a steam engine.

The 7th and 8th grade Latin is doing very well. But there's chance for improvement as Simia longus can't est alba. —Oh! Absolutely.

Mr. Hood gave Oliver Patterson "B" for helping Oliver with his coat hanger.

Russell Lingren said he was going to take private Aegbra lessons at night. Russell claims that Mrs. Snyder is too hard for him.

Orange Blossoms and Brides.

Various theories have been given regarding the use of orange blossoms as bridal ornaments. The custom is supposed to have been brought to Europe by the Crusaders from the East, the Saracen brides being accustomed to wear orange wreaths at their marriage. To this objection was raised that although the orange tree was brought to England as early as 1290, it was long before there was any real cultivation of it even in greenhouses. A second theory is that orange blossoms came to be worn by brides on their marriage because they were not only scented but also were rare and costly, and so within the reach of only the noble and rich, that indicating the bride had to be of high rank. A third is that orange bridal wreaths had their origin in Spain, where oranges have been cultivated for centuries. Thence the fashion passed to France, and by means of French millinery was spread to other lands.

Fish Comfortable Under Ice.

By the way, says a writer in the Kansas City Star, the water never gets colder than about 39 degrees, below the ice. So no matter how cold the day, and no matter how thick the ice upon the stream or lake, the fishes are enjoying a temperature of about 39 degrees, and they move about in the water and gather supplies very well at that temperature. Through the clear ice one may see fish with their backs against it, where the temperature must be 32 degrees, and if you strike the ice immediately above them with the back of an ax, or a sledge hammer, you will kill the fish. The concussion does the business and the fish will turn up its white belly against the ice. A dead fish floats with its belly upward, always. It is a common enough thing in some regions for boys to kill fish through the ice, and then to cut a hole and get them out.

Hysterical Somnolence.

A youth of nineteen who since early childhood had been liable to drop off to sleep at any time and without any feeling of fatigue is described by Dr. H. Carlill in the Lancet (London). He was perfectly normal and Doctor Carlill became convinced that the attacks were hysterical and self-suggested; in other words that he hypnotized himself. They told him his attacks were due to a thickened spot on his skull, and cured him by cutting out a tiny piece of bone and letting him handle it.

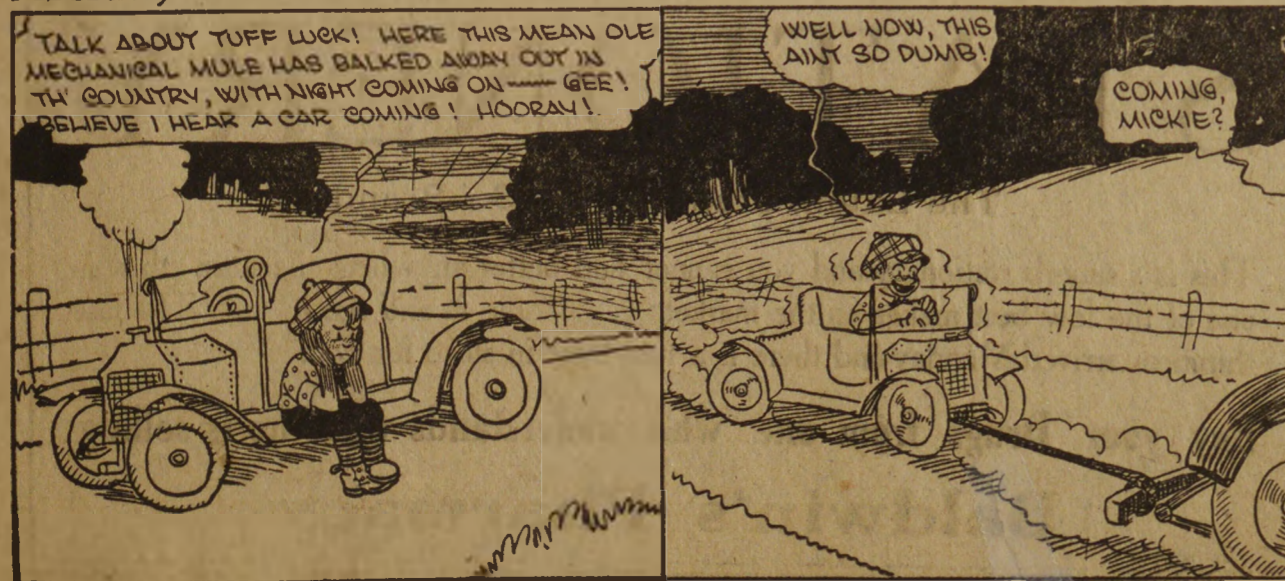
Unwoven Persian Rugs.

The author of a book called "When I Was a Boy in Persia" says that certain rugs used in Persian houses have not yet found a place in the American market. These are large felt carpets called lumta. They are made, not by weaving, but by beating the wool together and then pressing it. They are very thick, warm and noiseless, with red, cream and white borders, and with a field dotted with red, black, white, green, blue and golden circles of wool—quite a Joseph's coat in color.—The Outlook.

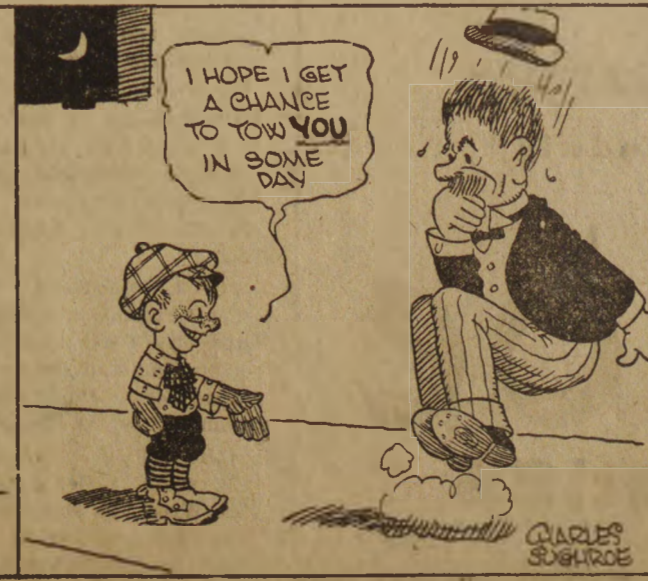
The largest in the United States, near the Snake river canyon, Idaho, springs in the world and Madrid Springs in south France is the largest. Probably the fountain de Vichy is the largest in France.

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

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The Boy Meant Well



Wheel's Progression.
The use of the wheel goes back to the dark ages. The first wheels were made of solid blocks of wood cut from the trunks of trees. Many changes were made before the modern wheel was evolved.

Australians Letter Writers.
Australians are by far the most prolific letter writers in the world. They average 150 letters per head each year, as against an average of 80 for the people of the United States and Canada.

GRAND THEATRE PROGRAM

Nov. 13—"The Avalanche" Elsie Ferguson.

SHOWS BEGIN AT 8:00 p. m.

Read the Want ads today

Miss Irma Perkins was a Rockford visitor Tuesday.

Wm. Rebeck and family have moved to Cortland.

Merrill Lott was out from Evanston over Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Hutchison was a week-end guest of Elgin friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Watson and sons were Huntley visitors Sunday.

Mrs. R. H. Browne visited with Mrs. Beattie Beardsley over Saturday.

A. J. Kohn is attending a telephone convention at Springfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Patterson entertained the H. B. club Monday night.

The P. E. O. Sisterhood met with Mrs. Cora Schoonmaker Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buck of DeKalb were Sunday guests at the Walter Buck home.

Mrs. C. A. Stewart a daughter, Alice, of Chicago, are visiting relatives in this city.

Ed. Wright of Saybrook visited his niece, Mrs. Ralph Patterson, the fore part of the week.

Robert Furr returned to Genoa Tuesday after spending several months in the west.

Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Mrs. R. B. Field and son, Donald, were Rockford visitors Monday.

Ralph Browne is in Chicago this week selecting Christmas stock for the E. H. Browne store.

Dr. A. M. Hill returned from the hospital last week, fully recovered and feeling as good as new.

C. J. Bevan and Ralph Browne attended the Chicago Illinois football game in Chicago Saturday.

Do not subscribe for a magazine or periodical through a stranger. Leave your order with E. H. Browne.

The delicious home made candy at the Genoa candy Kitchen is meeting with favor. It is pure and always fresh.

Misses Gertrude and Elma Hemenway were week-end guests of their sister, Mrs. Marie Evans of Charter Grove.

The Jolly Eight club members played five hundred at the home of Mrs. Cora Danforth Thursday afternoon of this week.

I will take your subscription for any magazine or periodical published in the world. Call and see the list E. H. Browne.

If you wish to subscribe for a magazine as a Christmas gift for someone, now is the time to leave your order with E. H. Browne.

Mrs. Smith, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. J. Bevan, for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Chicago, Tuesday.

H. B. Rowen of Kirkland was in Genoa Wednesday and drove home in a beautiful new Buick coupe, purchased from the Loptien agency.

Mrs. Randolph, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Whitney, and other relatives, returned to her home in Salt Lake City this week.

Robert Junior, the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Tilly, passed away Tuesday. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon of this week.

Mr. Knapp, father of Mrs. S. T. Zeller of this city, passed away at his home in Ashton Sunday, after a long illness. Funeral services were held Wednesday.

James Prutzman was in town last week passing out the smokes. It was a boy, arrived at the Prutzman home in Elgin, Sunday, Oct. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Edsall are entertaining their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Witwere of California. Mrs. Witwere expects to spend the winter with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith of River Forest were in Genoa over Sunday. The former's father, C. H. Smith, accompanied them on the return trip and will spend the winter in River Forest.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Wylde, at Los Angeles, Calif., Thursday, Nov. 4, a son, weighing eight pounds and two ounces. The new arrival has been named James Wilber.

The Genoa Piano Manufacturing Co. shipped a car load of Gerhard phonographs to Hachfield & Son, San Francisco, this week, this being the largest single shipment made thus far.

C. M. Corson and sister, Mrs. Caroline Williams and Albion Duval visited Mrs. Clara Piper at Rest Haven Sanitarium in Elgin Sunday. They found Mrs. Piper fully recovered from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wren of Chana, Ill. were in Genoa last Saturday. Mr. Wren was employed in the Genoa shoe factory years ago. In later years he conducted a general store at Chana, selling the place last year.

Mesdames A. G. Stewart and C. J. Bevan were hostesses to the members of the Thimble club, at the home of the latter, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Bevan's mother of Chicago and Mrs. Caroline Richardson were guests.

Della Rebecca Lodge held initiation Friday evening. Mrs. Radley White and Miss Pearl Russell were the candidates, and the work was well carried out by the officers. The drill team especially merits much praise. A short program and refreshments followed the work.

T. F. Sholes of Cedar Rapids, Ia., called in Genoa Tuesday. Mr. Sholes and the editor were classmates, graduating from high school in 1891. He later learned the printer's trade, but is now in the contracting business. For some time he was employed in Genoa.

A pitiful tragedy occurred Sunday about five miles northwest of Fairdale when three young men from Rockford were hunting. One, an ex-soldier, Booth by name, was almost instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his gun. He was a sharp shooter in the world war and leaves a wife and an eight months old child. He was twice cited for bravery over there, and had been gassed and also wounded. He had two gold medals with him when killed.

In a head-on collision of automobiles at the Olmstead school corner, east of Genoa last Thursday evening, Maynard Corson's daughter was thrown thru the windshield of the Corson car and sustained several severe, tho not serious cuts about the throat. The other car was driven by Herman Strack. It is alleged that he had no head lights and was on the wrong side of the road at the corner. At the best this corner is a dangerous place and the road should be widened.

WEIGHT MATTER OF MOMENT

These Two Bridegrooms Could Hardly Have Wished Their Loved Ones to Be Less Plump.

In the romance of Boston history is to be found a story which tells of the dowry Capt. John Hull, master of the mint in the early days of Massachusetts, gave his daughter Hannah when she was married. The story runs that her father asked her, after the ceremony, to stand on one side of a scale while he placed bags of Pine Tree shillings on the other, until the scales balanced. The coins then went to the daughter as a dowry. Hannah Hull became the wife of Judge Samuel Sewall, afterwards chief justice of the province and head of one of the most noted families of New England.

There is a tradition that Joseph Richardson, an eminent Philadelphia merchant, went still further in the following century in estimating the worth of his daughter Sarah when she was to become a bride. Nicholas Wain won the hand of Richardson's daughter a few years before the Revolution, whereupon Richardson said that he would not only say that Sarah was "worth her weight in gold," but would actually bestow the precious metal upon her to that equivalent. Instead of placing silver coins on scales, as in the case of Captain Hull, Richardson rated on a higher scale of value, using gold instead.

HIGH SPOT OF ADVENTURE

Pacific Coast Has for Many Years Been the "Hunting Ground" of Gentlemen Adventurers.

The Pacific coast seems to be favored of the "gentleman adventurer," for one, a Scot, has given a great collection of South Sea relics, arms, armor and utensils to the University of British Columbia at Vancouver. The other, an American, a veteran of the regular army who has seen much service in the army and out of it, has given a Boxer flag to the Golden Gate Memorial museum at San Francisco. Both loved the open, the stir of arms and the savor of strange places. The Boxer flag brings up what today is almost ancient history; the siege of the legations, the coming of the occidental troops and the perils and sufferings of the men and women in that siege, have furnished novelists and writers of stories with much "stuff." The South sea and its vast stretches have had the same lure for the adventurous, and now in their respective resting places these relics and trophies are there to show what two strong men of other lands found and kept. When we say that the Boxer flag was with its owner through St. Michel, the Meuse and the Argonne combats, and at Ypres, we have let an Odyssey describe itself.

Significant Borders.

On certain fete days in some parts of Brittany the marriageable girls appear in red petticoats with white or yellow borders around them. The number of borders denote the portion the father is willing to give his daughter. Each white band denotes 100 francs per annum; each yellow band represents 1,000 francs a year.

Modern Girl.

A Clay Center physician sent the office girl out to do collecting, according to the Dispatch. She was back in less than an hour with a ring, a marriage certificate, a man, and \$1. all of which she had collected.—Kansas City Star.

GOLDEN STAR CHAPTER

Will Entertain Worthy Grand Matron Friday Evening

Golden Star Chapter, No. 359, O. E. S. will entertain Mrs. Grace M. Stelery of Bloomington, Worthy Grand Matron of Eastern Star of Illinois Friday evening of this week. The Worthy Matrons, Associate Matrons, Worthy Patrons, Conductresses and Associate Conductresses, Secretaries and the Treasurers of the Kirkland, Kingston, Hampshire and Sycamore lodges will also be guests. The degrees will be conferred upon three candidates.

BASKET SOCIAL

A basket social will be held at the Arbuckle school, located on the Cherry Valley road, Friday evening, Nov. 12. Everyone welcome. Zella Morehouse, teacher

Saw it on the Way.

Billie was soon to have his third birthday and could hardly wait for the party his mother promised him. Every day he inquired about it. His mother told him his little birthday hadn't come yet and that he must wait until it came. He ran to the window and said: "Oh, mamma, I see it now coming up the road."

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Old-fashioned Turkish physicians have plenty of remedies for cholera. An agate in the pocket and a hyacinth worn near the neck are much esteemed, but the bone of a dead child carried in the pocket is regarded as nearly as efficacious.

Evolution of the Harp.
The modern harp has been evolved from types found among the Egyptians, Assyrians, Hebrews and various Celtic nations. No doubt the harp originated in the archery of olden times, and the twang of the released bow string.

Lasting Qualities of Cedar.
A grave marker dug up near Seattle disclosed a remarkable testimonial to the durability of Washington red cedar says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington. The date of death was December 30, 1808. The marker remained in almost perfect state of preservation.

Bowling Green History.
In 1732 Bowling Green (517 acres) in New York city was ordered fenced in. It was leased at one peppercorn a year for 11 years to three citizens for a private bowling green, the lease being renewed for a second 11 years at 20 shillings per annum.—Automobile Blue Book.

Diet and Energy
The Salvation Army acquires new merit, just as we thought all had been said, when we learn that half of a doughnut will provide lifting power to carry a man to the top of the Washington monument (a climb of 555 feet), and six walnuts will do the same, while three medium-sized olives will see you comfortably half a mile on your way. A single caramel, says a discouraging article in the American Journal of Medicine, supplies energy for a mile's constitutional. Think of the mistaken picnic luncheons that have been laboriously carried in the past. Reflect that six olives and six caramels are all you need to supply steam for a seven-mile walk, and think how casually these can be eaten sitting over a supper table.

A Fair Guesa.
Teacher—In what battle did Gen. Wolfe, when hearing of victory, cry, "I die happy?"
Johnny—I think it was his last battle.—Boston Transcript.

The Goddess Vesta.
Vesta was the goddess of the home and fire, and her temple was the oldest in Rome. It contained no image of the goddess, but had a fire which was rekindled by friction on the Roman New Year and attended constantly by the vestal virgins.

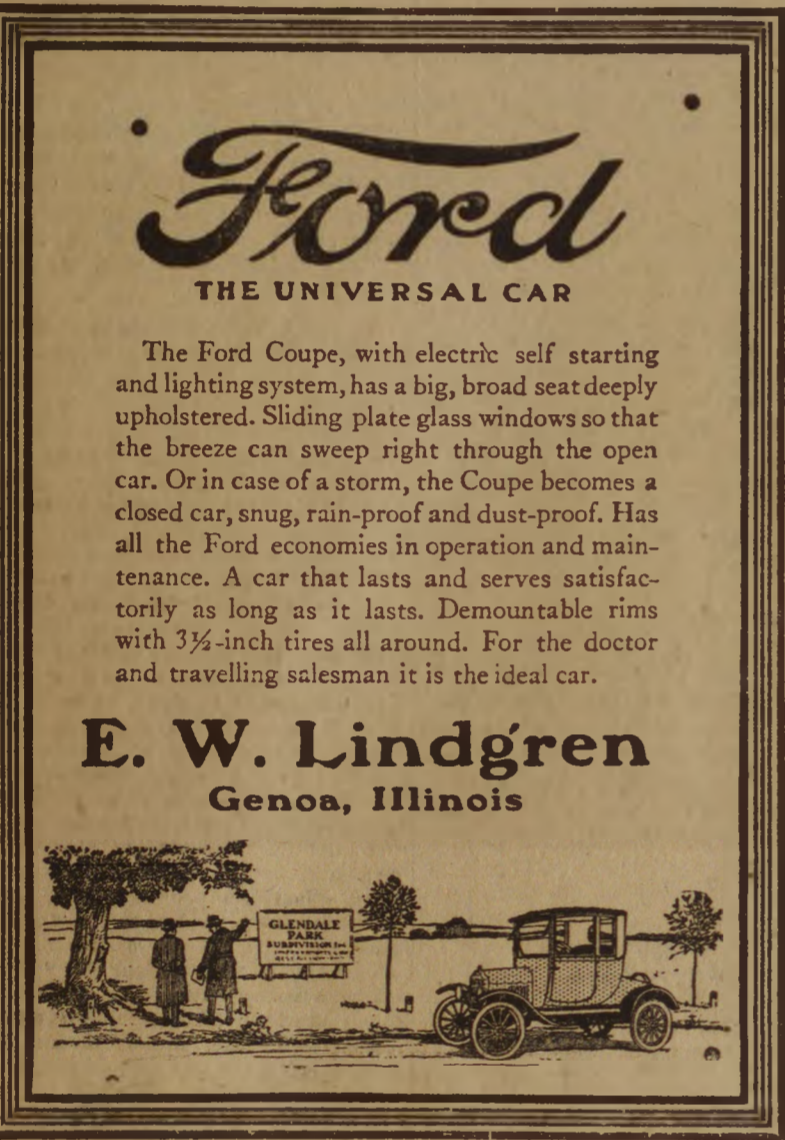
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On these cold and frosty mornings when you would rather stay in bed but friend wife calls you to breakfast and you go out in the dining room and see a plate of steaming cakes with maple syrup an' everything; "Aint it a g-r-a-n-d and g-l-o-r-i-o-u-s feelin'."

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Bill Thompson says "We did it" Nay, nay, Bill, the league of nations and its sponsors did it. Much as we would like to, we do not even assume that Harding caused the landslide in Illinois.

Judge Kenesaw Landis has been offered \$50,000.00 a year to head the board of control of the proposed new base ball league. Why Landis? Because he has always been known as one who at every stage of the game has the courage of his convictions.

OH! H - L!
Loungers in a San Francisco hotel gasped when they beheld the stockless legs of Viola Weller, dyed a deep henna hue and ornamented with

a musical note in silver and a keen little dagger. Miss Weller explained that she had taken up the French fad of dyed stockingless lower limbs and in addition had added the musical note to signify her profession, that of a singer. As for the dagger, Miss Weller says that "may be considered a warning against too prying eyes."

The Republican has no comment to make regarding this latest fad than that expressed in the above heading. "A warning against too prying eyes." Oh, h - l!

WITHOUT THE COMMISSION
Governor-elect Small has pledged to oust the Public Utilities Commission. Do you want it ousted? Here are a few advantages of being at the mercy of the unregulated public utilities: There will be no restraint on telephone companies in raising their rates. If we do not like the company's methods we can let in another company. Fine! Two telephones on our desk then. The same may be said of electric light and power companies.

Yes, you say, but we will not patronize the old company when the new one starts operations. Is that so? The very day that the new company

starts operations, the old one cuts rates and the saving of the dollar will knock sky high the very principle for which the community had been fighting. The outcome will be two companies fighting for patronage and neither one giving real service. This condition was evident thruout the state when the Bell telephone people were fighting the local plants. We had two phones on our desk and could get no real service from either one. The Public Utilities commission has prevented this condition arising in late years. Can anyone doubt that utility rates would not have been doubled during the past four years, had it not been for the restraining hands of the commission? Some rates have been raised. Can any one imagine that those rates will ever be lowered to normal without the order of a commission? Think it over.

APPLAUSE IN CHURCH
The writer went to church Sunday evening and heard a ripping good sermon or address, and occasionally th writer heartily applauded. No one seemed to object to this because the act of clapping hands was all in the mind. So the preacher never knew whether he was pleasing his audience or not. He never knew whether once he struck a responsive cord in the hearts of the people before him. There was a day when the preacher at least could hear an occasional "amen" in approval, but it seems that the amen custom has petered out. We may not be up to the minute in church going behavior, but honestly we cannot see why it would not be perfectly right and proper to show appreciation in some manner. It may be that clapping hands in church would be called sacrilegious. It would be admissible to shout "amen," but the word would not always fit the case. Whether the preacher made a statement of facts, brought out some point in the negative or affirmative sense, or merely enthused his audience with a flow of oratory, applause would show him that he was hitting home. As it is, the preacher studiously prepares a sermon, spending hours in its preparation, he delivers it to his congregation, every member of which wears an expressionless expression on his or her face, he goes home and wonders whether his words have been appreciated, or whether they have reached any responsive cord or touched any heart. These are times during all good sermons when one would like to express his appreciation, but as a usual thing that person forgets to mention the fact to the preacher after services.

BIBLICAL INFORMATION.
The Lookout prints the following information about the Bible: "The Bible contains 3,596,480 letters; 810,697 words, 31,175 verses, 1,189 chapters, 66 books. The longest chapter is Psalm 119, and the shortest is Psalm 117. This is also the middle chapter. The middle verse, however, is Psalm 118:8. The longest name is in Isaiah chapter 8."

THE CABINET
And now the Chicago Tribune is suggesting whom Mr. Harding shall have in his cabinet, while Bill Thompson is announcing the names of those who will not be acceptable to him, and Governor Lowden, of course, is on the Thompson black list. Perhaps Mr. Harding will have something to say about the matter himself. The Republican will be disappointed and utterly peeved if the new president attempts to pay campaign obligations by appointing any man to the cabinet, simply because he was a leader in the recent political fight. Perhaps Mr. Lowden is entitled to something, in fact it would please his friends to see him in the cabinet, but not as The Tribune suggests, as secretary of the treasury. Mr. Lowden controls big money, but he is not a banker. The best posted man in finance in the country should be secretary of the treasury. Mr. Lowden could fill the office of secretary of state or secretary of agriculture. It may be that Mr. Harding will consider him a better man as manager of the farm down in Ogle county. The Republican is a Republican paper, as the name implies, but Republican only to a degree that will help the nation. The best men available should fill the cabinet, regardless of party affiliation. They do not make laws but do assist in executing them. We want no mayor of a second class city as secretary of war, but a man who knows the army. Appointing Carter Glass as secretary of the treasury was about as consistent as making the writer president of a wall street bank.

The secretary of labor should be a man who knows labor conditions, from the status of the man who handles the pick to that of the biggest employer of labor. The postmaster general should be a man who knows the mail business and can readily understand conditions surrounding the clerk in the smallest post office as well as affairs in the office of the highest chief railway mail clerk. The secretary of the navy must be a man who knows a row boat and the common sailors that man the oars, as well as being able to meet on common ground the most efficient of our highest naval officers.

Hotel Kitchen Occupies Acre.
The kitchen of one of the big hotels in New York is an acre in extent.

BIGGEST OF EARTH'S VALLEYS

Giant Crack in Surface Extends Over One-Sixth of the Circumference of the World.

The Great Rift valley, as it is called by Prof. J. W. Gregory, extends over one-sixth of the circumference of the earth, remarks the London Times.

It begins in Lebanon, follows the canyon of the Jordan and the Dead sea and crosses a high "divide" to become the deep fjord of the Gulf of Akaba between the highland of Edom and Sinal. The Red sea, a great trough 11,000 feet deep, measured from the summit of its rocky wall to the sea bottom, continues it between the high deserts of Nubia and Arabia to the narrow neck of Bab-el-Mandeb. It strikes across Abyssinia to Lake Rudolph, runs almost due south through British East Africa and traverses a range 7,000 feet high to Lake Natron. In what was German East Africa. Where it crosses the Uganda railway its walls are so steep that the trains used to be hauled up or lowered by cables. It is continued by the rift which holds Lake Nyasa, an inland ocean, whose surface is 1,600 feet above sea level, with a depth of 700 feet below sea level.

From Nyasa it runs down the Shriv valley, crosses the Zambesi and ends in the Indian ocean at the Sabi river in Guazaland. A minor branch forms the lower end and a gigantic arm stretches from the upper end of Nyasa through Tanganyika, the second deepest lake in the world, its bottom 1,600 feet below sea level, to the upper Nile.

We are accustomed to think of valleys as having been formed by erosion, but the Rift valley is clearly the result of some more catastrophic agency. There have been differences of opinion as to the mode of its formation within the historical period. But the discovery of fossil mammals, of types long extinct, makes it impossible to regard the foundering of the Dead sea as coincident with the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah.

Back to its Roost Nightly.
Although sometimes seen 400 leagues from land, the frigate bird is said to return every night to its solitary roost.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Wants, For Sale, Etc.

Ads in this column 5c a line per week; minimum charge 25 cents

For Sale
FOR SALE—50 Pure blood Rose combe brown Leghorn yearling hens, also 4 Cockerels. C. Holm P. O. Box 381, Genoa, Ill. 51-1f.

Lands and City Property
FOR SALE—Pole and cordwood. James Brooks and Mike Ludwig, Kingston, Ill. 51-1f.

CABBAGE FOR SALE—Dannish Ball Head; any quantity; excellent keepers. One mile north of Kingston, P. G. White. Phone Genoa 913-02 or Kingston 24. 51-1f.

FOR SALE—1915 Paige touring car, in good condition. Will sell at a bargain. G. E. Stott, Genoa. 42-1f.

FOR SALE—Used cars. Inquire at B & G Garage, Genoa, Ill. 36-1f.

FOR SALE—Good used Ford Cars. E. W. Lindgren, Genoa, Ill. 23-1f.

Live Stock

FOR SALE—Ploto's Poland China boars. Five best herd leaders, sired by Hartman choice, No. 298537, Dam No. 889396. Prices right. Phone 902-02 or call and see them. Fred Ploto Jr. Genoa, Ill. 25-1*

The Want Adds for Quick Results.

Fifty-Fifty.
Little Homer, while out walking with his mother one day, cried for candy. She bought some, but didn't give him the bag. When he cried again she said: "Homer, who paid for it?" He replied: "Who cried for it?"

Travels of the Potato.
It is believed that potatoes were first grown in South America and that the Spaniards took them back to Europe when they overran Peru. Potatoes were later introduced to Italy, France, England, Ireland and to North America, in the order named.

Stand-Patter.
This expression originated from "stand pat," a poker term used by a player to announce his intention to play cards originally dealt him without helping his hand by drawing cards. The term was first applied as political slang by Mark Hanna, in 1902, to indicate the attitude on the tariff question of leaders of the Republican party.

FOR SALE—Big type Poland China boars, weight 259 lbs., priced at \$50. Hartman & Muhr, 1/2 mile north of New Lebanon, P. O. Hampshire, Ill. 2-1f.

FOR SALE—Residence corner First and State streets. Bargain. Inquire Mrs. A. Wesling.*

FOR SALE—6 room house in first class condition with good barn and 1/2 acre of ground with all kinds of fruit. Inquire of Margaret E. Frazier. 1-41.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS—Have sold out my garage and business, am going to California, and desire to close out immediately my real estate holdings. I have two modern houses and several vacant lots which I will sell below actual value. Expect to leave Genoa by November 1. J. A. Patterson. P. O. box 334. Phone 22 50-1f.

FOR SALE—Modern improved house on East Main street, Genoa. Inquire of Dr. J. D. Corson, executor, Leaf River, Ill. 42-1f.

FOR SALE—8 room house with furnace, bath and electric lights, fine condition, location Jackson St. Inquire of Mrs. Barcus or write D. F. Crowley, Addison, Ill. 34-1f.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Telephone No. 142, Genoa, 3-1f

FOR SALE—Eight residence properties, at anywhere from \$600.00 to \$6,000.00, according to location and improvements. Some of these ought to fit and suit you if you want any. D. S. Brown. 35-1f

FOR SALE—House on Second street, Genoa, with two acres of ground. Six rooms, good barn and chicken house, Henry Merritt, Genoa. 2-41.

FOR SALE—Several local farms, all sizes and all prices. Also some good city property, both business and residence. F. P. Renn. Genoa, Ill. 19-1f.

My apartment building on Sycamore street. First floor contains five rooms and a bath, second floor has 4 rooms and a bath. Inquire of G. H. Martin, Genoa, Illinois. 15-1f

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

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KINGSTON NEWS

Mrs. Ralph Ort entertained the Kilkare club of Genoa Friday evening.

Miss Daisy Allen of Kirkland is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bozzy.

Mrs. C. G. Chelgreen and daughter, Leona, were shopping in Elgin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis of Kirkland were calling on friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Koch entertained the former's parents of Hampshire over Sunday.

There was no school last Friday as the teachers attended the institute at Aurora.

A girl was welcomed to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sexaner Thursday, Nov. 4.

Gerald, Gilbert and Raymond Heisdon of Belvidere were the week-end guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bozzy have moved from the Frank Carlson house into the G. A. R. building.

Mrs. Stuart Shrader entertained the Thimble club at her home south of town Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Susan Stark visited one day last week with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Burbank near Sycamore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bradford and son, Marion, spent Saturday with the former's mother, Mrs. Solan Ashcraft in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sternberg and two children spent Sunday in Aurora with Mrs. Sternberg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlow.

The Ladies of the M. E. Aid Society will give a dinner in the church basement next Thursday, Nov. 13. In the afternoon, Miss Stuart of the Normal school faculty will talk on home dress making. Everybody welcome.

My record speaks for itself. Ask those who have engaged my services in the past. Am well acquainted with values of live stock and machinery and give the best there is in me at every sale. If you intend to have a sale this season, call me by phone or drop me a line and I will call on you.

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Beyond Temptation.
Junior, who is quite a mischief, was left in the kitchen alone while baby was being put to bed. A few minutes later he was discovered, with a toy in his little fist, up on top of the kitchen cabinet. When asked what he was doing, he said: "I'm putting this up where I can't get it."

The White House.
John Adams was the first president to occupy the White House, in 1800. In those days it was gray, having been built of Virginia free stone. After the British burned it in 1814, white paint was used to cover the marks of the fire, and since that time this paint has been renewed regularly. The White House grounds within the iron fence contain 18 acres, while the adjoining White House lot has 70 acres.

Mary Magdalene.
It is a fairly general opinion that Mary Magdalene derived her name from the town of Magdala, to which she belonged. Some scholars think that they have found her name in an old Hebrew root, and from that derivation they call her Mary of the embroidered hair. Nobody really knows why she was called Magdalene; but she is described in the Gospels as that woman out of whom Jesus Christ cast seven devils. There is no scriptural reason for identifying her with a woman of light character.

HANGS HIMSELF
Christ Glehler, a Moriden township farmer, aged 60 years, hung himself in his barn northwest of Earlville last Wednesday night. His body was found early the next morning by his sister, Miss Lena Glehler, who keeps house for him.

EX-SHERIFF'S DAUGHTER
Adelbert Slaymaker and Miss Lola Hohm, daughter of Dan Hohm, former sheriff of DeKalb county, were married at three o'clock last Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hohm, near Kirkland and Rev. F. L. Hanscom officiated. Only the members of the two families were present.

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A HOME

By MARY WINIFRED FORD.

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"Good luck, Tom. I only wish it were possible for me to leave the sultry city behind and take the path to God's own land," and Jerry Barton shook hands with Tom Ranger, the best-hearted boy in all Newbury town—at least the whole town would tell you that had you asked about Tom Ranger.

Tom was an engineer on train No. 155. All the children in Newbury raced down to Ingalls Crossing every afternoon after school to see the No. 155 flying by and to wave to their beloved "Mr. Tom." Tom always had a smile for every one, but today his heart was heavy and sad. The smile had left his eyes and his lips quivered as the train sped on its way to Ellis Falls. This time Tom was on a different mission—it was not his old No. 155 he was running, just sitting with the other passengers deep in thought.

He had just buried his best friend—his mother. It was her last request that he would take care of her childhood home in Ellis Falls. Before her death she had put it into a real estate agent's hands. Why, Tom never knew; in fact, never knew she had thought of selling the little home she had known and loved since childhood. He had worked in the city, coming home once a month to that little house at Ellis Falls where over the week end he would find a peace too sweet to define. Now he was going to fight to get that house back.

"Poor little mother. She couldn't have been in her right mind to sell the place we loved—the home we would never part with!"

"Pardon, I have made a mistake. I thought I was in Mr. Hammond's office—the real estate."

"Please be seated. I am M. Hammond but not a 'Mr.' as you can readily see." And the girl sitting at the desk near the door where Tom was standing continued writing.

"But—but—"

"At this moment the girl laughed heartily.

"Please don't look as though you don't credit my statement. I assure you I am M. Hammond, the real estate—well, shall I say agentess, or what?"

"Why, yes, I did sell that property to a Miss Marietta, a young girl who had lost all her own folks and wanted a nice, quiet place out in the country, so after I talked with your mother I decided I would sell it to one who would take good care of the place, as those were her last wishes, and this girl surely will take good care of your old home.

"But—but I must have that home—mother's home from infancy—my boyhood home!"

"I must see her—this girl who bought my home—tell me where I can locate her," he begged.

"She has gone away for a month, but if you will leave your address I promise I will do my utmost to persuade her to give up your old home."

Ten minutes later Tom was traveling back to the city.

True to Miss Hammond's word, Tom heard within a month's time:

"Dear Mr. Ranger—I wouldn't think of taking the only home you have ever known away from you, and your mother was my dearest friend. I spent many happy hours with her. Why, I took the house you will never know, but I am giving it back to you and hope you will be happy.

"MISS MARIETTA—"

The very next train out of Newbury carried Tom back to his childhood home—the girl had sent the key with the note. As he was about to fit the key to the door he noticed that it was ajar and he could hear someone moving around. He let himself in quietly and there before him was the real estate little lady enveloped in an apron with a duster in hand and humming softly as she dusted. She uttered an "Oh!" as she espied Tom in the doorway. Then because she didn't know what to do or how to escape she burst into tears.

"Why, Miss Hammond, I don't understand!" and Tom waited for an explanation.

"I didn't think you would come so soon and I just wanted to have everything ready and comfy—you see your mother loved me as dearly as I loved her. I came to see her quite often, but I would never allow her to talk of me to you. I had reasons of my own. She made me promise that I—that I—"

"Please go on, Miss Hammond. Anything that concerns, or concerned, mother; you don't know how—"

This time the tears fell fast as the girl answered.

"Well, she wanted me to keep the home for—for well for you and me, but I knew that was impossible, so I did think I could keep the home because I loved it. But now—I was trying to fix things up just as she would have done for you, and never let you know the truth; but I am Miss Marietta Hammond."

And picking up her coat, she rushed for the door.

But Tom, as she was talking to him and of his mother, felt a wonderful something come over him, and he defined it as "Love," as she was leaving.

"Don't—don't go, little girl—stay here and we'll take care of this little home together—you see we were both looking for a home."

And the little mother's wishes were fulfilled.

BOTH CHRISTIAN AND PAGAN

Rites of Mexican Festival Constitute One of the Strangest Mixtures Known to History.

Probably the strangest mixture of the ancient and the modern, and of Christian and pagan rites, which can be seen in the world today, is the annual Mexican festival of the "Matachines."

No white man can tell exactly what is the significance of this festival, which is celebrated in all parts of the Mexican republic every spring. Those who take part in it are typical Mexicans of Indian and Spanish blood, with some purebred Indians among them. The dances are much like the war and harvest dances of the Apaches, Comanches and other southwestern Indians, except that many of the dancers flourish swords, and wear by way of decoration, the tin tops of beer bottles.

The dancing is kept up for two or three days, and the ceremony ends with a dance about a great wooden cross which is set on a high hill near the town. This would seem to show a Christian influence, and it probably does, but the cross is known to have been sacred to ancient Aztecs. Indeed, this whole ceremony is undoubtedly one of Aztec origin, with Christian elements added.

This bewildering mixture of pagan and Christian religion is seen throughout the Southwest. The "Penitentes Hermanos" of Mexico and New Mexico are another example. On every Good Friday they whip themselves until the blood comes, as a penance, and crucify one of their number with ropes. These fanatics claim to be Christians, but their practices have been condemned by the church, and like the Matachines can be traced back to Aztec times.

NEWSPAPER HAD SHORT LIFE

"Public Occurrences" in 1690, Got Out One Issue, and Then the Authorities Suppressed It.

America's first newspaper, the Boston News-Letter, first published in 1704, on exhibition at the Massachusetts Historical society, marked the beginning of continuous journalism in the British colonies. Until 1704 the nearest approach to a newspaper in the everyday life of the colonies was the manuscript "news-letter," which was usually addressed by the writer to a governor or a leading clergyman, and was presumably shown around and the "news" further circulated by word of mouth.

An earlier effort than that of the Boston News-Letter to publish a newspaper in the colonies is on record in the attempt to publish Public Occurrences, in 1690. The introductory paragraph announced that "It is designed that the country shall be furnished once a month (or if any Glut of Occurrences happen, oftener) with an Account of such considerable things as have arrived unto our Notice." The "legislative authorities" of the time, however, found some "reflections of a very high nature" in its columns, and the Public Occurrences made no second appearance.

REALLY A CHAMELEON CITY

Barcelona Presents an Odd Mixture of the Past and Present—Once Center of Commerce.

Barcelona is the chameleon city of Spain. In some quarters of the city the streets are narrower and more crooked than those of old London, while in others are avenues, boulevards, shops and cafes which vie with those of Paris. The city has an aristocracy which lives so far in the past that its actions still deplore the discovery of America, according to a bulletin of the National Geographic society.

Until 1492 Barcelona was the New York of the Mediterranean. Columbus' voyage was considered a bit of impertinence on the part of the Castilian government to upset the balance of trade in favor of cities in western and southern Spain. As a result a movement swept the Catalan provinces, of which Barcelona is the center, for annexation to France, the revolt against Philip IV in 1640 resulting in the district giving itself over to French protection.

Catalonia's old allegiance, however, was renewed in 1652, four centuries later the resentment ameliorating enough to permit the placing of a statue of Christopher Columbus in the Rambla, Fifth avenue of Barcelona. After the Spanish-American war mobs of Barcelona citizens stoned and egged the explorer's statue "as punishment for having ventured to find so troublesome a new world for Spain."

BELONG TO HOLIDAY SEASON

Christmas Festivities Would Not Be Complete Without the Holly and the Mistletoe.

Several thousand tons of holly as well as hundreds of tons of mistletoe are shipped over the railroads each year before the opening of the holiday season. The mistletoe is placed in small packages because it is easy to break off the tiny white bells, and the plant is more rare and costly.

Holly abounds all over the world, over 100 species having been determined, but only 14 varieties are to be found in the United States. The finest American species of holly is the flex Opaca, but the mountain holly is also a choice variety. The English holly has a sturdier leaf, and a more vivid and lustrous green. The wood of the holly is very hard and smooth in the grain, and is almost equal to box-wood for engraving purposes, while its leaves are the emblem of forethought because of the protection given to the buds by the defensive thorns.

The holly, however, is not so highly prized for the Christmas season as the mistletoe, which is rare, delicate and beautiful and the source of many ancient Druidic legends. In the United States mistletoe is chiefly found in the southern states, while that used in England is chiefly produced in the orchards of Normandy. It is also the state flower of Oklahoma.

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As recently as last month—to be correct, it was the 18th of October, a time of year when one naturally looks for the "frost upon the pumpkin," and is inclined to wander through the woods in search of the ripened nuts, and admire the beautiful colorings that the autumn atmosphere has bestowed upon the leaves; when one goes to his closet, or maybe his pawnbroker, to find his heavy clothing—it was that I found myself the guest of a Western Canada housewife in her beautiful home on the outskirts of the pretty little town of Moosomin, Saskatchewan. The dinner! That's what Mrs. Wilde called it. I should have termed it a banquet. There were mallard duck, cooked to a turn, baked potatoes—and such big, mealy fellows they were, too—cauliflower—and say, did you ever taste one of those Western Canada cauliflower?—then dessert. What was the dessert? I can see it now. Strawberries, strawberries that had been plucked that morning. Help yourself to the cream—and it was cream that is cream. But what I wanted to write about was the strawberries picked on the 18th of October. As I ate, and turned my back while a second helping was placed in front of me, I could not but think how this goes to refute the once accepted idea that the climate of Western Canada is such that the ripening of strawberries at any season is one of the things that might be looked upon as next to impossible. Fortunately it is rapidly giving place to one which acknowledges that our sister nation to the north possesses a climate that makes it quite possible to develop and ripen strawberries even in October.

But there is more to add. On October 14, just a few days previous, Mr. A. B. Smith, near the same town, plucked a splendid mess of green corn from his garden. Near Rocaville, Saskatchewan, wild raspberries were plucked during the same week. The fact of ripening fruit at this date may seem of little moment, but when you are told that corn did not suffer from any varieties of weather, more attention may be paid to it. The question of Western Canada's climate is no longer the bugaboo it once was, and not so very long ago, either, when it caused thinking people to think, and unquestionably prevented many from going to Canada who under other conditions would have gone.

In various parts of this country, at different state and county fairs, the government of the Dominion of Canada, during the past few weeks, installed exhibits of the grains and grasses grown in Western Canada, and at the same time showed fruits and vegetables that were grown there. None of these was placed in competition with the home-grown article. But to judges and others there came the full understanding of what it would mean to the local exhibitor if they were. The Western Canadian—and many of the exhibits were grown by former Americans—does not lay claim to any special dispensation of intelligence in the matter of the culture of the articles placed on exhibition, but willingly gives credit to the soil, the climate, and such other indigenous conditions as the country as a whole possesses, as being factors that bring about the largest yield of the best of wheat, oats, barley, flax and rye, as well as vegetables. As is pointed out by the gentlemen in charge of these exhibits, and quite evident to all, the possibilities of growing vegetables and grain such as are shown can only exist where conditions such as have been mentioned exist.

In speaking of eating fresh strawberries and green corn in the middle of October I should not fail to refer to the beautiful bouquets that adorned the table, the sideboard, the window sills, and almost every other available vacant place in the room. Flowers—there were asters, phlox, gladioli, peonies, poppies, and I can't remember the names of them all, but they were there. Taken right from the garden, having a fragrance that gave the room tropical colors, and filled it with marvelously delightful perfumes. It was a very pretty sight. Then I went out into the garden and took a photo of it. It was simply wonderful. I asked the good lady how she managed it. She said she had always been fond of flowers. In her old home, in one of the central states, she carried on garden horticulture, and had been acknowledged successful. "But my," she said, "I never got such bloom, and such a variety as I do here." She admitted it was a lot of work, the watering the weeding, the hoeing, but such work was a pleasure.

Well, such is some of the life in Western Canada, and as I left the farm home I concluded that much of our surroundings are as we ourselves make them.—Advertisement.

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"What's the cause?" he blustered. "Is it because I occasionally fall off to sleep?"

"It's because you snore, and that awakens the minister," came the reply.—La Balonette (Paris).

Some men try to do others they are damned by.

"When was it laid out?" "About 1917."

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HIGH COURT HITS U. S. LIQUOR LAW

United States Supreme Tribunal Says Spirits Can Be Stored Anywhere.

MUST BE LAWFULLY ACQUIRED

Court Rules in Favor of Man With Stock for His Personal Consumption—Can Take Booze From Warehouse to Home.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Liquor lawfully acquired by a person for his personal use may be stored in a place other than his home under a ruling by the Supreme court.

The court's decision was an appeal brought by William G. Street of New York city from lower court decrees refusing an injunction prohibiting federal prohibition officers from seizing liquor which he had stored in a room leased from a safe deposit company.

The court declared congress did not intend to prohibit such storage when the liquor was lawfully acquired for a lawful purpose.

The decision was rendered by Associate Justice Clark.

The lower court, in upholding the portion of the enforcement act interpreted by prohibition enforcement officials as prohibiting storage except in the home, held that congress, under the police power delegated by the prohibition amendment, had authority to prohibit any transportation of liquors and that in order to reduce the necessity for transportation to a minimum, it had the power to legislate as to the places where liquor might lawfully be possessed.

Justice Clark also held that the transportation of lawfully acquired liquor from a warehouse to the home of the owner did not constitute "transportation" within the meaning of the enforcement act.

Commissioner Williams of the internal revenue bureau and Prohibition Commissioner Kramer declined to comment on the court's decision.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—The state search and seizure law, making it illegal to transfer liquor, is not invalidated by the Supreme court's ruling. Any lawfully acquired liquor can be stored or transported under the Volstead act, according to federal officials here. The chief consequence of the Supreme court's ruling will be that persons transporting liquor are now subject to arrest by the police only.

ROOT O. K.'S THE LEAGUE

Declares Any Deal Abandoning the Versailles Treaty Would Bring Chaos and Disaster.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The coolness between President-elect Harding and Ethel Root, which has silenced all talk of that eminent Republican being considered for secretary of state, resulted from a cablegram stating that "a new deal abandoning the treaty of Versailles is impossible and that to attempt it would bring chaos and general disaster involving the United States," sent by the former senator to the presidential candidate during the heat of the campaign, it was learned here.

MANY KILLED IN YUCATAN

Election Fights Result in Numerous Deaths and Barbarities—Man Drinks Blood of Victim.

Mexico City, Nov. 10.—Reports continue to arrive of disorders in Yucatan, where, messages say, many were killed in election fights between the socialists and liberals. According to Deputy Manzanilla the socialists killed 158 liberals and barbarities of all descriptions are charged against the fighting factions. One socialist was accused of drinking the blood of a liberalist victim.

G. O. P. HOUSE MAJORITY 182

Belated Returns Add Two More Congressmen to List—Democrats Have 126 Votes.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The Republican majority in the house of representatives was moved up to 182 by receipt of belated returns showing the election of Republicans in the Third New York and Fourth Oklahoma districts. The house now stands: Republicans, 308; Democrats, 126.

Soft Coal Output Boosted. Washington, Nov. 10.—Soft coal production for the week of October 30 was 12,338,000 tons, a new maximum for the year, figures made public by the United States geological survey show.

U. S. Ship Sells for \$1,739,000. Washington, Nov. 10.—Sale of the 9,400 deadweight-ton steel cargo steamer, Charles M. Cramp, to the Atlantic, Gulf & Pacific Steamship company of Baltimore for \$1,739,000 was announced by the shipping board.

Harding Off to Panama Nov. 18. Point Isabel, Tex., Nov. 10.—President-elect Harding will sail from New Orleans November 18 for the Canal Zone on board a United Fruit company steamer. Returning, he will be landed at Norfolk December 4.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

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However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmor & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

An Accommodating Man.

Young Freshleigh drew his car up at the rural garage, and with a wink at his young lady passengers, he said to the proprietor, "Got any gasoline?" "I calculate I have," said the countryman.

"How do you sell it, by the glass or the spoonful?" asked Freshleigh. "Well, that all depends, mister." "Was the cain'pion." "Mostly, I sell it by the gallon, but when some g'd derned jackass from the city comes along and wants it by the glass, I generally accommodate him. Hew many glasses do you want?"—Boston Transcript.

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Undoubtedly. Mr. Spiffkins observed that the quiet boy at the foot of the class had not yet had an opportunity to display his knowledge of the Bible. So the teacher gave him this one: "In what condition was the patriarch Job at the end of his life?" "Dead," said the quiet boy.

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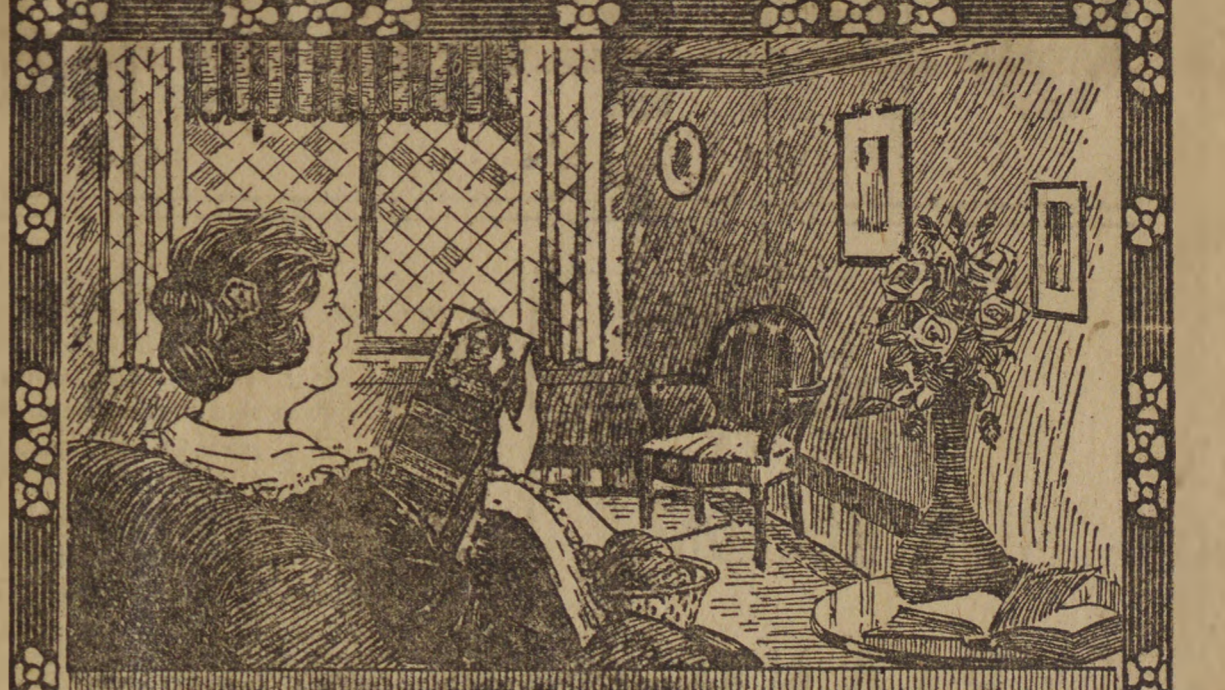
Accept only an "unbroken package" of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," which contains proper directions for Colds, Headache, Pain, Toothache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Lumbago.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—Larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacetic Acidester of Salicylic Acid.

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ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT



Women of Middle Age

Owing to modern methods of living not one woman in a thousand approaches this perfectly natural change in her life without experiencing a train of very annoying and sometimes painful symptoms. Those dreadful hot flashes, smothering spells, fainting spells, nervous troubles and irregularities are symptoms that should have prompt attention. These two letters prove what a successful remedy Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is for women at this time of life.

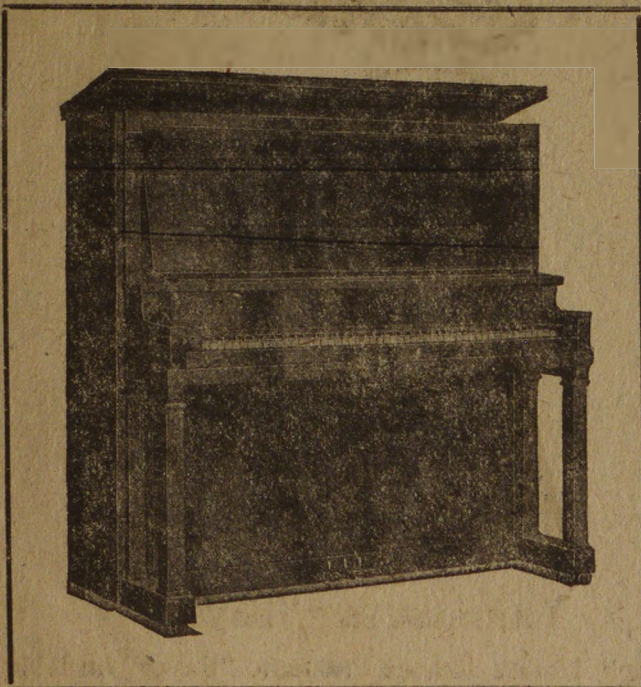
These Two Women Helped During Change of Life.

Taunton, Mass.—"I could not eat or sleep for six months, had fainting spells and could not walk without help for three months, caused by female trouble. My cousin, who was a doctor, told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it helped me greatly. Then during the Change of Life I used the same remedy. I am seventy years old now and am able to do my own housework and walk one mile to church every Sunday morning and evening. I am recommending the Vegetable Compound to my friends having the same troubles as I had. Your remedy is the best on earth. I cannot find words to express my gratitude for it."—Mrs. SUSAN C. STAPLES, 157 B School St., Taunton, Mass.

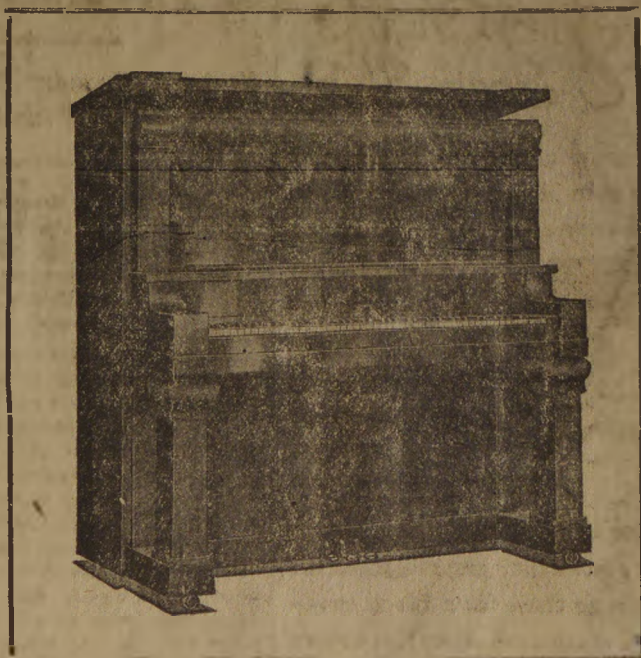
Philadelphia, Pa.—"I want to let you know what good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me. I had organic troubles and am going through the Change of Life. I was taken with a pain in my side and a bad headache. I could not lie down, could not eat or sleep. I suffered something terrible and the doctor's medicine did me no good at all—my pains got worse instead of better. I began taking the Vegetable Compound and felt a change from the first. Now I feel fine and advise any one going through the Change of Life to try it, for it cured me after I had given up all hopes of getting better. I will tell any one who writes to me the good it has done me."—Mrs. MARGARET DANZ, 743 N. 25th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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ANNOUNCING THE OPENING



OF

GENOA'S MUSIC STORE

GENOA, ILLINOIS

SATURDAY, NOV. 13

THE
H. P. NELSON
PIANO
MADE
IN
GENOA

WE are not boosting these instruments because they are made in Genoa, but of course are proud of the fact that they are made at home. The fact gives us a sense of security and the purchaser a sure guarantee of satisfaction. The purchaser of an H. P. Nelson & Son Piano or Piano Player or a Gerhard Phonograph is absolutely safe in the investment in that he knows where to go for redress if everything is not just as represented, and H. P. Nelson & Son have a reputation of years for making good. That is the reason we are selling these goods.

The firm of H. P. Nelson & Son is not a new one, in fact the H. P. Nelson Piano has been on the market for many years and can be found in the best homes thruout the United States. The best material obtainable enters into the construction of the Nelson products; the experience of years goes into the tone producing mechanism and the workmanship thruout is of the highest order. Some of the best skilled and the highest paid mechanics in the United States are employed in building the Nelson Piano and the Gerhard Phonograph. We contend that there is no better instrument made anywhere, we are willing to prove this and the manufacturer stands back of us in every statement of guarantee. Here is another proposition not usually open to you in purchasing a musical instru-

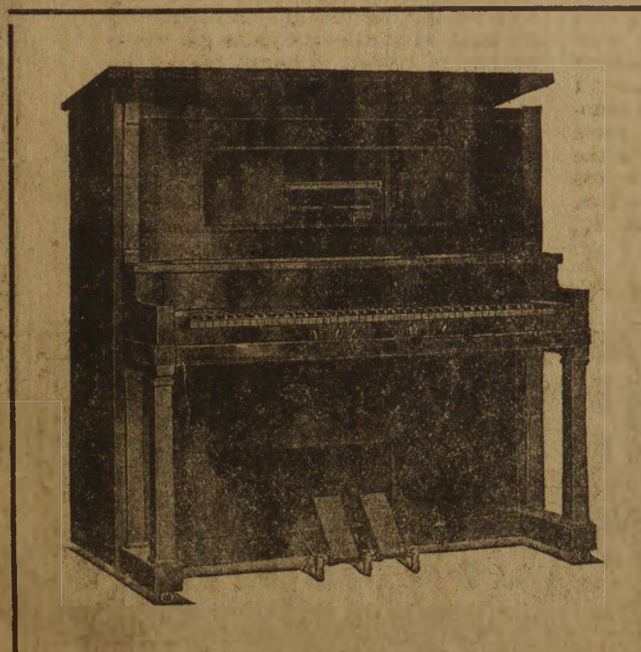
ment. You may at any time visit the factory in Genoa and see the Pianos and Phonographs in the making. Note the great care with which the material is selected, the parts put together and the rigid inspection to which every instrument is subjected before it leaves the factory.

We do not expect every visitor to be a purchaser on the opening day, Saturday, November 13. We want you to call and get acquainted with us and with the instruments. Look them over, hear them, then go home and think it over. Comparison is invited. The Nelson Piano and Gerhard Phonograph will stand this comparison when placed side by side with any other make in the world.

We have on hand a few upright Phonographs which were built for samples. They will be sold at a great bargain. Do not misunderstand. These phonographs are perfect tone producers, beautifully made and high grade in every way. Ask about these when you call and we will give you a real bargain price. There are only a few of these, so get in early if you want one.

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